



A forest species of the future: the maritime pine, France's first resinous pine

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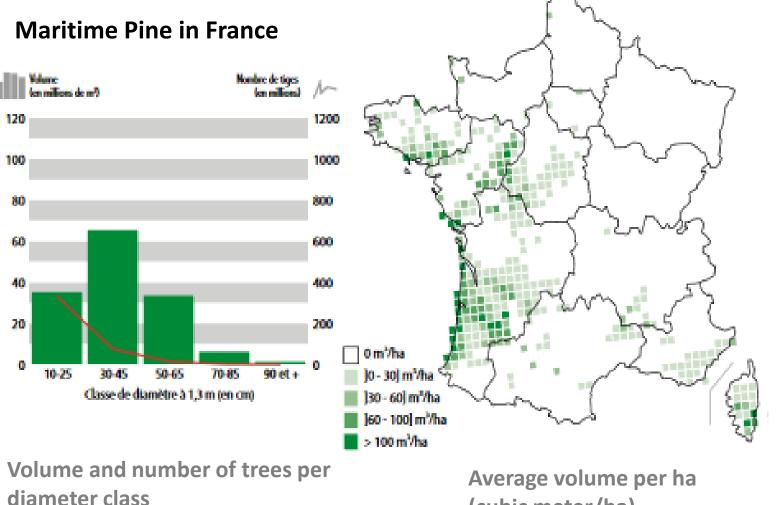




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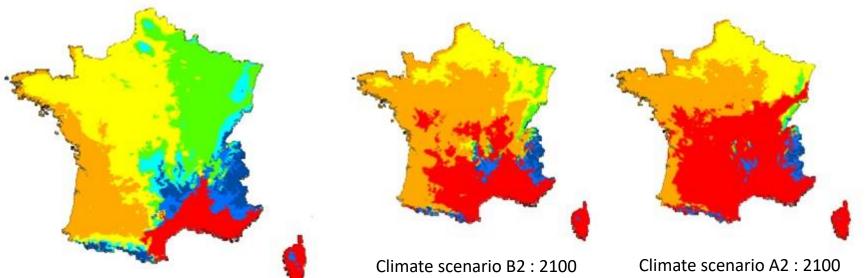
Distribution of maritime pine in France



(cubic meter/ha)



Distribution of forest species and climate change



Current situation (2007)

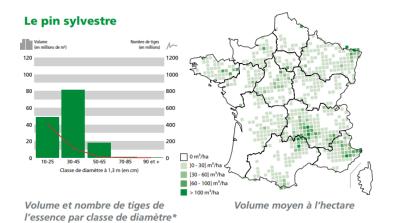
Climate scenario B2 : 2100 Hypothèse : élevation moyenne de 2.4 °C des températures

		% actuel	% 2100 B2	% 2100 A2	
Montagnard	Groupe 1 (Pin cembro)	5.2	2.3	1.0	
	Groupe 2 (Aulne incana)	4.1	3.0	2.4	
	Groupe 3 (Sapin blanc)	6.3	0.1	0.3	
Plus continental	Groupe 4 (Hêtre)	22.4	3.2	1.2	
Atlantique nord	Groupe 6 (Châtaignier)	35.6	17.4	16.4	
Atlantique sud	Groupe 7a (Pin maritime)	17.2	45.9	30.8	
Méditerranée	Groupe 8 (Chêne vert)	9.1	28.1	47.9	

Tableau 3: Proportion du territoire couvert par les aires biogéographiques actuellement et selon les deux scénarios : A2 et B2 (communication personnelle du 4 septembre 2007, V. Badeau et J.-L. Dupouey). (la composition des groupes est en annexe 4)



Others pine species and potential resin harvesting



Très peu gemmé en France car rendement très faible (0.1 l/arbre à 1.7 l/arbre/an)

Figure 3.4. Carte de répartition du pin d'Alep en France d'après les données IFN (période 2005-2011). Chaque point représente une placette d'inventaire avec le pin d'Alep comme essence principale.

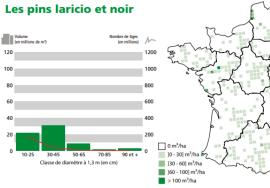
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Pin d'Alep : volume estimé en PACA: 14 millions de m3 et surface forestière estimé à 145 000 ha.

Pin d'Alep : GRECO méditerranée

140 000 ha de peuplement monospécifique pour un volume de 11 Mm3 85 000 ha de peuplements mélangés Chênes et pin Alep pour un volume de 6 Mm3



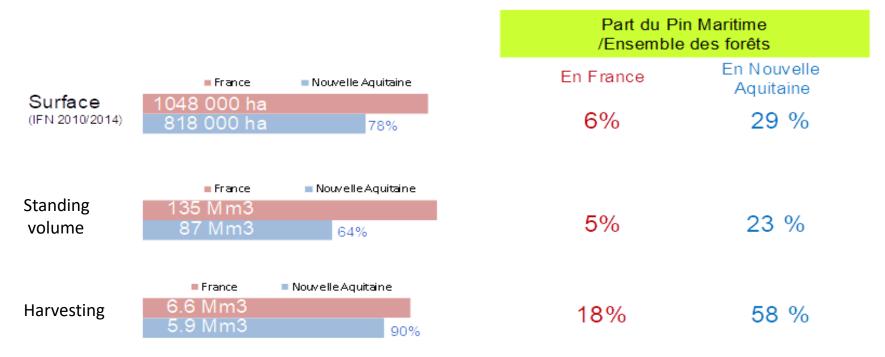
Volume et nombre de tiges de l'essence par classe de diamètre*

Volume moyen à l'hectare



A species of the future: maritime pine is the first French softwood

- Native tree, well adapted to poor soils
- Most planted tree in France: 34,000 ha in 2014/2015
- 44 million plants, 61% all forest plants sold in France

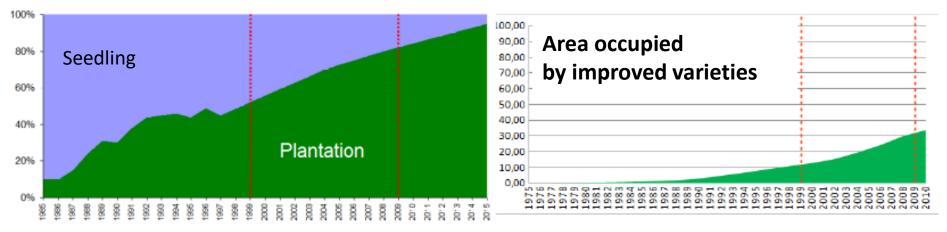




Storms and reconstruction

Pin maritime	MARTIN 1999	KLAUS 2009
Destroyed volume	23 millions de m ³	37 millions de m ³
Destroyed area	150 000 ha	210 000 ha
Construction area	88 000 ha	205 000 ha (Objectif/en cours)

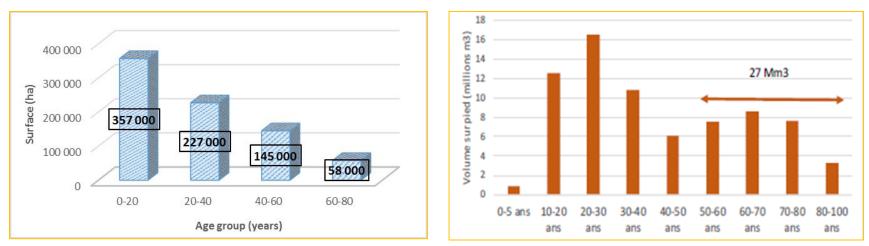
- Renewal of the age classes of the massif: rejuvenation
- increase in genetic progress through planting instead of seeding
- Greater consideration of risk in management





Area and volume of maritime pine by age group

2005-2010 data: National Forest Inventory



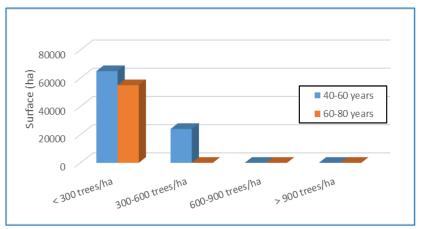
2016 data: National Forest Inventory

High potential for harvesting maritime pine resin :
▶ 200,000 ha of maritime pine over 40 years old
▶ 27 million cubic meters of maritime pine over 50 years old



Estimated resin production potential (based on 2005-2010 data)

Area of maritime pine for 2 age classes and by density class (2005 -2010 data)



Age classes	Average density (trees/ha)	Total area (ha)	Number of trees
40-60 years	150	120 000	18 000 000
60-80 years	350	24 000	8 400 000
		TOTAL	26 400 000

Average resin production per tree (Kg)	2.8
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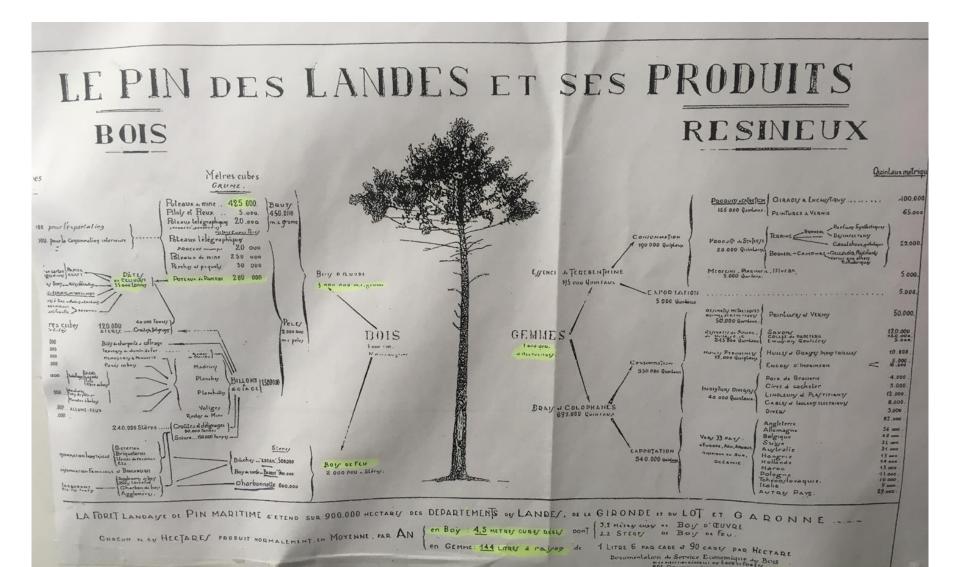
Average resin production per tree (L) 3

Total resin production estimated over one year (kg) : 73 920 000 kg or 79 200 000 l

Total production of maritime pine resin estimated over a year (2005–2010 data) is 74 tonnes (corresponding to total resin production in Indonesia in 2009)



Resin production in 1937 : 100 000 000 litres (93,000 t) – 144 l/ha (134 kg/ha)





Questions about Resource modelling in a context of climate change

10 -What is the potential future for resin production in New Aquitaine in the forest?

11- What is the potential for resin production in the New Aquitaine sawmill sector? How to extract the resin contained in the pine planks at the time of drying?

12 -In a context of climate change, will the geographical area of the maritime pine change?

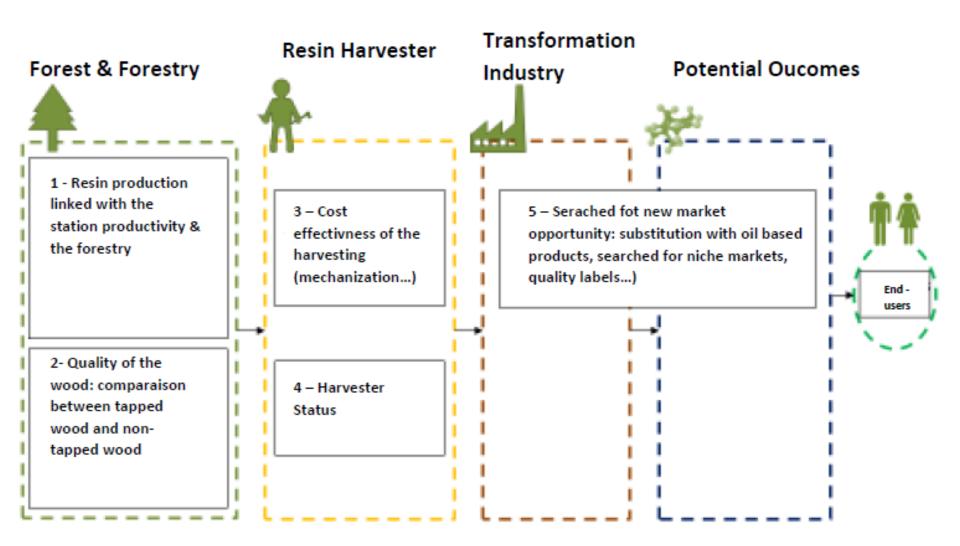
13- Are there other outlets for the use of resin outside New Aquitaine (in PACA, Corsica) ?

14 -Does the improvement of the genetic varieties have an effect on resin production?

15 – To maintain the economic profitability of the business, what is the maximum distance between the place of harvest and the location of the distillery?



What you expect from the project : Five results to develop









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