

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations



SDG Indicators 15.1.1 and 15.2.1 Forest area and sustainable forest management



This course has been developed to guide countries in reporting on Indicators 15.1.1 and 15.2.1. It illustrates the rationale of the indicators, the definitions and methodologies on which monitoring activities are based, and explains the process and the tools available for compiling data related to the two indicators through the Global Forest Resources Assessment (FRA) Programme.



3.5 hours

Available in English, French and Spanish

You will learn about

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- The role of forests and forest-related data and information for the achievement of Goal 15 and other related SDGs
- The rationale of forest-related indicators 15.1.1 and 15.2.1 within the context of the 2030 Agenda
- The methodologies to compile data on indicator 15.1.1 and the main features provided by the FRA platform to complete the reporting process
- The role and activities of countries and FAO in the reporting process on indicator 15.2.1 and the relevant information needed to its estimation

Who is the course for?

The target audience of this course includes:

- FRA national correspondents
- Heads of national forest authorities or policy advisors
- National statistical officers

The course may also be of interest for all the professionals involved in the process of monitoring and reporting on the two indicators and who wish to have concrete guidance on how to effectively play their role in this process.

Key partners

This course is part of a series of elearning courses on Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) indicators, developed by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) to support countries in the collection, analysis, monitoring and reporting of the SDG Indicators, under the FAO's custodianship.



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