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Forest-related information needs of the Convention on Biological Diversity

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Expanded programme of work on forest biological diversity (decision VI/22, adopted in 2002)

In-depth review at COP-9 in 2008

Information sources include:

- national reports to the CBD, thematic reports, supplementary voluntary information, other sources of information and assessments (FRA, UNFF, other CPF members)

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Fourth national report

Focus on 2010 target of a significant reduction in the rate of biodiversity loss

Based on indicators used at national level

Supplemented by narrative and additional voluntary updates

Format and guidelines to be made available in mid-2006

Deadline for submission 2009

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Global Biodiversity Outlook 2

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Region	1990-2000 (million hectares)	2000-2005 (million hectares)
Latin America and Caribbean	~1.5	~1.5
Tropical Africa	~1.5	~1.5
South and Southeast Asia	~1.5	~1.5
North Africa	~1.5	~1.5
Oceania	~1.5	~1.5
North America	~1.5	~1.5
West and Central Asia	~1.5	~1.5
Europe and Russia	~1.5	~1.5
East Asia	~1.5	~1.5

Information from FRA 2005 used in GBO-2:

Particularly on trends in forest area, otherwise limited biodiversity-related trends information


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2010 framework: focal areas, targets and indicators

- Status and trends of the components of biological diversity
- Sustainable use
- Threats to biodiversity
- Ecosystem integrity and ecosystem goods and services
- Status of traditional knowledge, innovations and Practices
- Status of access and benefit-sharing
- Status of resource transfers

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2010 Biodiversity Indicators Partnership

Global biodiversity project with partial funding from GEF
Coordinated by UNEP/WCMC

Improve coverage, resolution, reliability of global biodiversity indicators in use

Develop indicators that require further work

Involves organizations that carry out assessments, hold data and analyse data (e.g., FAO, IUCN, UNEP etc.)

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2010 framework: focal areas, targets and indicators

Focal area: Sustainable use

- Area under sustainable use / management
- Products derived from sustainable sources

Can FRA start reporting on forest area under SFM?

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