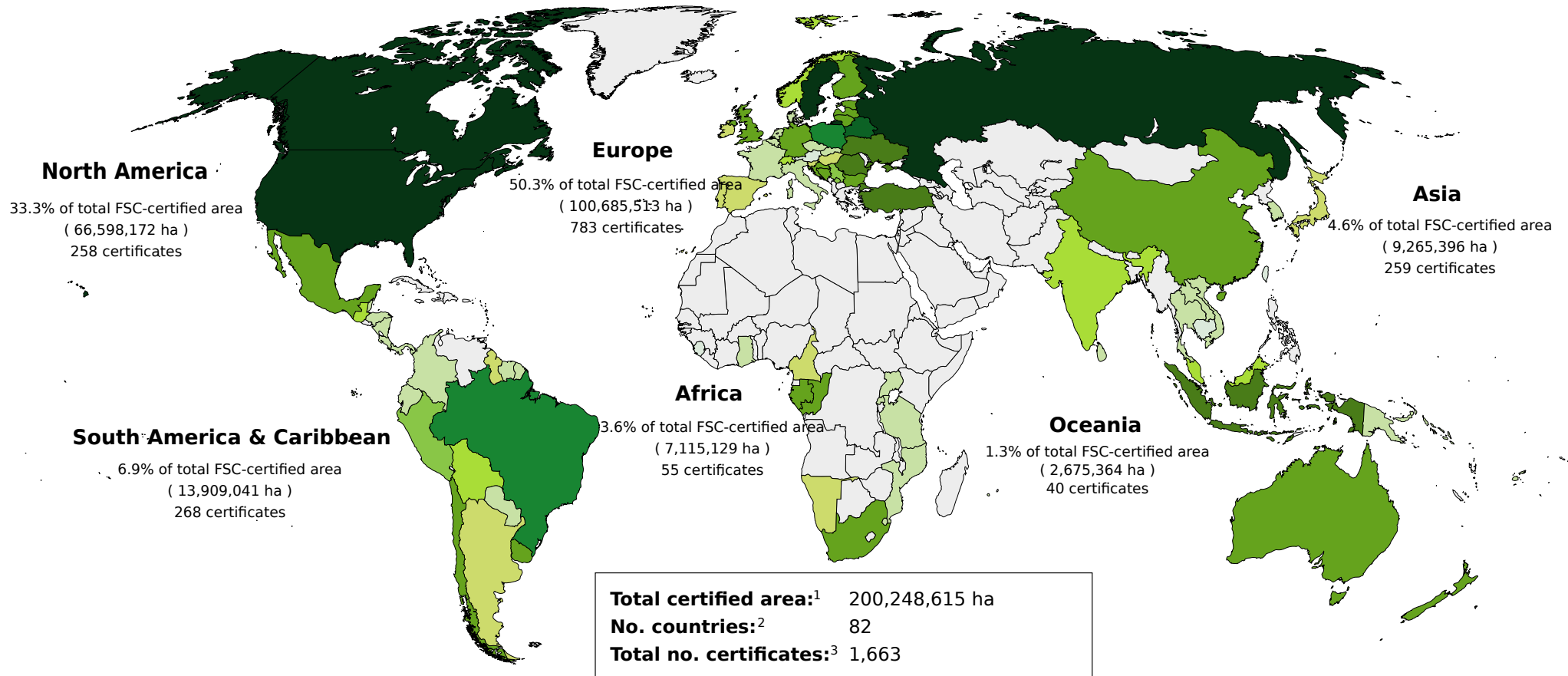




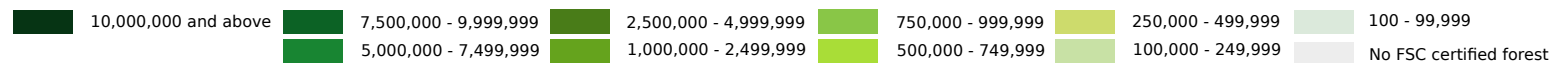
# FSC Facts & Figures

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## Global FSC-certified forest area



### Total FSC-certified forest area in ha



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

Africa	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMEROON	341,708	1
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	2,410,693	4
ESWATINI	125,083	4
GABON	2,061,190	6
GHANA	21,430	2
MOZAMBIQUE	50,753	2
NAMIBIA	391,711	4
RWANDA	10,002	1
SIERRA LEONE	6,281	1
SOUTH AFRICA	1,437,176	23
TANZANIA, UNITED	216,317	3
UGANDA	42,785	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,115,129</b>	<b>55</b>

Asia	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMBODIA	7,896	1
CHINA	1,076,857	78
INDIA	619,254	9
INDONESIA	2,882,578	37
JAPAN	413,739	35
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	36,448	2
LAOS	59,686	3
MALAYSIA	745,575	13
SRI LANKA	20,312	4
TAIWAN	1,437	3
THAILAND	83,703	20
TURKEY	3,121,401	8
VIETNAM	196,510	46

<b>Total</b>	<b>9,265,396</b>	<b>259</b>
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Europe	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRIA	587	2
BELARUS	8,984,669	68
BELGIUM	27,735	3
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1,792,968	9
BULGARIA	1,456,393	25
CROATIA	2,044,407	4
CZECH REPUBLIC	106,065	8
DENMARK	224,147	4
ESTONIA	1,529,117	9
FINLAND	1,623,311	8
FRANCE	63,315	9
GERMANY	1,354,634	55
HUNGARY	308,718	6
IRELAND	446,691	4
ITALY	66,357	18
LATVIA	1,133,518	16
LITHUANIA	1,181,163	31
LUXEMBOURG	23,085	3
NETHERLANDS	167,995	3
NORWAY	642,438	5
POLAND	6,956,224	18
PORTUGAL	472,983	33
ROMANIA	2,836,078	32
RUSSIA	47,655,819	186
SERBIA	963,228	3
SLOVAKIA	209,334	11
SLOVENIA	262,959	2
SPAIN	306,085	29

SWEDEN	11,471,177	22
SWITZERLAND	578,361	3
UKRAINE	4,166,642	124
UNITED KINGDOM	1,629,309	30
<b>Total</b>	<b>100,685,513</b>	<b>783</b>

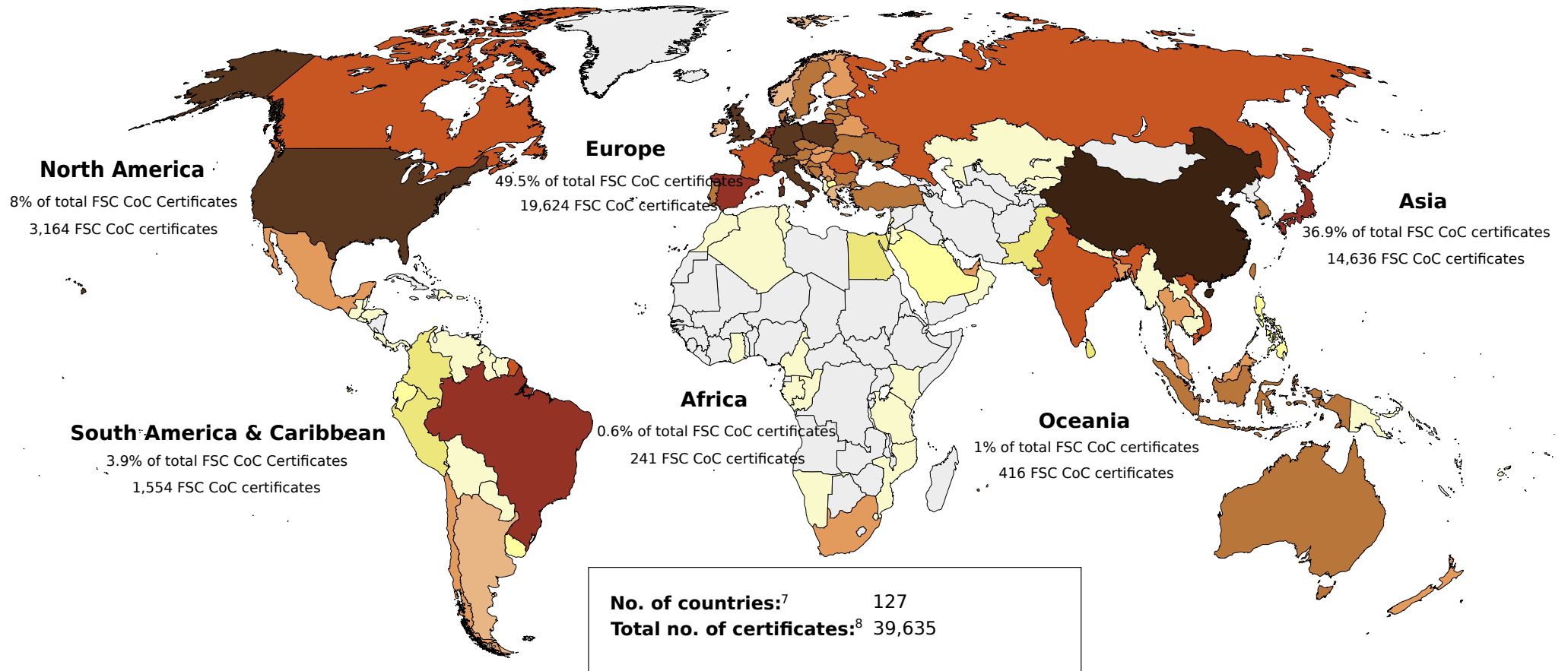
Latin America & Caribbean	Total area (ha)	No.
ARGENTINA	467,055	11
BELIZE	197,122	2
BOLIVIA	723,542	6
BRAZIL	7,097,157	131
CHILE	2,335,984	22
COLOMBIA	153,137	8
COSTA RICA	39,559	14
ECUADOR	59,415	6
GUATEMALA	504,875	10
GUYANA	423,565	3
HONDURAS	17,815	1
NICARAGUA	22,903	6
PANAMA	22,669	8
PARAGUAY	42,613	5
PERU	774,679	10
SURINAME	21,720	1
URUGUAY	1,005,231	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,909,041</b>	<b>268</b>

North America	Total area (ha)	No.
CANADA	50,569,957	59
MEXICO	1,261,446	98
UNITED STATES	14,766,768	101
<b>Total</b>	<b>66,598,172</b>	<b>258</b>

Oceania	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRALIA	1,217,265	13
FIJI	83,253	1
NEW ZEALAND	1,298,762	22
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	36,739	3
SOLOMON ISLANDS	39,346	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,675,364</b>	<b>40</b>

Number of countries:<sup>4</sup> 82  
 Total number of certificates:<sup>5</sup> 1,663  
 Total FSC-certified forest area:<sup>6</sup> 200,248,615

# Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates



### Number of FSC CoC certificates



Based on numbers from FSC International - Core Business Systems  
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## Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates: by region and country

Africa	No.
ALGERIA	1
CAMEROON	6
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	3
EGYPT	35
ESWATINI	3
GABON	11
GHANA	6
KENYA	5
MAURITIUS	2
MOROCCO	12
MOZAMBIQUE	1
NAMIBIA	11
SEYCHELLES	3
SOUTH AFRICA	134
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	2
TUNISIA	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>241</b>

Asia	No.
BAHRAIN	2
BANGLADESH	148
CAMBODIA	6
CHINA	8,812
HONG KONG	547
INDIA	643
INDONESIA	309
ISRAEL	21
JAPAN	1,477
JORDAN	2
KAZAKHSTAN	1
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	318
KUWAIT	4
KYRGYZSTAN	1
LAOS	2
LEBANON	21
MACAU	1
MALAYSIA	173
MYANMAR	6
NEPAL	2

OMAN	5
PAKISTAN	53
PHILIPPINES	23
QATAR	11
SAUDI ARABIA	15
SINGAPORE	127
SRI LANKA	33
TAIWAN	286
THAILAND	207
TURKEY	444
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	129
VIETNAM	807
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,636</b>

Europe	No.
ALBANIA	2
ANDORRA	1
AUSTRIA	307
BELARUS	216
BELGIUM	284
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	310
BULGARIA	478
CROATIA	281
CYPRUS	16
CZECH REPUBLIC	288
DENMARK	305
ESTONIA	271
FINLAND	143
FRANCE	753
GERMANY	2,242
GREECE	109
HUNGARY	155
IRELAND	123
ITALY	2,508
KOSOVO	1
LATVIA	312
LIECHTENSTEIN	4
LITHUANIA	374
LUXEMBOURG	13
MALTA	13

MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF	3
MONACO	8
NETHERLANDS	1,229
NORTH MACEDONIA, Republic of	15
NORWAY	63
POLAND	2,038
PORTUGAL	324
ROMANIA	730
RUSSIA	629
SAN MARINO	5
SERBIA	199
SLOVAKIA	163
SLOVENIA	240
SPAIN	1,067
SWEDEN	392
SWITZERLAND	440
UKRAINE	304
UNITED KINGDOM	2,265
VATICAN CITY STATE (HOLY SEE)	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,624</b>

Latin America & Caribbean	No.
ARGENTINA	115
BAHAMAS	1
BELIZE	2
BOLIVIA	12
BRAZIL	1,050
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	5
CAYMAN ISLANDS	2
CHILE	195
COLOMBIA	31
COSTA RICA	10
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	3
ECUADOR	18
EL SALVADOR	7
GUATEMALA	14
GUYANA	3
HONDURAS	1
PANAMA	3
PARAGUAY	11



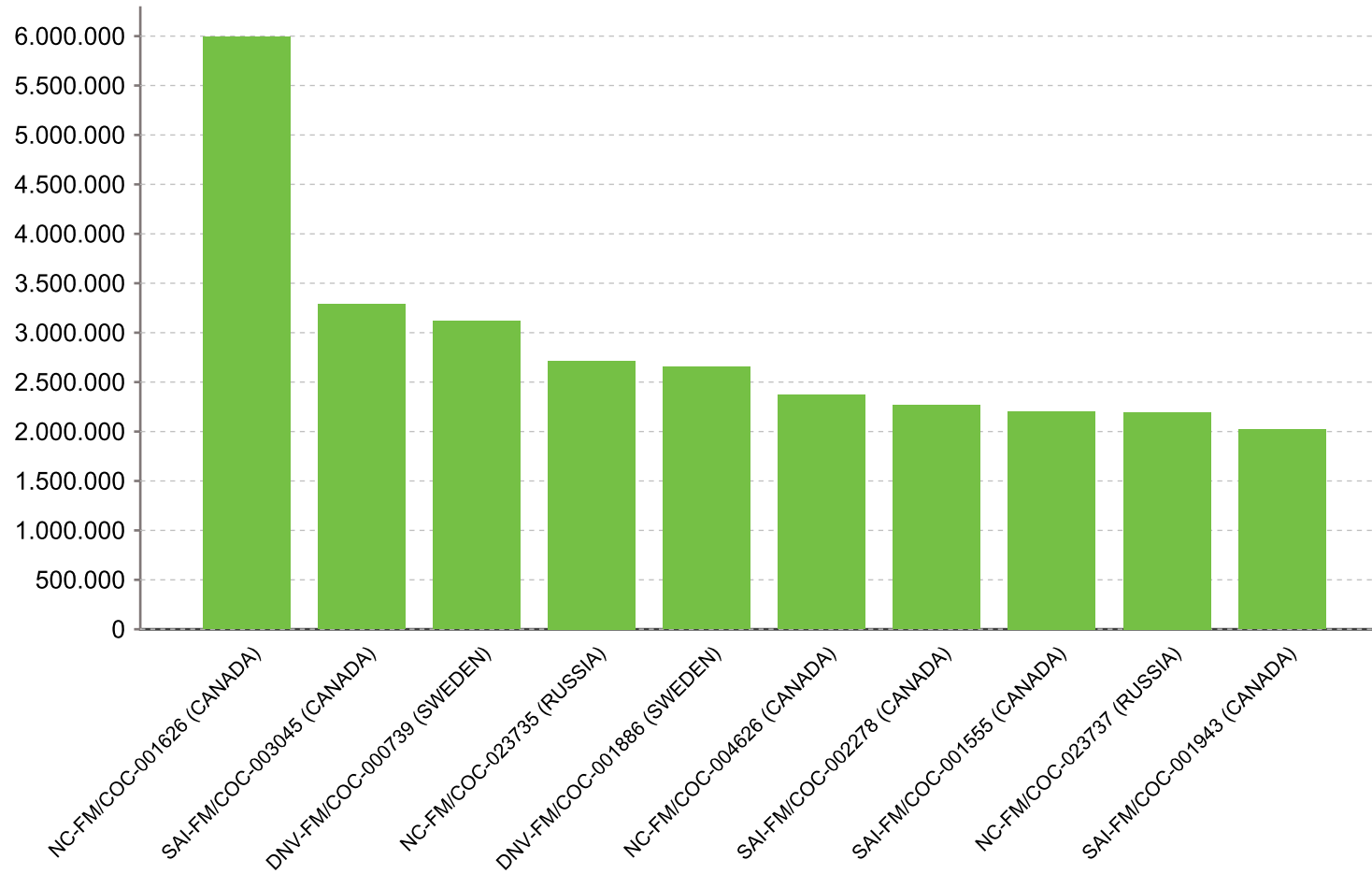
PERU	45
PUERTO RICO	2
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	1
SURINAME	3
URUGUAY	19
VENEZUELA	1
Total	1,554

North America	No.
CANADA	602
MEXICO	153
UNITED STATES	2,409
Total	3,164

Oceania	No.
AUSTRALIA	254
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM	1
FIJI	3
GUAM	1
MARSHALL ISLANDS	6
NEW ZEALAND	147
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	2
SAMOA	2
Total	416

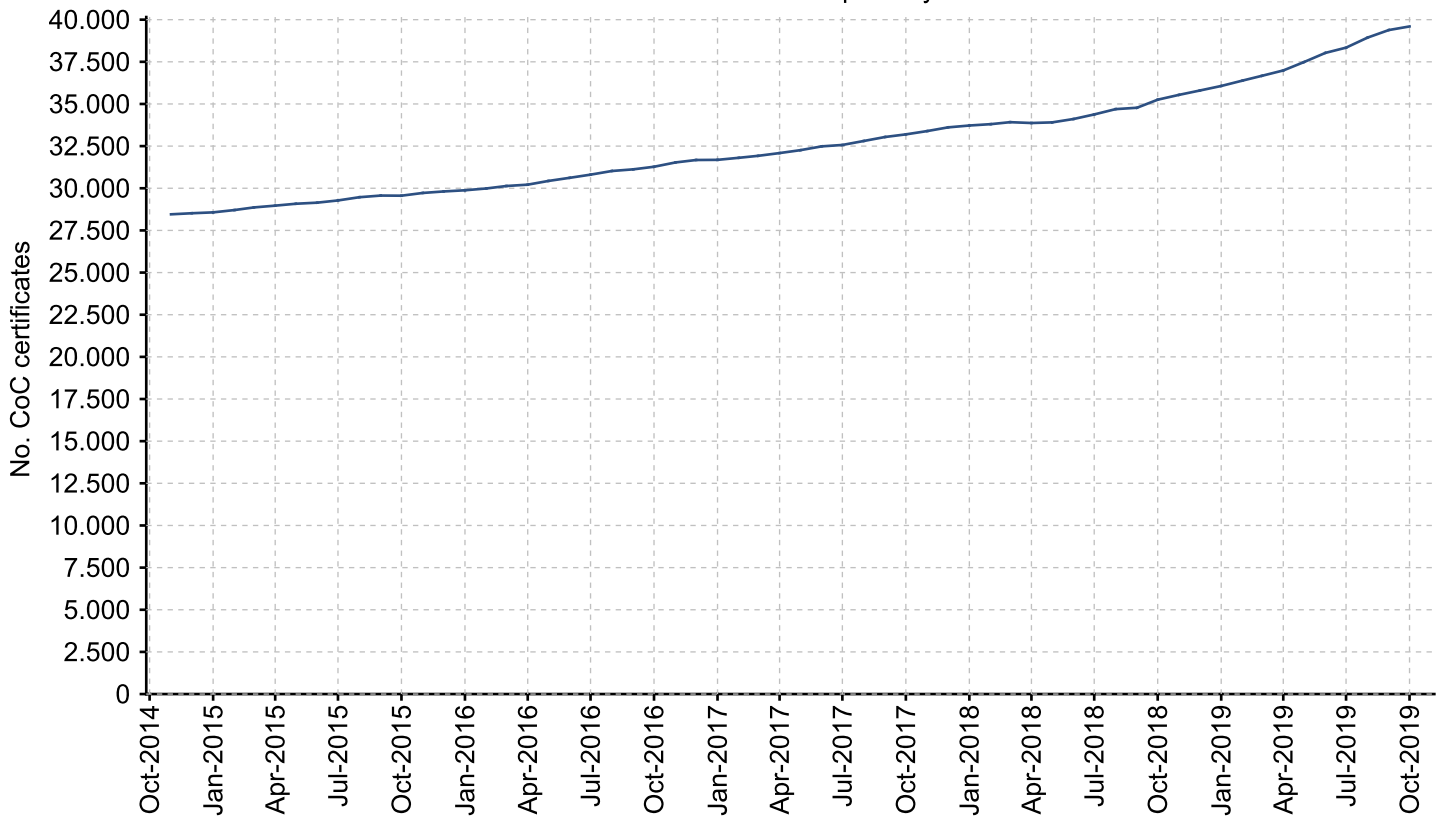
Number of Countries: <sup>9</sup>	127
Total number of certificates: <sup>10</sup>	39,635

## Ten largest FSC certificates

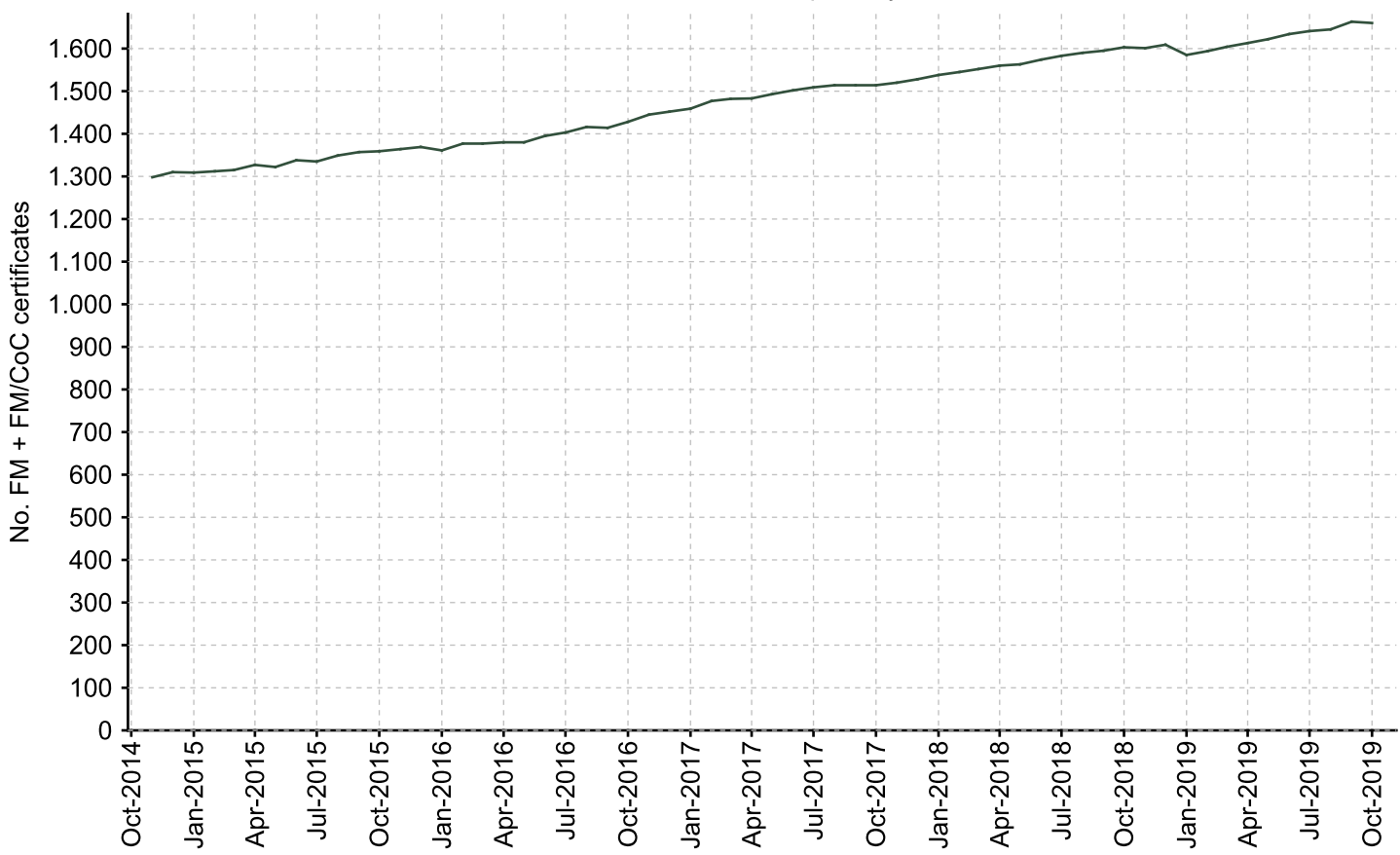




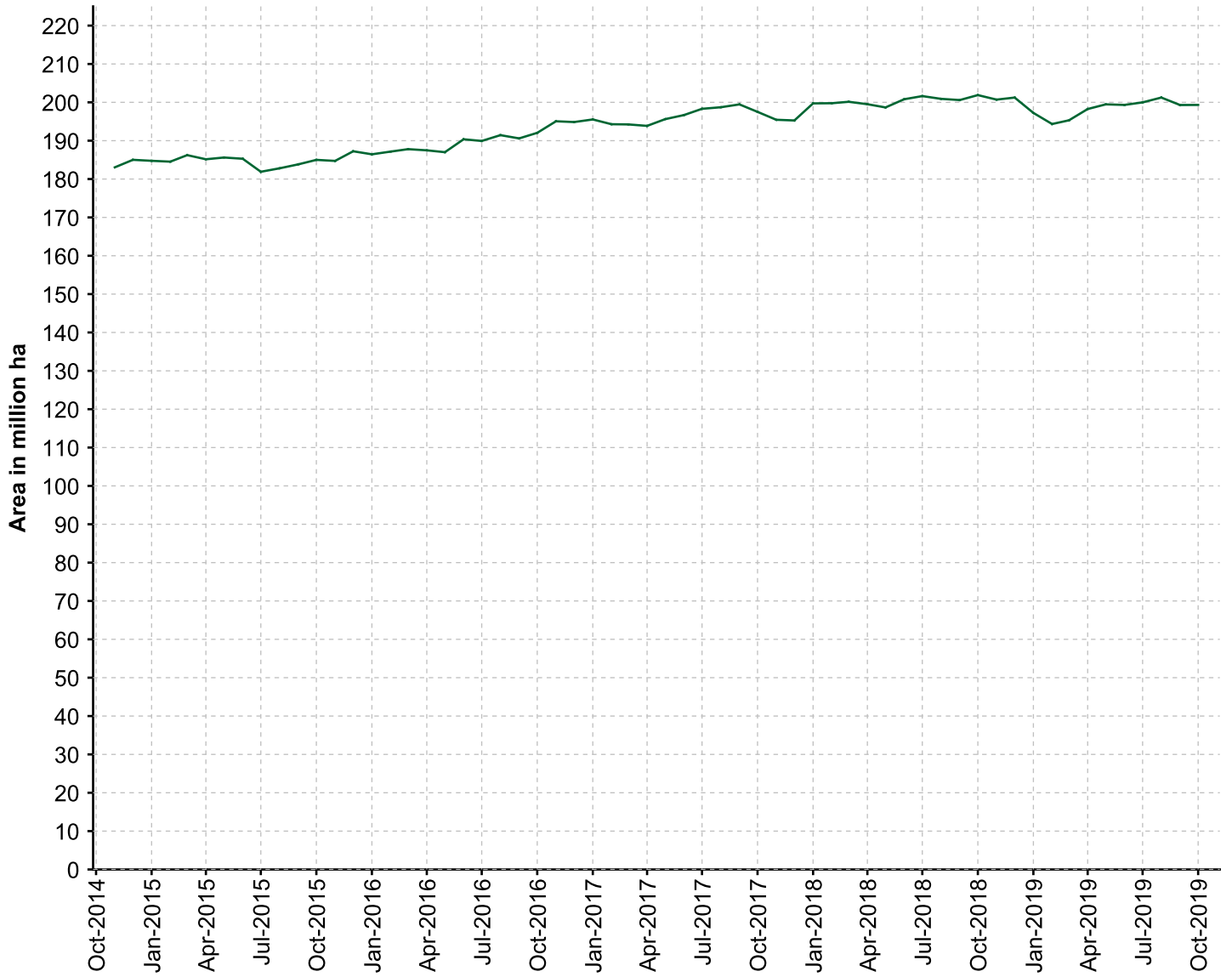
Number of COC Certificates over past 5 years



Number of FM Certificates over past 5 years



### Forest Area over past 5 years



**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.
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