

ESPON project METRO BORDER Cross-border polycentric metropolitan regions

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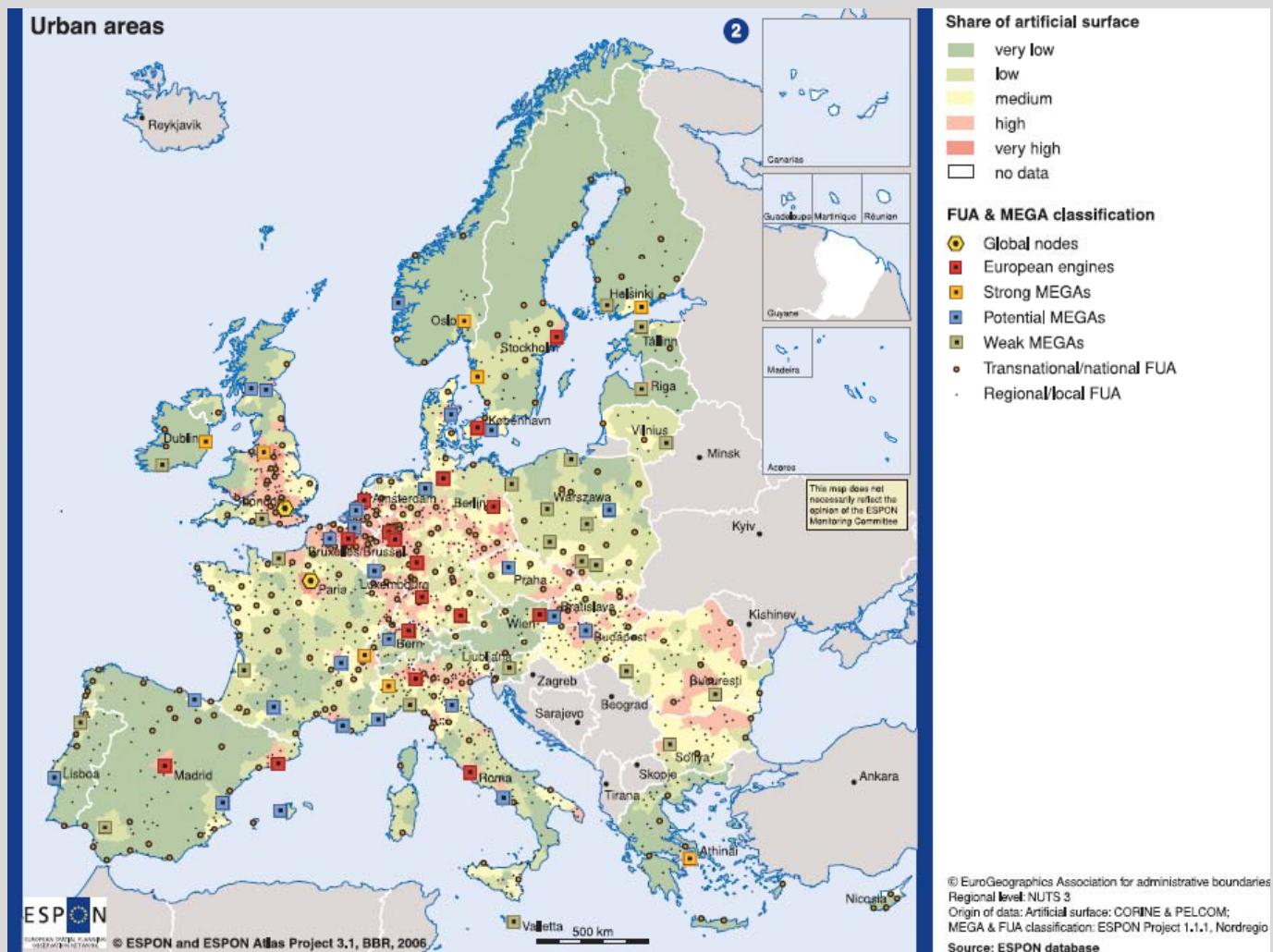
I. The ESPON programme

- territorial evidence on a variety of subjects
- all documents for free download: www.espon.eu
- 2nd phase (2007-2013)
- main priorities
 - 1) 'Applied research'
 - 2) 'Targeted Analysis' (e.g. Metroborder)
 - 3) 'Scientific Platform'



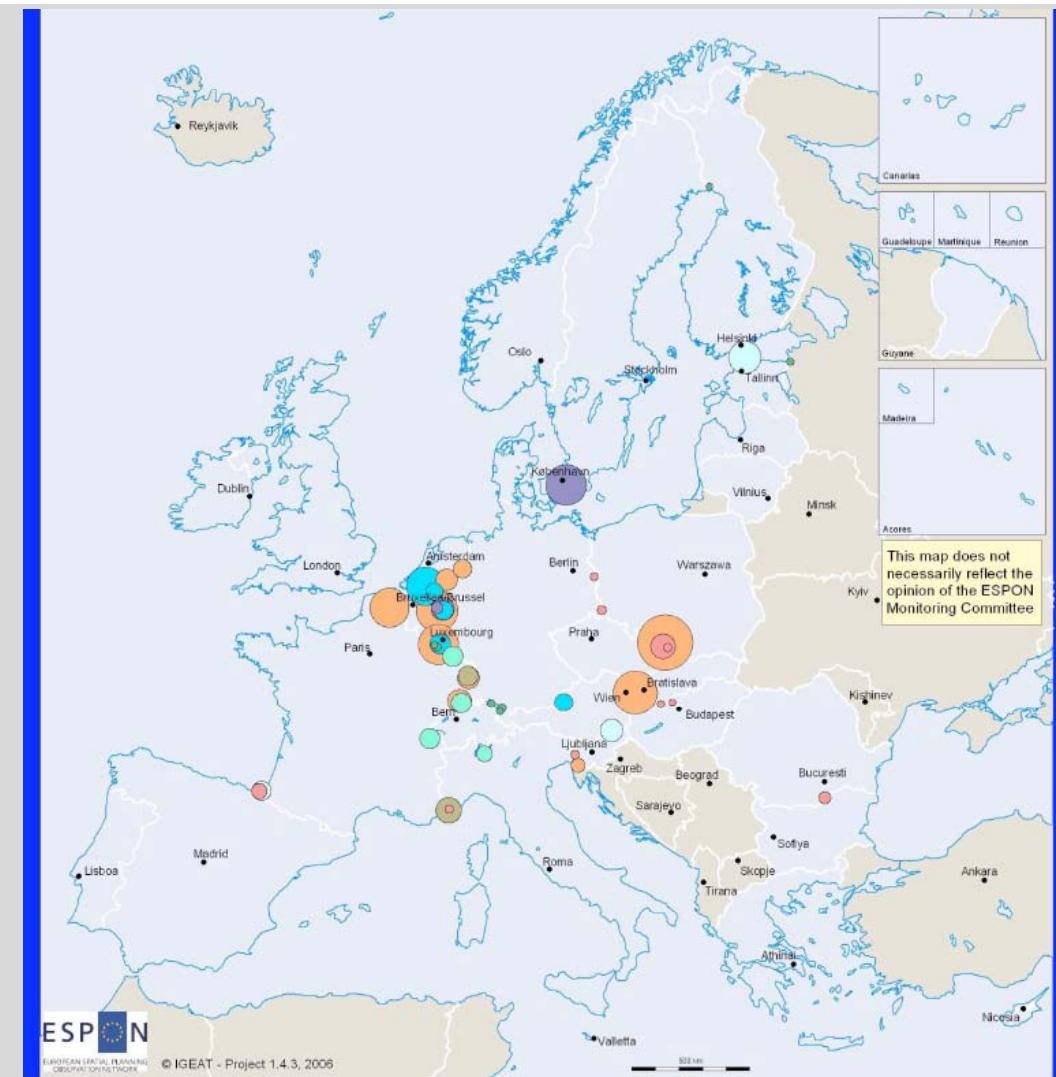
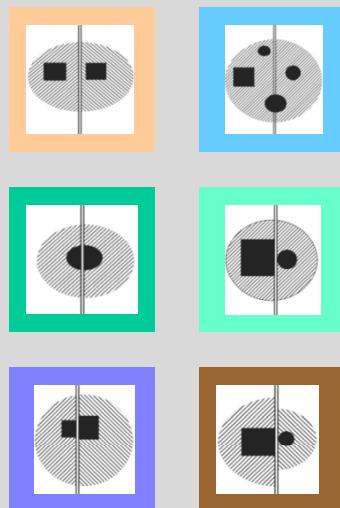
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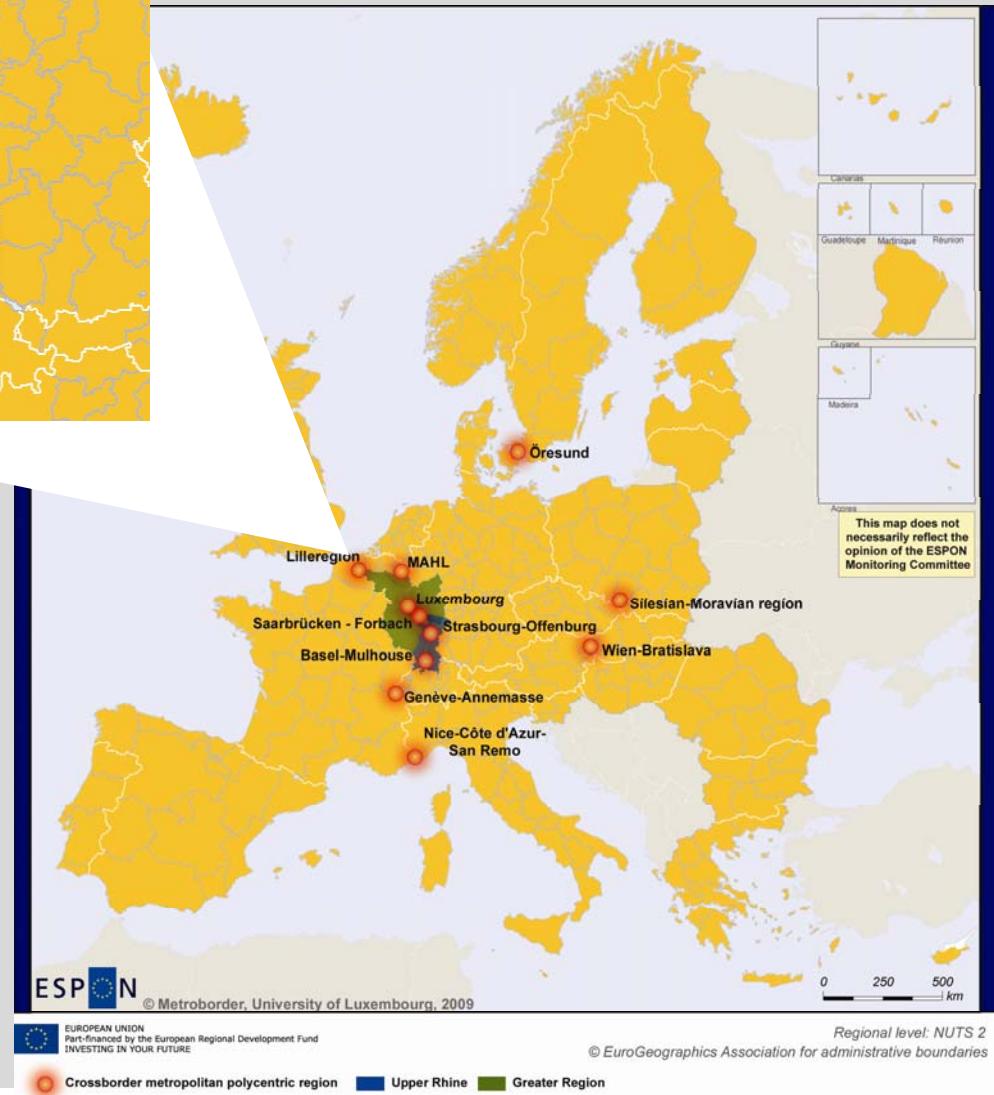
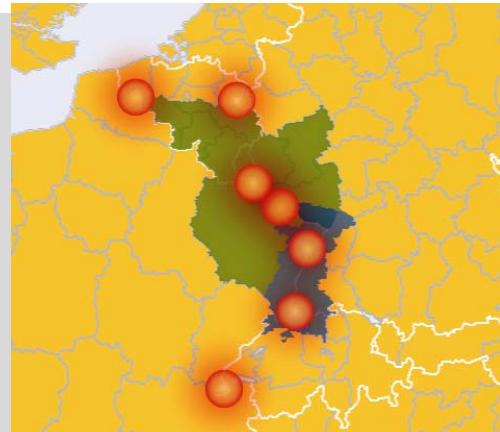
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regions



II. The project Metroborder

'Cross-border polycentric metropolitan Regions':

- How can we define them?
- Where are they?
- How do they work?
- How can we make (better) use of their potential? ...
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Programme level



CU Coordination Unit
MC Monitoring Committee

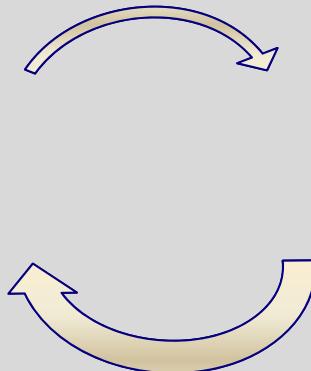


Stakeholders

ARE	Bundesamt für Raumentwicklung (Lead)
MAT	Ministère de l'Intérieur et de l'Aménagement du territoire du Grand Duché du Luxembourg
DIACT	Délégation interministérielle à l'aménagement et à la compétitivité des territoires
BMVBS	Bundesministerium für Verkehr, Bau und Stadtentwicklung der Bundesrepublik Deutschland
DGATLP	Ministère de la Région Wallonne, Direction générale de l'Aménagement du territoire, du Logement et du Patrimoine

Scientific institutions

UL	Université du Luxembourg (Lead)
CEGUM	Centre de Recherches en Géographie - Université de Metz
CEPS	Centre d'Etudes de Populations, Pauvreté et Politiques Socio-Ec.
ETHZ	Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich
IGEAT	Université Libre de Bruxelles
RegBas	Regio Basiliensis
UHA	Université de Haute Alsace
USB	Universität des Saarlandes

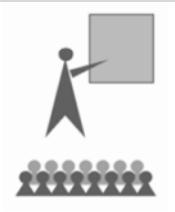


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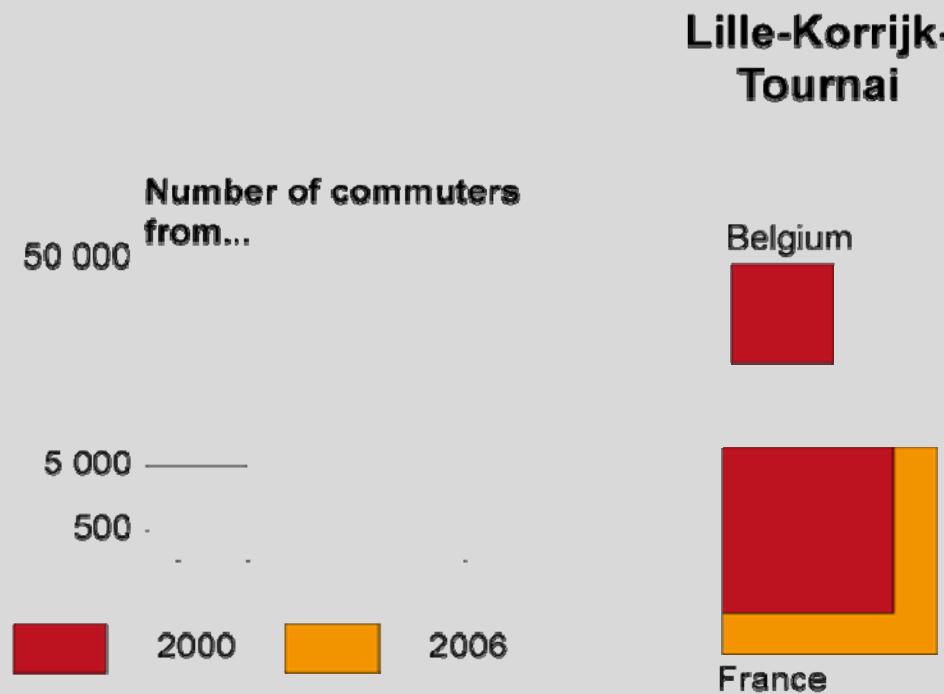
Time table

08.12.08	Decision MC (formal project start)
09.04.09	Inception Report
28.02.10	Intermediate report
31.10.10	Draft final report
31.12.10	Final report (End of the project)

II. The project Metroborder

	Work Packages
	1. Cross-border polycentric metropolitan regions on a European scale 1.1 Functional Integration – indicators: labour markets, demography, public transport, nationality, 1.2 Institutional integration - form and history of institutionalisation, perimeter,
	2. Case Studies: Greater Region & Upper Rhine 2.1 Functional integration - amongst others: in depth labour markets (metropolitan workforce) 2.2 Institutional integration: esp. Delphi Study on political strategic options
	3. “Strategy building”
	4. Dissemination

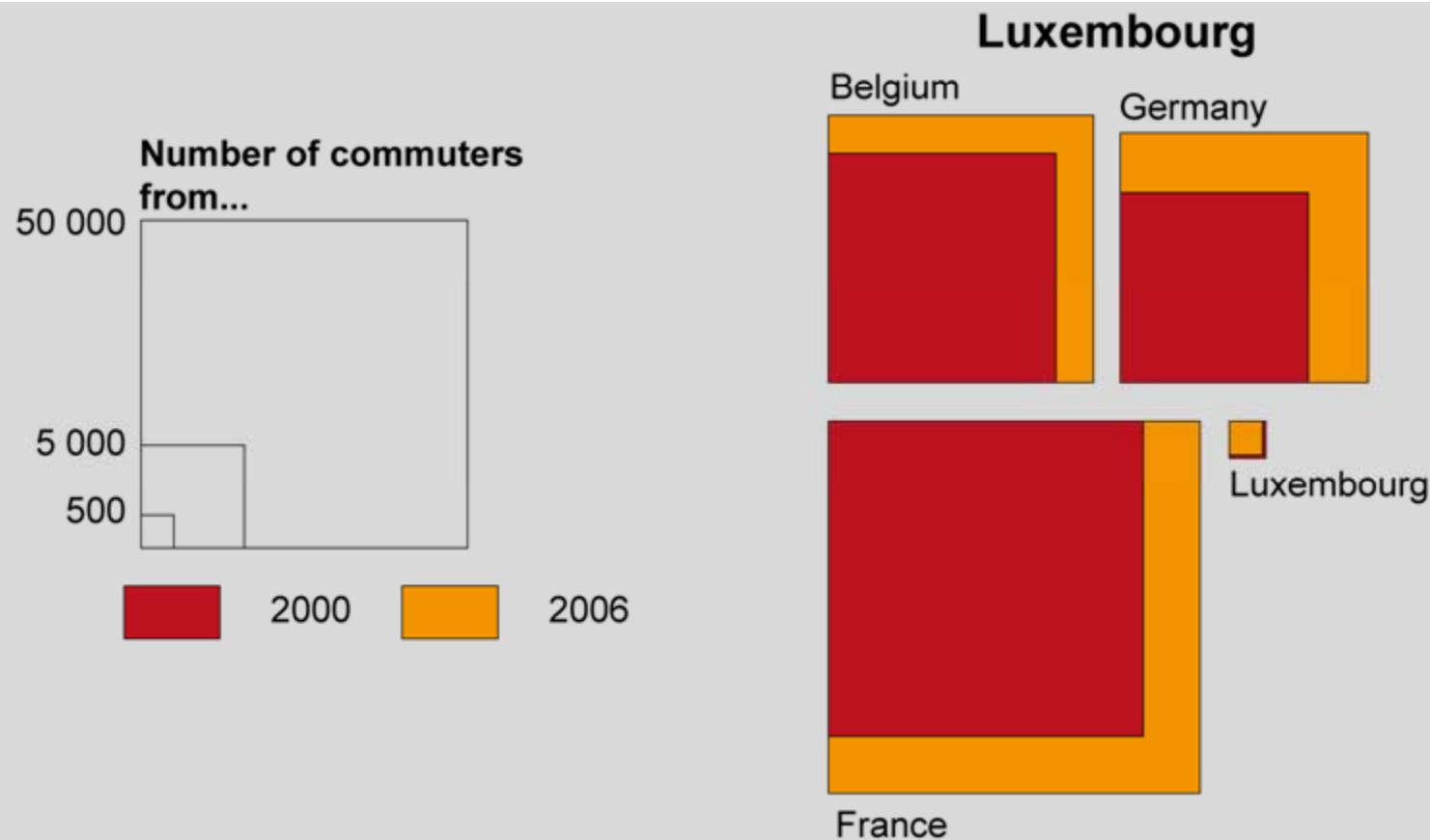
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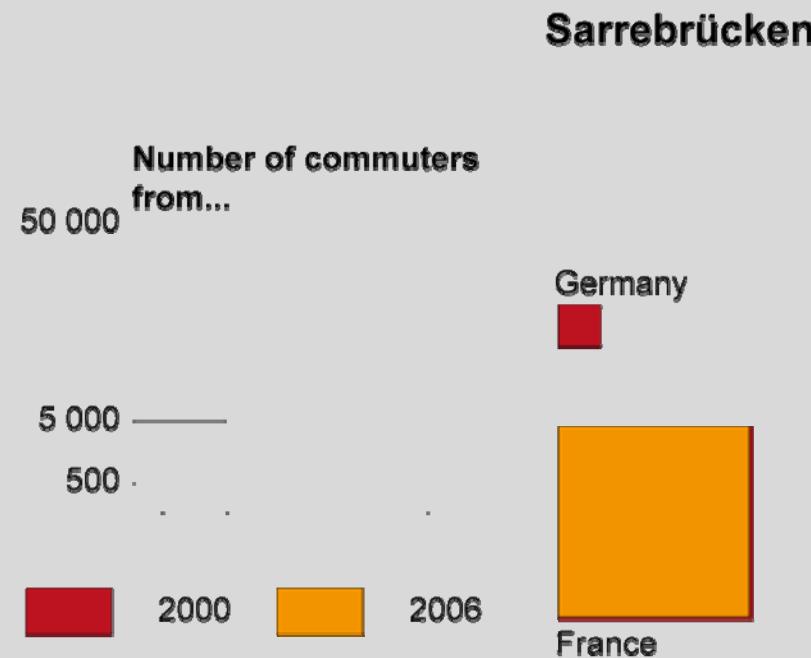
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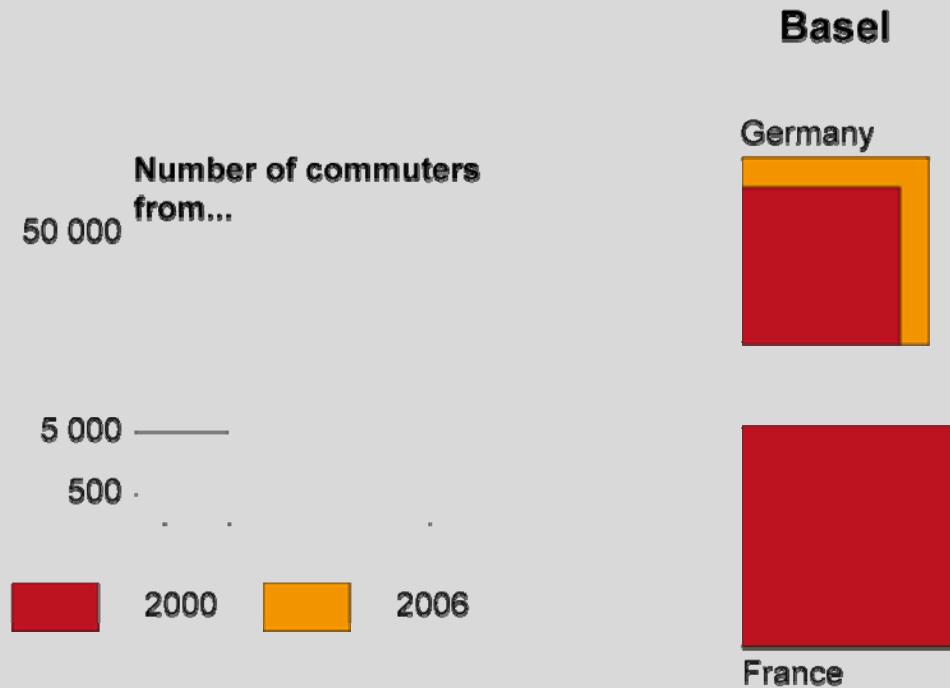
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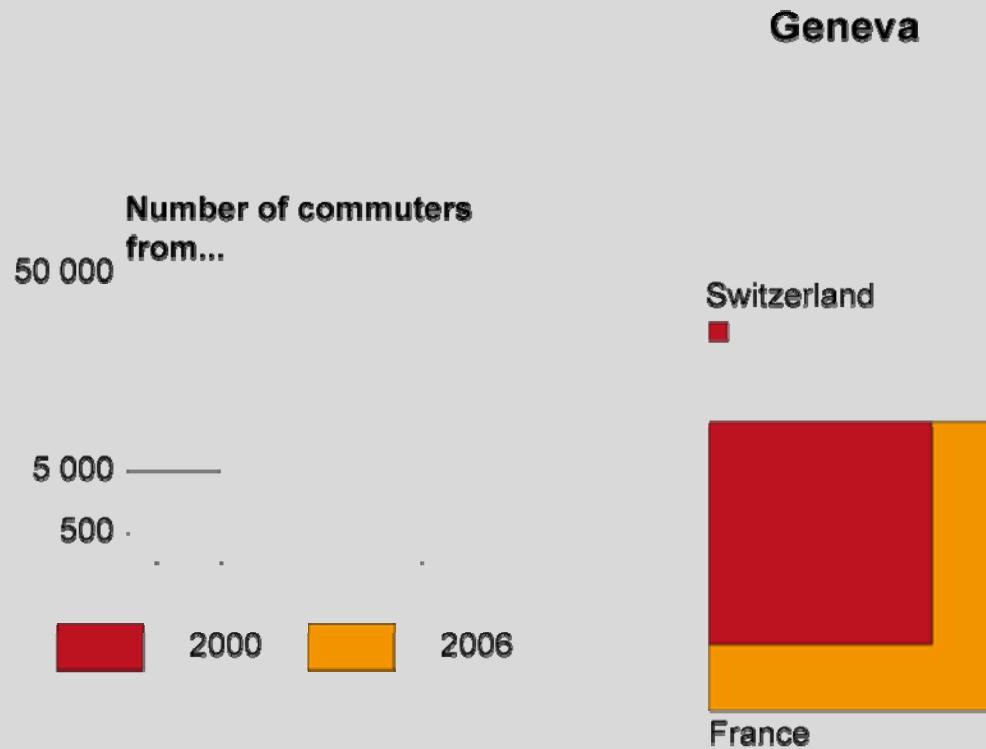
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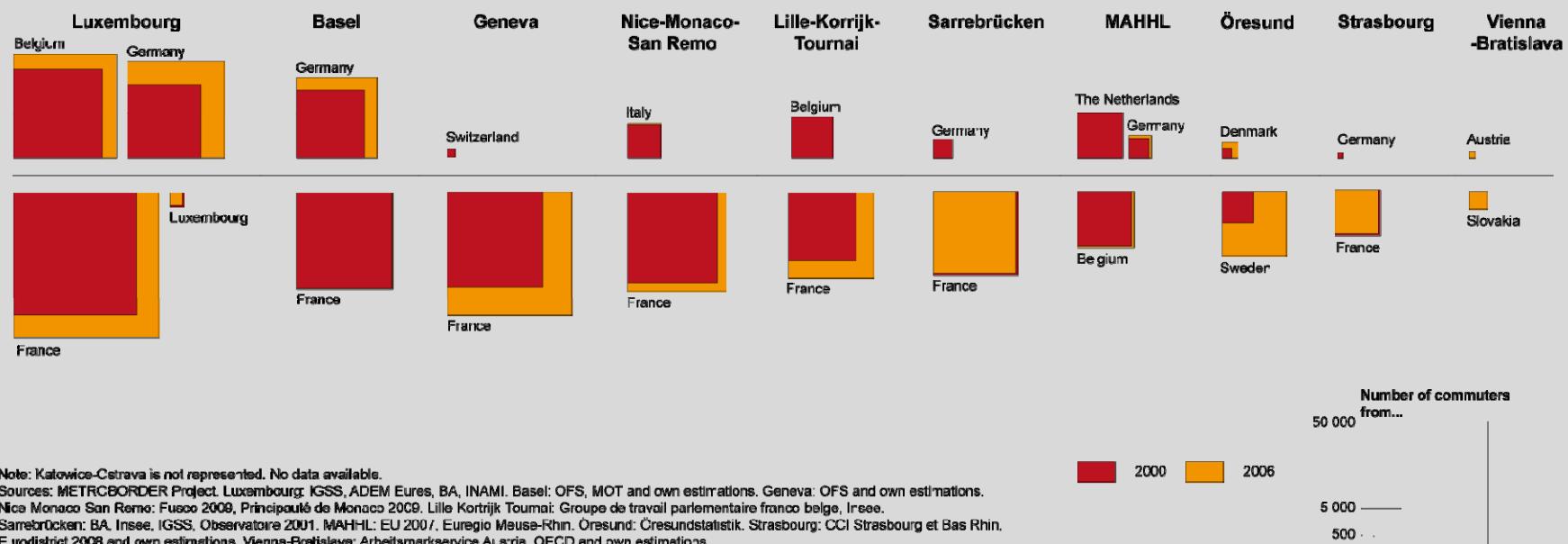


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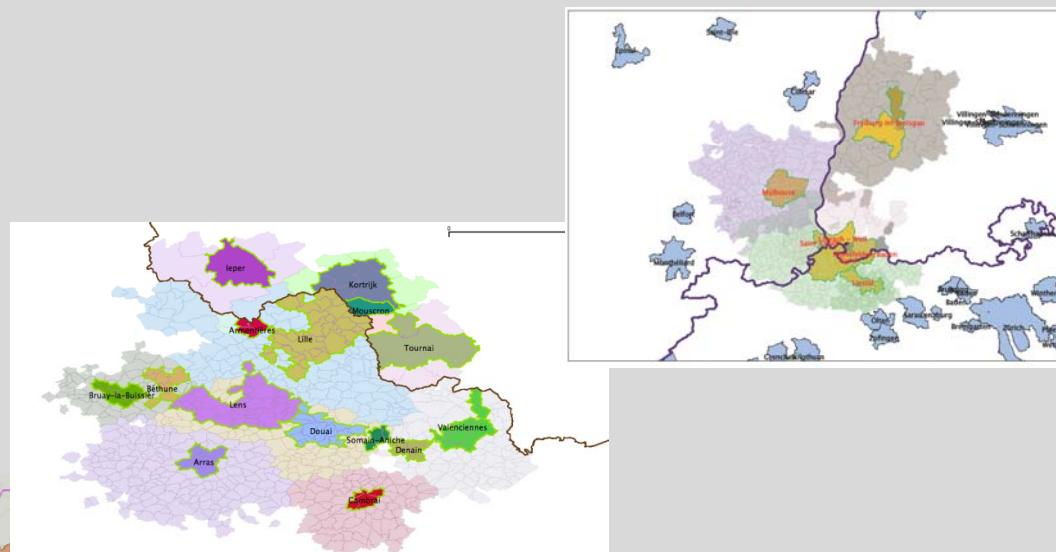
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Cross-border commuters in metropolitan areas, 2000 and 2006



IV CBMR delimitation by labour market

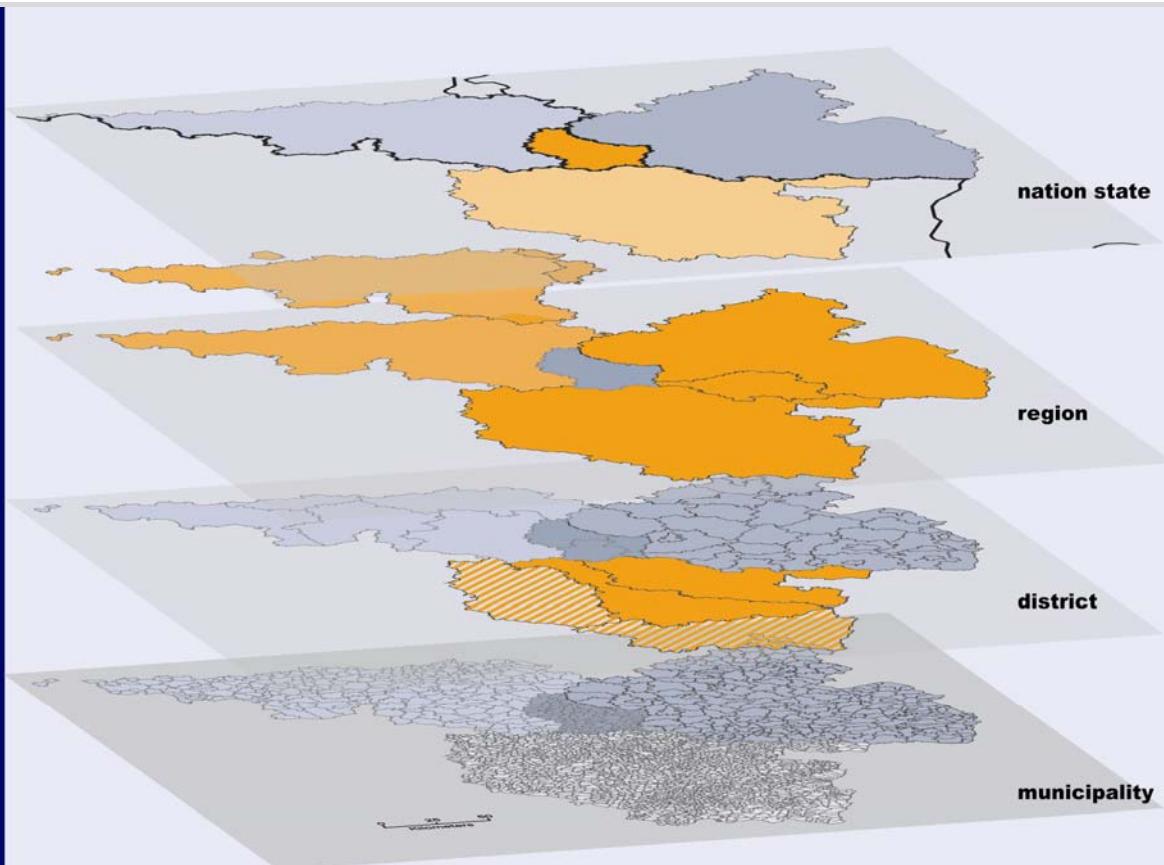
- Identification of 1st tier Morphological Urban Areas (MUAs, > 650 inh/km²) with cross-border dimension
- Identification of Functional Urban Areas (threshold of 10% of active population commuting to a MUA)
- Contiguous FUAs?



under construction

V Governance

Case study Greater Region: Institutions involved in the Summit of the Greater Region



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Delphi Study Metroborder

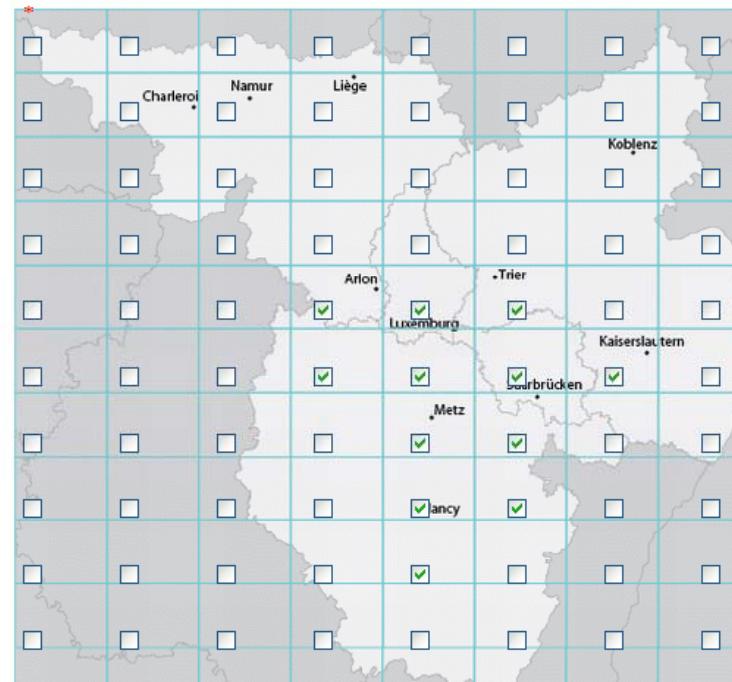
- in Greater Region and Upper Rhine
- ca. 280 experts on governance addressed (each case study region)
- 1st round conducted Jan 2010, 2nd in spring



DELPHI Befragung METRO BORDER (Teil 1/10)

Willkommen zur Delphi Befragung des ESPON-Projektes Metroborder! In 10 Schritten werden wir Ihnen Fragen zur grenzüberschreitenden Kooperation stellen, die wir anonymisiert auswerten werden. Vielen Dank für Ihre Bereitschaft zur Mitwirkung!

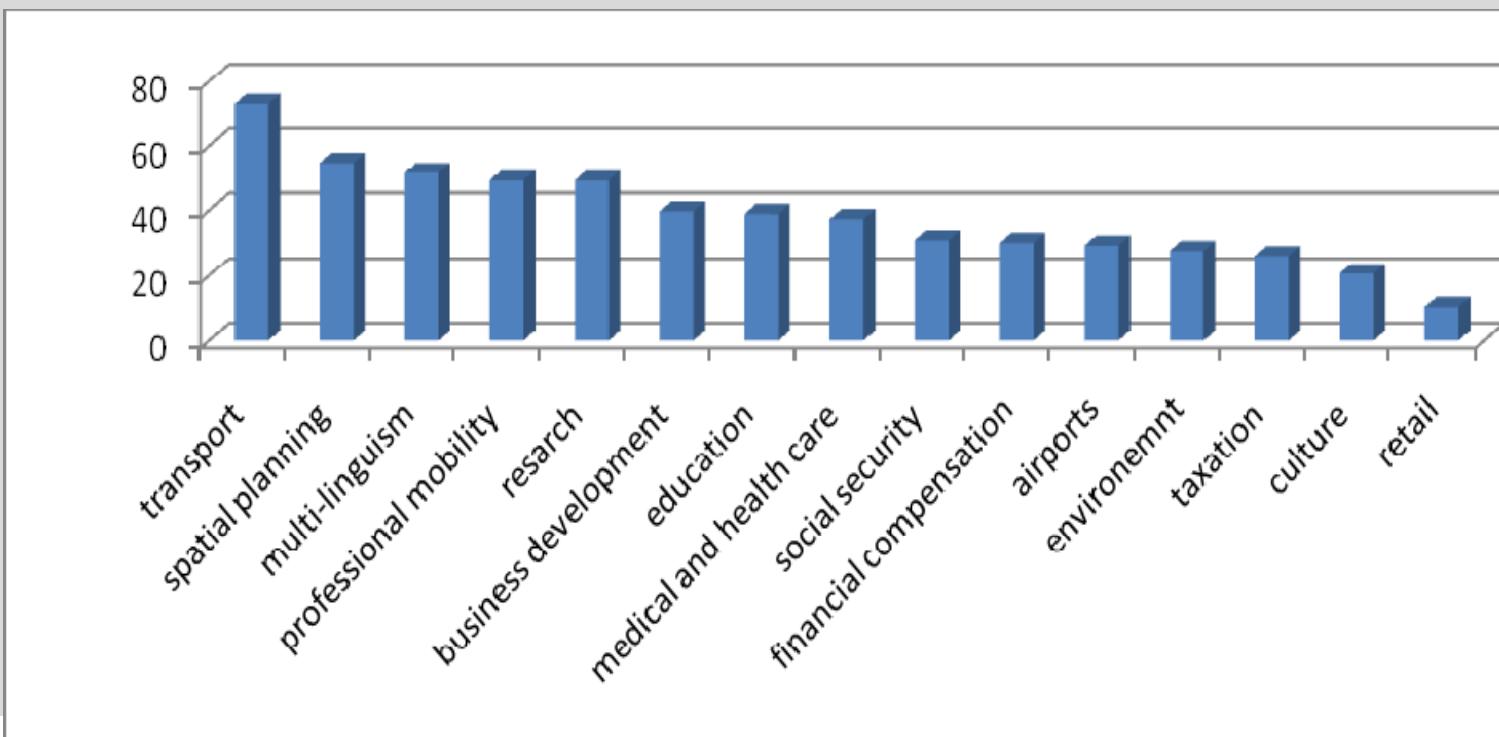
Ein Hauptgrund für die grenzüberschreitende Kooperation ist die enger gewordene Verflechtung zwischen den Teilläufen (Wirtschaftsverlechtungen, Grenzpendler usw.). Bitte lokalisieren Sie vor diesem Hintergrund auf der folgenden Karte den Raumabschnitt, der – Ihrer Meinung nach – der besonderen Aufmerksamkeit der grenzüberschreitenden Kooperation bedarf.



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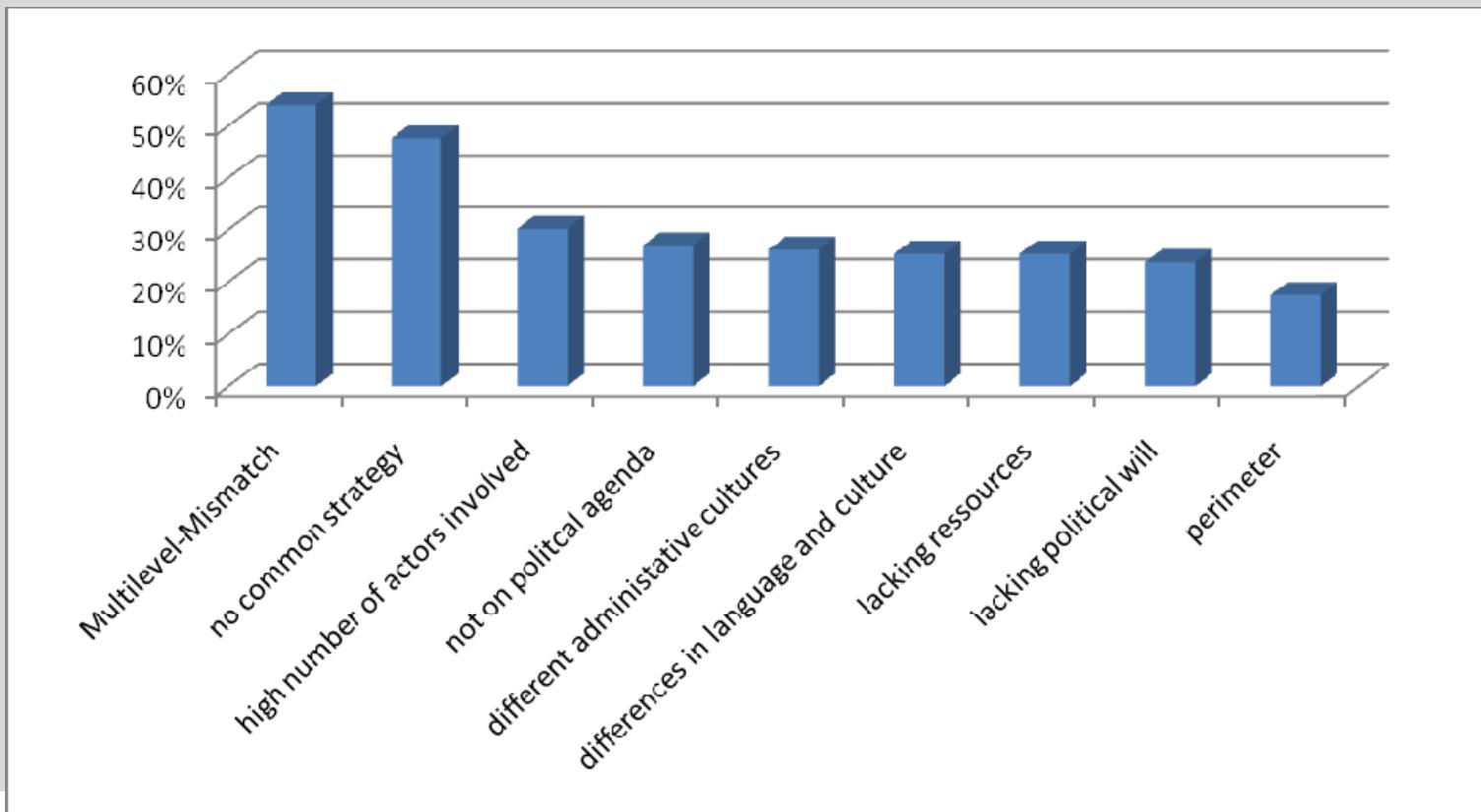
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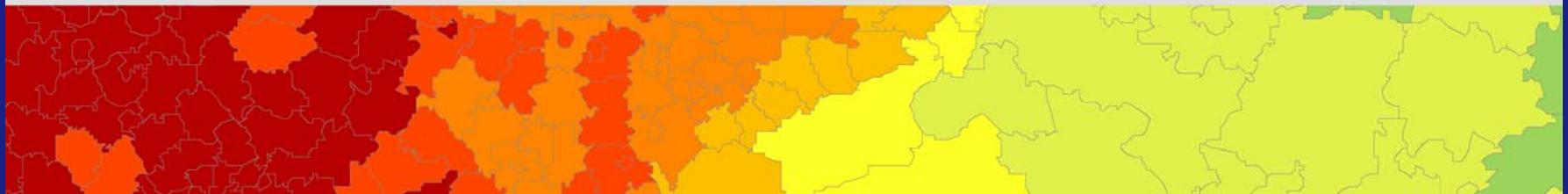


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“very important barriers” to cross-border cooperation
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