

A1, A2, B1, B2, A1FI	names of specific emissions scenarios published in the IPCC Special Report on Emissions Scenarios	MEA	Millennium Ecosystem Assessment
CCSP	Climate Change Science Program	MEC	Metropolitan East Coast assessment of US National Assessment
CCTP	Climate Change Technology Program	MER	market exchange rates
CFCs	chlorofluorocarbons	NAPAP	National Acid Precipitation Assessment Program
DDC	Data Distribution Center (IPCC)	NAST	National Assessment Synthesis Team
DOD	Department of Defense (U.S.)	NRC	National Research Council (U.S.)
DWR	Department of Water Resources (California)	NYCDEP	New York City Department of Environmental Protection
EMF	Energy Modeling Forum	NYCHP	New York Climate and Health Project
ENSO	El Niño/Southern Oscillation	OECD	Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	ONA	Office of Net Assessments (Office of US Secretary of Defense)
GBN	Global Business Network	OTA	Office of Technology Assessment, United States Congress
GCM	general circulation model	PDO	Pacific Decadal Oscillation
GDP	gross domestic product	PPP	purchasing-power parity
GFDL	Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory, US National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), and climate model produced by this laboratory	SRES	Special Report on Emissions Scenarios (IPCC)
GtC	gigatonnes (billion metric tons) of carbon	TGICA	Task Group on Data and Scenario Support for Impact and Climate Analysis (IPCC)
HadCM2	UK Hadley Centre climate model, Version 2	UKCIP	United Kingdom Climate Impacts Program
IIASA	International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis, Laxenburg, Austria	VEMAP	Vegetation Ecosystem Mapping and Analysis Project
IPCC	Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change	VOC	volatile organic compounds
IS92	series of emissions scenarios produced by the IPCC in 1992, including specific scenarios named IS92a through IS92f		
LRTAP	Convention on Long-Range Transboundary Air Pollution		