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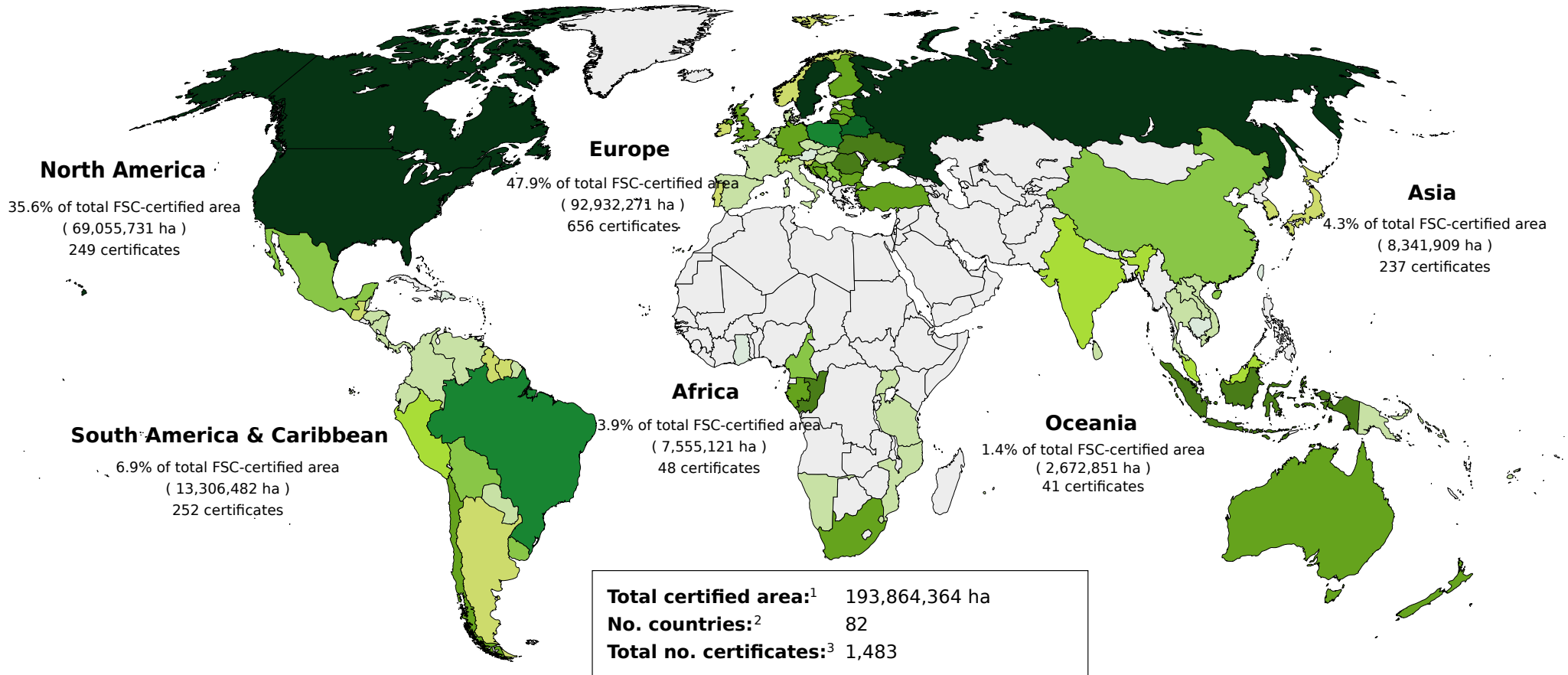


# FSC Facts & Figures

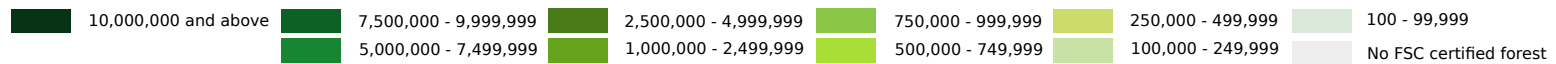
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Global FSC-certified forest area



Total FSC-certified forest area in ha



Based on numbers from FSC International  
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Global FSC-certified Area and Number of Certificates: by region and country

| Africa                 | Total area (ha)  | No.       |
|------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| CAMEROON               | 940,945          | 4         |
| CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF | 2,572,243        | 4         |
| GABON                  | 2,033,627        | 3         |
| GHANA                  | 3,367            | 1         |
| MOZAMBIQUE             | 50,753           | 2         |
| NAMIBIA                | 211,147          | 4         |
| SOUTH AFRICA           | 1,395,223        | 20        |
| SWAZILAND              | 124,185          | 4         |
| TANZANIA, UNITED       | 183,697          | 3         |
| UGANDA                 | 39,934           | 3         |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>7,555,121</b> | <b>48</b> |

| Asia               | Total area (ha)  | No.        |
|--------------------|------------------|------------|
| CAMBODIA           | 7,896            | 1          |
| CHINA              | 894,869          | 77         |
| INDIA              | 505,630          | 8          |
| INDONESIA          | 2,796,092        | 33         |
| JAPAN              | 400,744          | 34         |
| KOREA, REPUBLIC OF | 391,315          | 8          |
| LAOS               | 13,555           | 2          |
| MALAYSIA           | 671,890          | 12         |
| SRI LANKA          | 17,522           | 3          |
| TAIWAN             | 1,465            | 4          |
| THAILAND           | 61,926           | 17         |
| TURKEY             | 2,350,078        | 7          |
| VIETNAM            | 228,927          | 31         |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>8,341,909</b> | <b>237</b> |

| Europe                 | Total area (ha) | No. |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| AUSTRIA                | 587             | 2   |
| BELARUS                | 8,364,932       | 56  |
| BELGIUM                | 1,654           | 1   |
| BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA | 1,532,625       | 5   |
| BULGARIA               | 1,122,680       | 22  |
| CROATIA                | 2,039,241       | 3   |
| CZECH REPUBLIC         | 52,629          | 5   |
| DENMARK                | 213,976         | 5   |
| ESTONIA                | 1,370,289       | 7   |
| FINLAND                | 1,365,799       | 8   |
| FRANCE                 | 39,858          | 6   |
| GERMANY                | 1,154,387       | 58  |
| HUNGARY                | 225,529         | 4   |
| IRELAND                | 446,647         | 2   |
| ITALY                  | 64,999          | 17  |
| LATVIA                 | 1,010,491       | 13  |
| LITHUANIA              | 1,094,310       | 45  |
| LUXEMBOURG             | 21,446          | 3   |
| NETHERLANDS            | 169,647         | 4   |
| NORWAY                 | 444,426         | 5   |
| POLAND                 | 6,924,703       | 18  |
| PORTUGAL               | 373,016         | 24  |
| ROMANIA                | 2,629,777       | 23  |
| RUSSIA                 | 42,628,507      | 145 |
| SERBIA                 | 963,955         | 3   |
| SLOVAKIA               | 146,832         | 10  |
| SLOVENIA               | 260,269         | 2   |
| SPAIN                  | 243,981         | 30  |
| SWEDEN                 | 12,142,642      | 24  |
| SWITZERLAND            | 613,345         | 8   |
| UKRAINE                | 3,645,166       | 61  |
| UNITED KINGDOM         | 1,623,926       | 37  |

|              |                   |            |
|--------------|-------------------|------------|
| <b>Total</b> | <b>92,932,270</b> | <b>656</b> |
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| Latin America & Caribbean | Total area (ha)   | No.        |
|---------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| ARGENTINA                 | 468,003           | 11         |
| BELIZE                    | 197,122           | 2          |
| BOLIVIA                   | 981,862           | 8          |
| BRAZIL                    | 6,167,878         | 113        |
| CHILE                     | 2,313,947         | 21         |
| COLOMBIA                  | 155,361           | 11         |
| COSTA RICA                | 42,601            | 16         |
| DOMINICAN REPUBLIC        | 365               | 1          |
| ECUADOR                   | 56,604            | 4          |
| GUATEMALA                 | 437,389           | 9          |
| GUYANA                    | 371,680           | 1          |
| HONDURAS                  | 17,815            | 1          |
| NICARAGUA                 | 22,414            | 6          |
| PANAMA                    | 22,077            | 8          |
| PARAGUAY                  | 26,795            | 3          |
| PERU                      | 526,557           | 8          |
| SURINAME                  | 363,090           | 4          |
| URUGUAY                   | 979,083           | 23         |
| VENEZUELA                 | 155,839           | 2          |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>13,306,482</b> | <b>252</b> |

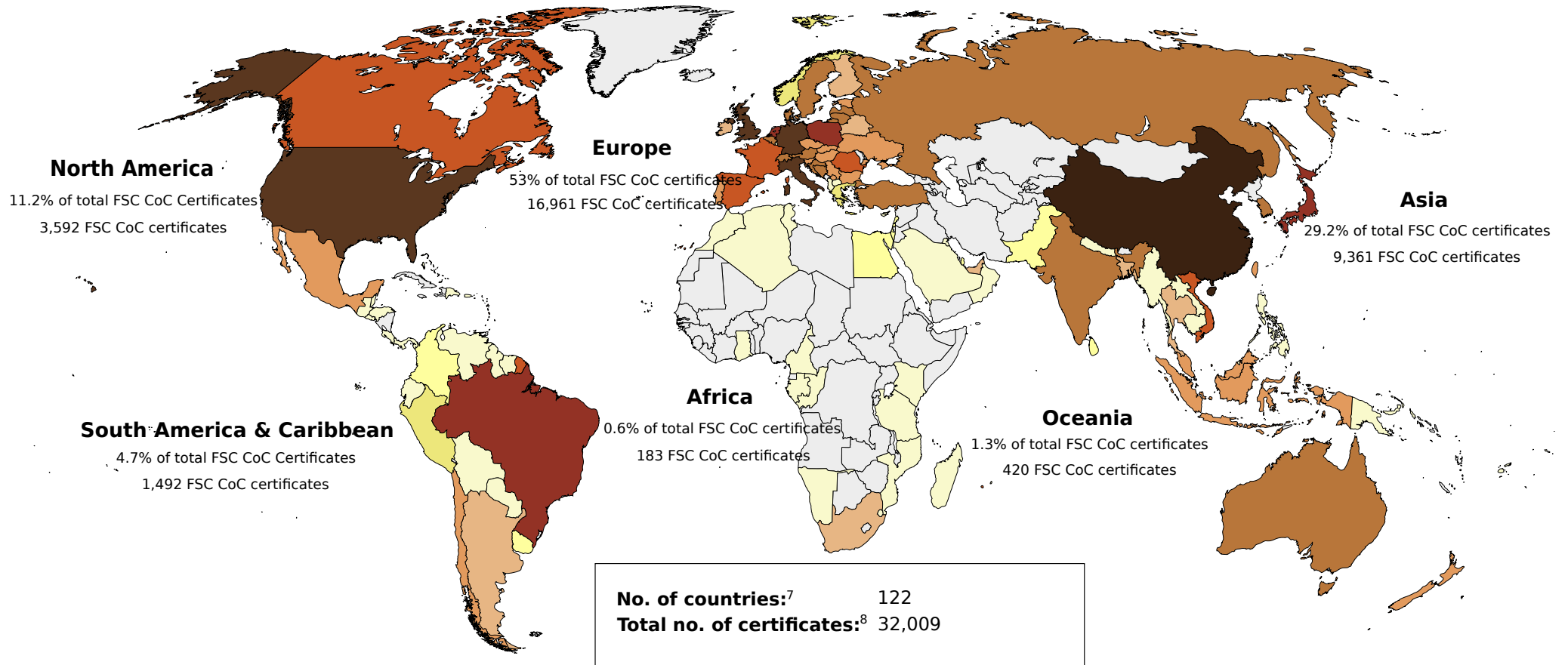
| North America | Total area (ha)   | No.        |
|---------------|-------------------|------------|
| CANADA        | 54,747,909        | 66         |
| MEXICO        | 881,794           | 73         |
| UNITED STATES | 13,426,027        | 110        |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>69,055,731</b> | <b>249</b> |



| Oceania          | Total area (ha) | No. |
|------------------|-----------------|-----|
| AUSTRALIA        | 1,239,023       | 14  |
| FIJI             | 85,385          | 1   |
| NEW ZEALAND      | 1,270,421       | 21  |
| PAPUA NEW GUINEA | 37,575          | 3   |
| SOLOMON ISLANDS  | 40,446          | 2   |
| Total            | 2,672,851       | 41  |

Number of countries:<sup>4</sup> 82  
Total number of certificates:<sup>5</sup> 1,483  
Total FSC-certified forest area:<sup>6</sup> 193,864,364

Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates



Number of FSC CoC certificates



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Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates: by region and country

| Africa                       | No.        |
|------------------------------|------------|
| ALGERIA                      | 1          |
| CAMEROON                     | 9          |
| CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF       | 3          |
| EGYPT                        | 20         |
| GABON                        | 9          |
| GHANA                        | 4          |
| KENYA                        | 1          |
| MADAGASCAR                   | 1          |
| MAURITIUS                    | 1          |
| MOROCCO                      | 3          |
| MOZAMBIQUE                   | 2          |
| NAMIBIA                      | 3          |
| SEYCHELLES                   | 3          |
| SOUTH AFRICA                 | 117        |
| SWAZILAND                    | 1          |
| TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF | 1          |
| TUNISIA                      | 4          |
| <b>Total</b>                 | <b>183</b> |

| Asia               | No.   |
|--------------------|-------|
| BAHRAIN            | 1     |
| BANGLADESH         | 66    |
| CAMBODIA           | 1     |
| CHINA              | 4,972 |
| HONG KONG          | 620   |
| INDIA              | 354   |
| INDONESIA          | 239   |
| ISRAEL             | 22    |
| JAPAN              | 1,181 |
| KOREA, REPUBLIC OF | 266   |
| KUWAIT             | 1     |
| LAOS               | 2     |
| LEBANON            | 18    |
| MACAU              | 2     |
| MALAYSIA           | 177   |

|                      |              |
|----------------------|--------------|
| MYANMAR              | 1            |
| NEPAL                | 1            |
| OMAN                 | 5            |
| PAKISTAN             | 18           |
| PHILIPPINES          | 11           |
| QATAR                | 17           |
| SAUDI ARABIA         | 14           |
| SINGAPORE            | 125          |
| SRI LANKA            | 29           |
| TAIWAN               | 199          |
| THAILAND             | 121          |
| TURKEY               | 261          |
| UNITED ARAB EMIRATES | 101          |
| VIETNAM              | 536          |
| <b>Total</b>         | <b>9,361</b> |

| Europe                 | No.   |
|------------------------|-------|
| ALBANIA                | 1     |
| AUSTRIA                | 282   |
| BELARUS                | 107   |
| BELGIUM                | 281   |
| BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA | 318   |
| BULGARIA               | 145   |
| CROATIA                | 268   |
| CYPRUS                 | 12    |
| CZECH REPUBLIC         | 201   |
| DENMARK                | 292   |
| ESTONIA                | 245   |
| FINLAND                | 120   |
| FRANCE                 | 749   |
| GERMANY                | 2,207 |
| GIBRALTAR              | 1     |
| GREECE                 | 56    |
| HUNGARY                | 142   |
| IRELAND                | 118   |
| ITALY                  | 2,110 |

|                |               |
|----------------|---------------|
| LATVIA         | 307           |
| LIECHTENSTEIN  | 4             |
| LITHUANIA      | 274           |
| LUXEMBOURG     | 14            |
| MACEDONIA      | 3             |
| MALTA          | 13            |
| MONACO         | 3             |
| NETHERLANDS    | 1,224         |
| NORWAY         | 52            |
| POLAND         | 1,499         |
| PORTUGAL       | 229           |
| ROMANIA        | 561           |
| RUSSIA         | 429           |
| SAN MARINO     | 3             |
| SERBIA         | 150           |
| SLOVAKIA       | 128           |
| SLOVENIA       | 216           |
| SPAIN          | 860           |
| SWEDEN         | 335           |
| SWITZERLAND    | 470           |
| UKRAINE        | 170           |
| UNITED KINGDOM | 2,362         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>16,961</b> |

| Latin America & Caribbean | No.   |
|---------------------------|-------|
| ARGENTINA                 | 114   |
| BAHAMAS                   | 1     |
| BELIZE                    | 2     |
| BOLIVIA                   | 11    |
| BRAZIL                    | 1,050 |
| BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS    | 9     |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS            | 1     |
| CHILE                     | 147   |
| COLOMBIA                  | 30    |
| COSTA RICA                | 6     |
| DOMINICAN REPUBLIC        | 2     |



|                                  |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| ECUADOR                          | 13    |
| EL SALVADOR                      | 3     |
| GUATEMALA                        | 10    |
| GUYANA                           | 4     |
| HONDURAS                         | 2     |
| PANAMA                           | 3     |
| PARAGUAY                         | 6     |
| PERU                             | 41    |
| PUERTO RICO                      | 3     |
| SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES | 1     |
| SURINAME                         | 6     |
| TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS         | 1     |
| URUGUAY                          | 20    |
| VENEZUELA                        | 6     |
| Total                            | 1,492 |

| North America | No.   |
|---------------|-------|
| CANADA        | 720   |
| MEXICO        | 140   |
| UNITED STATES | 2,732 |
| Total         | 3,592 |

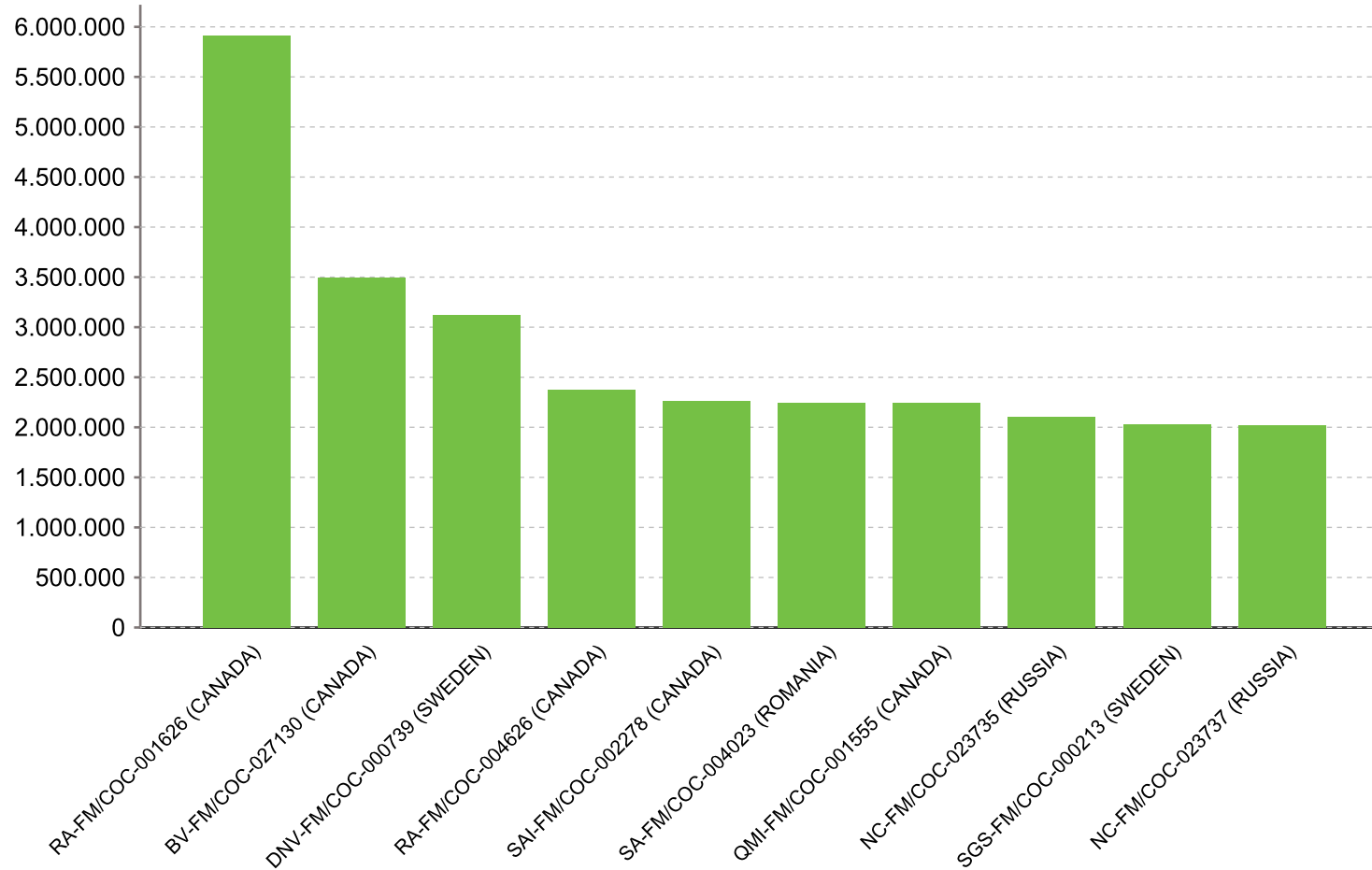
| Oceania           | No. |
|-------------------|-----|
| AUSTRALIA         | 266 |
| BRUNEI DARUSSALAM | 1   |
| FIJI              | 2   |
| GUAM              | 1   |
| NEW ZEALAND       | 147 |
| PAPUA NEW GUINEA  | 2   |
| SAMOA             | 1   |
| Total             | 420 |



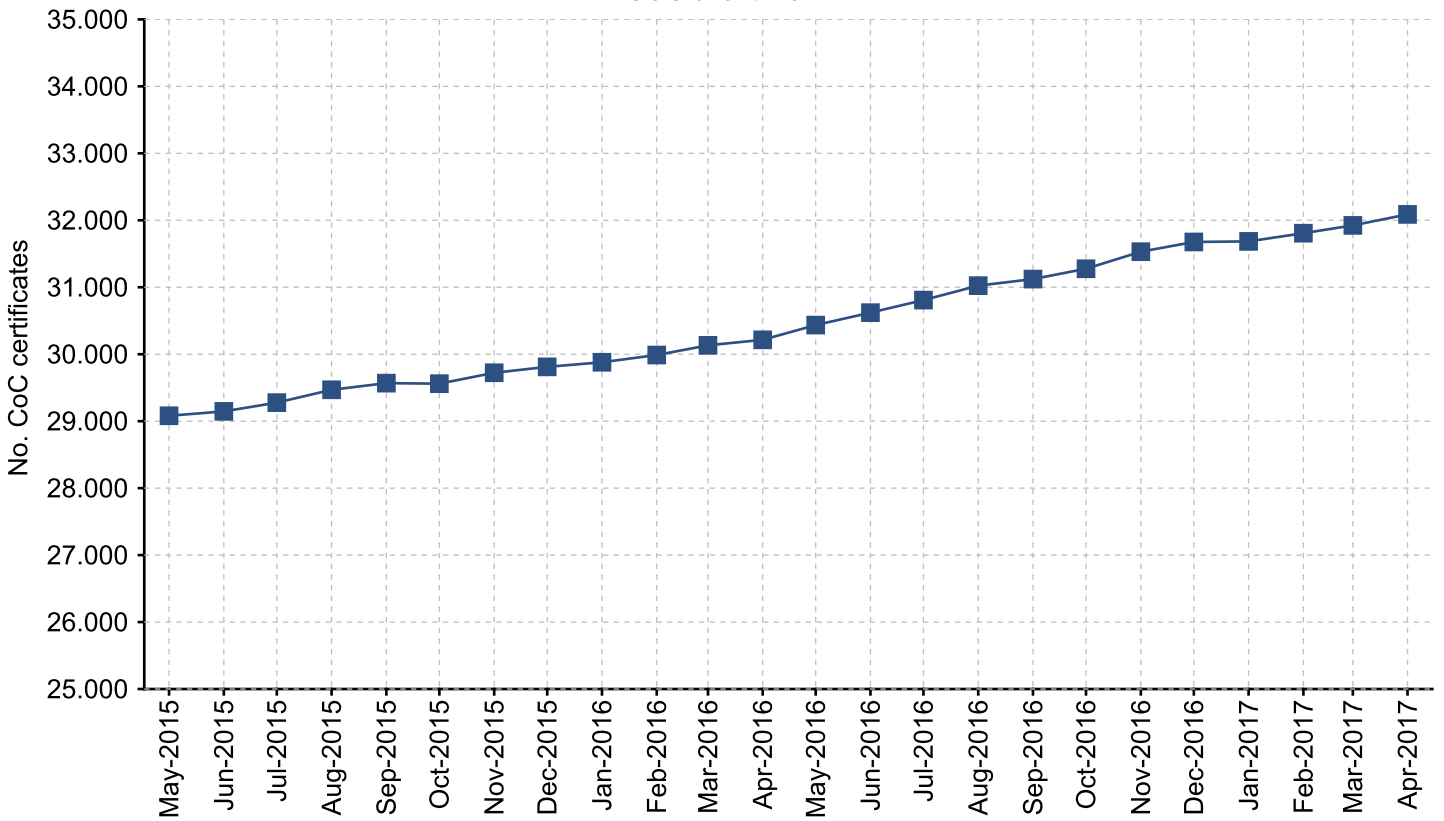
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| Number of Countries: <sup>9</sup>           | 122    |
| Total number of certificates: <sup>10</sup> | 32,009 |



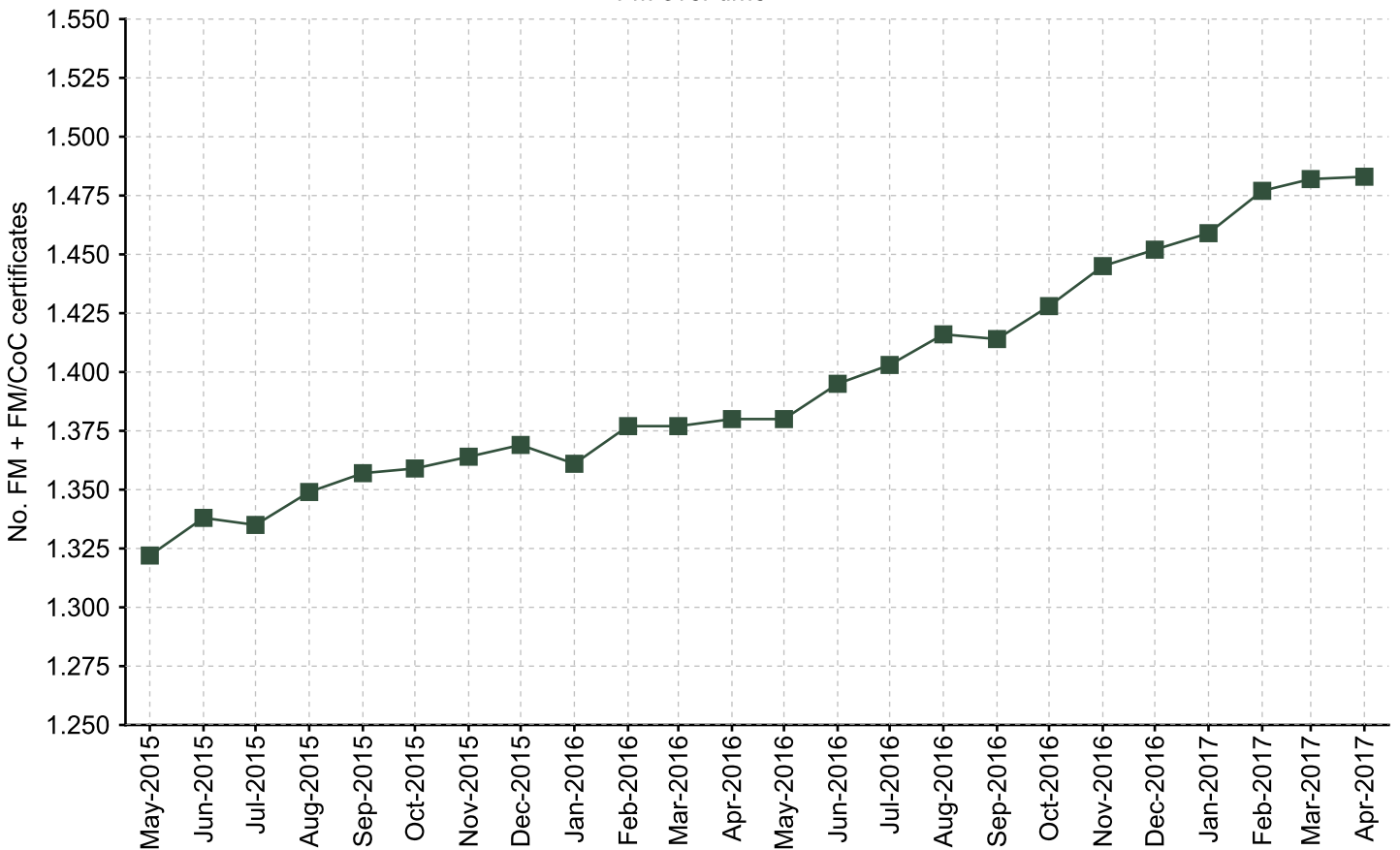
### Ten largest FSC certificates



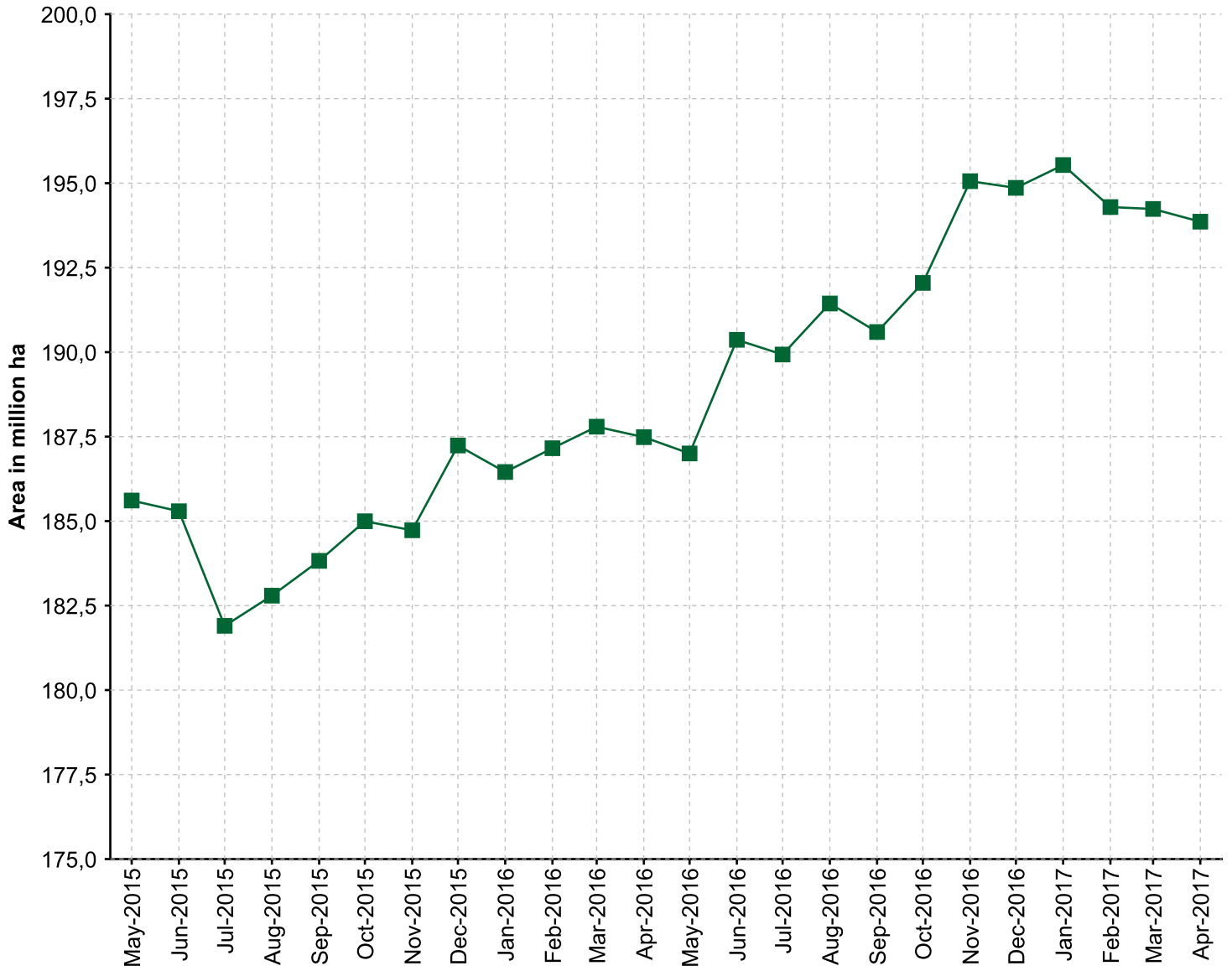
COC over time



FM over time



Area over time



**Endnotes:**

- <sup>1</sup> Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates).
- <sup>2</sup> Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC forest management certificates (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates) are issued.
- <sup>3</sup> Total number of FSC forest management certificates (FM and FM/CoC) issued globally.
- <sup>4</sup> Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC forest management certificates (FM and FM/CoC) are issued.
- <sup>5</sup> Total number of FSC forest management certificates (FM and FM/CoC) issued worldwide.
- <sup>6</sup> Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (FM and FM/CoC).
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Note: Being FSC Forest Management certified means that the certified entity is **verified by a third party** to be in compliance with the FSC Principles and Criteria as outlined in the applicable National, Regional or Generic Forest Management Standard.



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