

# Information needs to avoid market distortions

Stakeholders' needs for forest damage/disturbance assessment

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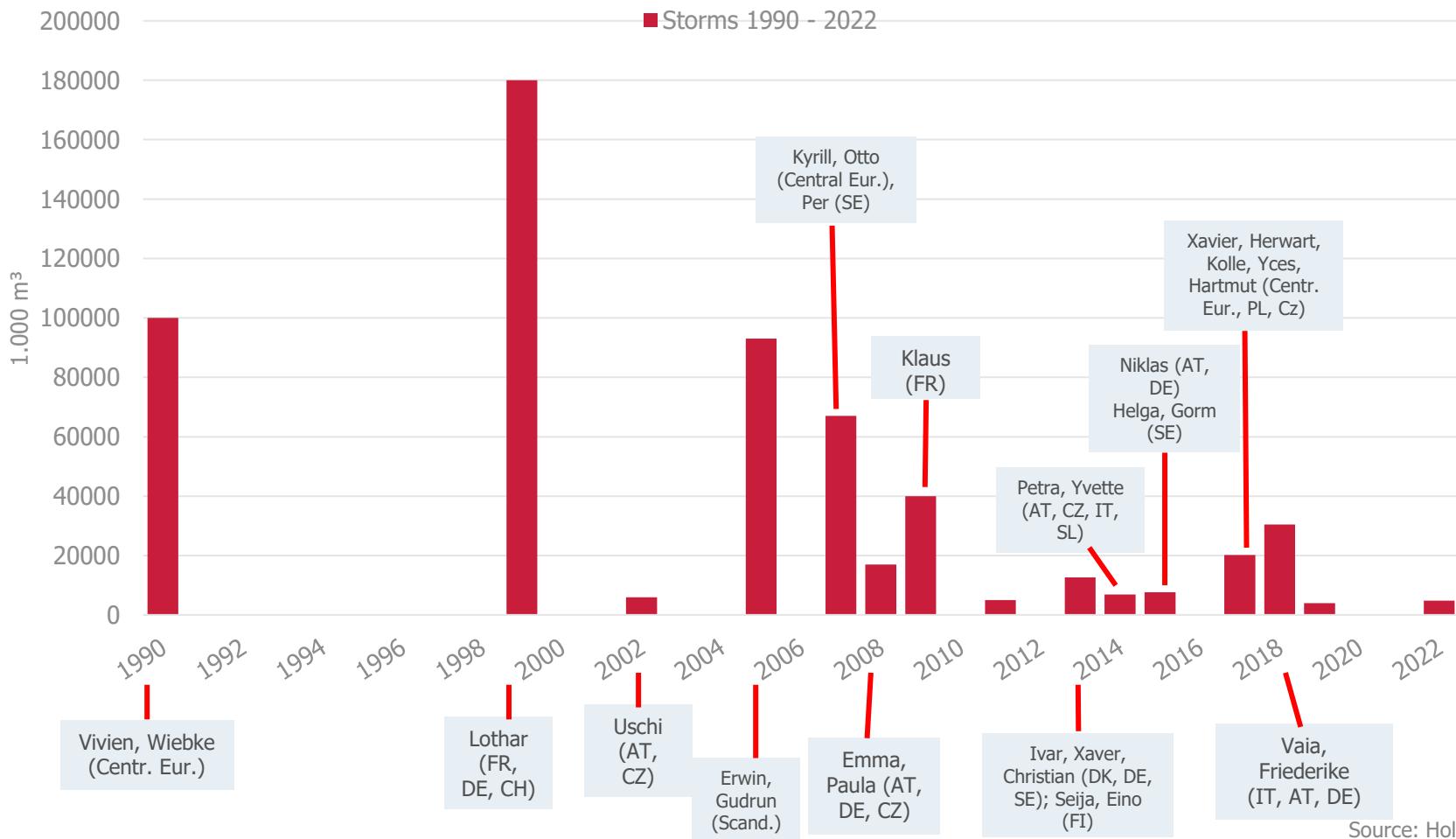
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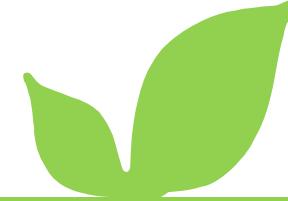


## Estimated windthrow volume of largest storms in Europe 1990 - 2022

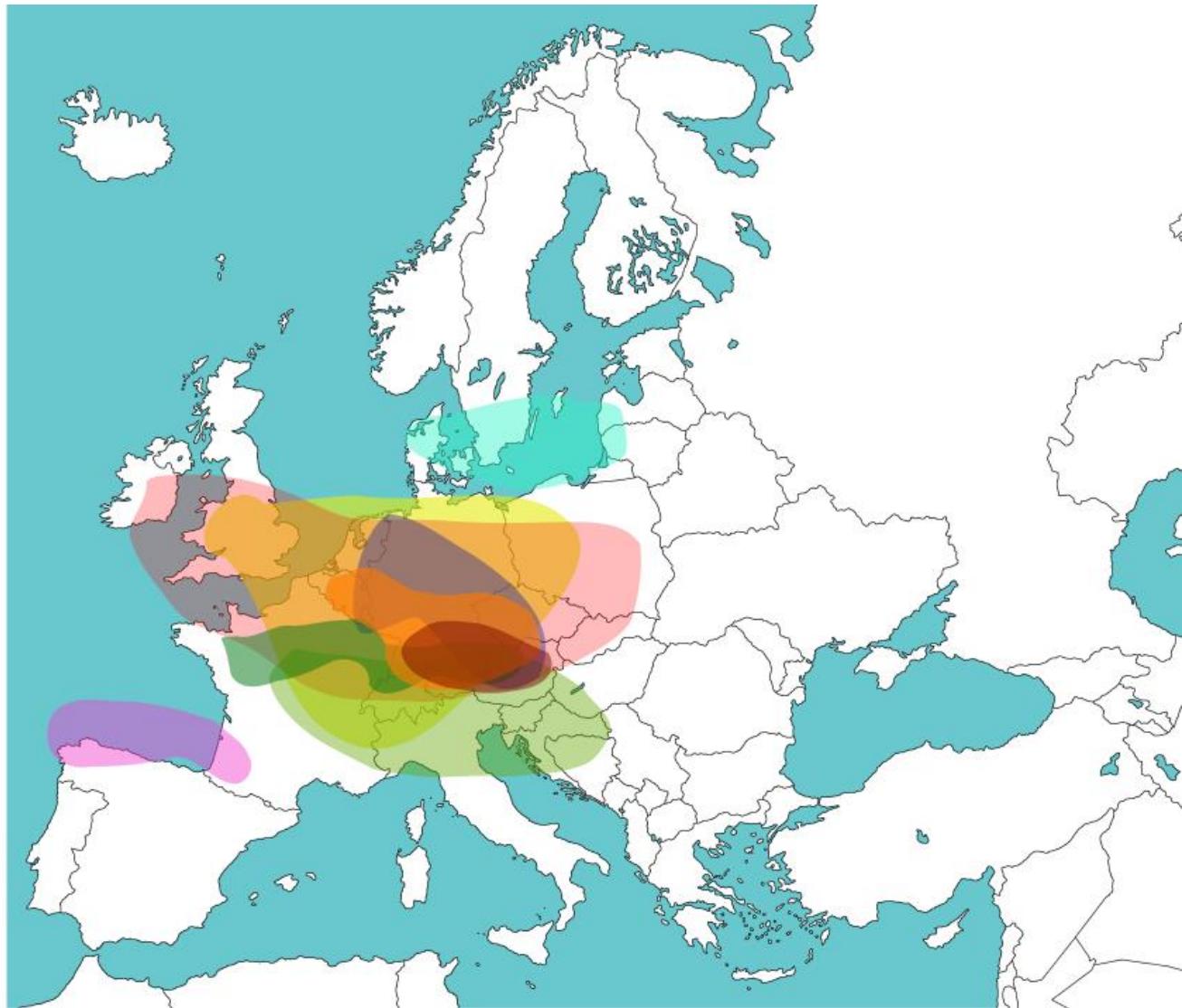


Source: Holzkurier

# Impacted area by selected storms in Europe

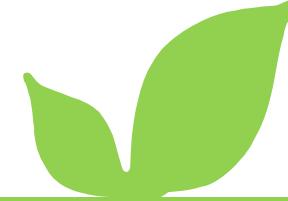


- █ 1990 Vivien
- █ 1999 Lothar
- █ 2005 Gudrun
- █ 2007 Kyrill
- █ 2008 Paula, Emma
- █ 2009 Klaus
- █ 2015 Niklas
- █ 2018 Vaia
- █ 2018 Friederike

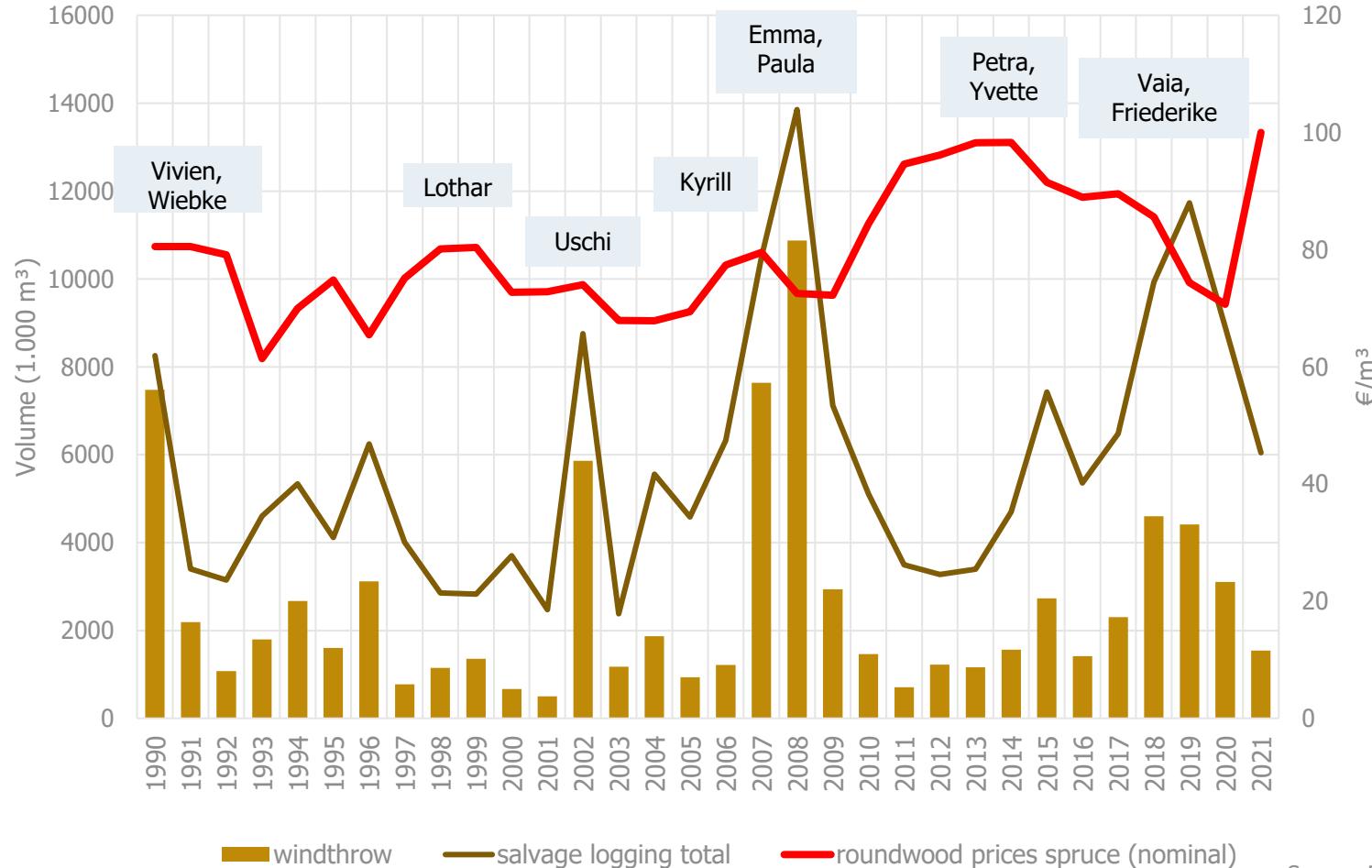


Source: adapted from wikipedia commons/[Josepf2](#)

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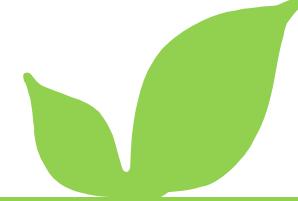


### Salvage logging and round wood prices Austria



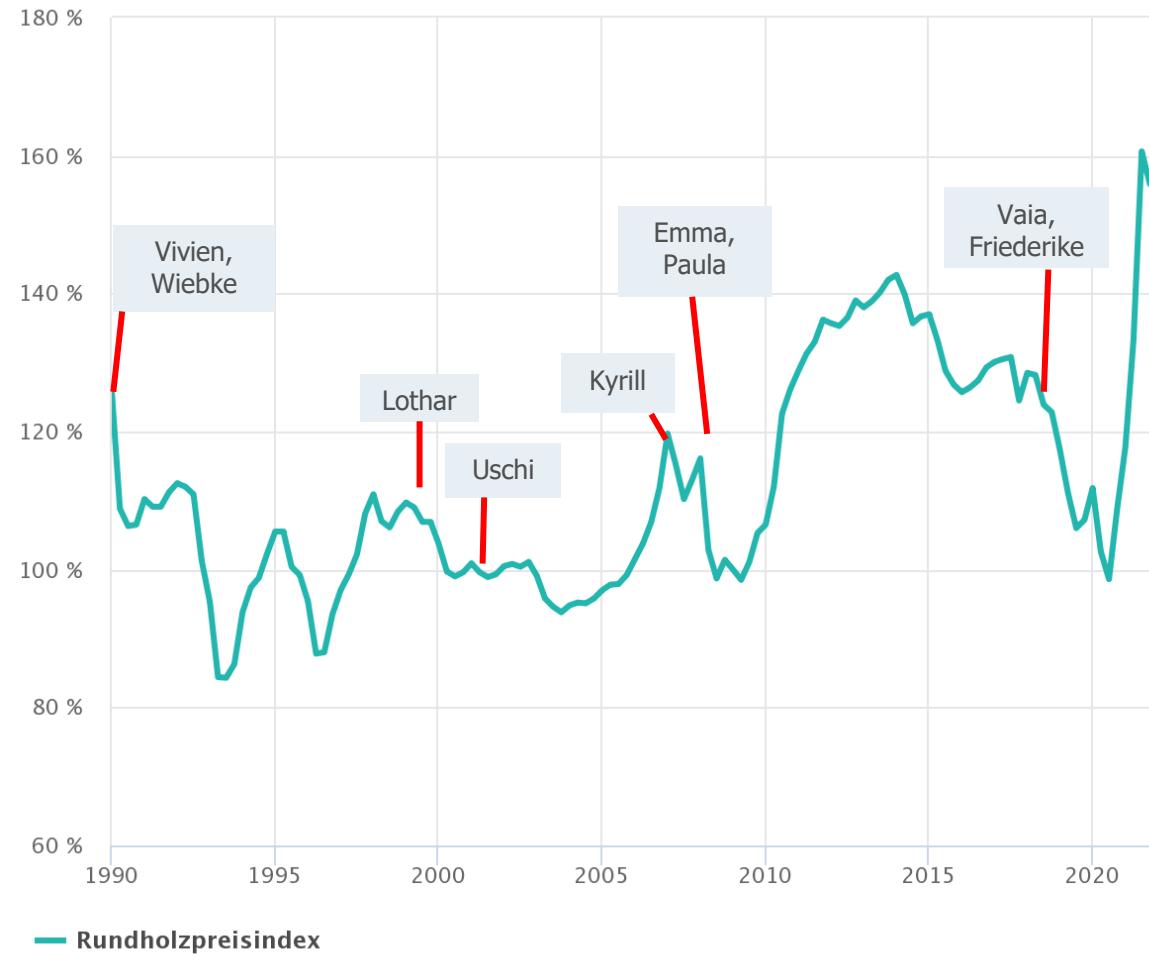
Source: BFW, BML

# Austria: Roundwood price index 1990-2022

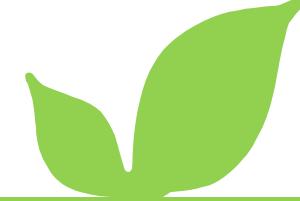


Fi/Ta Sägerundholz-Preisindex Österreich 2. Quartal 2022

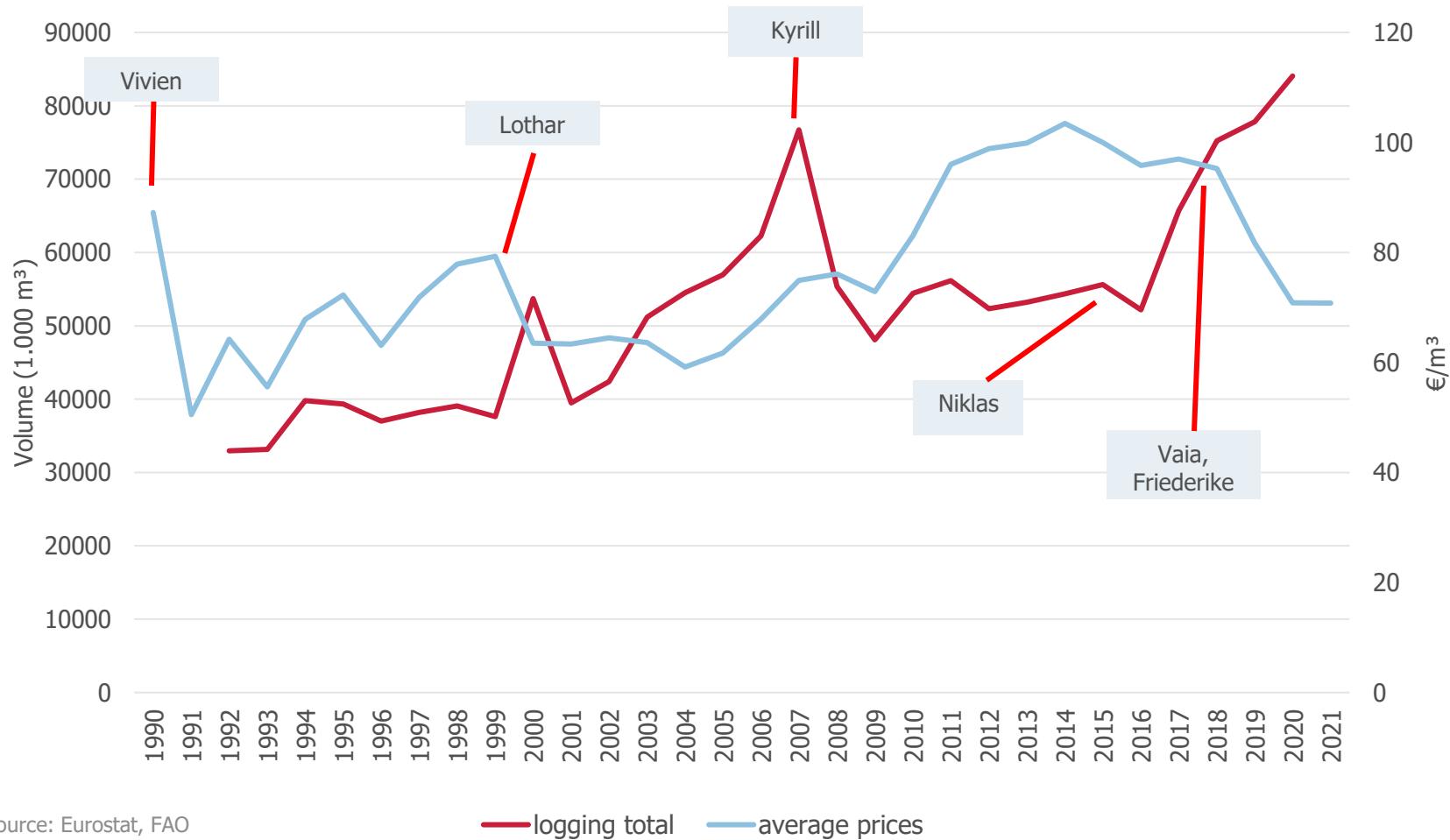
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# Germany: Felling volume and average wood prices



## Germany: Total Logging and average wood prices



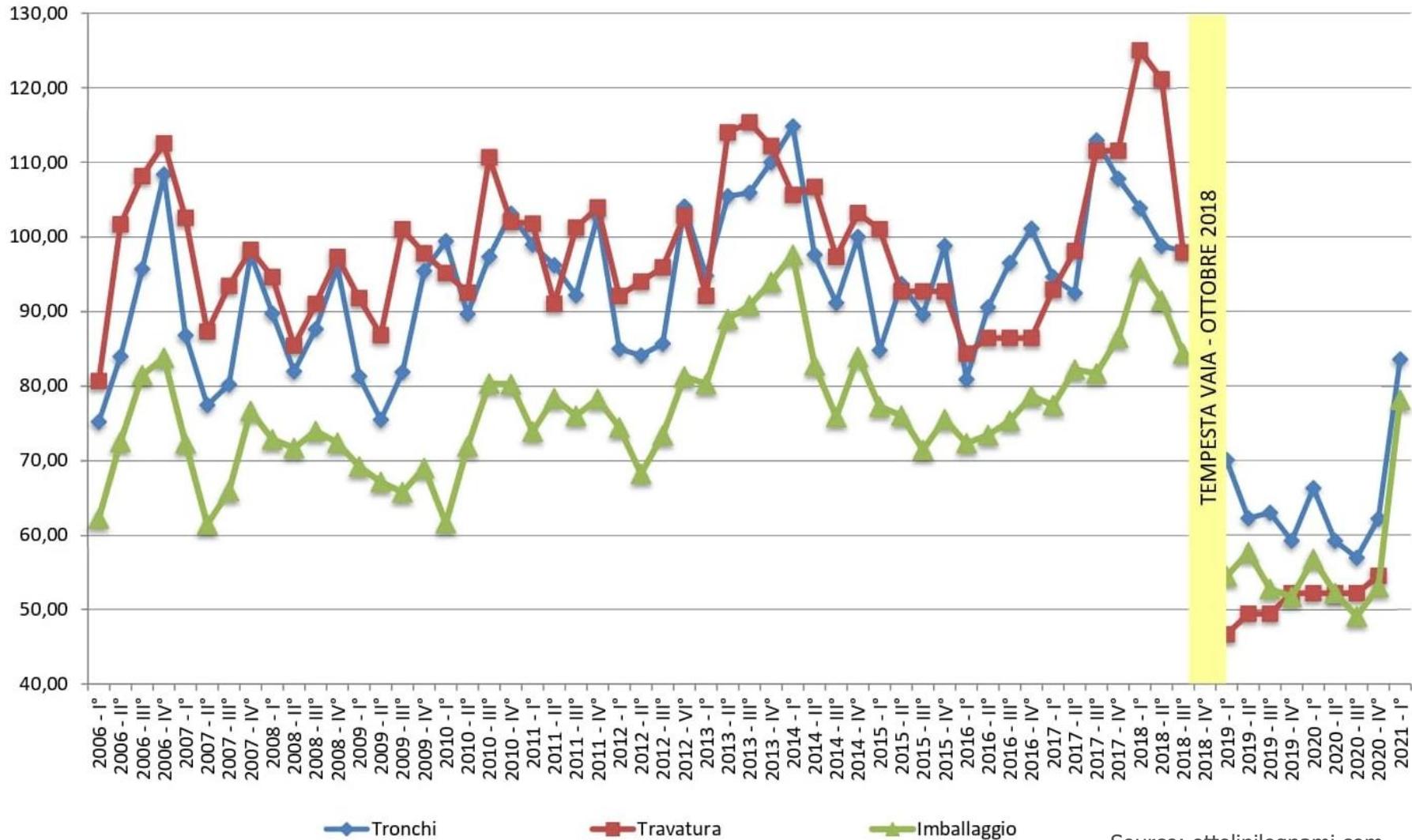
Source: Eurostat, FAO

— logging total    — average prices

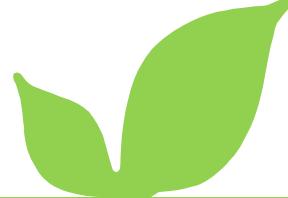
# Italy: Wood prices 2006-2021 (logs, package, beams)



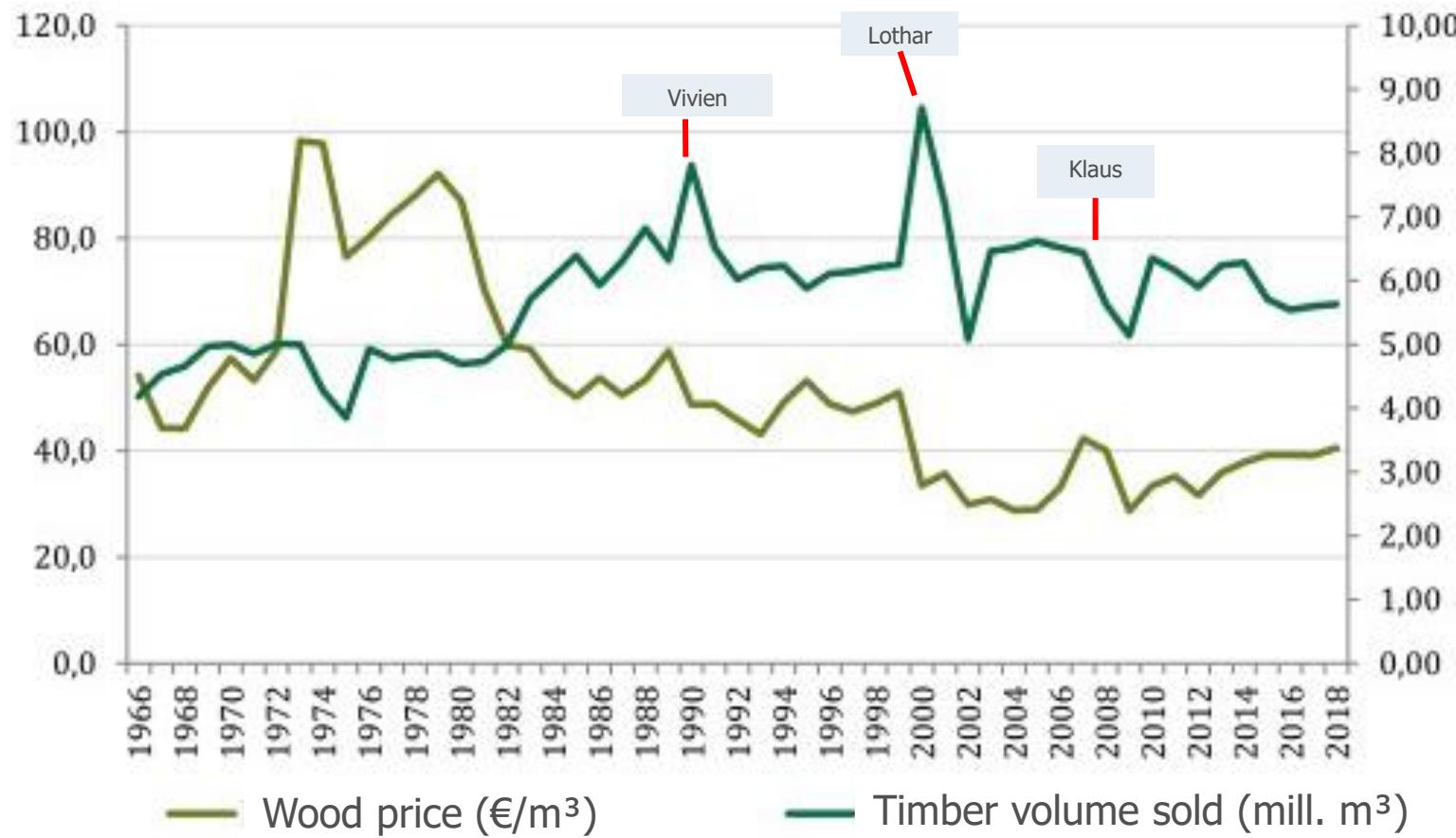
Serie storica a confronto dei prezzi dei principali assortimenti di abete



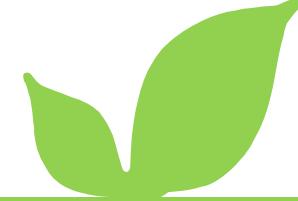
Source: ottolinilegname.com



## Timber volume (mill. m<sup>3</sup>) and price (€/m<sup>3</sup>) 1966-2018

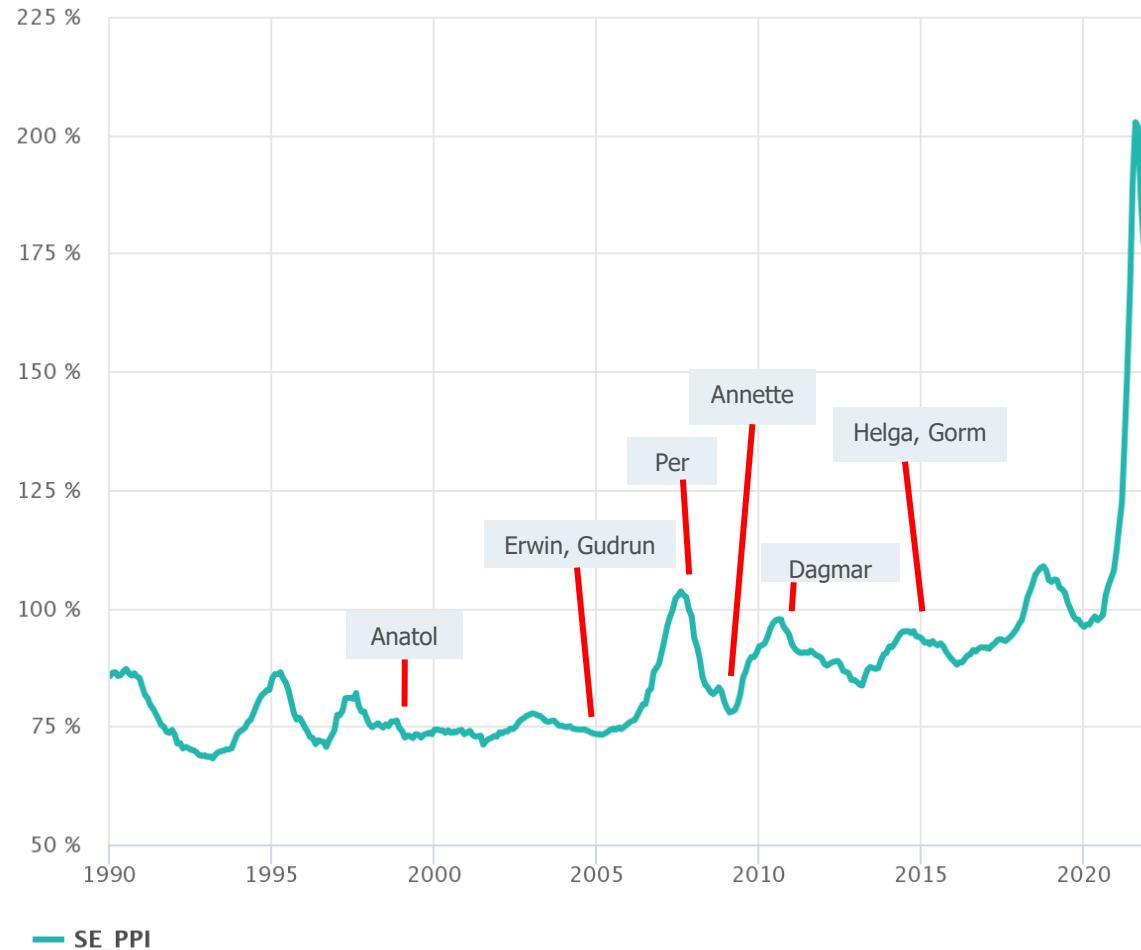


Source : ONF.



### Schnittholzpreis-Index Schweden Juli 2022

Produktionspreis-Index Nadeschnittholz und gehobelte Ware, Index 2020 = 100 %

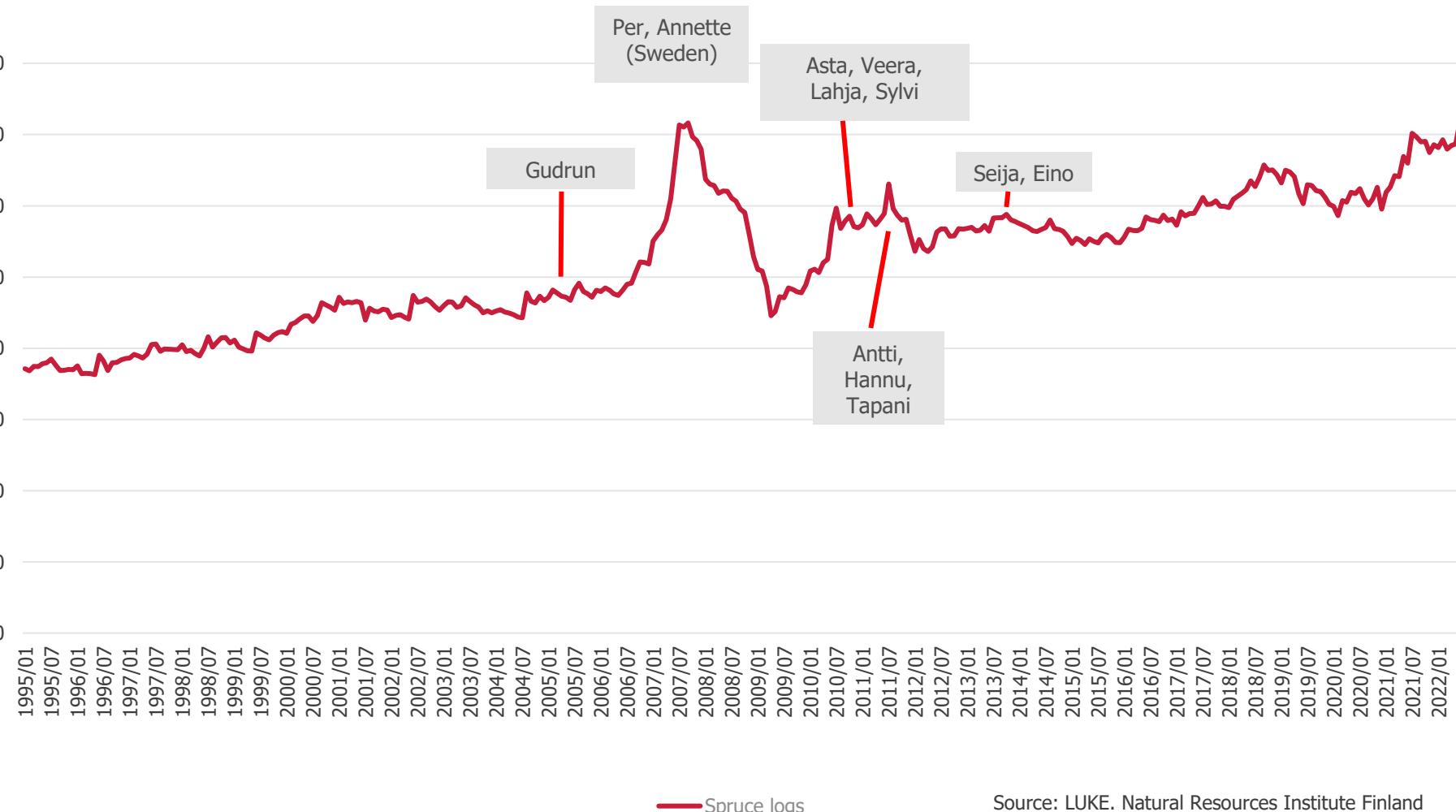


Quelle: Statistic Sweden

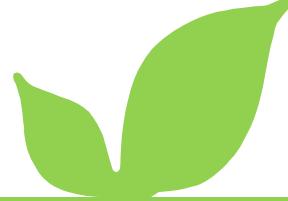
# Finland: Roundwood roadside prices 1995-2022



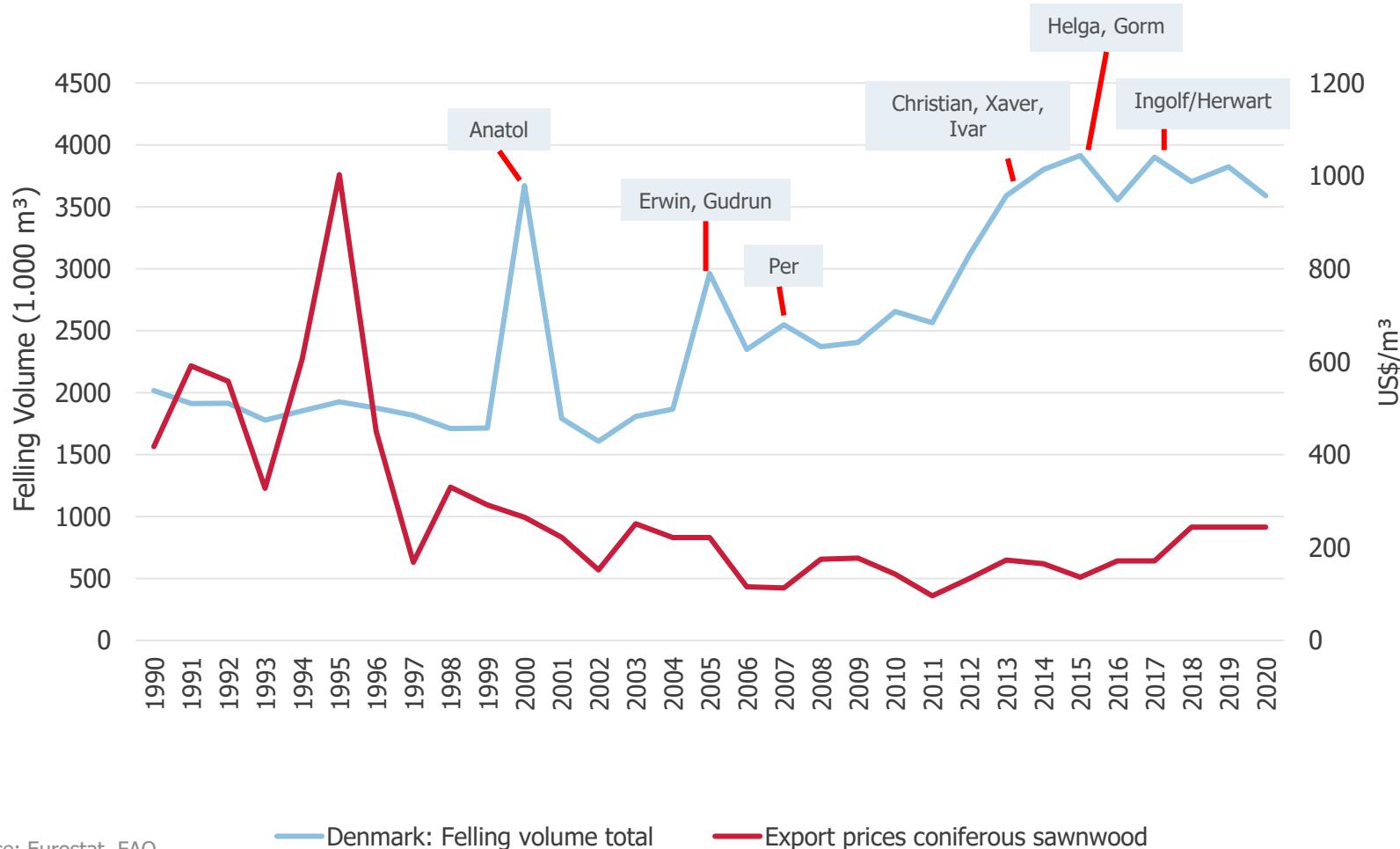
Finland roadside prices roundwood (€/m<sup>3</sup>)



# Denmark: Export prices (US\$/m<sup>3</sup>) and felling volume



## Export prices and felling volume Denmark





# Information needed

- For setting the right decisions **after** a main natural disaster by forest owners and managers, quick and reliable information is needed.
- Information about the affected area, total timber volume, tree species, is necessary.
- Our experience shows that the total volume of timber resulting from significant damages is up to twice the amount estimated in the first days after the occurrence.





# Information needed

- But we need also specific information **before** and about potential damages and disturbances.
- We need information about trends and developments of bark beetles and other insects and diseases at the relevant level.
- Some risk factors are influenced by forest management:
  - Stand density, H/D-factor, mixture of tree species, structure and texture of the forest can be managed by forest owners.





# Information needed

- Therefore we need not only reports from the past but also forecasts and prognoses for the main risk factors.
- We also need a simple risk analysis system to be applied by simple forest owners.
- Also we need guidelines, guidance and education on risk-analysis and prevention through forest management activities.
- At last we need a lot of money for adaption of our forests to climate change.
  - The climate changes faster then the natural dynamic of forests.
  - Climate change was caused by all society.
  - So we need solidarity from society for financing the costs of adaption of forest to climate change.

# Thank you for your attention.

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