

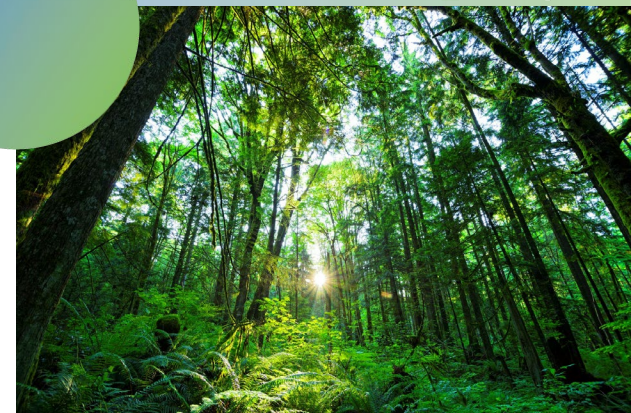


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Joint Working Party on Forest Statistics, Economics and Management, 1-3 June 2022



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# Events: COFFI 2021 / Foresta 2021

- The future of innovative forest products during the *“future of forests webcast”*
- 16 member states prepared and published their country market statements
- One hour market discussion in plenary
  - sawnwood markets in 2020, 2021 and 2022(forecast)
  - industrial roundwood in 2020, 2021 and 2022(forecast)
- Market Statement

# Events: International Day of Forests 2021

*“Forests for sustainable lifestyles and a circular economy”*

*Two market related panels:*

Panel 1 – Sustainable paper and paperboard - global trade and e-commerce rely on it!

Panel 2 – Why and how to further replace plastic packaging?

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14:00-16:00

PART 2 - Packaging

Panel 1 – Sustainable paper and paperboard - global trade and e-commerce rely on it!

Angela Graham-Brown  
Forest Solutions Group at WBCSD (moderator)

Outi Marin  
Head of sustainability reporting at Smurfit Kappa

Michel Valois  
President and Chief Executive Officer of Valois Vision Marketing

Rene Eckhart  
Senior Scientist, Graz University of Technology, Institute for Biobased Products and Paper Technology (TU Graz)

Panel 2 – Why and how to further replace plastic packaging?

Angela Graham-Brown  
Forest Solutions Group at WBCSD (moderator)

Alicia Mateos Cárdenas  
Postdoctoral Researcher at the School of Biological, Earth and Environmental Sciences, University College Cork, Ireland

Paula Martirez  
Senior Specialist, Business Development at Stora Enso's Innovation Centre Biomaterials

Closing the loop  
Moderated discussion: How the forest sector can further improve the circularity of its products and further reduce the environmental footprint.

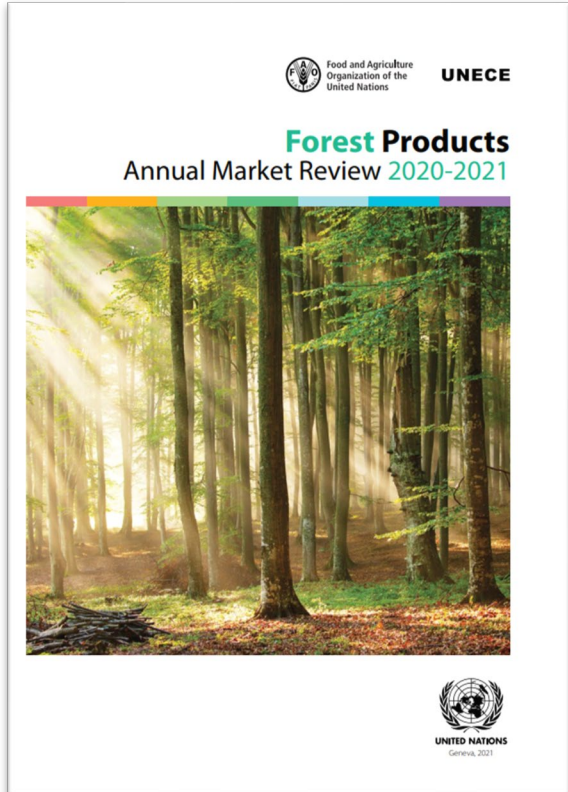
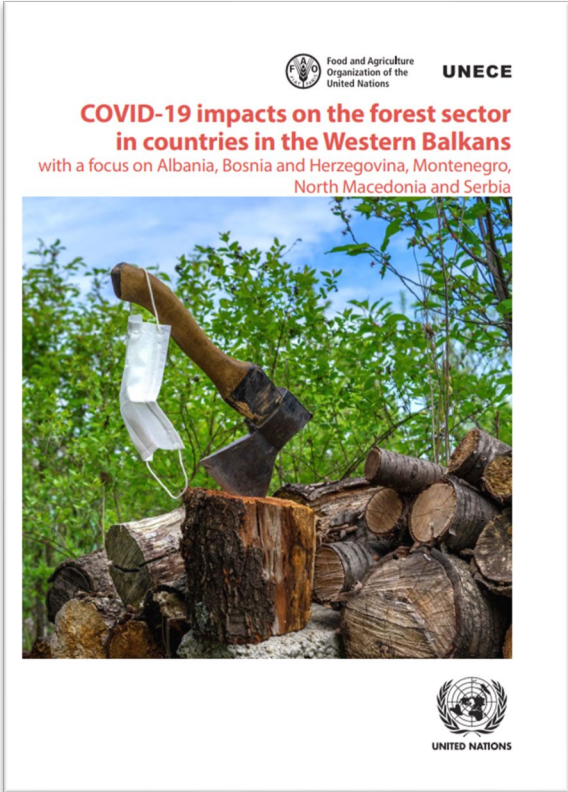
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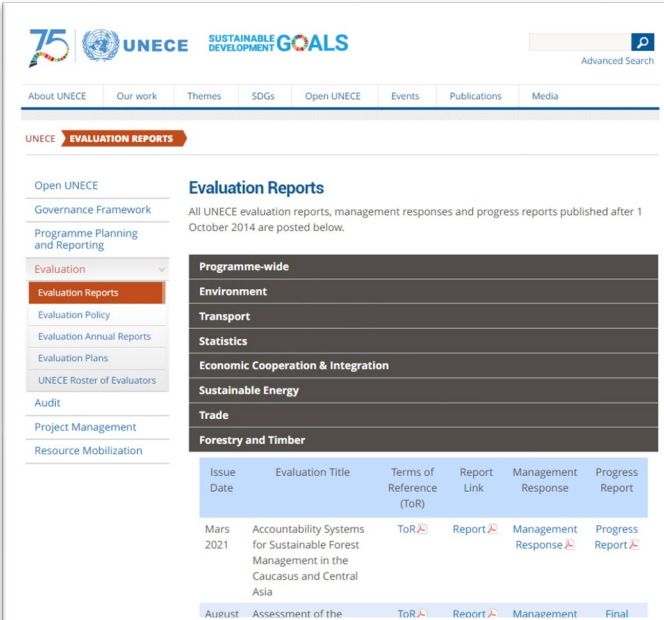
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# Analytical work – past year



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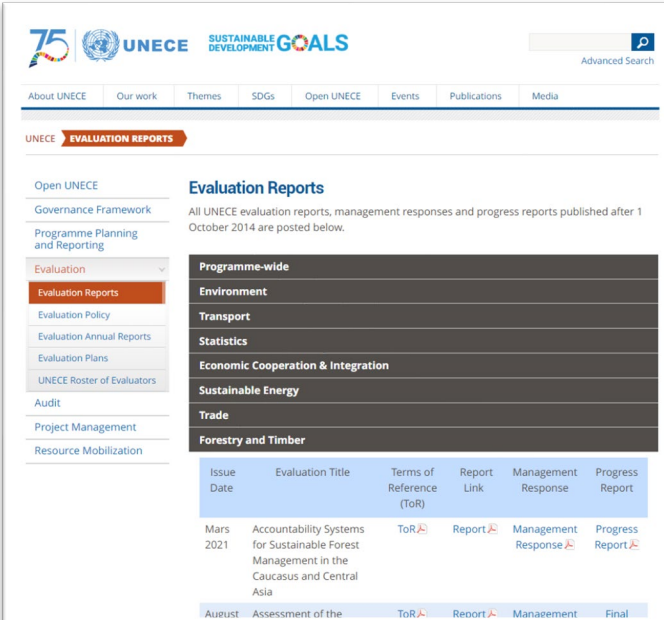
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# UNECE evaluation 2022 - FPAMR

- The objective of the evaluation is to assess the effectiveness of the FPAMR and member States' implementation of the FPAMR with a view to improving the FPAMR programmes by 2022. If necessary, review the FPAMR and member States' implementation of the FPAMR.
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# Points for consideration

- 60. The Joint Working Party is invited to:
- Provide feedback on the improvements of the Review proposed by the Team of Specialists on Sustainable Forest Products and discuss possible ways forward
- Discuss whether to phase out printed versions of the Forest Products Annual Market Review (FPAMR) and, in the future, move to exclusively online, machine readable versions
- Consider a long-term perspective to produce the FPAMR through a sound financial basis for expert contributions to the various chapters
- Advise the secretariat on how to best discuss forest products markets in 2022



# THANK YOU

Florian Steierer  
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