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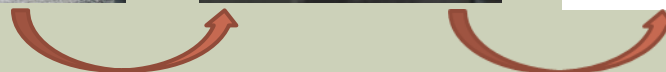
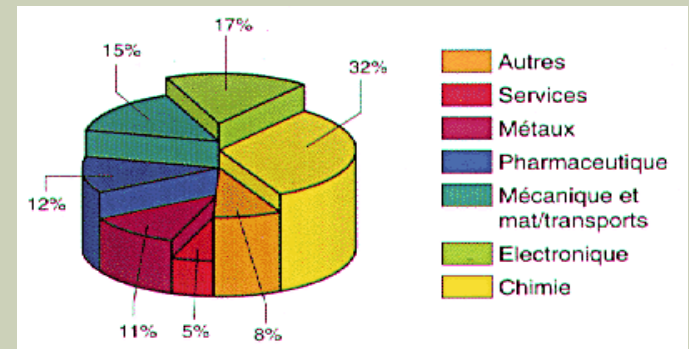
« DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT – TENSION EXPERIENCED BY THE STR »

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INTRODUCTION

- The Governor has security competences
- Tight link between security and environment
- Effective economic development



1. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT VS ENVIRONMENT FOR GOVERNOR

Mission of governors in Belgium regarding to civil security:

❖ Various pollutions to handle :

Atmospheric...



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Waters...



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Or chemical issues...



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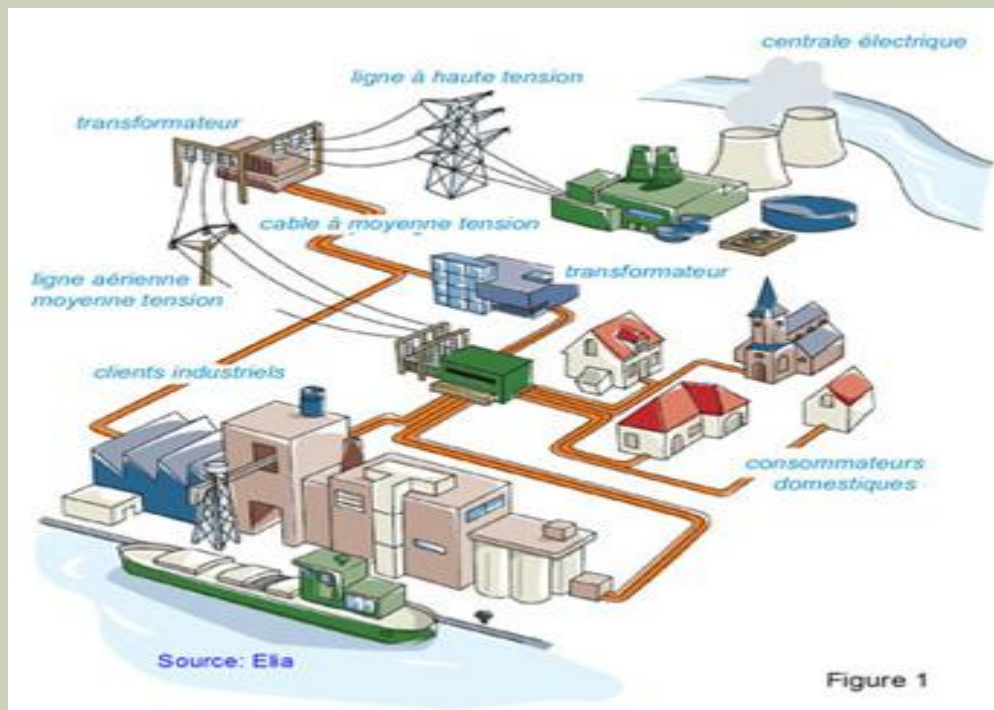
❖ Crisis management with experts



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1) Electricity load shedding plan

❖ Risk of « black out » and environmental impacts



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❖ Specific preparedness : offload of electric lines



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❖ Cutting off a part of population power supplies

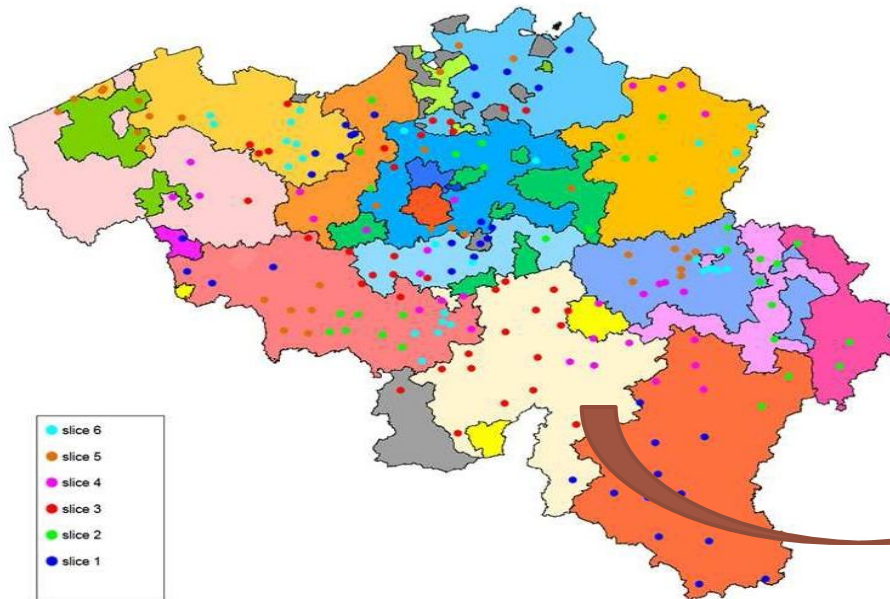
► Plan de délestage

Identification des postes par tranches et par distributeurs

DNB_Global Legend

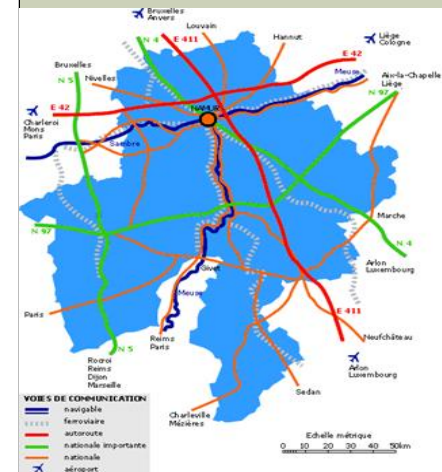
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- INFRAX WEST
- INTER-ENERGA
- INTEREST/INTEROST
- INTERGEM
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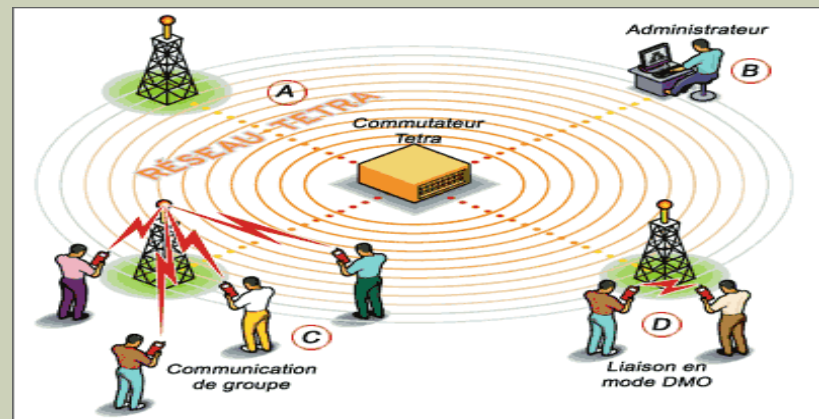
2) Telecommunications for emergency services

❖ Needs of security resulting from human activities



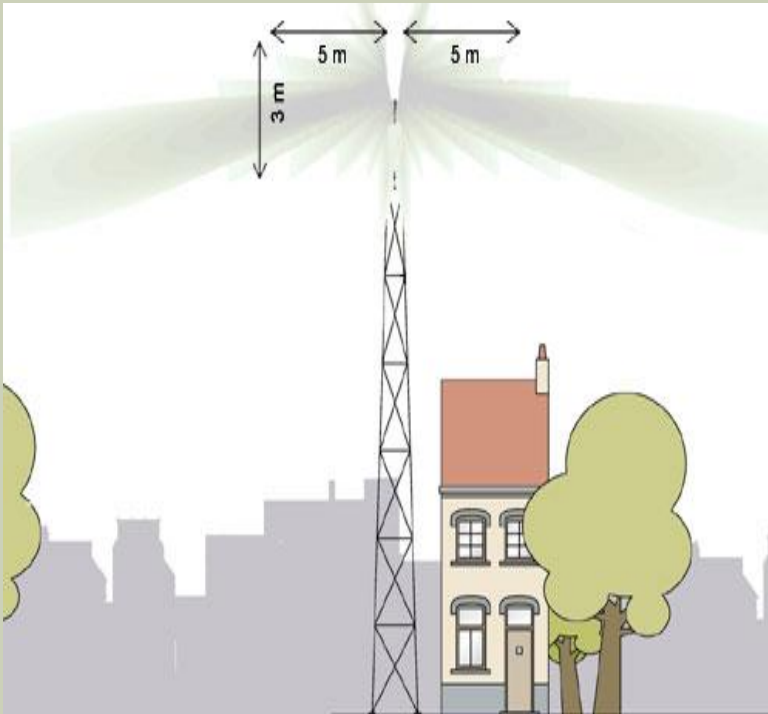
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❖ Dedicated communication network (ASTRID)



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❖ Pylons and environmental/landscape impacts



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❖ Conciliation



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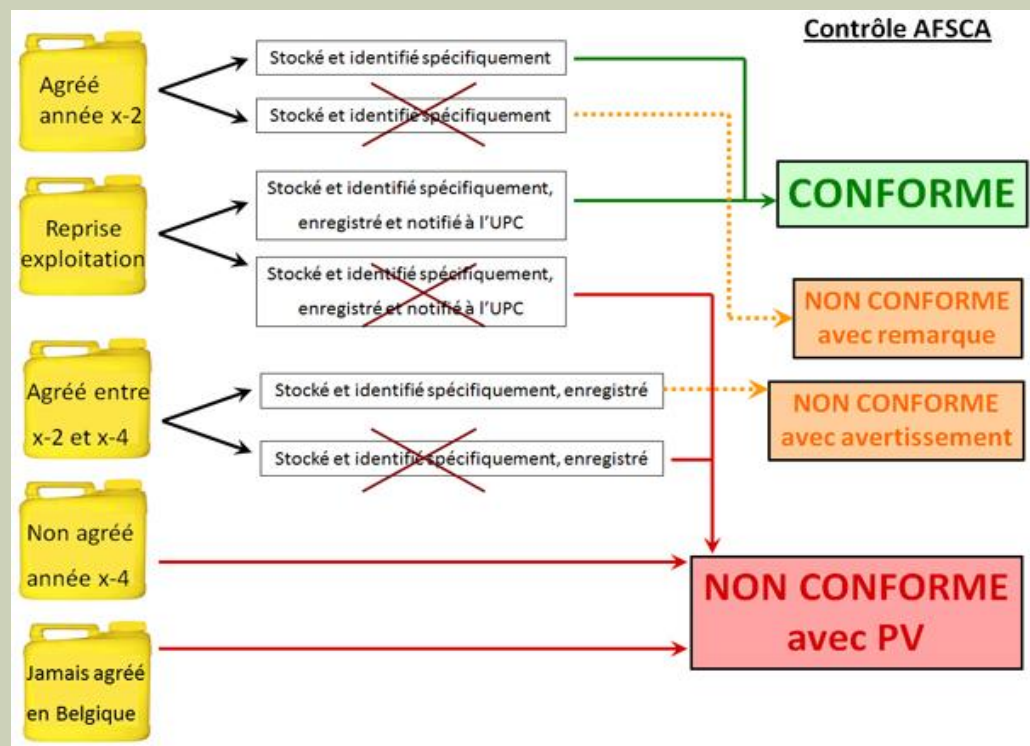
3) Sanitary issues

❖ Integrated inspections (transports/catering)



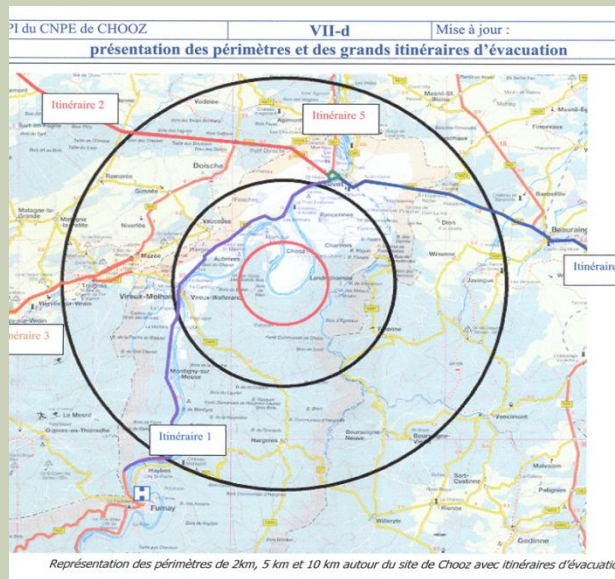
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❖ Food security and environment impacting activity



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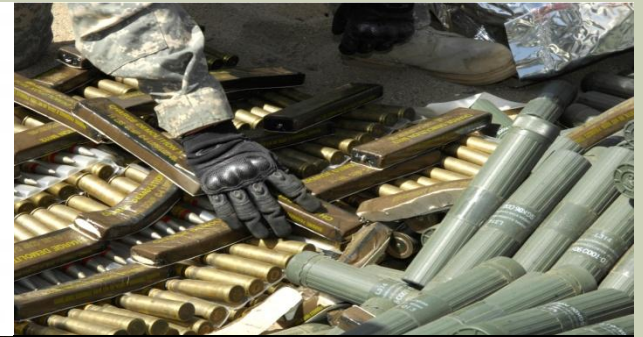
❖ Exclusion perimeters



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4) Administrative authorizations

❖ Explosives



❖ Fireworks



❖ Stone-pits

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❖ Decisions of Provincial Executive

- The Governor belongs to « deconcentration » and « decentralization »
- Balance and possible appeal based on legality :

Procedures for activities presenting risks

Subsidies for sustainable projects



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5) Meeting businesses

- ❖ Promotion of economic projects
- ❖ Contact with local authorities and companies
- ❖ Balance between economic expectations and environmental impacts



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5) Border issues

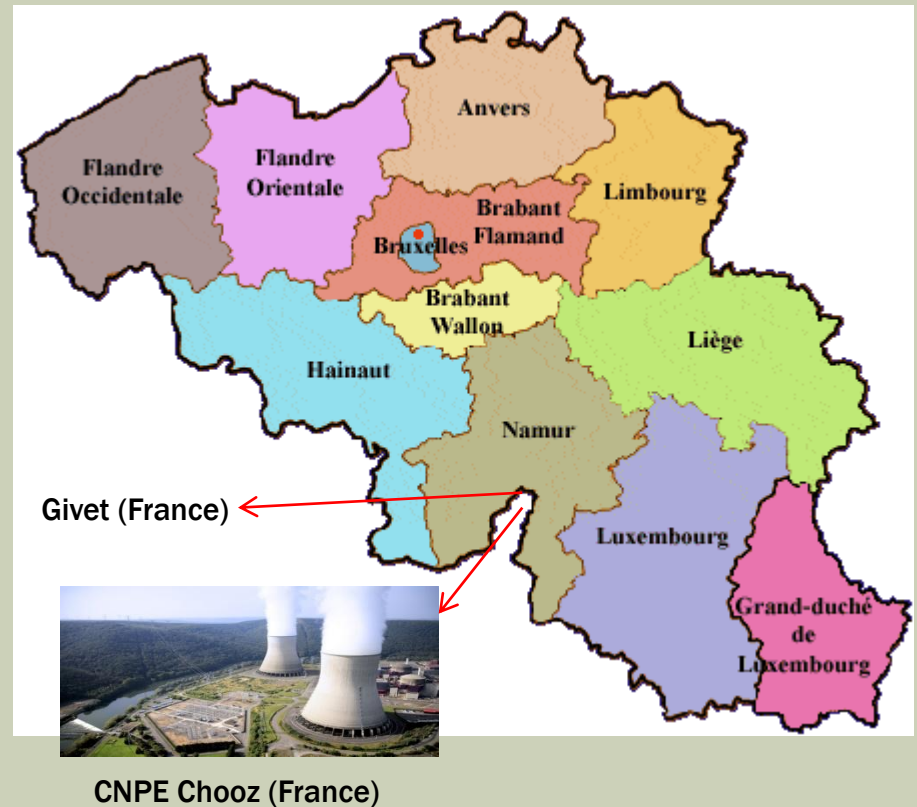
- ❖ Agreements between Namur(governor) and French Ardennes(prefect)
- Nuclear powerplant of Chooz
- Situations impacting environment
- Procedures of information
- Local Information Committee
- Arbitration



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- ❖ Projects impacting environment on foreign territory : paper incinerator
- ❖ Balance in cross-border approach

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3. CONCLUSION

Governor is a STR who has to...

- regulate some security issues by prevention, preparedness and control...
- facilitate solutions thanks to a privileged position, at the crossroads of all institutional levels
- conciliate public actors (cities,...) and private ones (enterprises, operators,...)
- make the balance between economic development and environmental issues

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