

# Paulownia Circular-Economy Dashboard

This repository contains a prototype dashboard for modelling the circular economy of *Paulownia* forestry projects. It is implemented in Python using [Streamlit](#) and [Plotly](#). The dashboard allows you to explore agro-forestry growth scenarios, biomass flows, logistics and processing chains, and end-of-life soil carbon projects. See [docs/USER\\_GUIDE.md](#) for a walkthrough.

The code is designed around a deterministic core where all calculations are performed off-line using the parameters you provide. No external APIs are required. A nested set of Pydantic models describe the various stages (agro, logistics, extraction, substrate production, plate manufacturing and end-of-life), and these models are serialisable to JSON for scenario sharing.

## Quick start

```
# create a virtual environment and install dependencies
python -m venv .venv
source .venv/bin/activate
pip install -r requirements.txt

# run unit tests
# pytest -q

# launch the dashboard
streamlit run app.py
```

## Project structure

```
paulownia_dash/
├── app.py                                # Streamlit entry point
└── core/
    ├── __init__.py                         # Deterministic models and computations
    ├── params.py                            # Pydantic data models
    ├── sim.py                               # Agro-forestry simulator
    ├── sim_extraction.py                   # Logistics, extraction, substrate and plates
    ├── sim_eol.py                           # End-of-life soil carbon module
    ├── aggregate.py                        # Merge dataframes and compute KPIs
    ├── economics.py                         # NPV/IRR utilities
    ├── plots.py                            # Plotly figure builders
    └── utils.py                            # Miscellaneous helpers
    └── pages/
        ├── 1_♣_Scenario_Inputs.py          # Individual Streamlit pages
        └── 2_▣_Results_Timeseries.py
    └── ...
└── docs/                                   # User and developer documentation
    ├── USER_GUIDE.md
    └── DEV_GUIDE.md
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    └── ROADMAP.md
    └── QA_REPORT.md
  └── assets/                      # Theming and presets
    └── theme.json
  └── tests/                       # PyTest unit and smoke tests
    ├── test_core.py
    ├── test_aggregate.py
    ├── test_pages_smoke.py
    └── test_downloads.py
  └── .streamlit/
    └── config.toml                # Streamlit configuration
  └── scripts/
    └── make_zip.py               # Utility to build release zip
  └── requirements.txt            # Exact dependency versions
  └── Makefile                    # Convenience commands

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## Extending the model

To add a new stage or expand an existing one, follow these guidelines:

- Define new parameters in `core/params.py` with sensible defaults and type hints.
- Write pure functions in a new module under `core/` that take these parameters and return `pandas.DataFrame` objects describing yearly results.
- Update `core/aggregate.py` to merge your new dataframe into the main `df_joined`. Be sure to recalculate KPIs as needed.
- Expose sliders and inputs in a new or existing page under `pages/`, using `st.form` to group inputs. Cache the simulation results with `st.cache_data` keyed on the scenario JSON.
- Add tests under `tests/` to validate your computations.

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