

UK of GB Forest Finance

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Financing forests at home

Financing forests internationally

Financing forests at home

- Overview of GB
 - Income
 - Expenditure
- Forest District Experience
 - Opportunities
 - Partners
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Overview of GB

Income	£
• Govt. Finance Grant in Aid	135,000,000
• Timber Receipts	77,400,000
• Other Income Recreation and other non-timber products and services.	94,400,000

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Overview of GB

Expenditure	£
• Public forest estate 882,000 ha 35% Managed by Forestry Commission 100% certified	176,600,000
• Private forestry 1,424,000 ha 55% Supported through a range of Woodland Grant Schemes	36,800,000
• Forest Research	15,000,000
• Policy, Regulation and Admin. National Forest Inventory, Felling Licensing, Plant Health, UK Forestry Standard and Guidelines,	78,800,000

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Forest District Experience

Opportunities/Partners

- Specific to the area or issue
- Linked to both forest expansion or forest management
- Essential to engage with partners locally
- Provides access to different funding schemes

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Forest District Experience

- Red Rose Forest, www.redroseforest.co.uk
Community Forest in NW England
- Big Tree Country, www.perthshirebigtreecountry.co.uk
A Heritage and Access Project in Central Scotland

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Financing international forestry

- Why?
- What?
- How?
- How much?
- Lessons



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Why?

Forests and trees (their services & goods)

- contribute to development
- maintain, protect and improve poor peoples' livelihoods and incomes
- are important to women and marginal groups
- cushion the impacts of climate

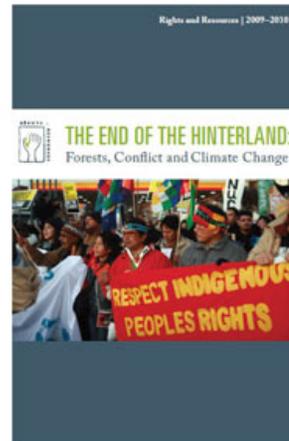


Indonesia Multistakeholder Programme

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What?

- Credible governance, tenure and market reforms -
- EU FLEGT partnerships
- Policy and practice
- Business that favour sustainably sourced commodities and reduce deforestation
- Verifiable results & progress
- Sustained momentum for change



Rights and Resources Initiative

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How?

Combines

- Multilateral & bilateral
- Technical assistance & financial aid
- A range of partnerships



Peten Association of Community Forest Concessions

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How much?

Forestry aid	Annual £
2008/9	£22,000,000*
2009/10	£28,000,000**
2010/11	£80,000,000***
2011/12-13/14	£100,000,000



Coastal Mangrove Livelihoods

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Lessons

- Sustainable local institutions are key
- Demonstrable & credible results and benefits
- Long term national government commitment to major programme
- Global reservoir of finance necessary, but not sufficient
- Plumbing at national and local level in place
- Increased global citizen scrutiny of finance; of cost effectiveness; & the plumbers!



Nepal Livelihood & Forestry Programme