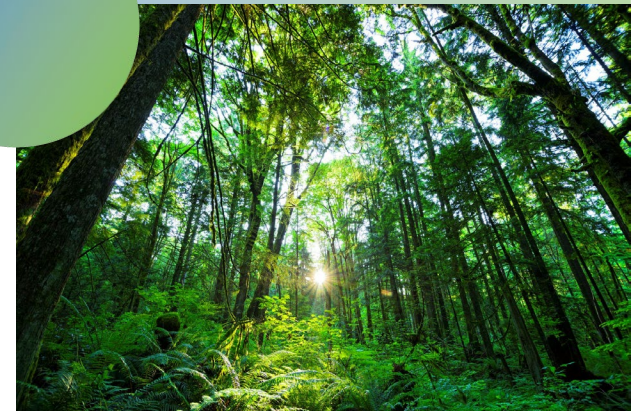




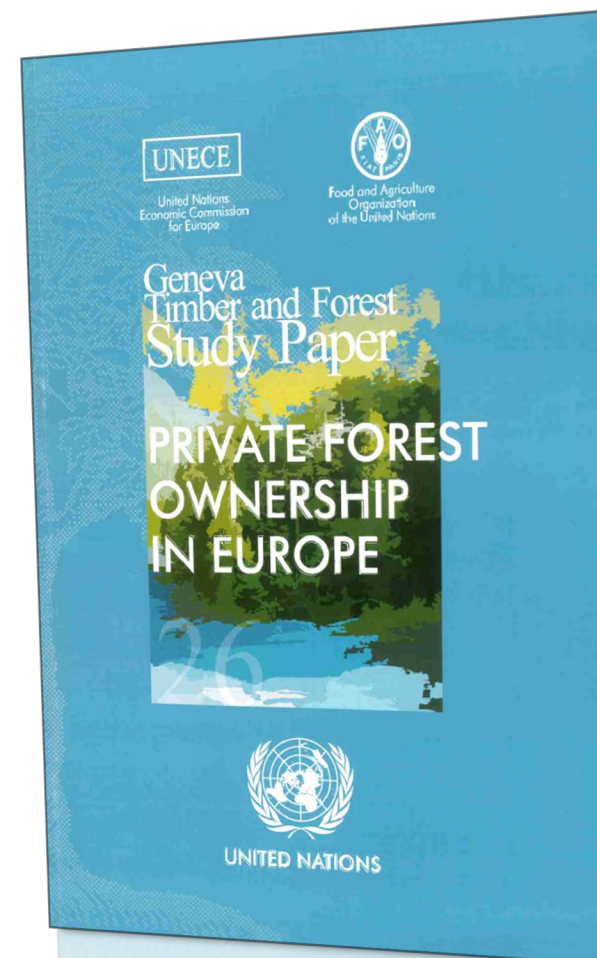
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# Forest ownership in the ECE region

- **2005**
  - Data collection and study.
  - Covering private forest ownership in Europe.
- **Joint enquiry by,**
  - UNECE/FAO;
  - Ministerial Conference on the Protection of Forests in Europe (MCPFE), now Forest Europe;
  - Confederation of European Forest Owners (CEPF).
- **Publication based on data of 23 ECE countries**
  - Provided the first insight into private forest ownership in Europe.



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- **2015**

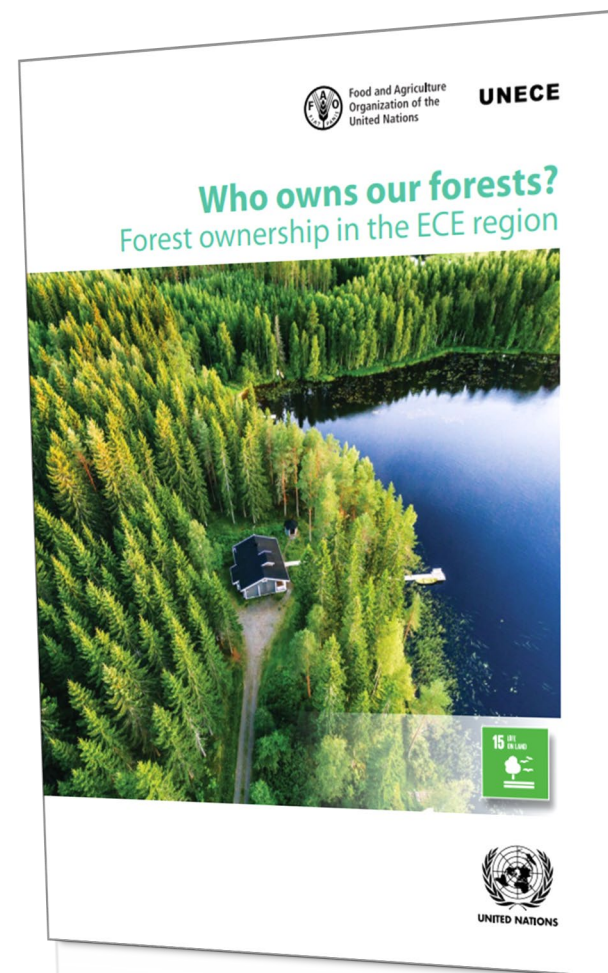
- Data collection and study
- Prepared in cooperation with COST Action FACESMAP (Forest Land Ownership Change in Europe: Significance for Management and Policy).

- **Supported by**

- European State Forest Association (EUSTAFOR) and the European Federation of Forest-Owning Communities (FECOF).

- **Publication based on data of 35 ECE countries**

- Provided a new baseline for understanding the diversity and dynamics of forest ownership in the ECE region.



# Forest ownership reporting - 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle

- **Based on positive results of the 2<sup>nd</sup> reporting cycle, the ToS on Monitoring SFM considered a continuation of forest ownership reporting in the ECE-region.**
- **Due to the subject of reporting, the Team considered collection of forest ownership data every 10 years.**
- **The previous data collection was in 2015. For continuation of this reporting, the next cycle should be implemented by 2025.**
- **2025 reporting should be preceded by the preparatory work including,**
  - learning from previous cycles;
  - learning about users needs;
  - reviewing the 2015 questionnaire;
  - setting-up the process;
  - mobilizing resources.



# THANK YOU

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