

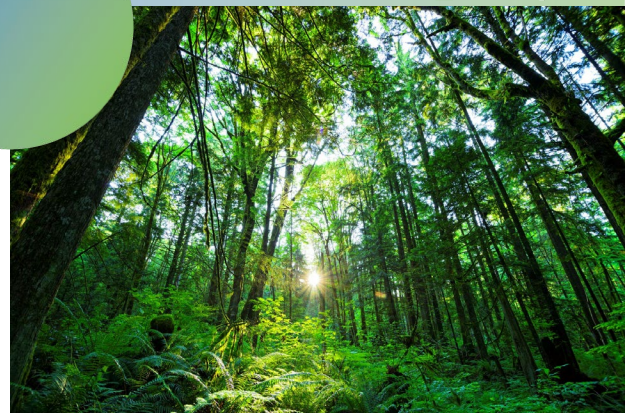


Team of Specialists (ToS) on Sustainable Forest Products

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ToS meetings

- November 2021
 - On the margins of the UNECE/FAO Timber Committee Meeting
- December 2021
 - Follow up meeting regarding improved data collection and the better use of social media

Team output 2021-2022

- Inputs to, production and publication of the 2020-21 FPAMR, with special features on the continuing impacts of the global Covid 19 crisis and green forest products;
- Proof reading of the FPAMR
- A discussion with the UNECE Secretariat on how data input (for the FPAMR) can be improved
- A discussion with the UNECE Secretariat on the use of social media to improve the visibility of the UNECE Forestry and Timber Section
- Specialist webinar on packaging made from sustainable forest products, March 2022

Expected outputs (2022-2023)

- Inputs to, production and publication of the 2020-21 FPAMR, with a special feature on the impacts of the ban on the use of conflict timber on forest products' markets.
- Specialist live meeting and/or webinar on innovation in, market developments of and prospects for novel engineered wood materials, products and systems, including composites.
- Specialist in person meeting and/or webinar on the impacts of conflict timber on forest products' markets.
- ToS meetings will be held online and on the margins of UNECE meetings

Issues for consideration by the WP

- The broad impacts on and implications for forest products' markets of the global post-Covid economic slow-down, in particular rising interest rates and inflation
- The impacts of restrictions on the use of conflict timber on forest products' markets
- As in previous years, this ToS is open to collaborating with other ToS. Many of our members took part in the UNECE forestry statistics and wood energy meeting which was held in April 2022.



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THANK YOU

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