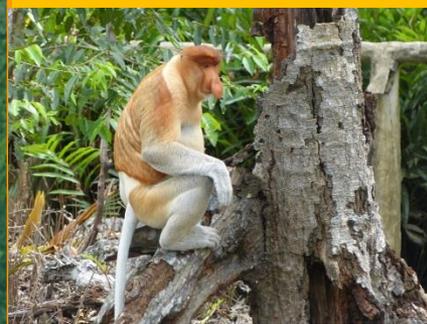
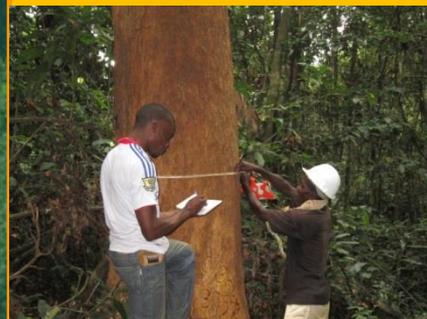


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ITTO timeline of key achievements

1983

The first ITTA is negotiated and adopted

1989

No timber without trees is published, reporting a negligible area of tropical forest under SFM in ITTO member countries

The funding of projects begins

The ITTO Fellowship Programme is launched

Annual market discussions begin

1986

ITTO is established in Yokohama, Japan

1992

ITTO defines SFM

ITTO launches Criteria for the measurement of sustainable natural tropical forest management (the world's first internationally agreed set of criteria for SFM)

1994

A new ITTA is agreed, establishing the Bali Partnership Fund

1997

The ITTA 1994 enters into force

The Annual review and assessment of the world tropical timber situation becomes the Annual review and assessment of the world timber situation under the new ITTA

ITTO guidelines on fire management in tropical forests are published

World mangrove atlas is published

2002

ITTO guidelines for the restoration, management and rehabilitation of degraded and secondary tropical forests are published

The Civil Society Advisory Group is established

2006

A new ITTA is agreed, focusing on the world timber economy, the sustainable management of the resource base, increasing the value of non-timber forest products and environmental services, and encouraging the trade of timber from legal and sustainable sources

Status of tropical forest management 2005 is published, a comprehensive survey of tropical forest management. The estimated area of tropical forest under SFM in ITTO producer member countries is 36 million hectares

2009

ITTO launches thematic programmes on a pilot basis

The ITTO/UCN guidelines for the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity in tropical timber production forests are published

2014

ITTO membership reaches 70, the highest ever

ITTO adopts the Voluntary guidelines for the sustainable management of tropical forests

ITTO co-convenes a ground-breaking international forum on payments for the environmental services of tropical forests

The Council debates and endorses a major study on the economic impact of government procurement policies on tropical timber markets

The Technical guide on the quantification of carbon benefits in ITTO projects is reviewed and endorsed by the Council

ITTO extends its collaboration with the CBD and supports conservation areas in 20 countries through the Joint ITTO-CBD Collaborative Initiative for Tropical Forest Biodiversity

ITTO publishes environmental product declarations for meranti plywood in Malaysia and Indonesia and khaya lumber in Ghana

ITTO establishes the IMM for monitoring the timber legality system in the EU

ITTO develops an online project search tool and launches an electronic newsletter to enhance knowledge-sharing

1987

The first Annual review and assessment of the world tropical timber situation is produced

The first pre-projects are approved and funded

1985

The ITTA 1983 comes into force

1993

ITTO guidelines for the establishment and sustainable management of planted tropical forests are published

ITTO guidelines on the conservation of biological diversity in tropical production forest are published

1990

ITTO guidelines for the sustainable management of natural tropical forests (the first set of guidelines of its kind) is published

The ITTO Year 2000 Objective is adopted

1998

Criteria and indicators for sustainable management of natural tropical forests are published, updating the original criteria

2000

Independent diagnostic missions begin to assist countries in identifying actions to achieve Objective 2000

The Trade Advisory Group is established

2005

Revised criteria and indicators (C&I) for SFM are published, with a reporting format

Best practices for improving forest law compliance in the forestry sector are published

2001

ITTO provides resources for improving forest law enforcement in the context of SFM

The Council's Informal Advisory Group is established

2010

World atlas of mangroves is published

2007

Revised guidelines for the conservation of biological diversity in tropical production forests are field-tested

ITTO co-convenes a landmark international conference on forest tenure

2012

Thematic programmes are fully incorporated in the work of ITTO

2011

The ITTA 2006 enters into force

Status of tropical forest management 2010 is published. The estimated area of tropical forest under SFM in ITTO producer member countries is 53 million hectares

2013

ITTO develops a knowledge management strategy

ITTO, FAO and ATIBT combine in an initiative to promote the further processing of timber in the Congo Basin



50th Session of ITTC

3-8 November 2014

Yokohama, Japan

THE FIFTIETH SESSION
3-8 NOVEMBER 2014, YOKOHAMA

- Funding for US\$8.3 million was announced for:
 - 7 new projects
 - Several activities under the BWP 2015-2016
 - The Freezailah Fellowship Fund
 - The thematic programme on TMT
- Provided an overview of the work of the Council and its associated committees
- Summarizes the findings of the ex-post evaluations
- Highlights the side events





Field results of projects completed in 2014

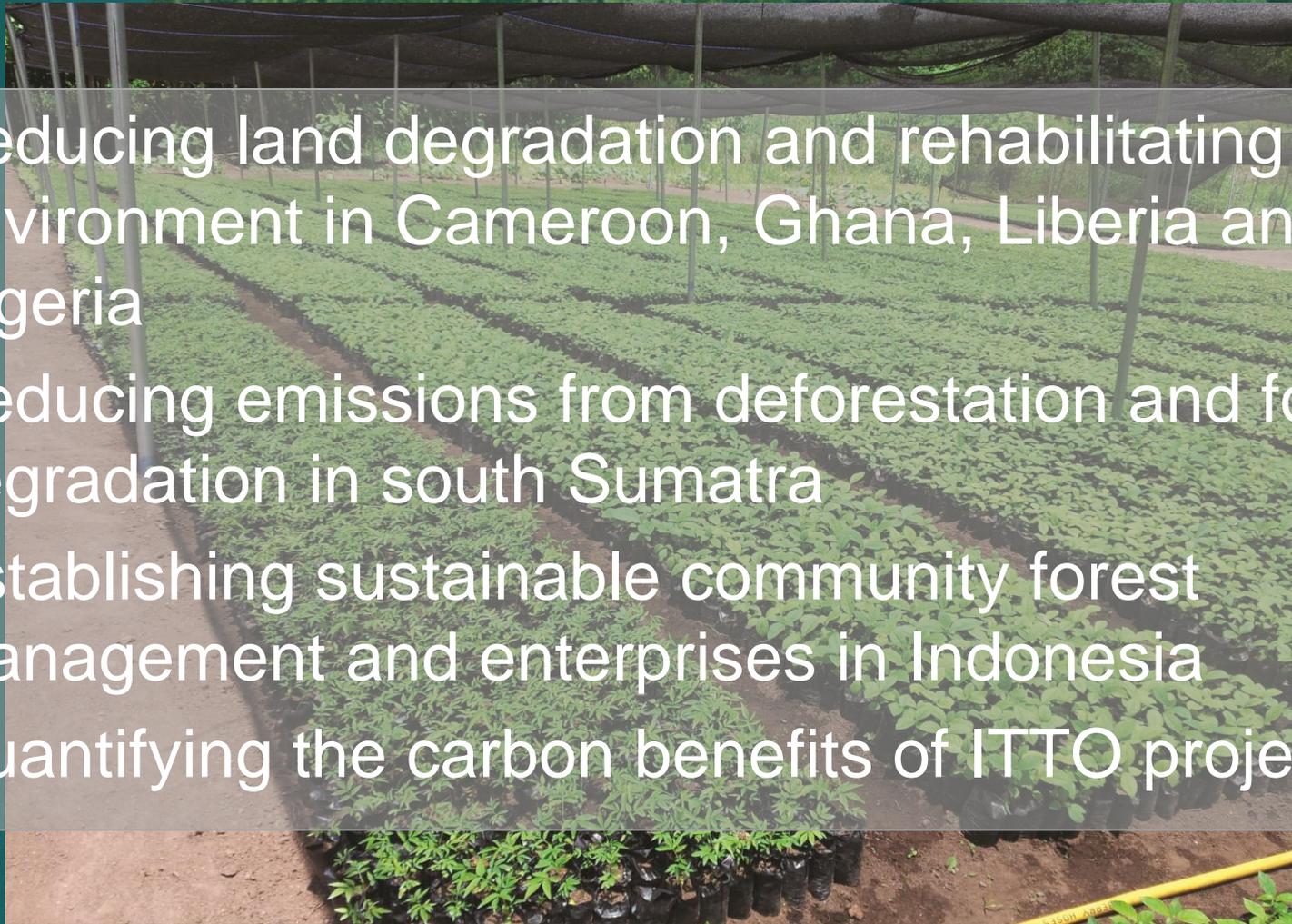
- Increasing forest cover in Togo
- Forest rehabilitation and community timber production in China
- Improved management of trees outside forest in Thailand
- Bamboo to improve the livelihoods of tsunami-affected areas in Thailand
- Improve of community livelihoods through NTFPs in Indonesia





Field results of projects in ITTO thematic programmes completed in 2014

- Reducing land degradation and rehabilitating the environment in Cameroon, Ghana, Liberia and Nigeria
- Reducing emissions from deforestation and forest degradation in south Sumatra
- Establishing sustainable community forest management and enterprises in Indonesia
- Quantifying the carbon benefits of ITTO projects





Economics, statistics and markets

- Analysis the economic impact of government procurement policies on tropical timber markets
- Independent market monitoring of FLEGT-licensed timber
- Making better use of C&I
- Promoting the environmental services of tropical forest
- Improving statistical collection and reporting
- Monitoring forest and timber certification
- Cooperation between ITTO and CITES
- Annual market discussion “*Emerging markets for the timber industry*”





Forest industry



- Development of lifecycle assessment for environmental product declarations for timber products
- Better access to information on lesser-used timber species



Forest Management

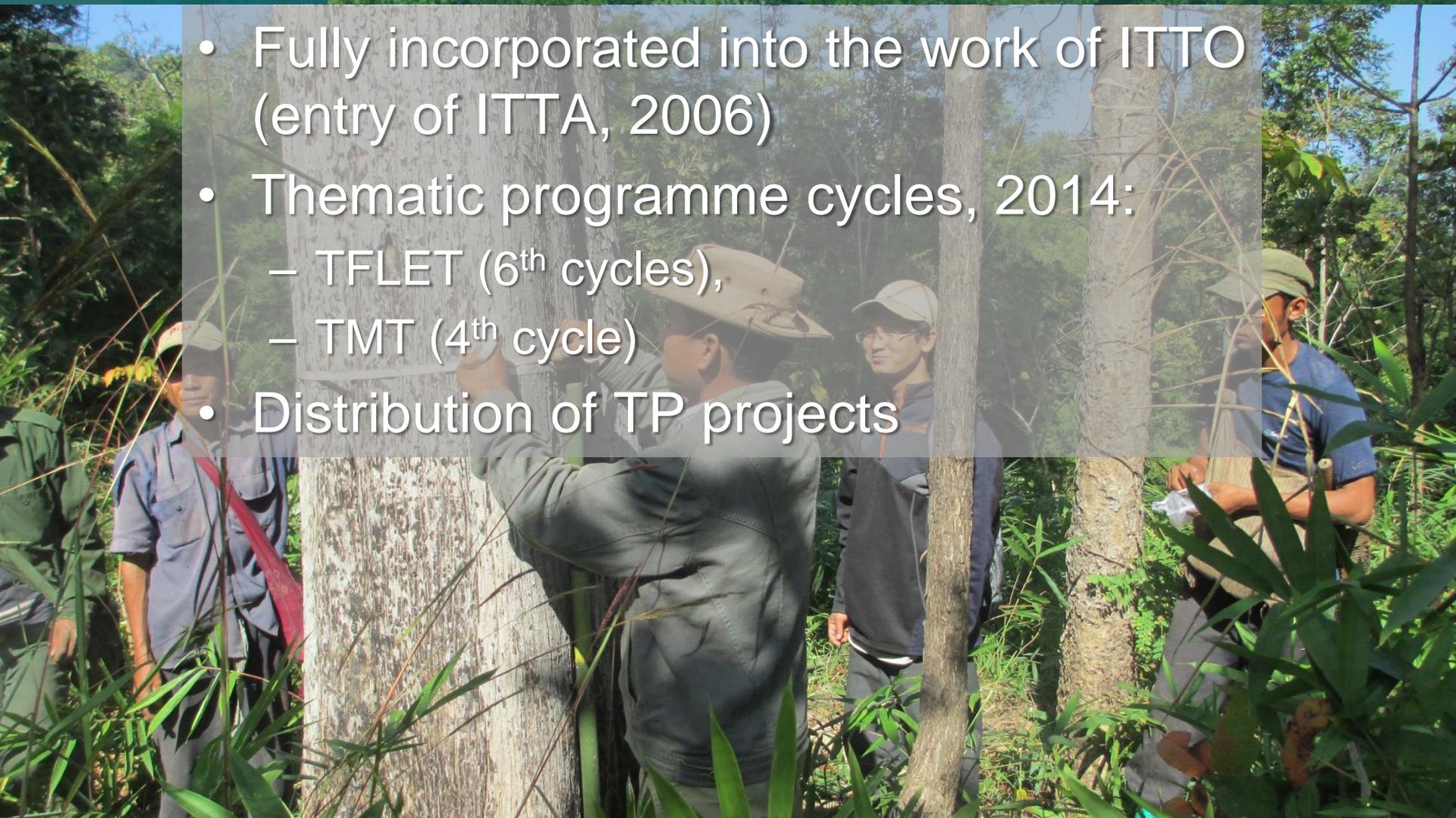
- Voluntary guidelines for SFM
- Quantifying the carbon benefits of ITTO projects
- ITTO-CBD collaborative initiative
- Regional workshop on SFM and forest education in Latin America





ITTO thematic programmes

- Fully incorporated into the work of ITTO (entry of ITTA, 2006)
- Thematic programme cycles, 2014:
 - TFLET (6th cycles),
 - TMT (4th cycle)
- Distribution of TP projects





Fellowships (Freezailah Fellowship Fund)

- 46 fellowships awarded in 20 member countries
- US\$299,165
- Total investment as of 2014 is about US\$7.6 million
- Fellowship network
- 25th anniversary of the Programme



Donors:

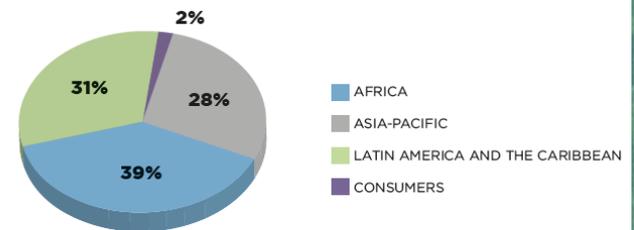


Figure 1: Fellowships awarded in 2014, by region

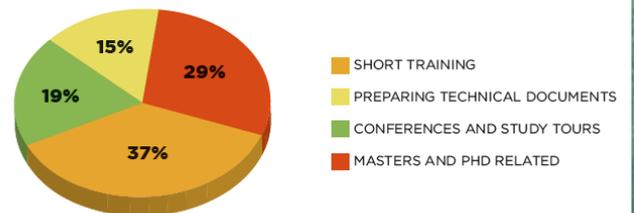


Figure 2: Proportion of fellowships awarded in 2014, by purpose



ITTO's involvement in international cooperation and collaboration

- International seminar on REDD+
- World Wildlife Day
- International Day of Forest
- Human-Earth Exhibition
- APFNet
- Satoyama initiative
- COMIFAC's Convergence Plan
- Global seminars for youth
- FAO Committee on Forestry and World Forest Week
- UN International Strategy for Disaster Reduction
- JICA's trainees' programme
- IUFRO world congress
- CBD COP 12 and more

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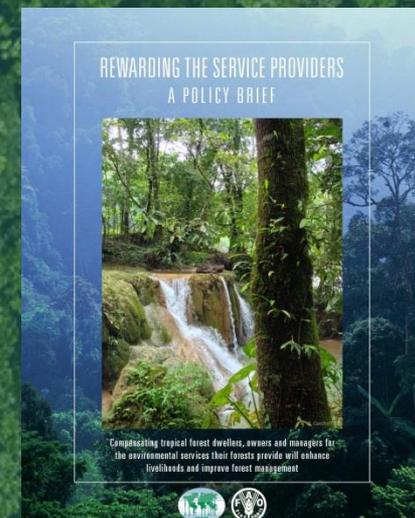
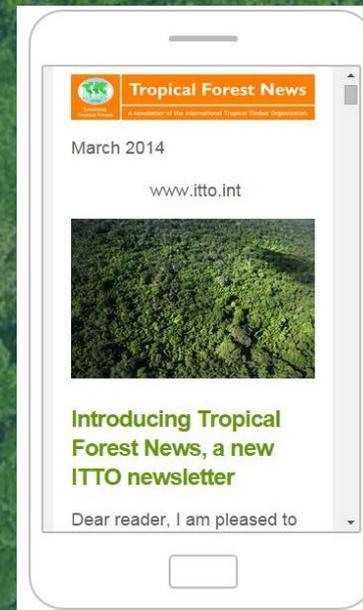
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Knowledge management, publications and outreach

Knowledge management strategy

- Project search www.itto.int/project_search
- TFU
- Tropical Forest News
- Publications:
 - Technical series
 - Technical reports
 - Policy briefs
- Tropical timber market report
- Website
- Publicity materials
- YouTube channel





Financial highlights 2014



- Balance sheets
- Statements of revenue and expenditure
- Summary of pledges to projects, pre-projects and activities
- Pledges to thematic programmes
- Voluntary contributions
- Bali Partnership Fund



Private



Member states and votes

- 33 Producer members
- 37 Consumer members
- Accession of:
 - Central African Republic
 - Suriname
 - Viet Nam



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