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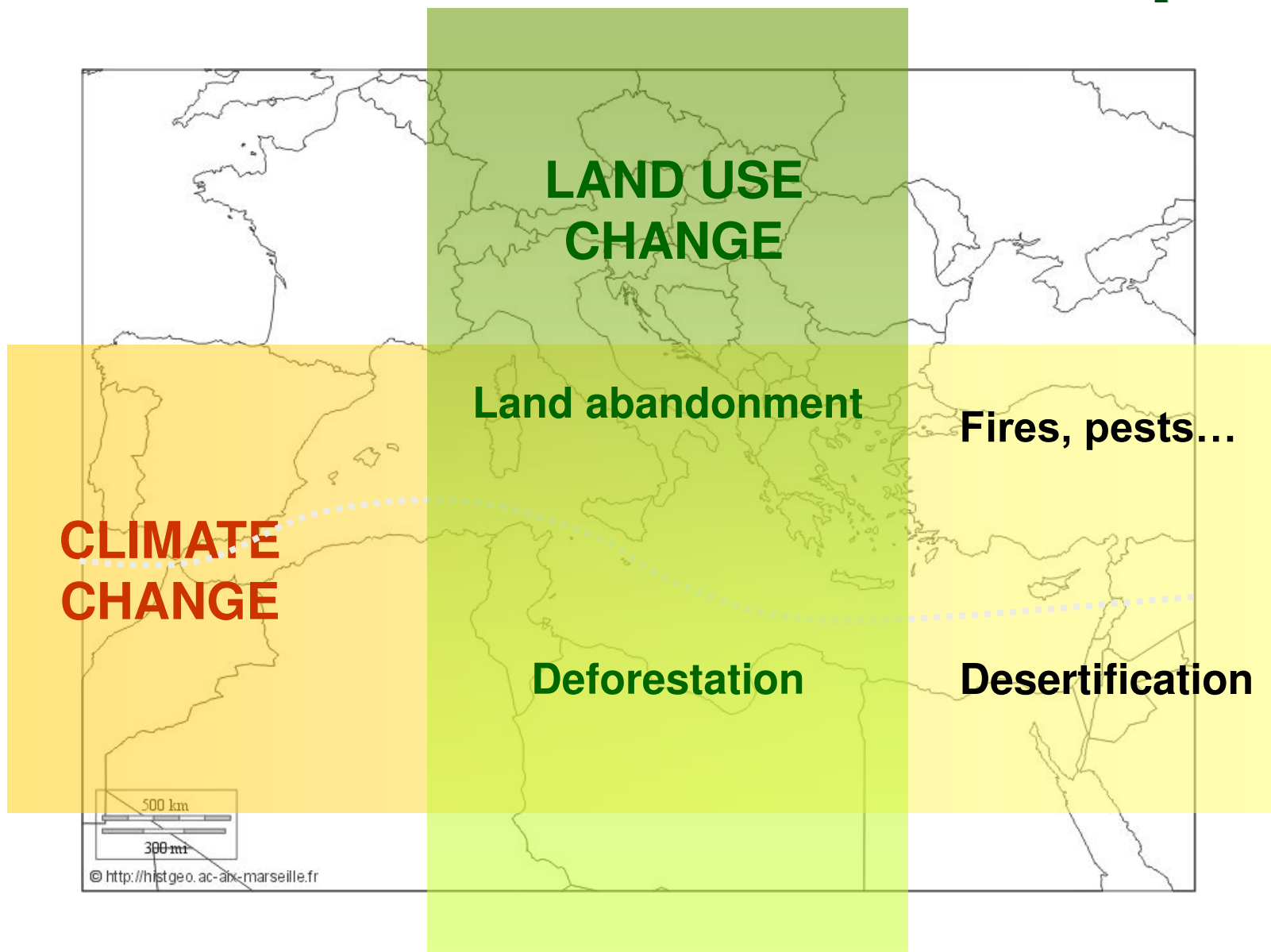
Mediterranean Network of Forestry Research and Innovation

## Forest research & innovation in the face of global change under different experience



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# Global change in the Mediterranean



**CLIMATE CHANGE**

**LAND USE CHANGE**

**Land abandonment**

**Fires, pests...**

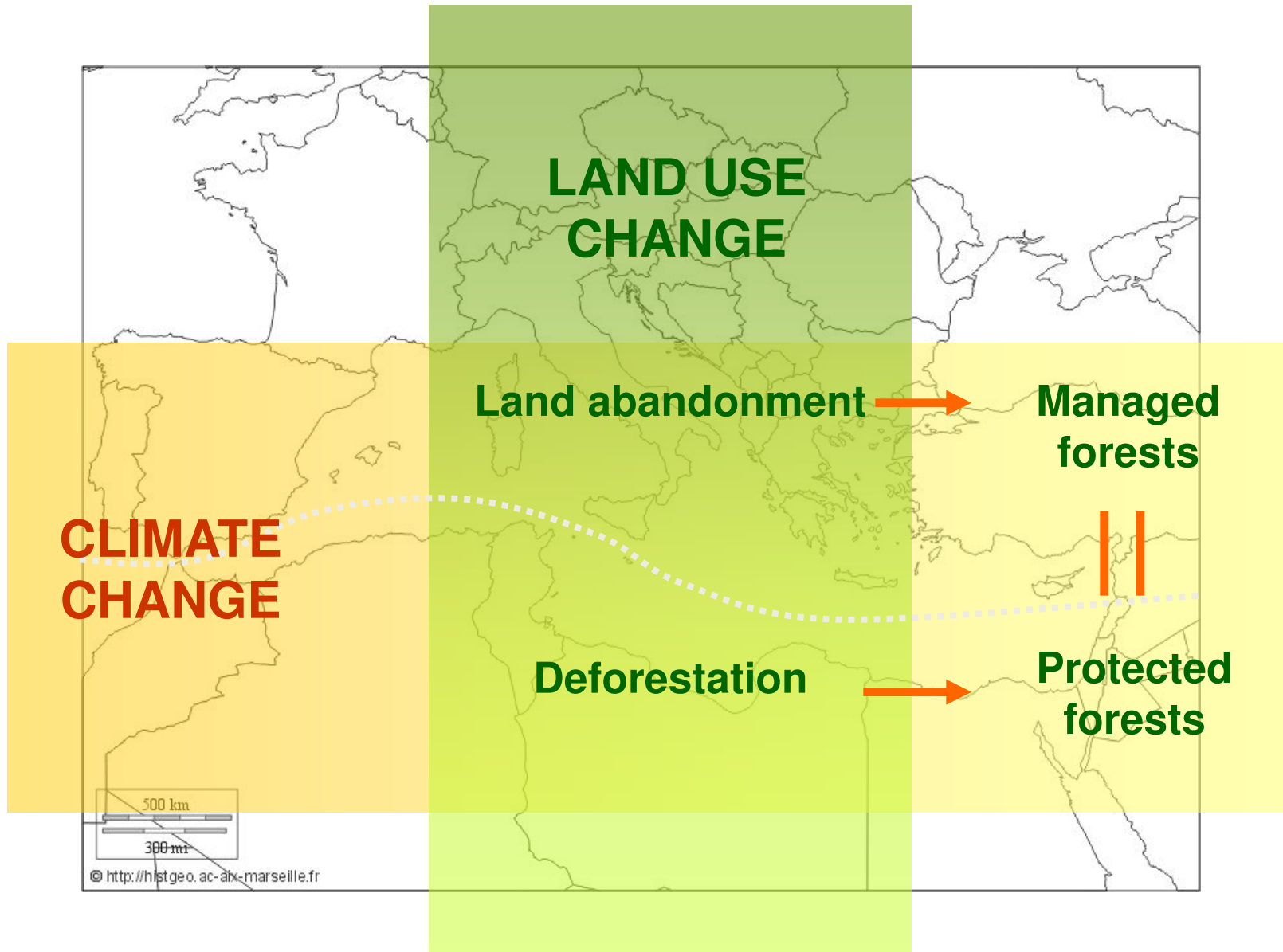
**Deforestation**

**Desertification**

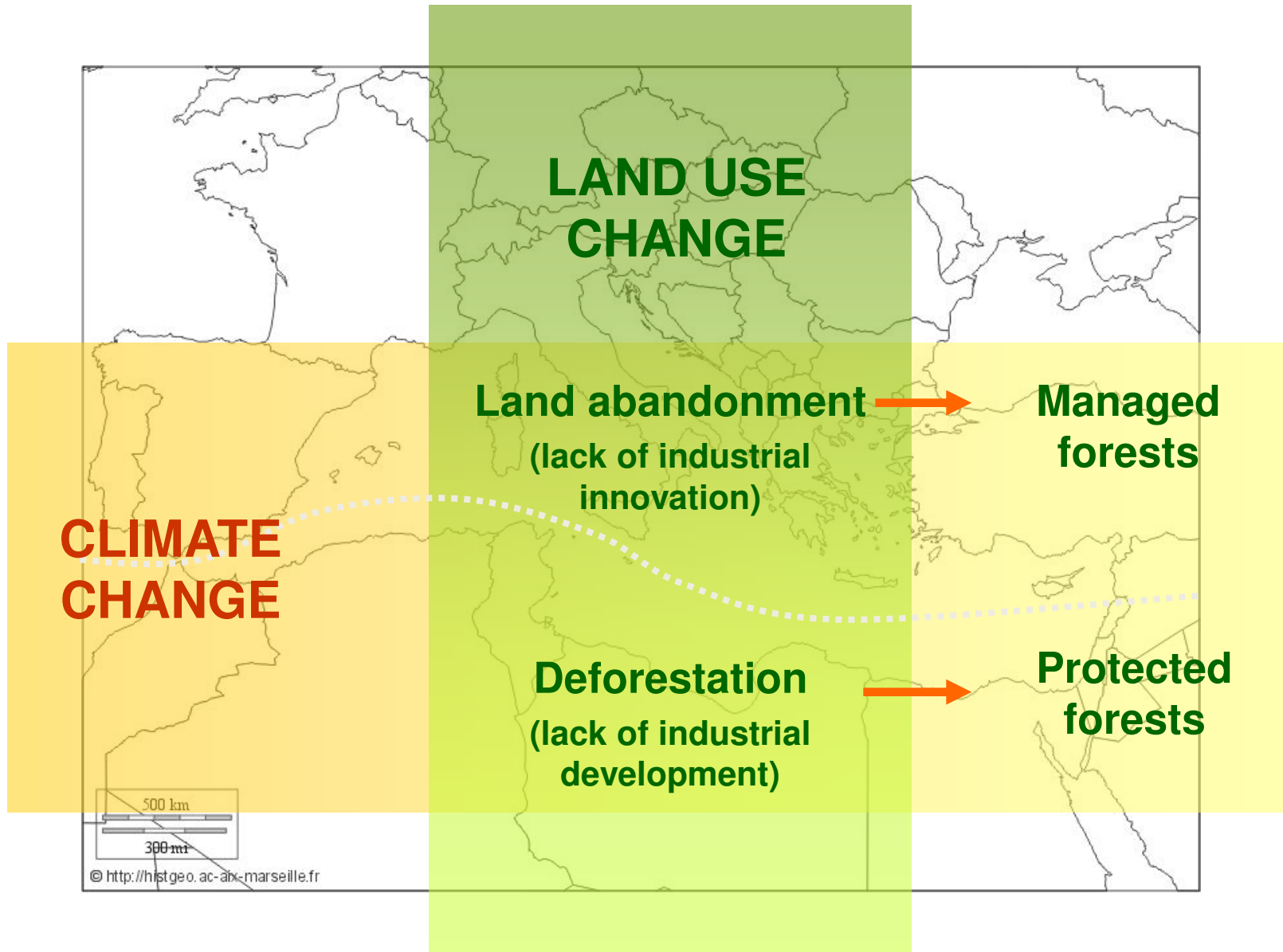


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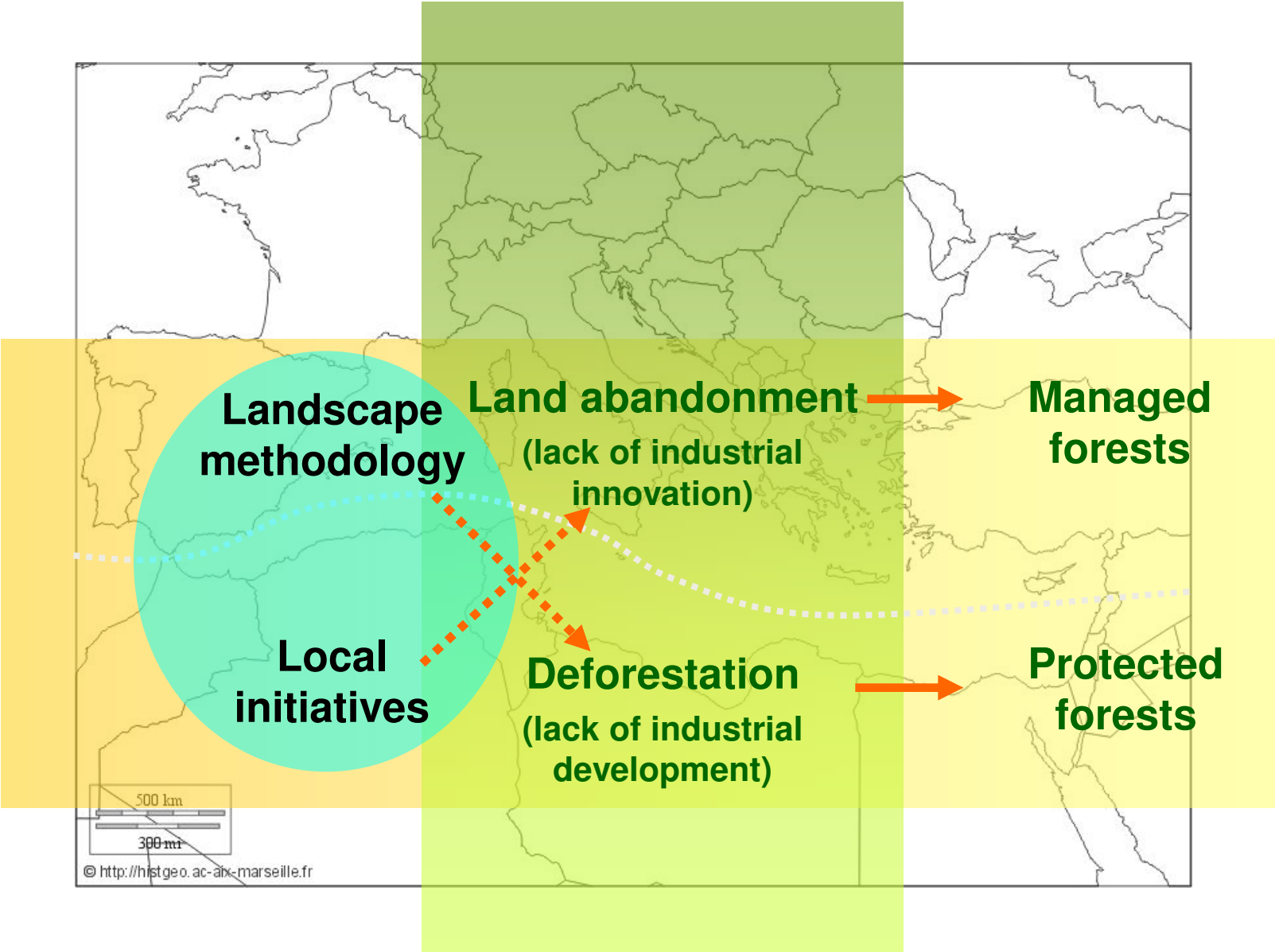
# What science can tell us?



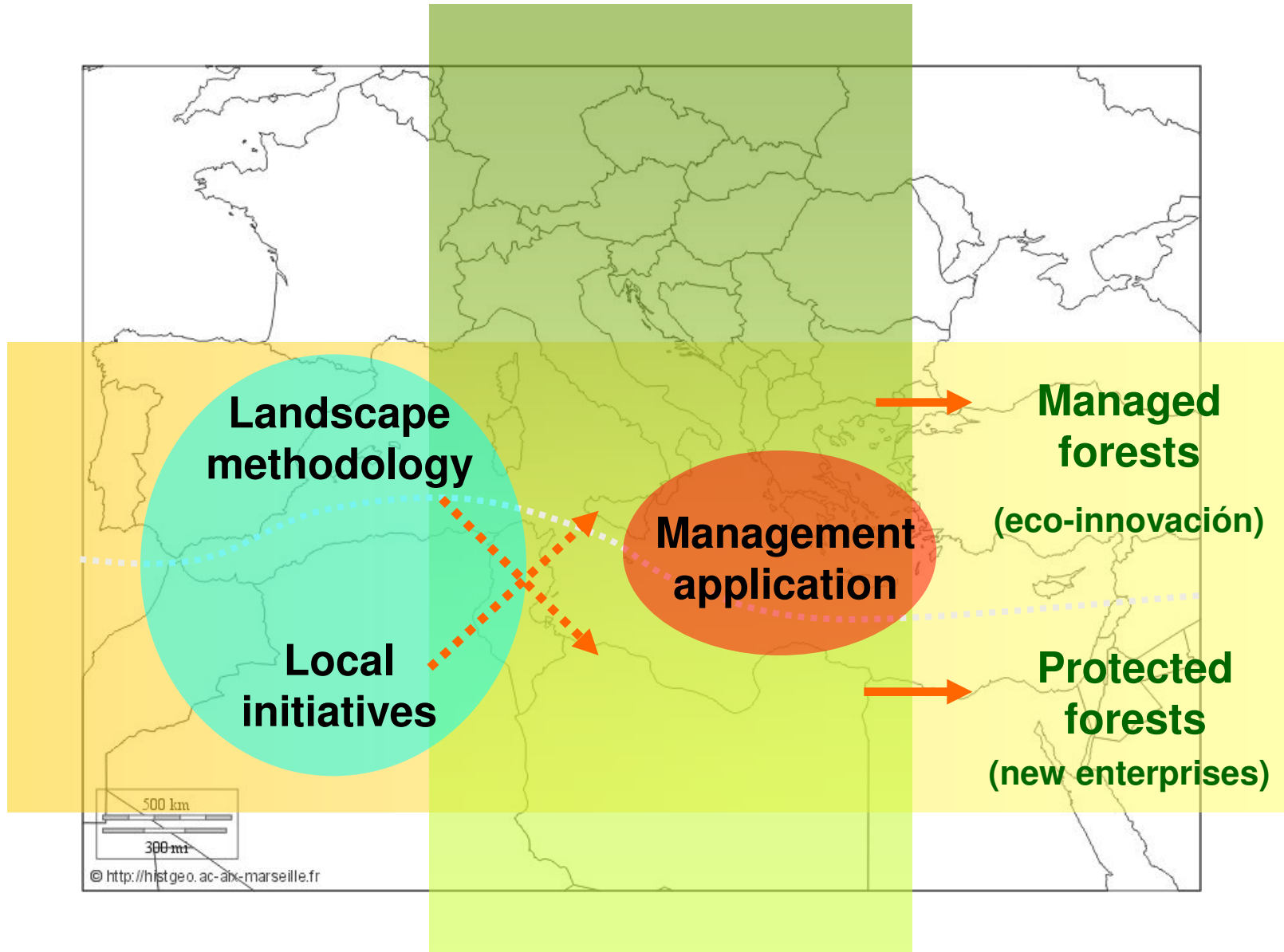
# Not only environmental pressures



# Different experience



# What innovation can provide?

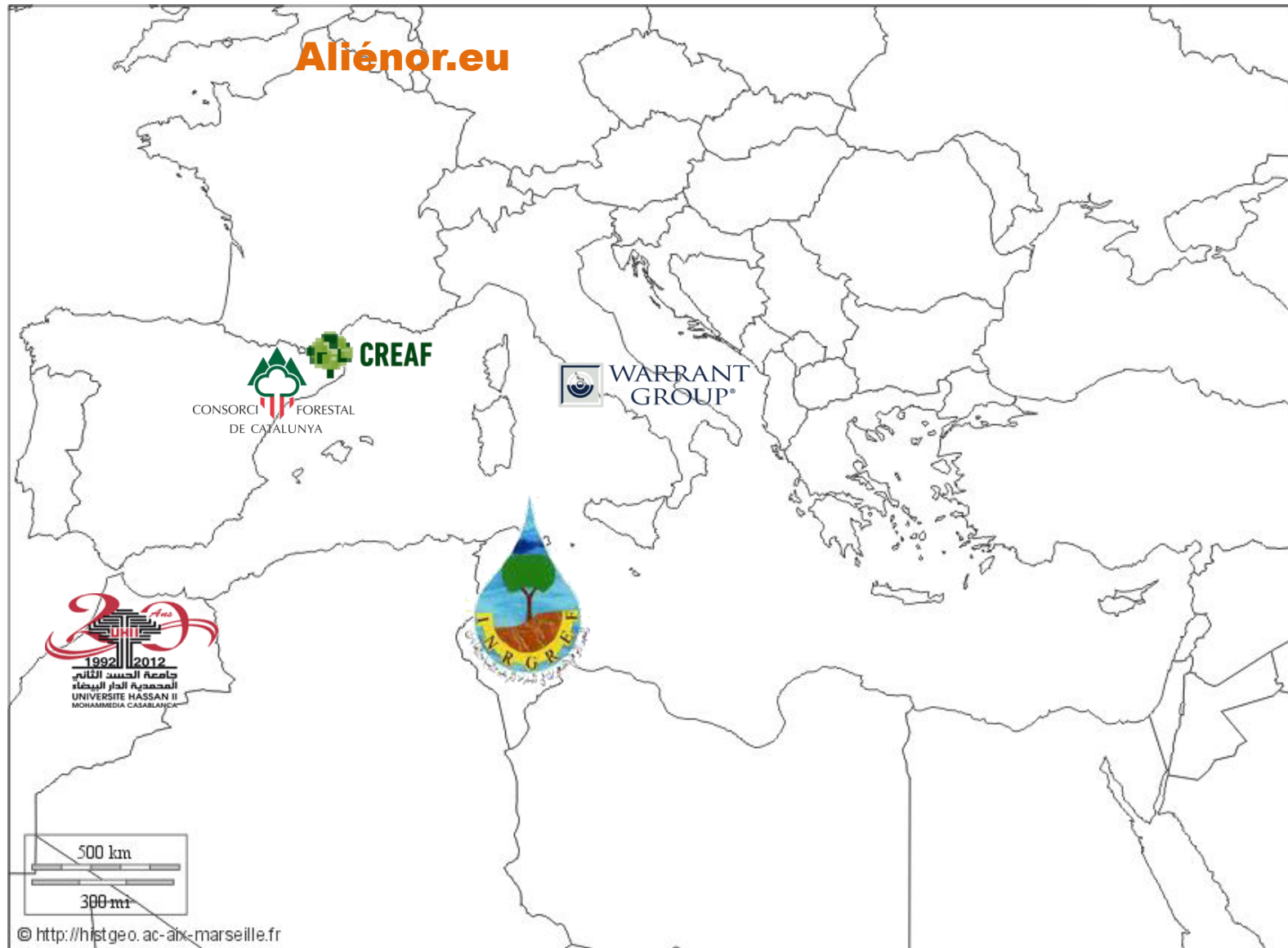


# ***MENFRI Objectives***



- A) To evaluate the available resources on the spatial distribution of forest goods and services
  - B) To compile the different forest management strategies and actions for their effective use in the face of global change
  - C) To obtain an overview the current situation of the forestry sector in the Mediterranean region
  - D) To establish a NETWORK OF FORESTRY related cooperatives, public-private partnerships and SMEs
  - E) To promote cross-border Mediterranean cooperation through training and sharing of knowledge
  - F) To provide with indicators and policies in order to evaluate the process towards forest innovation
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# MENFRI Consortium





# *Expected impact*



- Increase the integration of M-P countries in the European research
  - Promote innovation, knowledge sharing and its return on the industry and economy in M-EU and M-P countries
  - To make people aware about the needs of the forest sector in the face of global changes
  - To preserve our forests
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# *Propositions to partnership*



- 1) Participation to both projects meetings:
  - MENFRI SAG Meeting (Bologna, 17th Nov)
- 2) Common lobbying activities:
  - Mediterranean certification
  - Final event at European level
- 3) Training activities:
  - SIG and traditional management
  - Business innovation and H2020
- 4) Mutual involvement in the respective Project networks.

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