

How can we integrate different forest functions and ecosystem services in forest management?

Illustration through an international project :
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Introduction

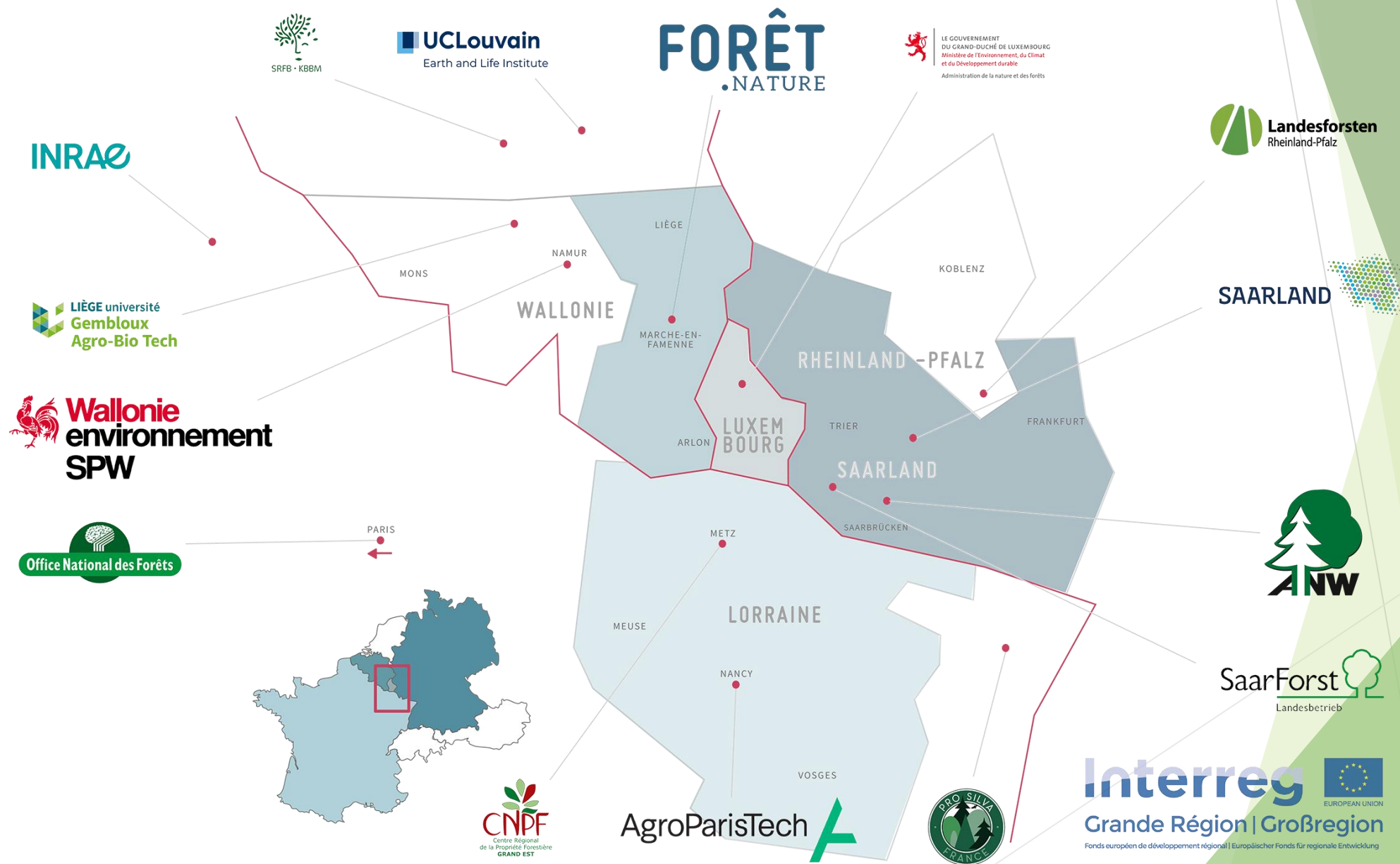
- ▶ Continuous Cover Forestry : try to provide solutions that integrate the various functions of the forest + ecosystem services.
- ▶ Already practiced in many European countries
- ▶ ASKAFOR project aimed to develop this type of forestry, in particular by promoting the transfer of knowledge and skills in practice

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Presentation of the project



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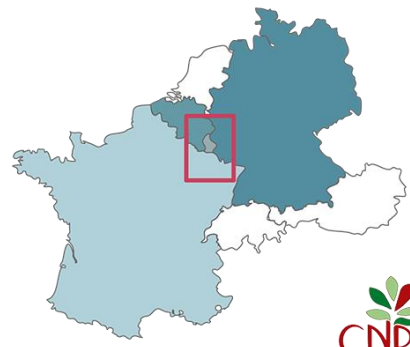
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1. An international Standard document defining CCF

Compiling experience, practices and knowledge in CCF into a European reference system

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2. Setting up an international network of reference forests

- ▶ Get Data of CCF Forests
- ▶ Monitoring forest development over time
- ▶ 6 forests integrate this network



3. Installation of teaching devices

- ▶ 4 Marteloscopes
- ▶ 3 Travailloscope
- ▶ Animation with groups of different countries



4. Research actions

- ▶ Scientific: forest regeneration + simulator of CCF
- ▶ Sociological study: understanding the obstacles to implementing CCF



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Further actions

- ▶ Meetings in the field with forest owners, politics, project partners
- ▶ Communication : flyer, videos...



Conclusion

What are the prospects for this type of projects?

Springboard for the development of CCF