

## LPJGUESS - Landlab - Coupling Documentation -- V.0.5

### Initial Folderstructure needed:

```
model_dir/
|— forcings/
| |— climdata/
| | |— split_files/
| | |— Climate_TraCE21ka_prec.nc
| | |— Climate_TraCE21ka_temp.nc
| | |— Climate_TraCE21ka_rad.nc
| | |— co2_TraCE_21ka_1990CE.txt
| | |— ndepo_lamarque_cl_hist_landid.nc*
|— lpjguess.template/
| |— dumpdir_eor/
| |— loaddir/
| |— earthshape_lpjsetup.ins
| |— focussites_transient.ins
| |— eartshape_pfts.ins
| |— lpjguess.ins.tpl
| |— landid.txt
|— ll_output/
| |— BED/
| |— DEM/
| |— DHDT/
| |— NC/
| |— SoilDepth/
| |— SoilP/
| |— Veg/
|— debugging/
|— temp_output/
|— runfile_space.py
|— inputFile.py
|— initial_bedrock.npy
|— initial_soildepth.npy
|— initial_topography.npy
```

### Files/Folders created during runtime:

```
|— temp_lpj/
|— temp_output/
| |— current_output.nc
```

## Important Files / Modules for input/output handling and conversion:

### **Landlab Component *dynveg\_lpjguess.py* / *create\_input\_for\_lpjguess.py*** (*../landlab/landlab/components/dynveg\_lpjguess*)

This component handles the the calls to LPJGUESS during model-runtime and the conversion of current landlab output to lpjguess subpixel input at each timestep

### **File *create\_input\_for\_landlab.py***

Todo: This file needs to be incorporated in the framework of the component mentioned above. Right now it needs to sit in the model base-directory. It handles the conversion and spatial mapping of lpjguess subpixel output to landlab grids during runtime.

### **Landlab Component *landformClassifier.py*** (*../landlab/landlab/components/landform\_classifier*)

This is a theoretically separate component that can be used without the LPJGUESS coupling of landlab. This handles the classification of each cell within a landlab model grid into different Landforms during runtime. This however absolutely necessary for the coupled simulations

## Known issues/ToDo:

- LPJGUESS is compiled in my folder locally (check inputFile.py for location). This could be done globally if more people are using it. **Willi**
- The location and filename(!) of the forcing-files are right now hardcoded in dynveg\_lpjguess.py. It works, but since this is a global landlab-module, the naming of the input\_files needs to be the same for all simulations. Right now its /forcings/climdata/Climate\_TraCE21ka\_prec/\_temp;\_rad].nc. **Manu**
- The output timestep (inputFile.py, variable *outInt*) is the same for the spin-up period as well as the transient period. Since we are mostly not interested in the spin-up we create a huge chunk of data, that we basically don't use. This is also a runtime issue, since the creation of output takes a lot of time. **Willi/Manu**
- Since time is/was a little tight on my side, I never switched to the landlab branch that Willi created which incorporates the new inputFile format (not the python file). Since I adapted my workflow on this, honestly I am planning to

continue on this. This also mean, that I added a lot of stuff to the input File which is not in the “new” version, which needs to go there. Willi