Forest owner cooperation Pohorje-Kozjak



Forest owner association (FOA) Pohorje-Kozjak is voluntary, non-profit and independent association of private forest owners established in 2007. Main aim of FOA is to increase the sustainable management of private forests and strengthen the economic power of forest owners in accordance with the law. Main tasks of FOA are education of forest owners, consultancy on management and sale of wood, assistance in applying for calls and giving comments on legislation. In the year 2012, a forest owners cooperative (FOC) was set up in order to expand their activities to the rave of business integration.

FOC Kozjak-Pohorje is an example of good practice expansion from the societal activities to the level of business cooperation in a forest cooperative. The comparative study reveals, that members of FOC are on average younger, they have larger forest properties and are better educated than members of the FOA. Also, the interests of members in FOC and FOA are different; socio-educational reasons are the main driving force in case of FOC, while among FOA members interests are predominantly economic in nature.

The purpose of FOC is primarily a common appearance on the market, which in turn accelerates the economic benefits of its members and increases the competitiveness of forest owners on the market. On the long term, the plan is to increase the purchase quantity of wood and conclude long-term contracts with sawmills. The FOC also established a logistic center for supplying the residents with heat, produced from woody biomass. The next planned step is the investment in boiler rooms, establishment of social enterprise and sale of heat to final consumers. In addition, members of the FOC carry out logging and harvesting activities for forest owners and state forests. In the period from its foundation to date, the operation of the cooperative is stable and positive.

DETALHES

ORIGEM DA MADEIRA

Floresta

TIPO DE MADEIRA

Tronco

TIPO DE MADEIRA EM CAUSA

Stemwood

IMPACTE NO AMBIENTE E BIODIVERSIDADE

Enhancement of forest resilience

IMPACTE NAS RECEITAS

Positive / more efficient working processes / cost reduction possibility identification

POTENCIAL DE EXPLORAçãO

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HUB

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IMPACTE ECONOMICO

Enhancement of regionally added value / more efficient working processes /

CONHECIMENTOS ESPECIFICOS NECESSáRIOS

POTENCIAL DE MOBILIZAçãO

336.000 m³/year

SUSTENTABILIDADE POTENCIAL - VALOR

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FACILIDADE DE IMPLEMENTAçãO

Medium

FACILIDADE DE IMPLEMENTAçãO

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PRE-REQUISITOS CHAVE

High-quality hardware; reliability of the service; information on the prices of hiring the machinery, efficient coordination between service providers and users

TIPO DE EVENTO EM QUE ESTE BPI TEM SIDO APRESENTADO

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IMPACTE NO EMPREGO

New employments / Better qualified staff

CUSTOS DE IMPLEMENTAçãO (EURO - EUR)

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MAIS DETALHES

DESAFIO ABORDADO

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DOMíNIO

Regime de propriedade, cooperação

Gestão florestal, silvicultura, serviços do ecosistema, resiliencia

Cortes, infraestruturas e logistica

TIPO DE SOLUçãO

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PALAVRAS-CHAVE

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SOLUçãO DIGITAL

Não

INOVAçãO

Não

PAíS DE ORIGEM

Eslovénia

ESCALA DE APLICAçãO

Local

ANO DE INíCIO E FIM

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WEBSITE DO PROJETO

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REFERêNCIA AO PROJETO

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RECURSOS

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PROJETO NO âMBITO DO QUAL A FOLHA DE DIVULGAçãO FOI CRIADA

Rosewood

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