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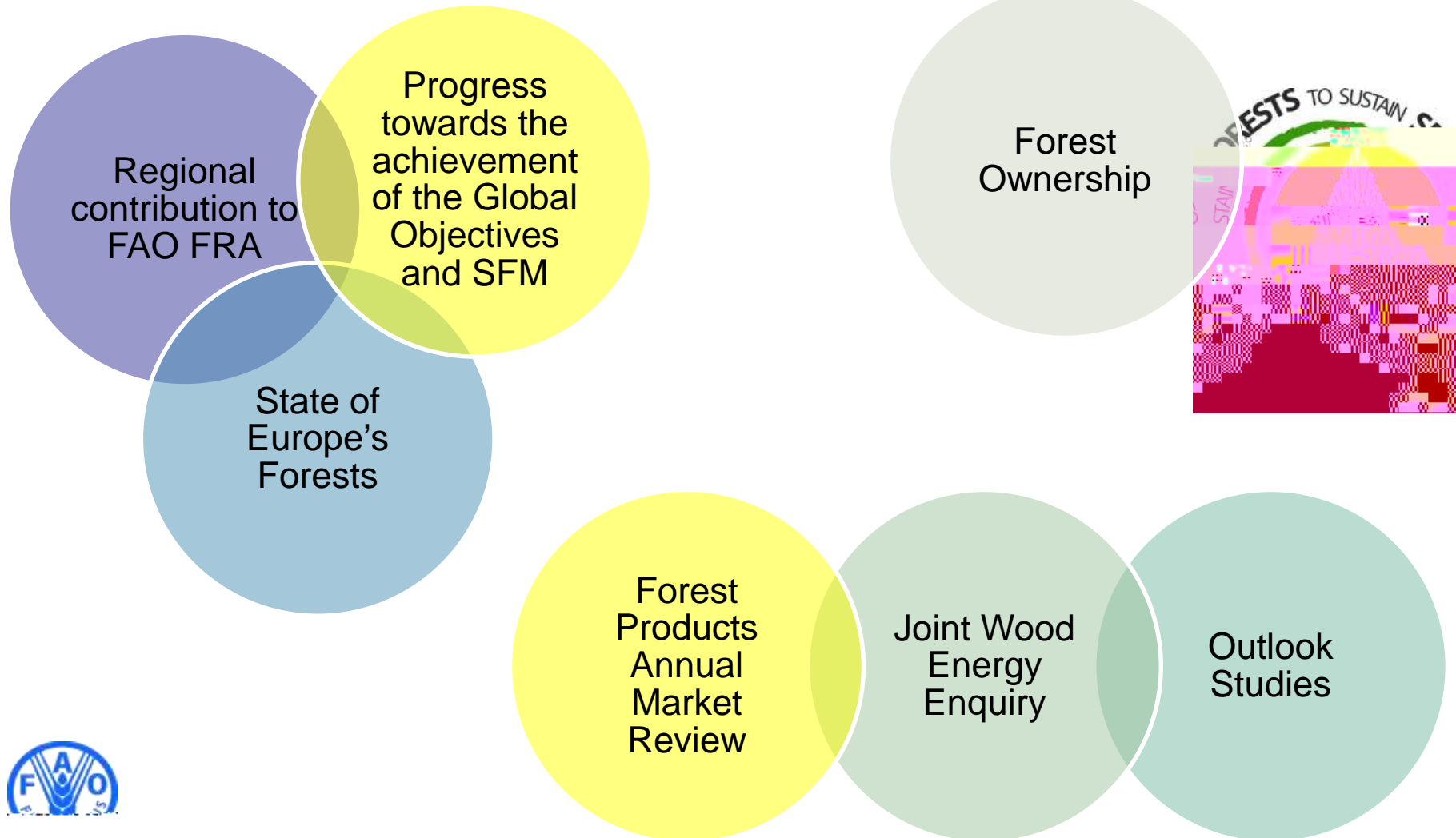
UNECE/FAO Forestry and Timber :
What we do?
Links to the Global Objectives

Examples of outputs

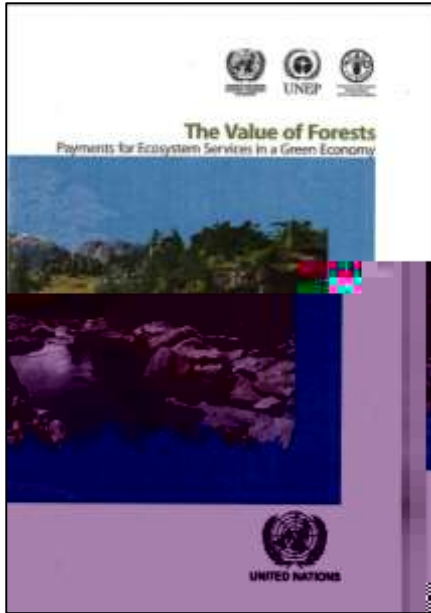
International Arrangement on Forests
(IAF): strengths, weaknesses and
recommendations



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Output examples



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Reliable monitoring of forests in the region



- 6 Criteria for Sustainable Forest Management (SFM):
 - Forest Resources and Carbon (4)
 - Forest Ecosystems Health and Vitality (4)
 - Productive Functions (5)
 - Biological Diversity (9)
 - Protective Functions (2)
 - Socio-economic functions and conditions (11)
- Data collection every five years

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indicators

Action Plan for the Forest Sector in a Green Economy



Series of objectives
Actions to achieve those objectives

for

International organizations
Governments of member States
Private sector
Civil society at large... and others.



The 5 pillars of the action plan

1. Sustainable wood production and consumption

To encourage patterns of consumption and production of forest products which are truly sustainable

2. The low carbon-forest sector

To ensure the forest sector makes the best possible contribution to mitigation of, and adaptation to, climate change.

3. Decent green jobs in the forest sector

To ensure that the workforce is able to implement SFM, and that the forest sector provides decent jobs.

4. Valuation and payment for forest ecosystem services

To identify and value forest functions and to establish PEm0 g0 Gs33eW*
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5. Monitoring and governance of the forest sector

IAF - weaknesses

non legally binding

not visible at regional level

not used at regional level

unknown to other sectors

no concrete outputs

not operationalized

no feedback from monitoring

institutional competition, roles not clear

no links with UN regional commissions

no formal links with COFO and RFCs

limited only to foresters

lack of leadership

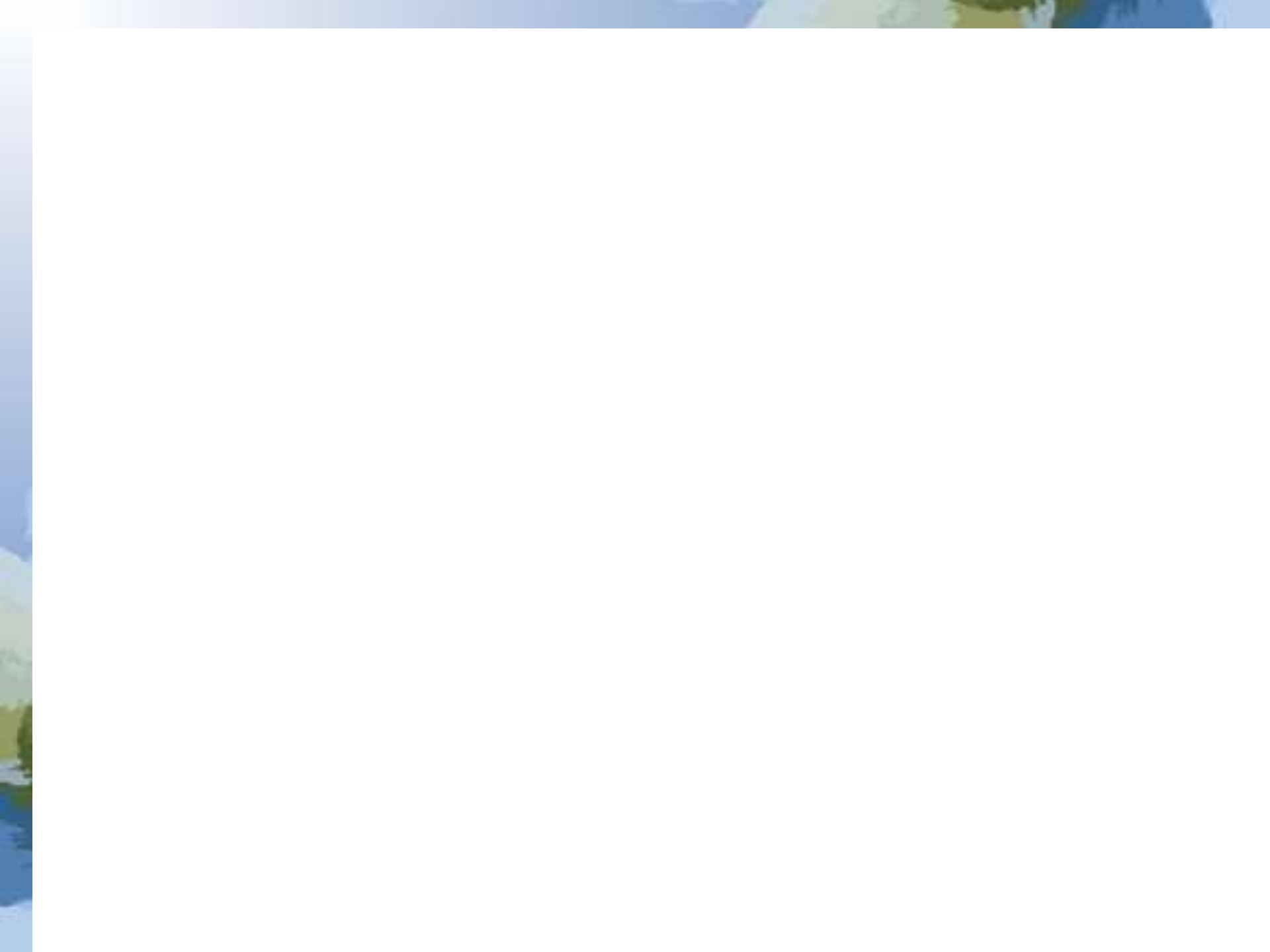


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sound global
objectives for the
whole forest sector

keeps attention on







Thank You!

