Measure 3: Savings potentials, Normalization, Proportionalization and Creation of Plots and Tables

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Code for the calculation of the savings potential using the results of the LCA-studies. Normalization and Proportionalization is performed as well as the creation of plots and tables. The code needs to be adjusted to the specific measure in the parameter section.

To execute, change:

- Login data for Nextcloud
- Adjust download location
- Adjust upload location
- Adjust URLs for uploading

Load Packages:

```
# install.packages("httr")
# install.packages("readxl")
# install.packages("dplyr")
# install.packages("writexl")
# install.packages("ggplot2")
# install.packages("tidyr")
# install.packages("openxlsx")
# install.packages("flextable")
# install.packages("officer")
library(readx1)
library(httr)
library(dplyr)
library(writexl)
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyr)
library(openxlsx)
library(flextable)
library(officer)
```

Parameters

Parameters to be adjusted:

```
measure <- "03" # "02", "03" or "04"
sheet <- 4 # 3,4 or 5
```

```
# name for columns
name with <- "with RF"
name without <- "without RF"</pre>
name SP <- "SP RF"
name SP prop <- "prop. SP RF"
name_with_prop <- "prop. with RF"</pre>
name without prop <- "prop. without RF"
name_with_norm <- "norm. with RF"</pre>
name_without_norm <- "norm. without RF"</pre>
name SP norm <- "norm. SP RF"
# vector with excluded categories due to missing normalization factor
excluded_categories_nf <- c("Climate change: biogenic",</pre>
                              "Climate change: fossil",
                              "Climate change: land use and land use change",
                              "Ecotoxicity: freshwater, inorganics",
                              "Ecotoxicity: freshwater, organics",
                              "Human toxicity: carcinogenic, inorganics",
                              "Human toxicity: carcinogenic, organics",
                              "Human toxicity: non-carcinogenic, inorganics",
                              "Human toxicity: non-carcinogenic, organics")
# vector with excluded toxicity categories for Pareto rule
excluded_categories_pr <- c("Human toxicity: carcinogenic",</pre>
                              "Human toxicity: non-carcinogenic",
                              "Ecotoxicity: freshwater")
# storage location
location download <-</pre>
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni Bremen/WS24 25/Masterarbeit/R/Daten/"
location upload <-
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni Bremen/WS24 25/Masterarbeit/R/Results/"
# Login data for NextCloud
username <- "mkindler@uni-bremen.de" # username</pre>
password <- "xxxxxxxx" # password</pre>
# WebDAV-URL to file
nextcloud_url <- "https://nc.uni-</pre>
bremen.de/remote.php/dav/files/mkindler%40uni-
bremen.de/Masterarbeit/Masterarbeit II/R/Daten/Ergebnisse LCA basic.xlsx"
nextcloud_url_2 <- "https://nc.uni-</pre>
bremen.de/remote.php/dav/files/mkindler%40uni-
bremen.de/Masterarbeit/Masterarbeit II/R/Results/"
```

Data preparation

Load data from NextCloud:

```
# download file
response <- GET(nextcloud_url, authenticate(username, password, type =
"basic"))
# Ckeck successful downloading
if (status_code(response) == 200) {
    # Save file</pre>
```

```
writeBin(content(response, "raw"), paste0(location_download,
"Ergebnisse_LCA_basic.xlsx"))
 cat("The file was successfully downloaded and saved locally.\n")
} else {
  cat("Error downloading the file. Status code: ", status code(response),
"\n")
}
## The file was successfully downloaded and saved locally.
# Load results data from Excel file
results <- read_excel(paste0(location_download, "Ergebnisse_LCA_basic.xlsx"),
sheet = sheet)
# Check data type: DataFrame
if (is.data.frame(results)) {
  results <- results
} else {
  results <- as.data.frame(results)</pre>
# Rename columns
results <- results %>%
  rename(
    `impact category` = `Wirkungskategorien`,
    unit = Einheit
    )
# Load normalization factors from Excel file
NF <- read_excel(paste0(location_download, "Ergebnisse_LCA_basic.xlsx"),</pre>
sheet = 1)
## New names:
## • `` -> `...2`
## • `` -> `...3`
# Check data type: DataFrame
if (is.data.frame(NF)) {
  NF <- NF
} else {
  NF <- as.data.frame(NF)</pre>
# Set column names right
NF <- NF[-1, ]
colnames(NF) <- as.character(NF[1, ])</pre>
NF <- NF[-1, ]
# Select relevant columns
NF <- NF %>%
  select(`impact category`,
         NF = `normalization factor\r\n(Matuštík 2024)`)
```

Calculations

Savings potential

Calculation of Savings Potentials:

```
results <- results %>%
  mutate(!!sym(name_SP) := !!sym(name_without) - !!sym(name_with))
```

Normalization

Calculation of normalized values (to the planetary boudaries (Matuštík 2024)):

```
# Join of results and NF according to the impact categories
results <- left_join(results, NF, by = c("impact category" = "impact
category"))
# Convert all columns except the first two into numerical values
results <- results %>%
    mutate_at(vars(-1, -2), as.numeric)

# Remove categories without normalization factors
results_norm <- results %>%
    filter(!`impact category` %in% excluded_categories_nf)

# Calculation of the normalised values by dividing the column values by the
normalization factors
results_norm <- results_norm %>%
    mutate(
        across(!c(`impact category`, unit, NF), ~ .x / NF, .names = "norm.
{.col}")
    )
}
```

Determine relevant impact categories

Calculation of proportion of total savings potential of each measure:

```
# Removing the toxicity categories
results_prop <- results_norm %>%
    filter(!`impact category` %in% excluded_categories_pr)

# Calculate the sum of each normalized column and divide the values by this
sum
results_prop <- results_prop %>%
    mutate(
    !!sym(name_without_prop) := !!sym(name_without_norm) /
sum(abs(!!sym(name_without_norm)), na.rm = TRUE),
    !!sym(name_with_prop) := !!sym(name_with_norm) /
sum(abs(!!sym(name_with_norm)), na.rm = TRUE),
    !!sym(name_SP_prop) := !!sym(name_SP_norm) /
sum(abs(!!sym(name_SP_norm)), na.rm = TRUE)
    )
norm_sum <- sum(abs(results_prop[[name_SP_norm]]))</pre>
```

Determine relevant impact categories:

mutate(

```
# Sort categories by proportion of total savings potential
results prop <- results prop %>%
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name_SP_prop))))
# Calculation of the cumulative total and mark categories that contribute to
the sum of 0.8
results_prop <- results_prop %>%
  mutate(
    `cum. sum` = cumsum(abs(!!sym(name_SP_prop))),
    relevant = (`cum. sum` < 0.8) | lag(`cum. sum` < 0.8, default = FALSE)
# Mark at Least the highest three impact categories
results prop$relevant[1:3] <- TRUE
Save as csv-file
write.csv(results prop, paste0(location upload, measure, " data.csv"),
row.names = FALSE)
Plot
data_plot <- results_prop %>%
  # Select only relevant categories
  filter(relevant == TRUE) %>%
  # Shorten Long category names
  mutate(`impact category` = case when(
    `impact category` == "Photochemical oxidant formation: human health" ~
"POF",
    `impact category` == "Eutrophication: freshwater" ~ "Eutroph. f.",
    TRUE ~ `impact category`
  )) %>%
  select(`impact category`, name_SP_norm) %>%
  # Arrange descending
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name SP norm))))
## Warning: Using an external vector in selections was deprecated in
tidyselect 1.1.0.
## i Please use `all_of()` or `any_of()` instead.
##
##
     data %>% select(name_SP_norm)
##
##
    # Now:
##
     data %>% select(all of(name SP norm))
##
## See <https://tidyselect.r-lib.org/reference/faq-external-vector.html>.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call `lifecycle::last lifecycle warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
# create cummulative sum
data_plot <- data_plot %>%
```

```
cumsum = cumsum(abs(data_plot$`norm. SP RF`/norm_sum))*100
  )
# Define impact categories as factor to ensure order
data_plot$`impact category` <- factor(data_plot$`impact category`, levels =</pre>
data_plot$`impact category`)
# max. values for scaling
max norm <- max(data plot[[name SP norm]])</pre>
max cumsum <- max(data plot$cumsum)</pre>
# Conversion factor
factor <- max_norm / max_cumsum</pre>
Create plot:
ggplot(data plot, aes(x = `impact category`)) +
  geom_bar(aes(y = !!sym(name_SP_norm)), stat = "identity",
           width = 0.7, fill = "goldenrod2", show.legend = FALSE) +
  geom_line(aes(y = cumsum * factor, group = 1), color = "black", size = 1) +
  geom point(aes(y = cumsum * factor), color = "black", size = 2) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 0, color = "black", linetype = "solid") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 80 * factor, color = "grey35", linetype = "solid")
  annotate("text", x = 3.3, y = 80 * factor, label = "80%", color = "grey35",
size = 4, hjust = 0, vjust = -1) +
  geom_text(aes(
    y = !!sym(name SP norm),
    label = format(!!sym(name SP norm), scientific = TRUE, digits = 2)),
    vjust = -0.5, size = 5) +
  scale_y_continuous(
    name = "Savings potentials in % of PB",
    sec.axis = sec_axis(~ . / factor, name = "Cumulative sum in %"),
  expand = expansion(mult = c(0.04, 0.06))
  ) +
  labs(x = "Impact category") +
  theme_classic() +
  theme(
```

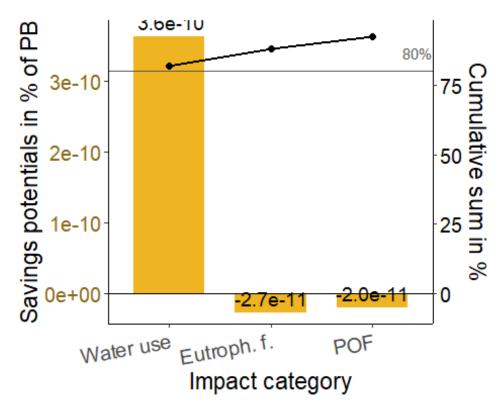
Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
i Please use `linewidth` instead.

axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 10, hjust = 1, size = 15),
axis.text.y.left = element_text(color = "goldenrod4", size = 15),
axis.text.y.right = element_text(color = "black", size = 15),

This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.

axis.title.x = element_text(size = 17),
axis.title.y.left = element_text(size = 17),
axis.title.y.right = element text(size = 17)

Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
generated.



```
# Save plot
ggsave(paste0(location_upload, measure, "_relevant_SP_norm_allin1.png"), dpi
= 600)
## Saving 5 x 4 in image
```

Tables

Prepare data:

```
# Select relevant columns
results prop <- results prop %>%
  select(`impact category`, unit, !!sym(name_without_prop),
!!sym(name_with_prop),
         !!sym(name_SP_prop))
results_norm <- results_norm %>%
  select(`impact category`, unit, !!sym(name_without_norm),
!!sym(name with norm),
         !!sym(name_SP_norm))
# Join of 'results' and 'results_norm' according to the impact categories
results <- left_join(results, results_norm, by = c("impact category" =
"impact category"))
results <- results %>%
  select(-unit.y) %>%
  rename(unit = unit.x)
# Join of 'results' and 'results_prop' according to the impact categories
```

```
results <- left_join(results, results_prop, by = c("impact category" =
"impact category"))
results <- results %>%
    select(-unit.y) %>%
    rename(unit = unit.x)
# Sort descending according to normalized savings potential
results <- results %>%
    arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name_SP_norm))))
```

Create tables:

```
# Only results
table results <- results %>%
  select("impact category", "unit", !!sym(name_without), !!sym(name_with),
!!sym(name_SP)) %>%
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name SP)))) %>%
  mutate(
    across(-all_of(c("impact category", "unit")), ~ formatC(.x, format = "e",
digits = 2)))
# Create flextable
ft <- flextable(table_results) %>%
  theme vanilla() %>%
  autofit() %>%
  bold(part = "header") %>%
  border outer() %>%
  border_inner_h() %>%
  border_inner_v()
# Save as PNG
tf <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")</pre>
save as image(x = ft, path = paste0(location upload, measure, " results",
".png"))
## [1]
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni_Bremen/WS24_25/Masterarbeit/R/Results/03_result
s.png"
# Saving potentials
table_results <- results %>%
  select(`impact category`, unit, !!sym(name_SP), !!sym(name_SP norm),
!!sym(name SP prop)) %>%
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name_SP_norm)))) %>%
  mutate(
    across(-all_of(c("impact category", "unit")), ~ formatC(.x, format = "e",
digits = 2)))
# Create flextable
ft <- flextable(table results) %>%
  theme_vanilla() %>%
  autofit() %>%
  bold(part = "header") %>%
  border_outer() %>%
  border inner h() %>%
  border_inner_v()
```

```
# Save as PNG
tf <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")</pre>
save as image(x = ft, path = paste0(location upload, measure, " results SPs",
".png"))
## [1]
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni_Bremen/WS24_25/Masterarbeit/R/Results/03_result
s SPs.png"
# Normalized results
table results <- results %>%
  select("impact category", "unit", !!sym(name_without_norm),
!!sym(name with norm), !!sym(name SP norm)) %>%
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name SP norm)))) %>%
  mutate(
    across(-all_of(c("impact category", "unit")), ~ formatC(.x, format = "e",
digits = 2)))
# Removing the categories without normalization factors
table results <- table results %>%
  filter(!`impact category` %in% excluded_categories_nf)
# Rename columns
table results <- table results %>%
  rename(!!sym(name_without) := !!sym(name_without_norm),
           !!sym(name with) := !!sym(name with norm),
           !!sym(name SP) := !!sym(name SP norm)
# Create flextable
ft <- flextable(table results) %>%
  theme vanilla() %>%
  autofit() %>%
  bold(part = "header") %>%
  border outer() %>%
  border_inner_h() %>%
  border_inner_v()
# Save as PNG
tf <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")</pre>
save as image(x = ft, path = paste0(location upload, measure,
"_results_norm", ".png"))
## [1]
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni Bremen/WS24 25/Masterarbeit/R/Results/03 result
s_norm.png"
# Proportion data
table results <- results %>%
  select("impact category", "unit", !!sym(name without prop),
!!sym(name_with_prop), !!sym(name_SP_prop)) %>%
  arrange(desc(abs(!!sym(name_SP_prop)))) %>%
  mutate(
    across(-all_of(c("impact category", "unit")), ~ formatC(.x, format = "e",
digits = 2)))
# Removing the categories without normalization factor
```

```
table_results <- table_results %>%
  filter(!`impact category` %in% excluded_categories_nf)
# Removing the toxicity categories
table results <- table results %>%
  filter(!`impact category` %in% excluded categories pr)
# Rename columns
table results <-table results %>%
  rename(!!sym(name_without) := !!sym(name_without_prop),
         !!sym(name_with) := !!sym(name_with_prop),
         !!sym(name SP) := !!sym(name SP prop),
# Create flextable
ft <- flextable(table_results) %>%
  theme vanilla() %>%
  autofit() %>%
  bold(part = "header") %>%
  border_outer() %>%
  border_inner_h() %>%
  border_inner_v()
# Save as PNG
tf <- tempfile(fileext = ".png")</pre>
save_as_image(x = ft, path = paste0(location_upload, measure,
"_results_prop", ".png"))
## [1]
"C:/Users/Klene/Documents/Uni Bremen/WS24 25/Masterarbeit/R/Results/03 result
s_prop.png"
```

Upload files

```
# # List of Excel files to be uploaded
# files to upload <- list.files(path = location upload, pattern = "\\.xlsx$",
full.names = TRUE)
# # Loop over all files and upload
# for (file_path in files_to_upload) {
  # Creating the file name
# file name <- basename(file path)</pre>
# # Upload file
  response <- PUT(
#
     url = paste0(nextcloud_url_2, file_name),
#
     authenticate(username, password),
#
     body = upload_file(file_path)
#
  # Check upload status
#
#
  if (status code(response) == 201) {
    print(paste(file_name, "was successfully uploaded."))
   } else if (status_code(response) == 204) {
     print(paste(file name, "was successfully replaced (no content
returned)."))
  } else {
     print(paste("Error uploading", file_name, ". Status-Code:",
status_code(response)))
```

```
# }
# # List of PNG files to be uploaded
# files_to_upload <- list.files(path = location_upload, pattern = "\\.png$",
full.names = TRUE)
# # Loop over all files and upload
# for (file_path in files_to_upload) {
# # Create the file name
# file_name <- basename(file_path)</pre>
# # Upload file
# response <- PUT(</pre>
#
      url = paste0(nextcloud_url_2, file_name),
      authenticate(username, password),
#
      body = upload_file(file_path)
#
#
   # Check upload status
# if (status_code(response) == 201) {
     print(paste(file_name, "was successfully uploaded."))
    } else if (status_code(response) == 204) {
      print(paste(file_name, "was successfully replaced (no content
returned)."))
    } else {
      print(paste("Error uploading", file_name, ". Status-Code:",
status_code(response)))
# }
```