Nuclear power is a good idea for France ?

Nuclear power remains an important source of potentials for France in several areas: Economic, political, and military. Despite the risks involved, it's a real advantage for our economic business model.

In fact, nuclear power is the most used energy for the french electricity consumption: about 75 % of our electricity is produced via the nuclear. At that point, the nuclear energy is no longer an option because we couldn't do without. Also, the German government wanted stopped its production of nuclear energy to get recyclable energy, however to overcome the energy hole they import a large amount of electricity produced by nuclear power, sold by France. Nuclear power is not only necessary for our consumption, but also supports our (economic) business model.

Moreover, nuclear power is also a useful power for France, since we get this power we're one of the few nations to get nuclear weapons. This is a very powerful protection which strongly discourage our potential enemies. Some peoples see this aspect as a shield to prevent wars. In addition, except to preserve the war, nuclear weapons highlights the France in the eyes of other countries.

However, we can't just see the positive aspects. Nuclear power is also a potential source of risks because the danger is clear: the age of the plants is a potential source of serious accident. France has a very substantial nuclear energy park, and if just one plant explodes, the damage would be considerable (for instance, Tchernobyl, an entire region of Siberia is now deserted, and the region be representing a large part of France).

Finally, we can summarize that nuclear power is a good idea, a real challenge and even vital for the economy and the political status of France, but even if its positive sides are good for us, we must not forget the consequences that nuclear could has. We should also ask us to where we can develop this sector, or rather where should we stop to limit the risks.