A framework for participatory analysis of trade-offs in landscape planning

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Structure of this presentation

- South Africa (Giyani) Project and EU Sensor Project
- Framework for participatory analysis
- Method to apply the framework
- Research questions

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RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT IN THE GREATER GIYANI AREA (SOUTH AFRICA)

This project aims to alleviate poverty and restore the ecosystem through a sustainable rural development plan

Objectives

- **Identification of options for sustainable development of the area while taking into account competing interests**
- **Assessment of the ecological, social, economic consequences of possible options**
- **Identification of preferred option for development of the area**

STUDY AREA:

- North East of Greater Giyani Municipality
- 12 Villages adjacent to Kruger National Park
- Extension: 450 km2
- Degraded dry savanna
- Very low socio-economic and ecological conditions

Sustainability Impact Assessment Tools

for Environmental, Social and Economic Effects of Multifunctional Land Use in European Regions

Key Objective

Develop science based forecasting instruments to support decision making on policies related to land use in European regions

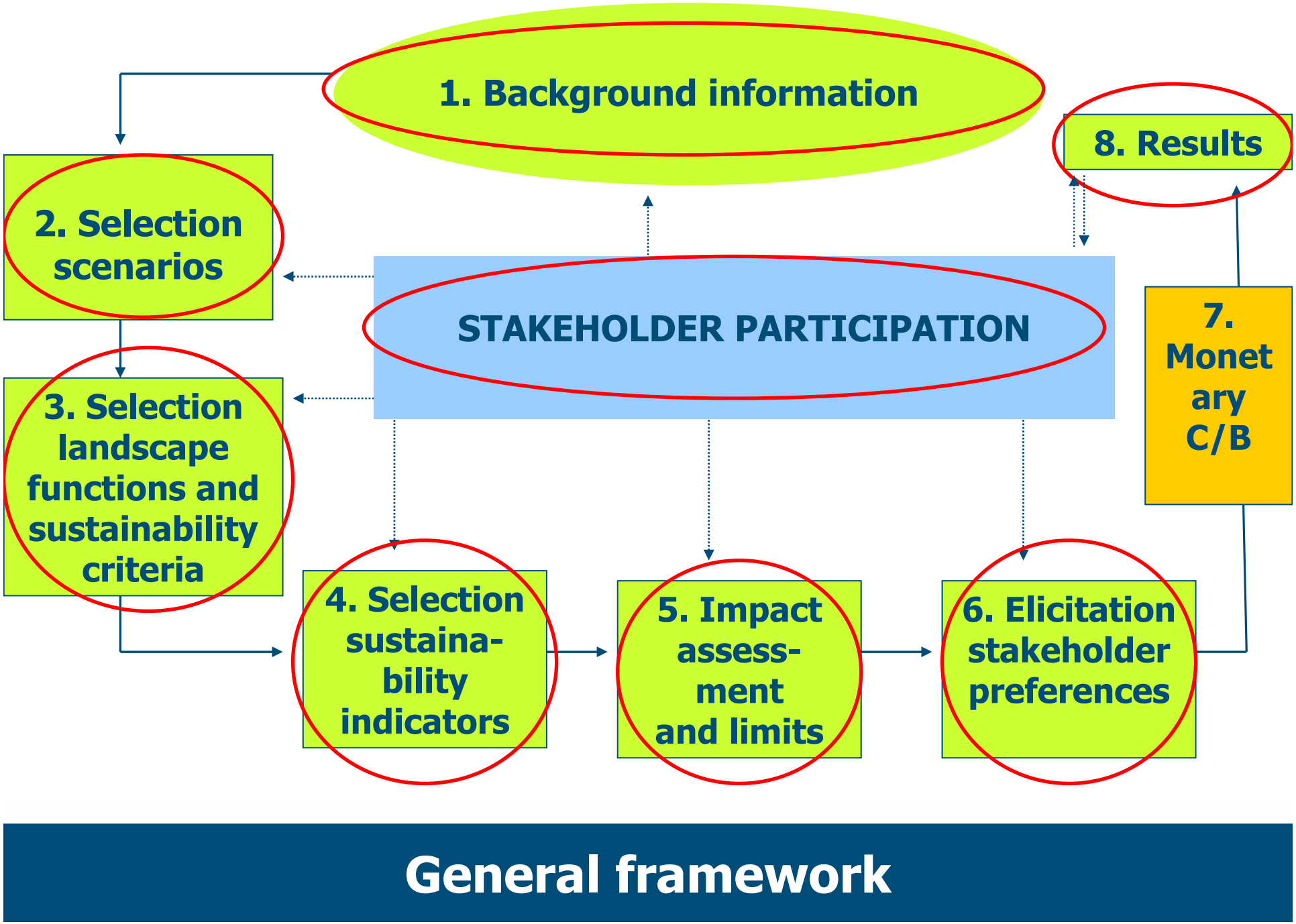
Our role in SENSOR

Develop a participatory method to assess stakeholder opinions, values and preferences for different policy scenarios

Participatory analysis - stakeholders workshops

Malta (May and Oct. 07) ; Estonia (Nov. 03-04); Silesia (Nov. 19-20)

http://www.sensor-ip.eu/



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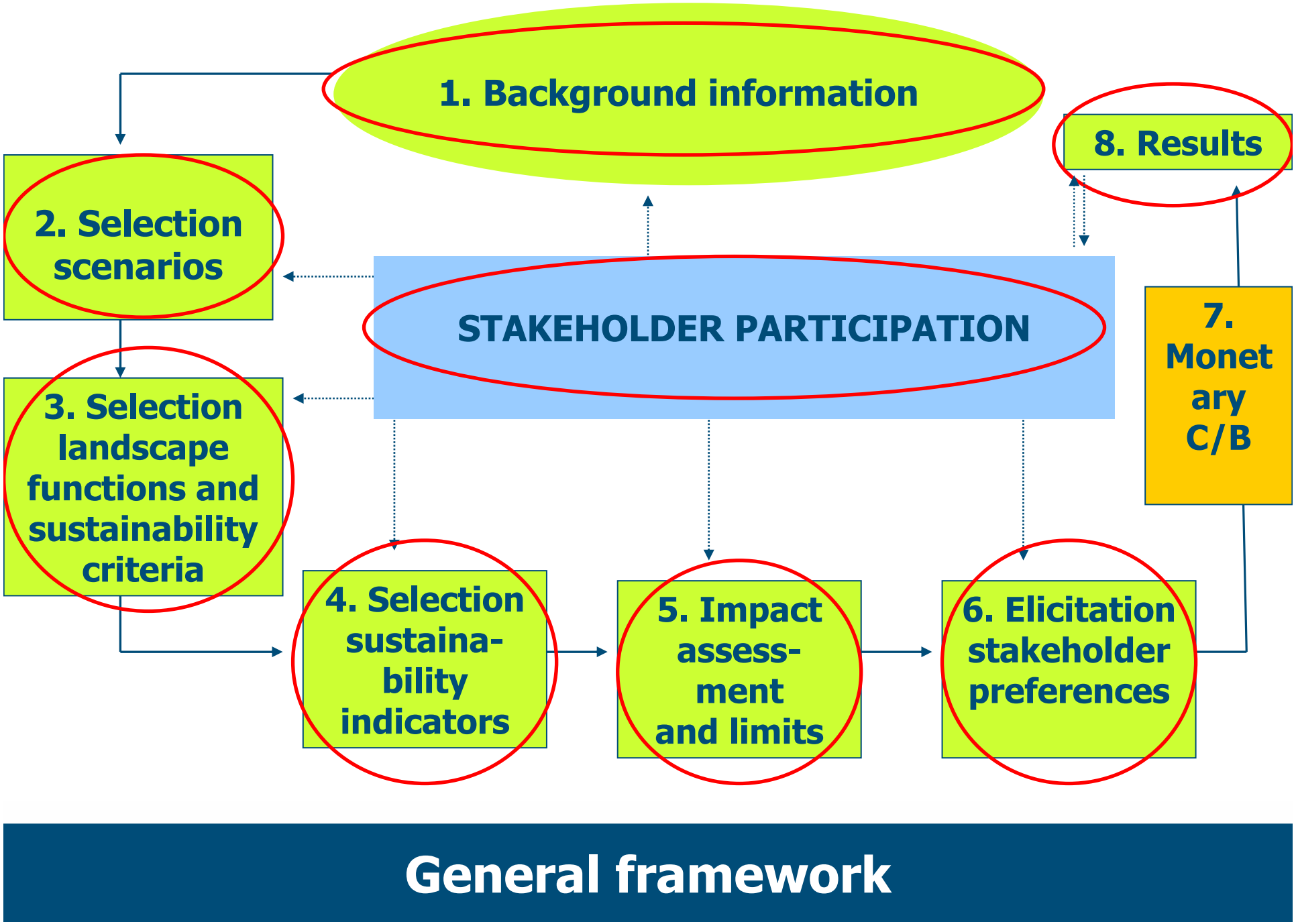

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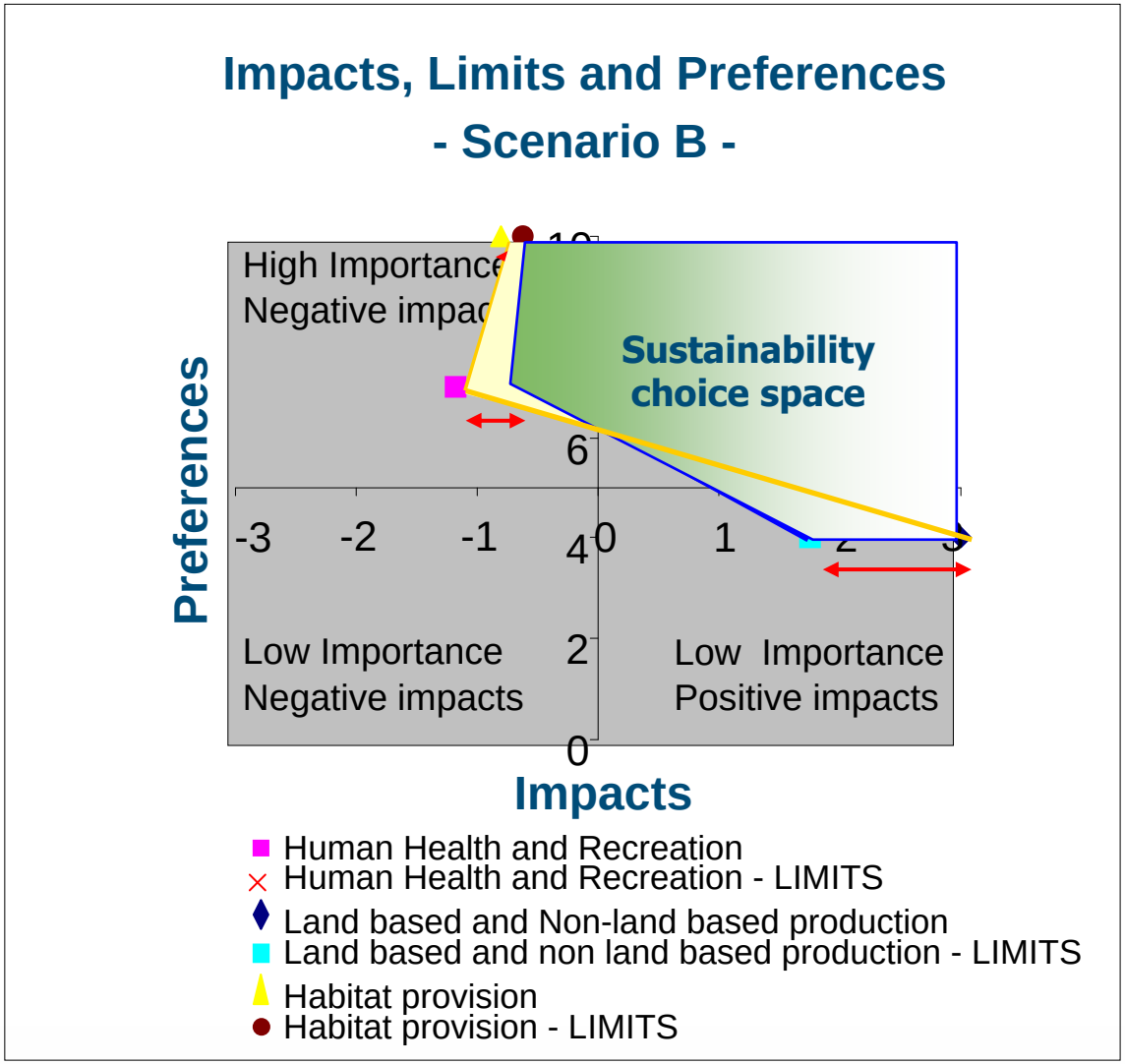

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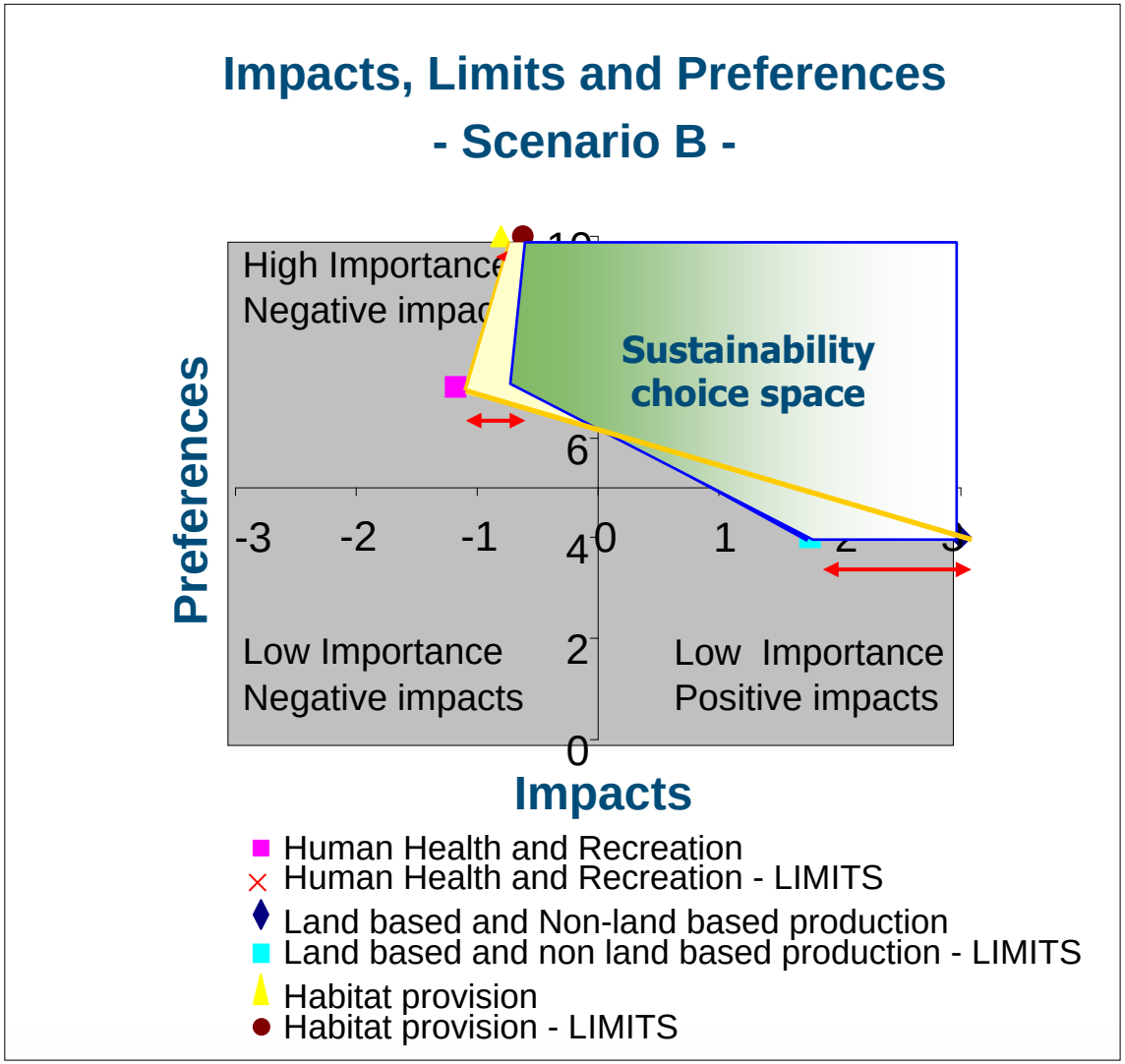

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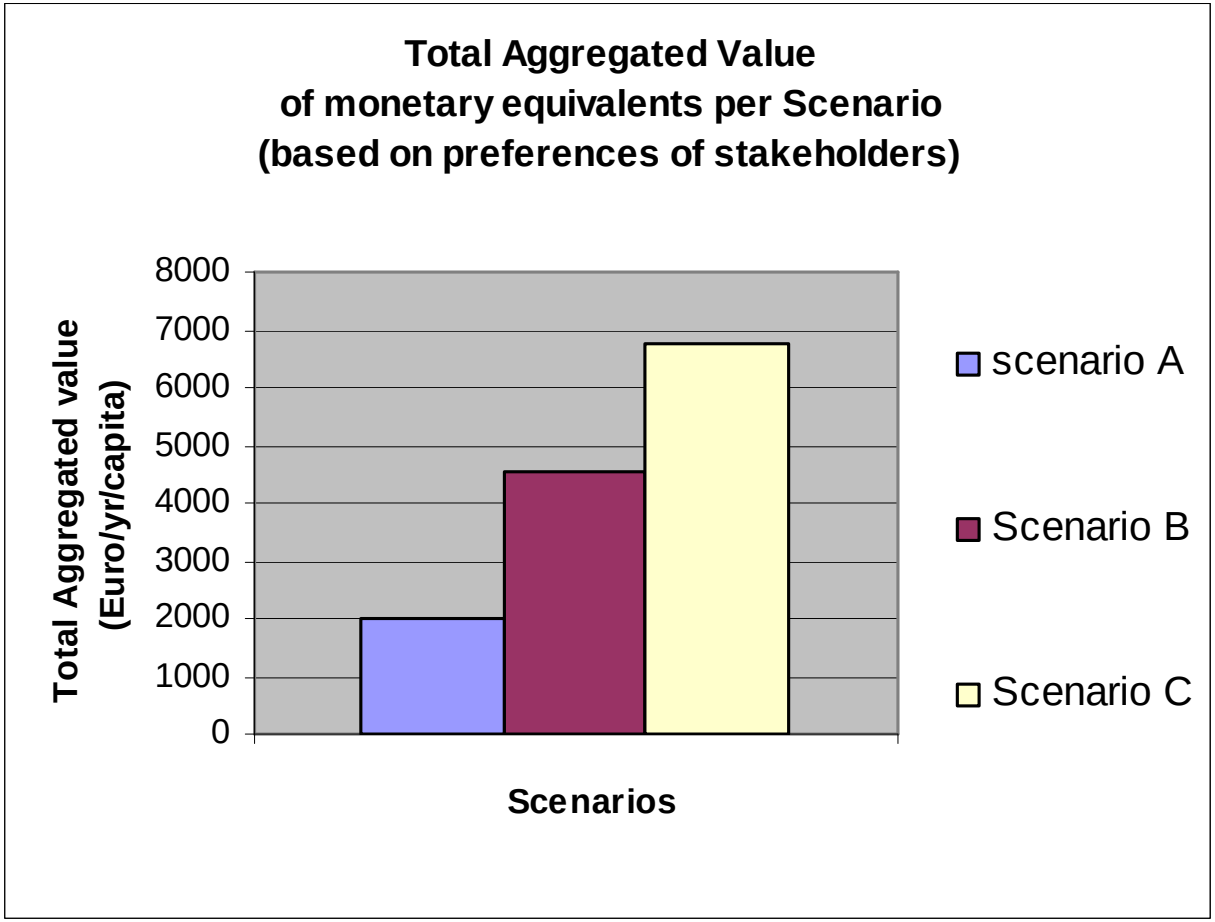

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Research questions to be further investigated

- How to assess preferences of stakeholders in a democratic manner?
- How to support construction of preferences?
- How to combine MCA with CBA?
- How to translate non-monetary costs and benefits into monetary terms?

THANK YOU for the attention!