

# Outcomes Estimation Tools Training Webinar Series

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**Featuring:  
Nutrient Tracking Tool  
(Water Quality)**

**July 12, 2023  
Noon to 1:30 pm eastern**

# Agenda



- Welcome, Poll (5 min)
- Nutrient Tracking Tool Presentation (35 min)
- Nutrient Tracking Tool Demonstration (35 min)
- Q&A (15 min)





# Zoom Webinar Reminders

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- Use Q&A Box - last 15 minutes (Vote up!)
- Use Zoom Direct Message feature to Kinzie if having technical difficulties
- Email with resources to follow each webinar
- Recordings posted on the webinar series site the following Monday
- Evaluation survey in the Chat Box



**Time for 3 polls!**

## Tools in 2023 Trainings\*

May 3: Webinar Launch & PCOC (recording)

June 7: Model My Watershed (recording)

**July 12: Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT) (water quality)**

August 2: NRCS Cover Crop Economics Tool (economic)

September 6: FieldPrint Platform (climate & water quality)

October 4: AFT Retrospective-Soil Health Economics (R-SHEC) Tool (economic)

November 1: PTMApp Web Tool (water quality)

December 6: EPA PLET (water quality)

## Tools in 2024 Trainings\*

January 10: SIPES Method/SIDMA Tool (social)

February 7: Fast-GHG (climate)

March 6: Cool Farm Tool (climate)

April 3: Cropping Systems Calculator (economic)

May 1: COMET-Farm & COMET-Planner (climate)

June 5: CAST Tool (water quality)

July 3: TBD

\*Subject to change

# Next steps in our outcomes estimation journey

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- Remember the NRCS Cover Crops Economics Tool on August 2
- Fill out a 6-question (2-min) online evaluation survey
- Schedule a free “coaching” session with us
  - Email [atappross@farmland.org](mailto:atappross@farmland.org), RE: Coaching Request
- Order a free print copy of the OET Guide
  - Keyword: “AFT outcomes tools”



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# Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT) Version 8.23

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## Presentation today will:

1. Explain how to use NTT to
  - a. Create field management scenarios to compare alternative management practices, crop rotations, and structural practices
  - b. Compare the outcomes of each management scenario to determine which conservation practice(s) offers the best reduction opportunities
  - c. Estimate yield impacts of each scenario to weigh potential tradeoffs between environmental performance and yield
2. Discuss the appropriate scale to use the tool
3. Briefly introduce NTT Research, and Education (NTT-RE)
4. Briefly introduce the new and upcoming analytical features



# Agenda

- NTT description (Part 1-35 min)
  - History
  - Purpose
  - Snapshot of NTT
  - Strengths and limitations
  - Components (models, databases, conservation practices)
  - Scales
  - Latest modifications (carbon sequestration, regional tool)
  - Upcoming futures
- Demo of NTT Tool (Part 2-35 min)
- Questions and discussions (Part 3-20 min)

## History of NTT

- USDA Office of Energy and Environmental Policy and Office of Environmental Market (OEEP/OEM) worked with TIAER to develop the current version of NTT as the science tool behind water quality trading

## Purpose of NTT

- Conduct water quality/quantity assessment and serve as a decision-making tool for different farm conservation & watershed projects
- Conduct soil health & atmospheric gases assessment (Next version available August 23)
- Crop production optimization tool
- Planning
- Education & outreach
- Research & analysis



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# Snapshot of the NTT Tool

Is this the Right Tool for You?





Snap Shot of Features	Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT)
<b>Scale &amp; level of specificity</b>	<p><b>Field level:</b> with the potential for regional (including watershed, county, and state) scale and multiple-field project and use by adding up outcomes estimated using NTT watershed function routine.</p> <p><b>Site-specific:</b> Field-specific estimates allowing for geo-specific placement of BMPs reflecting specific soils, slope, and weather data</p>
<b>Outcomes</b>	<p><b>Water quantity, quality, loss reductions:</b> total flow, sediment, nitrogen, and phosphorus losses, soil carbon sequestration, crop yield, and economic.</p>
<b>Conservation practices</b>	<p><b>Currently:</b> crop rotation, planting, harvesting, tillage, grazing, irrigation, nutrient management, tile management, and single or multiple structural practices</p> <p><b>Next version(2024):</b> bacteria, herbicide, pesticides, and urban BMP's</p>
<b>Land uses &amp; production systems</b>	<p><b>All land uses</b> (cropland, grazing, pasture, and forest)</p> <p><b>Production systems:</b> all commodity row crops &amp; grazing livestock, vegetables, fruit orchards</p> <p><b>Next version(2024):</b> urban</p>



Snap Shot of Features	Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT)
<b>States &amp; territories</b>	<b>Currently:</b> CONUS and Puerto Rico <b>Next version(2024):</b> Hawaii and Alaska & U.S. territories
<b>Time, data, &amp; skills needed to generate an outcome estimate</b>	<b>1)</b> Perform extensive “before v. after” interview with farmer to collect field specific production & conservation practice data <b>2)</b> Enter data into the web-based tool to build “before” & “after” conservation scenarios <b>3)</b> Produce and download results in tabular form or graphical bar charts displaying baseline, conservation scenario, and change metrics for water quality/quantity, and crop production estimates.
<b>NTT versions</b>	1. NTT Public ( <a href="http://www.NTT.tiaer.Tarleton.edu">www.NTT.tiaer.Tarleton.edu</a> and ; 2. Research and Educational, and APEX interface program ( <a href="http://www.NTT-RE.tiaer.Tarleton.edu">www.NTT-RE.tiaer.Tarleton.edu</a> ), Multiple field simulation project (individual requests) and county level conservation evaluation (to be released in 2024



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# Strengths, Limitations, & Trade Offs of NTT Tool

## Strengths

- **National coverage** – Available in CONUS, useful if you have projects in many states
- **User friendly interface** - No software download Required
- **Provide farmers with their own site-specific analysis**- Due to use of national soils and weather datasets and the powerful APEX field production model
- Economic
- **Flexibility with scale analysis**-
  - Watershed scale is possible by creating sub-basins from field scale analysis
  - For a fee, TIAER will provide project, watershed, county, and state scale NTT analysis
- Results can be downloaded for future viewing
- **Become an official tool:** Iowa Dept of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Pennsylvania DEQ, Soil and Water Outcomes Fund (SWOF), Maryland Water Trading Program & MD Dept of Agriculture
- **Other users:** Ohio, Louisiana, Idaho, Oregon, California



## Limitations, & Trade Offs

- **Initially built for field-level analysis** – Application at farm-scale, county / watershed / project scale, or larger takes additional effort
- **Validation and Calibration** – Generally validated for CONUS; addition calibration using field studies would be recommended
- **Data intensive** – It may requires significant interview time with the farmer to obtain the production and management data for creation of hypothetical before (baseline) vs after (conservation) scenarios
- **Difficulty with unstable internet** - Data entry should be conducted in locations with good internet connection & not while interfacing with the farmer.
- Is not adopted for Hawaii and Alaska, or U.S. Territories (except Puerto Rico)



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# NTT Components

# NTT Background Models

- NTT uses two models:
  - Environmental Model: the Agriculture Policy Environmental eXtender (APEX) model (Dr. Jimmy Williams et. al.)
  - Economic model: Farm Economic Model (Dr. Osei et. al.)

## Economic Model: (FEM)

- A whole-farm annual model that simulates the economic impacts of a wide range of scenarios on privately owned agricultural operations
- Model is calibrated with extensive data on farm practices, budgets and other watershed information
- Includes a number of simulation and optimization routines
- Can be modified easily for other land uses within a watershed (e.g., Forestry and Urban)

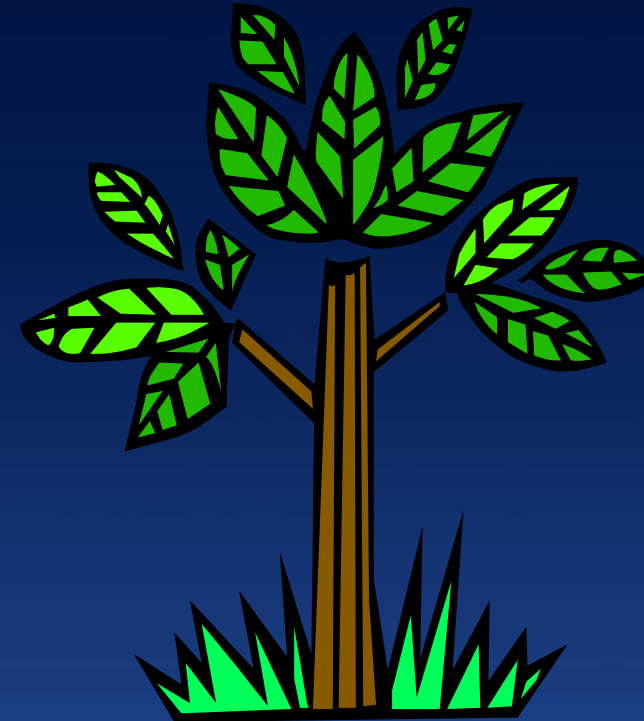


## Environmental Models: (APEX)

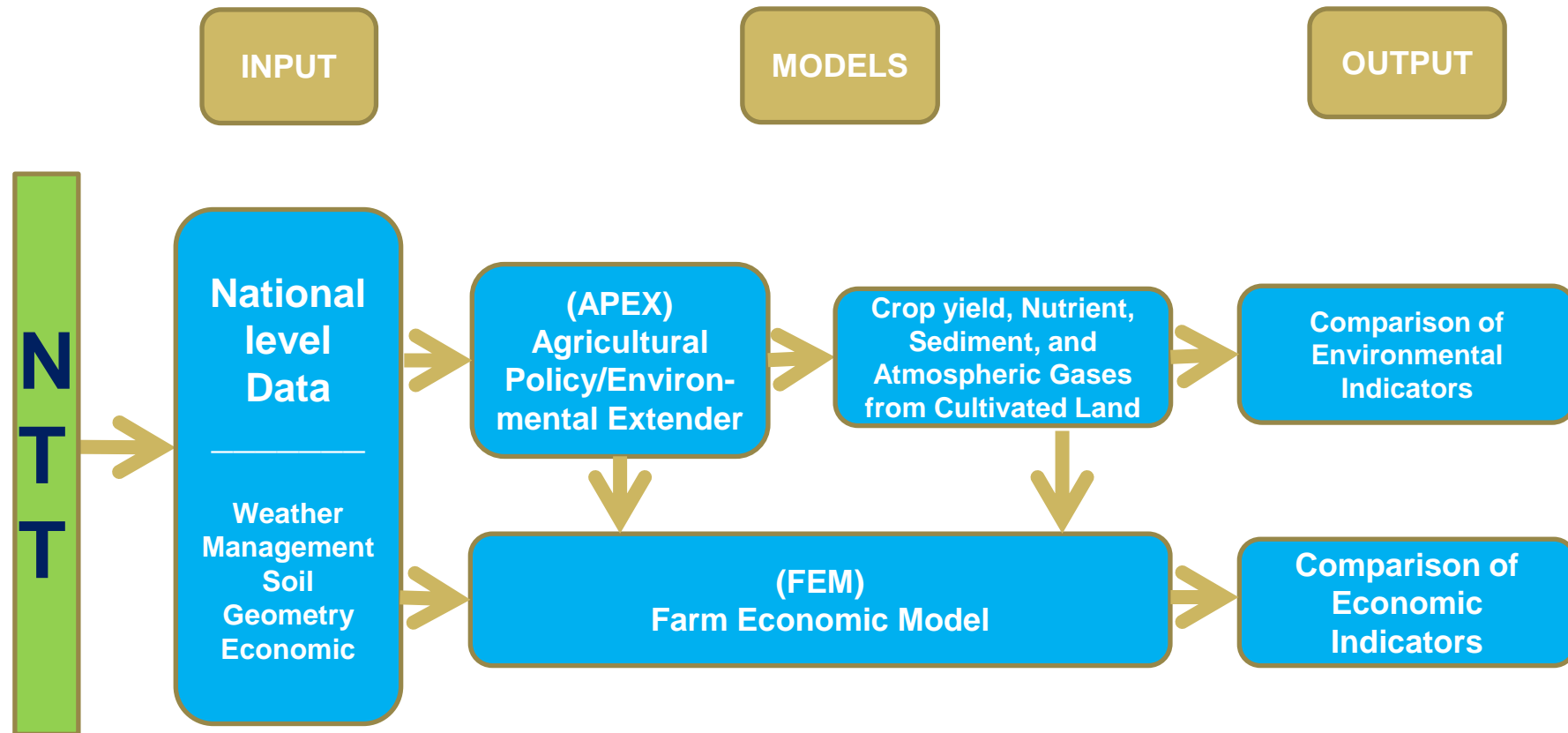
APEX was developed by USDA scientists, led by Dr. Jimmy Williams, to predict the effects of different management scenarios on water quality, sediment yields, and pollutant loading from various land uses within fields and watersheds

# Components of APEX model

Weather  
Hydrology  
Erosion (wind and water)  
Nutrients (N, P, and K)  
Soil Carbon  
Pesticides  
Crop growth (up to 10 crops)  
Tillage  
Management  
Routing  
Reservoirs  
Groundwater  
Grazing  
Manure management  
Climate



# Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT) Framework





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# CPs currently available in NTT Components

# Cultural Practices

- No-till/Low till
- Manure management
- Nutrient management
  - Rate
  - Timing
  - Placement
  - Source
- Cover crops
- Crop Rotation
- Soil health (Soil carbon sequestration)
- Land Conversion (to pasture/grass, to forest, to crop, etc.)
- Rotational Grazing/Prescribed Grazing
- Climate change scenarios (for next version)

# Structural Practices

- Irrigation/Fertigation
- Tile drain
  - Drainage water management, bioreactors & saturated buffers
  - Pads and Pipes (Mississippi. and Missouri)
- Wetlands
- Ponds and reservoir
- Grass/Forest buffers
- Grassed Waterways
- Terraces
- Land Leveling
- Contour buffers
- Animal Fencing





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# Latest NTT Modifications

# Science

- NTT tile-drainage modification to simulate:
  - tile bioreactors, drainage water management, and saturated buffer practice to tile drain system.
- Reservoir routine was added to the list of conservation practices
- Routing function between fields (subbasins) based on slope
- C Sequestration
- Development of NTT-RGN program

# Operation

- Selection of “initial year” and “final year” for the tabular report
- Updated “tabular results” page to compare any number of scenarios
- The cropping operation database for regions of country
- Improving watershed simulation
- The inclusion of animal fencing practice

# Databases and Help

- Databases
  - PRISM weather information extended to year 2021 (as always NTT is simulated using the last 35-years of updated weather). (User's weather data input available).
  - Soils data was updated using USDA-NRCS 2022 soil survey data. (User's soil data input available).
  - Economic databases were included for FEM simulations.
- Help and information
  - user manual, and page instructions were updated and made available on the site.
  - A forum page, Email system, and FEQ page was added to organize and post the most common questions asked in the forum to assist other users.

# Upcoming Carbon Sequestration Estimation

An example

## NTT (APEX) C sequestration simulations

- The simulation done in daily basis
- Affected by any daily management practices
- It can be estimated at the any soil depth
- The simulation results also includes water quality/quantity and crop yield

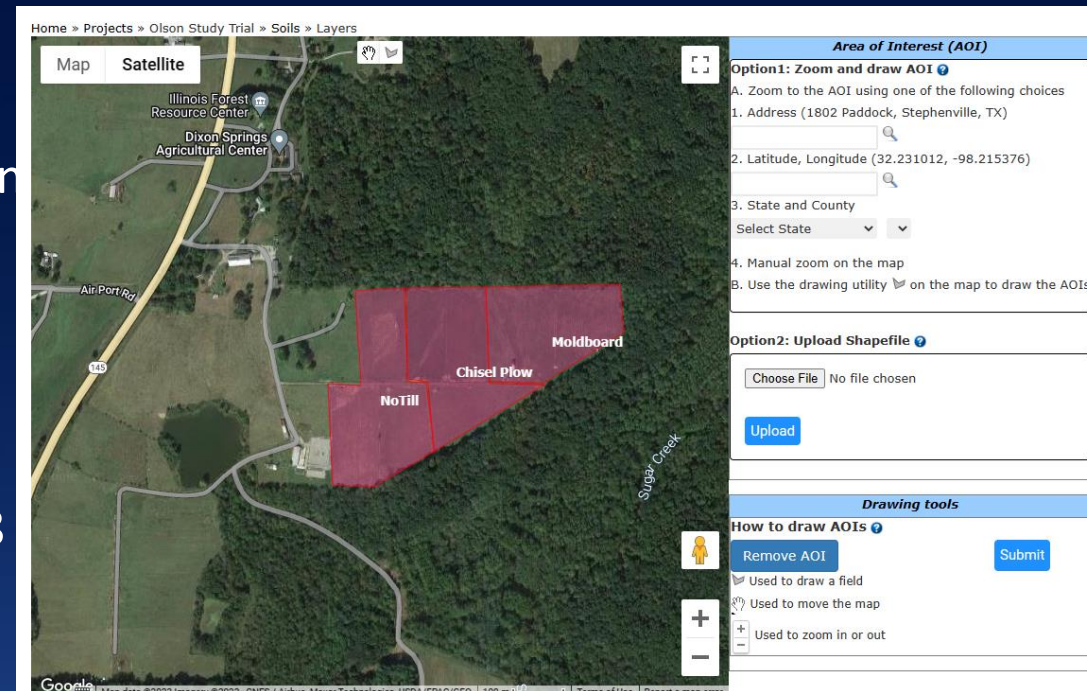


## Carbon Sequestration Validation Methods Overview

- Literature review used to find studies that report change in soil carbon under varying management practices.
- Literature review criteria
  - United States; 1985 – 2019
  - Soil carbon measurements at least 5 years apart
- Study methods, management, location, and soil conditions were put into the Nutrient Tracking Tool
- Simulated soil carbon compared to measured soil carbon

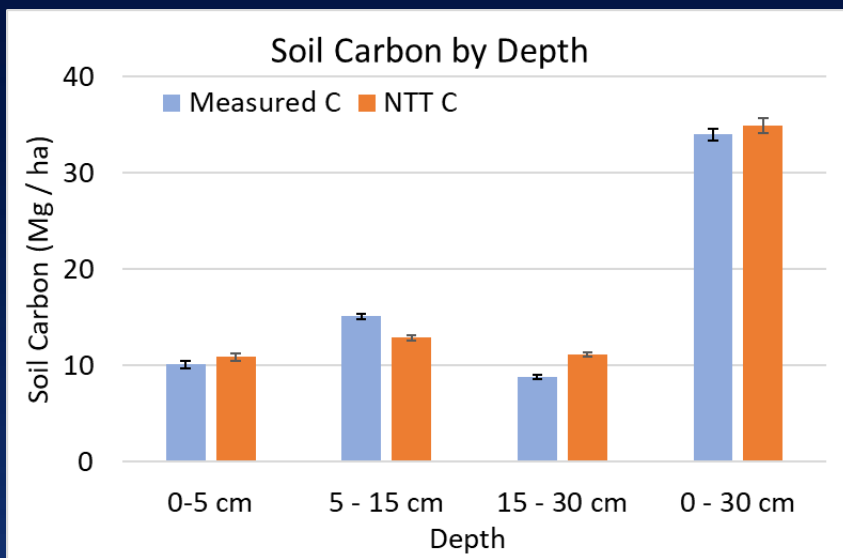
# Carbon Sequestration Study: Olson et al., 2005

- Grantsburg, Illinois
  - Grantsburg Silt Loam
- Corn – Soybean rotation on previous CRP land
- Treatments:
  - No-Till
  - Chisel Plow
  - Moldboard Plow
- Initial Measurement: 1988
- Final Measurement: 2000

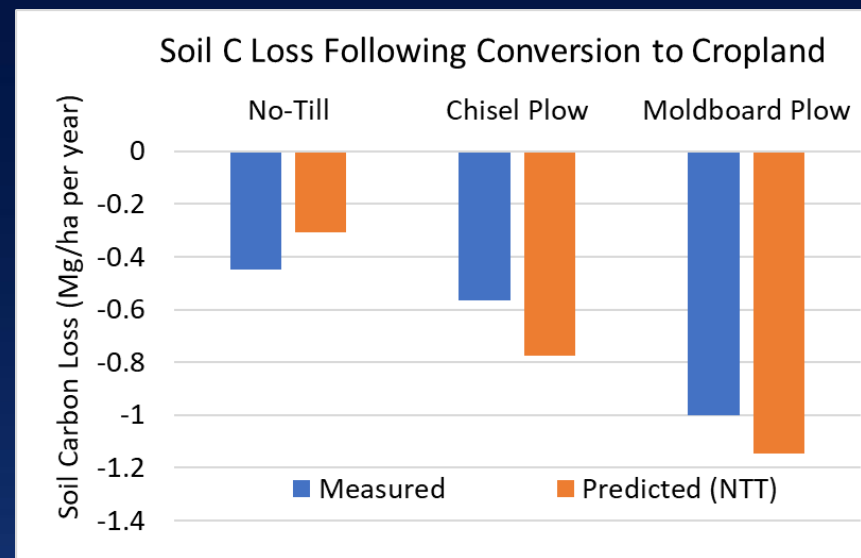


Full Reference: Olson, K.R., Lang, J.M., Ebelhar, S.A. 2005. Soil organic carbon changes after 12 years of no-tillage and tillage of Grantsburg soils in southern Illinois. Soil and Tillage Research, 81 (2), 217 – 225. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.still.2004.09.009>

# Olson Study Results



Soil C to 30 cm in 2000 (final year)



Soil Carbon Loss following conversion of perennial grassland to cropland between 1988 and 2000



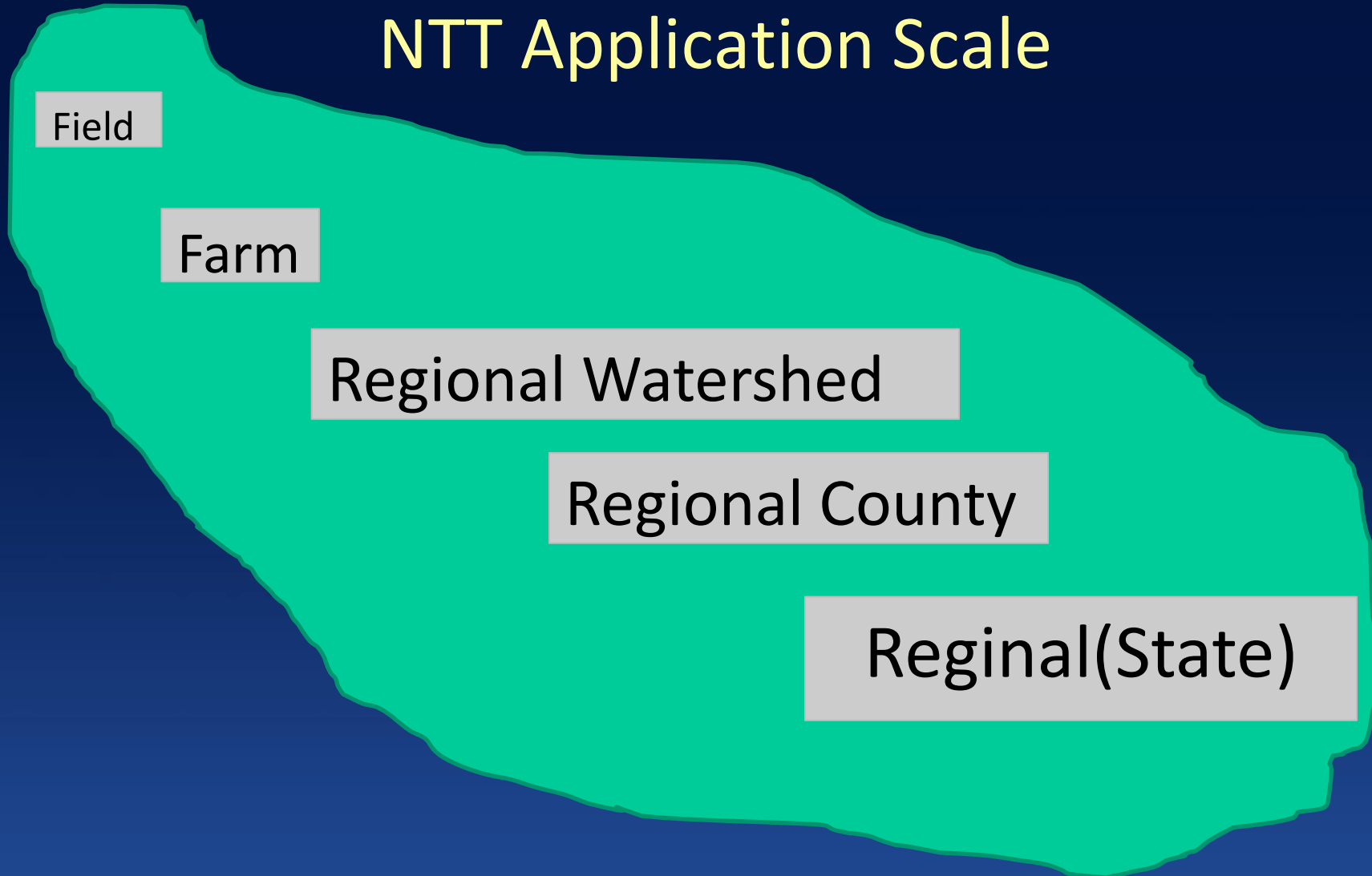
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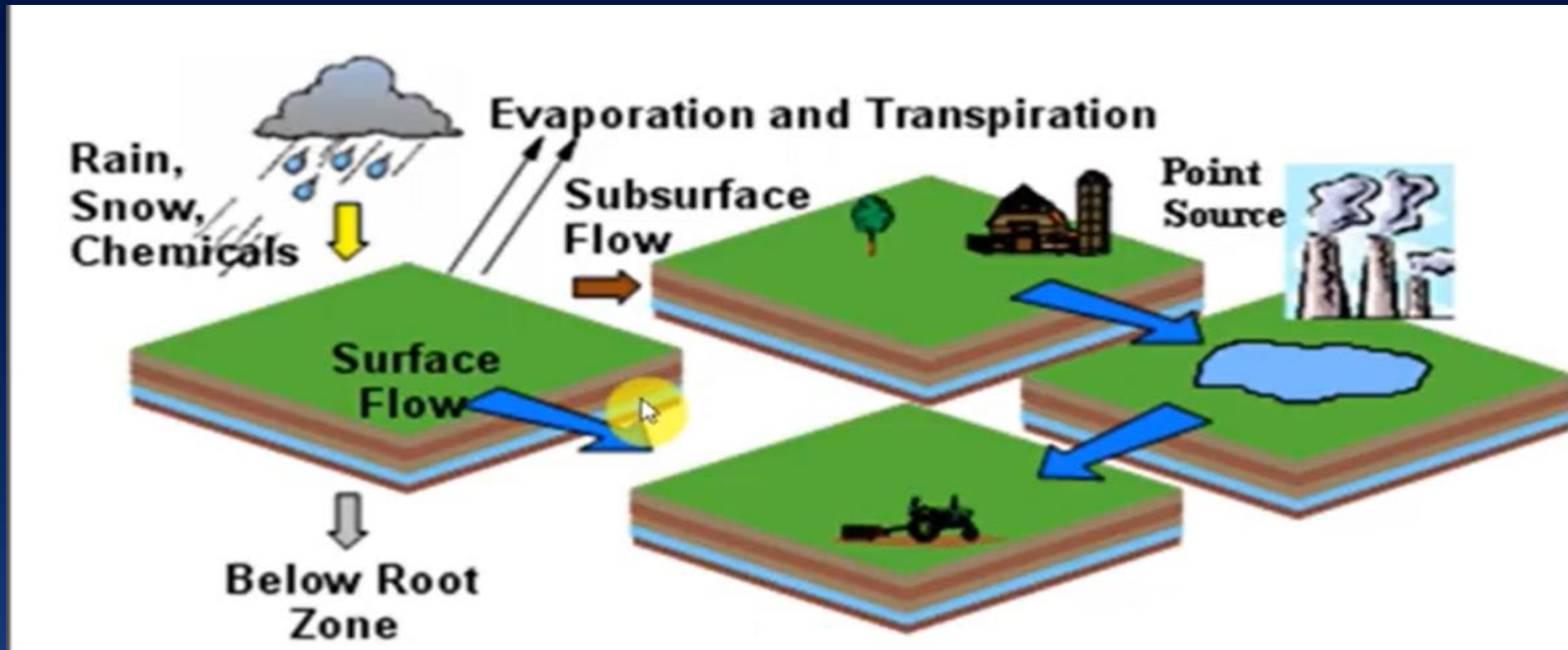
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# Scales for NTT use

# NTT Application Scale



# NTT: Field and Farm (watershed) Simulation



an example will be provided in part 2



# Upcoming Regional NTT-RGN (watershed)

Example

# Upcoming Regional Tool NTT-RGN (watershed, county, & state)

Example

# NTT-RGN: County and Regional (e.g., State) Scale Simulation

- 100-ac field size is selected
  - Soils are selected from soil survey
  - Local weather data selected from Prism
  - Local management (current and alternative scenarios)
  - Results are presented in NTT-REG User Interface program

# NTT-RGN Program: An Example

### Editing Scenario for County

**Step 1: Location**

Select State: Iowa

Select County: Adams

**Step 2: Scenario name and Crop**

Scenario Name: Iowa CS Cover crop

Cropping Management System: Corn/Soybean

**Step 3: Nutrients**

Nutrient Type: Commercial

Nutrient Application: Basic Nutrients

Nutrient Incorporation: No Incorporation

**Step 4: Tillage and Irrigation**

Tillage Management: No Till

Irrigation: No

**Step 5: Cover crop and BMPs**

Cover Crop: Yes

Tile Drain: Yes

BMPs: None

### Average Field Results at County Level

Enter Field Area (Acres): 100

Simulated results for selected field area	Iowa CS Cover crop	Iowa CS no till	Iowa CS hi till		
Description	Losses	Losses(±)	Change(%)	Losses(±)	Change(%)
<b>Hydrology (acre-in)</b>					
Surface Runoff (acre-in)	257.62	478.13	220.51 (85.6)	624.87	367.25 (142.6)
Subsurface Flow (acre-in)	190.46	196.95	6.49 (3.4)	132.93	-57.53 (-30.2)
Tile Drain Flow (acre-in)	661.78	678.67	16.89 (2.6)	467.23	-194.55 (-29.4)
Irrigation Applied (acre-in)	0.00	0.00	0.00 (NaN)	0.00	0.00 (NaN)
Precipitation (acre-in)	35.20	35.20	0.00 (0.0)	35.20	0.00 (0.0)
<b>N Losses (lbs)</b>	<b>831.79</b>	<b>2757.37</b>	<b>-1904.01 (-40.8)</b>	<b>4661.38</b>	<b>3829.59 (460.4)</b>
Organic N (lbs)	452.02	1042.74	590.72 (130.7)	2123.57	1671.55 (369.8)
Runoff N (lbs)	74.71	1098.43	1023.72 (1370.3)	2100.56	2025.85 (2711.6)
Subsurface N (lbs)	48.67	76.46	27.79 (57.1)	52.03	3.36 (6.9)
Tile-Drain soluble N (lbs)	217.96	475.22	257.26 (118.0)	309.28	91.32 (41.9)
N <sub>2</sub> O (lbs)	38.42	64.53	26.11 (68.0)	75.93	37.51 (97.6)
<b>P Losses (lbs)</b>	<b>93.07</b>	<b>238.07</b>	<b>-341.01 (-58.9)</b>	<b>579.08</b>	<b>486.01 (522.2)</b>
Organic P (lbs)	46.27	137.97	91.70 (198.2)	438.81	392.54 (848.4)
Surface Soluble P (lbs)	43.60	96.86	53.26 (122.2)	138.02	94.42 (216.6)
Tile-Drain soluble P (lbs)	3.20	3.24	0.04 (1.3)	2.25	-0.95 (-29.7)
<b>Total Sediment (t)</b>	<b>34.28</b>	<b>105.35</b>	<b>-308.28 (-74.5)</b>	<b>413.63</b>	<b>379.35 (1106.6)</b>
Surface Erosion (t)	34.28	105.35	71.0700 (207.3)	413.63	379.3500 (1106.6)
Manure Erosion (t)	0.00	0.00	0.0000 (NaN)	0.00	0.0000 (NaN)
<b>Total CO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O losses (t)</b>	<b>86.94</b>	<b>108.66</b>	<b>-3.53 (-3.1)</b>	<b>112.19</b>	<b>25.25 (29.0)</b>
C Sequestration rate at 12 in. soil depth (t)	48.51	44.13	-4.38 (-9.0)	36.26	-12.25 (-25.3)
N <sub>2</sub> O (lbs)	38.42	64.53	26.11 (68.0)	75.93	37.51 (97.6)
<b>Total Crop Yield</b>					
SOYB (bu)	6900	6900	0.00 (0.0)	6900	0.00 (0.0)
CORN (bu)	18000	18800	2200.00 (13.3)	16600	-1400.00 (-7.8)

## Upcoming futures

- Releasing the version with modified APEX 1501 (August 2023)
- Updating NTT program (ongoing)
  - Science
  - Capabilities
  - Calibration and validation
  - Additional local and national level scenarios such as Climate change
- Expand NTT-RGN program to states beyond MD & IA (ongoing)
- Pesticides and herbicides (2024)
- Bacteria (2024)



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# Questions and Comments





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# An Overview of NTT (Demonstration via slides)

## A sample use Case

An IA SWCD staff is working with a farmer to evaluate 6 practice scenarios to encourage adoption on his/her farm (3 fields) using NTT tool



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# Farm Description (Data Input)



# Sample Farm Management Practices (Baseline)

<i>Date (Corn/Soybean)</i>	<i>Operation</i>	<i>Application Type/Rate (lbs/ac)</i>
April 5/April 5	Chisel Plow	Tillage
April 15 (Corn)	Fertilizer / Element-N Fertilizer / Element-P	Surface/180 Surface/60
May 5/May 4	Field Cultivator	Tillage
May 5/May 15	Planting Corn Planting Soybeans	Regular Planter 12 Row/0.93 (seeds/ft <sup>2</sup> ) Regular Planter 12 Row/7.06 (seeds/ft <sup>2</sup> )
May 14 (Soybean)	Fertilizer / Element-P	Surface/40
October 10/October 11	Harvest	-
October 18/October 18	Tandem Disk Plow	Tillage

# Sample Conservation Practices

<i>Practice</i>	<i>Operation</i>	
No till	No Tillage operation	
No till (Nutrient Incorporation)	No Tillage operation Fertilizer N and P knifed at 3 in. depth	
Cover Crop	Rye after corn and soybean	
<b>Tile Drainage Management</b>		
Bioreactors	Activated Bioreactor in Tile Drain	
DWM	Closed drains in spring and opened after harvest	
Saturated Buffer Zone	60% tile was passed thru FS	



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# Step 1. Account set up and general information page

## Welcome

Welcome to the Nutrient Tracking Tool (NTT) – a tool to estimate nutrient and sediment losses from crop and pasture. NTT was developed by the Texas Institute for Applied Environmental Research (TIAER) at Tarleton State University with funding and technical support from USDA's Office of Environmental Markets.

### Sign in

Sign in

New User

[Forgot Password?](#)



About NTT



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# Step 2. Create, upload, download, copy, or delete a project

## Projects

Create New Project

Upload Project

To select an existing project, click on the project name.

Project Name ^	Description	Date Created	Actions	User
<a href="#">Adam_parm_evaluation_test</a>		2022-08-05		jenny



Home » Projects » Iowa Demo » Soils » Layers

Map Satellite

Save Project As

**Area of Interest (AOI)**

**Option1: Zoom and draw AOI**

A. Zoom to the AOI using one of the following choices

1. Address
2. Latitude, Longitude
3. State and County  
Select State

4. Manual zoom on the map

B. Use the drawing utility on the map to draw the AOIs

**Option2: Upload Shapefile**

No file chosen

**Drawing tools**

**How to draw AOIs**

Used to draw a field

Used to move the map

Used to zoom in or out

Keyboard shortcuts | Map data ©2023 Imagery ©2023, Maxar Technologies, USDA/FPAC/GEO | 100 m | Terms of Use | Report a map error

## Step 3. Field/farm Selection

# Actual Field photos





# Step 4. Field information and selection

Project: Iowa Demo
Save Project As

Location (Boone , Iowa)

Fields

Watershed (Field Routing)

Economic Input Information

Home » Projects » Iowa Demo

## Fields

Click on the Field Name to continue to Soils page

Field Name	Field Area (ac)	Actions
<a href="#">Field 1</a>	114.42	
<a href="#">Field 2</a>	66.07	
<a href="#">Field 3</a>	43.45	

Click on a Field Name to continue.

### Editing Field

Field name

Field area

Save
Back

# Soil page (optional)

Home » Projects » Iowa Demo » Fields » Field 1 » Soils

## Soils

The soils information are coming from the SSURGO database from NRCS web page. For more information or see the soils information directly in NRCS Web Soil Survey page use this link: [websoilsurvey.usda.gov](http://websoilsurvey.usda.gov)

Field name  Field area  (ac.)

[Create New Soil](#)

Name	Group	Slope	Drainage Quality	Percentage	Actions
Clarion loam, Bemis moraine, 2 to 6 percent slopes	B	2.436	Well Drained	40.15	
Canisteo clay loam, Bemis moraine, 0 to 2 percent slopes	C/D	1.523	Poorly Drained	39.86	
Harpis clay loam, Bemis moraine, 0 to 2 percent slopes	C/D	1.5	Poorly Drained	20.0	

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Features like soil layer creation, editing, and deletion is available only to NTT-RE version.



# Soil page for public version (optional)

## Soils

Field name  Field area  (ac.)

Soil P Test Information

Soil p test  Soil p (ppm)

Name	Group	Slope	Organic Matter (%)	Percentage
Blount silt loam, ground moraine, 2 to 4 percent slopes	D	2.444	<input type="text" value="2.0"/>	50.49
Glynwood clay loam, ground moraine, 2 to 6 percent slopes, eroded	D	2.956	<input type="text" value="1.75"/>	27.84
Pewamo silty clay loam, 0 to 1 percent slopes	C/D	1.443	<input type="text" value="4.0"/>	21.67

Save and Continue

# Soil page for RE version (Optional)

Home » Projects » Iowa Demo » Fields » Field 1 » Soils: Clarion loam, Bemis moraine, 2 to 6 percent slopes » Layers

## Layers

[Create New Soil Layer](#) [Back to Soils](#)

Depth (in)	Soil P (ppm) ?	Bulk Density (Mg/m3)	Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)	Organic Matter (%)	Ph	Actions
3.94	0.0	1.3	45.0	34.0	21.0	3.5	6.2	
9.06	0.0	1.3	45.0	34.0	21.0	3.5	6.2	
13.78	0.0	1.35	45.0	34.0	21.0	2.5	6.2	
33.07	0.0	1.4	45.0	34.0	21.0	0.75	6.6	
78.74	0.0	1.6	49.0	36.0	15.0	0.25	8.0	

### New layer

Depth (in)

Soil P Test None

Soil P (ppm)

Bulk Density (Mg/m3)

Sand (%)

Silt (%)

Clay (%)

Organic Matter (%)

Ph

[Save](#) [Back](#)

### Editing Soil Layer

Depth (in)

Soil P Test None

Soil P (ppm)

Bulk Density (Mg/m3)

Sand (%)

Silt (%)

Clay (%)

Organic Matter (%)

Ph

[Save](#) [Back](#)

### Create New Soil

Selected

Key

Symbol

Group

Name

Albedo  ?

Slope  ?

Percentage  ?

Drainage Quality Select One  ?

[Save](#) [Back](#)

### Editing Soils

Selected

Key

Symbol

Group

Name

Albedo  ?

Slope  ?

Percentage  ?

Drainage Quality Well Drained  ?

[Save](#) [Back](#)



# Weather page for RE version (optional)

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## Weather

41.9766, -93.7215, N41.95833W93.70833.wth ?

- Weather Information Using PRISM Data
- Load your Own Weather File
- Load Using Specific Coordinates (USA only)

Update Weather

Simulation period

Years of weather information: 1987 - 2021

The period to simulate is the same as the period in the weather information. The simulation years can be changed but it should be between the weather initial and final years.

Simulation period: initial year ? 1987 final year 2021 [Update Simulation Period](#)

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Current weather period for NTT includes year 1987 to 2021.



# Step 5. Management setup

Project: Iowa Demo

Save Project As

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Fields (Field 1)

Soils

Weather

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## NTT Management Scenario Input and Simulation

Create New Scenario

Copy Scenario from other project/field

Water Quality Simulation

Economic & Water Quality Simulation

To see the scenario operations click the name of the scenario in the list below.

To download a simulation folder click, under actions column and in front of the scenario you want to download to,

View Results

View Economic Results

Select	Name	Weather	Soils	Layers	Operations	Simulated	Simulation date	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Corn &amp; Soybean</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:32:02 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline No Tillage</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:32:20 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Cover Crop - Oats</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:50:08 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline N &amp; P at 3 inches</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:34:19 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Tile Bioreactors</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:34:32 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Tile Drain Management</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:34:45 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Saturated Buffer</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:35:00 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Cover Crop - Oats No Till</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:52:56 -0500	APEX FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Cover Crop - Oats No Till with Saturated Buffer</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:55:18 -0500	APEX FEM





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## NTT Management Scenario Input and Simulation

Create New Scenario

Copy Scenario from other project/field

Location (Boone , Iowa)

Fields (Field 1)

Soils

Weather

► Management Scenarios

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Watershed (Field Routing)

Economic Input Information

Newly created scenario will be presented with these page options.

## Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add New Operation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

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# Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

## Upload Crop to Rotation

Crop

Select One ▼

Planting year

1

Replace Current Operations

Upload

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Options to add a Crop Rotation.

# Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

## Upload Crop to Rotation

Crop

Corn ▼

Tillage

Intensive (High) ▼

Planting year

1

Replace Current Operations

Upload

Back



# Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

Crop

## Planting date

Year  Date

Planting method

Add Cover Crop

Back

Options to add a Cover Crop.

# Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

Crop

## Planting date

Year  Date

Planting method

Add Cover Crop

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## Project: Iowa Demo

Save Project As

Location (Boone , Iowa)

Fields (Field 1)

Soils

Weather

Management Scenarios (Baseline Corn & Soybean)

➤ Operations (15)

Structural Conservation Practices (1)

Utility Files

Watershed (Field Routing)

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## Operations

Add Crop to Rotation

Add Cover Crop

Switch View

Add/Modify Conservation Practices

Corn [+]

Add New Operation

Soybeans [+]

Add New Operation

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Date	Type	Seeding (seeds/ft2)(*optional)	Actions
Year 1, May 5	Regular Planter 12 Row	0.93	

[Add Planting Operation](#)

### Fertilizer

Date	Type	Amount Applied	Depth	Actions
Year 1, April 15	Element-N(N)	180.0(lbs/ac)	0.0	
Year 1, April 15	Element-P(P)	60.0(lbs/ac)	0.0	

[Add Fertilizer Operation](#)

### Tillage

Date	Type	Actions
Year 1, April 5	Chisel Plow	
Year 1, May 4	Field Cultivator	
Year 1, October 18	Tandem Disk	

[Add Tillage Operation](#)

### Harvest

Date	Actions
Year 1, October 10	

[Add Harvest Operation](#)

### End Crop Season

Date	Actions
Year 1, October 11	

[Add End Crop Season](#)

Operation Fertilizer ▾

Crop Corn ▾

Year 1 ▾ Date April ▾ 15 ▾

Fertilizer category Commercial Fertilizer ▾

Fertilizer Type Select One ▾

Application rate(lbs/ac)

Depth (in)

Ammonia N (0-100%)

### Fertilizer Composition (Concentration)

Element-N (0-100%)

Element-P (0-100%)

Operation Tillage ▾

Crop Corn ▾

Year 1 ▾ Date April ▾ 5 ▾

Tillage type Chisel Plow ▾

[Add more](#)

- Chisel Plow
- Cotton Module Builder
- Cotton Row Machine
- Culti-Packer Pulverizer
- Field Cultivator**
- Harrow 10 Bar Tine
- Moldboard Plow
- Deep Ripper - Subsoiler
- Rotary Hoe
- Rotary Mower
- Row Cultivator
- Strip Till
- Subsoil Chisel Plow
- Swath Roller
- Tandem Disk
- Thin
- Vertical Till
- Weed
- Destroy Puddle



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# Operations

Add Crop to Rotation Add Cover Crop Crop View Add/Modify Conservation Practices

Crop	Operation	Year	Month	Day	Type	Value1	Value2	Moisture(%)	Element-N(%)	Element-P(%)	Organic-N(%)	Organic-P(%)	Actions
Corn	Tillage	1	April	5	Chisel Plow		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Fertilizer	1	April	15	Commercial Fertilizer	180.0	0.0		100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Fertilizer	1	April	15	Commercial Fertilizer	60.0	0.0		0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Tillage	1	May	4	Field Cultivator		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Planting	1	May	5	Regular Planter 12 Row	0.93	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Harvest Only	1	October	10		0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	End crop season	1	October	11		0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Corn	Tillage	1	October	18	Tandem Disk		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Tillage	2	April	5	Chisel Plow		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Tillage	2	May	4	Field Cultivator		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Fertilizer	2	May	14	Commercial Fertilizer	40.0	0.0		0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Planting	2	May	15	Regular Planter 12 Row	7.06	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Harvest Only	2	October	15		0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	End crop season	2	October	16		0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Soybeans	Tillage	2	October	18	Tandem Disk		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

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## Structural Conservation Practices

Select	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	Autoirrigation/Autofertigation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tile Drain
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wetlands
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ponds/Water & Sediment Control Basin
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stream Fencing (Livestock Access Control)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Streambank Stabilization (Restoration)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grass Buffer/Forest Buffer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grass Waterway
<input type="checkbox"/>	Contour Buffer
<input type="checkbox"/>	Land Leveling
<input type="checkbox"/>	Terrace System
<input type="checkbox"/>	Auto Lime Application

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# Conservation practices selections

Select	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	Autoirrigation/Autofertigation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tile Drain
Depth (0.0 to 4.0 ft) <input type="text" value="4.0"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tile Bioreactors <input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Water Management <input type="checkbox"/> Saturated Buffer	
<input type="button" value="Save"/>	



Depth (0.0 to 4.0 ft)

Tile Bioreactors  Drainage Water Management  Saturated Buffer

**Please enter**

Estimated fraction of annual tile flow released to saturated buffer (0-1.0)

Save

**Tile Drain**

Depth (0.0 to 4.0 ft)

Tile Bioreactors  Drainage Water Management  Saturated Buffer

Save

**Tile Drain**

Depth (0.0 to 4.0 ft)

Tile Bioreactors  Drainage Water Management  Saturated Buffer

Tile Drain Open Period

Close Drain Flow		Resume Drain Flow		
May	5	October	10	Add Dates
May	5	October	10	✘

Save

- Wetlands
- Ponds/Water & Sediment Control Basin
- Stream Fencing (Livestock Access Control)
- Streambank Stabilization (Restoration)
- Grass Buffer/Forest Buffer

Grass Buffer  Forest Buffer

Crop

Area (acres)  (optional)

Grass Strip Width (ft)

Fraction of field treated by buffer(0.00 - 1.00)

Is the buffer area included in your AOI?

Save





# Step 6. Simulation

## NTT Management Scenario Input and Simulation

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Economic & Water Quality Simulation

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View Economic Results

Select <input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Weather	Soils	Layers	Operations	Simulated	Simulation date	Actions
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline No Tillage</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:32:20 -0500	APEX  FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline Cover Crop - Oats</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:50:08 -0500	APEX  FEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Baseline N &amp; P at 3 inches</a>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	2023-07-05 14:34:19 -0500	APEX  FEM



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All Years

Dry Years

Wet Years

Graphical Results

Annual

Monthly

Scenarios:

1. Baseline (HT)

2. Baseline (NT)

3. NT (CC)

4. NT 3-in fertilizer Inc.

All Years

Initial year

Final year

Per Acre Total Field Area

2005

2018

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CP Results (Per Acre) Field 1, 1988-2021

(±) = Confidence Interval

	Baseline Corn & Sc	Baseline No Tillage		Baseline Cover Crc		Baseline No Tillage	
Description	Losses (±)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)
<b>Hydrology (in)</b>							
Surface Runoff (in)	5.9 (1.8)	4.34 (1.4)	-1.56 (-26.4)	2.92 (1.3)	-2.98 (-50.5)	4.2 (1.4)	-1.70 (-28.8)
Subsurface Flow (in)	1.9 (0.5)	2.35 (0.6)	0.45 (23.7)	2.41 (0.6)	0.51 (26.8)	2.36 (0.6)	0.46 (24.2)
Tile Drain Flow (in)	7.75 (1.8)	9.41 (2.1)	1.66 (21.4)	9.61 (2.2)	1.86 (24.0)	9.52 (2.1)	1.77 (22.8)
Irrigation Applied (in)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Deep Percolation (in)	1.26 (0.3)	1.55 (0.4)	0.29 (23.0)	1.59 (0.4)	0.33 (26.2)	1.57 (0.4)	0.31 (24.6)
Precipitation (in)	38.29	38.29	0 (0)	38.29	0 (0)	38.29	0 (0)
<b>N Losses (lbs)</b>							
Organic N (lbs)	6.1 (2.5)	3.95 (2.3)	-2.15 (-35.2)	2.17 (1.9)	-3.93 (-64.4)	4.02 (2.3)	-2.08 (-34.1)
Runoff N (lbs)	30.24 (19.2)	13.54 (8.3)	-16.70 (-55.2)	2.63 (1.9)	-27.61 (-91.3)	0.97 (0.2)	-29.27 (-96.8)
Subsurface N (lbs)	0.71 (0.3)	0.68 (0.2)	-0.03 (-4.2)	0.47 (0.1)	-0.24 (-33.8)	0.53 (0.1)	-0.18 (-25.4)
Tile-Drain soluble N (lbs)	10.06 (2.6)	12.14 (3)	2.08 (20.7)	9.31 (2.6)	-0.75 (-7.5)	11.58 (2.7)	1.52 (15.1)
Deep Percolation N (lbs)	4.35 (1.7)	4.04 (1.1)	-0.31 (-7.1)	2.63 (0.7)	-1.72 (-39.5)	3.47 (0.9)	-0.88 (-20.2)
<b>P Losses (lbs)</b>							
Organic P (lbs)	1.18 (0.5)	0.48 (0.2)	-0.70 (-59.3)	0.22 (0.2)	-0.96 (-81.4)	0.37 (0.2)	-0.81 (-68.6)
Surface Soluble P (lbs)	1.34 (0.4)	0.83 (0.3)	-0.51 (-38.1)	0.5 (0.2)	-0.84 (-62.7)	0.16 (0)	-1.18 (-88.1)
Tile-Drain soluble P (lbs)	0.08 (0)	0.1 (0)	0.02 (25.0)	0.11 (0)	0.03 (37.5)	0.12 (0)	0.04 (50.0)
<b>Total Sediment (t)</b>							
	0.64 (0.3)	0.21 (0.1)	-0.43 (-67.2)	0.09 (0.1)	-0.55 (-85.9)	0.20 (0.1)	-0.44 (-68.8)



Scenarios:

1. Baseline (HT)

2. Baseline (NT)

3. NT (CC)

4. NT 3-in fertilizer Inc.

(±) = Confidence Interval

	Baseline Corn & Sc ▾	Baseline No Tillage ▾		Baseline Cover Cro ▾		✖ Baseline No Tillage ▾ +	
Description	Losses (±)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)
<b>Carbon Sequestration</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							
C Sequestration rate at 12 in. soil depth (t) ⓘ	0.0116	0.0409	0.03 (252.6)	0.0571	0.05 (392.2)	-0.0286	-0.04 (-346.6)
CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent (t) ⓘ	0.0426	0.1501	0.11 (252.3)	0.2096	0.17 (392.0)	-0.1050	-0.15 (-346.5)
<b>Total Crop Yield</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							
Soybeans (bu)	69 (0.17)	66 (0.16)	0 (0)	69 (0.10)	0 (0)	66 (0.18)	0 (0)
Corn (bu)	214 (0.55)	211 (0.23)	0 (0)	221 (0.31)	7.00 (3.3)	219 (0.34)	8.00 (3.8)
Oats (bu)	N/A	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)
Forest-Grass (t)	N/A	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)
Switchgrass (t)	N/A	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)	N/A	N/A (N/A)
<b>N Stress</b> ⓘ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>							
Soybeans (days)	0 (1.83)	1 (1.78)		1 (1.07)		1 (1.80)	
Corn (days)	8 (3.51)	6 (2.96)		6 (1.63)		3 (3.02)	
Oats (days)							
Forest-Grass (days)							
Switchgrass (days)							
<b>P Stress</b> ⓘ <input type="checkbox"/>							
<b>Temperature Stress</b> ⓘ <input type="checkbox"/>							
<b>Water Stress</b> ⓘ <input type="checkbox"/>							



# Tile Drain Results (Per Acre) Field 1, 1988-2021

## Scenarios:

- 1. Baseline (Tile)
- 2. Tile Bioreactors
- 3. Tile Drain management
- 4. Saturated Buffer

(±) = Confidence Interval

	Baseline Corn & So	Baseline Tile Biore		Baseline Tile Drain		Baseline Saturated	
Description	Losses (±)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)	Losses (±)	Change (%)
<b>Hydrology (in)</b>							
Surface Runoff (in)	4.871 (1.3)	4.871 (1.3)	0 (0)	4.761 (1.3)	-0.11 (-2.3)	4.414 (1.2)	-0.46 (-9.4)
Subsurface Flow (in)	1.51 (0.3)	1.51 (0.3)	0 (0)	3.092 (0.6)	1.58 (104.8)	1.646 (0.3)	0.14 (9.0)
Tile Drain Flow (in)	6.396 (1)	6.396 (1)	0 (0)	3.843 (0.6)	-2.55 (-39.9)	6.643 (1)	0.25 (3.9)
Irrigation Applied (in)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Deep Percolation (in)	0.995 (0.2)	0.995 (0.2)	0 (0)	2.062 (0.4)	1.07 (107.2)	1.04 (0.2)	0.05 (4.5)
Precipitation (in)	35.025	35.025	0 (0)	35.025	0 (0)	35.025	0 (0)
<b>N Losses (lbs)</b>	<b>46.34 (20.0)</b>	<b>38.99 (17.5)</b>	<b>-7.35 (-15.9)</b>	<b>36.11 (16.2)</b>	<b>-10.23 (-22.1)</b>	<b>32.62 (14.8)</b>	<b>-13.72 (-29.6)</b>
Organic N (lbs)	7.158 (4.5)	7.158 (4.5)	0 (0)	6.84 (4.1)	-0.32 (-4.4)	4.065 (1.8)	-3.09 (-43.2)
Runoff N (lbs)	20.74 (9.2)	20.74 (9.2)	0 (0)	17.203 (8)	-3.54 (-17.1)	17.248 (8.1)	-3.49 (-16.8)
Subsurface N (lbs)	1.248 (0.5)	1.248 (0.5)	0 (0)	2.321 (0.9)	1.07 (86.0)	1.227 (0.4)	-0.02 (-1.7)
Tile-Drain soluble N (lbs)	17.101 (5.8)	9.747 (3.3)	-7.35 (-43.0)	9.639 (3.2)	-7.46 (-43.6)	9.957 (4.5)	-7.14 (-41.8)
N2O (lbs)	0.098 (0)	0.098 (0)	0 (0)	0.111 (0)	0.01 (13.3)	0.12 (0)	0.02 (22.4)
<b>Deep Percolation N (lbs)</b>	<b>7.78 (3)</b>	<b>7.78 (3)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>15.42 (5.7)</b>	<b>7.64 (98.2)</b>	<b>8.13 (3)</b>	<b>0.35 (4.5)</b>
<b>P Losses (lbs)</b>	<b>2.39 (0.9)</b>	<b>2.39 (0.9)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>2.27 (0.8)</b>	<b>-0.12 (-5.0)</b>	<b>1.74 (0.5)</b>	<b>-0.65 (-27.2)</b>
Organic P (lbs)	1.265 (0.7)	1.265 (0.7)	0 (0)	1.19 (0.6)	-0.07 (-5.9)	0.733 (0.3)	-0.53 (-42.1)
Surface Soluble P (lbs)	1.074 (0.2)	1.074 (0.2)	0 (0)	1.045 (0.2)	-0.03 (-2.7)	0.957 (0.2)	-0.12 (-10.9)
Tile-Drain soluble P (lbs)	0.048 (0)	0.048 (0)	0 (0)	0.032 (0)	-0.02 (-33.3)	0.051 (0)	0.00 (6.2)
<b>Total Sediment (t)</b>	<b>0.89 (0.7)</b>	<b>0.89 (0.7)</b>	<b>0 (0)</b>	<b>0.84 (0.6)</b>	<b>-0.05 (-5.6)</b>	<b>0.22 (0.1)</b>	<b>-0.67 (-75.3)</b>
<b>Total Crop Yield</b>							
Soybeans (bu)	67 (0.18)	67 (0.18)	0 (0)	67 (0.18)	0 (0)	67 (0.18)	0 (0)
Corn (bu)	216 (0.31)	216 (0.31)	0 (0)	221 (0.30)	5.00 (2.3)	220 (0.30)	4.00 (1.9)



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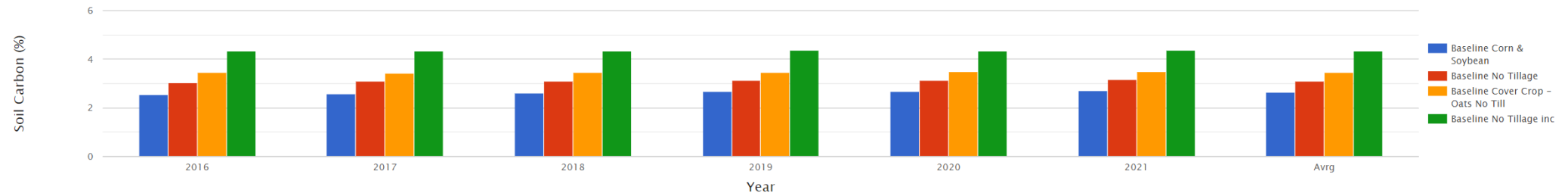
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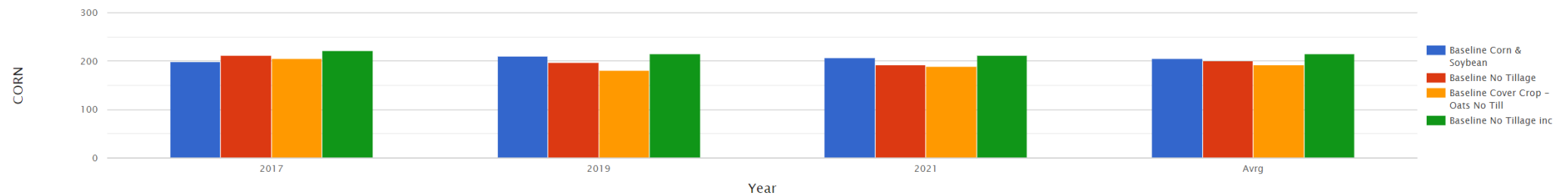


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 Final year: 2021  
 Soil Carbon: [dropdown]  
 View Annual Chart

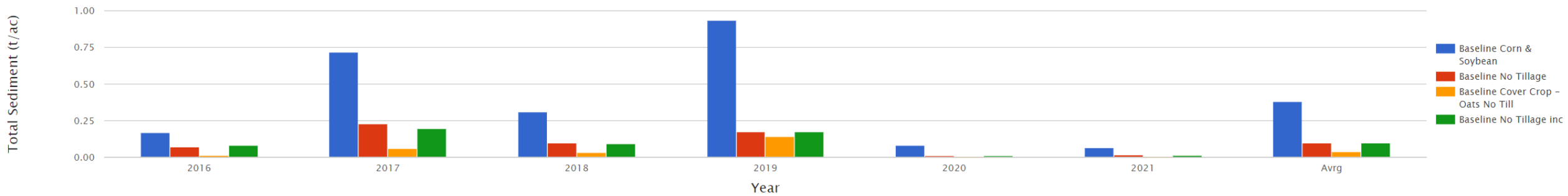
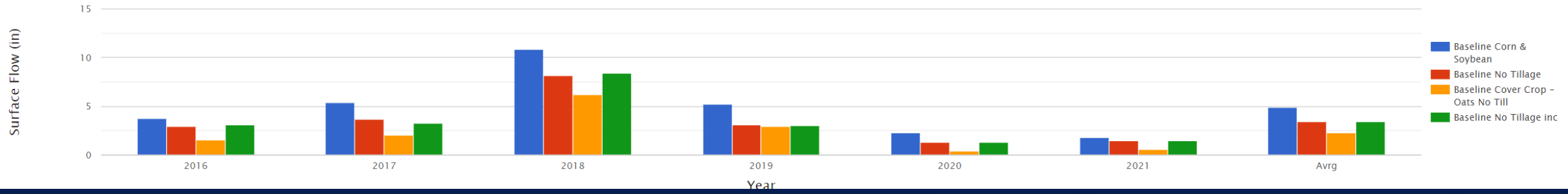
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 Baseline Corn & Soybean  
 Baseline No Tillage  
 Baseline Cover Crop - Oats  
 Baseline N & P at 3 inches



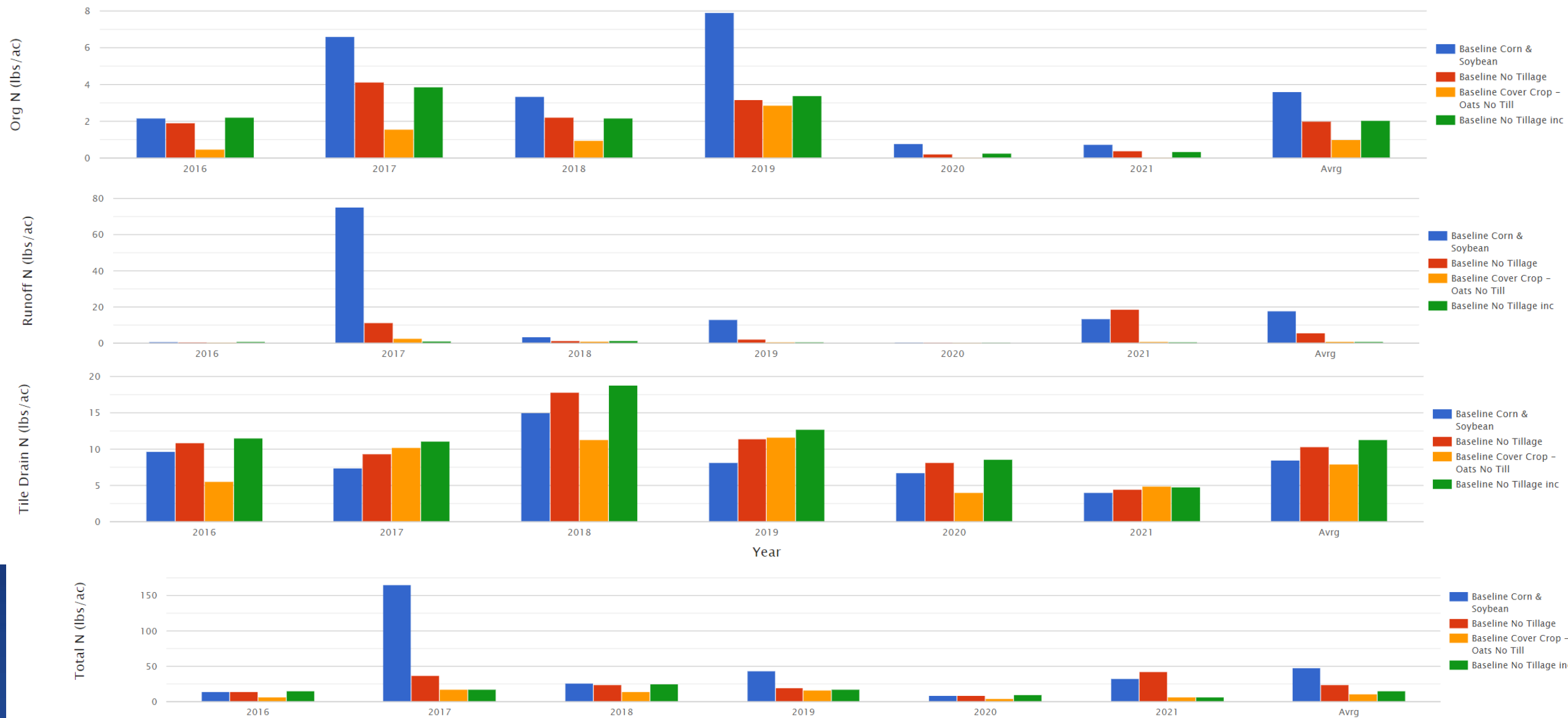
Scenario	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Avrg
Baseline Corn & Soybean	2.55	2.57	2.6	2.68	2.68	2.7	2.63
Baseline No Tillage	3.04	3.08	3.11	3.14	3.13	3.16	3.11
Baseline Cover Crop - Oats No Till	3.45	3.43	3.45	3.46	3.48	3.47	3.46
Baseline No Tillage inc	4.34	4.35	4.34	4.37	4.35	4.36	4.35

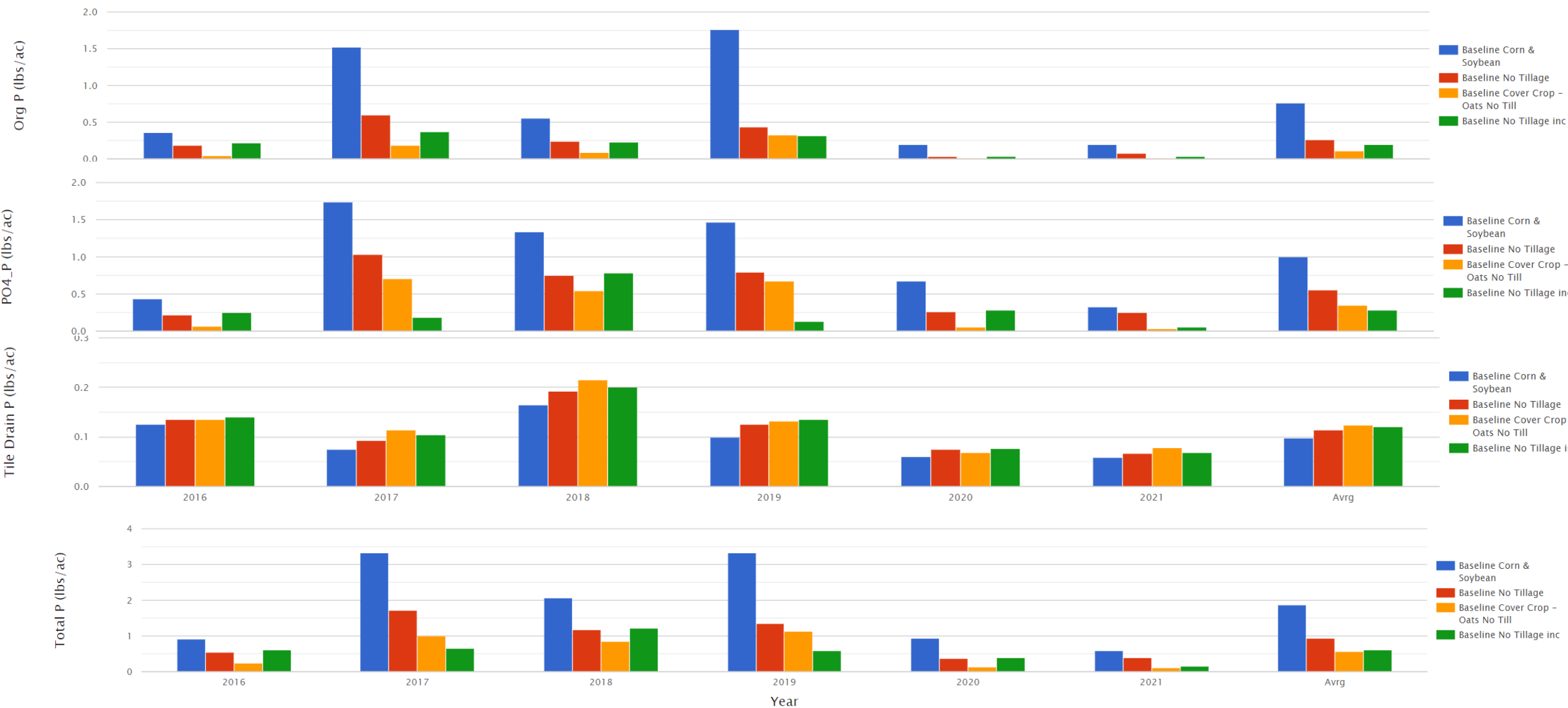


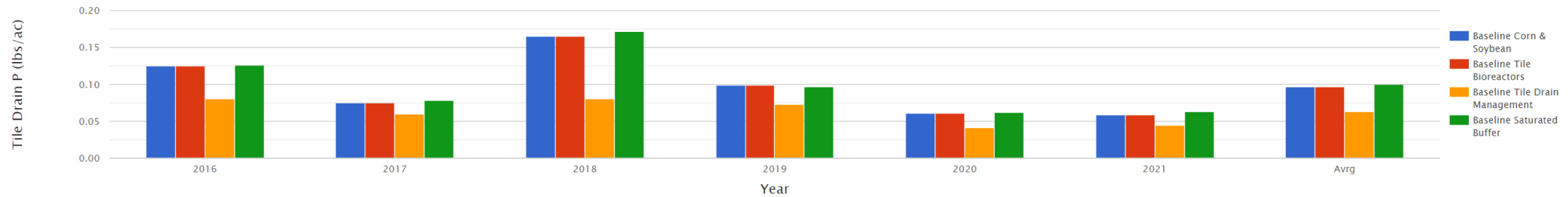
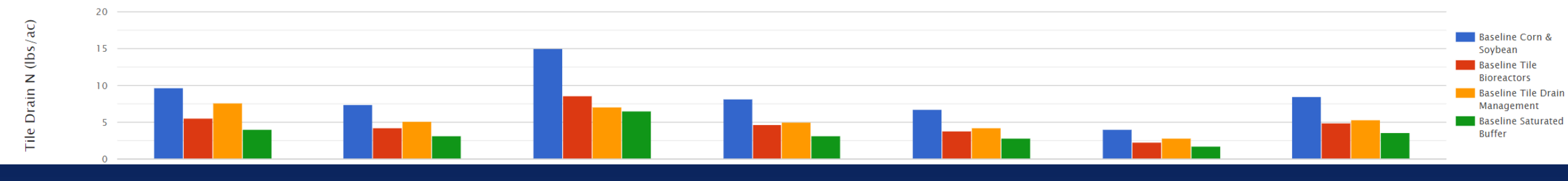
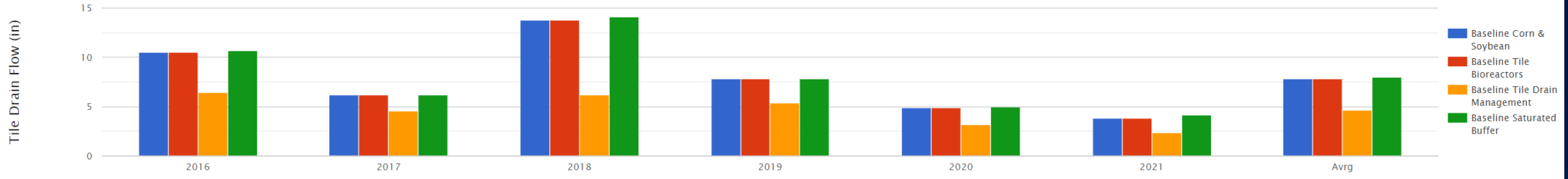
Scenario	2017	2019	2021	Avrg
Baseline Corn & Soybean	199.51	211.04	206.74	205.76
Baseline No Tillage	211.42	197.58	192.71	200.57
Baseline Cover Crop - Oats No Till	206.12	181.05	189.85	192.34
Baseline No Tillage inc	221.33	214.78	211.6	215.91



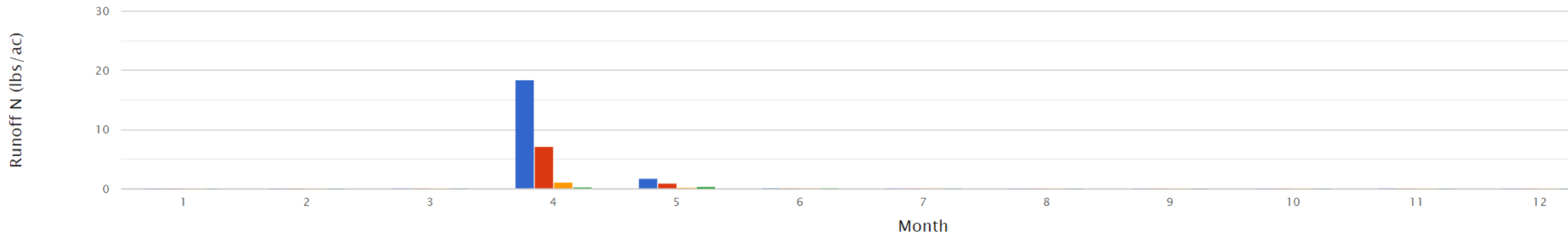








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# Watershed (field routing) simulation



# Watershed (Field Routing)

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To select a field routing (watershed) click on the field routing (watershed) name. To simulate a field routing (watershed) click on the check box

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Simulation date	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Watershed Scenario 1</a>	2023-07-05 15:48:04 -0500	

Select Field  Select Scenario

Field Name	Routing to <span>?</span>	Scenario Name	Actions
Field 1	outlet	Baseline Corn & Soybean	
Field 2	outlet	Baseline Tile Drain Management	
Field 3	outlet	Baseline No Tillage	



### Viewing Watershed Results:

(±) = Confidence Interval

Watershed Scenario: ▼	
Description	Losses (±)
<b>Hydrology (in) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	
Surface Runoff (in)	2.99 (1)
Subsurface Flow (in)	4.61 (0.7)
Tile Drain Flow (in)	2.25 (0.3)
Irrigation Applied (in)	0 (0)
Deep Percolation (in)	3.7 (0.6)
Precipitation (in)	35.74
<b>N Losses (lbs) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	<b>25.79 (15.8)</b>
Organic N (lbs)	5.58 (4.3)
Runoff N (lbs)	14.21 (9.2)
Subsurface N (lbs)	2.84 (0.9)
Tile-Drain soluble N (lbs)	3.16 (1.4)
<b>Deep Percolation N (lbs) <input type="checkbox"/></b>	<b>17.88 (5.9)</b>
<b>P Losses (lbs) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	<b>1.48 (0.8)</b>
Organic P (lbs)	0.87 (0.6)
Surface Soluble P (lbs)	0.6 (0.2)
Tile-Drain soluble P (lbs)	0.01 (0)
<b>Total Sediment (t) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	<b>0.70 (0.7)</b>
Surface Erosion (t)	0.7 (0.7)
Manure Erosion (t)	0 (0)

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<b>Carbon Sequestration <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	
C Sequestration rate at 12 in. soil depth (t)	0.0453
CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent (t)	0.1663
<b>Total Crop Yield <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>	
Soybeans (bu)	66 (0.18)
Corn (bu)	212 (0.27)





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# Economic

## Results and data base

# Economic Results

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	Baseline Corn & So ▾	Baseline N & P at 3 ▾		Baseline Cover Cro ▾		✖ Baseline No Tillage ▾	
Description	Losses(±)	Losses(±)	Change(%)	Losses(±)	Change(%)	Losses(±)	Change(%)
Total Revenue <sup>?</sup> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1139.71	1163.67	23.96 (2.1)	1154.64	14.93 (1.3)	1096.49	-43.22 (-3.8)
Crop/Feed Sales	1139.71	1163.67	23.96 (2.1)	1154.64	14.93 (1.3)	1096.49	-43.22 (-3.8)
Livestock Sales	0.00	0.00	0.00 (NaN)	0.00	0.00 (NaN)	0.00	0.00 (NaN)
Total Cost <sup>?</sup> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	258.685	258.685	0.00 (0.0)	333.076	74.39 (28.8)	239.666	-19.02 (-7.4)
Field Variable Cost	80.08	80.08	0.00 (0.0)	80.08	0.00 (0.0)	61.06	-19.02 (-23.8)
Overhead Cost	152.77	152.77	0.00 (0.0)	214.25	61.48 (40.2)	152.77	0.00 (0.0)
Other Cost	25.83	25.83	0.00 (0.0)	38.75	12.92 (50.0)	25.83	0.00 (0.0)
Net Returns <sup>?</sup>	881.02	904.99	23.97 (2.7)	821.56	-59.46 (-6.7)	856.83	-24.19 (-2.7)



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# Parameters

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Parameters	Name	Line	Value	Low Range	High Range	Actions
1	Crop canopy-PET(1-2)	1	2.0	1.0	2.0	
2	Root growth_soil strength (1_2)	1	2.0	1.0	2.0	
3	Water stress_harvest index (0_1)	1	0.5	0.0	1.0	
4	Water storage N leaching (0_1)	1	0.9	0.0	1.0	
5	Soil water lower limit (0_1)	1	0.5	0.0	1.0	
6	Winter dormancy (h) (0_1)	1	0.0	0.0	1.0	
7	N fixation (0_1)	1	0.9	0.0	1.0	
8	Soluble p runoff coefficient. (1*m^3/t)	1	20.0	10.0	20.0	
9	Pest damage moisture threshold	1	20.0	25.0	150.0	
10	Pest damage cover threshold	1	20.0	1.0	10.0	
11	Moisture required for seed germination	2	-100.0	10.0	30.0	
12	Soil evaporation coefficient	2	2.0	1.5	2.5	
13	Wind erodibility coefficient	2	2.0	0.0	3.0	
14	Nitrate leaching ratio	2	0.6	0.1	1.0	
15	Runoff CN weighting factor (0.0 1.0)	2	0.05	0.0	1.0	
16	Expands CN retention parameter (1.0 1.5)	2	1.0	1.0	1.5	
17	Soil evaporation plant cover factor (0.0 0.5)	2	0.2	0.0	0.5	

# Economic Input Information (NTT)

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## General Inputs

Reset to default

Name	Unit	Value	Actions
Average labor wage	\$/hr	12.0	
Default land rental rate	\$/acre	30.0	
Default land value	\$/acre	2000.0	
Diesel price	\$/gallon	3.11	
Electricity price	cents/khr	0.15	
Electricity purchase price	cents/khr	0.0	
Electricity sale price	cents/khr	0.0	
Gas price	\$/gallon	3.39	
Haul to compost distance	mile	20.0	
Haul to spread distance	mile	5.0	
Time horizon	yrs	2.0	



### Commodity Prices

Reset to default

Name	Unit	Selling price	Purchase price	Actions
Alf/grass < 50%	\$/bale	2.96	2.96	
Alfalfa	\$/bale	3.18	3.18	
Alfalfa silage	\$/bale	1.46	1.46	
Alfalfa/grass hay	\$/bale	3.18	3.18	
Alfalfa/grass hay < 50%	\$/bale	2.96	2.96	
Alfalfa/grass silage	\$/bale	1.36	1.36	
Alfalfa_haylage	\$/bale	1.36	1.36	
Apples	\$/lb	6.0	6.0	
Bahiagrass	\$/sq. yard	5.0	5.0	
Barley	\$/bu	7.39	7.39	
Barley silage	\$/ton	1.41	1.41	
Barley_straw	\$/bale	1.73	1.73	
Beetpulp	\$/bag	7.175	7.175	
Beets	\$/lb	6.0	6.0	

### Equipment

Reset to default

Name	Unit	New Hours	Price	Economic Life	Actions
4w asst 100 hp diesel	per unit	12000	38492.0	12000	
4w asst 135 hp diesel	per unit	12000	54791.0	12000	
4w asst 175 hp diesel	per unit	12000	81881.0	12000	
4w asst 205 hp diesel	per unit	12000	100515.0	12000	
4w asst 225 hp diesel	per unit	12000	112969.0	12000	
4w asst 290 hp diesel	per unit	12000	143107.0	12000	
4w asst 40 hp diesel	per unit	12000	159080.0	12000	
4w asst 55 hp diesel	per unit	12000	18650.0	12000	
4w asst 85 hp diesel	per unit	12000	29862.0	12000	
Aerial app-fert	per unit	15000	17.0	15000	
Aerial app-insect 562	per unit	1	7.0	1	
Aerial chem application	per unit	2500	25027.0	2500	
Aerial fert application	per unit	2000	78942.0	2000	
Aerial seeding	per unit	1200	13557.0	1200	
Air delivery drill	per unit	8000	37300.0	8000	
Air delivery row planter	per unit	8000	118525.0	8000	
Aircraft seeded	per unit	750	4950.0	750	



## Facilities

Reset to default

Name	Unit	Price	Economic Life	Actions
A-frame huts	per unit	16000.0	20	
Beef pasture facilities	per unit	10000.0	30	
Calf and heifer facilities	per unit	2000.0	30	
Chicken houses	per unit	600000.0	20	
Commodity barn	per unit	30000.0	30	
Corrals	per unit	16000.0	20	
Crowding pen	per unit	16000.0	20	
Dikes	per unit	10761.9	5	
Ditchimprovement	per unit	15000.0	20	
Dripshed	per unit	16000.0	20	
Equipment shed	per unit	16000.0	20	
Equipment shed 1	per unit	1749.84	30	
Equipment shed 2	per unit	3982.34	30	

## Supplies

Reset to default

Name	Unit	Selling Price	Purchase Price	Actions
Fertilizer: 10-34-00	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: 18-46-00	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: ammonium nitrate	\$/lb	0.19	0.19	
Fertilizer: ammonium phosphates	\$/lb	0.25	0.25	
Fertilizer: ammonium sulfate	\$/lb	1.0	1.0	
Fertilizer: ammonium thiosulfate	\$/lb	1.0	1.0	
Fertilizer: anhydrous ammonia	\$/lb	0.26	0.26	
Fertilizer: beef-fr	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: broil-fr	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: dairy-fr	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: duck-fr	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: elem-n	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: elem-p	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	
Fertilizer: goat-fr	\$/lb	1.5	1.5	



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## Controls

Controls

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Controls	Code	Line	Column	Value	Low Range	High Range	Actions
1	NBYR	1	1	35.0	0.0	100.0	
2	IYR	1	2	1985.0	1.0	2040.0	
3	IMO	1	3	1.0	1.0	12.0	





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