

# A sustainable new deal for Belgium

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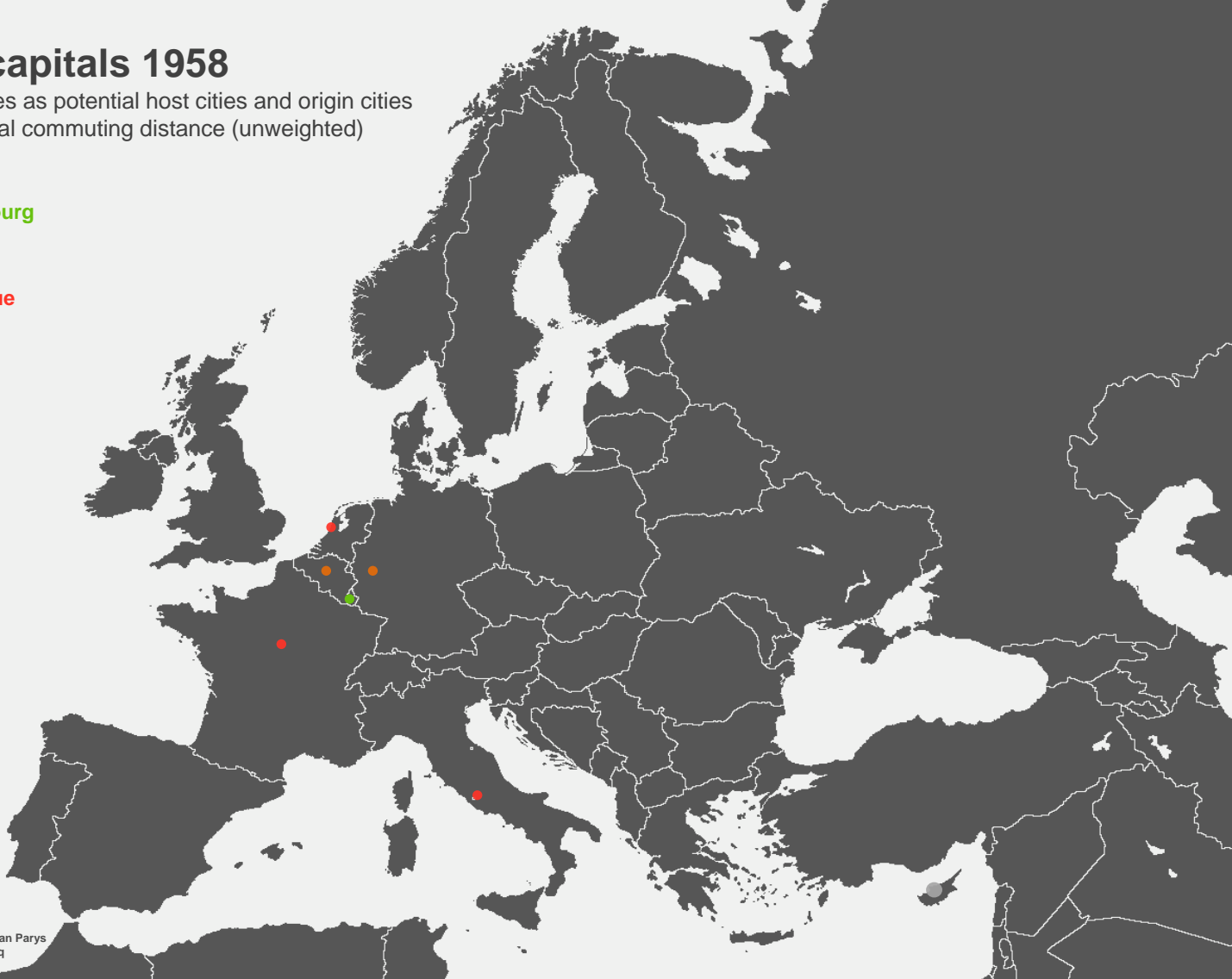
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1. Vérité des prix
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# EU 6 capitals 1958

Capital cities as potential host cities and origin cities  
Minimal total commuting distance (unweighted)

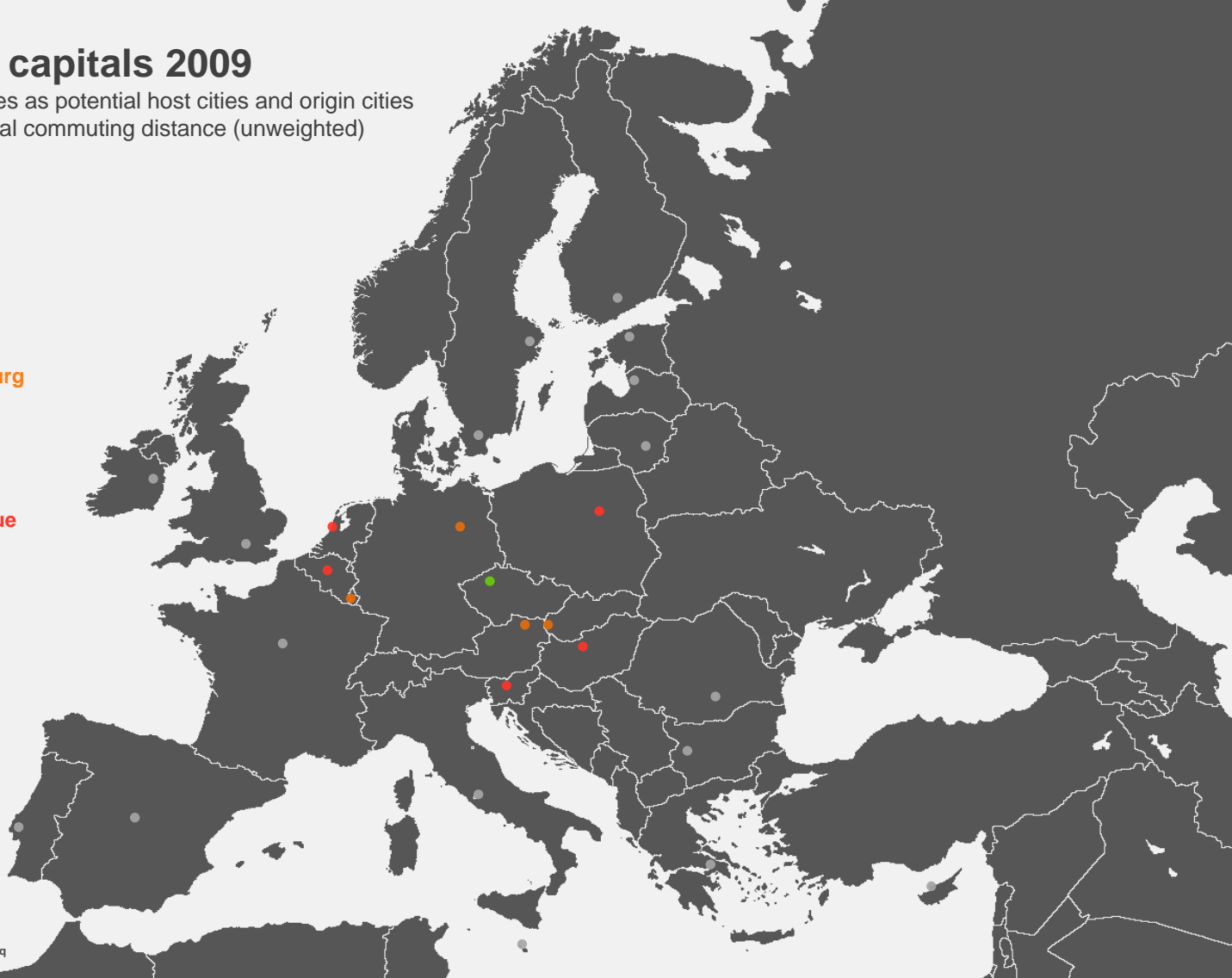
1. Luxembourg
2. Brussels
3. Bonn
4. The Hague
5. Paris
6. Rome



# EU 27 capitals 2009

Capital cities as potential host cities and origin cities  
Minimal total commuting distance (unweighted)

1. Prague
2. Vienna
3. Bratislava
4. Berlin
5. Luxembourg
6. Budapest
7. Ljubljana
8. Brussels
9. Warsaw
10. The Hague



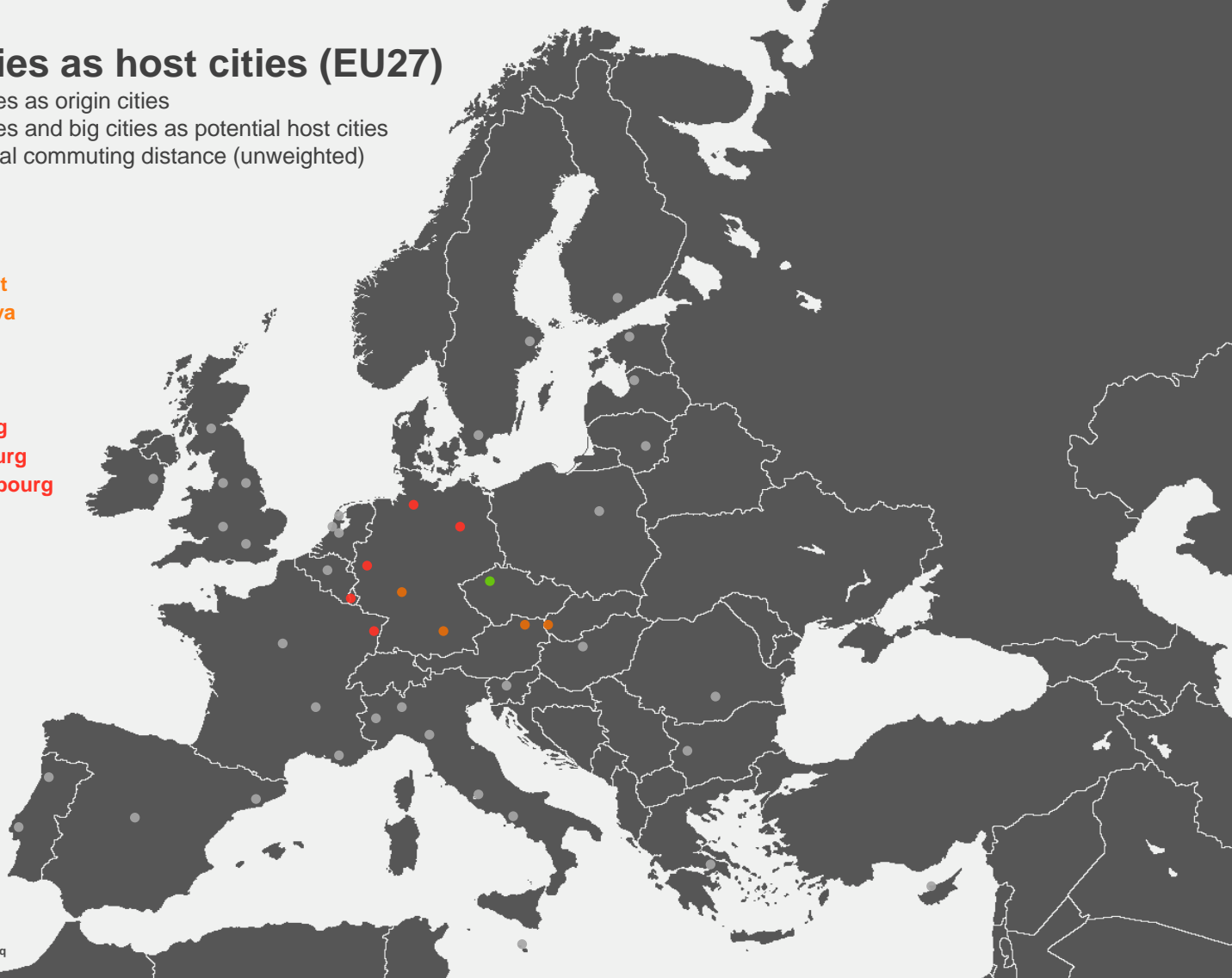
# All cities as host cities (EU27)

Capital cities as origin cities

Capital cities and big cities as potential host cities

Minimal total commuting distance (unweighted)

1. Prague
2. Vienna
3. Frankfurt
4. Bratislava
5. Munich
6. Berlin
7. Cologne
8. Hamburg
9. Strasbourg
10. Luxembourg



# Big cities

Big cities as origin cities

Capital cities and big cities as potential host cities

Minimal total commuting distance (weighted by population size of metropolitan areas)

1. Paris
2. Luxembourg
3. Brussels
4. Strasbourg
5. Lyon
6. Cologne
7. Frankfurt
8. Rotterdam
9. The Hague
10. London



# Sustainably reachable big cities

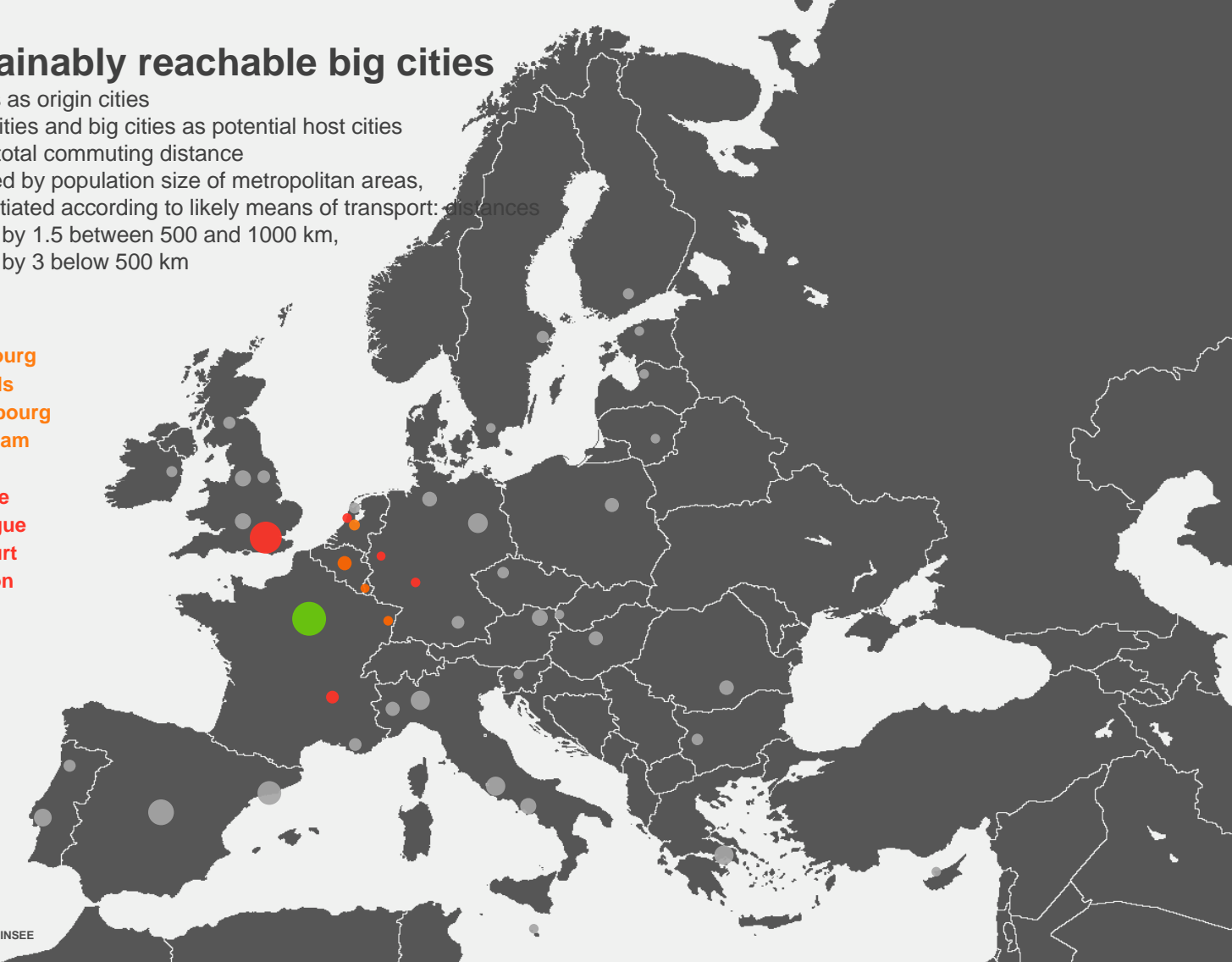
Big cities as origin cities

Capital cities and big cities as potential host cities

Minimal total commuting distance

- weighted by population size of metropolitan areas,
- differentiated according to likely means of transport: distances
  - divided by 1.5 between 500 and 1000 km,
  - divided by 3 below 500 km

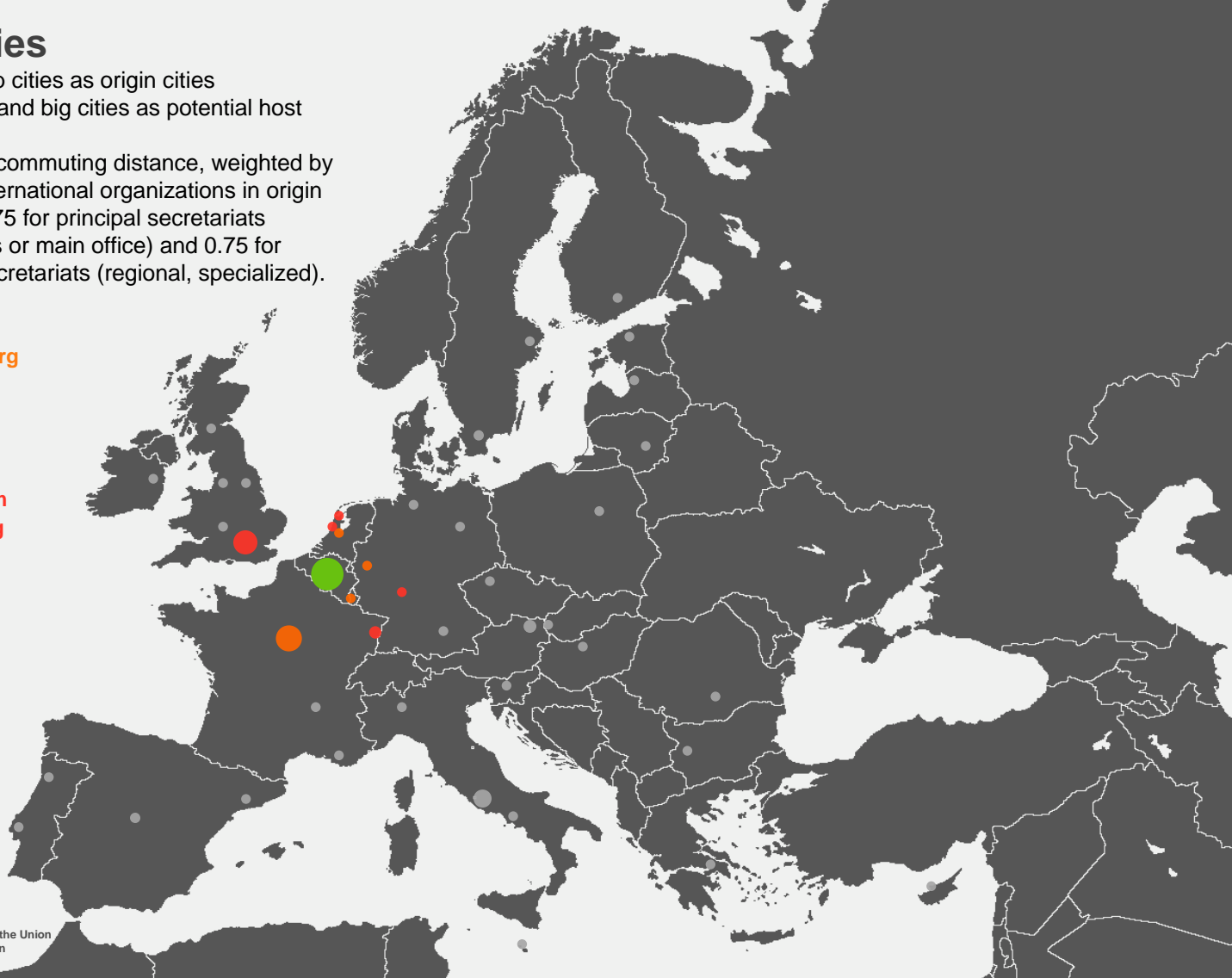
1. Paris
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# Hub cities

NGO/IGO hub cities as origin cities  
Capital cities and big cities as potential host cities  
Minimal total commuting distance, weighted by number of international organizations in origin cities, with 0.75 for principal secretariats (headquarters or main office) and 0.75 for secondary secretariats (regional, specialized).

- 1. Brussels
- 2. Luxembourg
- 3. Paris
- 4. Rotterdam
- 5. Cologne
- 6. The Hague
- 7. Amsterdam
- 8. Strasbourg
- 9. Frankfurt
- 10. London



Source: Yearbook 2008 of the Union of International Association

# “Sustainably reachable” hub cities

NGO/IGO hub cities as origin cities

Capital cities and big cities as potential host cities

Minimal total commuting distance,

- weighted by number of international organizations with principal or secondary secretariats in origin cities,

- differentiated according to likely means of transport: distances

- divided by 1.5 between 500 and 1000 km,

- divided by 3 below 500 km)

1. Brussels

2. Rotterdam

3. Paris

4. Luxembourg

5. The Hague

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