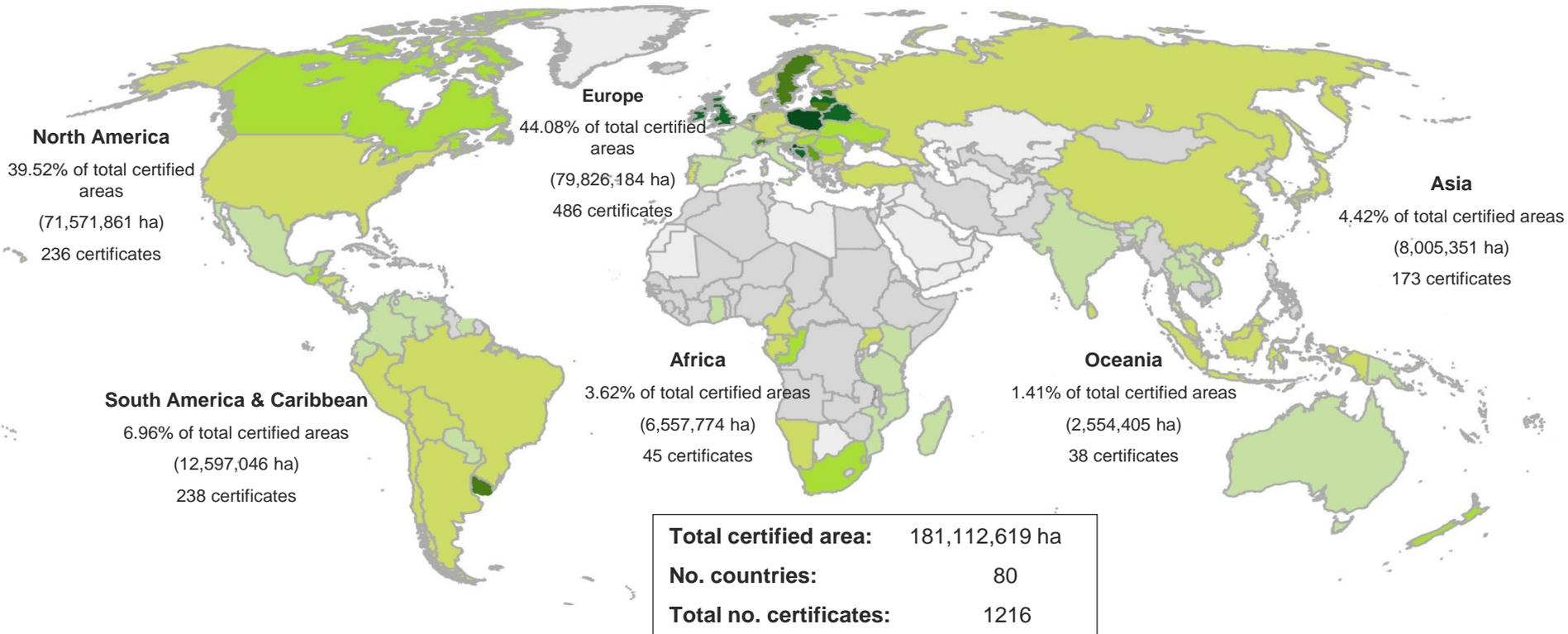




Global FSC certificates: type and distribution

September 2013

Global FSC certified forest area: by region



Percentage of total FSC certified forest area



EXPLANATION

Country name
Hectare certified forest

(= % of total forest cover / % of production forest cover)
% increase or decrease since August 2012

Based on numbers from FSC International and FAO Forestry Paper
February 2013

Global FSC certified forest area: by region

Africa	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMEROON	1,013,374	5
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	1,574,310	2
GABON	1,873,505	3
GHANA	1,675	1
KENYA	628	1
MOZAMBIQUE	51,550	2
NAMIBIA	240,837	4
SOUTH AFRICA	1,543,777	19
SWAZILAND	112,308	3
TANZANIA, UNITED	112,779	2
UGANDA	33,030	3
Grand total	6,557,774	45

Asia	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMBODIA	12,746	1
CHINA	2,881,609	59
INDIA	418,018	6
INDONESIA	1,679,117	25
JAPAN	400,692	35
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	375,175	11
LAOS	105,100	4
MALAYSIA	464,568	6
NEPAL	14,145	1
SRI LANKA	31,474	5
THAILAND	193,573	7
TURKEY	1,380,123	5
VIETNAM	49,010	8
Grand total	8,005,351	173

Europe	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRIA	575	2
BELARUS	5,735,508	24
BELGIUM	21,374	2
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1,289,151	4
BULGARIA	194,268	11
CROATIA (Hrvatska)	2,038,296	3
CZECH REPUBLIC	50,185	4
DENMARK	198,664	5
ESTONIA	1,141,098	3
FINLAND	431,813	5
FRANCE	19,463	7
GERMANY	570,791	54
HUNGARY	321,561	6
IRELAND	446,591	3
ITALY	33,723	13
LATVIA	1,740,297	14
LITHUANIA	1,058,750	43
LUXEMBOURG	20,404	3
NETHERLANDS	169,684	7
NORWAY	266,336	5
POLAND	6,998,775	19
PORTUGAL	327,763	17
ROMANIA	2,413,319	8
RUSSIA	37,725,812	103
SERBIA	998,193	3
SLOVAKIA	144,541	4
SLOVENIA	256,096	2
SPAIN	149,464	19
SWEDEN	11,676,119	24
SWITZERLAND	610,868	13

UKRAINE	1,209,078	9
UNITED KINGDOM	1,567,623	47
Grand total	79,826,184	486

Latin America & Caribbean	Total area (ha)	No.
ARGENTINA	259,757	12
BELIZE	169,932	2
BOLIVIA	907,897	9
BRAZIL	7,277,980	96
CHILE	1,150,018	20
COLOMBIA	113,520	6
COSTA RICA	33,104	14
ECUADOR	53,765	4
GUATEMALA	433,596	11
HONDURAS	107,343	3
NICARAGUA	27,753	7
PANAMA	51,216	9
PARAGUAY	19,487	2
PERU	915,365	14
SURINAME	113,769	2
URUGUAY	822,956	26
VENEZUELA	139,588	1
Grand total	12,597,046	238

North America	Total area (ha)	No.
CANADA	56,521,182	73
MEXICO	742,669	38
UNITED STATES	14,308,009	125
Grand total	71,571,861	236

*FSC certified area includes forest management (FM) as well as forest management and chain of custody (FM/COC) certificates. Also relevant for charts in this presentation

Global FSC certified forest area: by region

Oceania	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRALIA	841,693	14
NEW ZEALAND	1,487,489	19
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	160,670	2
SOLOMON ISLANDS	64,553	3
Grand total	2,554,405	38

Information as of 15/08/2013

No. countries: 80

Total no. certificates: 1216

Total Area 181,112,619

Global FSC chain of custody certificates: by region

Africa	No.
CAMEROON	12
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	2
COTE D'IVOIRE	1
EGYPT	12
GABON	9
GHANA	6
LIBERIA	1
MADAGASCAR	2
MOROCCO	4
MOZAMBIQUE	1
NAMIBIA	3
SEYCHELLES	1
SOUTH AFRICA	102
South Sudan, Republic of	1
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	1
TUNISIA	5
Grand total	163

Asia	No.
BANGLADESH	13
CAMBODIA	1
CHINA	3143
HONG KONG	586
INDIA	245
INDONESIA	191
ISRAEL	10
JAPAN	1104
KAZAKHSTAN	1
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	192
LAOS	5
LEBANON	13
MALAYSIA	158

NEPAL	2
OMAN	2
PAKISTAN	9
PHILIPPINES	6
QATAR	8
SAUDI ARABIA	6
SINGAPORE	105
SRI LANKA	24
TAIWAN	148
THAILAND	48
TURKEY	138
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	57
VIETNAM	347
Grand total	6562

Europe	No.
AUSTRIA	224
BELARUS	48
BELGIUM	304
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	206
BULGARIA	42
CROATIA (Hrvatska)	198
CYPRUS	7
CZECH REPUBLIC	146
DENMARK	243
ESTONIA	171
FINLAND	97
FRANCE	801
GERMANY	1997
GREECE	11
HUNGARY	104
IRELAND	88
ITALY	1675

LATVIA	203
LIECHTENSTEIN	6
LITHUANIA	157
LUXEMBOURG	19
MACEDONIA	1
MALTA	9
MONACO	3
NETHERLANDS	1362
NORWAY	37
POLAND	956
PORTUGAL	123
ROMANIA	155
RUSSIA	230
SAN MARINO	3
SERBIA	92
SLOVAKIA	101
SLOVENIA	162
SPAIN	576
SWEDEN	280
SWITZERLAND	517
UKRAINE	46
UNITED KINGDOM	2352
Grand total	13752

Latin America & Caribbean	No.
ARGENTINA	100
BELIZE	4
BOLIVIA	24
BRAZIL	965
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	7
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1
CHILE	103
COLOMBIA	31

Global FSC chain of custody certificates: by region

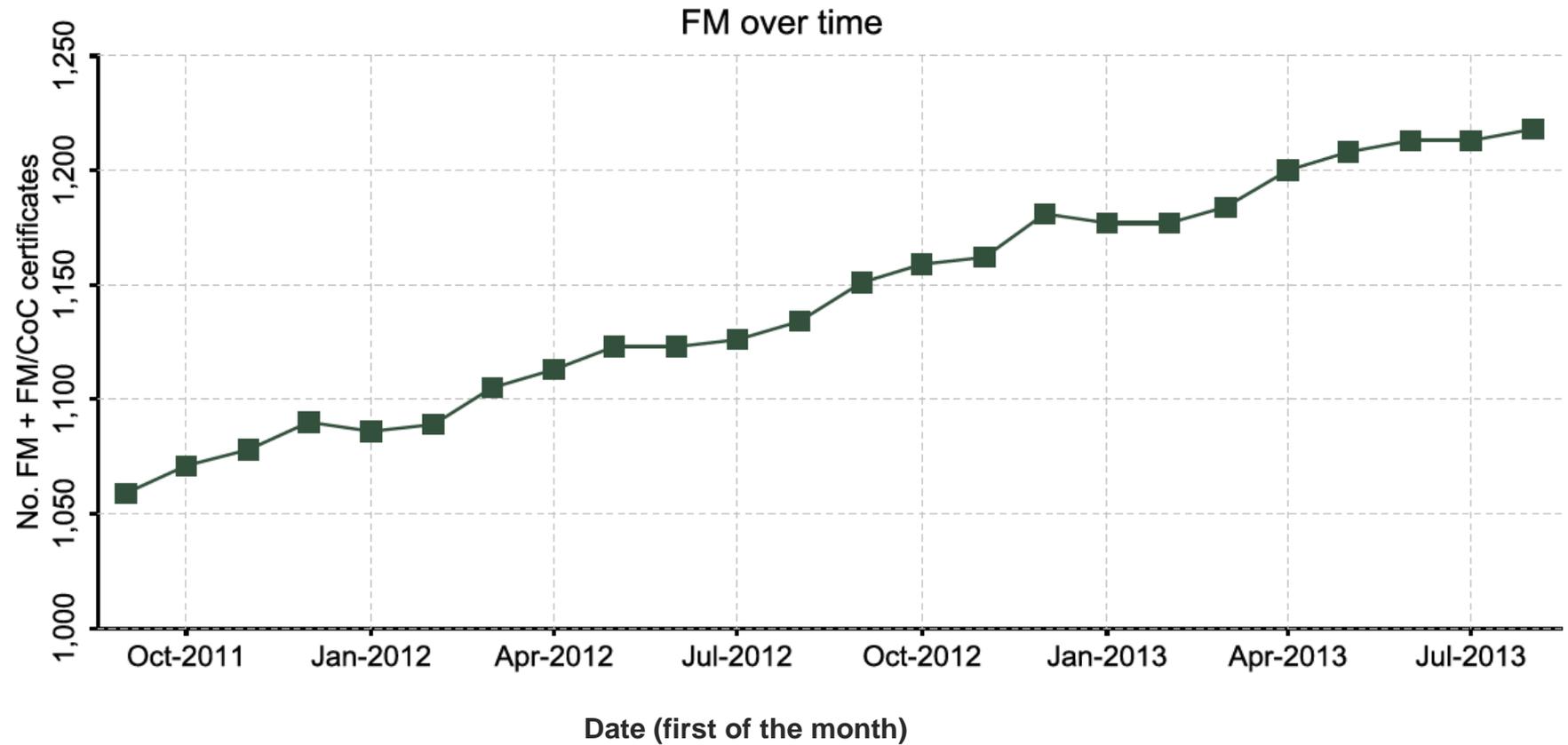
COSTA RICA	3
ECUADOR	5
EL SALVADOR	1
GUATEMALA	14
HONDURAS	3
NICARAGUA	3
PANAMA	2
PARAGUAY	4
PERU	31
SURINAME	1
URUGUAY	29
VENEZUELA	2
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.)	1
Grand total	1354

North America	No.
BAHAMAS	1
CANADA	971
MEXICO	70
PUERTO RICO	4
UNITED STATES	3346
Grand total	4392

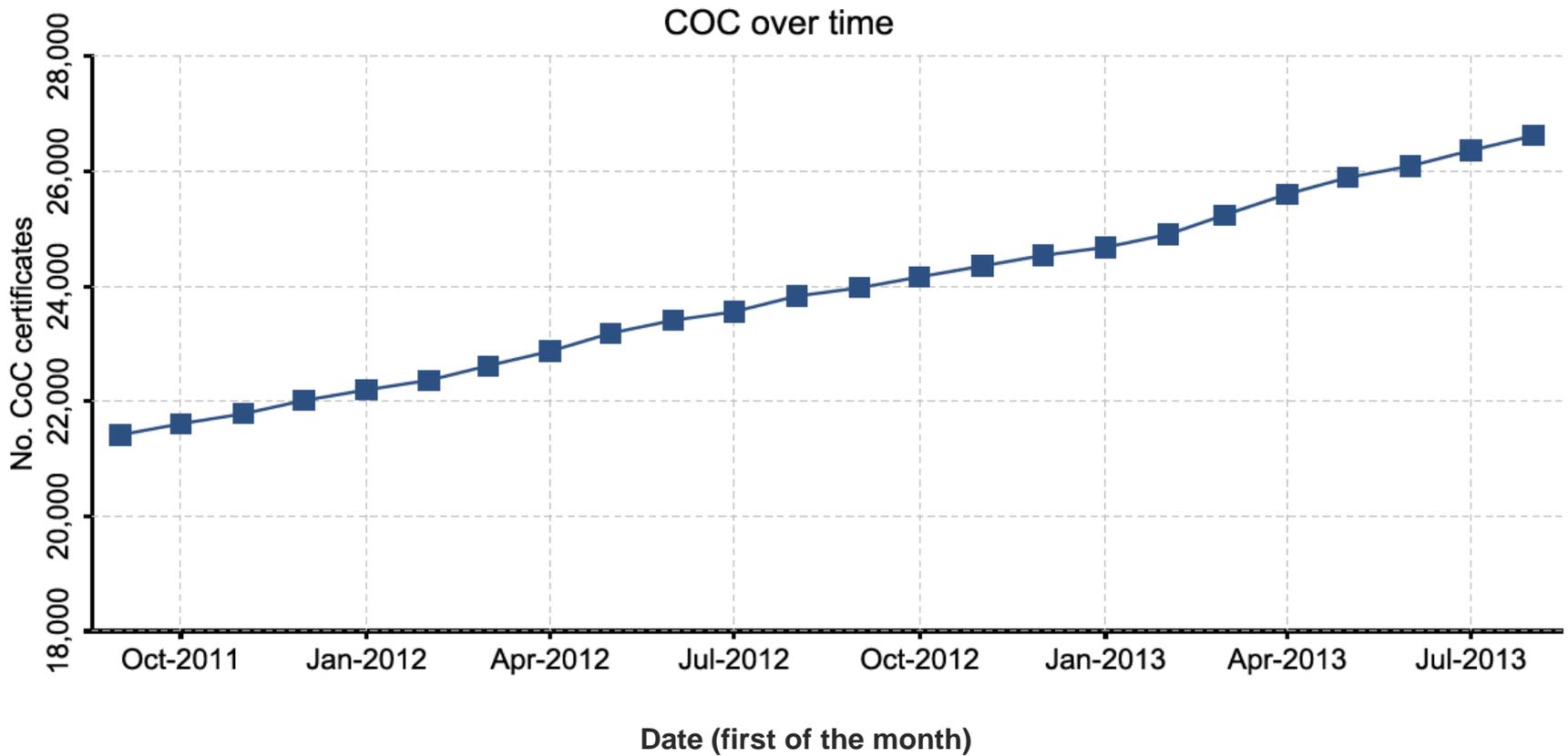
Oceania	No.
AUSTRALIA	306
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	1
GUAM	1
NEW ZEALAND	150
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	2
SOLOMON ISLANDS	2
Grand total	462

Information as of 15/08/2013
 No. countries: 113
 Total no. certificates: 26685

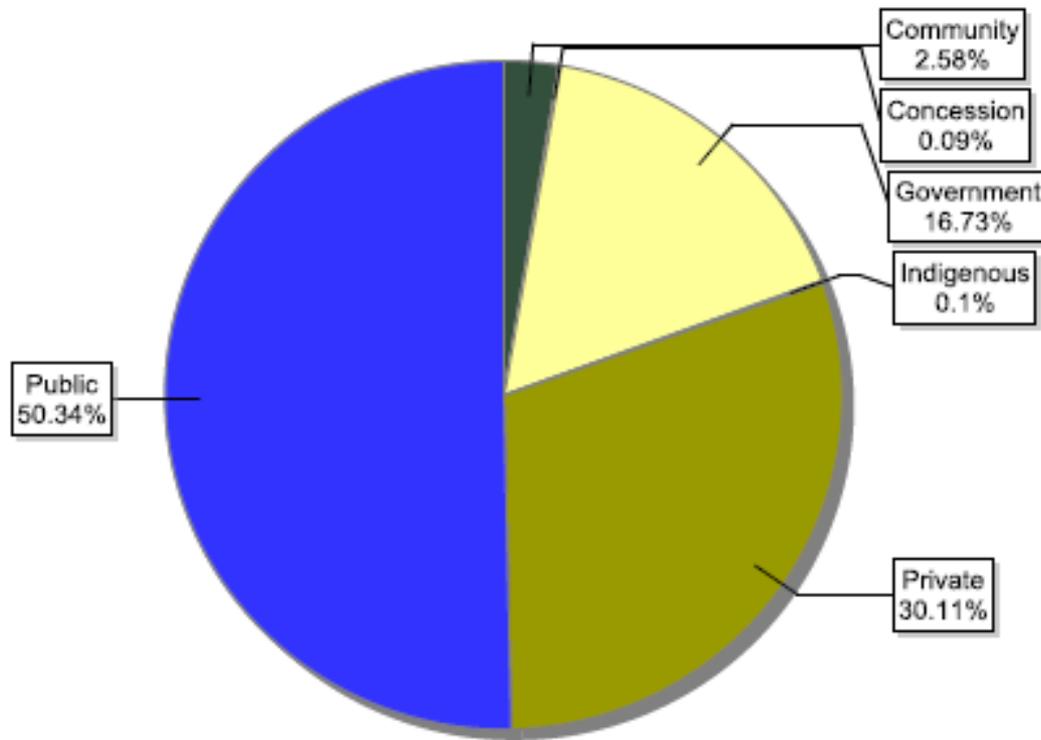
FSC forest management certificate growth since 2011 (FM and FM/CoC)



FSC supply chain growth since 2011 (chain of custody certificates – CoC)

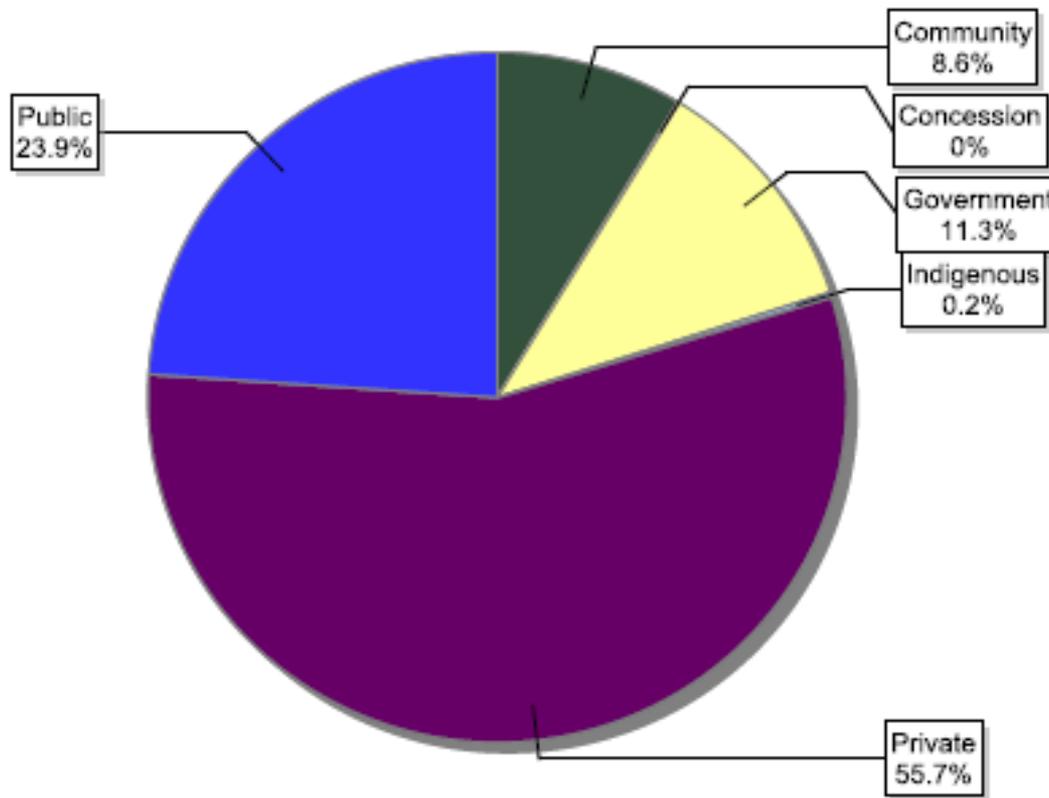


FSC certificates by tenure ownership: global certified area



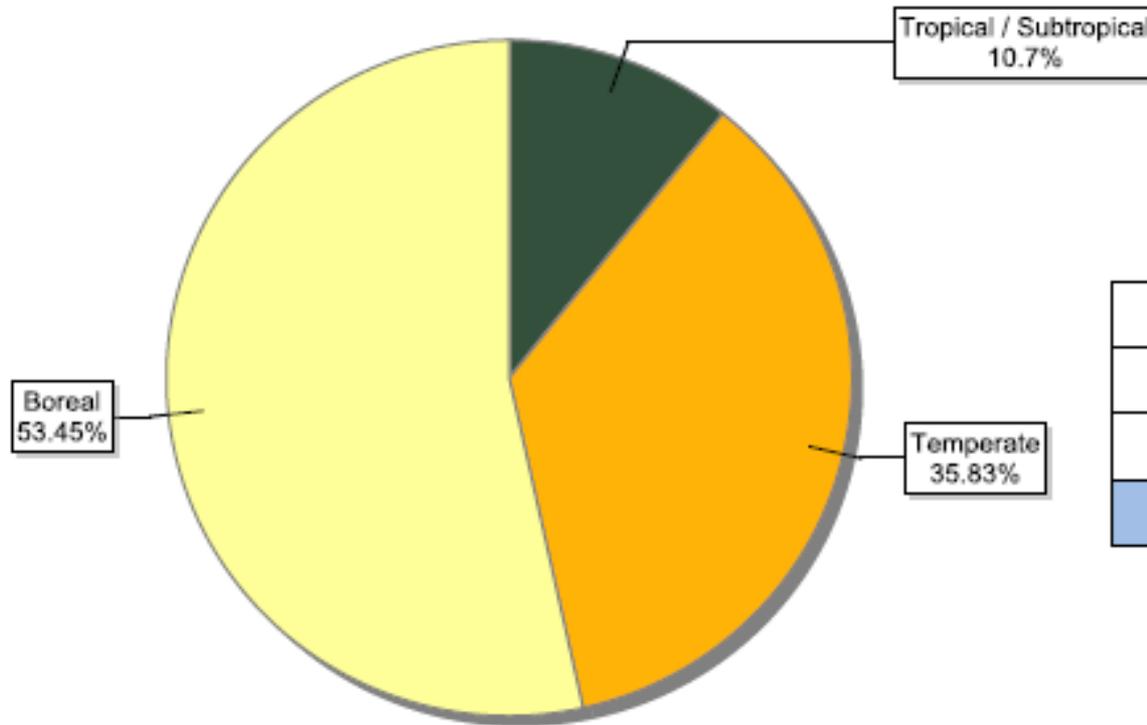
Information as of 15/08/2013	Forest area (million ha)
Community	4.68
Concession	0.18
Government	30.31
Indigenous	0.20
Private	54.55
Public	91.19
Total	181.11

FSC certificates by tenure ownership: number of certificates globally



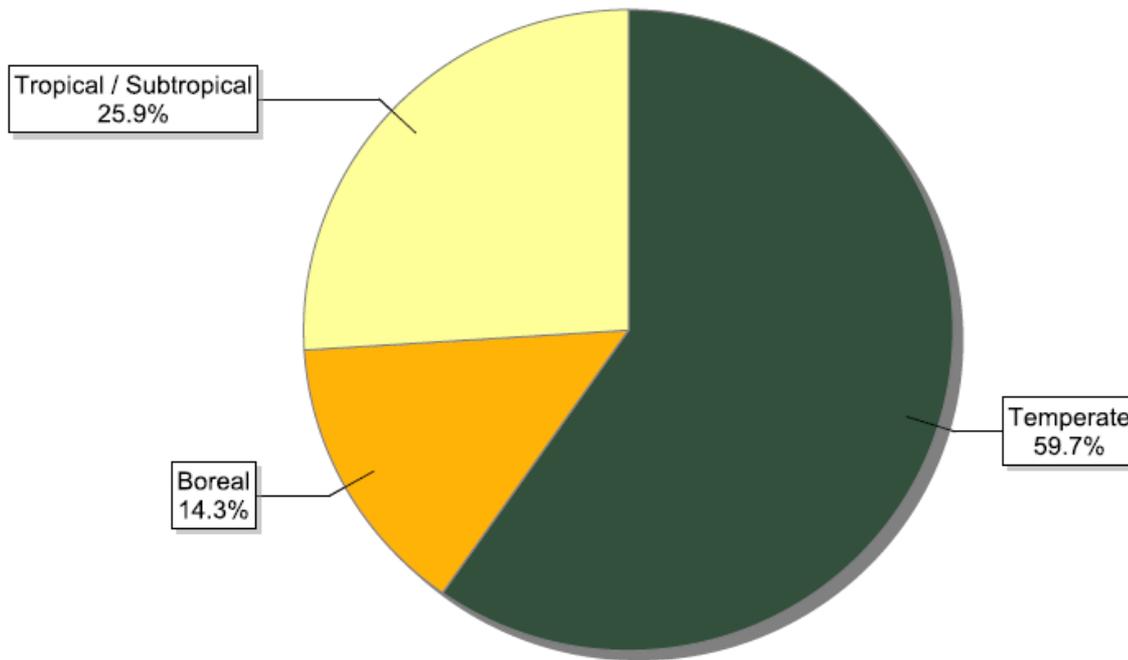
Information as of 15/08/2013	Number of Certificates
Community	105
Concession	1
Government	138
Indigenous	3
Private	678
Public	291
Total	1216

FSC certificates by biomes: global certified area



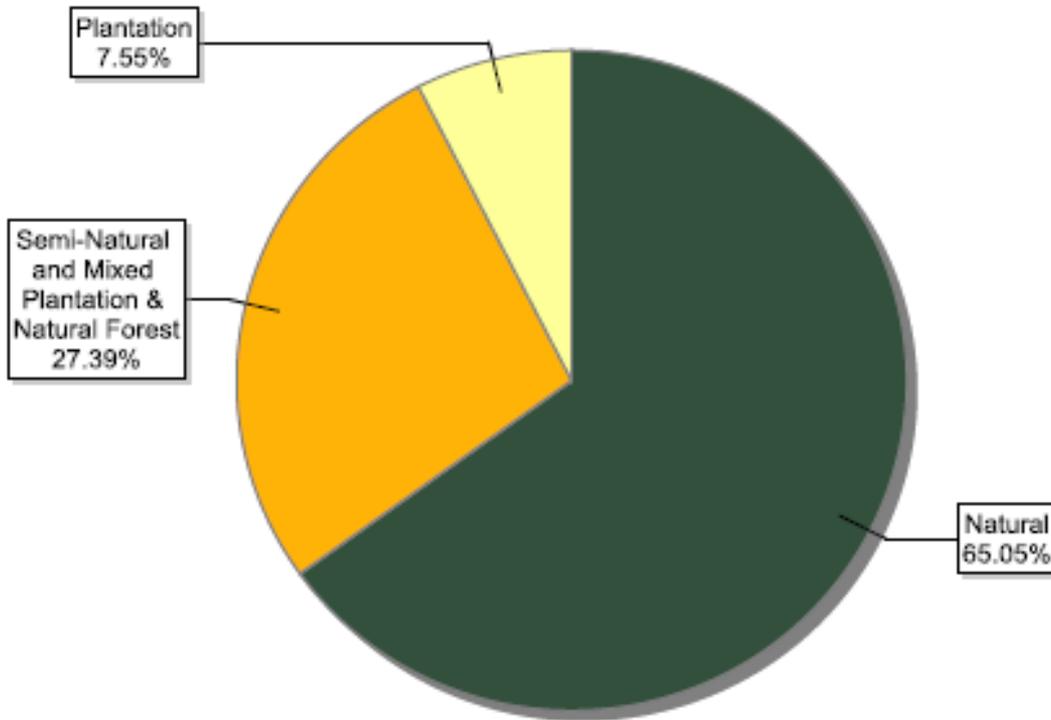
Information as of 15/08/2013	Forest area (million ha)
Boreal	96.82
Temperate	64.90
Tropical / Subtropical	19.39
Total	181.11

FSC certificates by biomes: number of certificates globally



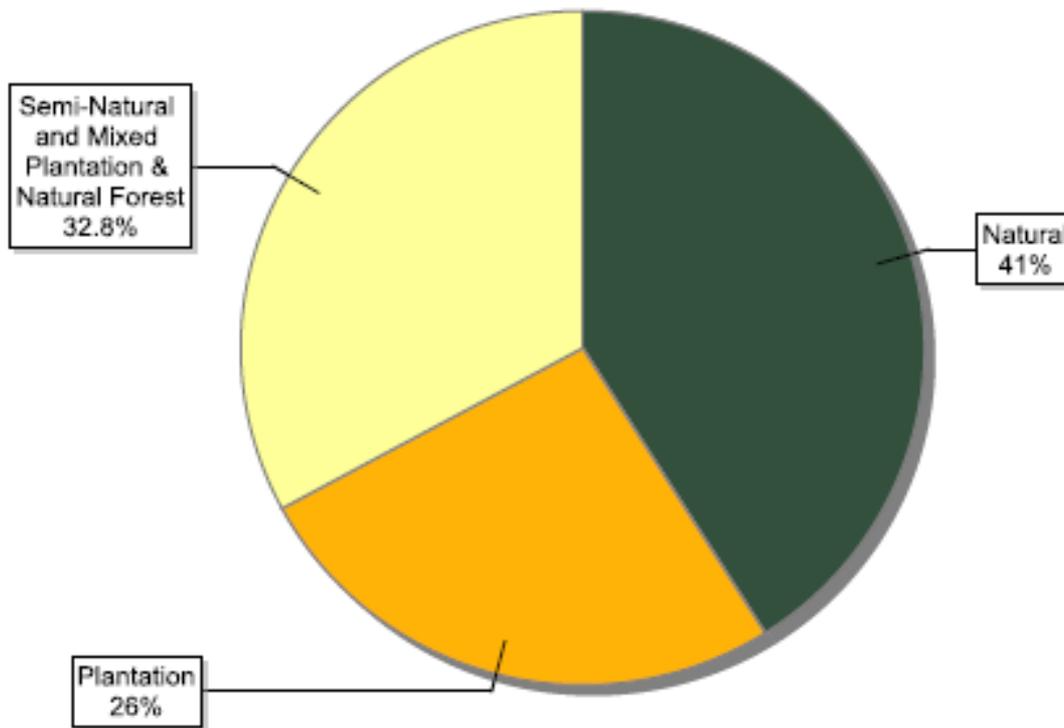
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Boreal	174
Temperate	726
Tropical / Subtropical	316
Total	1216

FSC certificates by forest type: global certified area



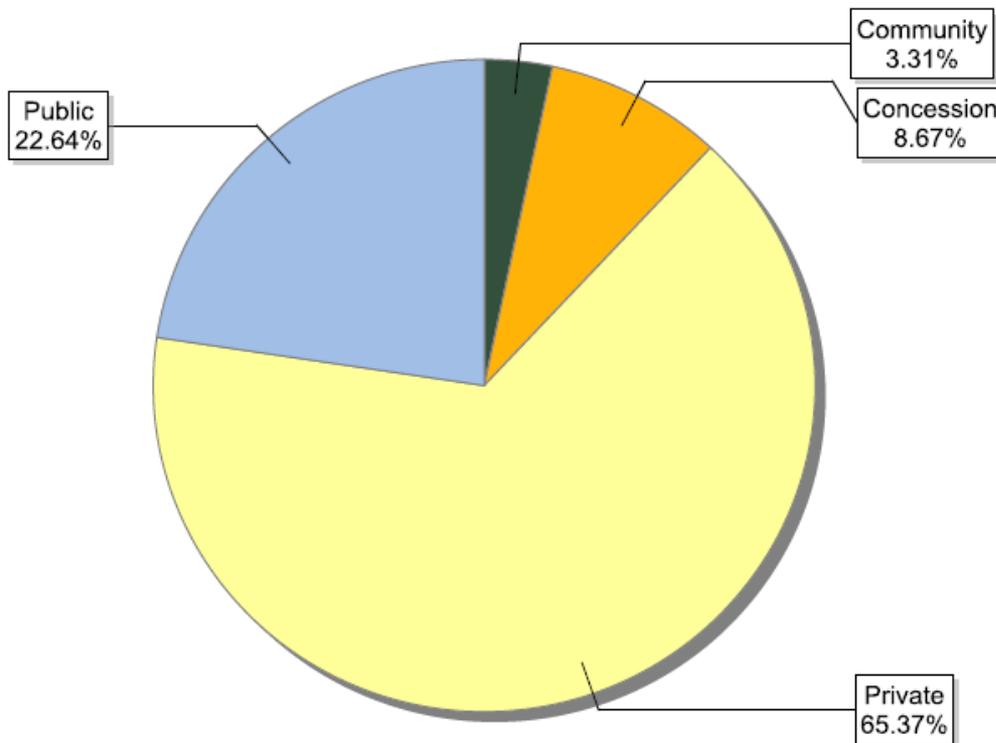
Information as of 15/08/2013	Forest area (million ha)
Natural	117.82
Plantation	13.69
Semi-Natural and Mixed Plantation & Natural Forest	49.61
Total	181.11

FSC certificates by forest type: number of certificates globally



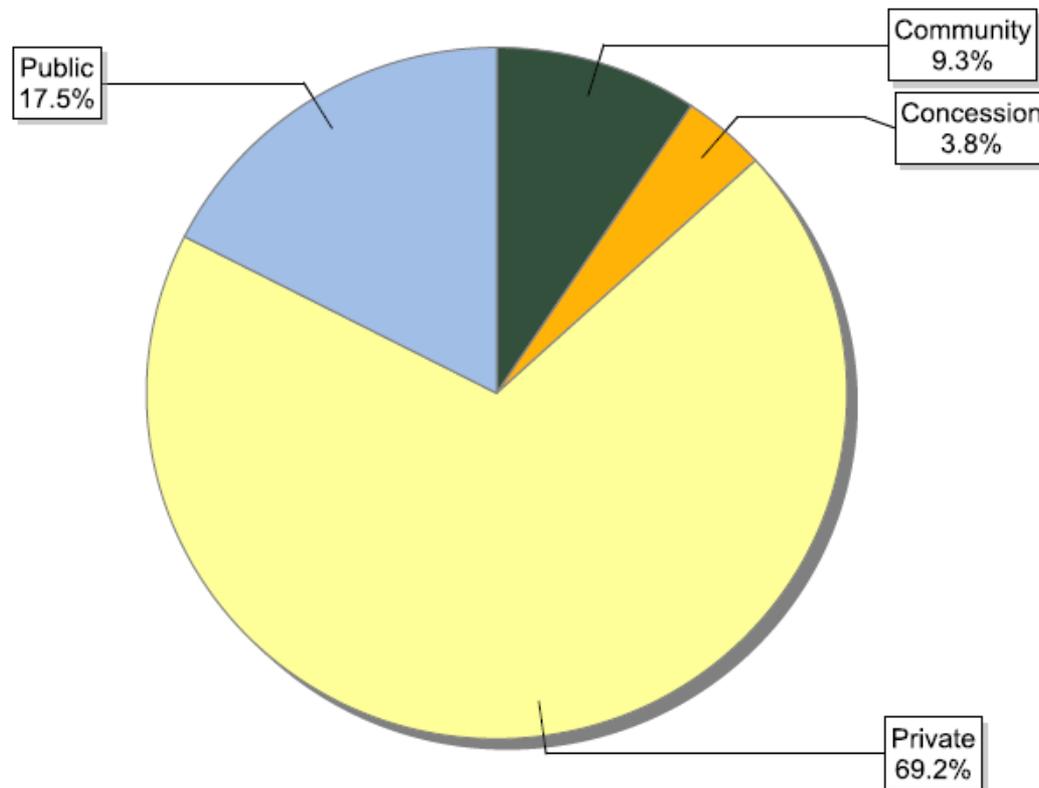
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Natural	499
Plantation	317
Semi-Natural and Mixed Plantation & Natural Forest	400
Total	1216

FSC certificates by tenure management: global certified area



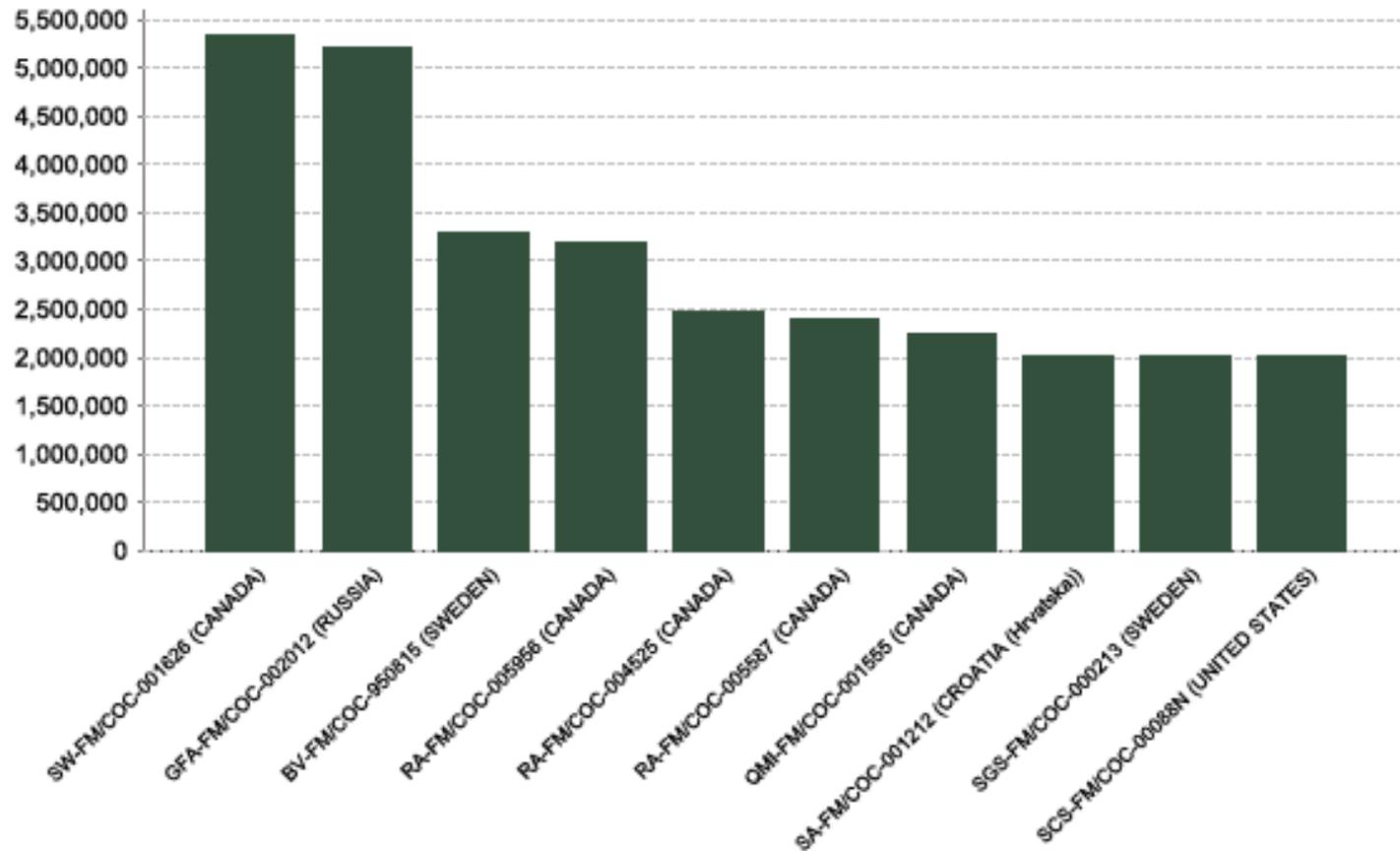
Information as of 15/08/2013	Forest area (million ha)
Community	6.00
Concession	15.71
Private	118.40
Public	41.01
Total	181.11

FSC certificates by tenure management: number of certificates globally



Information as of 15/08/2013	Number of Certificates
Community	114
Concession	47
Private	842
Public	213
Total	1216

Ten largest FSC certificates





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