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serveurDEDIE publishes its first connectivity measurements for Belgium

serveurDEDIE names Perceval the best Belgium Internet operator for serveurDEDIE connectivity. In second and third place are Online and UUnet Belgium.

serveurDEDIE continuously monitors its connectivity to the 20 major Belgium operators from Washington DC. Those measurements collected from a multi-connected hosting center evaluate the accessibility of BE operators from the USA.

This first survey for Belgium is based on 6-month measurements from Oct 1999 to March 2000. Based on these measurements serveurDEDIE names Perceval the best Belgium Internet operator for serveurDEDIE connectivity. Perceval achieved a 99.00 % transmitted packet rate over the period.

Online, a company recently acquired by Cable & Wireless, ranks second. UUnet Belgium ranks third.

We can categorize operators in 4 groups based on their corrected transmitted packet rate. One operator namely Perceval ranks over 99 out of 100 which means superior quality connectivity. Nine operators scored between 97 and 99, i.e. good quality. One operator obtained medium quality (between 97 and 96) and 2 operators were labeled with insufficient quality (below 96).

The full report with results, graphs and raw data is available online at:
<http://www.serveurDEDIE.com/stats/BE/rapports/6mois/>

The next Belgium report to be published is the "BE 2000 report" in Jan 2001.

About serveurDEDIE

serveurDEDIE is a product line of dedicated Internet server hosting based on the digitalNATION, a VERIO company, service range. TBS owns serveurDEDIE and markets digitalNATION services in France since 1997. digitalNATION is the world's leading provider of dedicated server web hosting with over 2,600 servers online. digitalNATION operates a unique hosting center connected to the Internet via 9 different transit operators for maximum redundancy and quality.

serveurDEDIE measures connectivity to Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, Luxemburg, The Netherlands and France. Free and fee-based reports are available online at:
<http://www.serveurDEDIE.com/stats/>



A propos de tbs internet

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Partenaire de Thawte / VeriSign – Comodo – Géotrust et Chambersign, **tbs internet** commercialise les certificats de ces marques, ainsi que ses propres certificats sous la marque « TBS X509 ».

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- Présent depuis 1996 sur le marché français, **tbs internet** est le plus pointu dans son secteur d'activité ;
- Il assure la livraison de plus de 40% des certificats serveurs en France ;
- Grâce à son expertise dans le domaine des règles de certification, il sait négocier les demandes les plus complexes auprès des Autorités de Certification ;
- Partenaire de toutes les grandes autorités de certification, il est devenu un conseil assuré pour choisir le certificat le mieux adapté ;
- **tbs internet** assure des services à la carte :
 - Pour faciliter les démarches, un interlocuteur et un guichet unique pour tous les certificats,
 - Des bureaux en France favorisant la compréhension avec les autorités de certification basées essentiellement à l'étranger,
 - Une interface de gestion de parcs de certificats facilitant la vie des entreprises.