

# The French policy for energy efficiency



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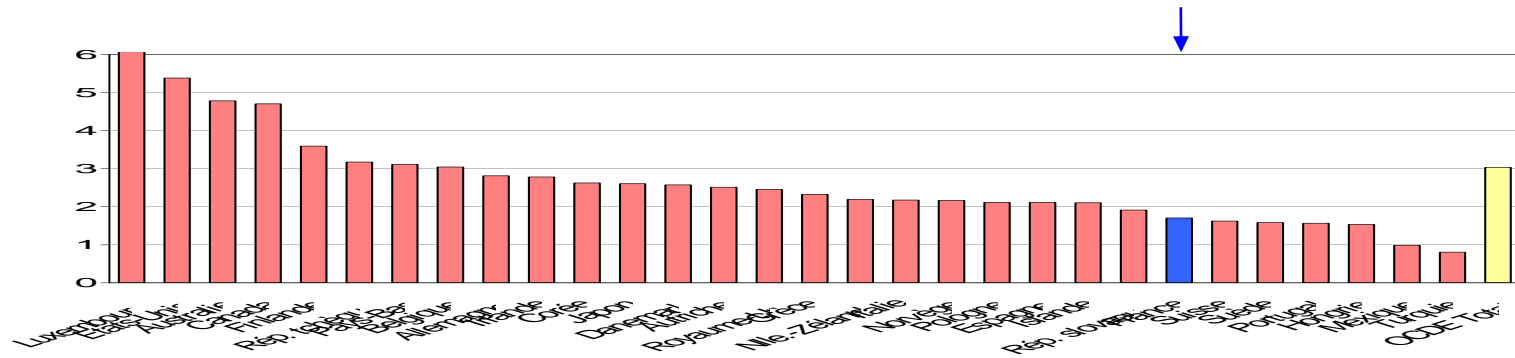
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# France is already well ranked for energy and carbon efficiency

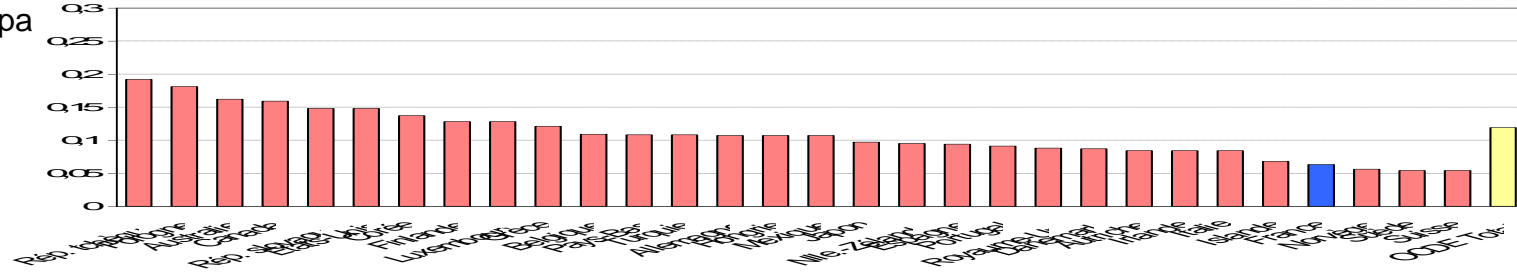
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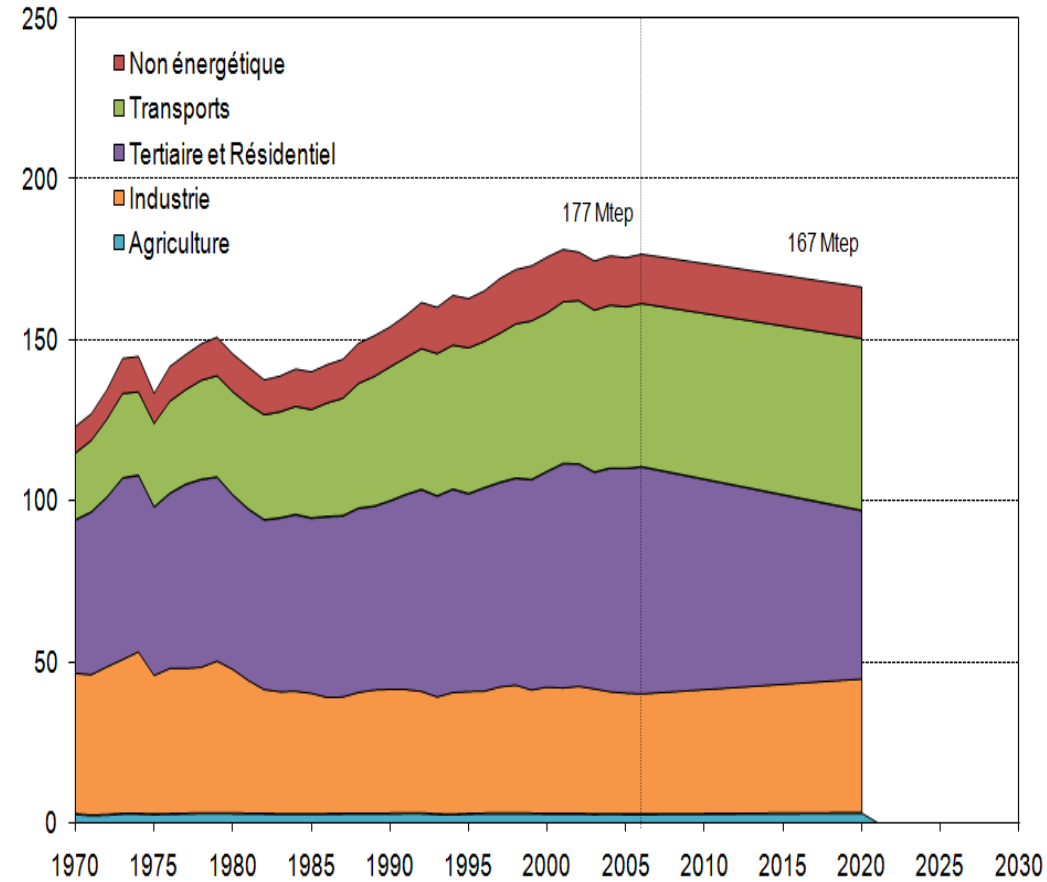
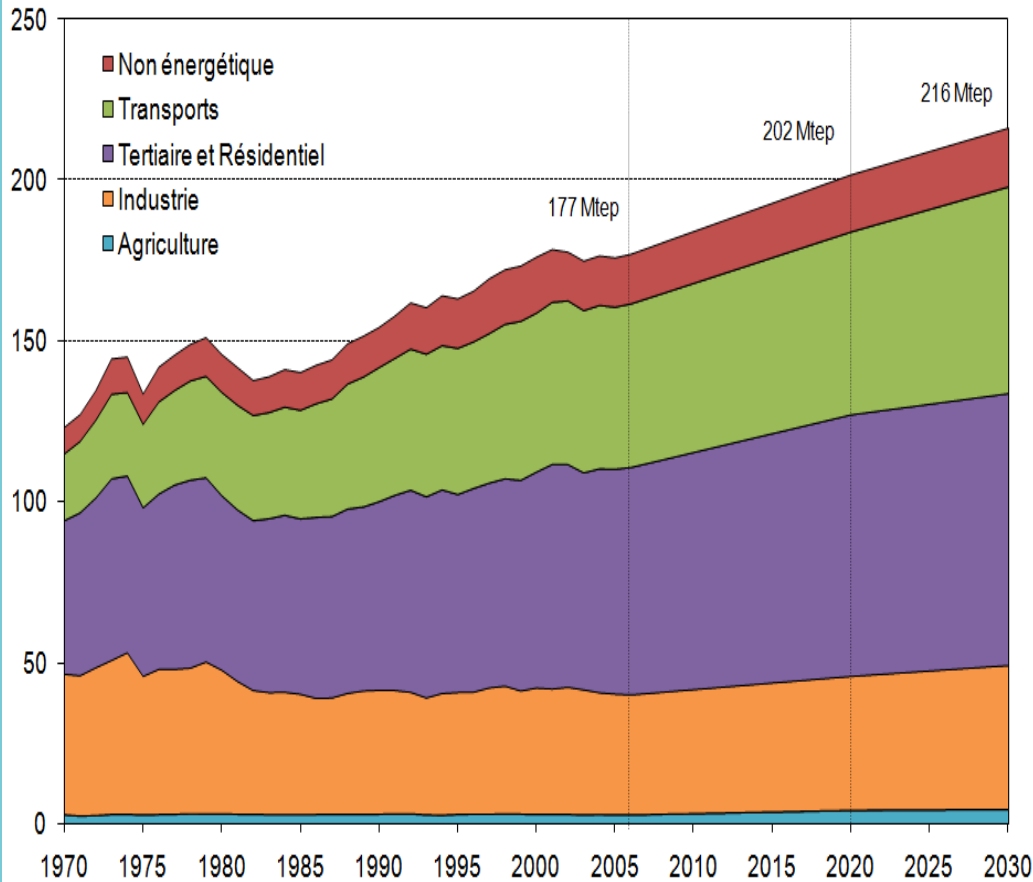
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## France has adopted ambitious targets in all the sectors

- **Buildings:** reduction of 20% of energy consumption in service sector building and a decrease of 12% in residential buildings in 5 years, this reduction shall reach more than one third in 2010 (38%)
- **Transport:** change of strategy of development → emissions of CO<sub>2</sub>: -20% in 2020
- **Town planning:** new documents for a sustainable development of the territories
- **Energy:** reduction of energy consumptions and +20 Mtoe of sustainable renewables for 2020 (from 17 to 37)
- **R&D:** +1 G€ over 4 years, 1 € for nuclear = 1 € for « green technologies »
- **Adaptation:** national plan

# The Grenelle scenario: final energy consumption, by sector



**The reduction of the energy consumption of the buildings is an ambitious and structuring goal.**

# To reach these ambitious targets, a wide diversity of tools

- **Regulation**
- **Fiscality and incentives**
- **Awareness campaigns**
- **Information of the consumers**
- **Voluntary agreements of the industrials and/or retailers**
- **The exemplary role of the State (administration, national agencies, public sector, ...)**