



# Creating a community

The 2050 Calculator website and book

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# So many Calculators, and so much to share



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- Technical knowledge
- Practical experience
- Enthusiasm

# Launching the 2050 Calculator community website



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The 2050 Calculator

A fresh approach to modelling energy and emissions

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Engaging  
Get people talking about energy

The 2050 Calculator is a free and open energy and emissions model that can be used to increase energy literacy and inform policy at the city, regional, country and even global level. It offers an easy way to explore future scenarios and their impacts. It can be tailored to suit everyone from experts to the general public.

A number of countries and territories around the world are already using calculators in their energy planning, including China, India, the UK and South Africa.

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The website will include:

- Introduction to the Calculator methodology
- Details of all Calculator projects (contact details, links to finished tools)
- How to build your own Calculator (link to the **book**)
- An online **community**

# The Calculator “book”



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<http://book.2050.org.uk>

Everything we know about how to build a Calculator!

- Starting a new project
- Detailed Excel and webtool guidance
- Tips for engagement and launching a tool
- Advice and examples from other teams

# How can you help?



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- What information is missing? Tell us how to improve the book and the website.
- Write a chapter for the book (around 400 words) – by end of February if possible. What have you learnt? What was most challenging and how did you overcome it? What are you most proud of?
- Give us your contact details, team photos etc. for the website - ASAP
- Join the online community when it launches and keep the discussion going