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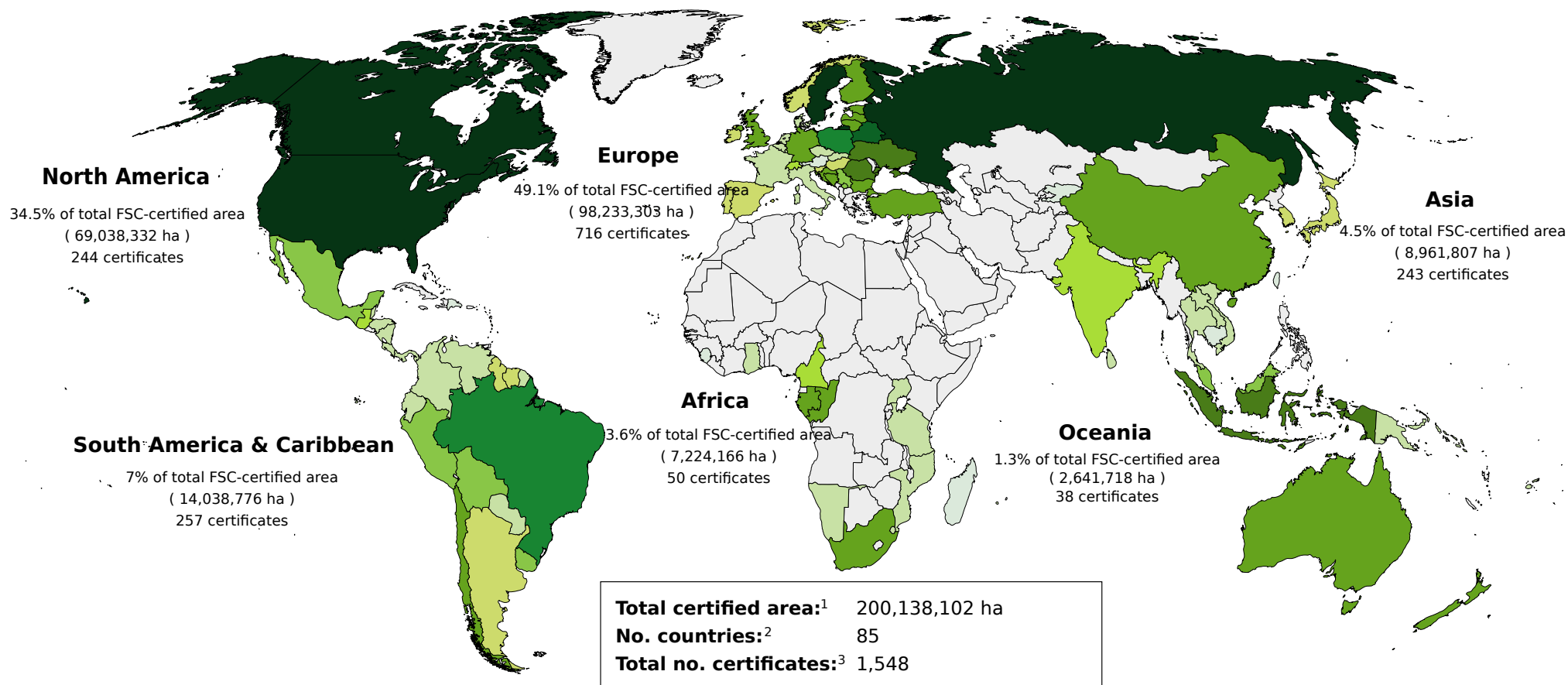


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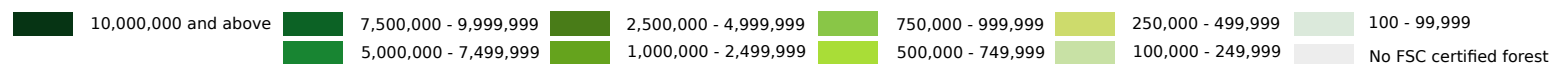
Facts & Figures

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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	697,643	3
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	2,410,693	4
GABON	2,042,616	3
GHANA	11,517	2
MADAGASCAR	1,298	1
MOZAMBIQUE	50,753	2
NAMIBIA	199,913	5
SIERRA LEONE	3,137	1
SOUTH AFRICA	1,488,569	20
SWAZILAND	123,497	4
TANZANIA, UNITED	153,655	2
UGANDA	40,875	3
Total	7,224,166	50

Asia	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMBODIA	7,896	1
CHINA	1,100,256	72
INDIA	521,510	7
INDONESIA	3,153,394	41
JAPAN	403,215	36
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	346,720	7
KYRGYZSTAN	312	1
LAOS	18,010	3
MALAYSIA	755,404	13
SRI LANKA	17,501	3
TAIWAN	1,677	5
THAILAND	56,229	16
TURKEY	2,348,136	7
VIETNAM	231,546	31
Total	8,961,807	243

Europe	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRIA	587	2
BELARUS	8,753,000	61
BELGIUM	24,242	3
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1,625,444	6
BULGARIA	1,465,080	27
CROATIA	2,034,178	2
CZECH REPUBLIC	53,379	5
DENMARK	212,739	4
ESTONIA	1,478,396	8
FINLAND	1,611,184	8
FRANCE	56,163	8
GERMANY	1,157,120	59
HUNGARY	304,118	6
IRELAND	446,222	2
ITALY	63,744	17
LATVIA	1,043,034	15
LITHUANIA	1,125,394	46
LUXEMBOURG	22,062	3
NETHERLANDS	167,995	3
NORWAY	444,750	5
POLAND	6,919,055	19
PORTUGAL	391,905	34
ROMANIA	2,675,623	27
RUSSIA	46,072,159	155
SERBIA	963,955	3
SLOVAKIA	145,560	9
SLOVENIA	264,971	2
SPAIN	265,465	27
SWEDEN	12,233,811	22
SWITZERLAND	616,426	8
UKRAINE	3,984,328	88
UNITED KINGDOM	1,611,215	32

Total	98,233,303	716
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Latin America & Caribbean	Total area (ha)	No.
ARGENTINA	468,938	11
BELIZE	197,122	2
BOLIVIA	981,862	8
BRAZIL	6,589,237	116
CHILE	2,297,282	23
COLOMBIA	150,037	9
COSTA RICA	38,939	13
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	365	1
ECUADOR	57,466	4
GUATEMALA	503,747	11
GUYANA	371,680	1
HONDURAS	17,815	1
NICARAGUA	22,903	6
PANAMA	22,501	8
PARAGUAY	41,268	4
PERU	805,831	11
SURINAME	363,090	4
URUGUAY	952,854	22
VENEZUELA	155,839	2
Total	14,038,776	257

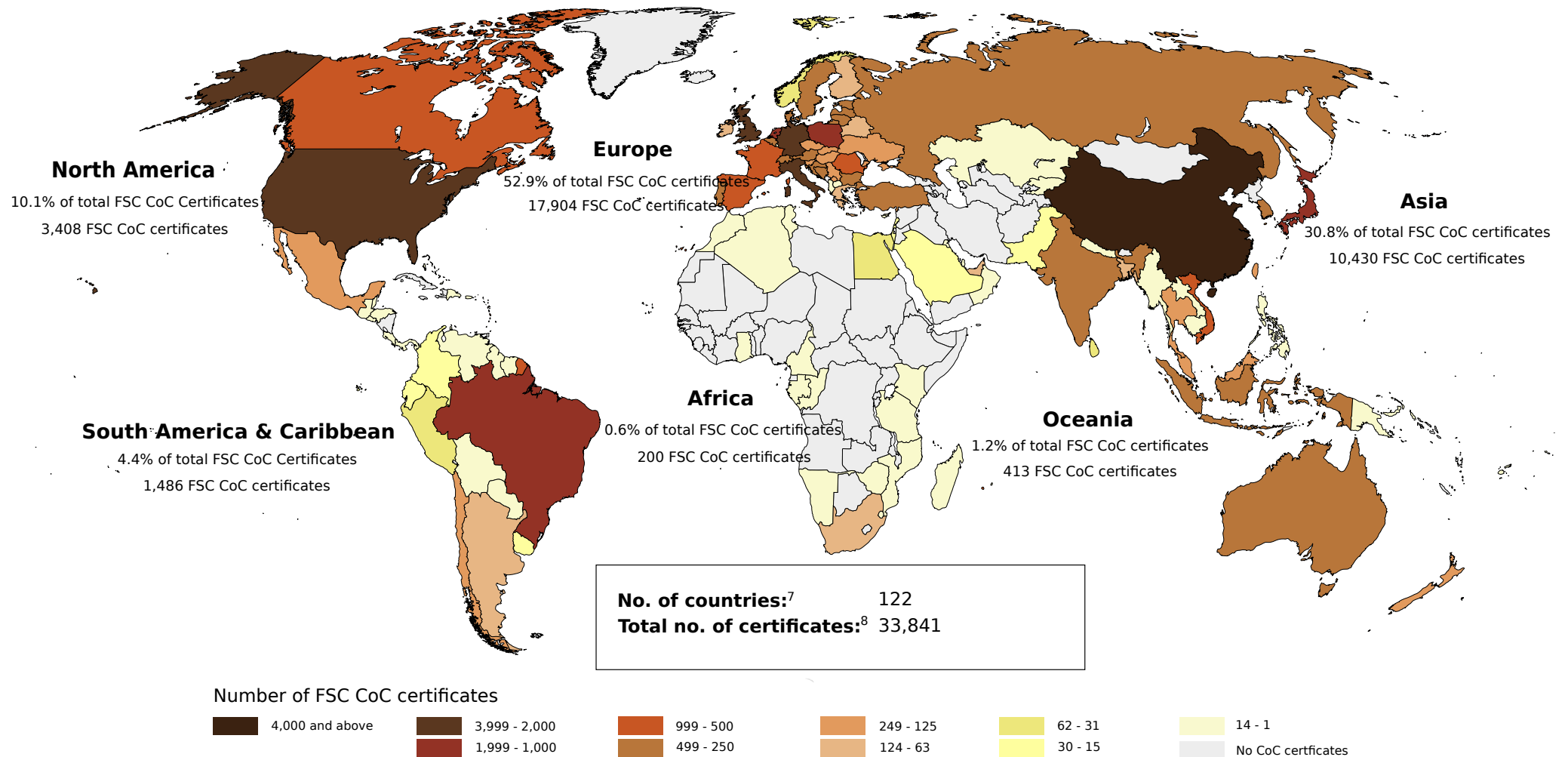
North America	Total area (ha)	No.
CANADA	54,586,671	62
MEXICO	803,179	79
UNITED STATES	13,648,482	103
Total	69,038,332	244



Oceania	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRALIA	1,202,250	12
FIJI	85,385	1
NEW ZEALAND	1,277,107	21
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	37,575	3
SOLOMON ISLANDS	39,401	1
Total	2,641,718	38

Number of countries:⁴ 85
Total number of certificates:⁵ 1,548
Total FSC-certified forest area:⁶ 200,138,102

Global FSC Chain of Custody 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	34
GABON	10
GHANA	6
KENYA	1
MADAGASCAR	1
MAURITIUS	1
MOROCCO	6
MOZAMBIQUE	1
NAMIBIA	7
SEYCHELLES	3
SOUTH AFRICA	110
SWAZILAND	1
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	1
TUNISIA	4
ZIMBABWE	1
Total	200

Asia	No.
BAHRAIN	1
BANGLADESH	87
CAMBODIA	2
CHINA	5,627
HONG KONG	632
INDIA	411
INDONESIA	261
ISRAEL	23
JAPAN	1,310
KAZAKHSTAN	1
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	263
KUWAIT	1
KYRGYZSTAN	2
LAOS	3
LEBANON	23

MACAU	1
MALAYSIA	181
MYANMAR	2
NEPAL	2
OMAN	5
PAKISTAN	23
PHILIPPINES	13
QATAR	12
SAUDI ARABIA	15
SINGAPORE	132
SRI LANKA	32
TAIWAN	226
THAILAND	136
TURKEY	285
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	119
VIETNAM	599
Total	10,430

Europe	No.
ALBANIA	2
AUSTRIA	292
BELARUS	123
BELGIUM	282
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	305
BULGARIA	415
CROATIA	277
CYPRUS	13
CZECH REPUBLIC	232
DENMARK	301
ESTONIA	258
FINLAND	121
FRANCE	745
GERMANY	2,211
GIBRALTAR	1
GREECE	80
HUNGARY	144
IRELAND	124

ITALY	2,210
LATVIA	311
LIECHTENSTEIN	4
LITHUANIA	300
LUXEMBOURG	12
MACEDONIA	9
MALTA	12
MONACO	3
NETHERLANDS	1,207
NORWAY	55
POLAND	1,702
PORTUGAL	263
ROMANIA	639
RUSSIA	461
SAN MARINO	4
SERBIA	166
SLOVAKIA	134
SLOVENIA	217
SPAIN	916
SWEDEN	344
SWITZERLAND	455
UKRAINE	218
UNITED KINGDOM	2,336
Total	17,904

Latin America & Caribbean	No.
ARGENTINA	117
BAHAMAS	1
BELIZE	1
BOLIVIA	12
BRAZIL	1,022
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	5
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1
CHILE	171
COLOMBIA	29
COSTA RICA	8
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2



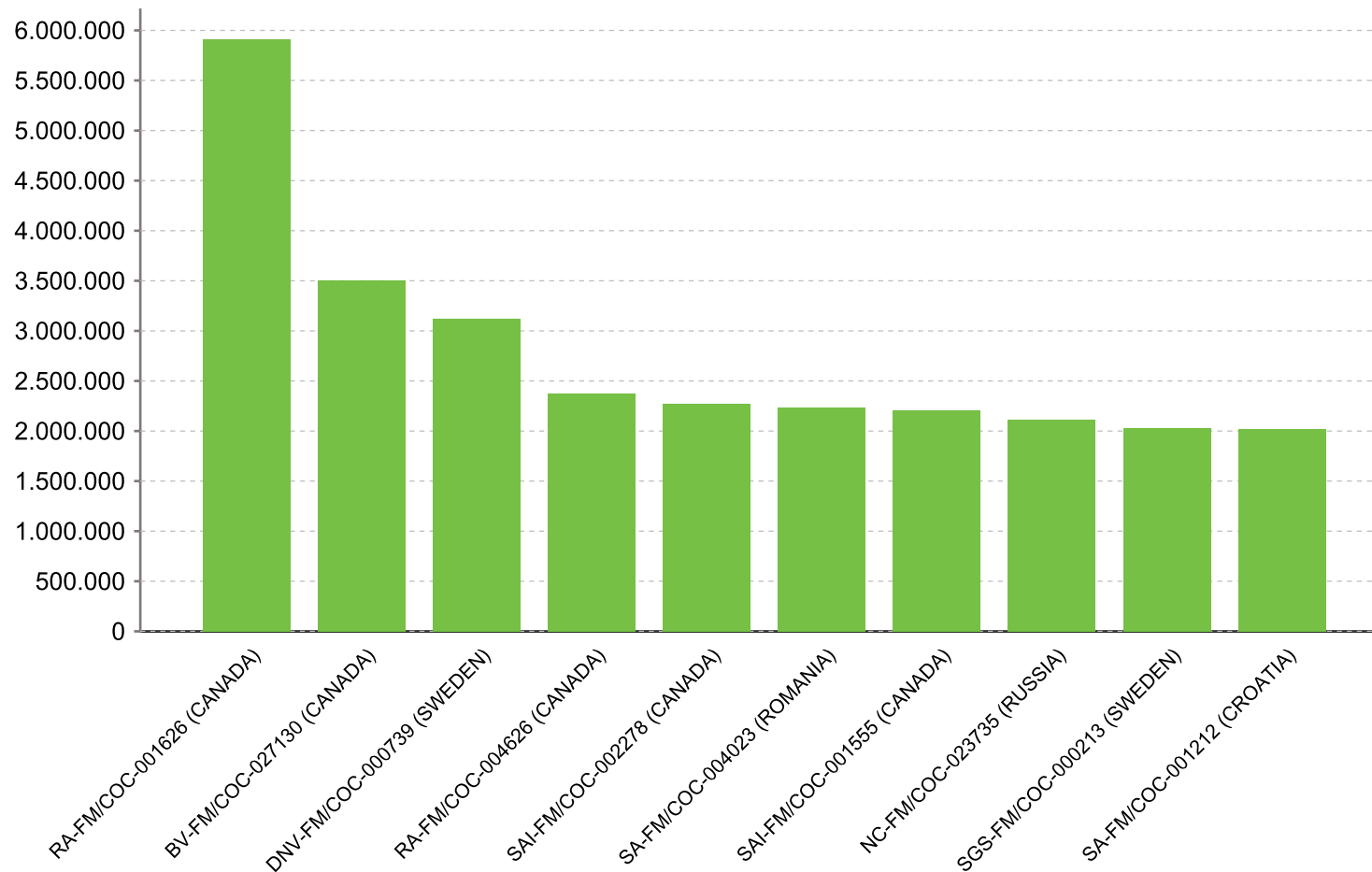
ECUADOR	16
EL SALVADOR	4
GUATEMALA	10
GUYANA	3
HONDURAS	3
PANAMA	3
PARAGUAY	7
PERU	37
PUERTO RICO	2
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	1
SURINAME	6
URUGUAY	19
VENEZUELA	6
Total	1,486

North America	No.
CANADA	671
MEXICO	144
UNITED STATES	2,593
Total	3,408

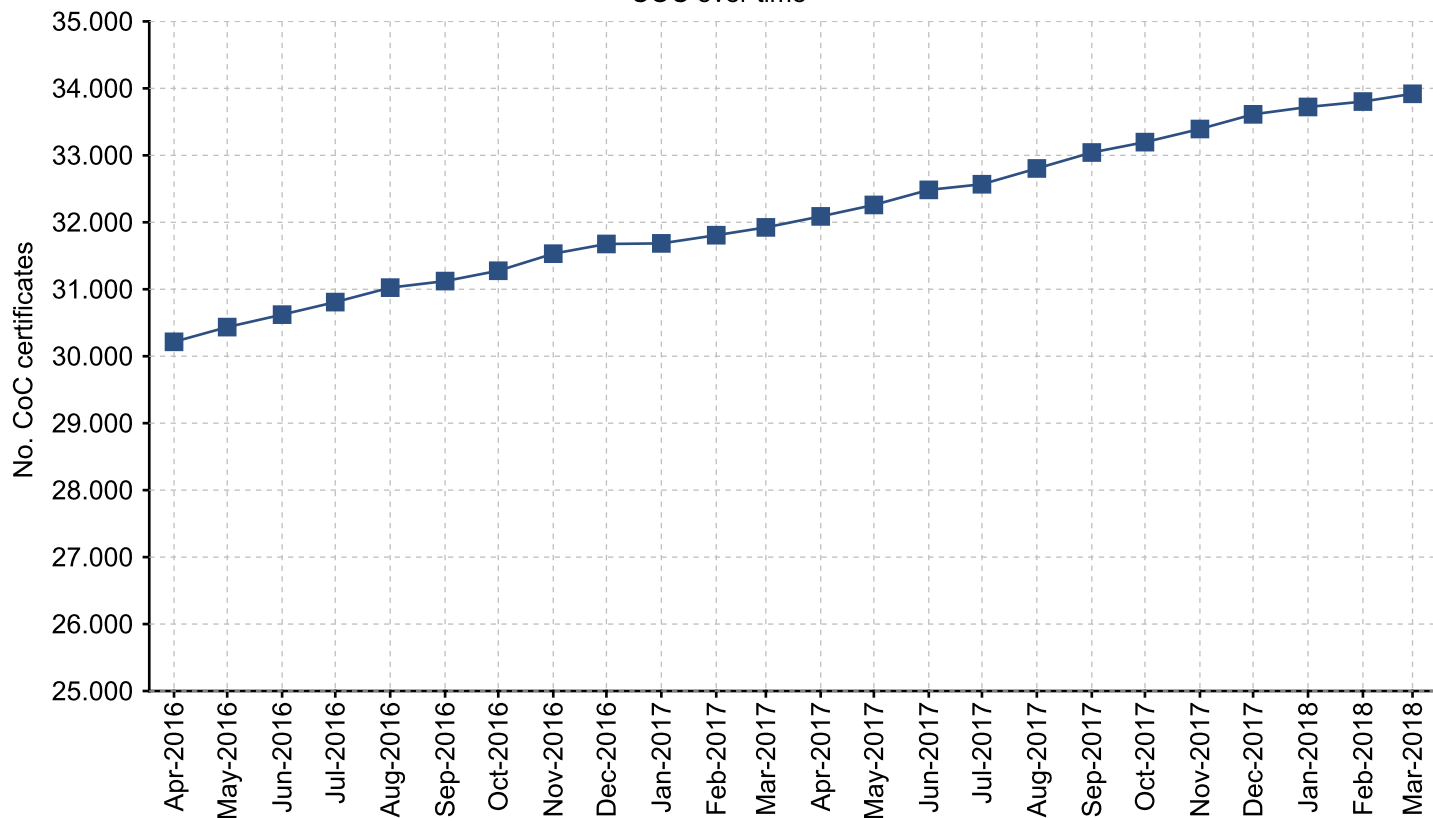
Oceania	No.
AUSTRALIA	263
FIJI	2
NEW ZEALAND	145
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	2
SAMOA	1
Total	413

Number of Countries: ⁹	122
Total number of certificates: ¹⁰	33,841

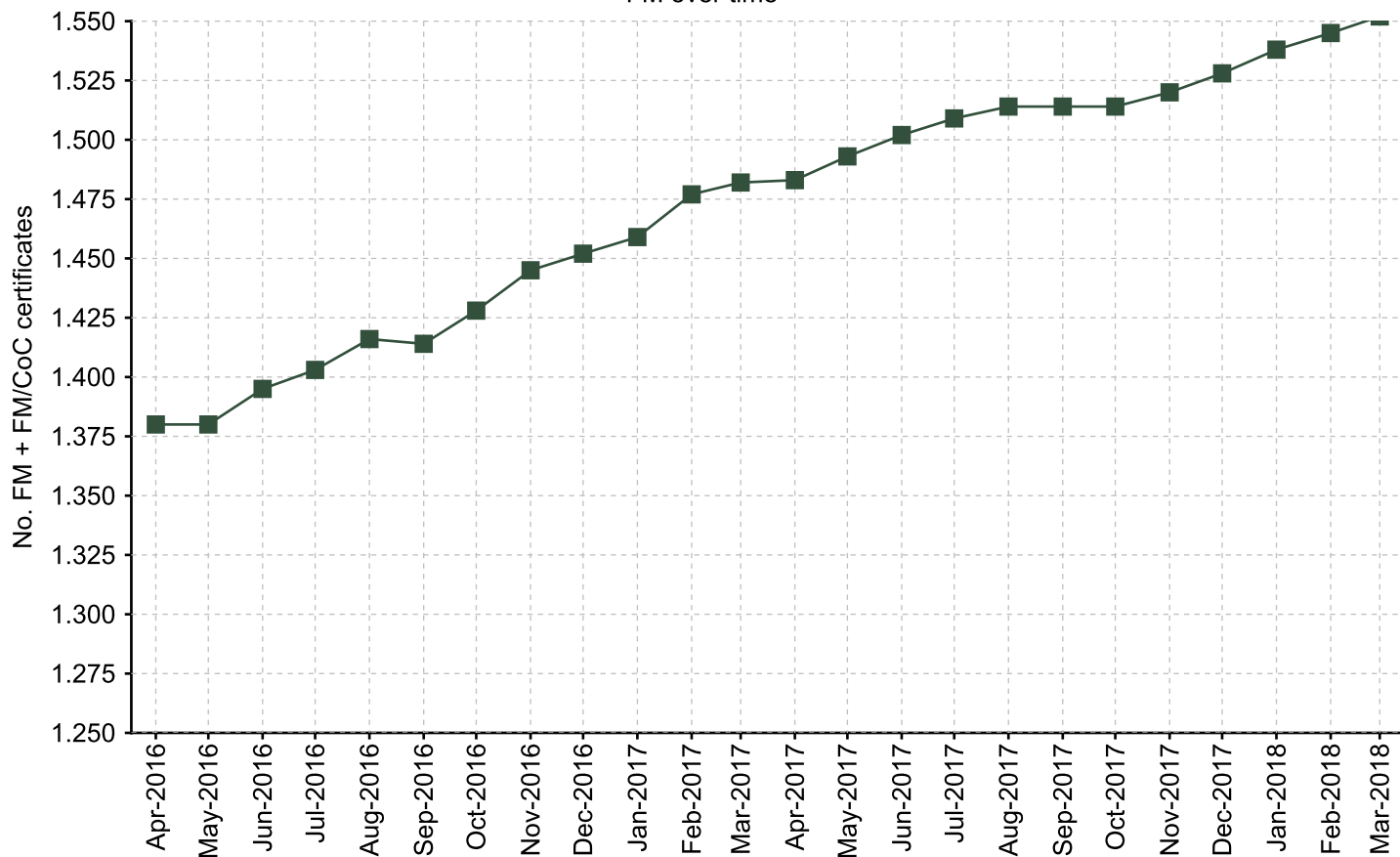
Ten largest FSC certificates



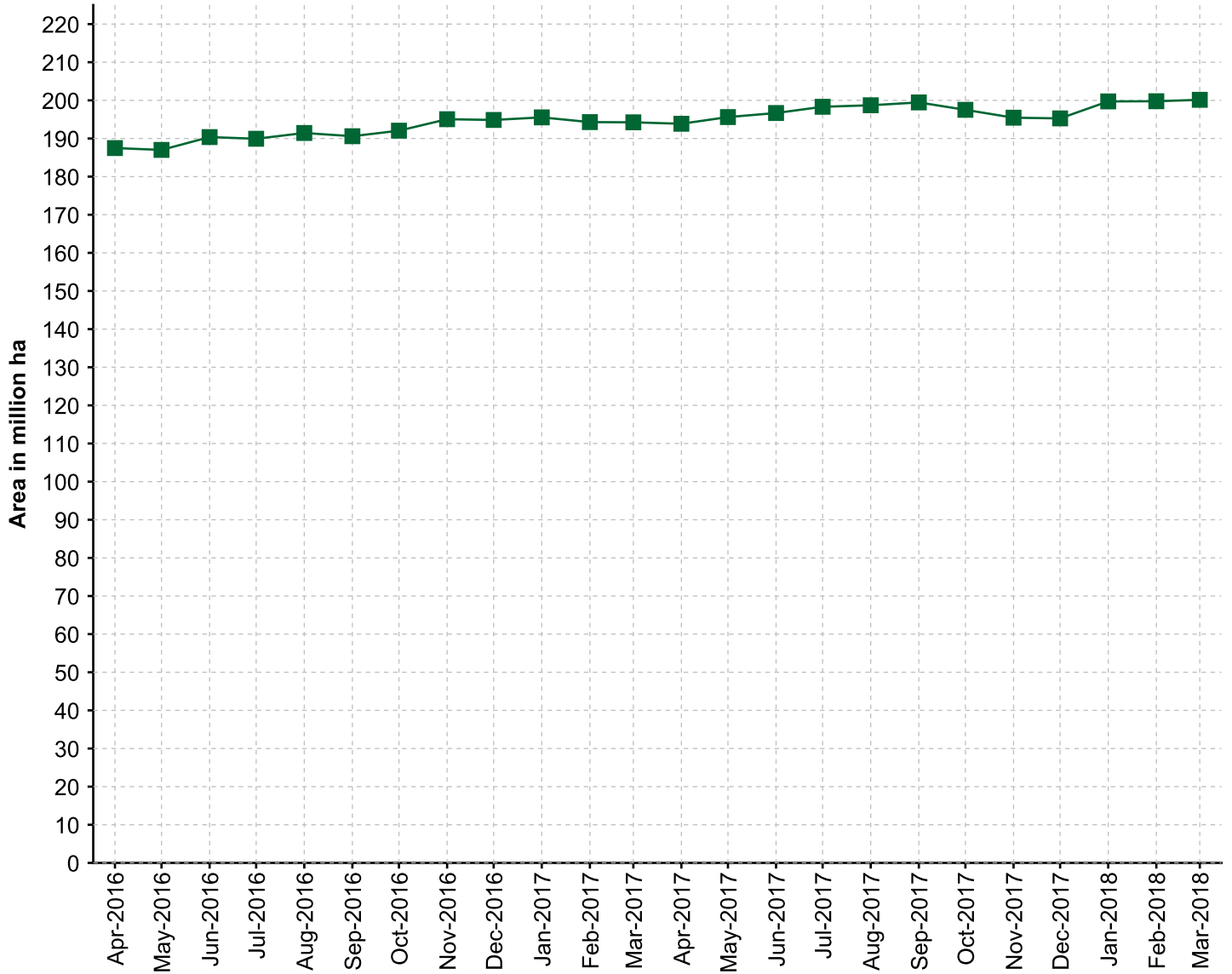
COC over time



FM over time



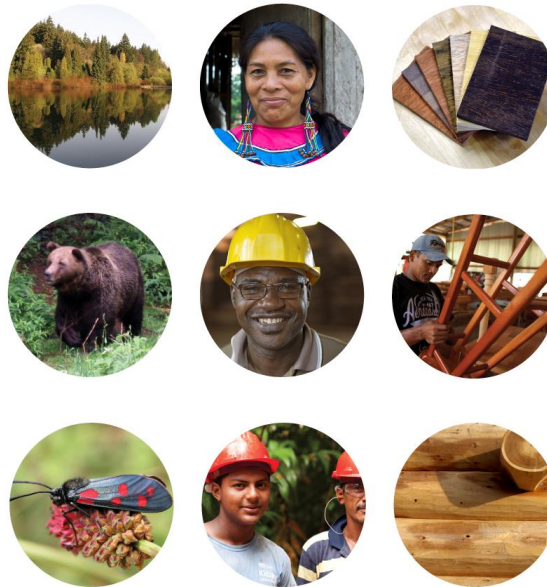
Area over time



Endnotes:

- ¹ Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates).
- ² Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC forest management certificates (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates) are issued.
- ³ Total number of FSC forest management certificates (FM and FM/CoC) issued globally.
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- ⁶ Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (FM and FM/CoC).
- ⁷ Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC CoC certificates are issued.
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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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