

streamlined reporting for that side up of three parts:

- I the forest structure
- II the four Global Objectives on Forests
- III the contribution of forests to the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals

The forest structure covers a broad spectrum of issues beyond forests. Its preparation requires close cooperation between different authorities. Consequently, the preparation of national reports may require a cooperative exercise among institutions and ministries such as ministries of environment, economic development, finance, agriculture, forestry and statistics and in particular with national focal points for FAO, the NFP Facility, the IOC process and the other Processes where applicable.

For reporting please note the following.

- the feeds with FA indicators are highlighted in grey. The data will be derived by NFF from the FA database.
- If information for a specific question does not exist please enter NA (not available) or N (not relevant) but do not leave the feeds blank. The responses to the questions contained in the reporting format are important for the Forum to analyze the progress, to identify the gaps and needs in preparing the forest structure including data gaps and in finding ways and means to address them.
- Some of the questions include descriptive parts. We encourage countries to fill in these parts and provide context and background information in addition to the requested figures and tables and no answers. At the same time, the responses should be kept succinct to keep the analytical efforts within reasonable bounds.
- The national reports should be submitted in English, French or Spanish. In fact, exchange of experience countries are also encouraged to submit where relevant a translation of their summary report in English.
- The national reports should be submitted to NFF by the responsible submission of the reports ahead of the deadline. It is encouraged as the success of the preparation of analyses and syntheses to be made available to the NFF.

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<p>A r on n n r p</p> <p>B c. Bac, e or of c ence degree</p> <p>C l. Cr ter a and nd cators processes</p> <p>FAO. Food and Agrcu ture Organ zat on of t, e n ted Nat ons</p> <p>FLEG . Forest aw enforce ent governance and trade</p> <p>F A. FAO s goba Forest esources Assess ent</p> <p>GOF. G oba Ob ect ves on Forests</p> <p>I O. Internat ona rop ca ber Organ zat on</p> <p>MDGs. M enn u Deve op ent Goa s</p> <p>M c. Masters of c ence degree</p> <p>NA. Not ava abe</p> <p>NFP. Nat ona forest progra e</p> <p>ODA. Off ca deve op ent ass stance</p> <p>ID . a ls and Deve op ng tates</p> <p>FM. usta nab e forest anage ent</p> <p>N. n ted Nat ons</p> <p>NFF. n ted Nat ons Foru on Forests</p> <p>NFF . n ted Nat ons Foru on Forests ecretar at</p>

Annex B: National Action Plan for Forest Governance

The forest institution has been grouped into five cross cutting and e.g. the clusters for easy reference.

- 1. A: Strengthening institutional capacity for sustainable forest management
- 2. B: Financing sustainable forest management
- 3. C: Capacity building and technology transfer
- 4. D: Stakeholder participation
- 5. E: Enhanced international cooperation

- 2. A. Forest law enforcement and governance
- 2. B. International trade in forest products
- 2. C. Protection of forests
- 2. D. Science and research
- 2. E. Public awareness and education
- 2. F. Private sector and industry
- 2. G. Indigenous and local communities
- 2. H. Monitoring, assessment and reporting

Data provided on the clusters of the forest institution will also be used for assessing progress towards Global Objectives on Forests.

Annex C: National Action Plan for Forest Governance

Existence of Forest policy statement with national scope, data will be derived by NFF from FFA database
 Policy and legal framework

Existence of national forest programme, data will be derived by NFF from FFA database
 Policy and legal framework

Do you have inter-institutional mechanisms/processes for cross-sectoral cooperation to achieve sustainable forest management?	Yes	No
If yes, which sectors are actively involved?	x	
Agriculture	Division of Agriculture	
Climate Change	Environmental Coordination Unit	
Energy	Ministry of Public Works, Energy and Ports	
Tourism	Ministry of Tourism, Discover, Donca Authority	
Water	Donca Water and Sewerage Company (DOA/CO)	
Other:	Ministry of Environment and Physical Planning	

Please describe the inter-institutional mechanisms/processes for cross-sectoral cooperation (maximum 200 words)

strategies contributing to poverty eradication?		
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A. Forest Governance			
Existence of law Act or Code on forests with national scope, data will be derived by NFF from FA database Policy and legal framework			
Have steps been taken to strengthen forest related legislation on law enforcement and governance in support of sustainable forest management?	Yes		No
			X
Is your country participating in international agreements partnerships to address critical international trafficking in forest products including timber wild life and other forest biological resources?	Yes		No
	X		
If yes is your country a donor or recipient of capacity building to address forest related legal practices?			
Donor country			
Recipient country		X	
Describe the recent significant steps taken to enhance forest law enforcement and governance in your country ax u 2 / words			
B. International Trade			
Is your country involved in international forest products trade? If yes please provide estimated market value	Yes		No
	X		
	Import		Export
	2 / NA	2 / NA	2 / NA
Timber products	NA	NA	NA
Fuel wood	NA	NA	NA
Does your country trade in non wood forest products? If yes please state the most important and provide estimated market value.	Yes		No
	X		
	Import		Export
	2 / NA	2 / NA	2 / NA
Describe the recent significant steps taken to enhance international trade in forest products in your country ax u 2 / words			
NA			
C. Conservation			
Forest area hectares conservation of biodiversity, data will be derived by NFF from FA database Forest designation and management			
Forest area hectares within protective areas, data will be derived by NFF from FA database Forest designation and management			
Describe any significant actions related to protection of forests since 2011 ax u 2 / words			
D. Research			
2 /	How much funding research was designated for forest related	2 / NA	2 / NA
2 /			

If yes do they have extension programs for promoting the use of these	Yes	No
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Describe these ec, an s s and t, e r funct ons , at spec f c r e do t, e pr vate sector and ndustry pay n pro ot ng and support ng t, e forest nstru ent and susta nab e forest anage nt? ax u 2 words
Whilst there are no formal arrangements to establish or strengthen public-private partnerships to advance sustainable forest management, there is an active interest by various interests, particularly tour operators to ensure that the forest resources which form the backbone of the islands socio-economic development program in the area of eco-tourism. The arrangements therefore are informal but have served to reinforce the need for a formal arrangement among various stakeholders.

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2	Are tenure and user r g, ts of oca co un t es and nd genous peop es over pub c y owned forests recogn zed by aw?	Yes	No
		X	

Describe , ow t, ey are recogn zed and pract ced ax u 2 words
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2	Are oca co un t es and nd genous peop es benef t ng fro t, e goods and serv ces produced by forests?	Yes	No
		X	

Describe , ow t, s s funct on ng ax u 2 words
 Ind genous peop e are free to co ect raw ater a s fro t, e forests fro anyw, ere n Do n ca n pursuant of t, e r trade and nd genous craft a ng ber s co ected for bo

If yes please specify.

Dominica's Morne Trois Pitons national park has been designated a World Heritage Site

Certification
code

Area

Describe any significant actions related to Goba

Forests can make significant contributions to poverty reduction, improved health, education and gender equality. Sustainable forest management aims to enhance the contribution of forests to the achievement of the internationally agreed development goals including the Millennium Development Goals. However, the evidence of the contribution and greater recognition of the value of sustainably managed forests are difficult to gather.

Currently, the only forest-related official MDG indicator that provides information on the proportion of land area covered by forests is Indicator 14.2 under Goal 7. Ensure environmental sustainability. This indicator, however, neither reflects the full range of benefits and services including socio-economic benefits of forests to society nor the contributions of forests to the achievement of other MDGs. Establishing the direct and indirect links between forests and MDGs is pivotal to ensure that concrete efforts are being taken to reverse the loss of forest cover and to prevent forest degradation while maximizing the benefits of forests for achieving sustainable development.

As a part of the reporting format to explore the existing data evidence base and cases demonstrating the contribution of forests and sustainable forest management to MDGs at the national level, the following gaps in the monitoring systems and lack of adequate indicators

If so do you have specific indicators and data which could be used to assess their contribution?		X
Please state indicators		
Please describe how forests contribute to achieving their goal (maximum 200 words)		
Do you support		
Does FM contribute to achieving their goal in your country?	Yes	No
If so do you have specific indicators and data which could be used to		