# SOURCING VERIFIED SUSTAINABLE TRO PICAL TIMBER IN EUROPE

### **TOTAL EU IMPORTS\***

1,473,000 tonnes

Equals an estimated 2 300 000 m<sup>3</sup> (product)

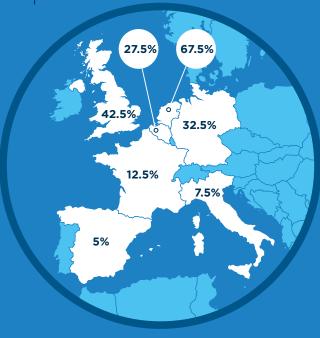


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## VERIFIED SUSTAINABLE TROPICAL TIMBER IMPORT IN EU

These 7 countries cover app. 90% of the total EU28 imports of primary tropical timber products



11% FLEGT-licensed

\* Primary timber products (roundwood, sawn wood, plywood and veneer).

#### SUPPORT RESPONSIBLE TIMBER SOURCING VIA:



Certification



Sustainable Timber Procurement Policies



Green building schemes



FLEGT licensed timber

#### **PRODUCTION AREAS**



of natural-semi-natural production forest area is certified in tropics worldwide (excluding plantations)



4,494,000 ha FSC\*/PEFC™ scertified forest area = 11.4% of

total production forest area



#### **SOUTHEAST ASIA**

**6,689,000 ha** FSC\*/PEFC™ certified forest area = **9.9**% of total production forest area



#### **LATIN AMERICA**

**3,508,000** ha FSC®/PEFC™ certified forest area = **3.8**% of total production forest area



According to FAO, more than 25% of the global population depend on forests for food and livelihoods



of tropical forest would be impacted if EU imports 100% verified sustainable timber

#### SUSTAINABLE TROPICAL TIMBER CONTRIBUTES TO A.O.



SDG 1 Reduce



SDG 2
Improve food security and



SDG 8
Promote
inclusive and
sustained growth



SDG 12
Ensure sustainable production and



SDG 13 Support climate



SDG 15
Protect and
restore terrestrial
ecosystems