

UNECE/FAO TIMBER and FORESTRY PROGRAMME



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Topics of presentation

- Overview of UNECE/FAO Timber Section
- Activities relevant to biomass trade statistics



Promoting sustainable forest management by information, analysis and policy forum

- Five work areas

- Markets and statistics
- Forest resource assessment
- Sector outlook studies
- Social/cultural
- Policy & cross sectoral

- Main outputs

- Data/statistics
- Market analysis
- Studies: state of European forests, sector outlook studies etc.
- Policy forums e.g. on wood mobilisation for energy and biomass
- Workshops e.g. national wood balances



Activities relevant to biomass trade statistics

- Joint Forest Sector Questionnaire (production and trade of all forest products)
- Forest Products Annual Market Review
- Joint Wood Energy Enquiry
- Work on wood mobilisation and availability
- (work closely with FAO, Eurostat, ITTO, EC)



Questions, discussion?

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