ForestMap | Calculate your forest inventory online



ForestMap is an e-commerce platform that allows users to make reliable and on-line forest inventories of a specific area in a rapid and simple way. It estimates all relevant variables included in a professional forest inventory through combination of pre-processed remote sensing data and powerful predictive models.

ForestMap intuitive interface allows anyone to automatically generate forest inventories of a chosen area without the need of field work and unnecessary delays. ForestMap is an unprecedented solution that delivers accurate, quick and cost-effective forest inventory reports. It is necessary to integrate a maximum of information sources to generate the most accurate, complete and updated inventories possible: LiDAR, satellite, photogrammetry, available terrain data... Stakeholders in the forestry sector are not used to working with technological tools, so it is important to do important demonstration work and support.

ForestMap has a positive impact for a major mobilisation of wood resources allowing forest-owners, operators and indutries to assess stands in an easy and remote way. ForestMap is able to provide valuable reports on demand. An operative version of the web platform (link) is working for 10 provinces in Spain, that covers more than 3 M ha. ForestMap models showed a high performance in terms of accuracy (volume BIAS< 20%) and response times being able to produce a full inventory of less than 500ha in minutes.

ForestMap has been used to produce tailor-made products for specific uses and clients, based on innovation projects:

- Tool for calculating (link)the amount of carbon in forest masses in the province of Bizkaia (Basque Country, Spain).
- Inventory mapping of fuel models tool and for the prevention and management of forest fires in La Rioja

DETAILS

ORIGIN OF WOOD	MOBILIZATION POTENTIAL
 TYPE OF WOOD	UNKNOWN
	SUSTAINABILITY POTENTIAL - VALUE
KIND OF WOOD CONCERNED	EASE OF IMPLEMENTATION
All kind of wood	Easy, basic digital skills
IMPACT ON ENVIRONMENT & BIODIVERSITY	EASE OF IMPLEMENTATION - EVALUATION
Positive	
INCOME EFFECT	KEY PREREQUISITES
	To know its existence
EXPLOITATION POTENTIAL	TYPE OF EVENT WHERE THIS BPI HAS BEEN FEATURED
HUB	JOB EFFECT
South-West Hub	
ECONOMIC IMPACT	COSTS OF IMPLEMENTATION (EURO - €)
SPECIFIC KNOWLEDGE NEEDED	
Very high skills and knowledge in remote sensing, forestry and software	
development	

MORE DETAILS

CHALLENGE ADDRESSED	DOMAIN	TYPE OF SOLUTION
5 Enhance economic and environmental	Forest management, ecosystem, resilience	Advice and services for forest owners
performance of forest supply chains		
KEYWORDS	DIGITAL SOLUTION	INNOVATION
Forest inventory; resources; development	Yes	Yes
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	SCALE OF APPLICATION	START AND END YEAR
Spain	National	2018 -

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