

# Les enjeux matière et énergie dans un monde en transition

- Evolutions démographique, technologique, économique
- Hausse des prix uniquement conjoncturelle ? ou signal long-terme indiquant une difficulté systémique d'approvisionnement ?

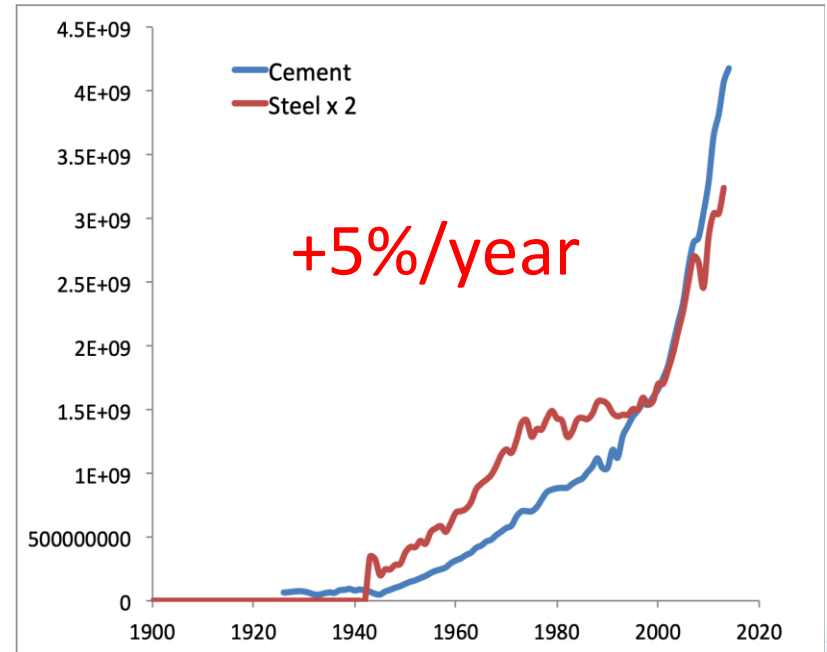
# Matières "structurelles" – ciment, acier & alliages, Al, Cu > 1Mt/an

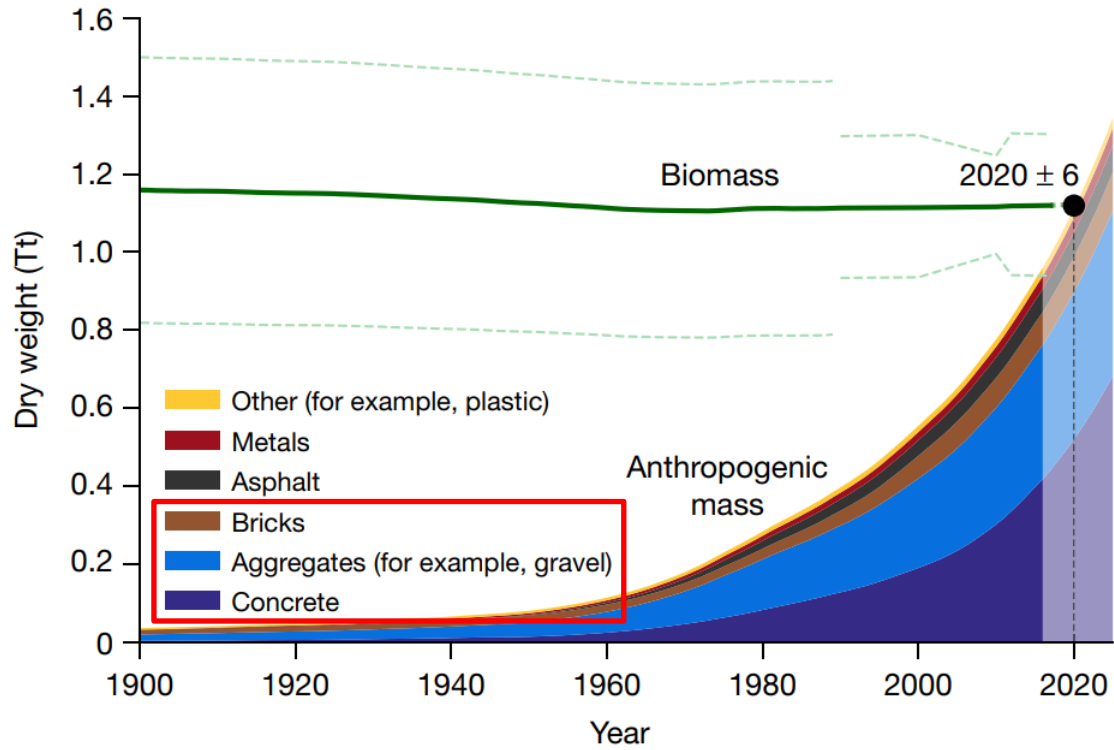
## Consommation acier

Steel Consumption by Nation  
(million of tonnes)



	<b>China</b> - 623.9		<b>Turkey</b> - 26.9		<b>South Africa</b> - 5.3
	<b>USA</b> - 89.1		<b>Italy</b> - 26.7		<b>Argentina</b> - 5.3
	<b>India</b> - 67.8		<b>Brazil</b> - 25		<b>Belgium</b> - 4.6
	<b>Japan</b> - 64.1		<b>Iran</b> - 19.2		<b>Sweden</b> - 3.9
	<b>South Korea</b> - 56.4		<b>Mexico</b> - 18		<b>Austria</b> - 3.9
	<b>Russia</b> - 40.5		<b>Canada</b> - 14.2		<b>Netherlands</b> - 3.7
	<b>Germany</b> - 39.4		<b>France</b> - 13.6		<b>Romania</b> - 3.3
			<b>Spain</b> - 13.1		<b>Venezuela</b> - 2.6
			<b>Poland</b> - 11		
			<b>UK</b> - 9.1		
			<b>Egypt</b> - 7.3		
			<b>Australia/NZ</b> - 7		
			<b>Ukraine</b> - 6.5		

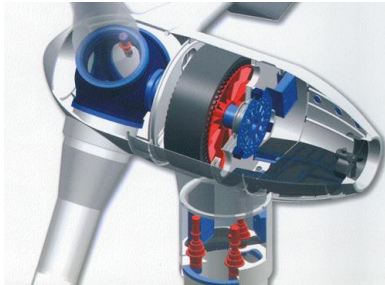




Source: Elhacham et al. 2020



# Métaux "technologiques" (< 0.5 Mt/an)



Ga, In, Se  
Si, Ag

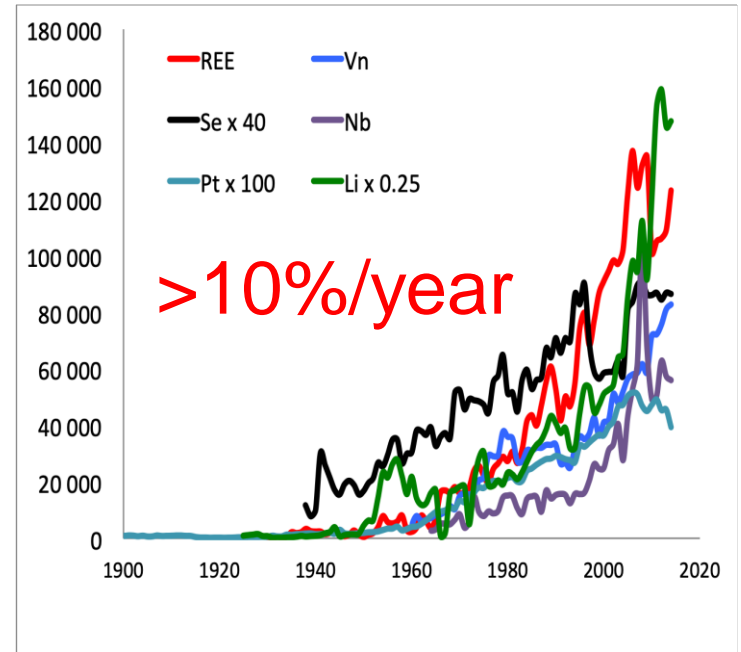
Nd, Dy, Pr, Tb



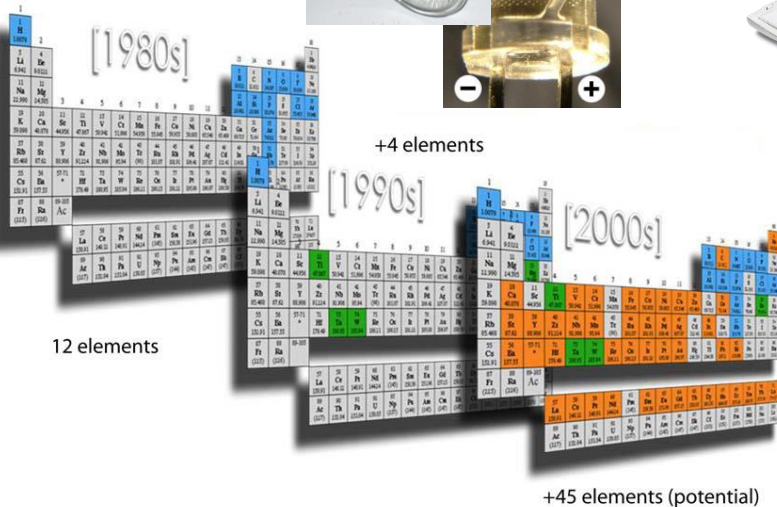
Li, Co, Graph



Co, Ga,  
In, Nb,  
Ta, W,  
PGE, REE,  
Bi, Li, Ag, Au

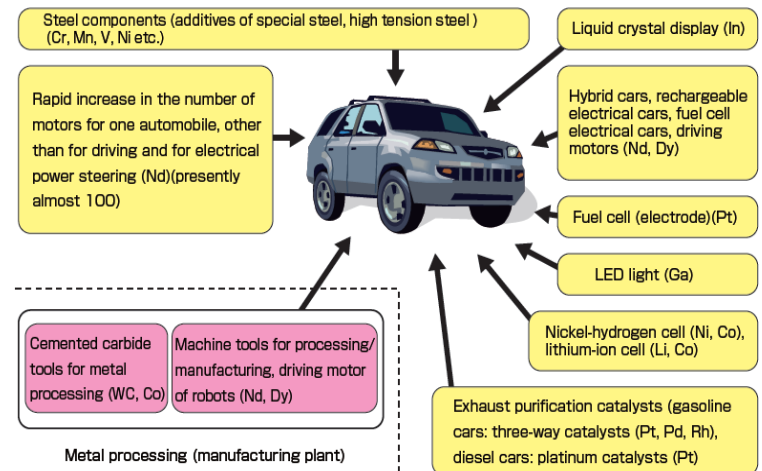


+4 elements



12 elements

+45 elements (potential)







## Métaux : les besoins colossaux de la transition énergétique

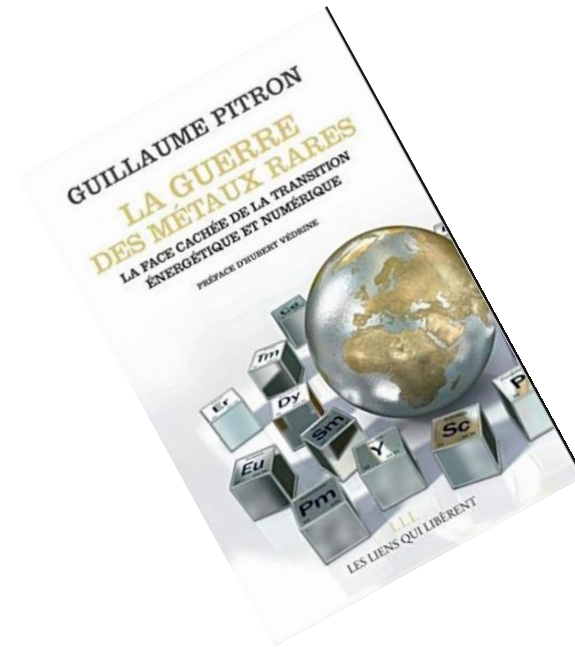
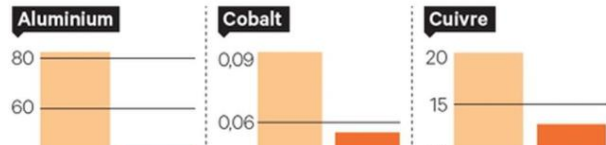
Les technologies requises pour limiter le réchauffement du climat feront grimper la demande de ressources naturelles. C'est, selon la Banque mondiale, un risque majeur pour l'environnement.

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### Aperçu de la demande de métaux engendrée par la transition énergétique à l'horizon 2050

En millions de tonnes selon les scénarios.

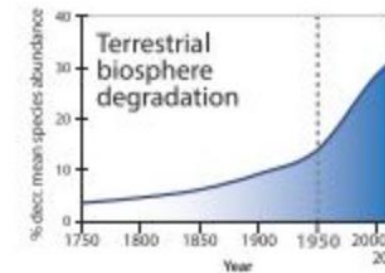
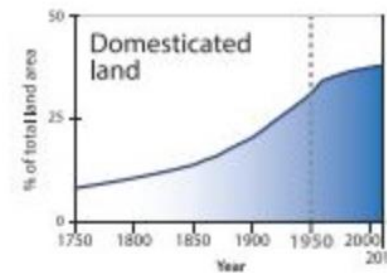
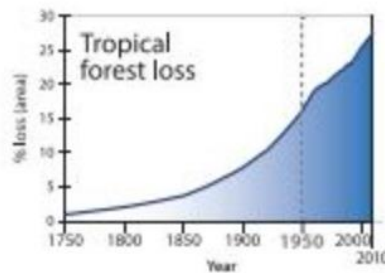
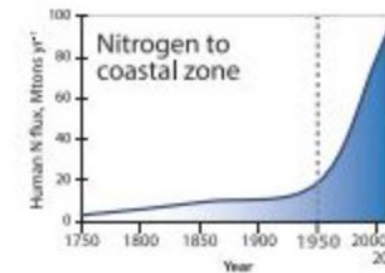
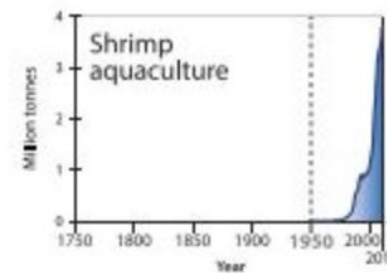
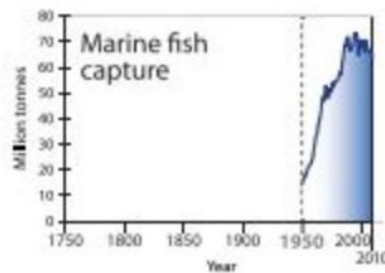
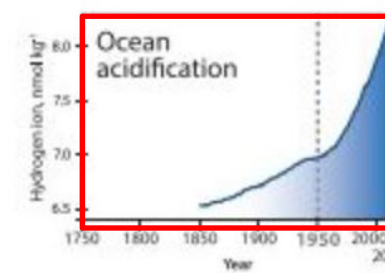
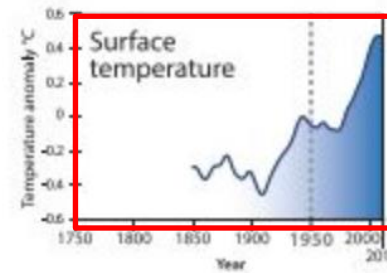
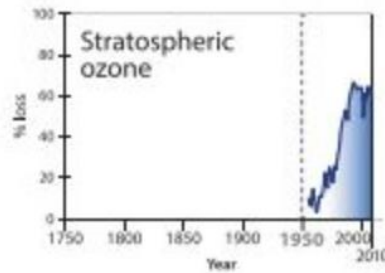
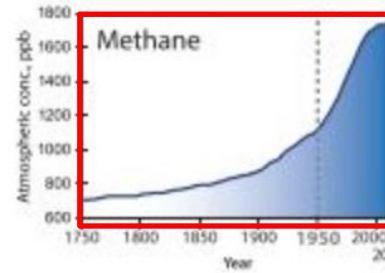
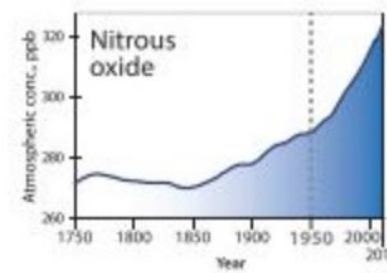
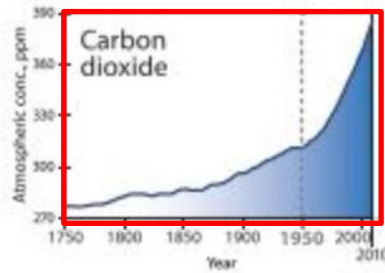
Réchauffement de 2° de 4°



# Le boom des batteries va entraîner une ruée sur les métaux critiques

Dans un monde 100 % véhicule électrique, la demande de lithium serait multipliée par trente, celle de cobalt par vingt. Pour y répondre, les mines manquent.

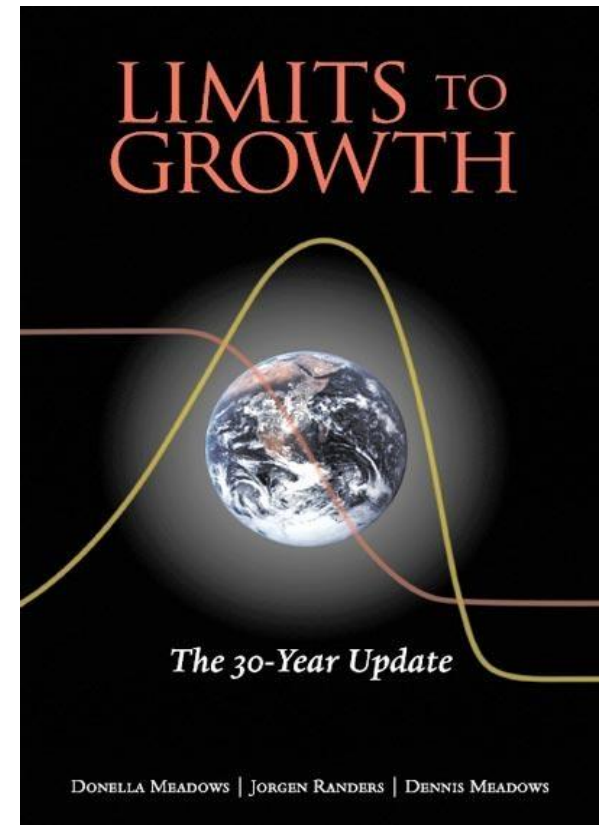
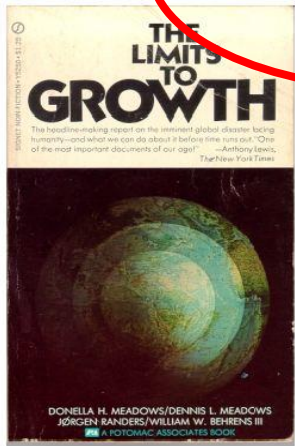
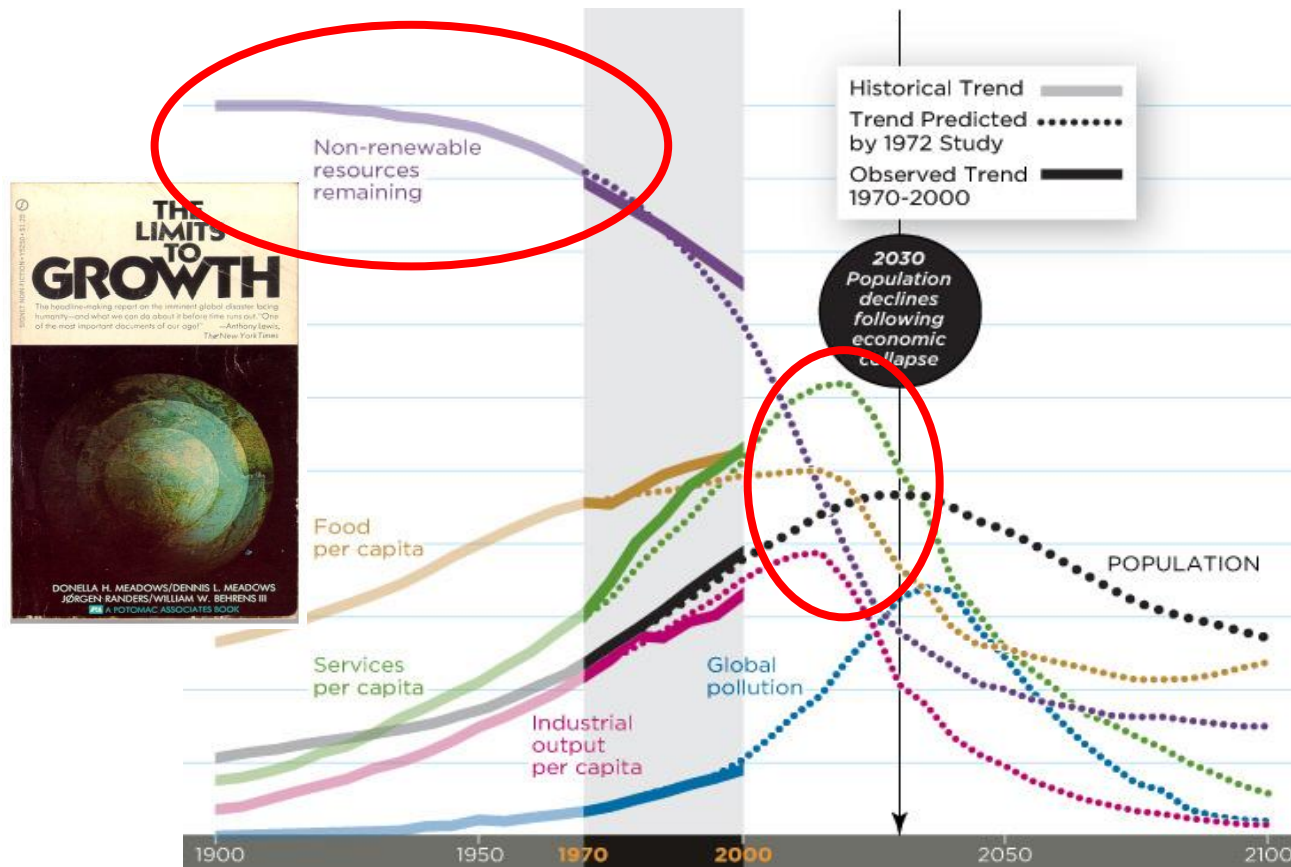
# Des impacts environnementaux inquiétants



## Production de matières premières

- 35% de la consommation industrielle mondiale d'énergie
- 50% des émissions de CO<sub>2</sub> de l'industrie

# Climat anxiogène qui nous renvoie aux prévisions catastrophiques du club de Rome (1972)



# Evolution future ?

## Estimation

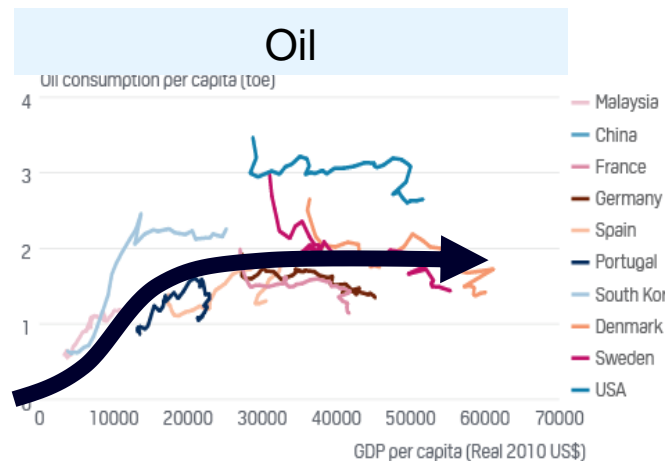
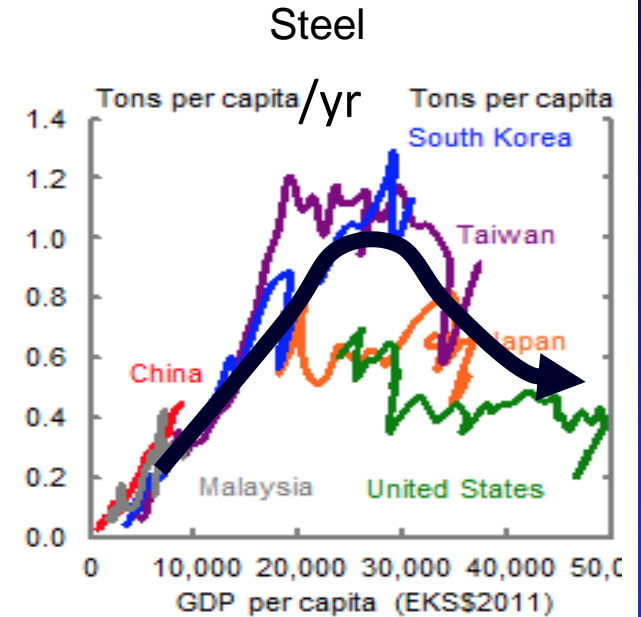
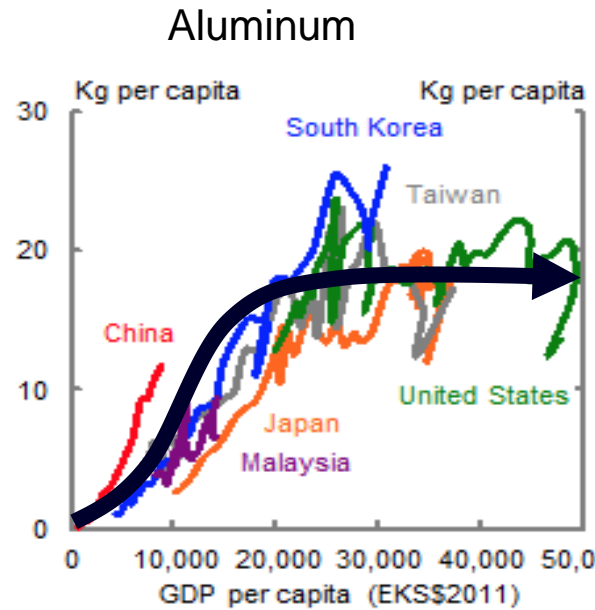
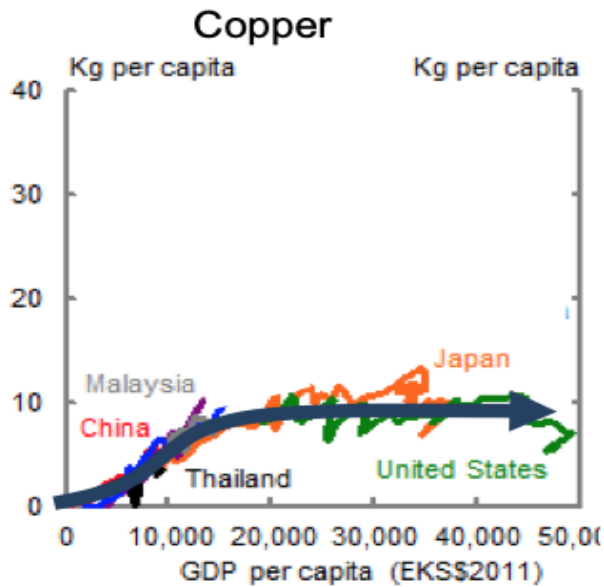
- de la *demande* en ressources et énergie,
- des capacités de *production* primaire (+ recyclage pour métaux),
- de la substitution pour chaque ressource dans chaque technologie, par pays

...dans un *système dynamique*: monde en évolution et en « transition », mondialisé, avec de forts contrastes entre les pays



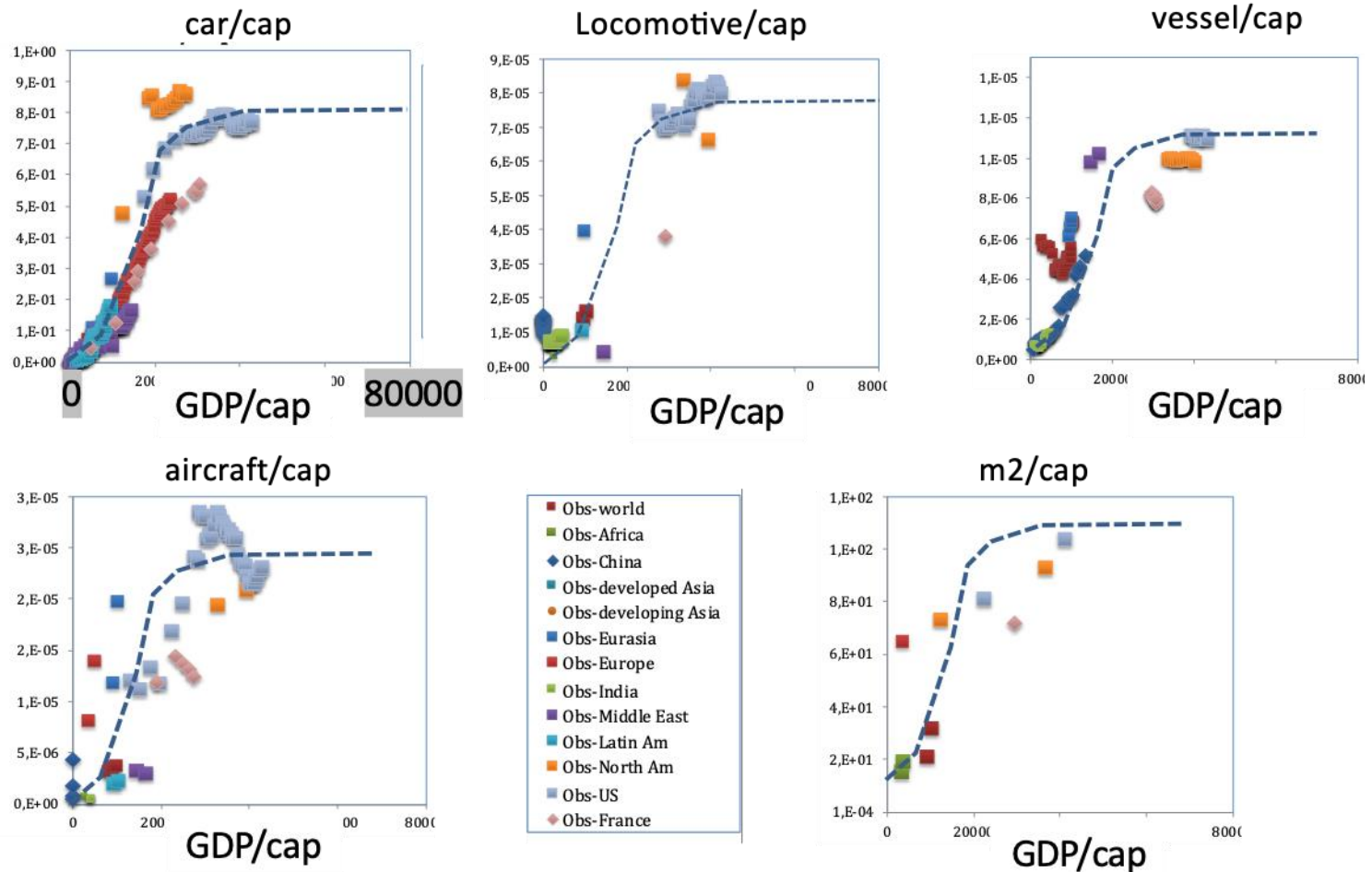
# La demande

# Le premier moteur de la consommation est l'augmentation de la population et du PIB



Source: BP Statistical Review of World Energy (June 2016), Oxford Economics, Platts

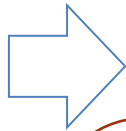
# L'évolution *tendancielle* de l'infrastructure/hab est proportionnelle au PIB/hab



L'évolution est la même pour tous les pays

# Evolution *tendancielle* de l'infrastructure - FRANCE

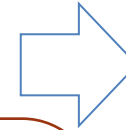
Population & PIB



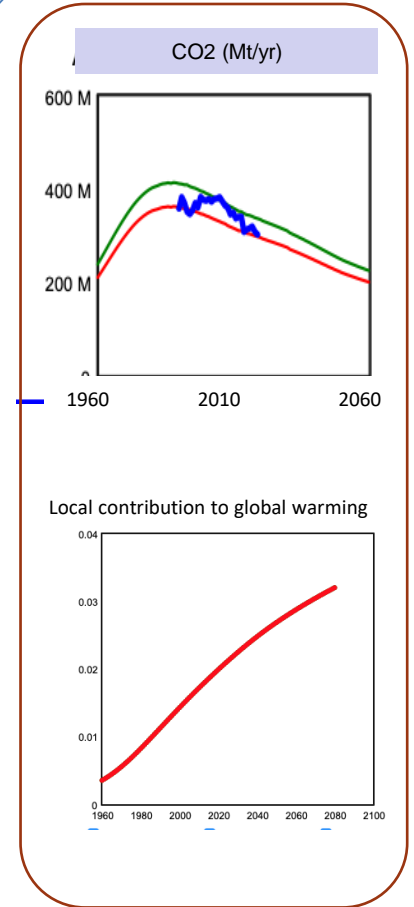
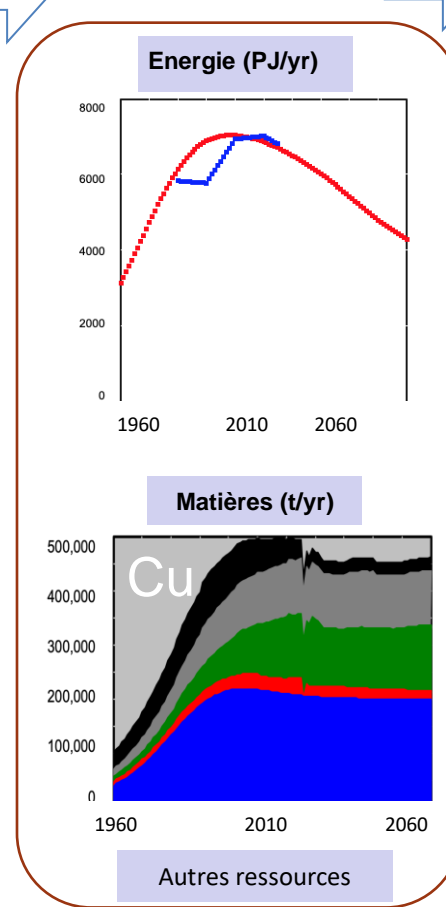
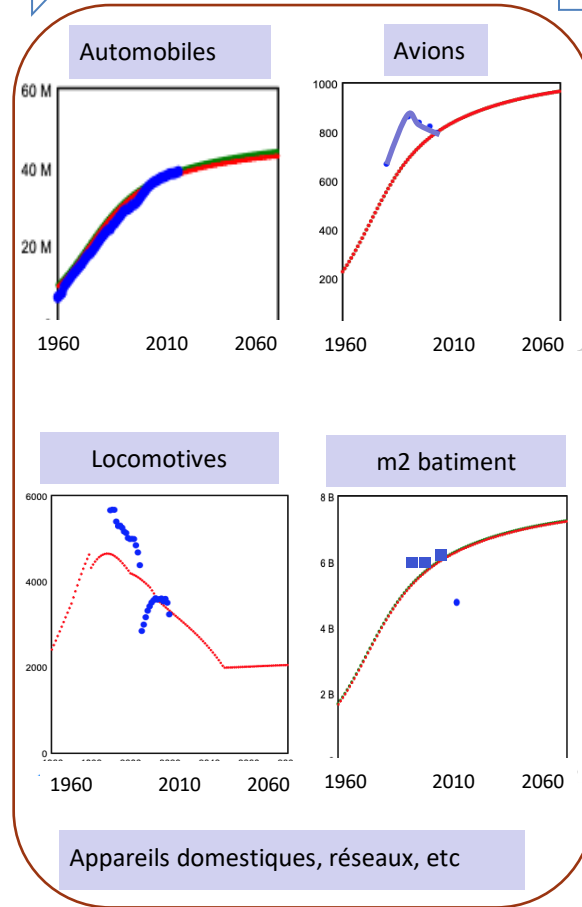
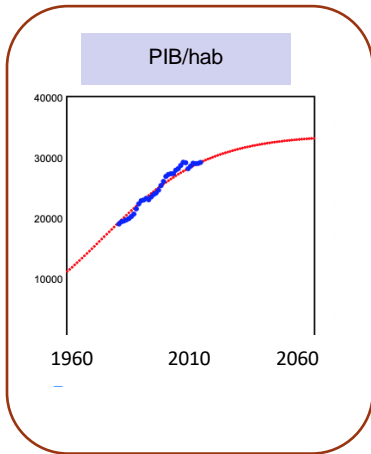
Infrastructure



Ressources



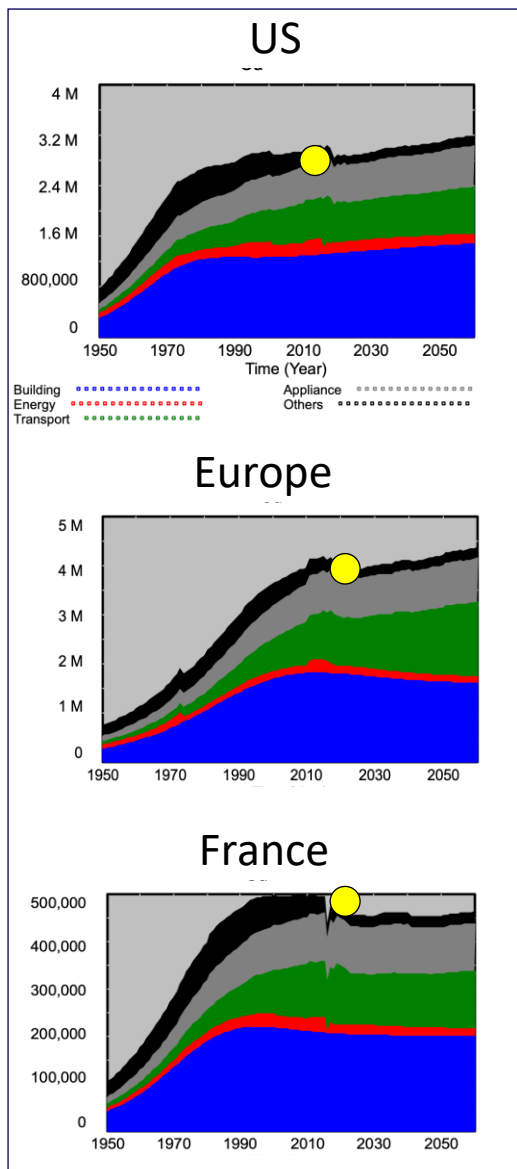
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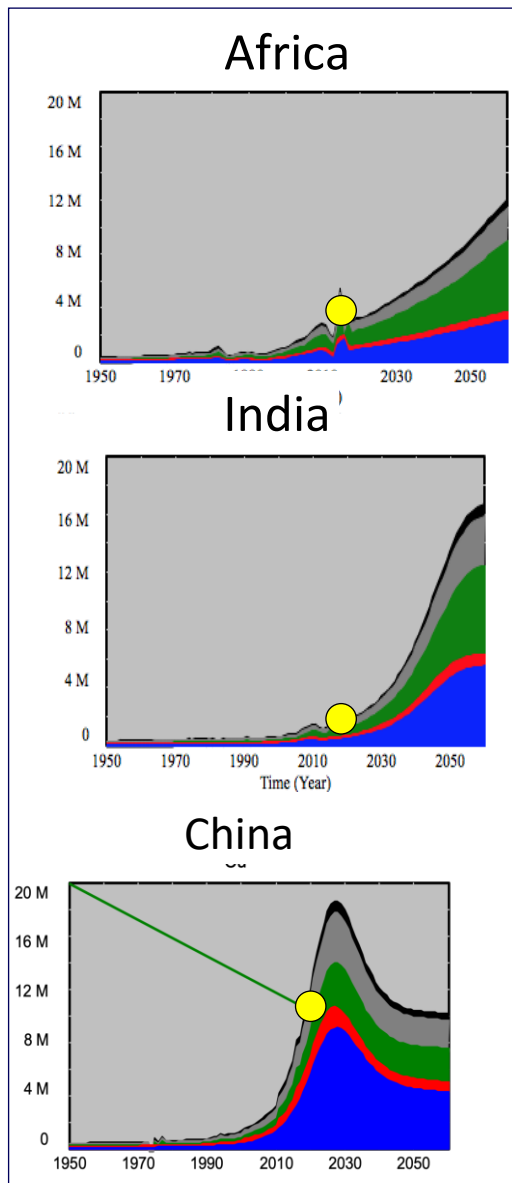


# l'évolution *tendancielle* mondiale de consommation en cuivre

## Developed countries



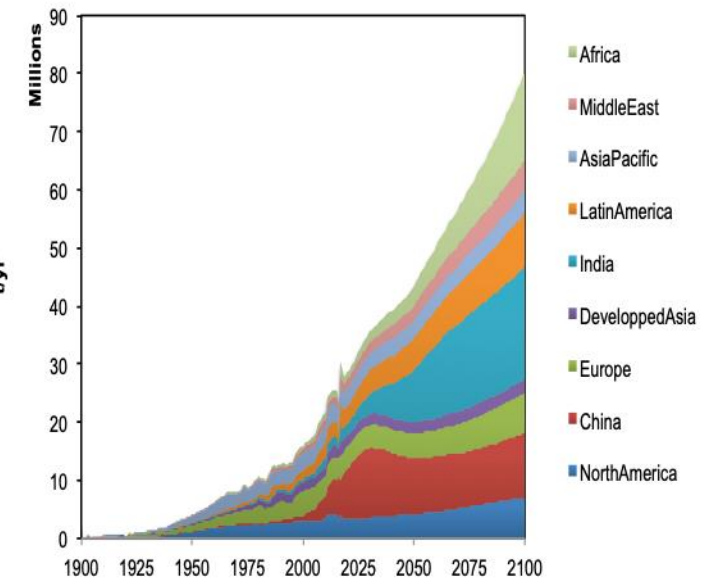
## Developing economies



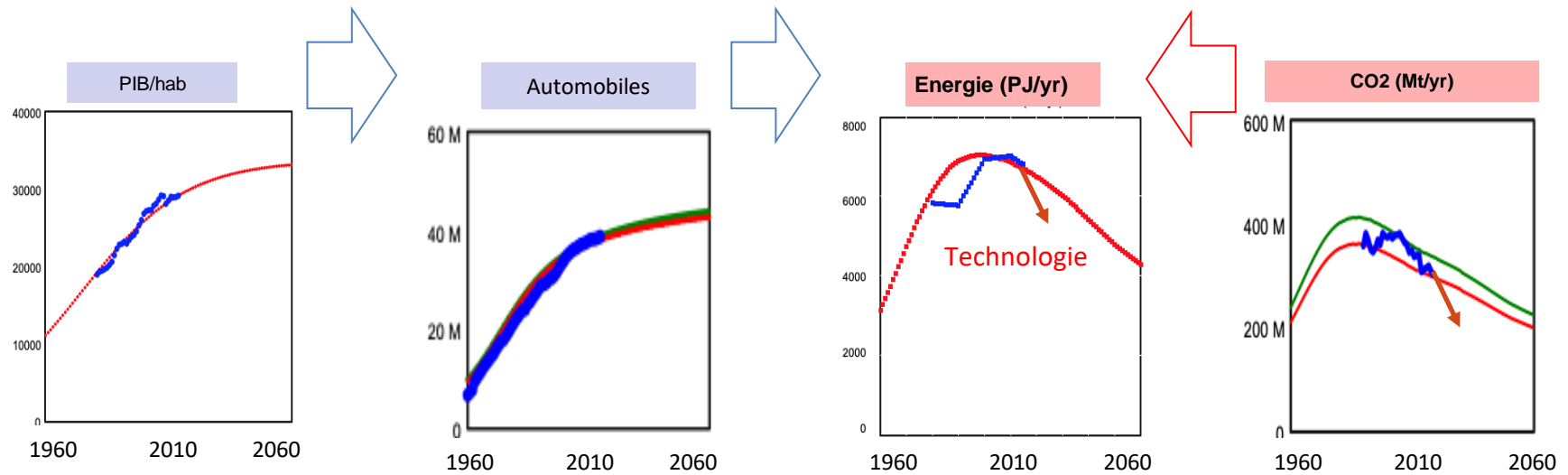
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## World copper

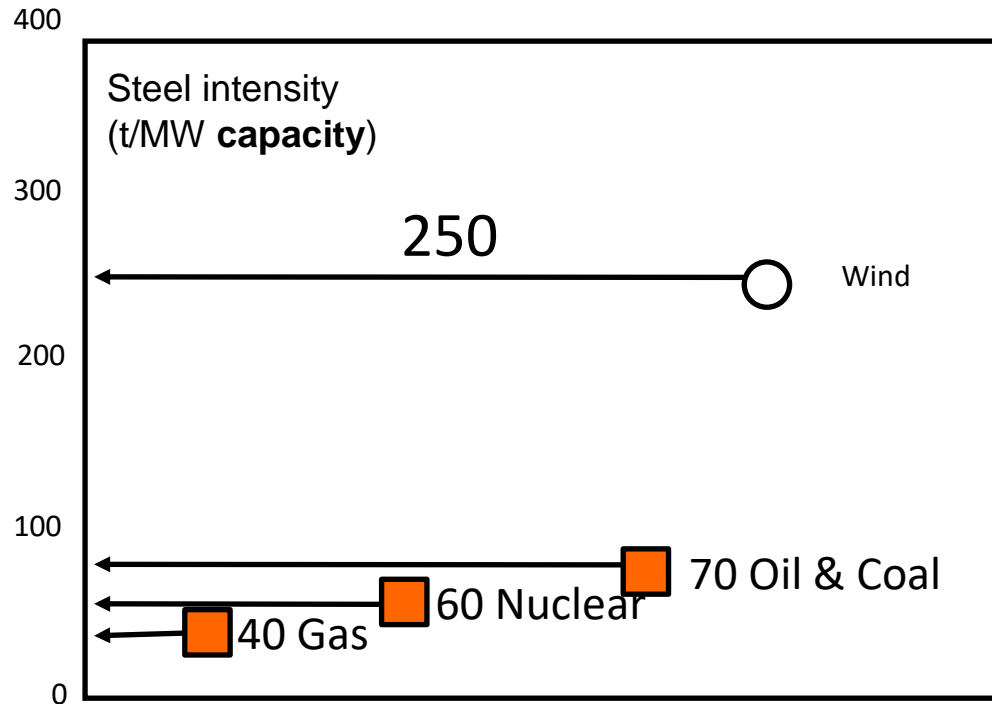


# Pour s'écarter des évolutions tendanciennes : technologies de rupture

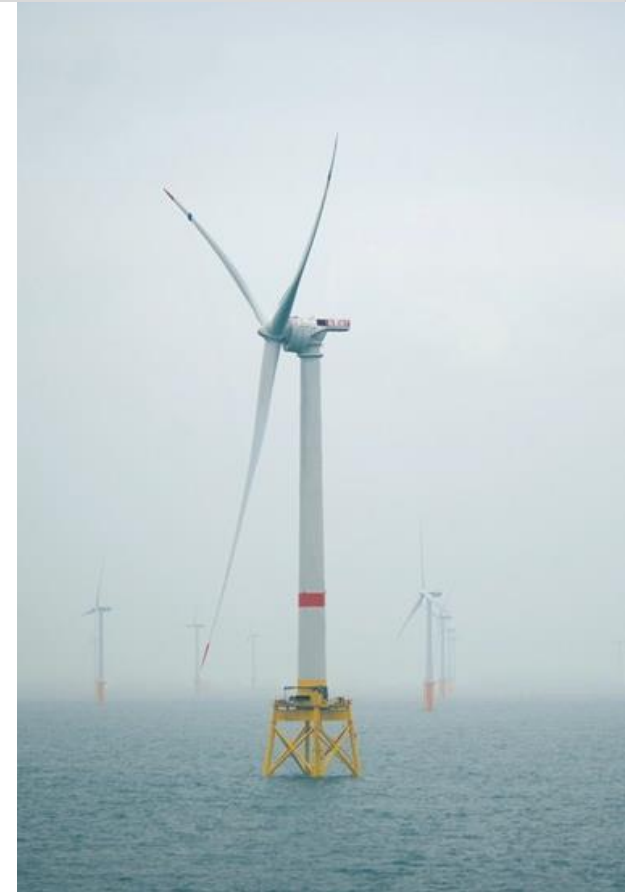


Nouveaux besoins en ressources, impacts et prix

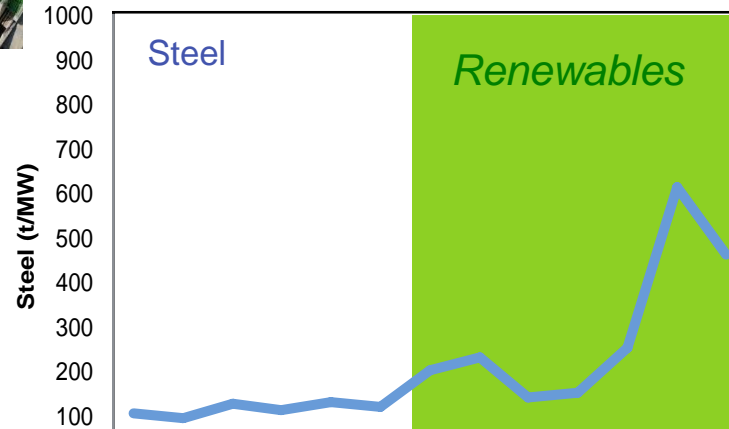
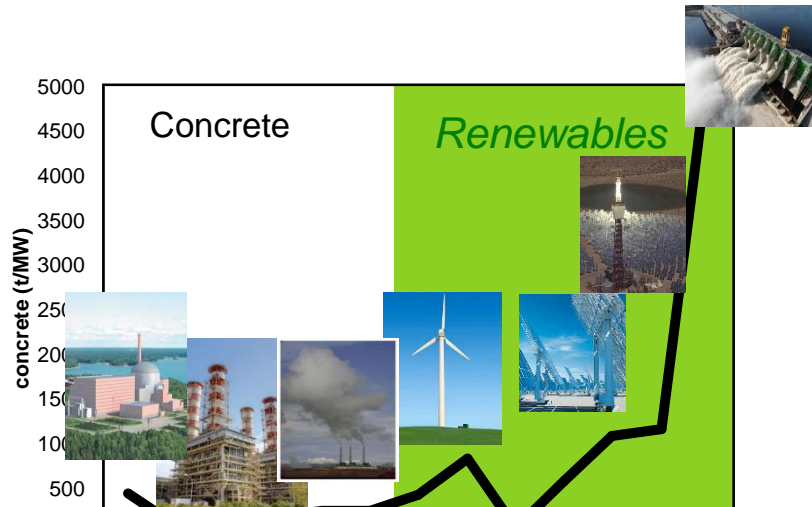
# Les énergies renouvelables sont diluées => de grandes infrastructures sont nécessaires



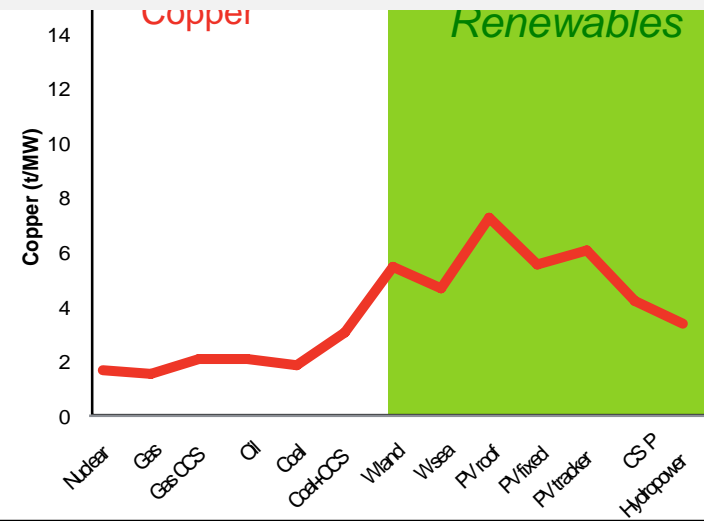
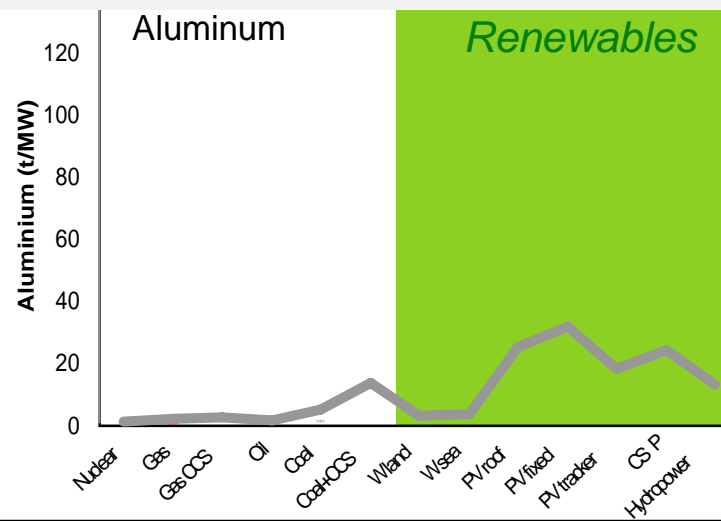
6 Mw, > 150 m, 1500 t steel  
3t permanent magnet, 0.5t REE



# Material intensity of power plans (t/Mw)



Material intensity of renewables (t/MWh) = 5 to 10 x classical power plans

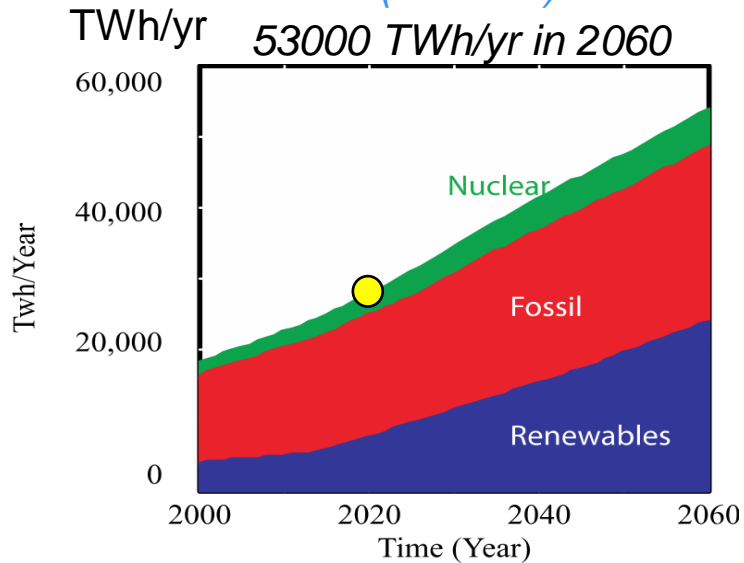




# Exemple: la production d'électricité - monde

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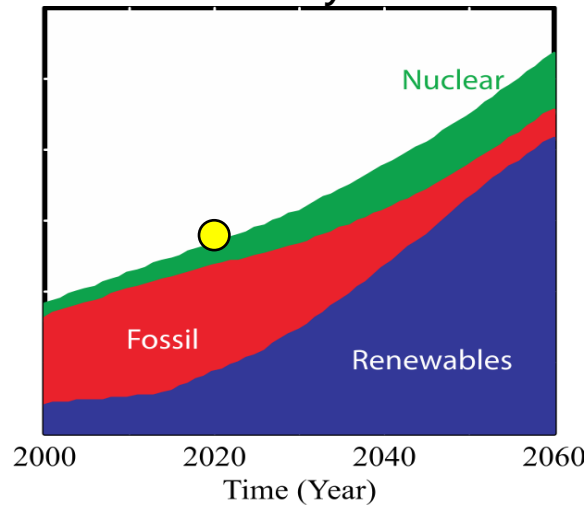
53000 TWh/yr in 2060



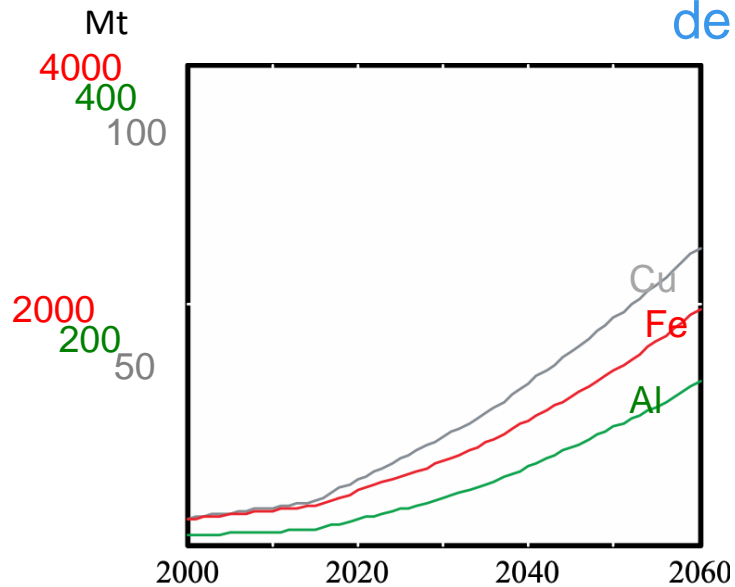
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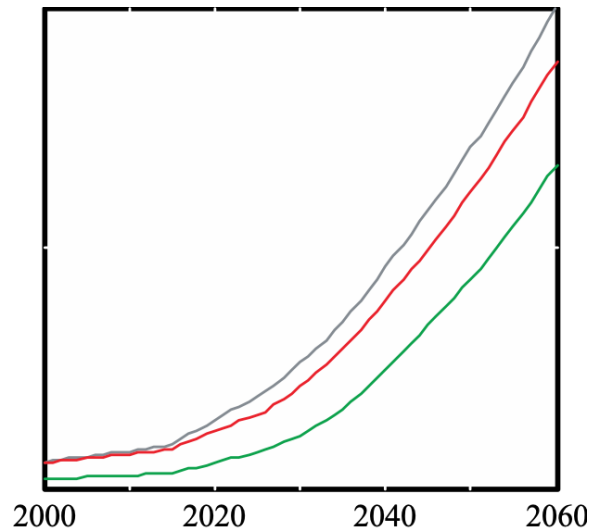
↑  
PIB &  
population  
↓



demande cumulée

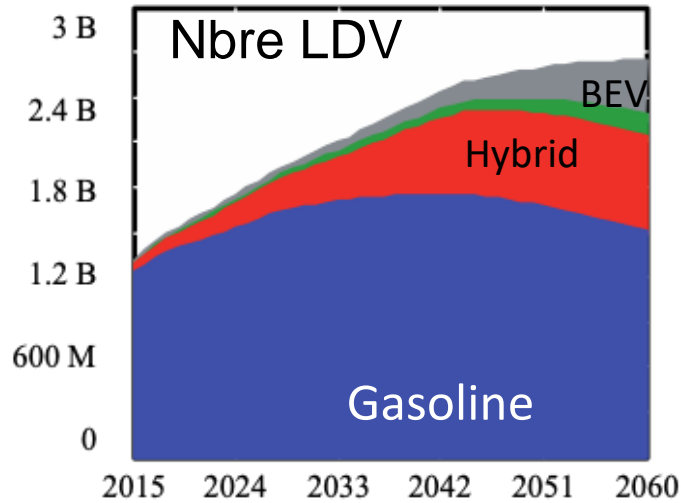


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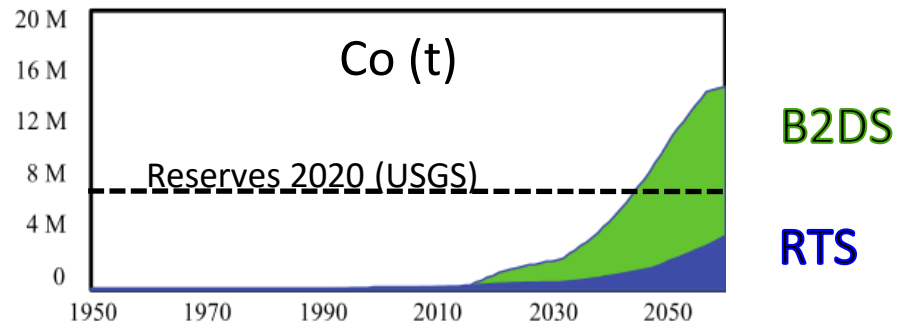
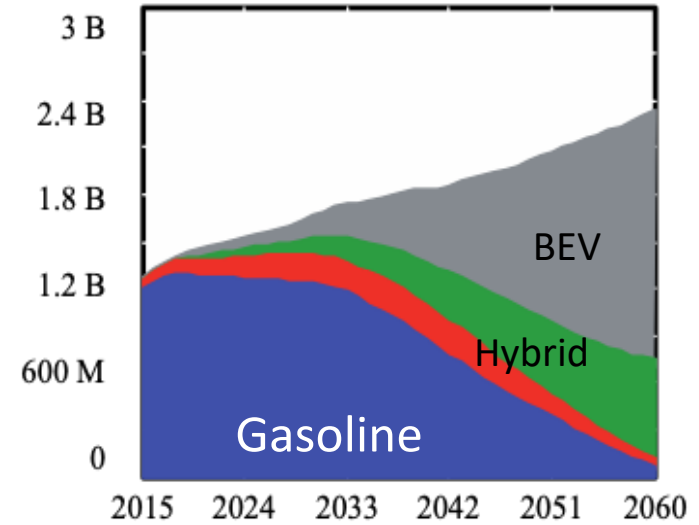


# Transport routier – cobalt ds batteries Li-ion

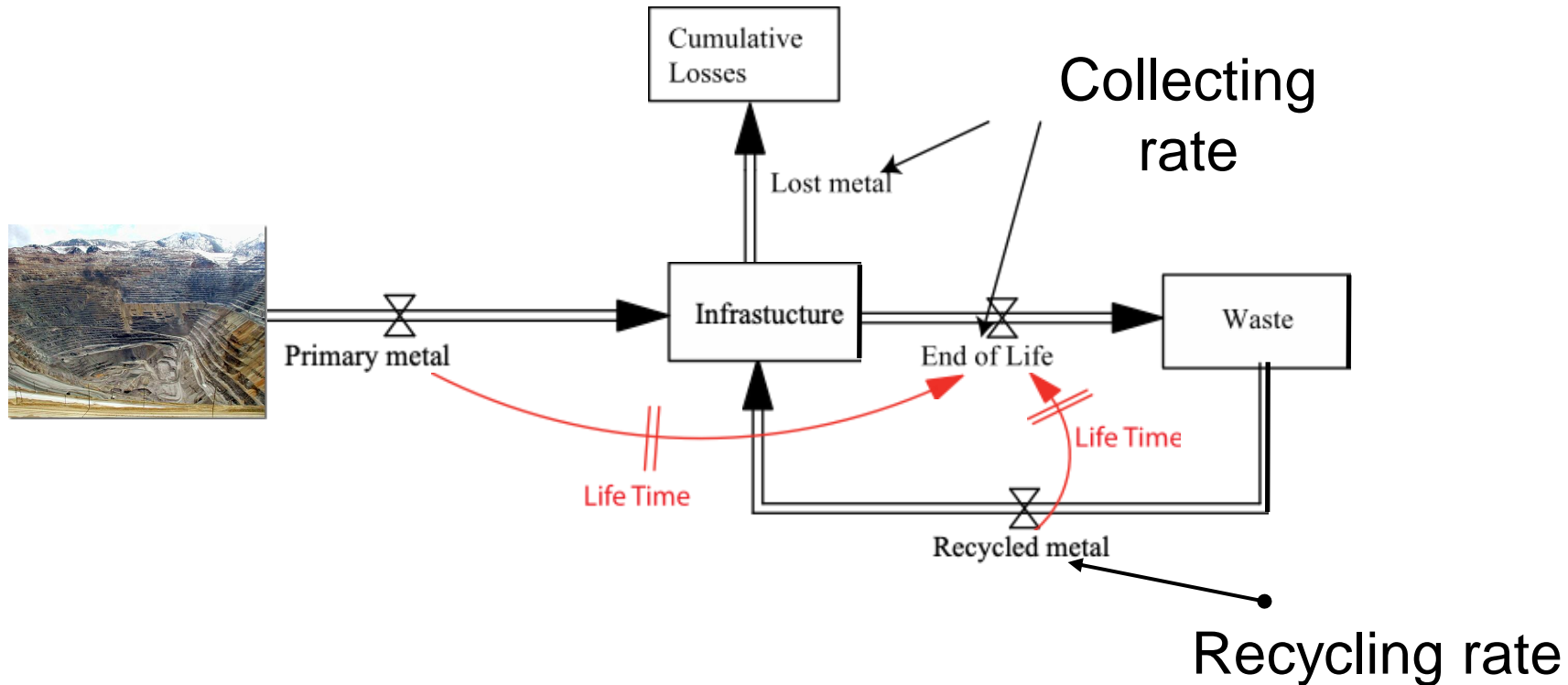
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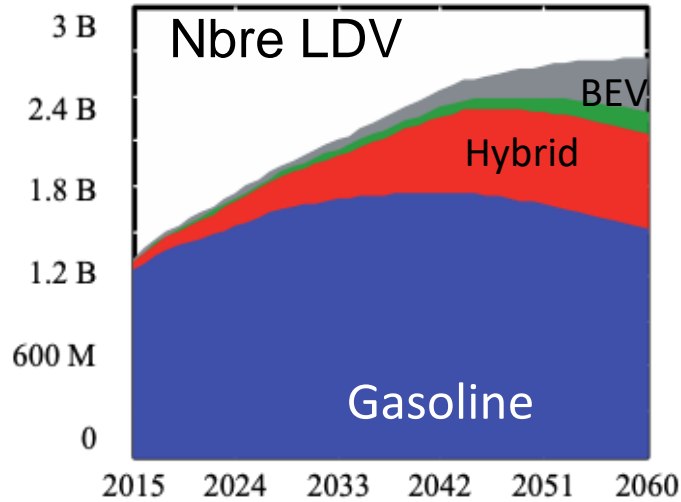
## A stock and flow problem



- 1)  $\int$  primary production  $>$  stock in infrastructure
- 2) the recycling flow depends on the total consumption

# 1) $\int$ primary production > stock in infrastructure

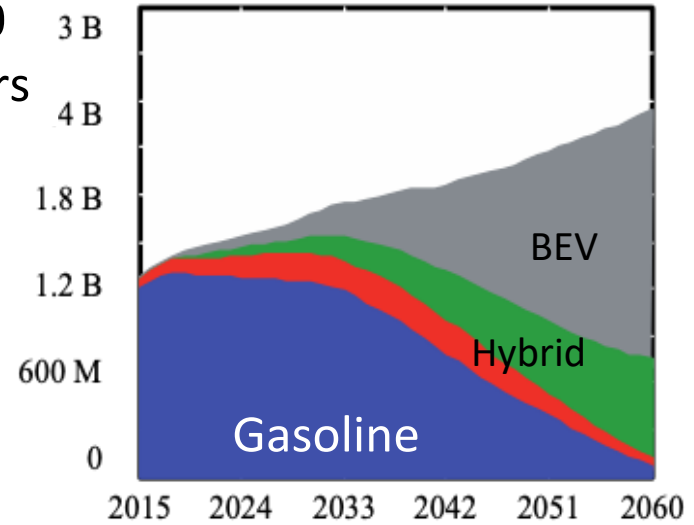
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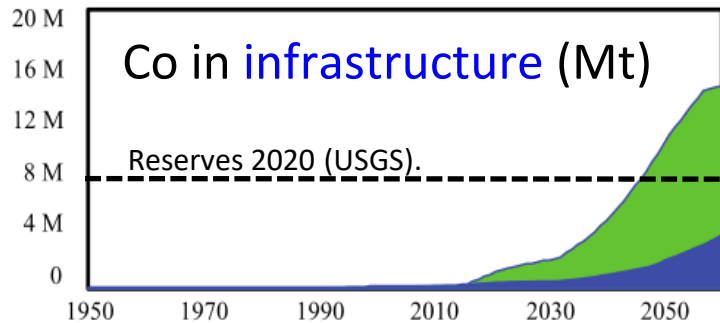
6kg/EV

RR = 0.5 in 2050  
Lifetime = 10 years

B2DS (iea2017)

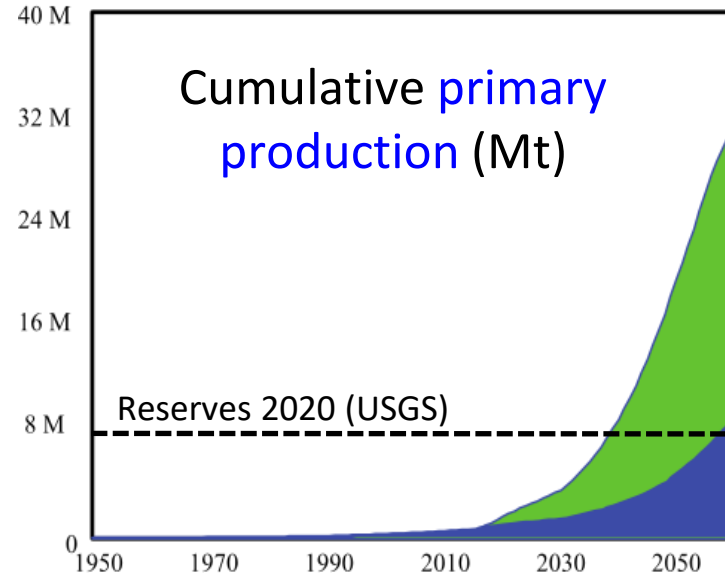


Technologies will change  
Reserves will change



B2DS

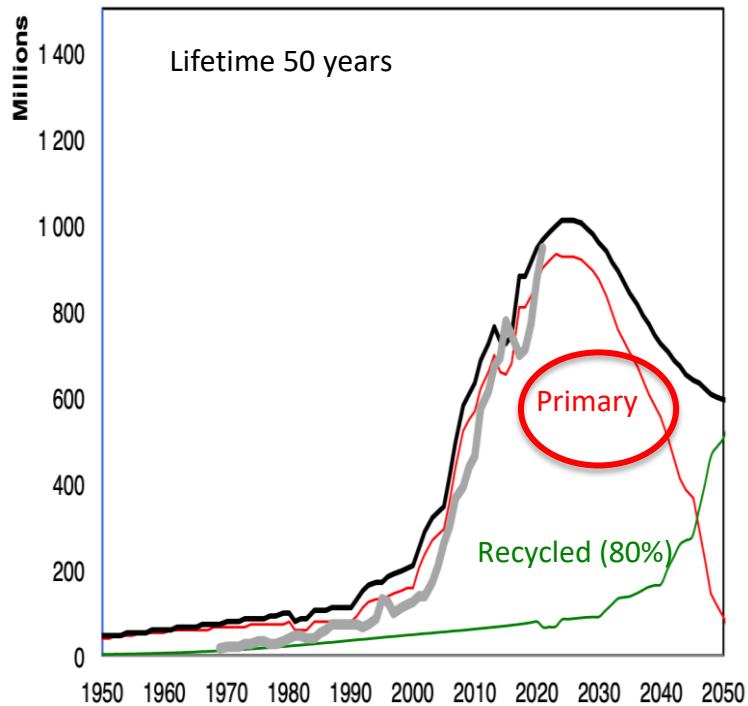
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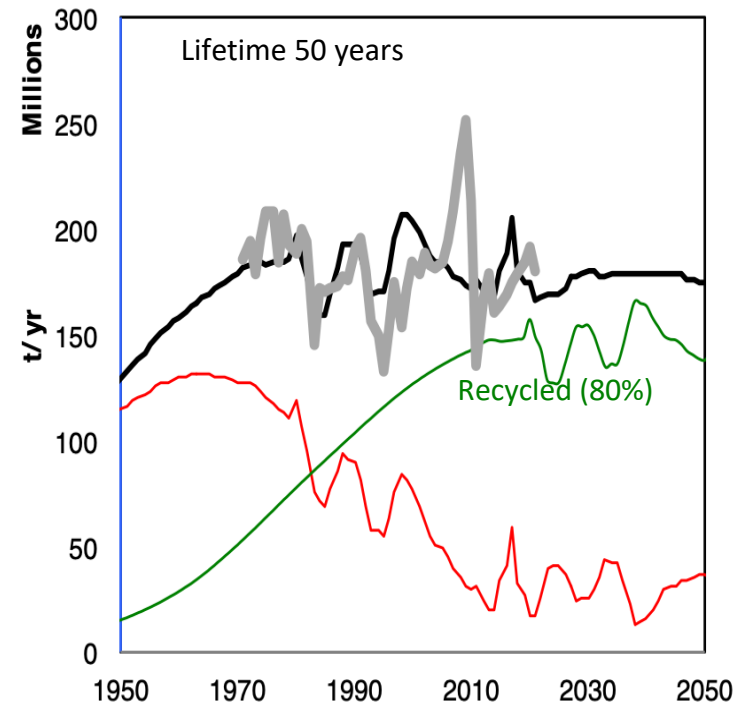
## 2) Des situations contrastées entre pays riches et en développement pour le recyclage

China



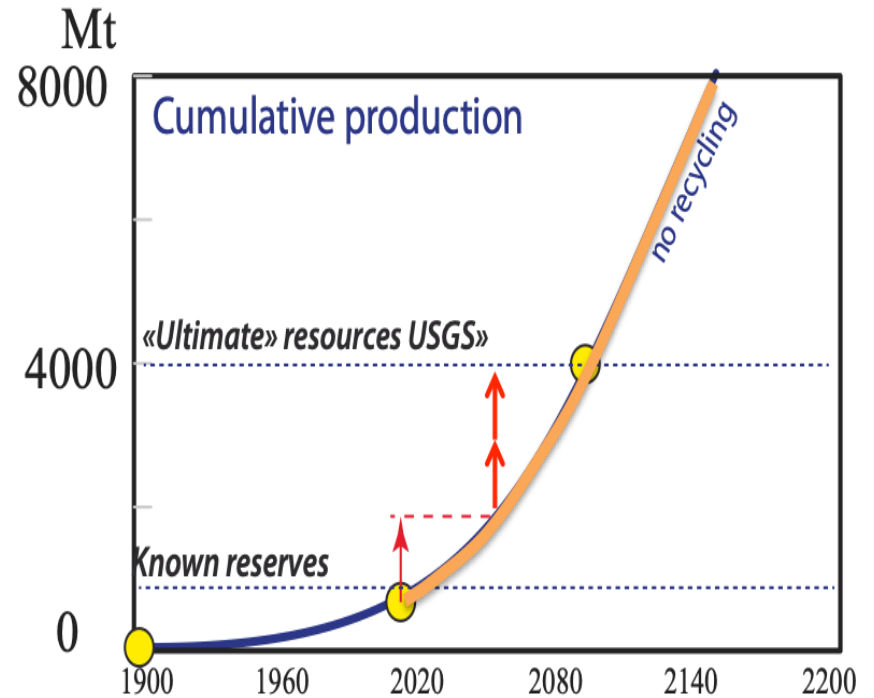
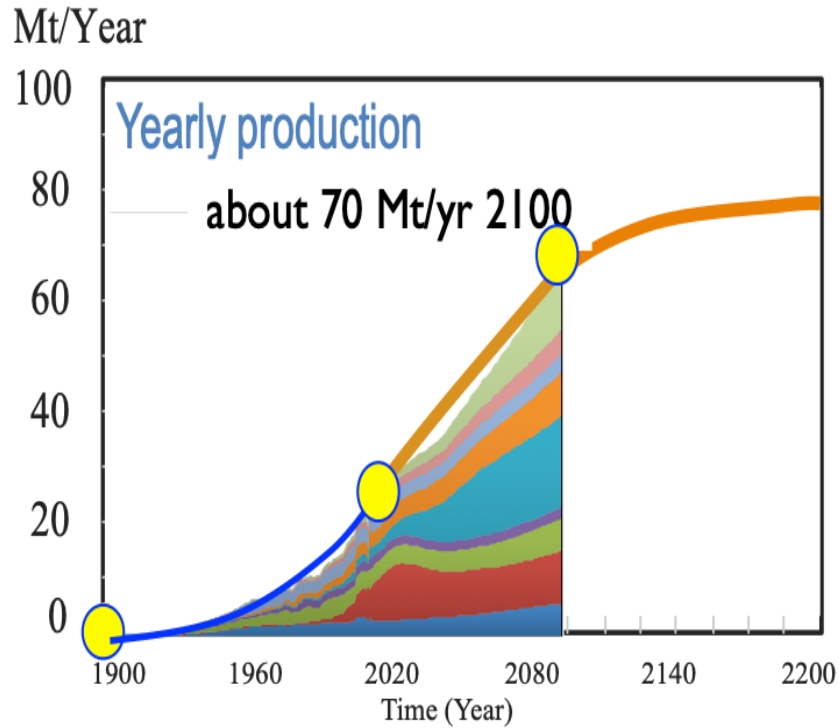
Steel

Europe



Quelles capacités de production ? =  
quelle disponibilité à quel prix ?

# Demande future en cuivre pour un scénario BAU



Quantité cumulée (Cu)

44 en 30 ans

130 en 80 ans

272 en 180 ans



Kennecott Copper Mine (Utah)  $3.2 \times 1.2 \times 1.2 \text{ km}^3$ .



(Chile)

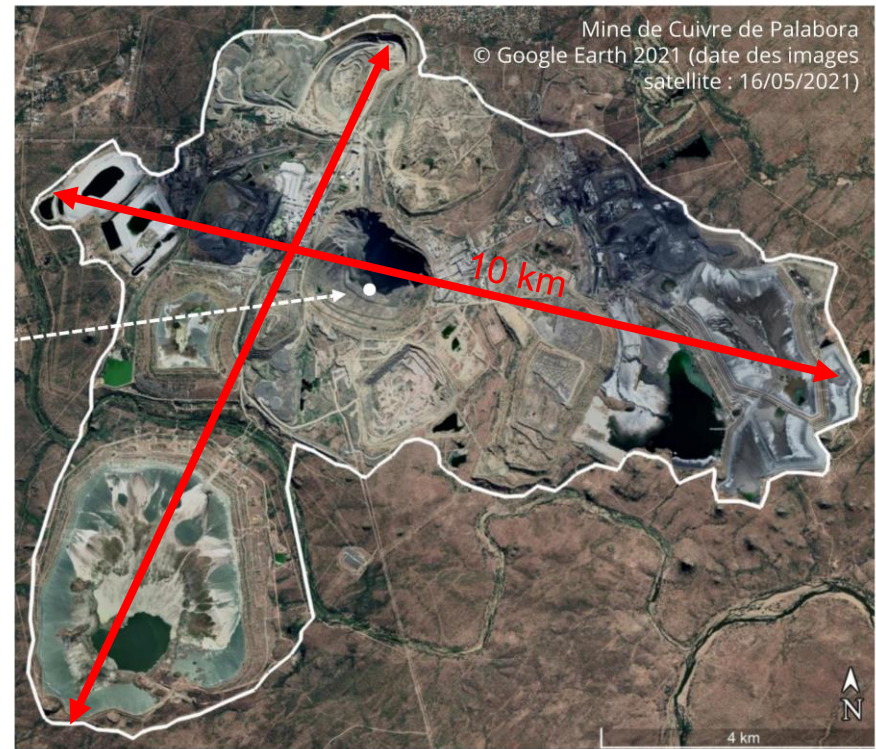
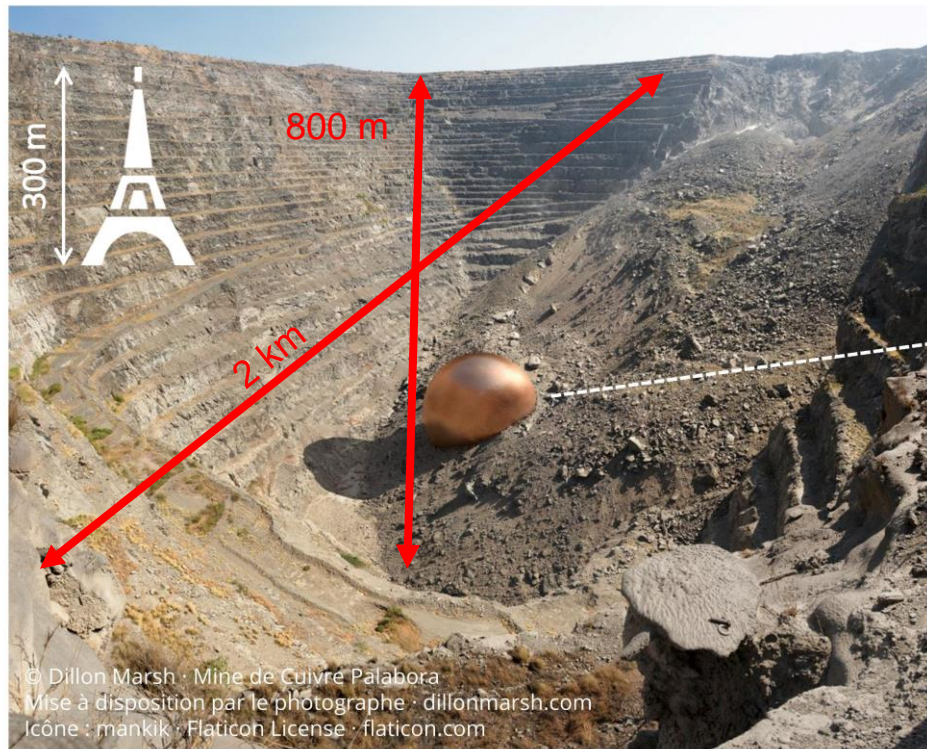
ake in 30 years

ng)



# Hormis l'accès à la ressource, limite = les impacts environnementaux

Palabora (afrique du sud) => 4 millions de t de cuivre en 40 ans (16% de la consommation mondiale 2020)



Systext 2021 – Controverses minières Volet 1

# Volume of waste

The Global Tailings Review estimates that the total number active, inactive and closed storage facilities is **8,500** with **217km<sup>3</sup> of tailings**, enough to fill a cube 6km high.

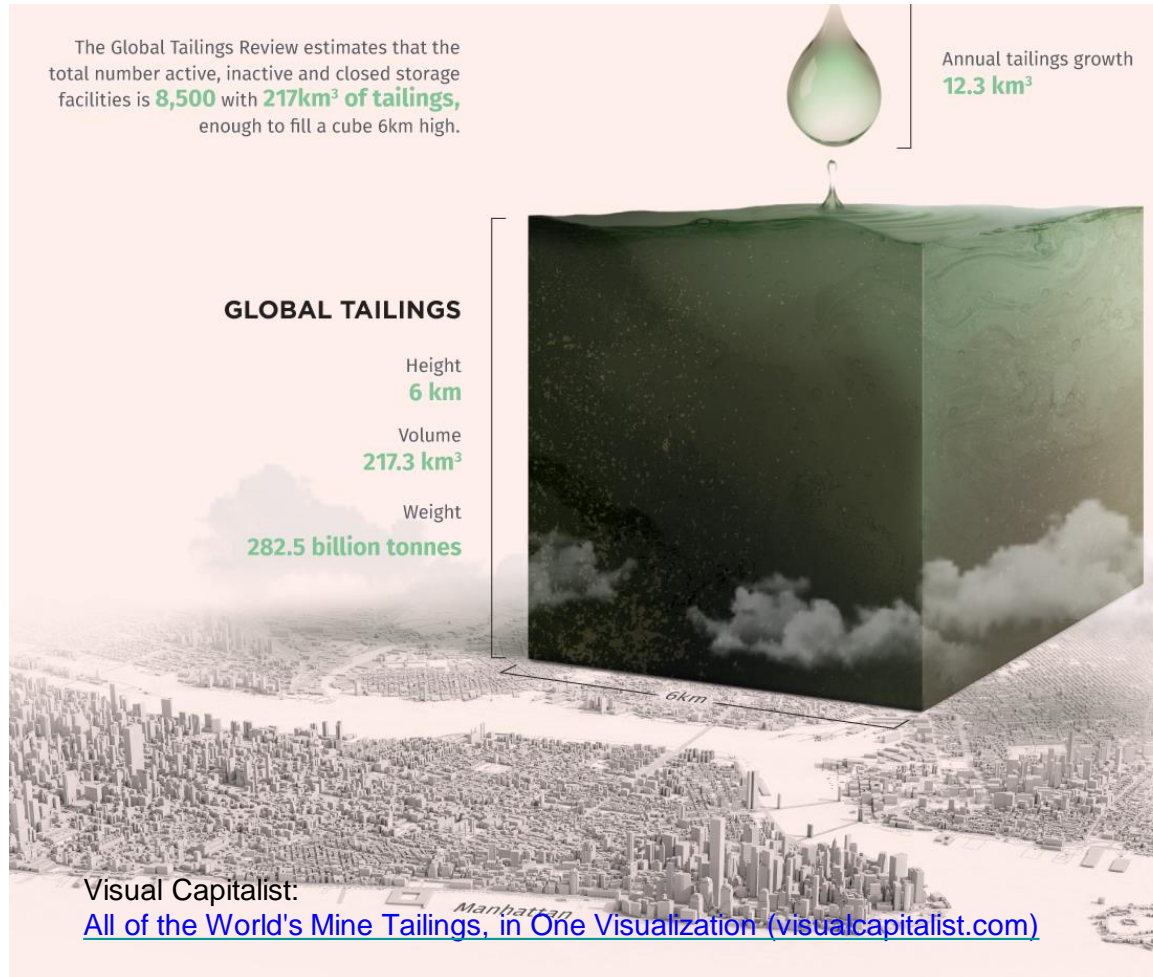
Annual tailings growth  
**12.3 km<sup>3</sup>**

## GLOBAL TAILINGS

Height  
**6 km**

Volume  
**217.3 km<sup>3</sup>**

Weight  
**282.5 billion tonnes**



Visual Capitalist:

[All of the World's Mine Tailings, in One Visualization \(visualcapitalist.com\)](https://visualcapitalist.com)



# Limite 1: Les impacts environnementaux => opposition sociale

**The Guardian: 30/03/2017**

**El Salvador makes history as first nation to impose blanket ban on metal mining**

**PRESS RELEASE: Colombians threatened with death for opposition to mega-mining project as defenders visit UK**

**Ecuador's rising opposition to mining may thwart exploration boom – by Cecilia Jamasmie (Mining.com – January 6, 2019)**

January 7, 2019 in Canadian Media Resource Articles, Copper, Gold and Silver, Latin America Mining, Mining Conflict and Opposition

**The Chilean government is taking on a U.S. mining company in a spat that could rattle the electric-car industry.**

**Financial Time: 17/02/2019**

**Australian coal industry jolted as 'climate change' ruling blocks mine**

**Penhalonga and Tsvingwe Community Opposition to Destructive Mining Impacts**

**PNG government rethinking China mining deal after opposition**

**Mining Technology: 17/01/2017**

While in Africa, formerly considered one of the continent's brightest mining prospects, investment in Tanzania's mining industry has slowed due to a crackdown on firms by the government as it attempts to reap greater benefits from the sector.

# Limite 2: Epuisement des réserves (peak oil, peak metals) ?

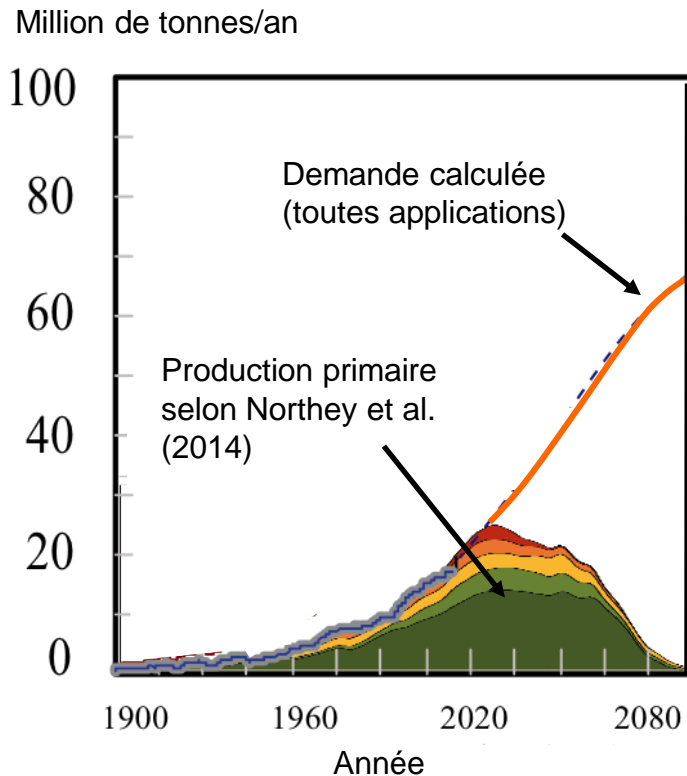
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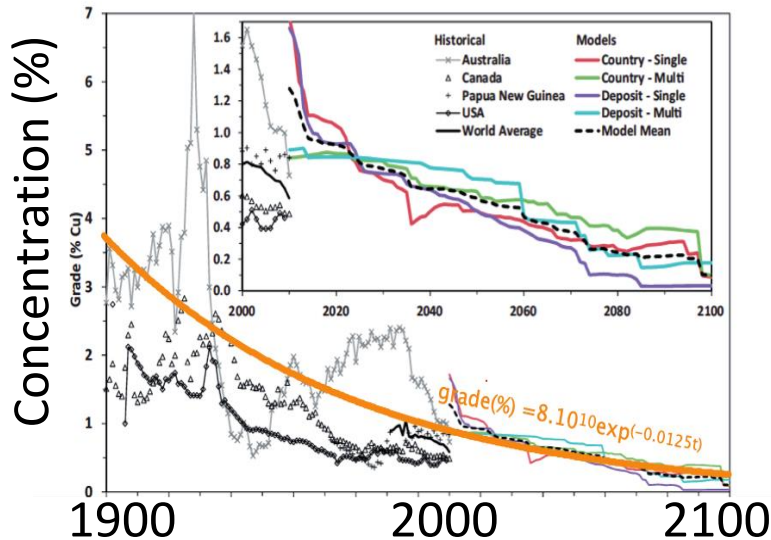
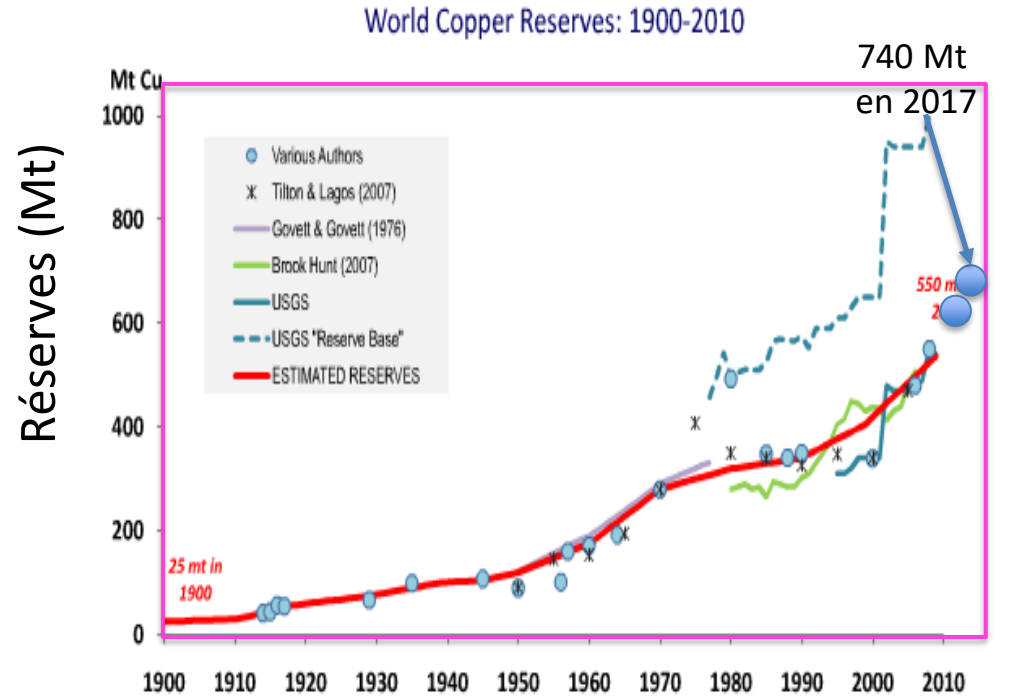
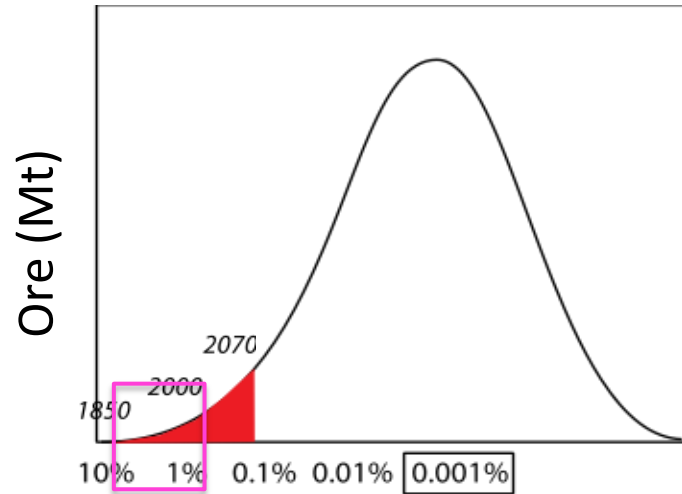
## Copper and Electricity to Vanish in Twenty Years?

LAST WEEK we reprinted part of an address made by Ira B. Joralemon before the Commonwealth Club of California, in which he stated that "the age of electricity and of copper will be short. At the intense rate of production that must come, the copper supply of the world will last hardly a score of years. . . . Our civilization based on electrical power will dwindle and die." We are rather surprised that a geologist of Mr. Joralemon's standing cannot use his imagination a little more than this, but no doubt he was painting the picture as black as possible so that copper miners would wake up to the fact that they are rapidly wasting a valuable natural resource with little or no profit to themselves. Known deposits of copper ores of a present commercial grade are limited, as Mr. Joralemon says, and it might be possible that in twenty years electrical requirements will have milked most of them dry. But metallurgical methods will advance; likewise prices, we hope; so that it will pay to mine lower grade deposits of which there is a tremendous tonnage available, and also deeper deposits such as our friends in Michigan have. And we can hardly believe that all the copper resources of the world are known. Twenty years ago, for example, who would have classed such deposits as those at Chuquicamata and Bingham Canyon as important factors, even with the price of copper somewhat higher than it is now?

As to the electrical industry, we can hardly believe that all our electricity will go back into the clouds where Franklin found it, just because copper is scarce. Maybe copper won't be required at all for transmission purposes; we may just use the ether.



En réalité, les réserves de tous les métaux n'ont cessé d'augmenter depuis 1900...



Sources: Various  
MinEx Consulting March 2010

OUI MAIS...  
les coûts énergétiques et  
économiques ?

## Limite 2: Les limites thermodynamiques

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Métallurgie

Broyage

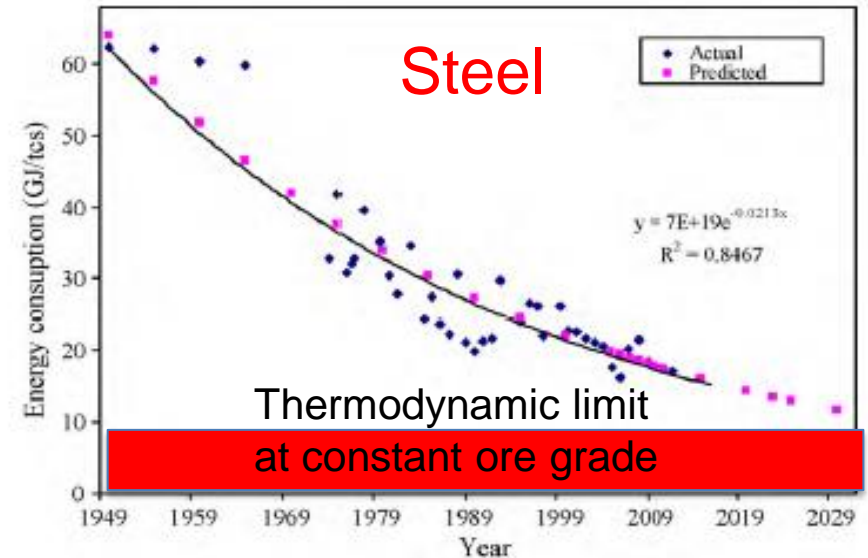


Fig. 5. Actual and projected specific energy consumption in the steel industry (world average).

Le potentiel d'amélioration technologique est contraint par une **limite thermodynamique**



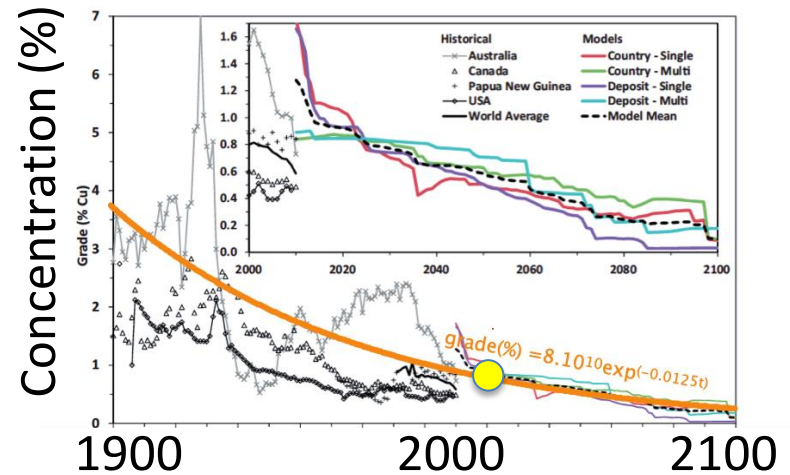
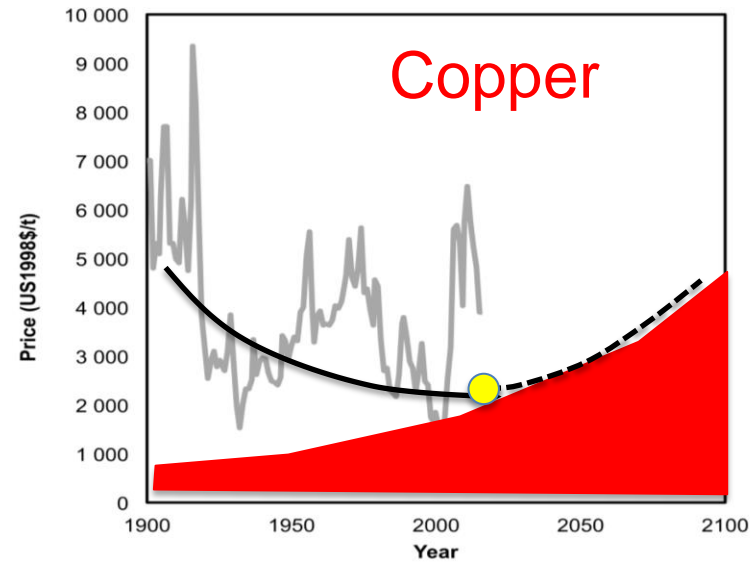
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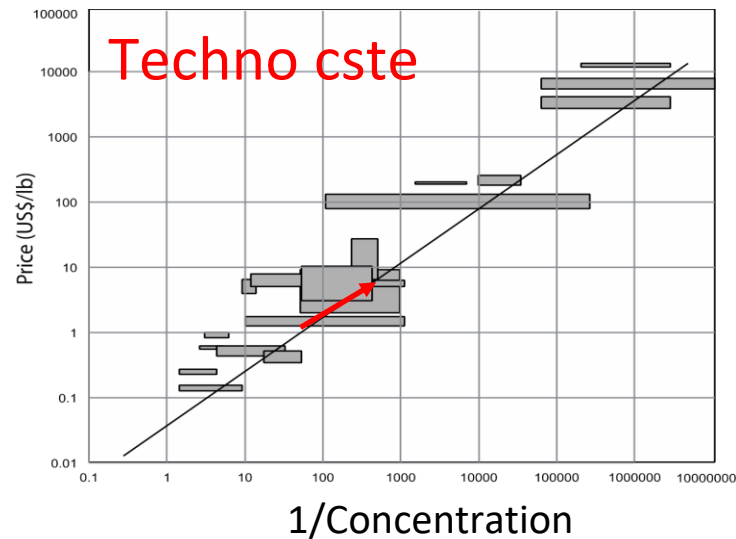
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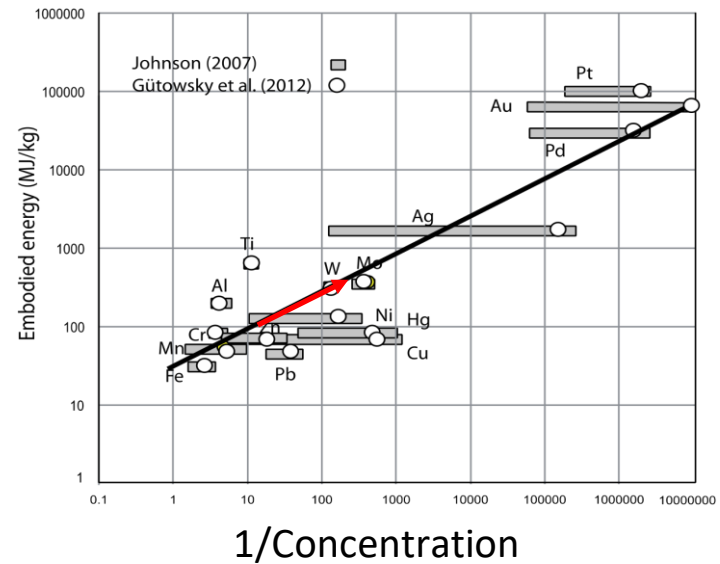


# Limite 2 : la relation énergie -concentration-prix

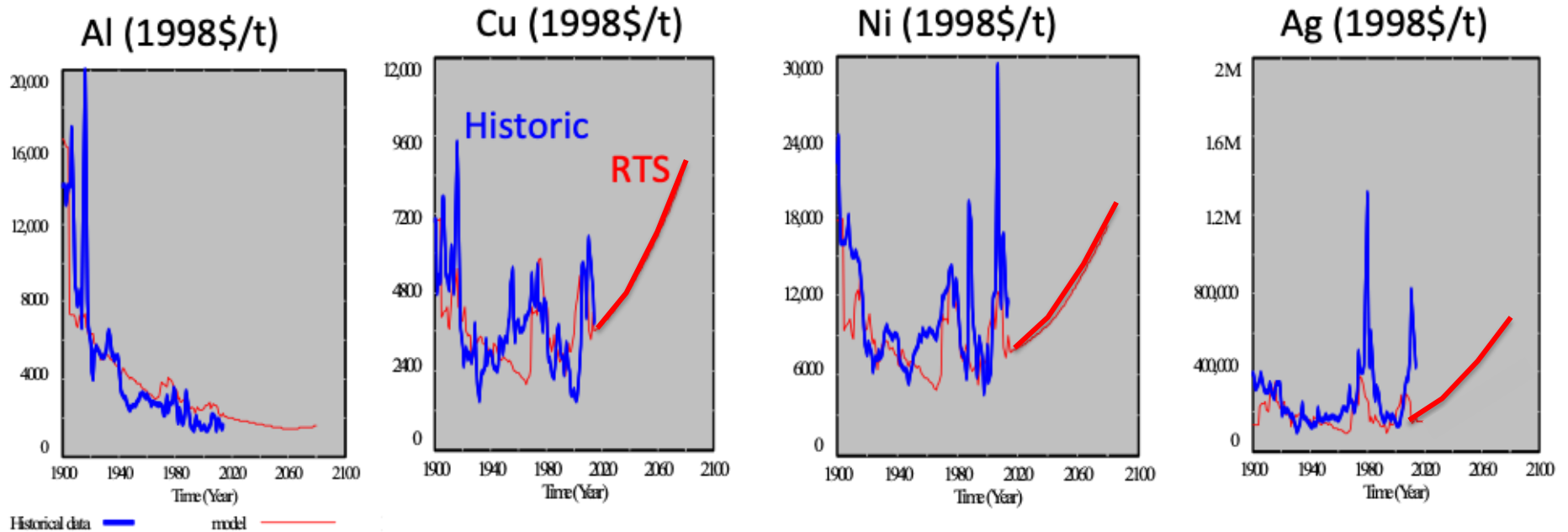
$$\text{Prix} = a.(1/C_{\text{metal}})^u$$



$$\text{Energie} = b.(1/C_{\text{metal}})^v$$



## Limite 2: Potentiel d'amélioration technologique limité par la physique qui contrôle l'économie (et pas l'inverse)

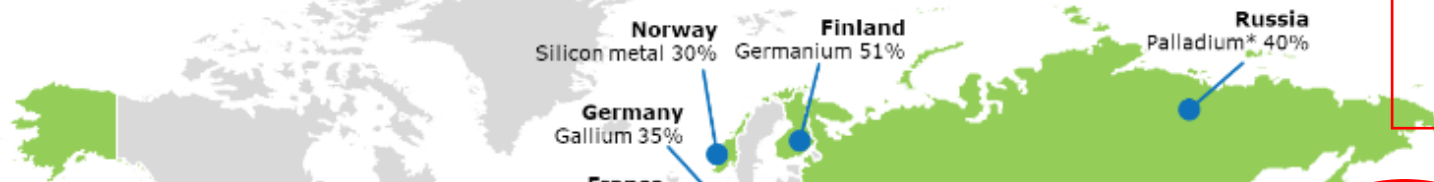


La disponibilité future est fonction du prix que l'on sera prêts à payer, des impacts que l'on est prêt à accepter... et du prix de l'énergie

## Contrainte 3: géopolitique

*L'Europe consomme 15% des métaux produits mondialement, elle en produit environ 3%*

**Figure E: Countries accounting for largest share of EU sourcing of CRMs**



Nbre de CRM Europe

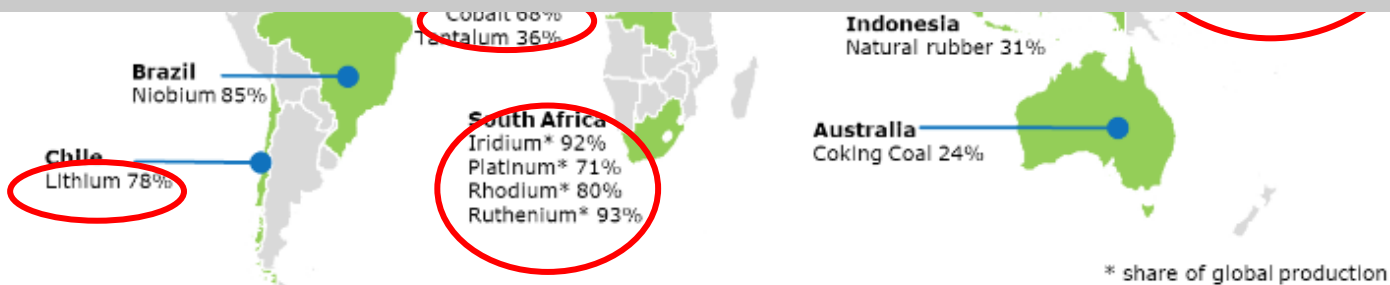
2011: 14

2014: 20

2017: 27

2020: 30

Cela est vécu comme un risque nouveau, pourtant la situation est similaire depuis plusieurs décennies pour les hydrocarbures et l'uranium



\* share of global production

## **Contrainte 3: géopolitique**

### **Le poids de la Chine existe aussi sur les métaux de base...**

En 2018, la Chine a produit 45% de l'aluminium, plomb, acier, cuivre, nickel, zinc et étain raffinés mondialement.

L'Europe et les US ont consommé 14% and 8% de ces métaux raffinés, leur production domestique étant largement inférieure.

**Cette position dominante de la Chine sur les métaux de base lui donne un pouvoir très important de contrôle des prix et de l'approvisionnement**

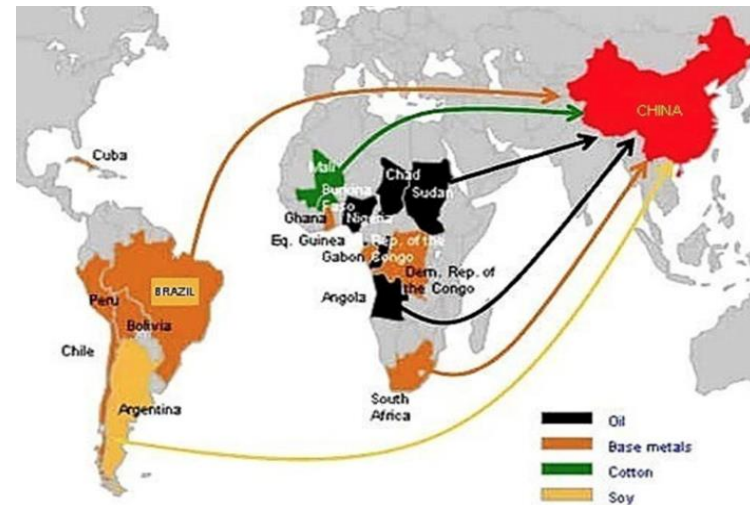
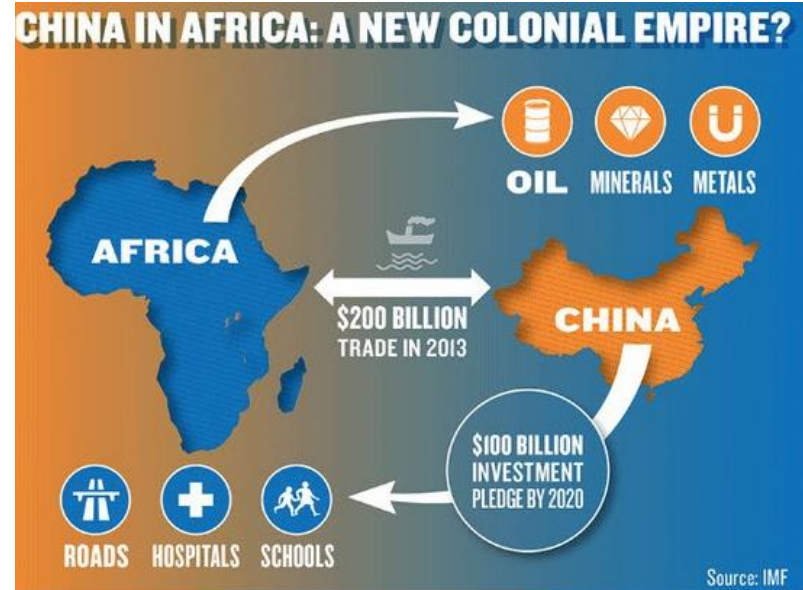
# Contrainte 3: géopolitique

La Chine va aussi chercher ailleurs ses matières premières...

Selected Chinese Infrastructure Projects in Africa



Source: Various; THE BEIJING AXIS Analysis



- Les ressources minérales sont aussi centrales que l'énergie.

*La minimisation de l'utilisation et la maximisation du recyclage sont cruciales*

- L'absence de pénurie n'est pas un signe d'abondance, c'est un signe de progrès technologique qui masque la dégradation des ressources.

*Que se passe-t'il quand la limite thermodynamique est atteinte ?*

*Peut-on envisager de nouvelles ressources « non conventionnelles » ?*

*Peut-on (doit-on) envisager une relocalisation de la production ?*

- La demande et l'approvisionnement dépendent de scénarios technologiques et économiques + dimensions géologique, géopolitique, environnementale et "sociale"

*Pas de chemin unique, le futur sera différent du passé*

*La transition énergétique est-elle compatible avec la croissance des pays riches ?*

- La coopération internationale est essentielle.

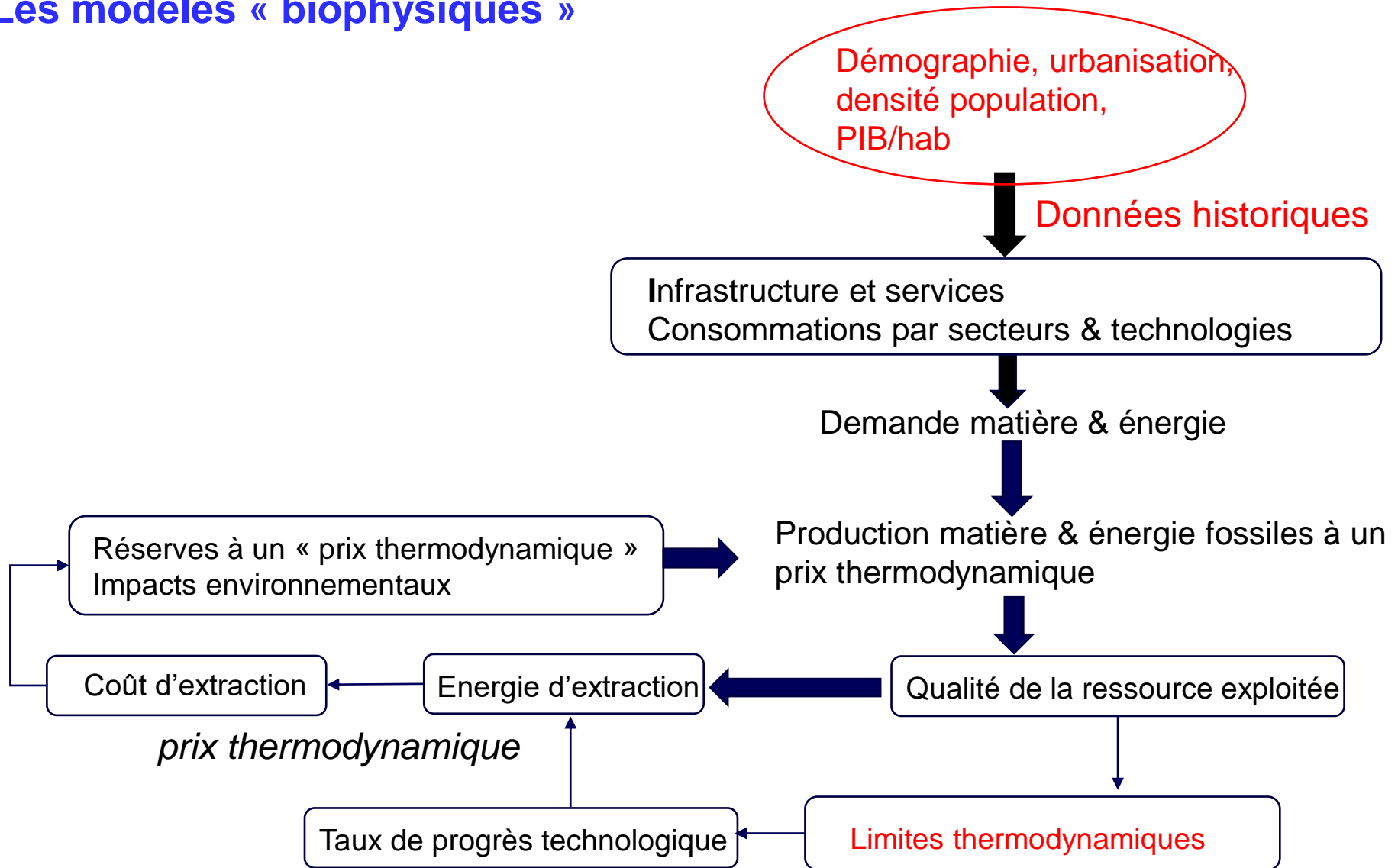
*Comment évaluer les flux futurs de ressource et d'énergie ?*

*Quels modèles de flux basés sur les dimensions « physiques » ? - rente naturelle non uniforme*

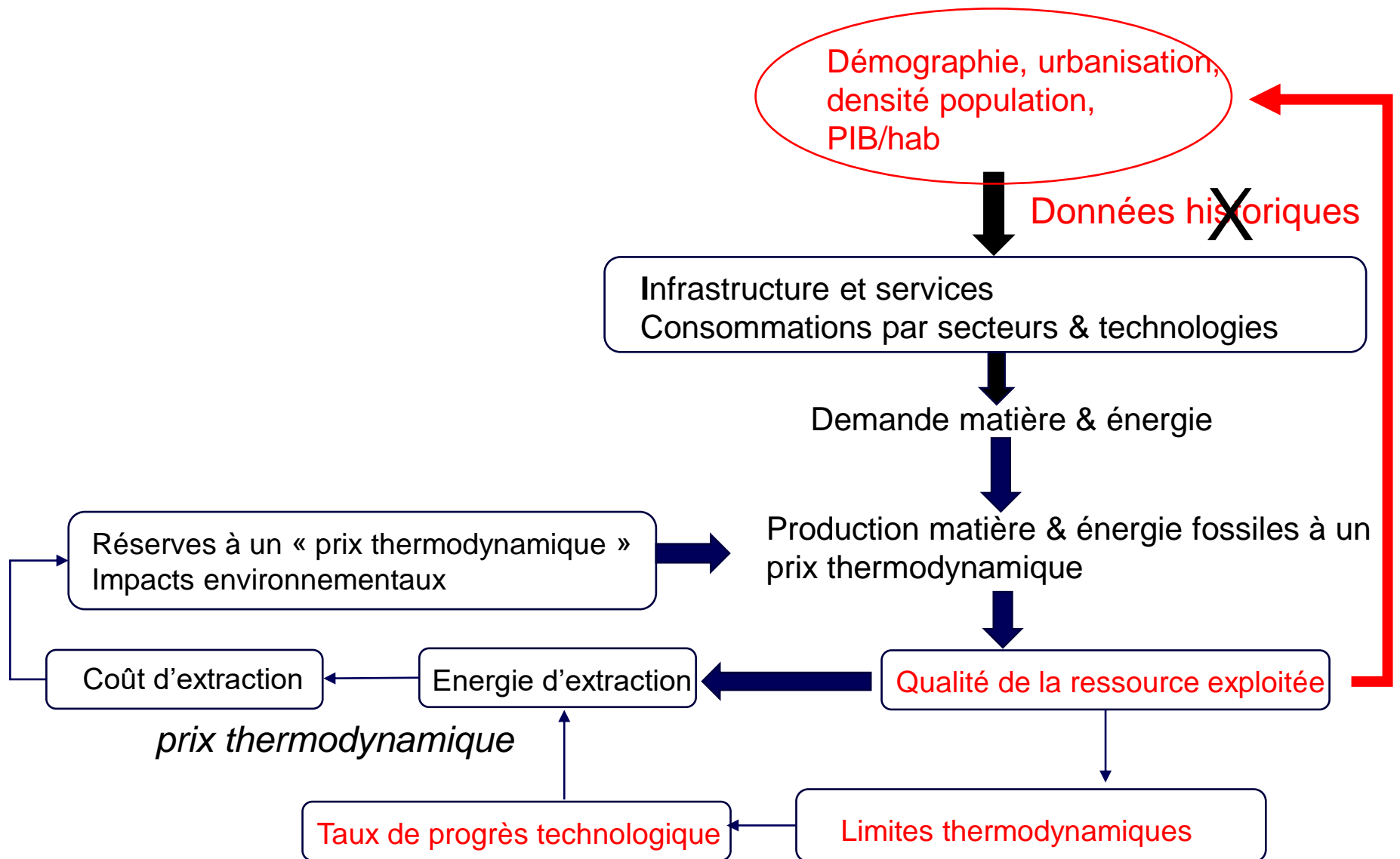
*Tester des scénarios de coopération (ou pas)*



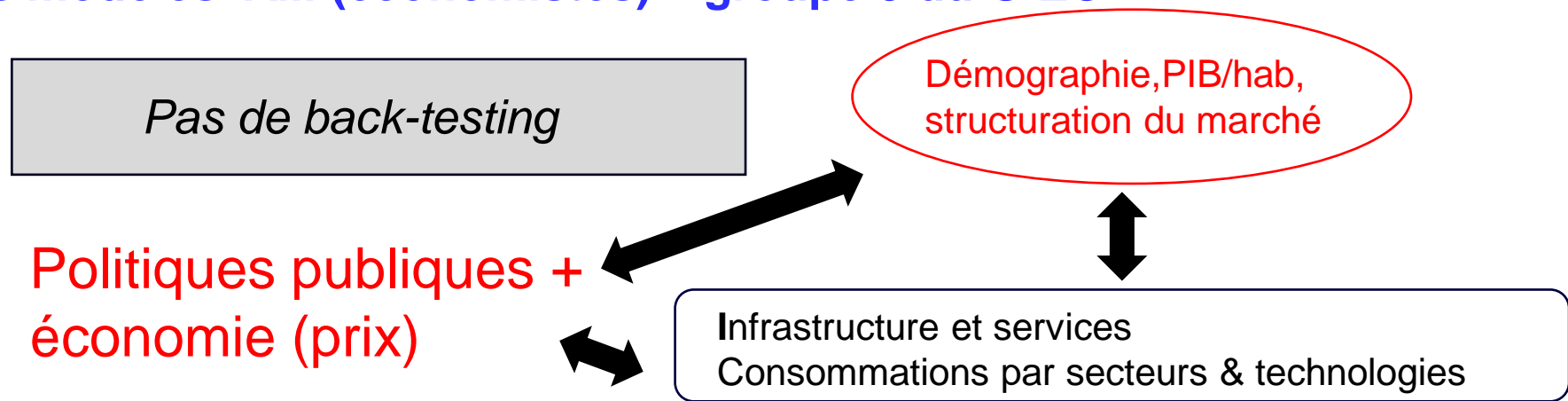
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## Les modèles IAM (économistes) – groupe 3 du GIEC



### Les ressources et les infrastructures n'existent pas

- *Pas de cohérence assurée entre flux et stocks, entre monnaie et unités physiques,*
- *Equilibre (no crisis) et autres difficultés (Grandjean and Giraud, 2017)*
- *Equations non physiques => manque de robustesse*

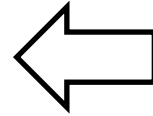
Taux de progrès technologique

Limites thermodynamiques

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Decision des acteurs (industrie, politiques locaux/nationaux, ONG, citoyens, etc)

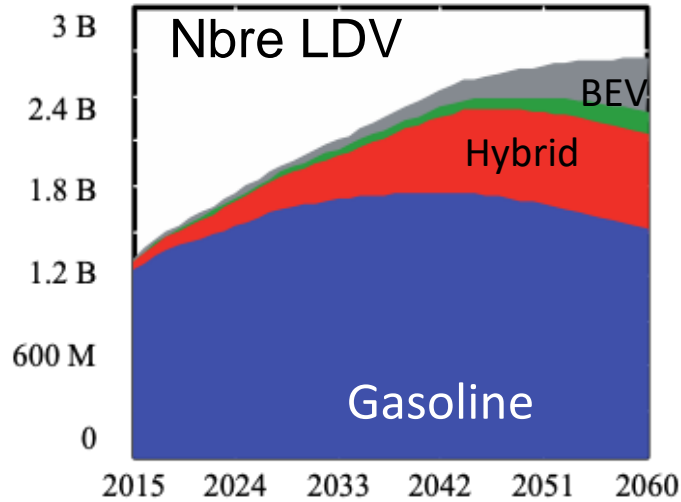


Intégrer la dimension humaine pour *anticiper les difficultés qui ne sont pas uniquement technico-économiques*

- => mise en situation
- => prise en compte des *spécificités locales*
- => imaginer le meilleur compromis: *vision systémique de la region au monde*

# 1) ∫ production primaire > stock dans l'infrastructure

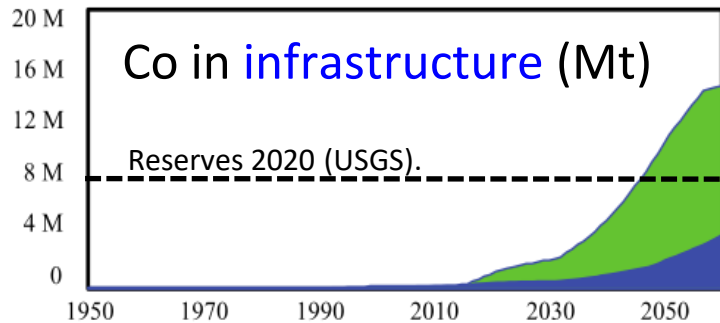
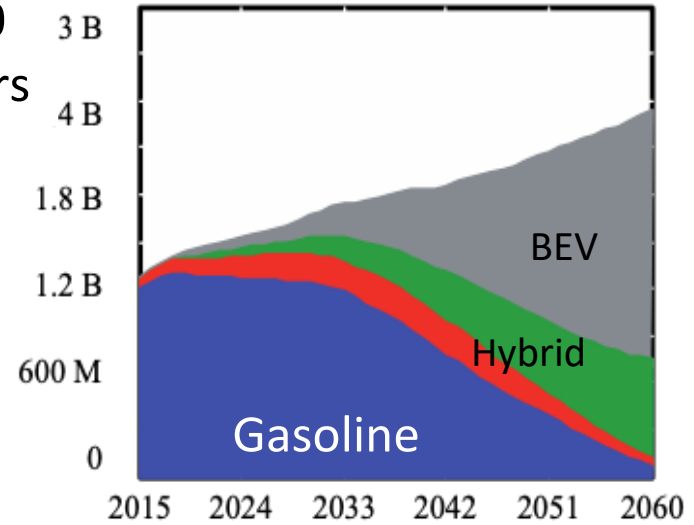
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6kg/EV

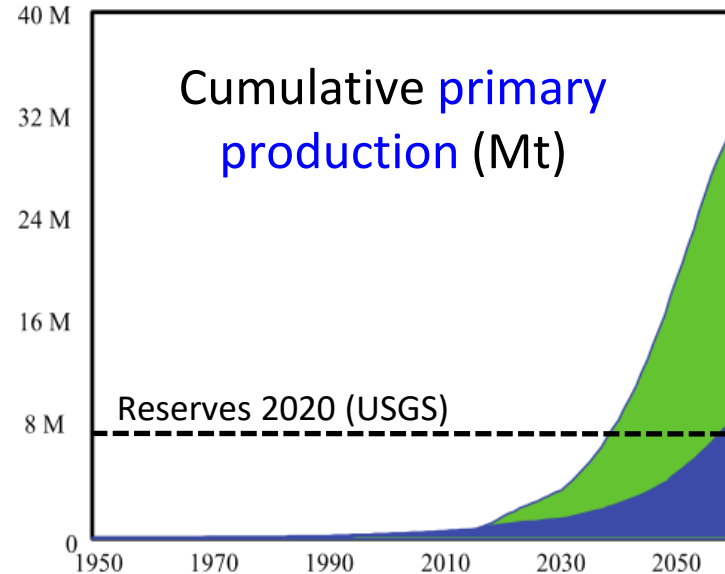
RR = 0.5 in 2050  
Lifetime = 10 years

B2DS (iea2017)



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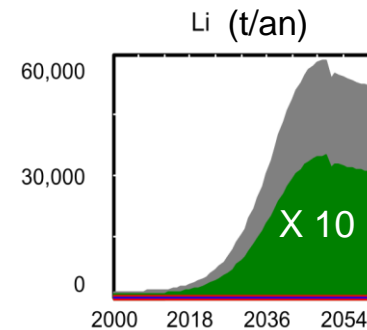
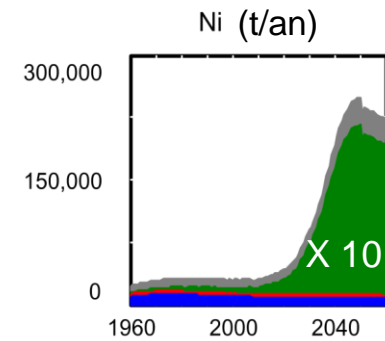
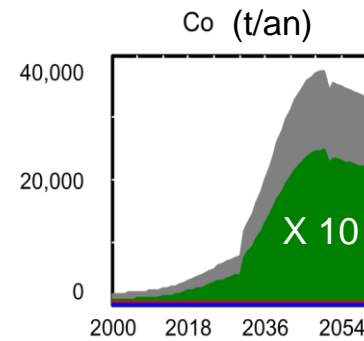
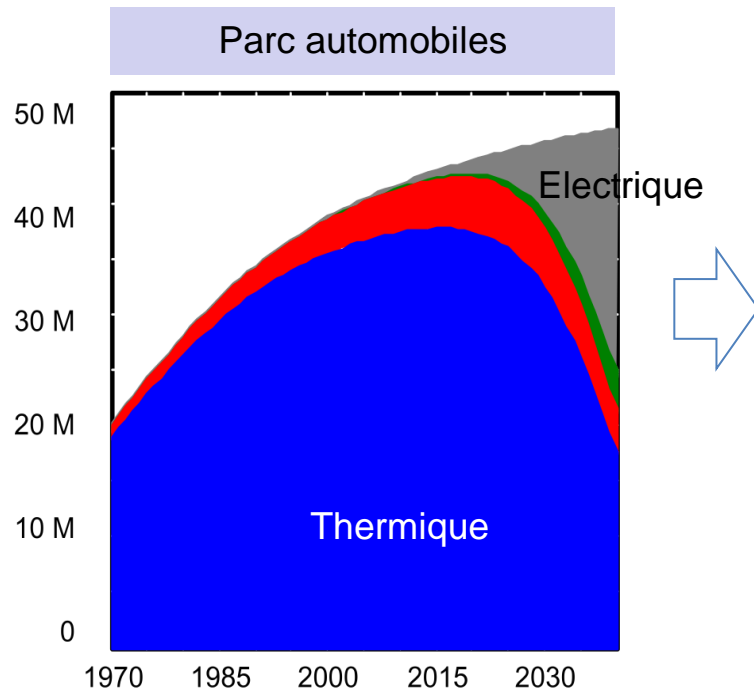
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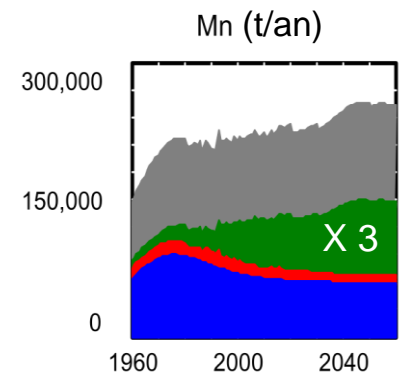
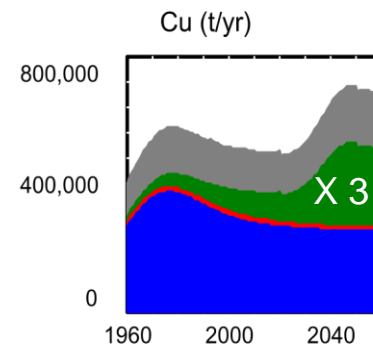




# Besoins matières pour les VE (technos actuelles, 50 kWh) - France



Autres  
Transport  
Energie  
Batiment



Attention: les technos évoluent !

# Consommation mondiale de pétrole

Production mondiale: 100 millions barils/jour

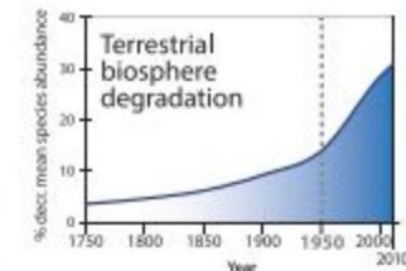
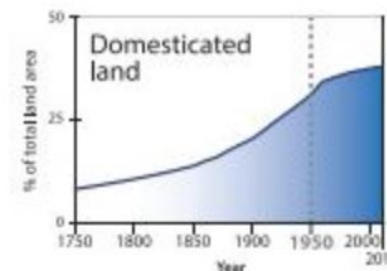
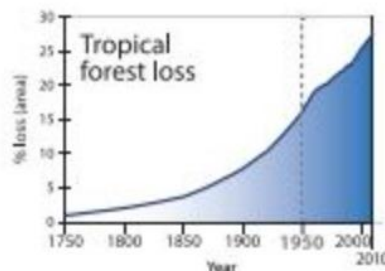
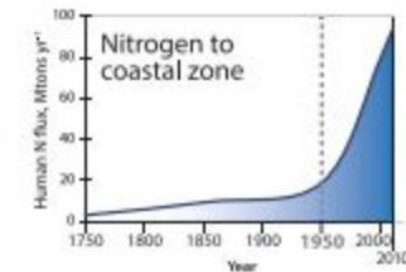
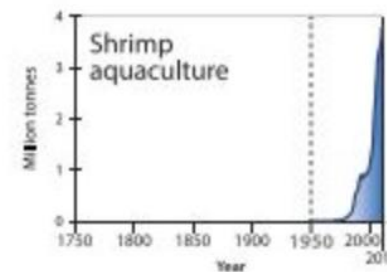
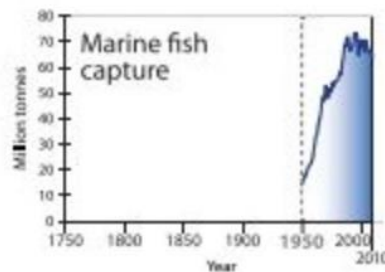
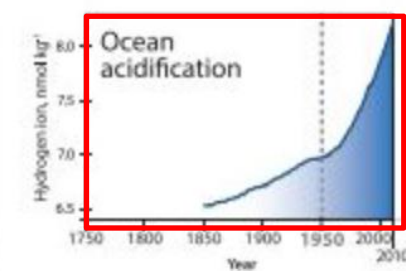
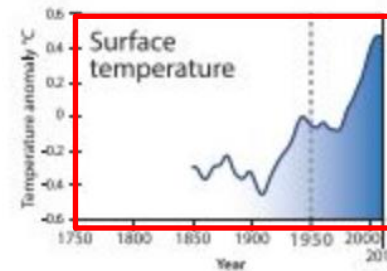
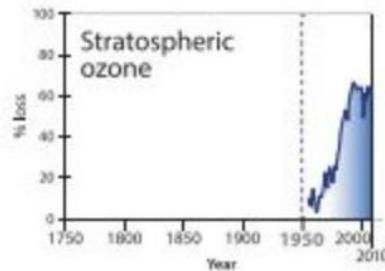
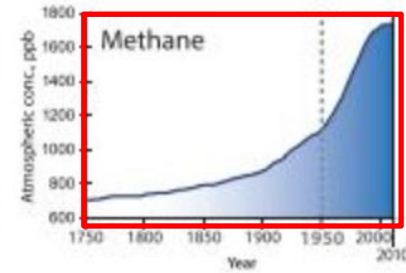
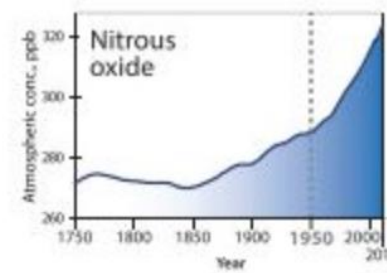
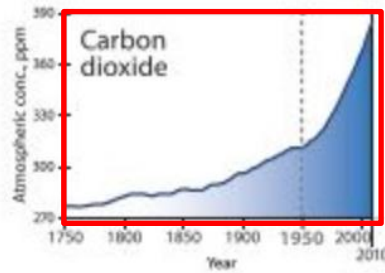
Baril de pétrole = 159 litres: 50 x 80 cm

Terre-Lune en 5 jours : 384 400 km

1.2 fois le tour de la Terre chaque jour



# Des impacts environnementaux inquiétants



## Production de ciment + acier + Al + Cu

- 35% de la consommation industrielle mondiale d'énergie
- 50% des émissions de CO<sub>2</sub> de l'industrie

# Climat anxiogène qui nous renvoie aux prévisions catastrophiques du club de Rome (1972)

