

# TEAMING UP 4 FORESTS

Driving sustainable  
development through  
collaboration.





# The International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO)

The global network for forest science cooperation



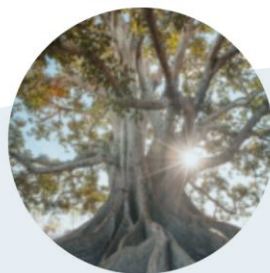
**>15k**

Scientists



**630**

Member  
Organizations



**>130**

Years of  
Networking



**800**

Voluntary  
Coordinators



**115**

Countries

# TEAMING UP 4 FORESTS

## A forest science and business platform

From 2021, TEAMING UP 4 FORESTS addresses key challenges for the **sustainable provision of wood-based products** to meet societal demands and support the achievement of the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

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✓ Knowledge exchange and mutual learning

✓ Translating science into practice

✓ Sharing outcomes and engaging stakeholder

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is a platform initiated by





# PARTNERSHIP OBJECTIVES.

## OUR SHARED GOALS.

- ✓ Translating scientific findings into practice
- ✓ Knowledge exchange and mutual learning
- ✓ Sharing outcomes and facilitating stakeholder discussions

## ENGAGE AND BUILD BRIDGES.

Workshops and discussions to bring science, business and stakeholders together.

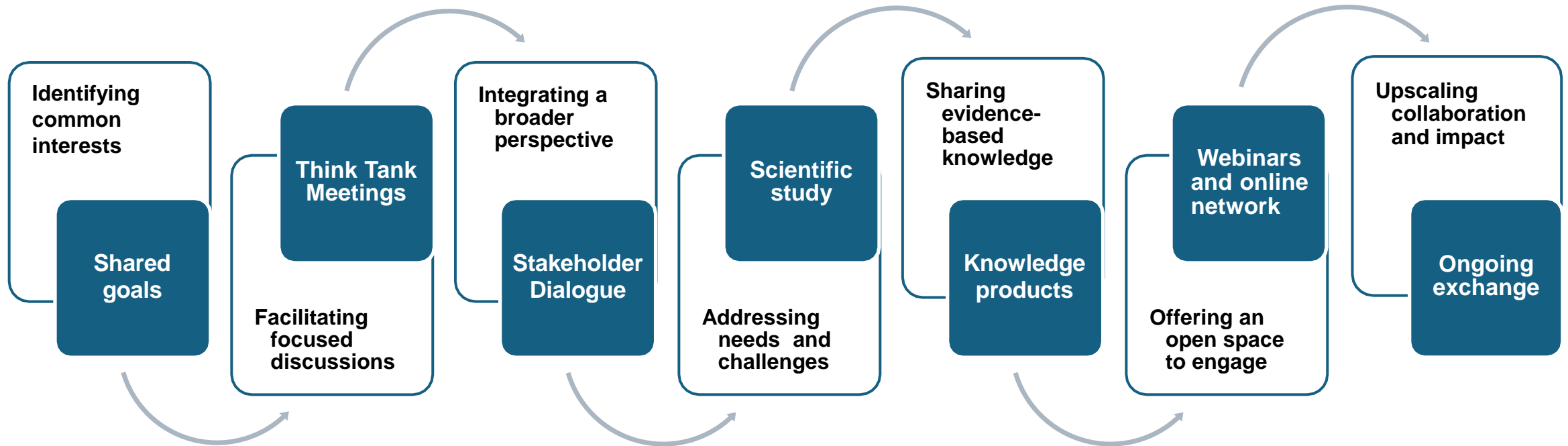
- ✓ In-person events
- ✓ Workshops
- ✓ Webinars
- ✓ Online network

## MAKE SCIENCE RELEVANT FOR BUSINESS.

Scientific studies and products that tackle urgent challenges and serve business needs.

- ✓ Identify needs
- ✓ Develop concepts
- ✓ Facilitate studies
- ✓ Publish resources

## OUR PROCESS AND APPROACH

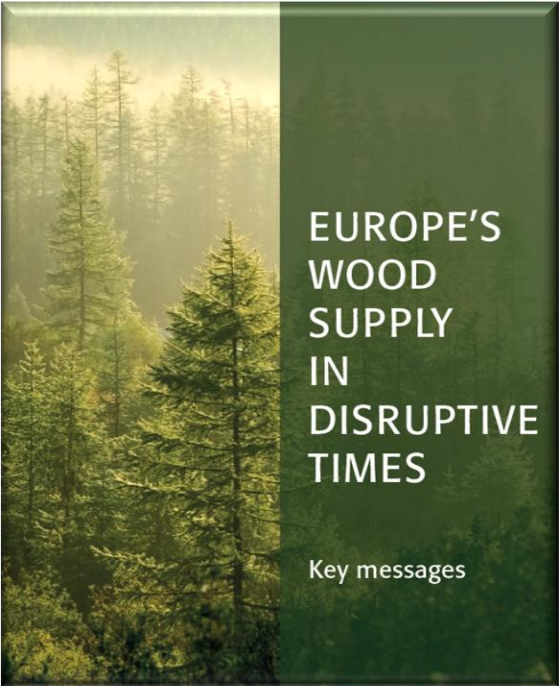
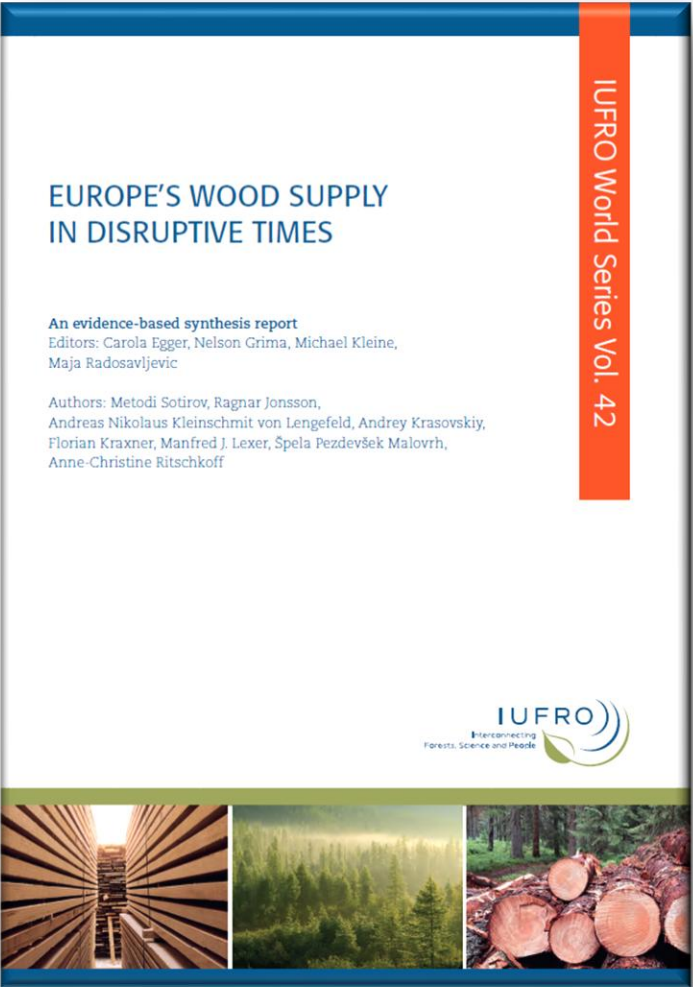
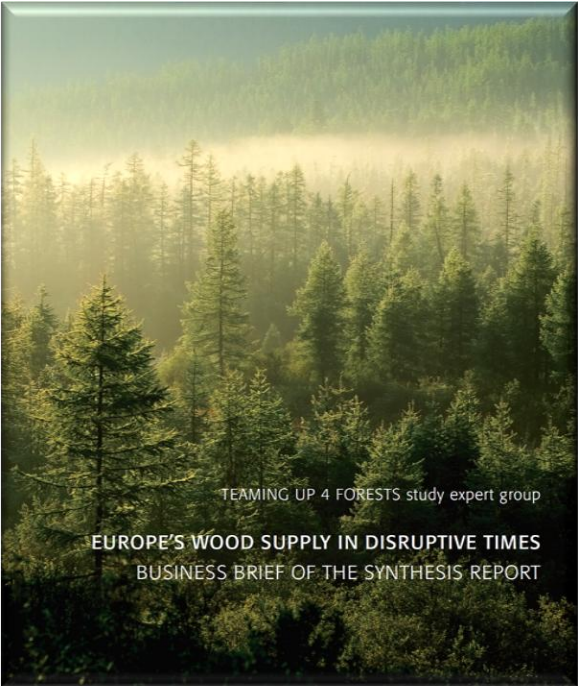


## ACTIVITIES OVERVIEW 2021-2024





# STUDIES THAT CREATE AN IMPACT.



# MAJOR STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS

21 Oct 2021

01

## Think Tank 1

Climate change impacts on forests



9-10 Jun 2022

02

## Stakeholder Dialogue

How to balance wood, carbon, biodiversity and energy



3 Nov 2022

03

## Think Tank 2

Forests and the forest-based industry in a volatile world



15-16 Jun 2023

04

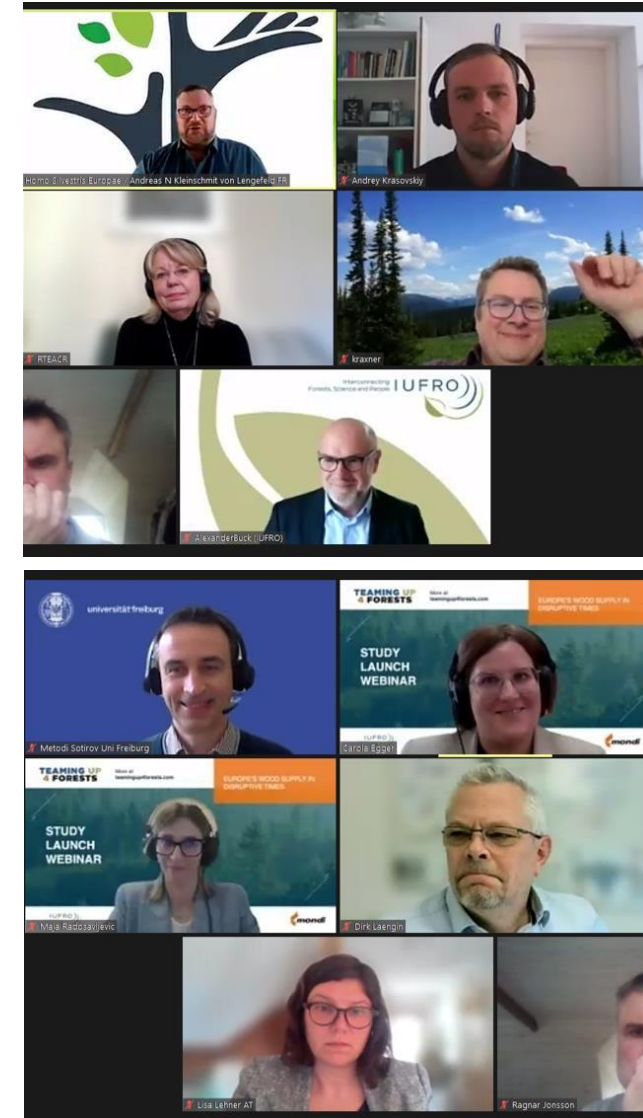
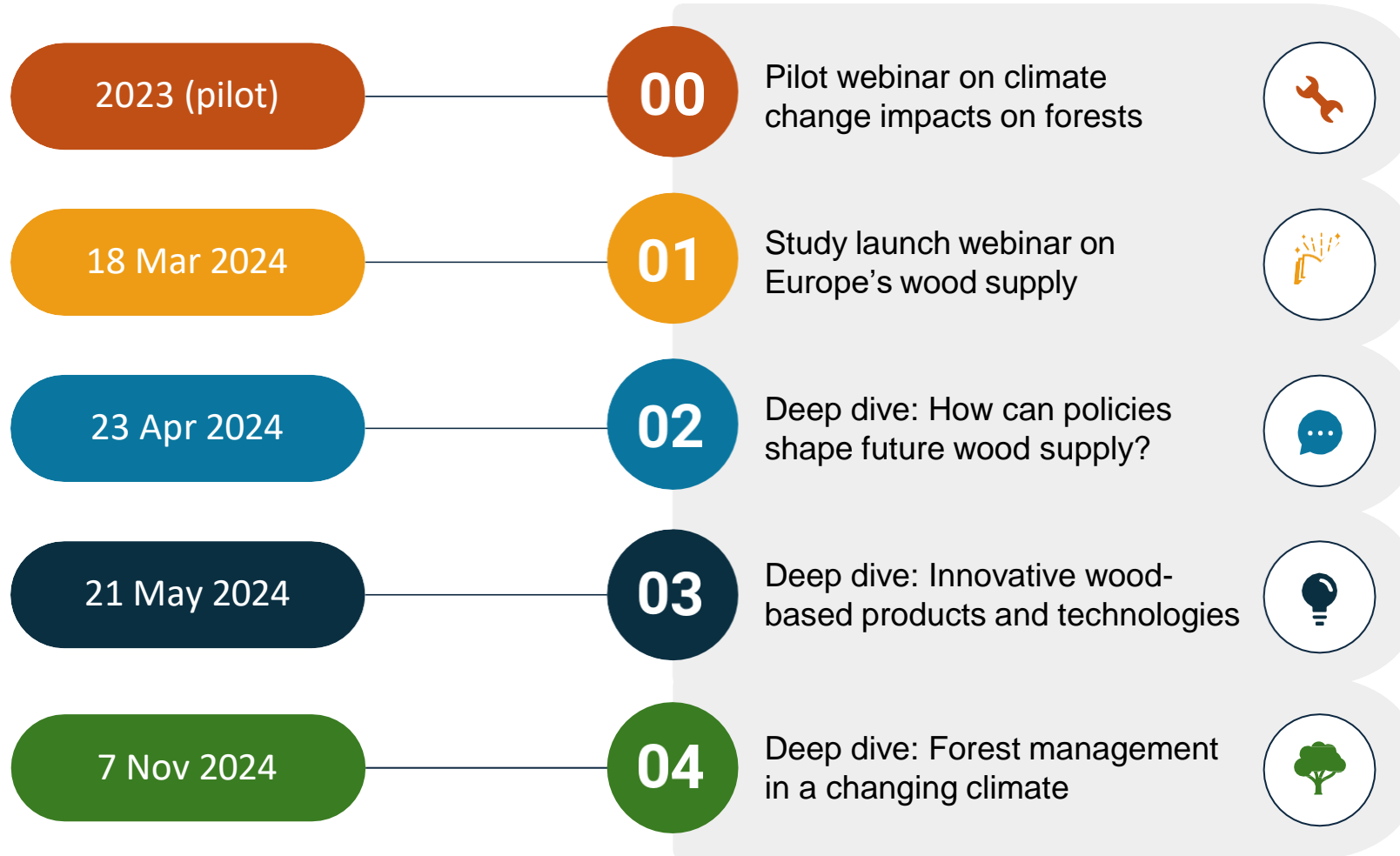
## Think Tank 3

Impacts on wood supply in Europe





# WEBINAR SERIES



## PARTNERSHIP ACHIEVEMENTS 2021 - 2024

- ✓ **Successfully built a platform for knowledge sharing that engaged all relevant stakeholders, fostering a deeper understanding of critical topics**
- ✓ **Established a unique network of more than 100 scientists, business representatives, forest owners, and policymakers across the entire forest value chain to tackle key challenges in the sustainable provision of wood-based products to meet societal demands**
- ✓ **Delivered high-quality knowledge products that significantly impacted dialogue and advanced shared goals**
- ✓ **Developed a strong partnership identity, supported by well-crafted communication products**
- ✓ **Facilitated productive interactions through stakeholder dialogues, think tank meetings, webinars, and outreach events, actively involving key decision-makers**



## **PARTNERSHIP AIMS IN SECOND PHASE (2025 – 2028)**

**01**

**BRING IN NEW BUSINESS PARTNERS**

**02**

**INCREASE THE CAPACITY OF THE PLATFORM**

**03**

**EXPAND THE GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE**

**04**

**EXPAND THE THEMATIC SCOPE**

**05**

**INCREASE OUTREACH**

# MAJOR MEETINGS IN 2025

19 Feb 2025

01

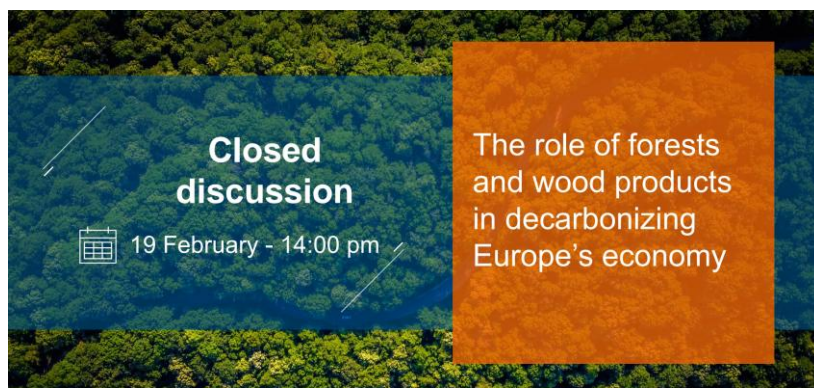
Carbon workshop



1-2 Apr 2025

02

Think Thank Meeting 4:  
BIODIVERSITY, CONSERVATION AND  
WOOD PRODUCTION:  
STRATEGIES FOR SUSTAINABLE  
FOREST MANAGEMENT



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# What to expect as a partner?

## Resource commitment

- Defined annual contribution
- Personnel: steering group member, communicator and internal coordination
- Participation in meetings and events; decision-making
- TEAMS as collaborative platform, no additional technology required

## Resource allocation

- Organizing events and meetings
- Developing and publishing scientific studies in the form of reports and summaries
- Project management, coordination, and continuous support for our partners
- Communication and outreach

## Partnership agreement

- Three-year agreement
- Annual workplan, budgeting and reporting
- Includes standard terms and conditions, partnership principles, thematic priorities, governance and workstream
- Individual agreement tailored to the needs of each partner

# What to expect as a partner?

## Unique benefits

- Specifically designed for the forest-based sector
- Direct engagement with scientists and top-tier experts
- Strong connection to stakeholders including policy- and decision-makers
- Shape topics and focus areas
- Evidence-based communication, visibility for companies

## Outreach and impact

- High-quality publication products and cutting-edge scientific results
- Web and social media presence
- Participation in conferences, panel discussions and policy forums
- Promoting science-based communication at all levels

## Success indicators

- Partnership strategy as guiding document
- Participative goal setting
- Annual report on achievement of goals
- Measuring of success included in partnership strategy
- Feedback questionnaires and evaluation





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