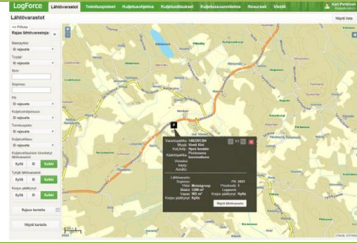


Description of best practice

Best practice	
Title	LogForce
Picture	
Domain	Logistics
Source of wood	Stemwood
Location	Espoo, Finland
Implementers	Wood transportation/haulage companies Forestry companies
Actual status	Running
Approach	<p>LogForce is a software service for forestry related transport that streamlines the business for both the haulage contractor and the forestry company.</p> <p>LogForce software covers all the planning and vehicle software needed by a haulage contractor. With the help of the LogForce service, a transport company can offer its services to several forestry companies using one information system. The forestry company can focus on managing delivery volumes and optimising stock turnover.</p>
Main results	With the LogForce software service, the haulage contractor can plan and manage the transport of logs, forest energy, chips and other by-products of the forest industry from the starting depot to the location of use.
Lessons learned	<p>Transport companys advantages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☑ Higher utilisation rate of the transportation equipment ☑ Ability to work for different forestry companies using just one application ☑ More flexible transport planning <p>Forestry companys advantages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☑ Focus on managing delivery volumes ☑ Better stock turnover ☑ Cost-efficient logistics
Contact information	Trimble Forestry

Link to website	https://www.logforce.fi/?lang=en
Code	BP_FI_13

Best practice assessment

Region	Finland
Time scale	Running
Mobilization Potential	Not possible to assess
Kind of wood concerned	Stemwood
Sustainability Potential	Medium
Impact on environment & biodiversity	Medium
Ease of implementation	Easy
Economic impact	Positive / more efficient working processes
Job effect	Positive
Income effect	Positive
Specific knowledge needed	IT-tool application knowledge is needed
Costs of implementation	Not possible to assess
Technical readiness level	Applicable
Key information for adoption	Good communication is needed with all stakeholders