

## I. Initialize Sliders

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## Command

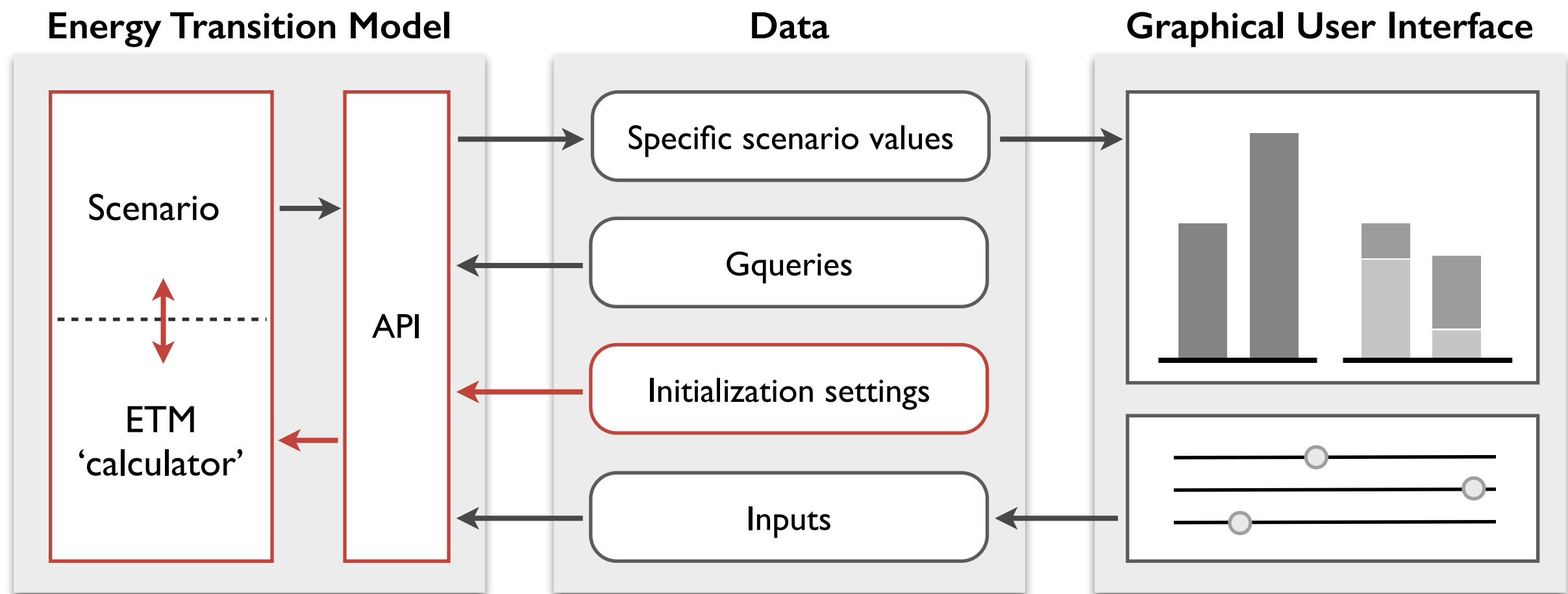
```
var Sliders1 = new Build_Sliders ({ options });
```

## Description

The object `Build_Sliders` is defined in `ETM_API_example_functions.js` and adds sliders to the slider-holder-div as defined in `ETM_API_example.html`. The options-object contains information about:

- which holder to append the sliders;
- which scenario the sliders are linked to;
- what function to execute after sliding a slider;
- the `SliderData`.

The `SliderData`-object contains information about what inputs each slider is linked to, what default value, minimum, maximum, and step the slider should have, and what name and unit to display. The `SliderData` is also used in step 7.



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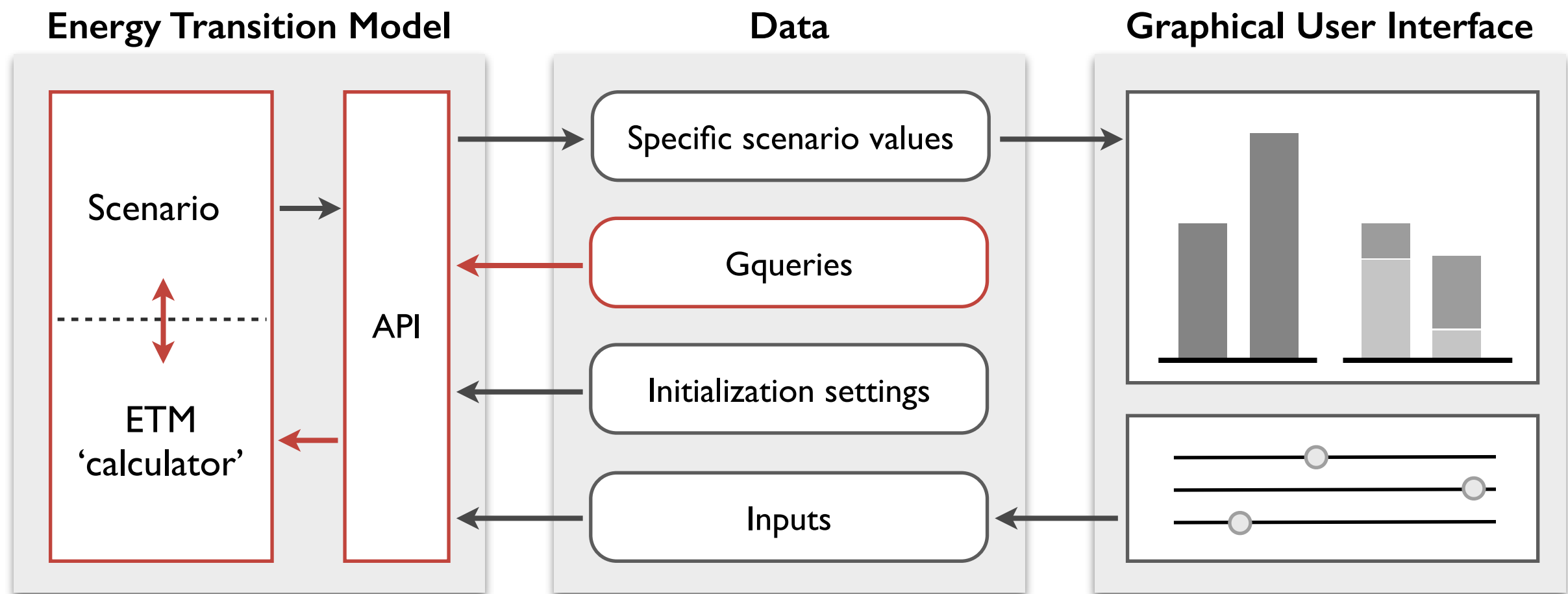
```
var Scenario1 = new ETMscenario ({ options });
```

Description

The object `ETMscenario` is defined in `ETM_API_example_functions.js` and is used for all interactions with the API and the ETM scenario. Upon initializing the user executes the command `ETMscenario.Initialize_Scenario` and sends information about the:

- scenario name, and
- the end year.

The API sends a `responseText` back. This response is used to store the scenario ID in the variable `ETMscenario.Scenario_ID`. This ID is later used to send the inputs and queries to right scenario.



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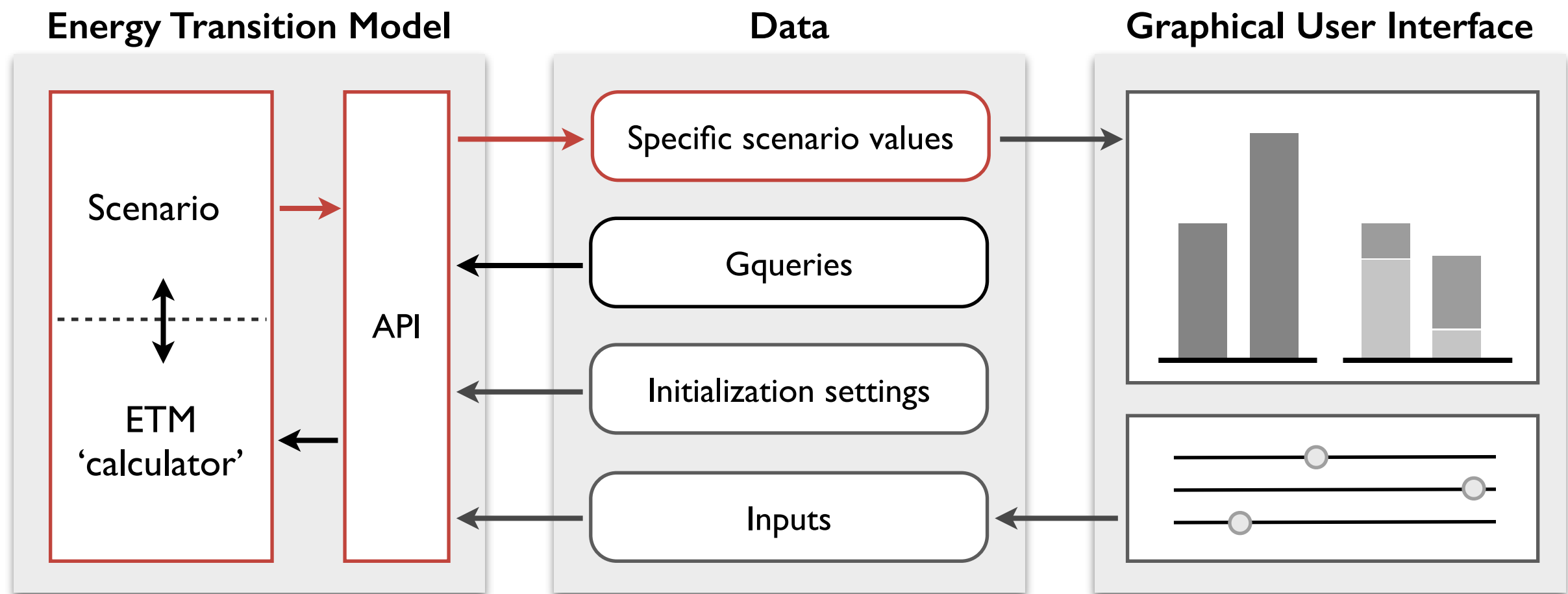
Command

`Scenario1.Update_Gqueries();`

Description

`Update_Gqueries` is a method of `ETMscenario`. It sends the Gqueries, as listed in `ETM_API_example_data.js`, to the API.

The `ETMscenario.Update_Gqueries` method is executed from within the `ETMscenario.Update_Scenario` method. This method first imports sends the current slider values to the API (steps 7 & 8), but during the initialization these steps don't have an effect as the sliders have the default values.



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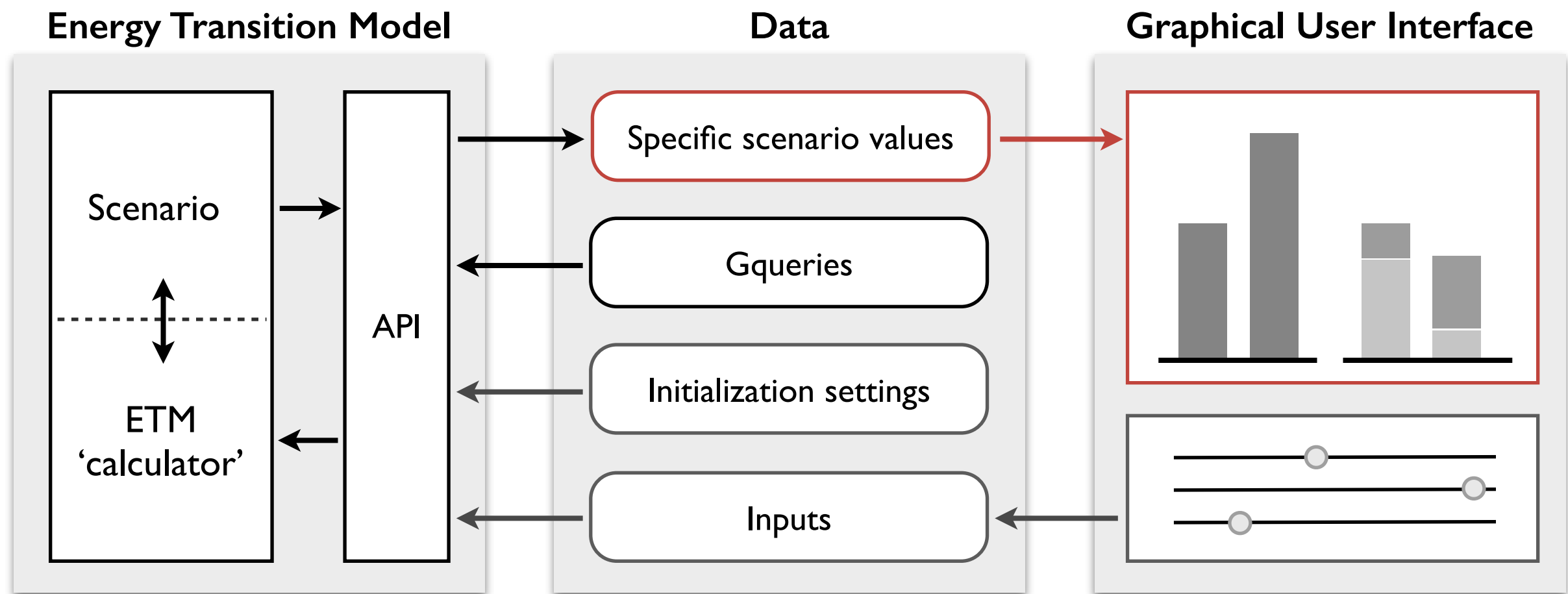
`Scenario1.Update_Gqueries();`

Description

The method `ETMscenario.Update_Gqueries` stores the specific scenario values in the object `ETMscenario.Data`. This Data object is structured as:

```
ETMscenario.Data = {
  NAME1: {"present": [present value],
          "future": [future value]},
  NAME2: {"present": [present value],
          "future": [future value]},
  ...
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The names are given in the `ETM_API_example_data.js` file. In this example, the data object is used to make charts, the values could be used for many other purposed (textual, graphics, etc.)



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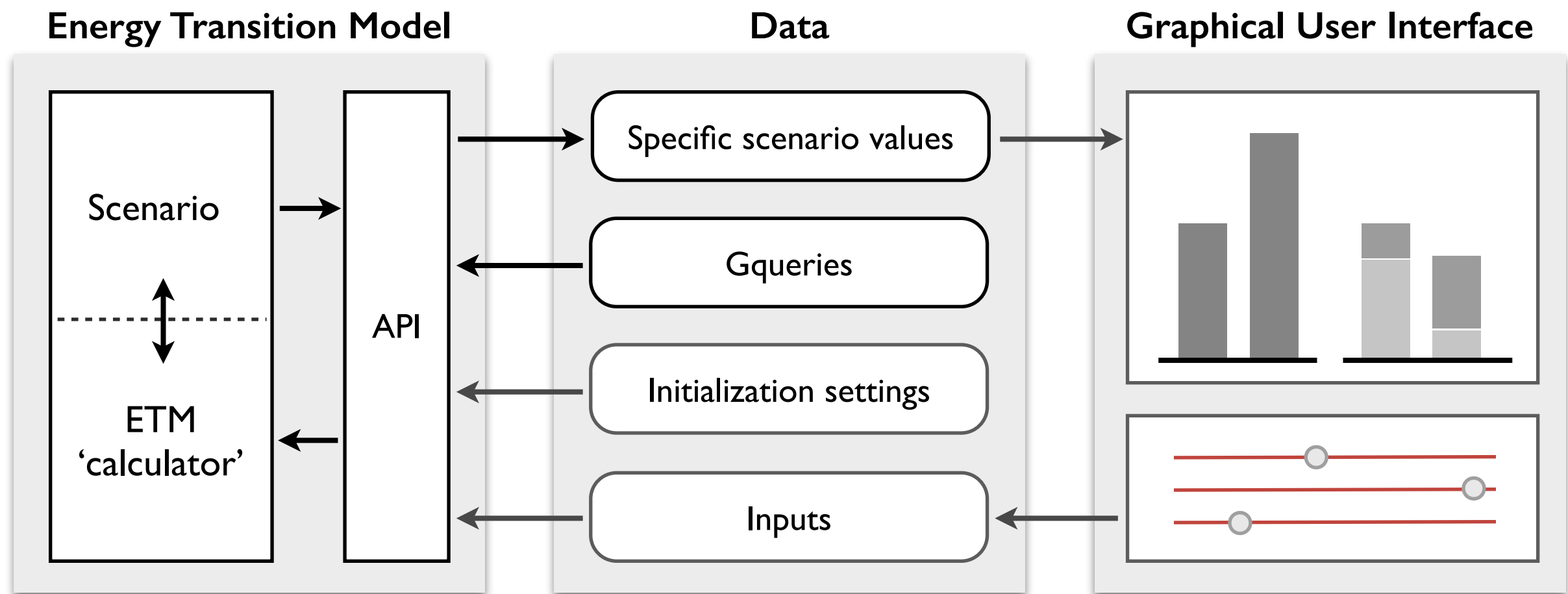
Command

```
$( '#chart_ID' ).highcharts({ options })
```

Description

In this example the charts are build with the highcharts.js library. In the file `ETM_API_example_graphs.js` all the code is shown to build the three different graphs in the example. The three graphs are individually initialized by the `.highcharts({options})` function.

An important here is building the data series. There is no default way to put Gquery values in a chart, so here the user really has to decided what values to group together and how to display them. For the example charts, the data series are build with the functions `HeatSeries`, `PrimarySeries` and `C02series`.



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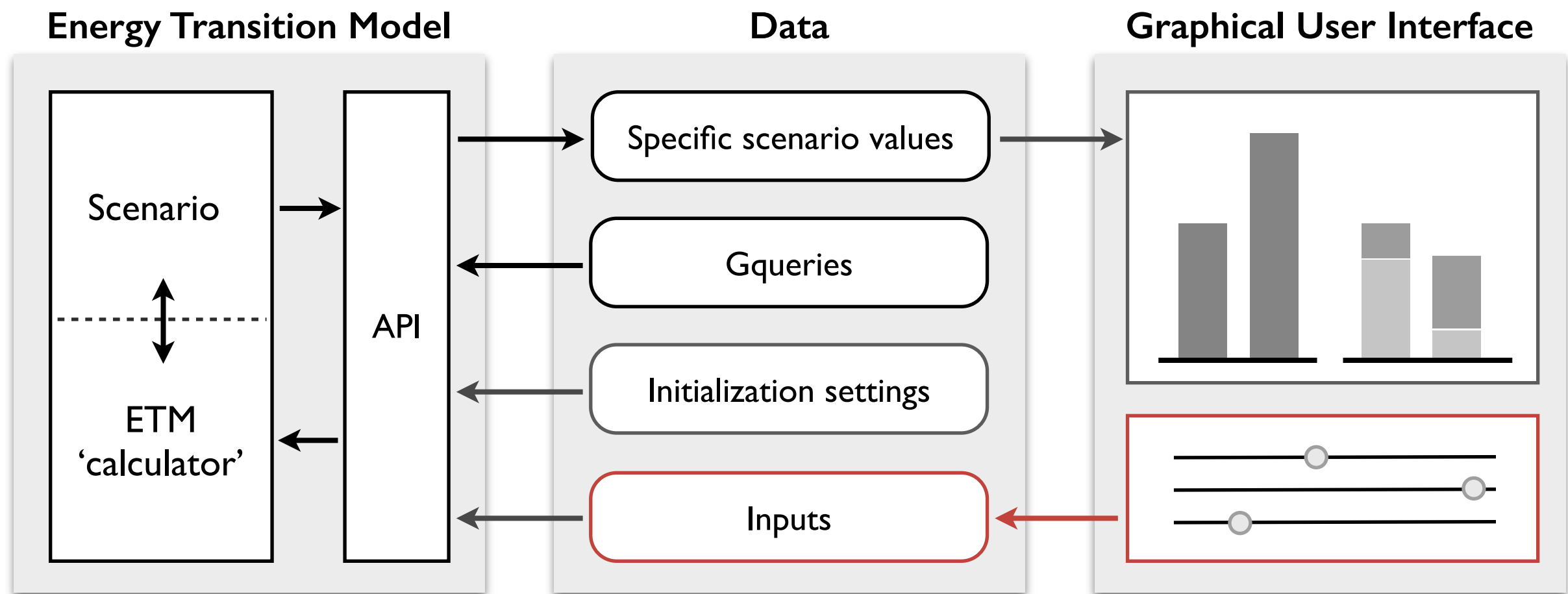
`on stop: eval(options.UpdateFunction)`

Description

During the initialization of the sliders (step 1), the behaviour of the slider *during* the slide and on a slide *stop* is defined (within the method `BuildSliders.SliderInitialize`).

During a slide the slider value display is updated so that the user knows what value the slider is on.

After a slide-stop, the method `SliderInitialize.options.UpdateFunction` is executed. This function, in turn, executes the method `Scenario1.Update_Scenario()` and the function `Update_Graphs`, leading to steps 7-11.



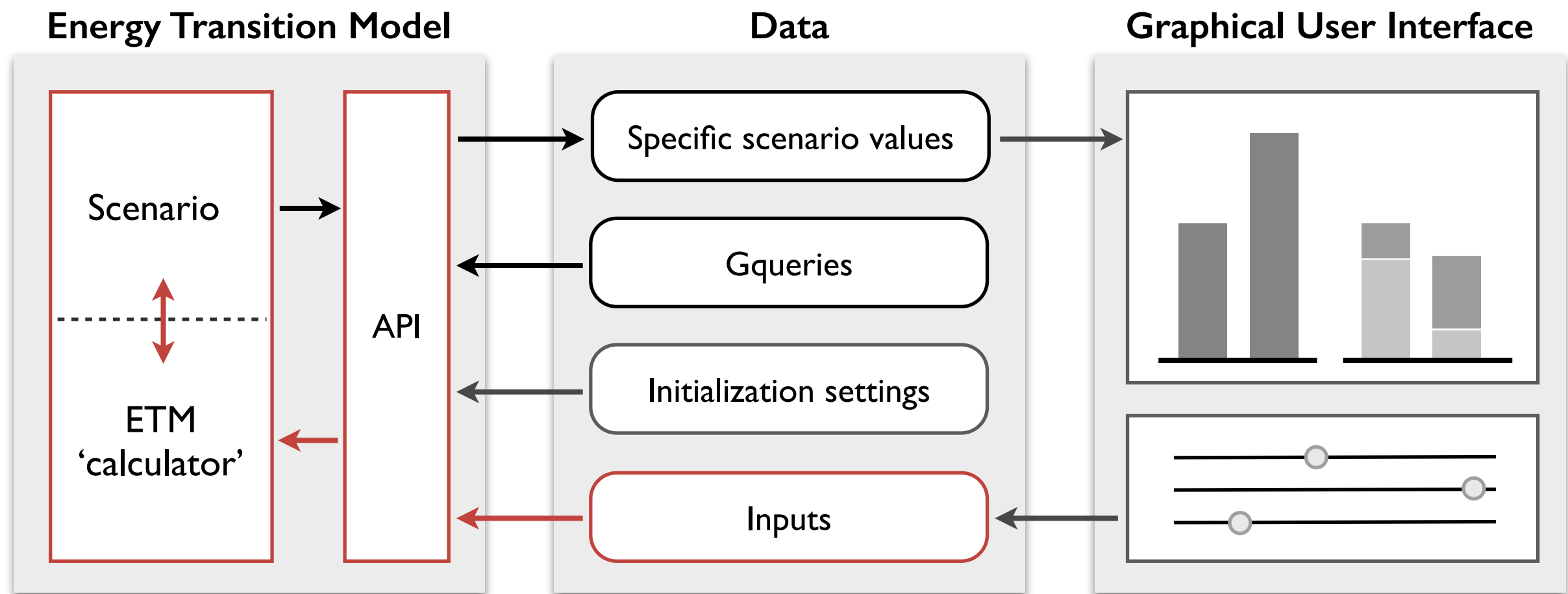
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Command

`ETMscenario.Update_Inputs_From_Sliders();`

Description

The method `ETMscenario.Update_Inputs_From_Sliders()` uses jQuery to fill the object `ETMscenario.Input_Settings` with the slidervalues. To make this work, the `Inputs` object that is passed within the options object while constructing `Scenario1` (step 2) needs to contain the same names as the object keys in `SliderData`, part of the options object while constructing `Sliders1` (step 1).



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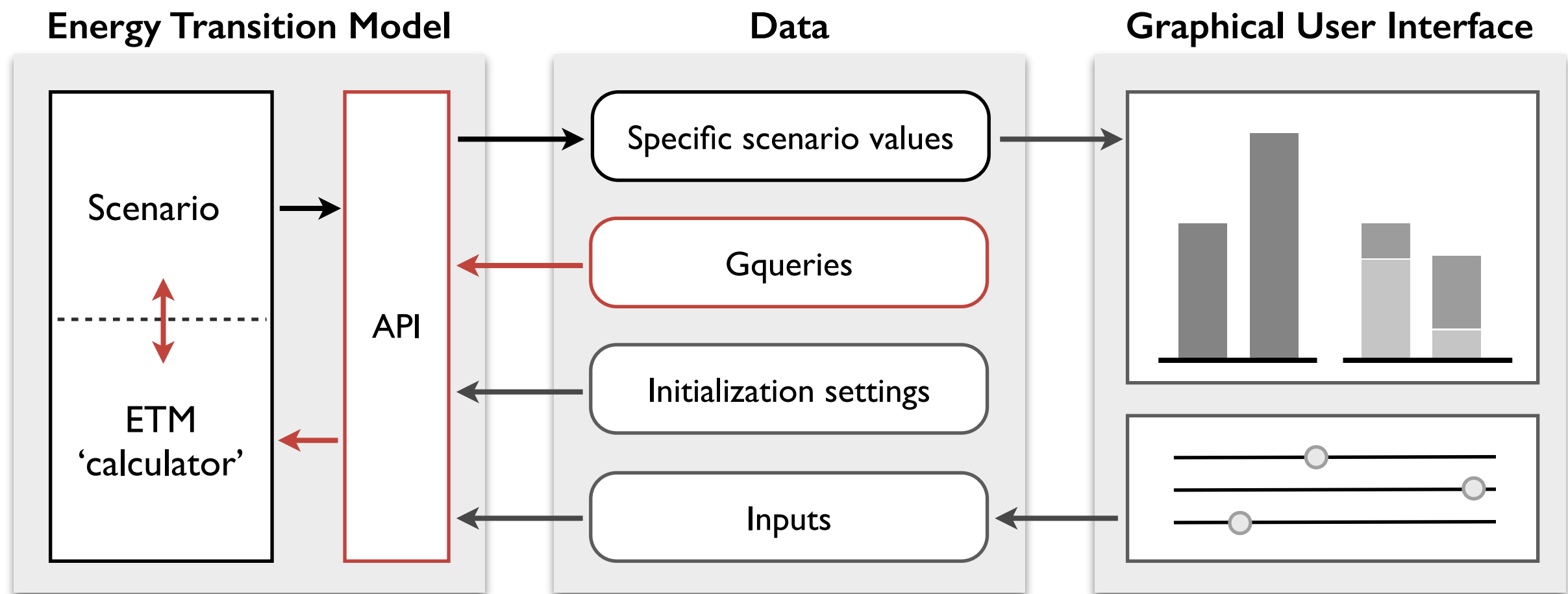
Command

`ETMscenario.Update_Inputs();`

Description

The method `ETMscenario.Update_Inputs()` sends the input settings from step 7 to the API. The `Scenario_ID` is used to send the inputs to the right scenario.





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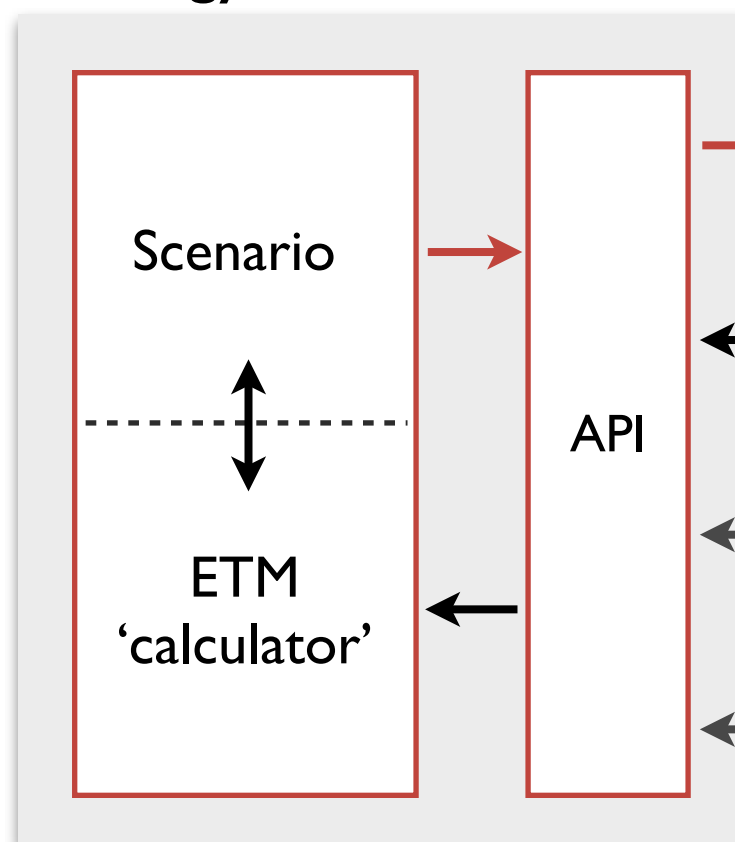
Description

This step is identical to step 3.

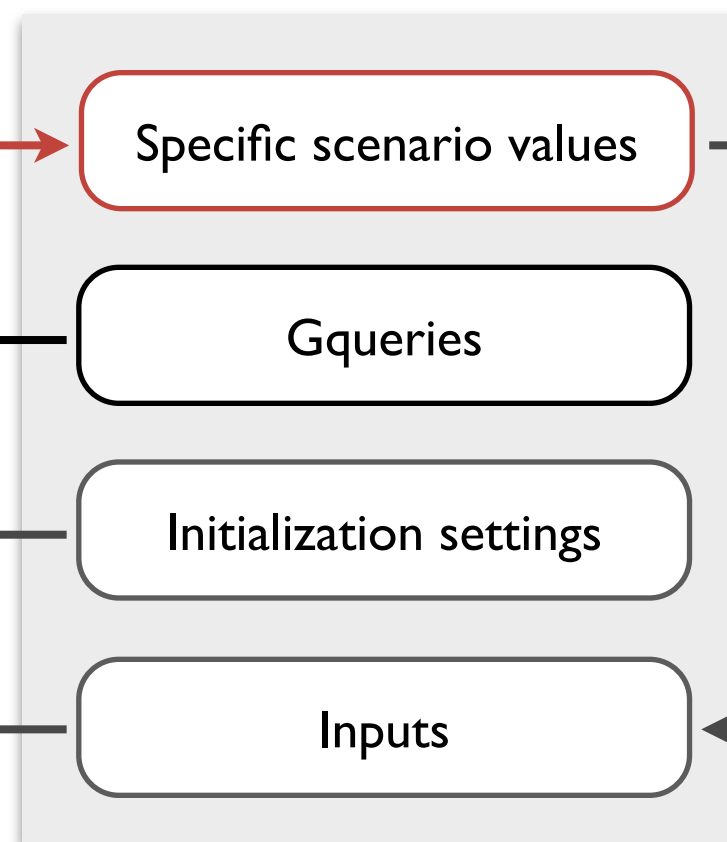
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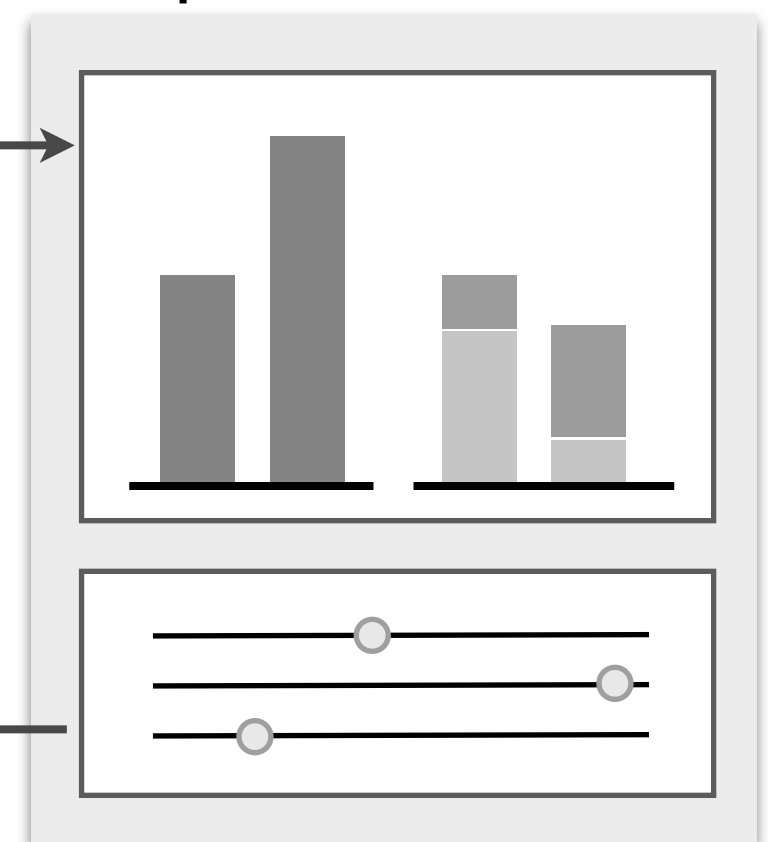
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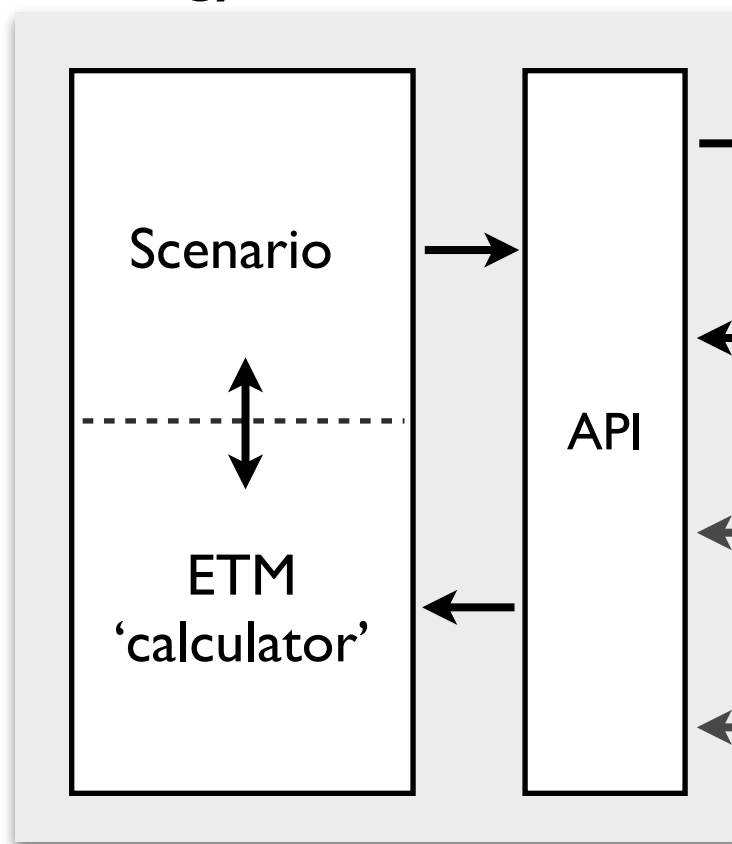
This step is identical to step 4.

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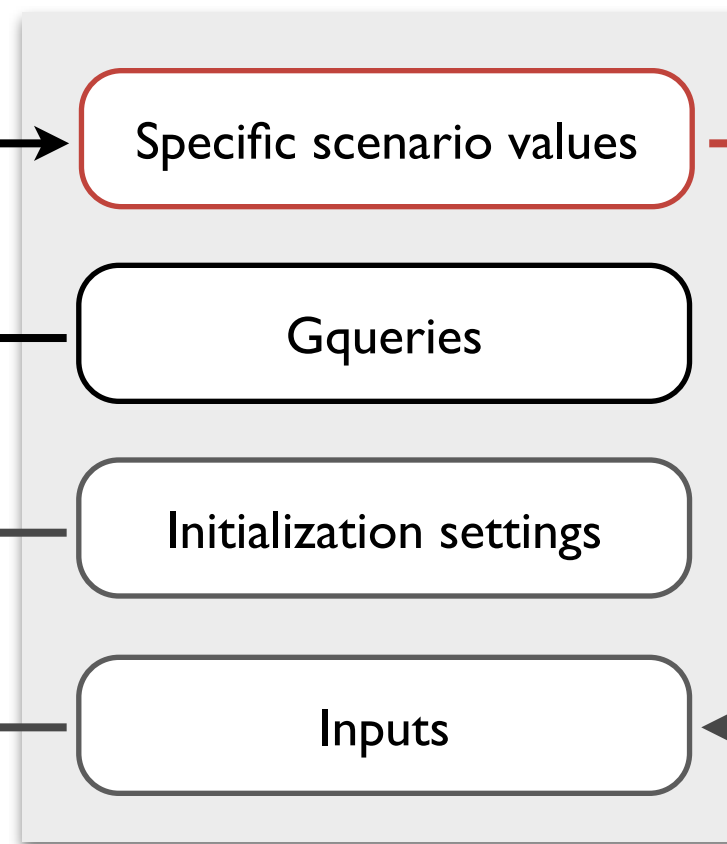
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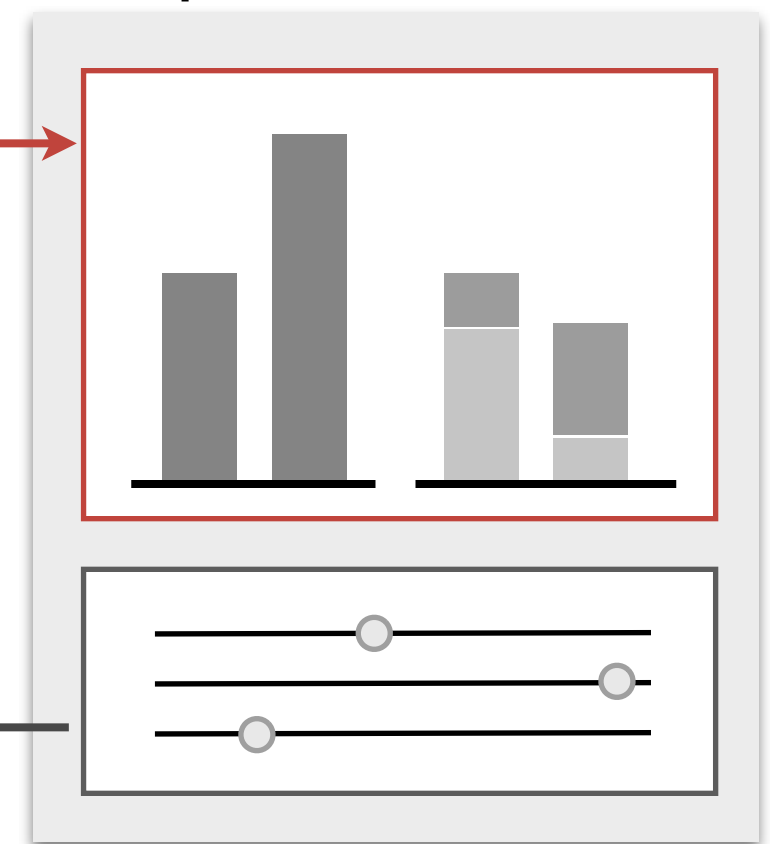
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## II. Update graphics

Command

`Update_Graphs( 250 );`

Description

The function `Update_Graphs` is defined in `ETM_API_example_graphs.js` and uses the `ETMscenario.Data` object to update the charts. To do this, it uses the built-in highcharts method `setData`, with a transition time `transtime`. The `setData` method is executed from within the function `seriesupdate`, that updates all data series withing a specific chart.