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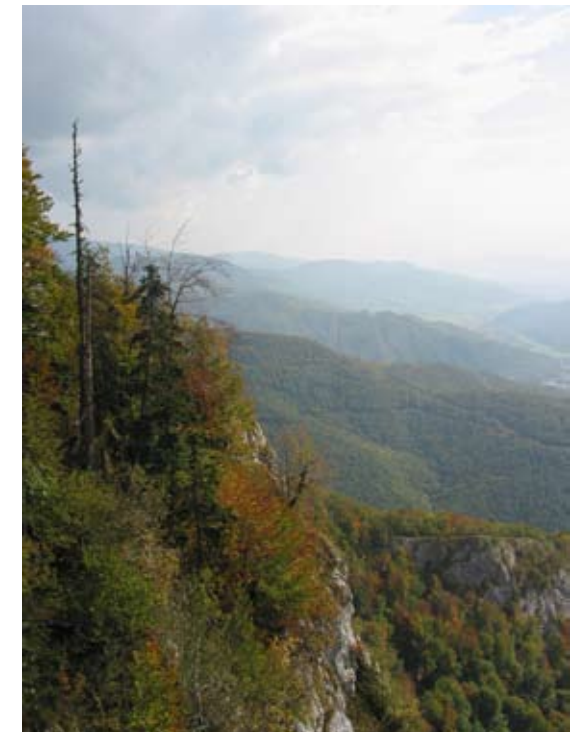
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PRODUCES information on forestry, forest sector business environment, wood supply, forest enterprises and bioenergy markets in the CEE countries (Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Belarus, Ukraine and Romania).

CREATES an Internet service gathering information on essential themes.

ANALYSES the forest and woodworking companies of the target countries, and the preconditions for technology and knowledge transfer, bioenergy markets and wood procurement particularly from the point of view of Eastern Finnish companies.

ORGANISES excursions to CEE countries and training and networking events for Eastern Finnish companies and other stakeholders.

PUBLISHES forest atlases for the forest sector of the target countries, info cards on essential themes, a forest energy on-line database of companies as well as a cost-calculation tool for estimating wood procurement costs in the target countries.

OPERATES during 2010–2012 with funding from the European Social Fund, the Regional Council of North Karelia, the City of Mikkeli, Iivari Mononen Oy, Kesla Oyj, MHG Systems Oy and Veisto Oy.



EXCURSIONS TO EASTERN EUROPE

The project organises trainings and excursions for enterprises.

The training events offer an extensive picture of the forest sector business environment and elementary knowledge for the networking excursions.



During the excursions, local forestry and bioenergy experts and authorities will explain the markets and business environment of the area. One-to-one meetings between Finnish enterprises and potential partners will also be arranged.

In 2010, organisation of the internationalisation training events and networking excursions will be directed at Belarus and Ukraine. In 2011 and 2012 the focus will be on other CEE countries.

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The information service for forest sector and business environment will be created on a theme basis. The service will gather project material and other reports on the CEE countries.



The service has been published in 2010. Development will continue as a part of the Metinfo service under the supervision of the Finnish Forest Research Institute.

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