

FIRST GENERATION DECOMMISSIONING PROGRAMME

2014



DECOMMISSIONING: A RESPONSIBILITY

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- Nuclear **operators** are **responsible** for the operations necessary to decommission the site (its removal from the list of 'Basic Nuclear Installations (BNI)')
- EDF is financially and technically responsible for decommissioning its plants.
- EDF accrues the amounts needed to meet these obligations and amasses **dedicated assets** to secure their financing.
- for the first generation facilities: € 2.1 billion*
- for the 58 PWRs: € 10.9 billion*

For your information, the (2013 figures*) forecasts are:

- long-term management of radioactive waste: € 7.5 billion*,
- spent fuel management: € 9.8 billion*,
- last core € 2.3 billion*,

*2013 figures

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- The law of 13 June 2006 on transparency and security in the nuclear field (the TSN law) is now fully codified in the Environmental Code in Articles L 593-1 et seq.
 - The TSN law and the Energy Program Act of 18 June 2006 on the sustainable management of radioactive materials and waste now encompass the financing of radioactive waste management and dismantling
 - The TSN law defines the obligations of operators on transparency and information

DECOMMISSIONING POLICY AND STRATEGY

French dismantling strategy

- ☐ Since 2001 EDF has adopted a **strategy of dismantling as soon as possible after** final shutdown. This strategy has been upheld in law in 2006 and 2012. This is called immediate dismantling.
- ☐ This strategy is benefits in terms of safety and efficiency, the environment and sustainable development, socio-economics and waste management.
- ☐ The difficulties stem from the legal uncertainty of the regulatory framework, and the lack of availability of outlets.



ASN referral letter of 13 February 2014:

'Assessment of the adequacy of EDF's dismantling strategy presented in its briefing published in September 2013

- Dismantling Strategy Advisory Committee in the first half of 2015; mid-term meeting in September 2014
- Coupled with the Waste Strategy Advisory Committee



DECOMMISSIONING PROGRAMME IN PROGRESS

9 FIRST GENERATION REACTORS



2 - Brennilis Finistère, à 70 km de Brest Réacteur à eau lourde Mise en service: 1967 Date d'arrêt: 1985



1 - Chooz Ardennes, à 60 km de Charleville-Mézières Réacteur à eau pressurisée Mise en service: 1967 Date d'arrêt: 1991



3 - Saint Laurent A Loir-et-Cher, à 35 km d'Orléans 2 réacteurs UNGG

Mises en service: 1969 et 1971 Dates d'arrêt: 1990 et 1992



Chooz

Meuse

Rhône

5 - Bugey 1 Ain, à 40 km de Lyon Réacteur UNGG Mise en service: 1972 Date d'arrêt: 1994



4 - Chinon A

Indre-et-Loire, à 45 km de Tours 3 réacteurs UNGG

Mises en service 1963, 1965 et 1966 Dates d'arrêt: 1973, 1985 et 1990

Réacteur à eau lourde Réacteur à eau pressurisée Réacteur UNGG (Uranium Naturel Graphite Gaz) Réacteur à neutrons rapides

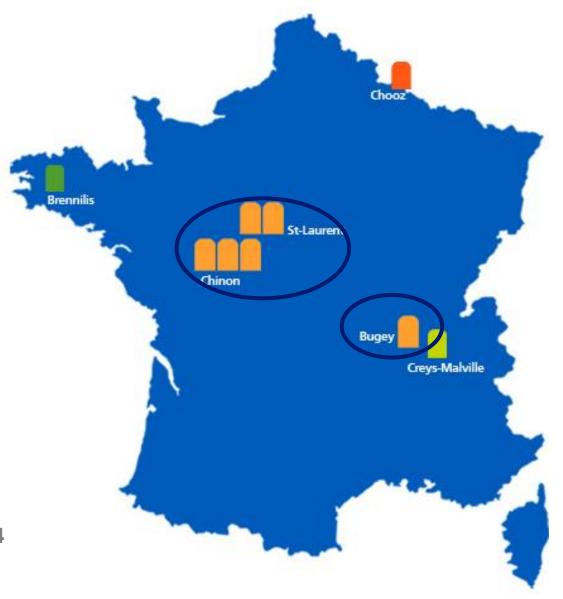


6 - Creys-Malville Isère, à 75 km de Lyon Réacteur à neutrons rapides Mise en service: 1986 Date d'arrêt: 1998

UNGG REACTORS

6 UNGG reactors:

- □ Chinon A1 (70 MW): 1963-1973
- ☐ Chinon A1 (200 MW): 1965-1985
- ☐ Chinon A1 (480 MW): 1966-1990
- ☐ Chinon A1 (480 MW): 1969-1990
- ☐ Chinon A1 (515 MW): 1971-1992
- ☐ Bugey 1 (540 MW): 1972-1994





UNGG programme

Graphite waste route

Bugey 1994 – 2012

Partial dismantling of the facility

Bugey 2012 – 2018

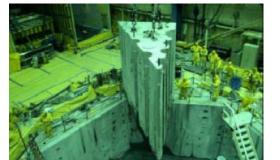
Construction work (ventilation, waste, etc.)

Bugey Starting in 2018

Reactor dismantling Graphite extraction

Decontamination
Demolition and
Site rehabilitation





St Laurent
Starting in 2021

Reactor dismantling Graphite extraction

Chinon A
Starting in 2025

Reactor dismantling Graphite extraction



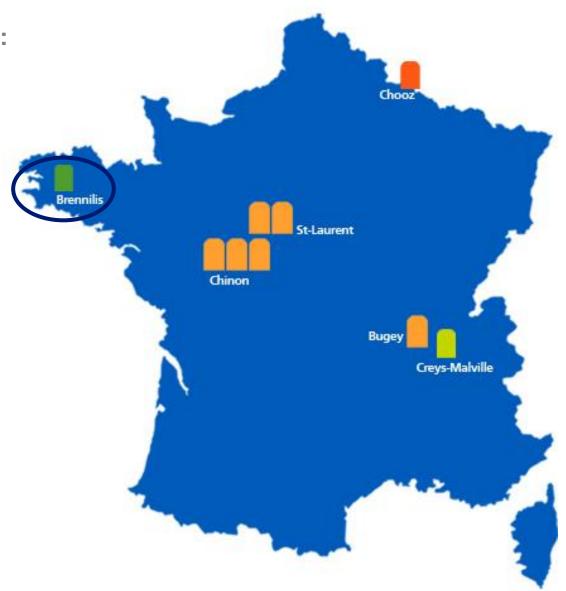
BRENNILIS

1 heavy water reactor (HWR):

(70 MW): 1967-1985 (EDF/CEA)

- □50% of the site had been decommissioned by 2007
 - ✓ Conventional buildings
 - ✓ Nuclear buildings outside the reactor containment
- ☐Start of dismantling: 1997
- □2007: Authorization decree cancelled.

Work resumed in 2011





CHOOZ A

First French PWR (pressurized water reactor) power plant . 305 MW, 1967-1991

■ Built in caves dug into the hill

☐ Authorization decree for complete dismantling: 2007





Key milestones in the first half of 2014

- April: Last two SGs sent to CIRES
- Completion of the dismantling of the primary circuit (excluding vessel) and dismantling of auxiliary equipment in the cave (excluding the bunker)



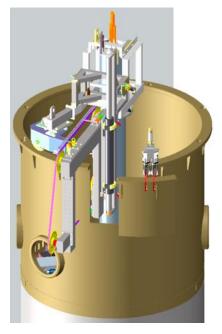


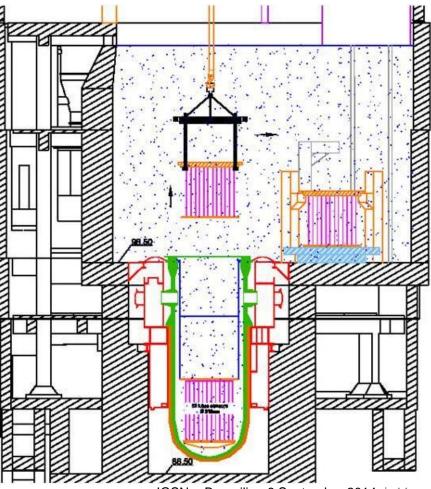


Work still to be done

- Dismantling of the vessel
 - Installation of construction site in November 2014
 - remove the cover: Q1 2016









CREYS MALVILLE

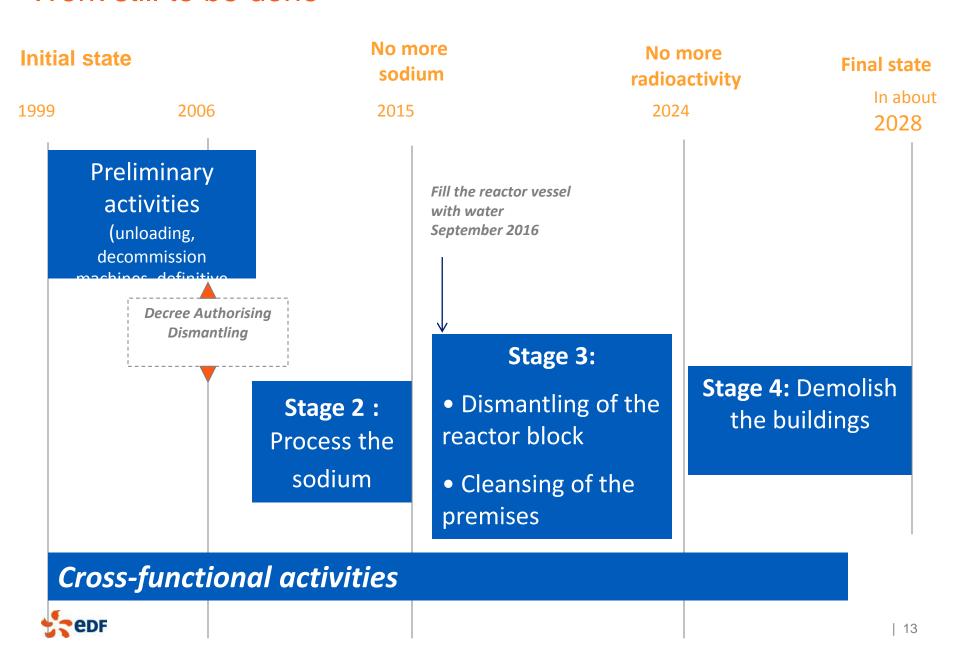
Creys **M**alville (1200 MW) 1985-1998

- ☐ Fast neutron reactor
- □5,500 t of Na
- Final shutdown as the result of a political decision





Work still to be done



ICEDA

- Strategic project for EDF's decommissioning programme
- □ Project enabling EDF to take responsibility as a waste producer:
 - Pending the availability of geological storage pursuant to the provisions of Law No. 2006-739 of 28 June 2006 a programme for the sustainable management of radioactive materials and waste



- □ Commissioning authority for the construction of ICEDA provided by EDF/CIDEN
- ☐ Site at a standstill since January 2012
- ☐ Still about 2 years' work (electromechanical assembly) before testing and commissioning



ACCEPTABILITY OF NUCLEAR POWER

- Society's expectations with regard to nuclear safety, environmental protection, transparency and consensus on industrial projects and energy costs (Baupin commission, French General Directorate for Energy and Climate (*Direction Générale de l'Énergie et du Climat (DGEC)*)* Audit, Court of Auditors, etc.)
- □ Changes in the regulatory pyramid towards increased transparency and involvement during the inquiry process (local information committee (Commission locale d'information (CLI)) (public consultation, etc.) leaving the field open to second opinions and/or the opinions of all stakeholders



- Financial and legal risks
- Increased complexity of the media and communication field



■ **DINamic 2020**: methods for supervising projects, efficiency approaches, technical soundness

DGEC* AUDIT

Context:

- . Regulatory framework: monitoring mission entrusted to the DGEC (Article 13 of the decree of 23 February 2007)
- . Report of the Court of Auditors January 2012
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Organisation and conduct: Duration: 10 months, as of 30 June 2014, on average, about 3.5 auditors / month **Scope and aims**: Accuracy and completeness of the provisions for the dismantling of PWR installations