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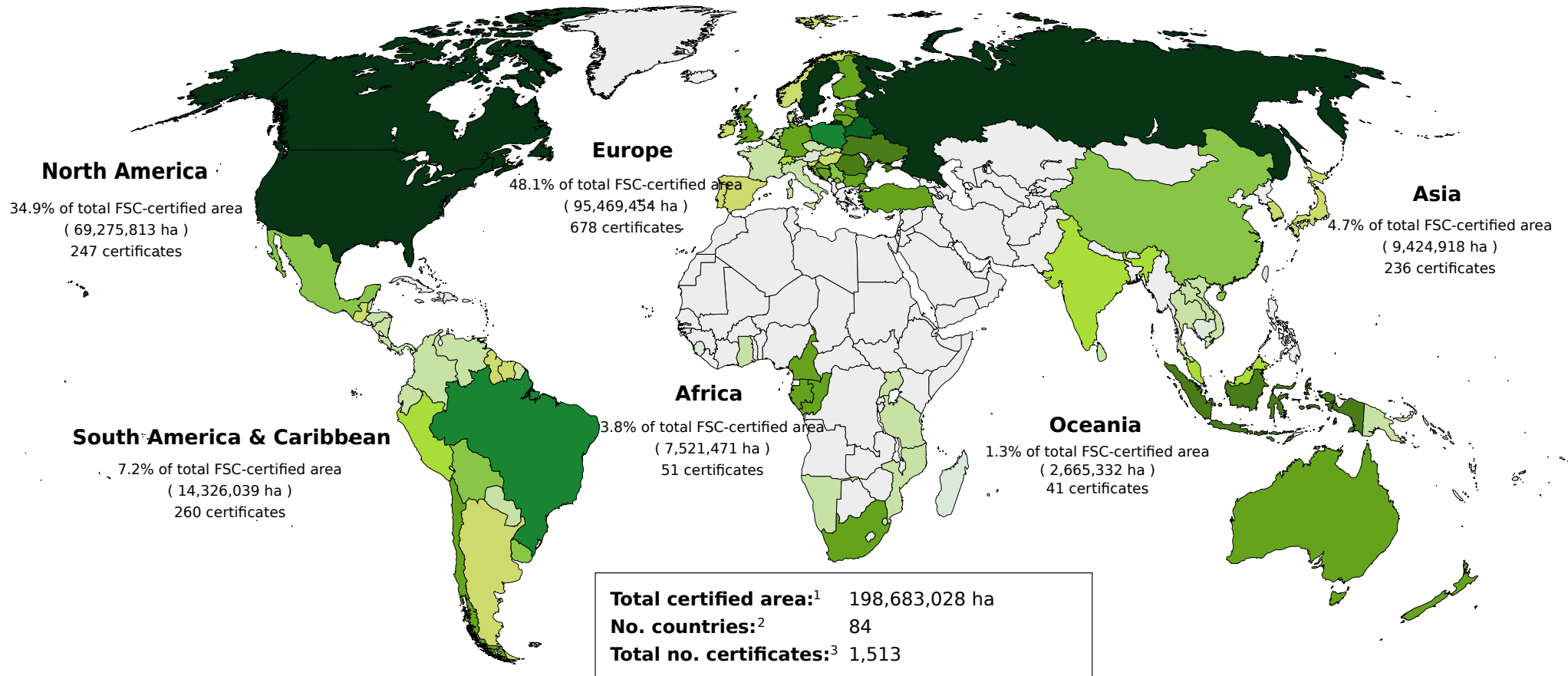


FSC Facts & Figures

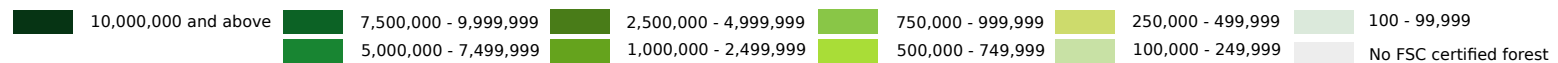
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Global FSC-certified forest area



Total FSC-certified forest area in ha



Based on numbers from FSC International
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Global FSC-certified Area and Number of Certificates: by region and country

Africa	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMEROON	1,130,301	4
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	2,478,943	4
GABON	2,042,616	3
GHANA	11,517	2
MADAGASCAR	1,298	1
MOZAMBIQUE	50,753	2
NAMIBIA	224,974	5
SIERRA LEONE	3,137	1
SOUTH AFRICA	1,229,536	19
SWAZILAND	123,824	4
TANZANIA, UNITED	183,697	3
UGANDA	40,875	3
Total	7,521,471	51

Asia	Total area (ha)	No.
CAMBODIA	7,896	1
CHINA	988,483	72
INDIA	507,012	7
INDONESIA	3,852,362	37
JAPAN	400,814	36
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	278,385	7
LAOS	13,555	2
MALAYSIA	743,544	14
SRI LANKA	17,522	3
TAIWAN	1,677	5
THAILAND	43,060	14
TURKEY	2,350,078	7
VIETNAM	220,529	31
Total	9,424,918	236

Europe	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRIA	587	2
BELARUS	8,096,692	58
BELGIUM	23,259	2
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1,532,625	5
BULGARIA	1,303,463	25
CROATIA	2,039,241	3
CZECH REPUBLIC	52,582	5
DENMARK	209,107	5
ESTONIA	1,414,258	8
FINLAND	1,470,346	8
FRANCE	39,858	6
GERMANY	1,152,272	57
HUNGARY	304,428	6
IRELAND	446,222	2
ITALY	63,759	17
LATVIA	1,015,950	14
LITHUANIA	1,094,839	45
LUXEMBOURG	22,062	3
NETHERLANDS	169,647	4
NORWAY	444,426	5
POLAND	6,937,706	18
PORTUGAL	378,057	31
ROMANIA	2,636,975	24
RUSSIA	44,790,524	146
SERBIA	963,955	3
SLOVAKIA	146,832	10
SLOVENIA	260,269	2
SPAIN	252,774	27
SWEDEN	12,121,736	24
SWITZERLAND	616,473	8
UKRAINE	3,859,430	70
UNITED KINGDOM	1,609,099	35

Total	95,469,454	678
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Latin America & Caribbean	Total area (ha)	No.
ARGENTINA	468,003	11
BELIZE	197,122	2
BOLIVIA	981,862	8
BRAZIL	7,107,919	116
CHILE	2,279,237	21
COLOMBIA	152,541	10
COSTA RICA	41,871	17
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	365	1
ECUADOR	56,604	4
GUATEMALA	440,502	10
GUYANA	371,680	1
HONDURAS	17,815	1
NICARAGUA	25,931	7
PANAMA	22,501	8
PARAGUAY	38,880	4
PERU	669,724	10
SURINAME	363,090	4
URUGUAY	934,552	23
VENEZUELA	155,839	2
Total	14,326,039	260

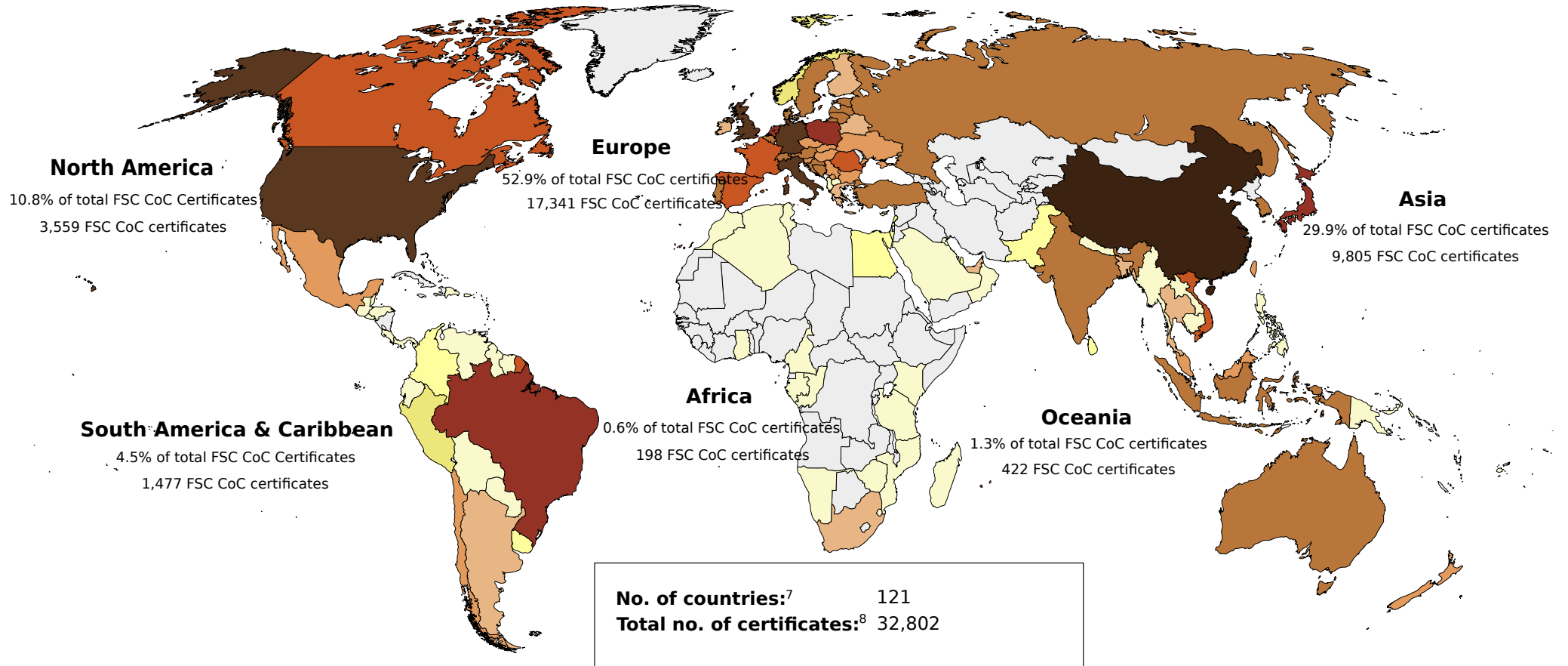
North America	Total area (ha)	No.
CANADA	54,815,298	66
MEXICO	914,981	74
UNITED STATES	13,545,534	107
Total	69,275,813	247



Oceania	Total area (ha)	No.
AUSTRALIA	1,231,259	14
FIJI	85,385	1
NEW ZEALAND	1,270,667	21
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	37,575	3
SOLOMON ISLANDS	40,446	2
Total	2,665,332	41

Number of countries:⁴ 84
Total number of certificates:⁵ 1,513
Total FSC-certified forest area:⁶ 198,683,028

Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates



Number of FSC CoC certificates



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Global FSC Chain of Custody certificates: by region and country

Africa	No.
ALGERIA	1
CAMEROON	10
CONGO, THE REPUBLIC OF	3
EGYPT	30
GABON	10
GHANA	6
KENYA	1
MADAGASCAR	1
MAURITIUS	1
MOROCCO	3
MOZAMBIQUE	2
NAMIBIA	3
SEYCHELLES	3
SOUTH AFRICA	117
SWAZILAND	2
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF	1
TUNISIA	3
ZIMBABWE	1
Total	198

Asia	No.
BAHRAIN	1
BANGLADESH	73
CAMBODIA	2
CHINA	5,236
HONG KONG	631
INDIA	378
INDONESIA	253
ISRAEL	23
JAPAN	1,251
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	266
KUWAIT	1
LAOS	3
LEBANON	19
MACAU	2
MALAYSIA	177

MYANMAR	1
NEPAL	2
OMAN	5
PAKISTAN	19
PHILIPPINES	13
QATAR	16
SAUDI ARABIA	14
SINGAPORE	124
SRI LANKA	29
TAIWAN	206
THAILAND	123
TURKEY	271
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	108
VIETNAM	558
Total	9,805

Europe	No.
ALBANIA	2
AUSTRIA	285
BELARUS	117
BELGIUM	283
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	310
BULGARIA	166
CROATIA	275
CYPRUS	12
CZECH REPUBLIC	211
DENMARK	298
ESTONIA	256
FINLAND	122
FRANCE	750
GERMANY	2,219
GIBRALTAR	1
GREECE	65
HUNGARY	144
IRELAND	120
ITALY	2,169
LATVIA	314

LIECHTENSTEIN	5
LITHUANIA	282
LUXEMBOURG	12
MACEDONIA	4
MALTA	14
MONACO	3
NETHERLANDS	1,222
NORWAY	53
POLAND	1,568
PORTUGAL	253
ROMANIA	612
RUSSIA	444
SAN MARINO	3
SERBIA	164
SLOVAKIA	130
SLOVENIA	215
SPAIN	898
SWEDEN	337
SWITZERLAND	472
UKRAINE	188
UNITED KINGDOM	2,343
Total	17,341

Latin America & Caribbean	No.
ARGENTINA	116
BAHAMAS	1
BELIZE	2
BOLIVIA	11
BRAZIL	1,029
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	9
CAYMAN ISLANDS	1
CHILE	148
COLOMBIA	30
COSTA RICA	8
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	2
ECUADOR	13
EL SALVADOR	4



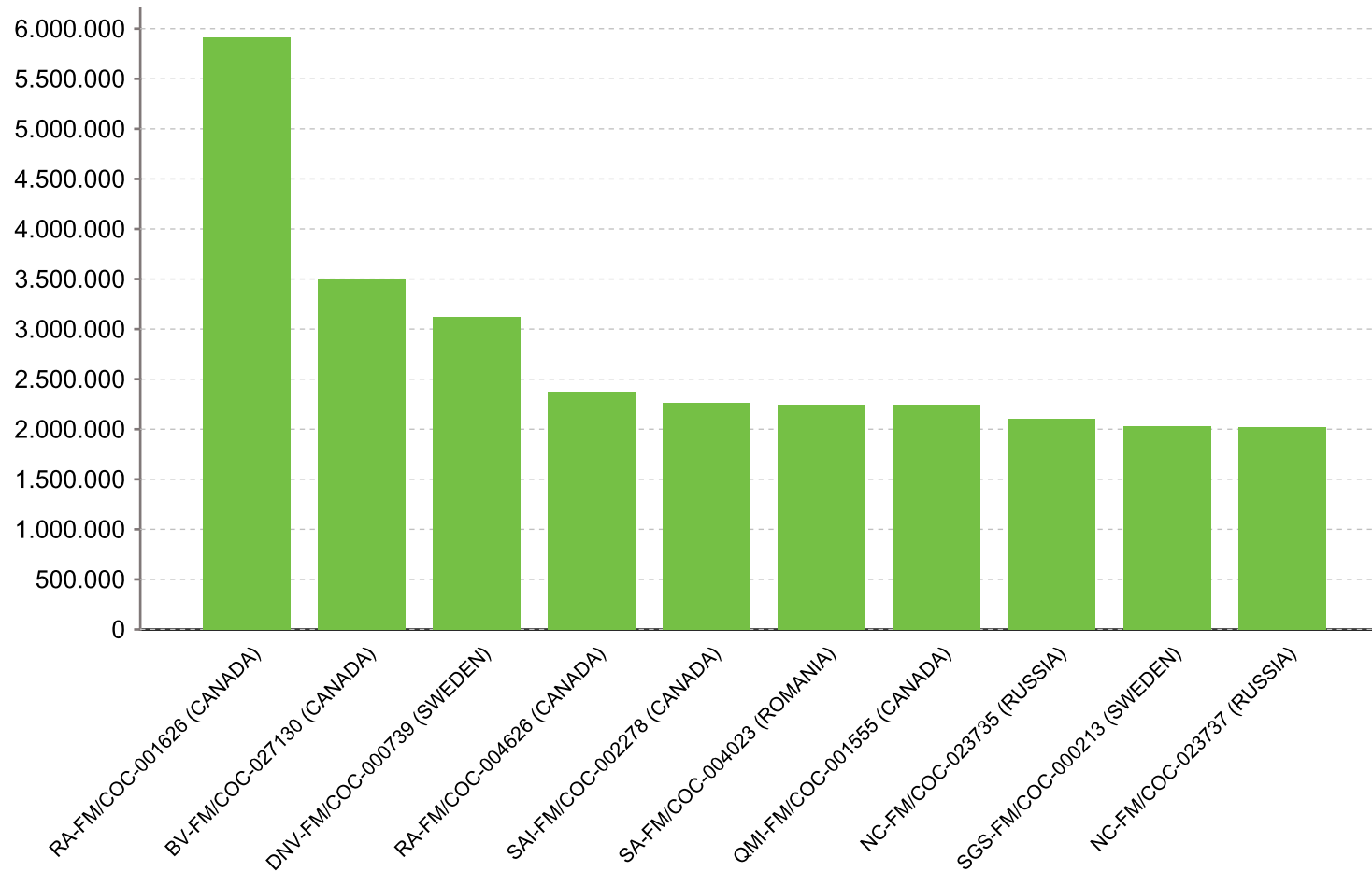
GUATEMALA	10
GUYANA	4
HONDURAS	3
PANAMA	3
PARAGUAY	6
PERU	39
PUERTO RICO	3
SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES	1
SURINAME	6
TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS	1
URUGUAY	21
VENEZUELA	6
Total	1,477

North America	No.
CANADA	712
MEXICO	144
UNITED STATES	2,703
Total	3,559

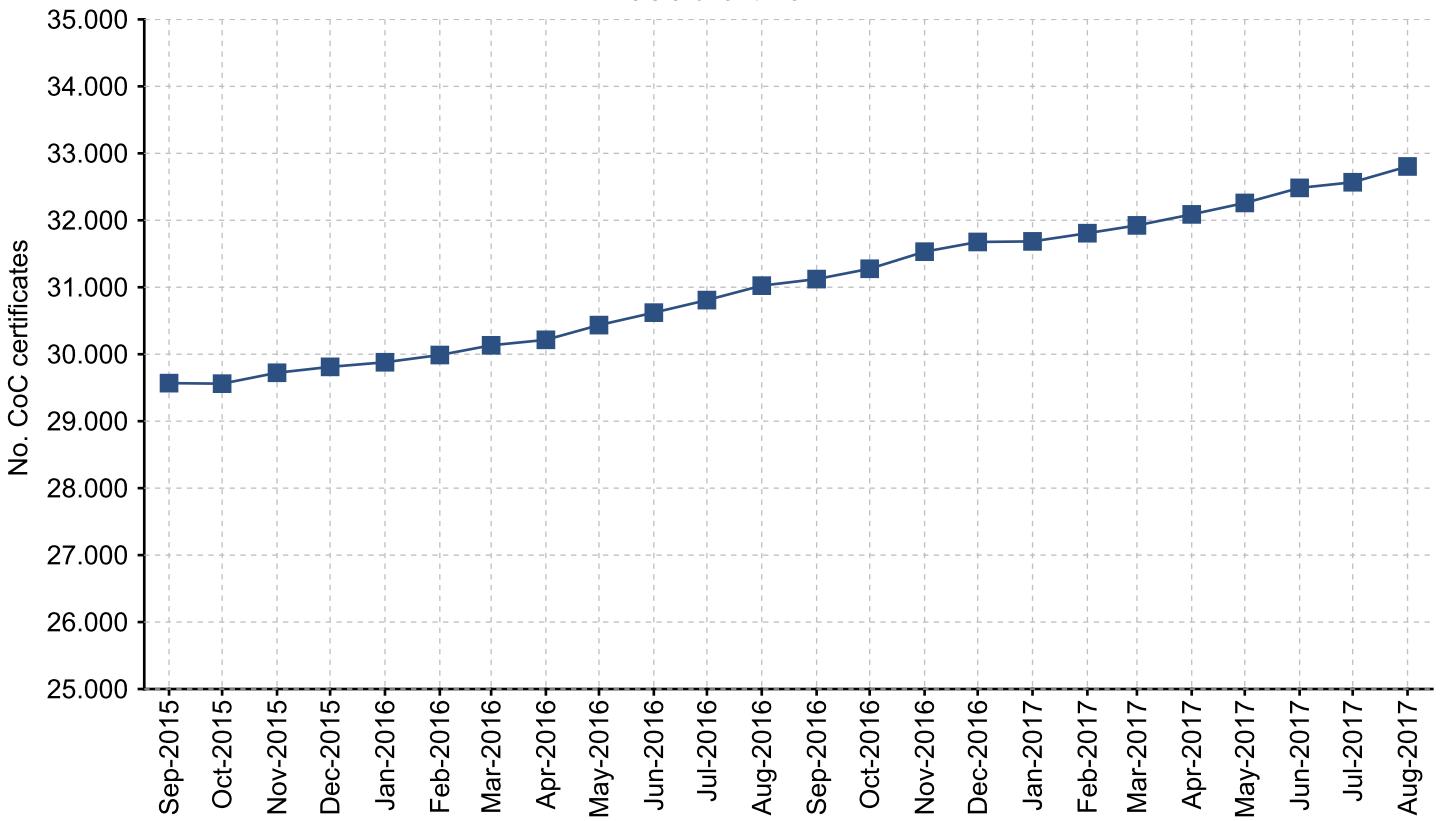
Oceania	No.
AUSTRALIA	268
FIJI	2
NEW ZEALAND	149
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	2
SAMOA	1
Total	422

Number of Countries: ⁹	121
Total number of certificates: ¹⁰	32,802

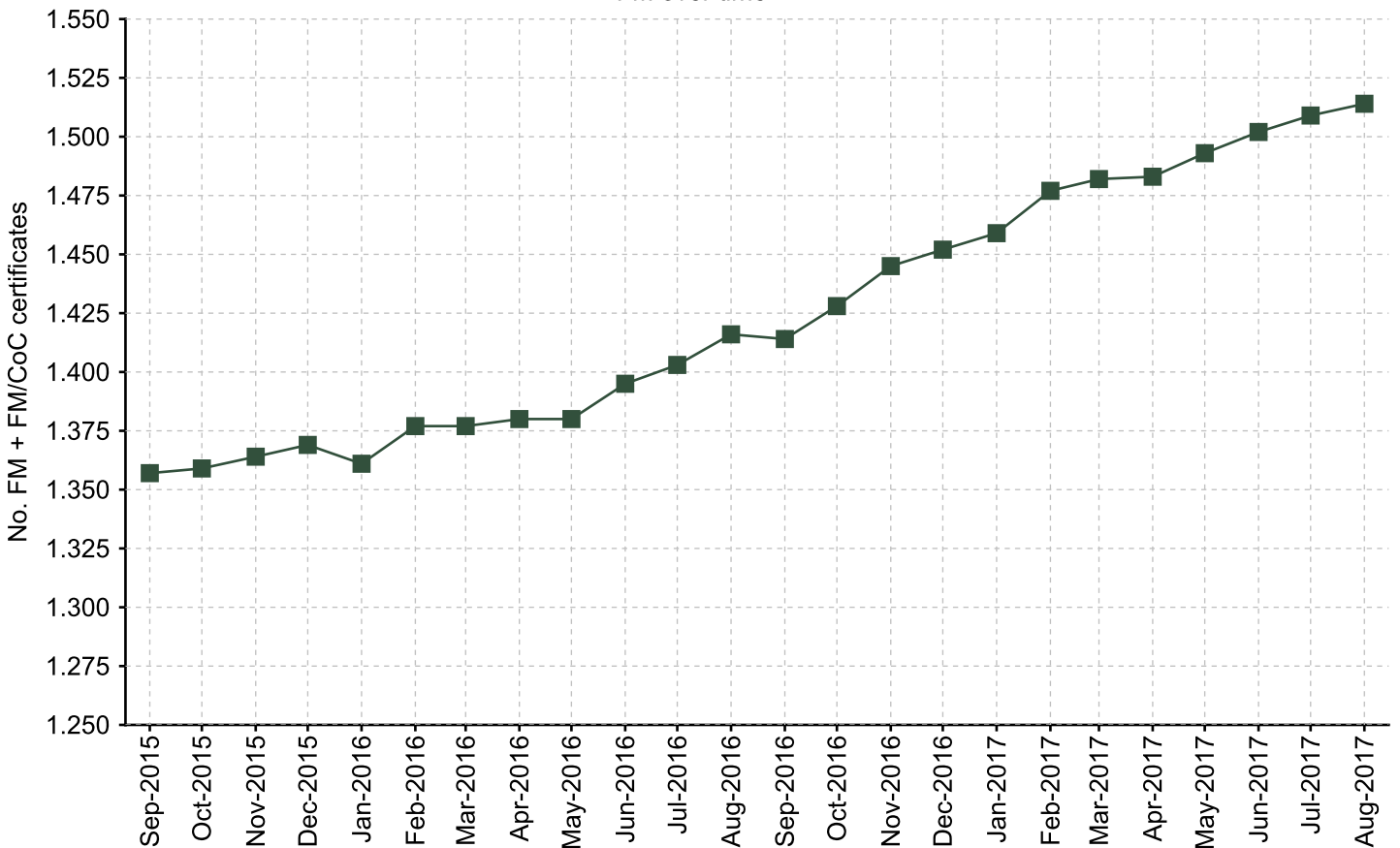
Ten largest FSC certificates



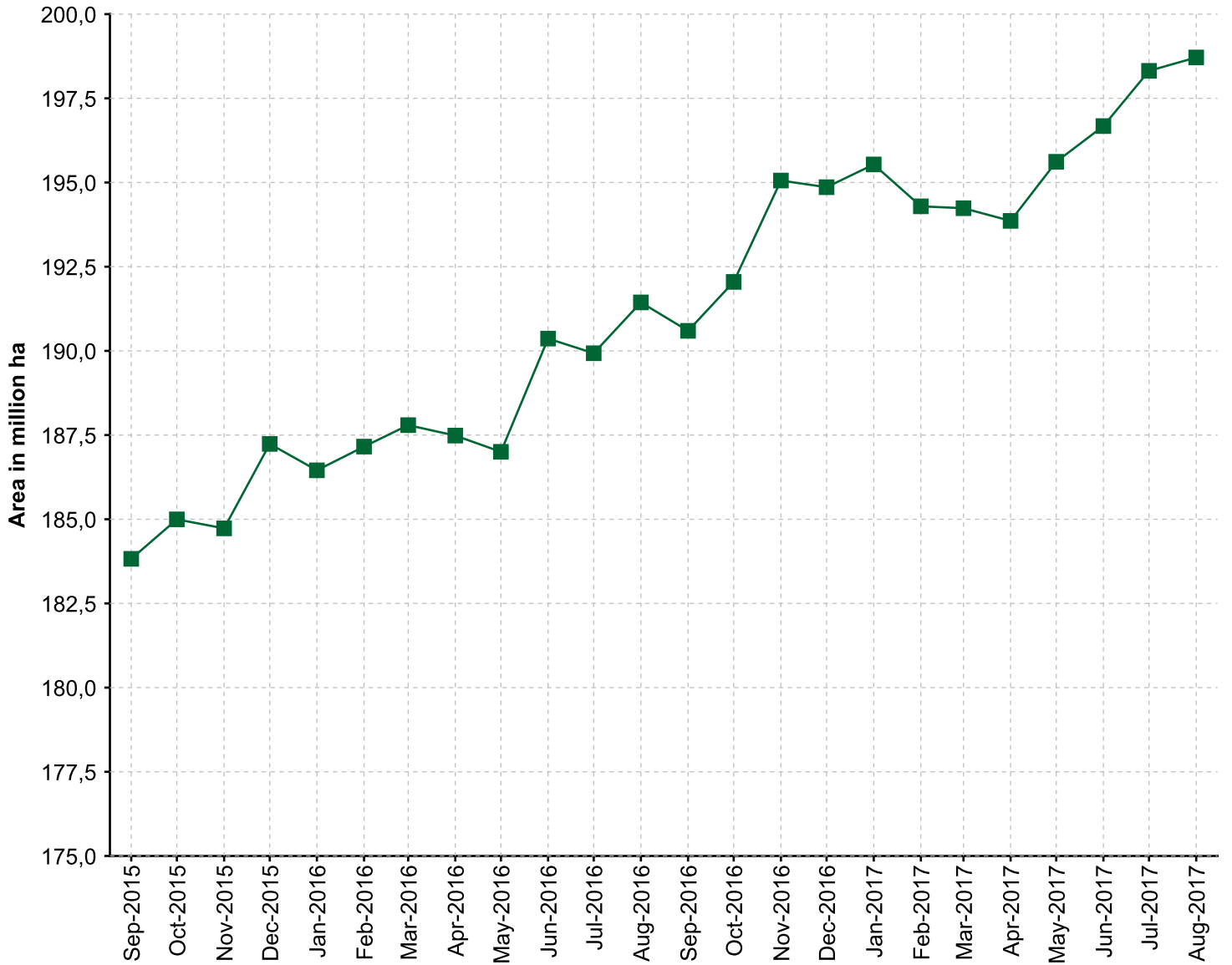
COC over time



FM over time



Area over time



Endnotes:

- ¹ Total forest area in ha worldwide under FSC forest management certification (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates).
- ² Total number of countries worldwide in which FSC forest management certificates (includes FM and FM/CoC certificates) are issued.
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Note: Being FSC Forest Management certified means that the certified entity is **verified by a third party** to be in compliance with the FSC Principles and Criteria as outlined in the applicable National, Regional or Generic Forest Management Standard.



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