

Outcome of the break out group on agenda item 4: Coherence and coordination: Financing for forests, taking into account different policy approaches

The working group agreed on the following approaches and steps, for consideration by the SCF:

1. Observers presented their inputs and explained how their information could complement or update the current version of the working paper. They were invited to provide written comments to the working paper.
2. The working paper will provide an overview of the landscape of financing for forests and set the scene for further work on coherence and coordination of forest finance.

Proposed next steps:

- The working group agreed to further improve the working paper inter-sessionally, inter alia, based on the inputs and discussions held during this meeting.
- The working paper will be published in time for the third SCF forum.



Proposed timeline to finalize the working paper

Deliverables: the working paper (WP)	2015			
	June	July	August	September
The SCF considers the WP at SCF 10	12–13			
Revised WP to be sent to the co-facilitators <i>Comments due by</i>	23 26			
Revised WP to be sent to the working group <i>Comments due by</i>	30	7		
Revised WP is sent to all SCF members <i>Comments due by</i>		13 20		
Working paper sent to the editors (Editing takes 2 weeks)		31		
Final working paper made public (three weeks ahead of the forum)			15	
SCF presents working paper at the forum				8

