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Forestry sector and sustainable development in the Mediterranean: challenges, policies and governance

Regional Forum



PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Rabat, 24 – 26 November 2005



Silva Mediterranea



Thursday 24th November 2005

08:30 09:30	Registration of participants	
09:30 10:30	<p>Session 1. Opening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Haut Commissariat aux Eaux et Forêts et à la Lutte Contre la Désertification, representing the Moroccan Government • The French Embassy • Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) • Plan Bleu pour l'environnement et le développement en Méditerranée, Regional Activity Centre, MAP/UNEP 	
10:30 10:50	Coffee break	
10:50 11:10	<p>Presentation of the forum programme Organisational aspects Workshops setting up</p>	
11:10 12:30	<p>Session 2. Thematic workshops: communications and discussions</p>	
Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3
Forestry sector and sustainable development objectives in the Mediterranean: trends and forecasts	Cross sectoral approaches & integration: mechanisms, authorities and tools	Foresters and forest organisations in local development
<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Jean-Paul Lanly , Ingénieur Général du GREF, France <u>Communications :</u> 1. Qu'apporte la démarche prospective aux espaces boisés méditerranéens ? Jean de Montgolfier, Plan Bleu 2. Adressing sustainability concerns in Mediterranean forest ecosystem management, José F. Loff & al., Medforex 3. Improving forest functions through Forest Landscape Restoration, Rami Salman, IUCN 4. Incendies de forêts au Maroc : situation actuelle et perspectives d'avenir, Fouad Assali & Samir Rachdi, Maroc <u>Discussion</u>	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Mohamed Larbi Chakroun , Ingénieur Général des forêts, President of AIFM <u>Communications :</u> 1. Pour une nouvelle politique de gestion durable des forêts marocaines, Mohamed Benzyane, HCEFLCD, Maroc 2. Contribution of forests and forestry in rural development, Alexandros Christodoulou, Dép. of Forests, Cyprus 3. Le programme forestier national tunisien : historique et contenu de l'accord avec le Mécanisme pour les PFN, Saïd Helal, DGF, Tunisie 4. Forest policy design evaluation, winners and losers, Pere Riera, Robert Mavasar & Leticia Aranda, Medforex <u>Discussion</u>	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Omar M'Hirit , Professor of Silviculture, Morocco <u>Communications :</u> 1. Contribution of forest resources to sustainable development: A case study Mersin province, Turkey, Melekber Sulusoglu, Ahmet Senyaz & Ersin Yilmaz, Turkey 2. La Charte forestière de territoire du PNR du Luberon, Henri Magnin & Sophie Bourlon, France 3. Expérience du projet emploi rural, Abdelmalek Abdelfettah, DGF, Algérie 4. Constats et réflexions relatifs à la mise en œuvre des projets à composante GRN et leurs contributions dans le DD : limites, enjeux et perspectives d'avenir, Abdessamad Hajibi, Projet Meda, HCEFLCD, Maroc <u>Discussion</u>
12:30 14:00	Lunch	

14:00 15:20	Session 3. Thematic workshops: communications and discussions		
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<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Alexandros Christodoulou , Chief Conservator of Forests, Cyprus	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Abderrahim Houmy , Directeur de la Planification, du Système d'Information et de la Coopération, HCEFLCD, Morocco	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Carlo Bifulco , Director, National Parc of Vesuvio, Italy	
<u>Communications :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Globalisation, societal changes and the future of Mediterranean forests and forestry, C.T.S. Nair & Axelle Boulay, FAO 6. Forestry Outlook study-Lebanon, Fady Asmar, Lebanon 7. Gestion durable des aménagements sylvopastoraux, Fatine El Euch, DGF Tunisie 8. Forestry Outlook study-Turkey, T. Otrakçier, General Directorate of Forests, Turkey <u>Discussion</u>			<u>Communications :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5. (<i>Title not yet communicated</i>), Francisco Rego, Directeur Général des Ressources Forestières, Portugal 6. Intersectoral coordination in regional forest planning. An example of status analysis and enhancement in Catalonia, Eduard Plana & Gloria Dominguez Torres, CTFT Catalogne, Espagne 7. Partenariat entre la DPVCTRF et le HCEFLCD en matière de protection phytosanitaire des forêts : Contraintes et perspectives, Kouider Harrachi, DPVCTRF, Maroc 8. A strategy to ensure the conservation and sustainable management of the South West Mediterranean cork oak landscapes, Noura Berrahmouni, WWF <u>Discussion</u>
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<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Fady Asmar , President of Silva Mediterranea, Lebanon	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Mostefa Goussanem , Ingénieur d'Etat des Forêts, Algeria	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Michel Bariteau , INRA Avignon, France	
<u>Communications :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9. The regenerating natural ecosystems in the Mediterranean area : success and challenges, Lorenzo Ciccarese, APAT, Italie 10. Stratégie d'aménagement et de développement durable de la forêt de l'Akfadou, Mahand Messaoudene, DGF, Algérie 11. Strategic guidelines for the forest restoration of the burnt areas in Alto Alentejo, Carlos Ramalho, Nuno Guiomar & João Pinto, Portugal 12. Protection et réhabilitation du couvert forestier (Le programme national de reboisement), Nabil Assaf, Ministry of Environment, Liban <u>Discussion</u>			<u>Communications :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9. Forest policy and land-planning policy in Spain: a regional approach, Luis Galiana & Cristina Montiel Molina, Univ. of Madrid, Spain 10. Critères et indicateurs de développement durable des forêts méditerranéennes, Zaki Ahlafi & Mhammed Bouhaloua, Maroc 11. Evaluating the European policy on forest subsidies: social costs and benefits of the Spanish afforestation programme, Pere Riera & Robert Mavšar, Medforex 12. EU policies and subsidy schemes and the sustainable use of cork oak forest landscapes: a case study in southern Portugal, Pedro Beja, WWF <u>Discussion</u>
19:30	Dinner		

Friday 25 November 2005

09:00 10:20	Session 5. Thematic workshops: communications and discussions		
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Forestry sector and sustainable development objectives in the Mediterranean: trends and forecasts		Cross sectoral approaches & integration: mechanisms, authorities and tools	Foresters and forest organisations in local development
<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Francisco Castro Rego , Director General of Forest Resources, Portugal <u>Communications:</u> 13. The value of Mediterranean forests: analysis and policy tools, Leila Croitoru, Univ. of Padova, Italie 14. Forest Landscape Restoration: a process to regain forest integrity and enhance human well-being, Pedro Regato, WWF 15. Paradigme Environnement Développement : cas du projet "Conservation de la biodiversité par la transhumance dans le versant sud du Haut Atlas, Mohammed Houymyid, projet GEF, Maroc <u>Discussion</u>		<u>Chairwoman / Moderator:</u> Ana Belén Noriega , Ministry of Environment, Spain <u>Communications :</u> 13. Les forêts des pays méditerranéens dans les territoires, Jean Bonnier, AIFM 14. Evaluation des impacts des projets de développement intégré sur la durabilité des ressources forestières, Hamed Daly Hassen, INRGREF, Tunisie 15. Capacity building & education: promoting social change to conserve Mediterranean forest biodiversity values, goods and services, Christoph Stein, WWF <u>Discussion</u>	<u>Chairman / Moderator:</u> Ahmet Şenyaz , Research and Development Department, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, Turkey <u>Communications:</u> 13. Mise en œuvre du programme d'action national de lutte contre la désertification, Mohammed Badraoui, HCEFLCD, Maroc 14. Les enjeux pastoraux et la gestion durable des écosystèmes forestiers du Moyen Atlas, Mohammed Qarro, ENFI, Maroc 15. Gestion forestière des dehesas et des suberaies : Dépérissement et sylviculture préventive - Pourquoi la sylviculture ? José Miguel Montoya, Espagne 16. Le génie biologique, un outil pour la gestion de la biodiversité, la lutte contre l'érosion et contre la désertification, Carlo Bifulco, Parc National du Vésuve, Italie <u>Discussion</u>
10:20 10:40	Coffee break		
10:40 12:30	Session 6. Round table gathering a panel of countries' representatives, international organizations and agencies for co-operation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority issues and institutional framework for the forestry cooperation in the Mediterranean • Continuation of the Mediterranean forests and sustainable development project <u>Chairmanship :</u> Haut Commissariat aux Eaux et Forêts et à la Lutte Contre la Désertification, Maroc <u>Facilitator :</u> Plan Bleu		
12:30 14:00	Lunch – Composition of a drafting committee		
14:30 15:30	Session 7. Chairpersons and rapporteurs, members of the drafting committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drafting of the workshops reports • Drafting of the recommendations proposals 		
15:30 15:45	C o f f e e b r e a k		
15:45 17:00	Session 8. Conclusions and recommendations <u>Chairmanship:</u> Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of workshops results • Presentation of recommendations proposals • Discussions • Adoption of the recommendations • Closure - Haut Commissariat aux Eaux et Forêts et à la Lutte Contre la Désertification 		
19:30	Dinner		

Saturday 26 November 2005

Field trip organised by the Haut Commissariat aux Eaux et Forêts et à la Lutte Contre la Désertification

- The Maâmora forest: silviculture, cork-oak regeneration
- Reforestation with eucalyptus, pine and acacia trees
- Reserve of Sidi Boughaba lake
- Centre d'Education Environnementale : partnership with NGOs

Lunch

Back to Rabat in the afternoon

Official dinner offered by the Moroccan Government and closure of the forum