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Global forest monitoring symposium (GEO) meeting in Brazil – 4-7 November 2008
<http://www.dpi.inpe.br/geoforest/>

New publications

Forests and water - FAO Forestry Paper 155

<http://www.fao.org/docrep/011/i0410e/i0410e00.htm>

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Cambio climático y silvicultura en Europa

http://www.agroterra.com/noticias/resultados_noticias.asp?idNoticia=19318

Climate change and forestry in Europe

<http://yubanet.com/enviro/Climate-change-and-forestry-in-Europe.php>

European Forest Week Is Launched

<http://www.live-pr.com/en/european-forest-week-is-launched-r1048212969.htm>

Una buena gestión de los bosques europeos puede ayudar a combatir el cambio climático

<http://www.unionradio.com.ve/Noticias/Noticia.aspx?noticiaid=258835>

Africa

Continent's Rare Species of Flora and Fauna Face Extinction as Poaching Intensifies
<http://allafrica.com/stories/200810090301.html>

Demand for African natural resources can ensure sustainable use
<http://www.enn.com/ecosystems/article/38518>

Forest elephants learn to avoid roads, behavior may lead to population decline
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Algeria

Exploitation des richesses forestières pour leur renouvellement
<http://www.lemaghreb.dz.com/lire.php?id=13951>

Bahrain

A green vision
<http://www.gulf-daily-news.com/Story.asp?Article=232881&Sn=BNEW&IssueID=31221>

Bangladesh

Man-eaters rule in a land of widows as tigers get a taste for human flesh
<http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2008/oct/26/india-wildlife>

Belgium

Week-end du bois
<http://www.quefaire.be/Week-end-du-bois-119631.shtml>

Botswana

Ripple Effects of Veldt Fires on Botswana
<http://allafrica.com/stories/200810170149.html>

Brazil

Amazon's champion awarded WWF's Duke of Edinburgh medal
http://www.wwf.org.uk/article_search_results.cfm?uNewsID=2303

Brazil bets on technology to control huge Amazon
<http://www.reuters.com/article/latestCrisis/idUSN15321542>

Brazil tests carbon reduction in Amazon forest
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Breakthrough may enable reforestation using mahogany
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Commerce équitable chez les Indiens Satéré Mawé
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Marina Silva: We must slash emissions to prevent destruction of the rainforest
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Wal-mart mulling contribution to Brazil's Amazon rainforest fund
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WWF research trip heads into the Amazon
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Shell, HSBC put \$665,000 toward Borneo rainforest conservation project
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Bulgaria

European Forest Week promotes protection of local wooded areas

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Canada

Réforme du régime forestier: le régime des relations de travail doit d'abord être modifié selon la CSN et la FTFP

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West Fraser says weak C\$ won't help lumber mills

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China

Chinese villagers, guards clash over land payments

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Costa Rica

Costa Rica halts Canadian firm's gold mine work

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Costa Rica protects green macaw by banning logging of mountain almond tree

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Democratic Republic of the Congo

39 rangers missing in Virunga Park after headquarters overtaken by rebels

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Gorilla refuge falls into rebel hands in Congo; Park HQ seized

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Thousands flee as Congo rebels move into gorilla refuge

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7 new species of frog discovered in Ecuador

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Let's Now Praise (What Else) Our Rivers And Forests

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Finland

Finnish forestry output to fall in 2009

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Metsa-Botnia to cut pulp output in Uruguay, Finland

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Stora Enso to cut wood products output

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Stakeholders Set to Tackle James Island Erosion

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Protect Our Forest Products

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World Bank: Storm-struck Haiti at 'tipping point'

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India

Global warming leads India tigers to village attacks

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Where have all the pastures gone?

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APP log road challenges pact to save Sumatra

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Indonesia to audit all timber operations to cut illegal logging

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Oil palm expansion in Indonesian Borneo increased 400-fold from 1991-2007

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Urgent action needed over Sumatran peat forest logging

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Ireland

Minister of State Killeen welcomes "European Forest Week"

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Japan

How Japan plans to meet its Kyoto emissions cut goal

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Evicted Group Pleads for Land

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Forests At Risk Over Intruders

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Raila Censures Leaders Over Mau

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Revoke Mau Title Deeds, MP Appeals

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Borneo logging road puts rainforest, indigenous communities at risk

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New deal to rescue Borneo orangutans in Malaysia

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What is the world's longest insect?

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Mali

When the World's Deserts Flood

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Deforestación agrava inundación en Tabasco

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Devil's Claw Bears Fruit for Forests

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Pakistan

Climate change a ticking bomb: PM

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Paraguay

El territorio de la Gente del Lugar del Pecarí

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Peru

Peru gets \$25M in debt relief to fund rainforest conservation

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Peru's uncontacted Amazon tribes under attack

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World lawmakers talk about the weather

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Russian Federation

Forest conservation boost for Amur leopards

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Canadian Interns Honour 500-Tree Pledge

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Final Forests

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Mondi Hands Over Forests to Communities

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Cantabria invertirá 3,8 millones de euros en actuaciones de prevención de incendios forestales

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Castilla La Mancha impulsa un plan con 50 millones de euros para el sector de la Madera

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El director de Política Forestal se parapeta en los técnicos en su declaración ante la juez

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España es el segundo país de la Unión Europea con más hectáreas de bosques

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Extremadura revisa el Plan Forestal para adaptarlo a las exigencias comunitarias

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Sólo el 1% de la madera que se consume procede de bosques sostenibles

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Exploiting Nature Without Destroying It

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Kibaale Plants 150,000 Trees

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Kyetinda Wetland Demarcation Starts

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Families Evicted From Forest

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Développer l'industrie de transformation du bois

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