

## Annex 1

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## Annex 2

# Regional working papers

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Countries included: Angola, Benin, British Indian Ocean Territory, Cameroon, Comoros, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Mozambique, Nigeria, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Togo, United Republic of Tanzania.

FAO. 2007b. *Mangroves of Asia 1980–2005: country reports*. Forest Resources Assessment Working Paper No. 136. Rome. [www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics](http://www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics).

Countries included: Bahrain, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Japan, Kuwait, Malaysia, Maldives, Myanmar, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Timor-Leste, United Arab Emirates, Viet Nam, Yemen.

FAO. 2007c. *Mangroves of North and Central America 1980–2005: country reports*. Forest Resources Assessment Working Paper No. 137. Rome. [www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics](http://www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics).

Countries included: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Mexico, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Puerto Rico, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands, United States, United States Virgin Islands.

FAO. 2007d. *Mangroves of Oceania 1980–2005: country reports*. Forest Resources Assessment Working Paper No. 138. Rome. [www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics](http://www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics).

Countries included: American Samoa, Australia, Christmas Island, Fiji, French Polynesia, Guam, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, New Caledonia, New Zealand, Niue, Northern Mariana Islands, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tokelau, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu, Wallis and Futuna Islands.

FAO. 2007e. *Mangroves of South America 1980–2005: country reports*. Forest Resources Assessment Working Paper No. 139. Rome. [www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics](http://www.fao.org/forestry/site/mangrove/statistics).

Countries included: Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, French Guiana, Guyana, Peru, Suriname, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).



## Annex 3

# True mangrove species

See page 8 for the definition of true mangrove species adopted in this report.

*Acanthus ebracteatus*  
*Acanthus ilicifolius*  
*Acanthus xiamenensis*  
*Acrostichum aureum*  
*Acrostichum speciosum*  
*Aegialitis annulata*  
*Aegialitis rotundifolia*  
*Aegiceras corniculatum*  
*Aegiceras floridum*  
*Avicennia alba*  
*Avicennia bicolor*  
*Avicennia eucalyptifolia*  
*Avicennia germinans*  
*Avicennia integra*  
*Avicennia lanata*  
*Avicennia marina*  
*Avicennia officinalis*  
*Avicennia rumphiana*  
*Avicennia schaueriana*  
*Bruguiera cylindrica*  
*Bruguiera exaristata*  
*Bruguiera gymnorrhiza*  
*Bruguiera hainesii*  
*Bruguiera parviflora*  
*Bruguiera sexangula*  
*Camptostemon philippinensis*  
*Camptostemon schultzei*  
*Ceriops australis*  
*Ceriops decandra*  
*Ceriops somalensis*  
*Ceriops tagal*  
*Conocarpus erectus*  
*Cynometra iripa*  
*Cynometra ramiflora*  
*Excoecaria agallocha*  
*Excoecaria indica*  
*Heritiera fomes*  
*Heritiera globosa*  
*Heritiera kanikensis*  
*Heritiera littoralis*  
*Kandelia candel*  
*Laguncularia racemosa*  
*Lumnitzera littorea*  
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*Nypa fruticans*  
*Osbornia octodonta*  
*Pelliciera rhizophorae*  
*Pemphis acidula*  
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*Rhizophora harrisonii*  
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*Rhizophora mangle*  
*Rhizophora mucronata*  
*Rhizophora racemosa*  
*Rhizophora samoensis*  
*Rhizophora x selala*  
*Rhizophora stylosa*  
*Scyphiphora hydrophyllacea*  
*Sonneratia alba*  
*Sonneratia apetala*  
*Sonneratia caseolaris*  
*Sonneratia griffithii*  
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*Sonneratia hainanensis*  
*Sonneratia ovata*  
*Sonneratia x urama*  
*Xylocarpus granatum*  
*Xylocarpus mekongensis*  
*Xylocarpus rumphii*

## The world's mangroves 1980–2005

Mangroves, commonly found along sheltered coastlines in the tropics and subtropics, fulfil important socio-economic and environmental functions: providing wood and non-wood forest products, protecting shores against wind, waves and water currents; conserving biological diversity; protecting coral reefs, sea-grass beds and shipping lanes against siltation; and providing habitat, spawning grounds and nutrients for a variety of fish and shellfish, including many commercial species. High population pressure in coastal areas has, however, led to the conversion of many mangrove areas to other uses. *The world's mangroves 1980–2005*, prepared in the framework of the Global Forest Resources Assessment 2005, provides comprehensive information on the current and past extent of mangroves in all countries and territories in which they exist. This information, as well as the gaps in information that come to light in the report, will assist mangrove managers and policy- and decision-makers worldwide in ensuring the conservation, management and sustainable use of the world's remaining mangrove ecosystems.

