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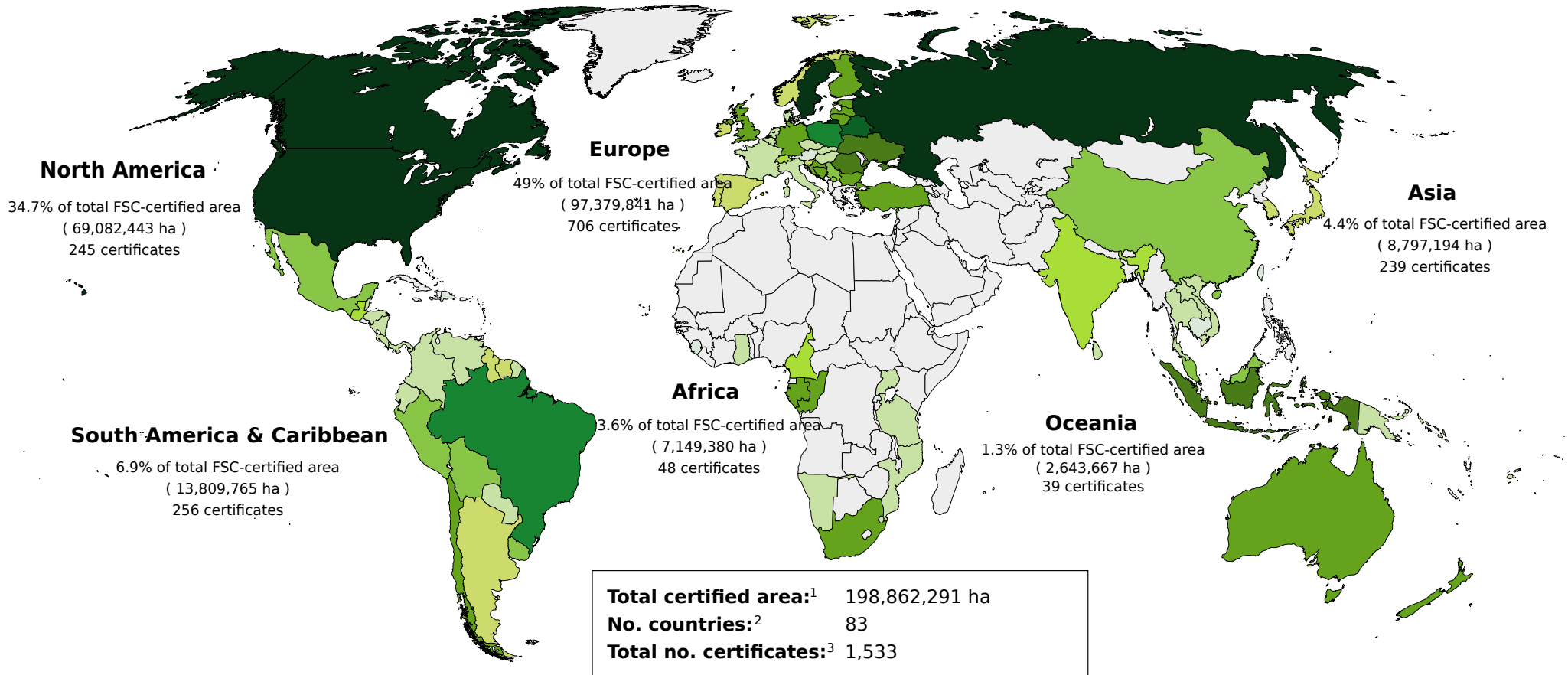


FSC Facts & Figures

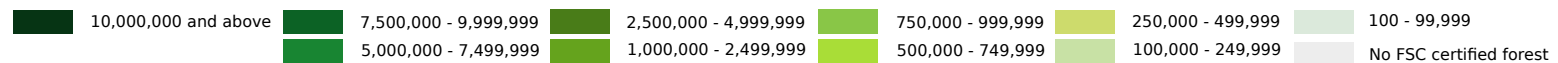
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Global FSC-certified forest area



Total FSC-certified forest area in ha



Based on numbers from FSC International
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Global FSC-certified Area and Number of Certificates: by region and country

Africa	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMEROON	697,643	3
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	2,410,693	4
GABON	2,042,616	3
GHANA	11,517	2
MOZAMBIQUE	50,753	2
NAMIBIA	199,913	5
SIERRA LEONE	3,137	1
SOUTH AFRICA	1,414,755	19
SWAZILAND	123,824	4
TANZANIA, UNITED	153,655	2
UGANDA	40,875	3
Total	7,149,380	48

Asia	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMBODIA	7,896	1
CHINA	963,174	71
INDIA	521,510	7
INDONESIA	3,075,371	39
JAPAN	403,065	35
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	395,885	8
LAOS	18,010	3
MALAYSIA	755,404	13
SRI LANKA	17,501	3
TAIWAN	1,677	5
THAILAND	55,741	16
TURKEY	2,348,136	7
VIETNAM	233,824	31
Total	8,797,194	239

Europe	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRIA	587	2
BELARUS	8,651,855	60
BELGIUM	24,036	3
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1,555,403	5
BULGARIA	1,464,607	27
CROATIA	2,044,714	3
CZECH REPUBLIC	52,729	5
DENMARK	212,739	4
ESTONIA	1,428,797	8
FINLAND	1,478,032	7
FRANCE	43,423	7
GERMANY	1,157,110	59
HUNGARY	225,152	4
IRELAND	446,222	2
ITALY	63,744	17
LATVIA	1,022,196	15
LITHUANIA	1,124,444	46
LUXEMBOURG	22,062	3
NETHERLANDS	178,086	4
NORWAY	444,750	5
POLAND	6,936,347	19
PORTUGAL	391,399	34
ROMANIA	2,659,538	26
RUSSIA	45,755,211	151
SERBIA	963,955	3
SLOVAKIA	146,832	10
SLOVENIA	264,971	2
SPAIN	258,334	26
SWEDEN	12,216,185	23
SWITZERLAND	616,130	8
UKRAINE	3,917,245	84
UNITED KINGDOM	1,613,005	34

Total	97,379,841	706
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Latin America & Caribbean	Total area (ha)	No.
ARGENTINA	468,003	11
BELIZE	197,122	2
BOLIVIA	981,862	8
BRAZIL	6,378,066	114
CHILE	2,278,050	23
COLOMBIA	155,955	10
COSTA RICA	38,939	13
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	365	1
ECUADOR	57,466	4
GUATEMALA	507,822	11
GUYANA	371,680	1
HONDURAS	17,815	1
NICARAGUA	22,910	6
PANAMA	22,501	8
PARAGUAY	38,880	4
PERU	805,732	11
SURINAME	363,090	4
URUGUAY	947,667	22
VENEZUELA	155,839	2
Total	13,809,765	256

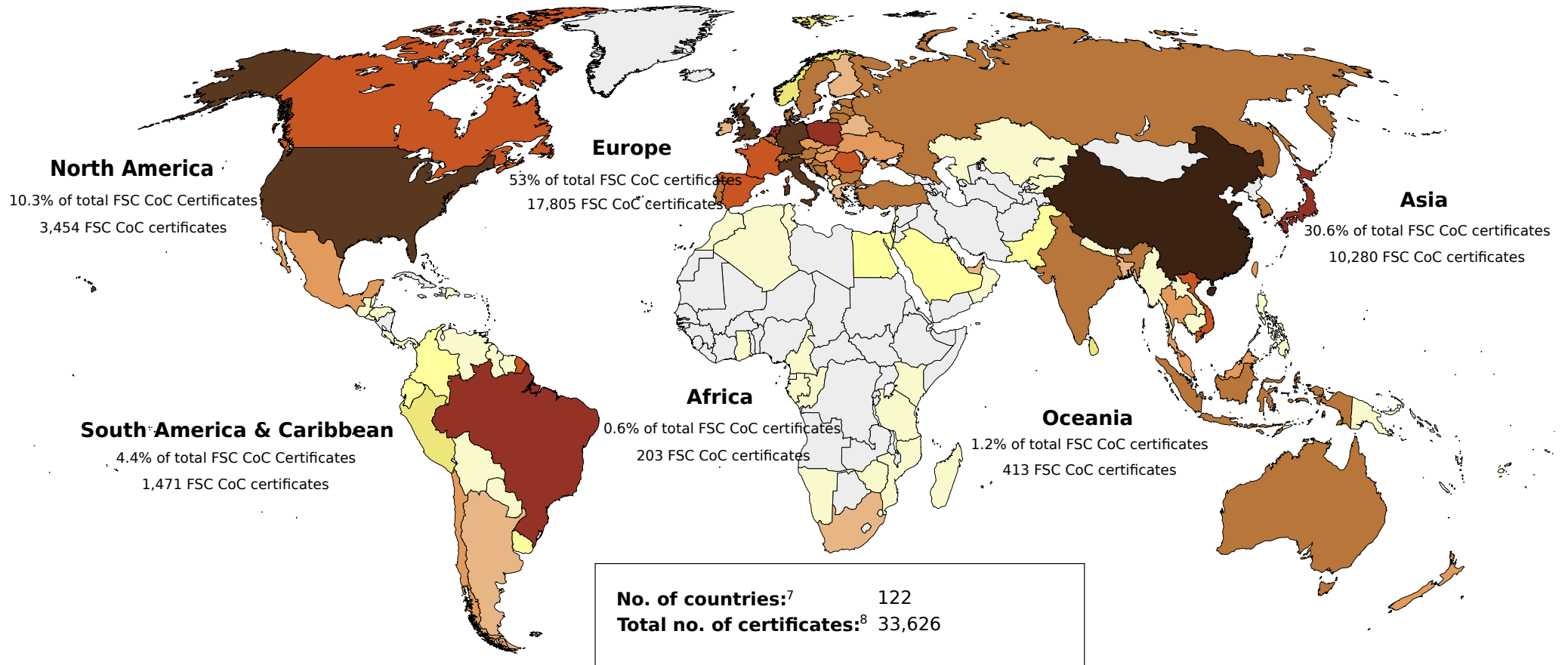
North America	Total area (ha)	No.
CANADA	54,526,287	63
MEXICO	808,233	78
UNITED STATES	13,747,923	104
Total	69,082,443	245



Oceania	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRALIA	1,210,528	13
FIJI	85,385	1
NEW ZEALAND	1,270,778	21
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	37,575	3
SOLOMON ISLANDS	39,401	1
Total	2,643,667	39

Number of countries:⁴ 83
Total number of certificates:⁵ 1,533
Total FSC-certified forest area:⁶ 198,862,291

Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates



Number of FSC CoC certificates



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Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates: by region and country

Africa	No.
ALGERIA	1
CAMEROON	10
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	3
EGYPT	30
GABON	10
GHANA	6
KENYA	1
MADAGASCAR	1
MAURITIUS	1
MOROCCO	6
MOZAMBIQUE	2
NAMIBIA	7
SEYCHELLES	3
SOUTH AFRICA	114
SWAZILAND	2
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	1
TUNISIA	4
ZIMBABWE	1
Total	203

Asia	No.
BAHRAIN	1
BANGLADESH	88
CAMBODIA	2
CHINA	5,529
HONG KONG	637
INDIA	409
INDONESIA	260
ISRAEL	23
JAPAN	1,299
KAZAKHSTAN	1
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	254
KUWAIT	1
KYRGYZSTAN	2
LAOS	3
LEBANON	22

MACAU	1
MALAYSIA	180
MYANMAR	1
NEPAL	2
OMAN	4
PAKISTAN	20
PHILIPPINES	14
QATAR	14
SAUDI ARABIA	15
SINGAPORE	132
SRI LANKA	31
TAIWAN	218
THAILAND	135
TURKEY	277
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	117
VIETNAM	588
Total	10,280

Europe	No.
ALBANIA	2
AUSTRIA	286
BELARUS	119
BELGIUM	279
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	306
BULGARIA	391
CROATIA	277
CYPRUS	14
CZECH REPUBLIC	226
DENMARK	297
ESTONIA	256
FINLAND	122
FRANCE	758
GERMANY	2,222
GIBRALTAR	1
GREECE	77
HUNGARY	144
IRELAND	123

ITALY	2,200
LATVIA	309
LIECHTENSTEIN	5
LITHUANIA	293
LUXEMBOURG	12
MACEDONIA	7
MALTA	12
MONACO	3
NETHERLANDS	1,218
NORWAY	54
POLAND	1,655
PORTUGAL	261
ROMANIA	633
RUSSIA	455
SAN MARINO	4
SERBIA	165
SLOVAKIA	135
SLOVENIA	217
SPAIN	913
SWEDEN	345
SWITZERLAND	467
UKRAINE	212
UNITED KINGDOM	2,330
Total	17,805

Latin America & Caribbean	No.
ARGENTINA	112
BAHAMAS	1
BELIZE	1
BOLIVIA	12
BRAZIL	1,016
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	8
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1
CHILE	163
COLOMBIA	29
COSTA RICA	8
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2



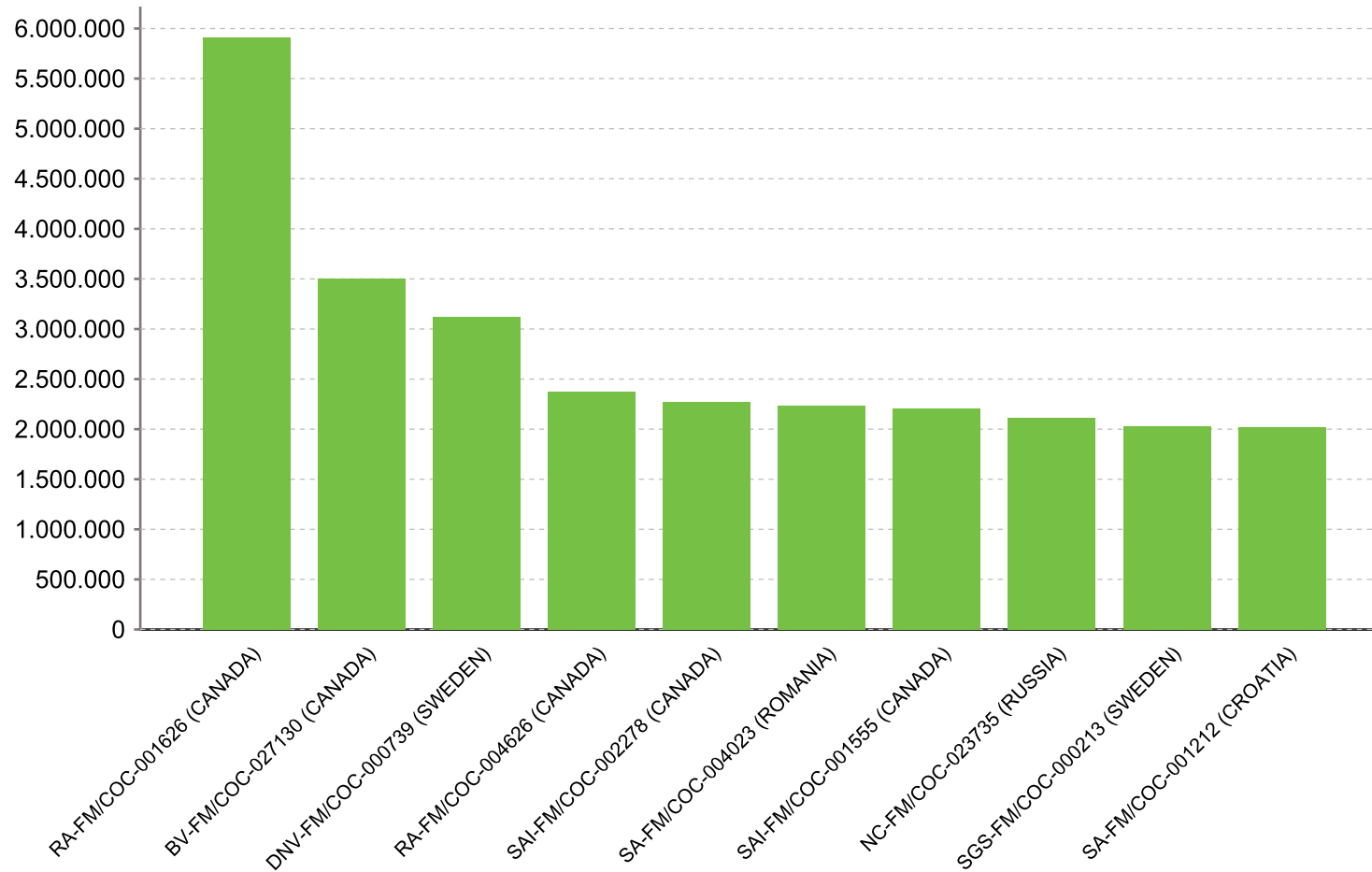
ECUADOR	16
EL SALVADOR	4
GUATEMALA	11
GUYANA	3
HONDURAS	3
PANAMA	3
PARAGUAY	7
PERU	37
PUERTO RICO	2
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	1
SURINAME	6
URUGUAY	19
VENEZUELA	6
Total	1,471

North America	No.
CANADA	694
MEXICO	148
UNITED STATES	2,612
Total	3,454

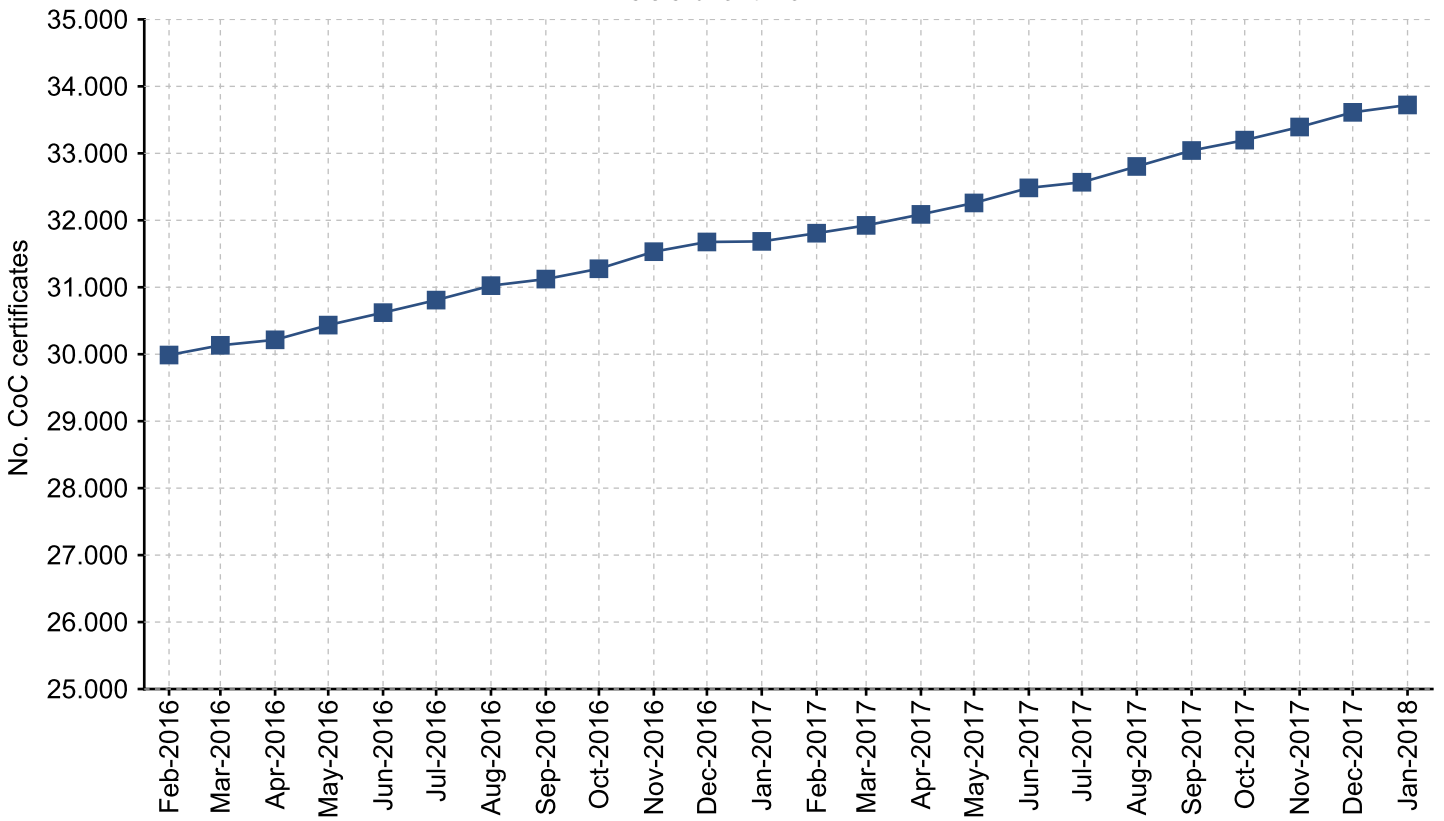
Oceania	No.
AUSTRALIA	263
FIJI	2
NEW ZEALAND	145
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	2
SAMOA	1
Total	413

Number of Countries: ⁹	122
Total number of certificates: ¹⁰	33,626

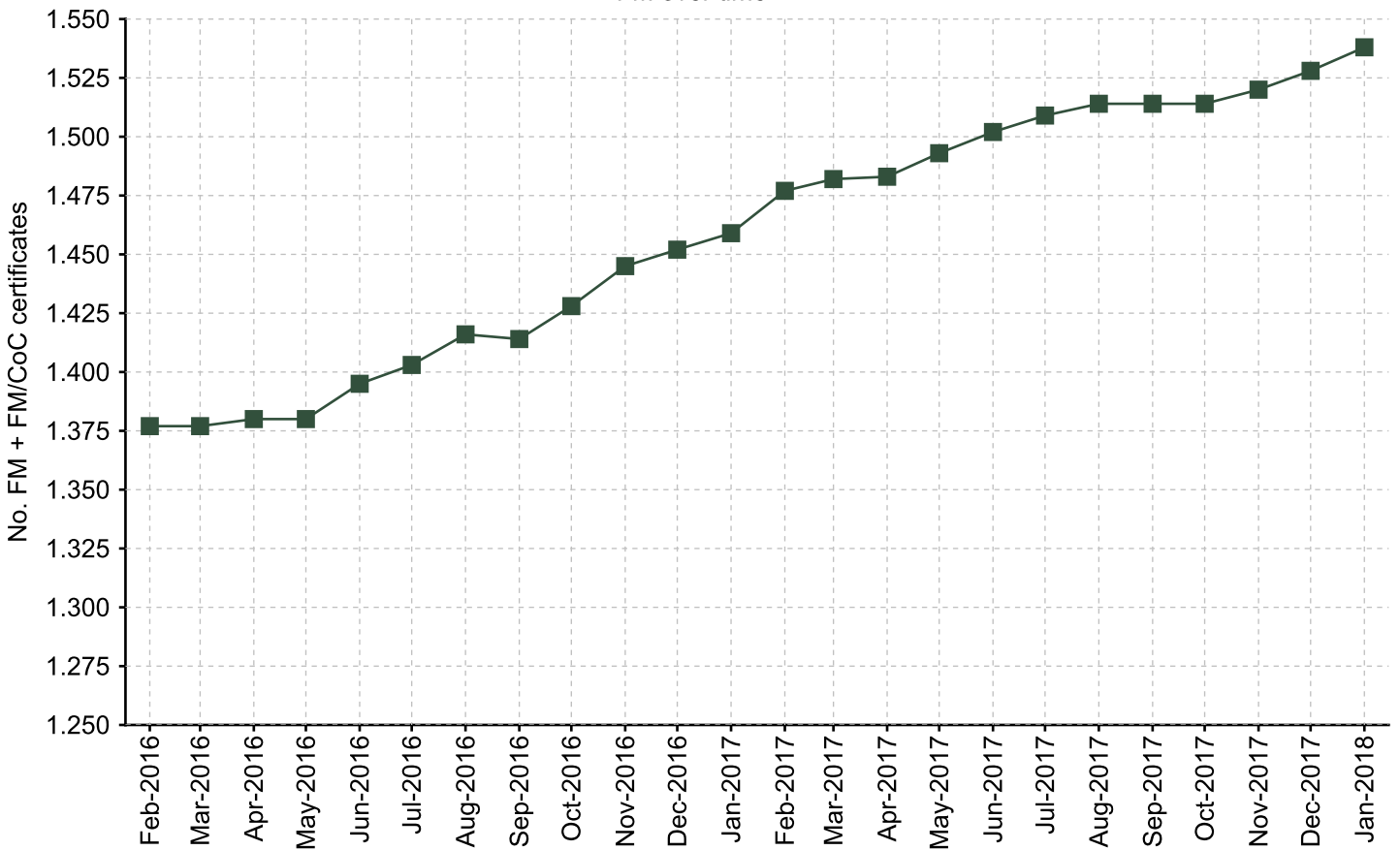
Ten largest FSC certificates



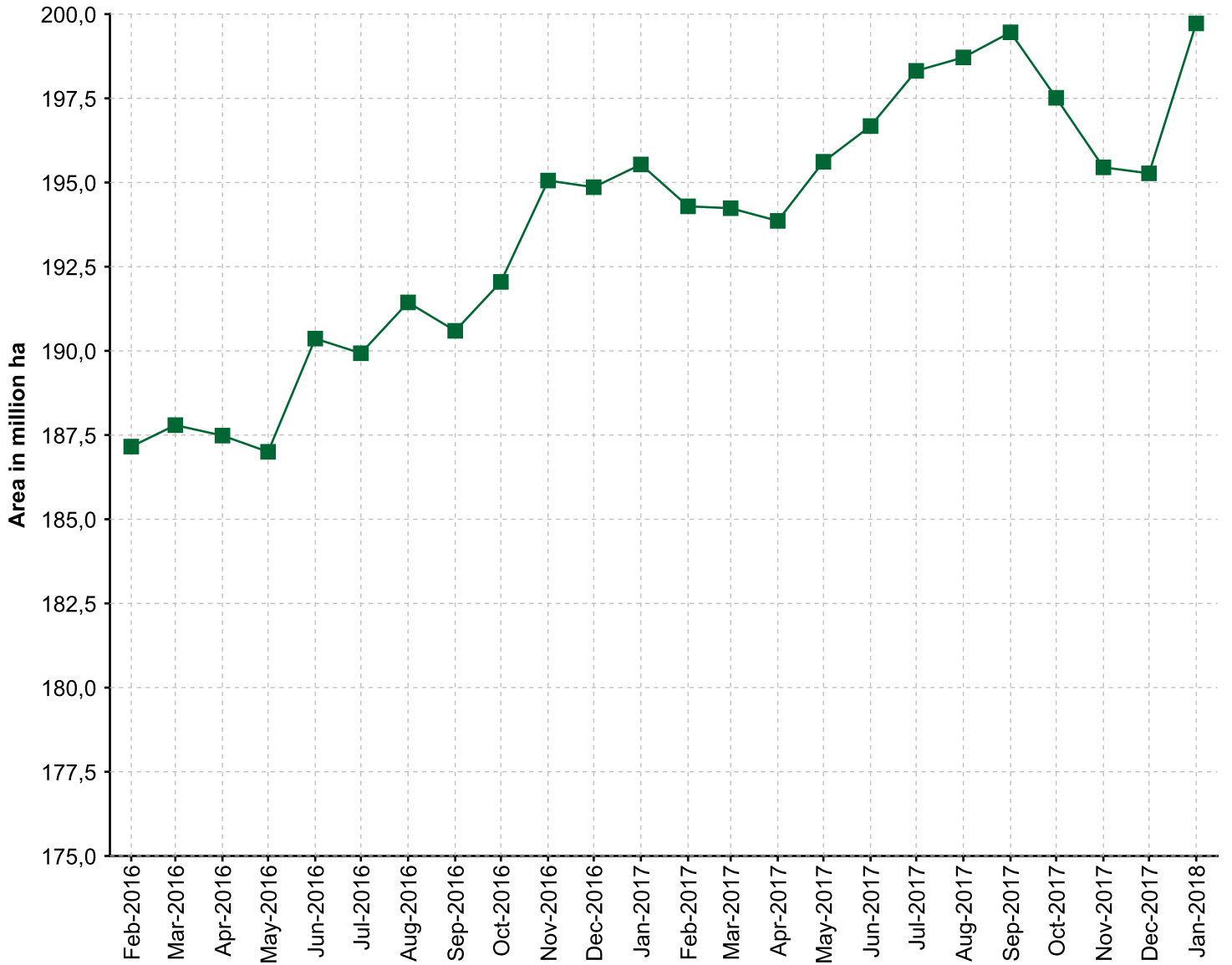
COC over time



FM over time



Area over time



Endnotes:

- ¹ Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates).
- ² Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC forest management certificates (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates) are issued.
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Note: Being FSC Forest Management certified means that the certified entity is **verified by a third party** to be in compliance with the FSC Principles and Criteria as outlined in the applicable National, Regional or Generic Forest Management Standard.



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