Resilient landscapes to face catastrophic forest fires



"PRIVATE FOREST OWNERS IN PORTUGAL: MITIGATION ACTIONS WITHIN FRAGMENTED LANDSCAPES"



Associação Florestal de Portugal



Federation of Forest Owners Associations

Founded in **1992**, is private, non-profit organization, recognized as a Public Interest Entity (1998) and Environmental NGO equivalent (2001).

Mission and objectives

- Organize forests owners and forest holdings
- Improve Management and Defense of private and community forest lands
- Representing the interests of the members
- Support them to create value and increase income on their holdings, ensuring the sustainability of natural resources.

1. FORESTIS

1992-2019

the first objective was to streamline the creation of local level associations

32 Forest Owners Associations

17.500 Forest Owners

1,19 million hectares

72 Foresters

83 Forest sapper teams

415 Forest Sappers

We believe that sustainable forest management is the better way to mitigate forest fires. For that we need a profitable Forest.

Fire Prevention is part of forest management.



1. FORESTIS





























































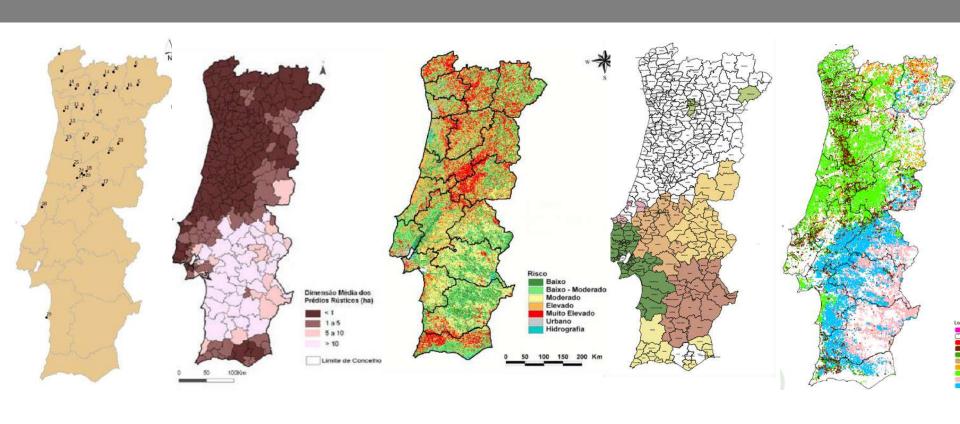


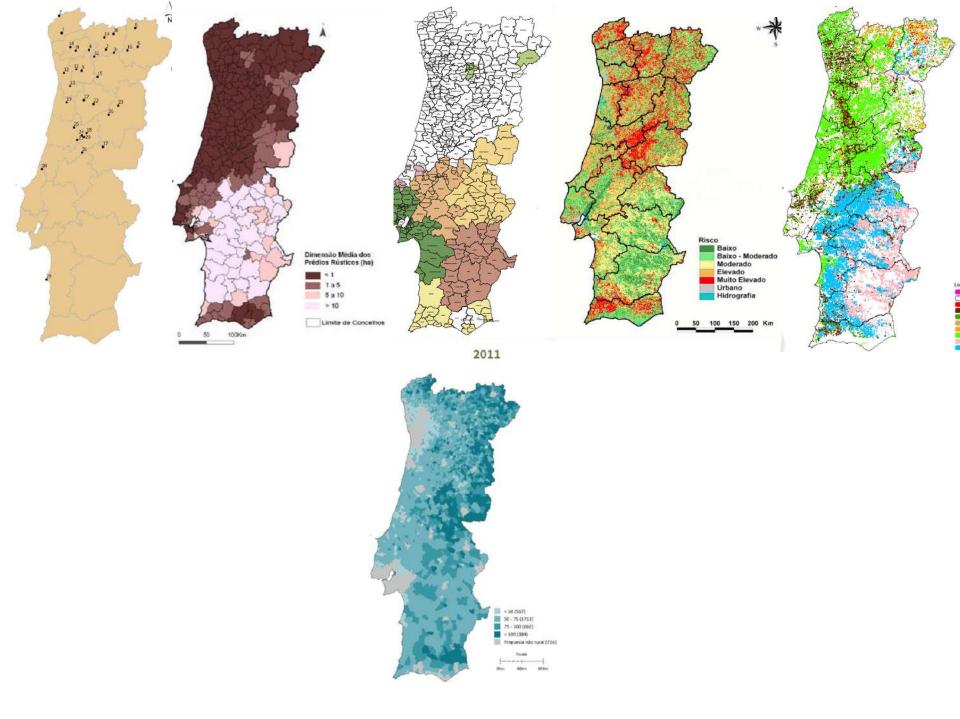










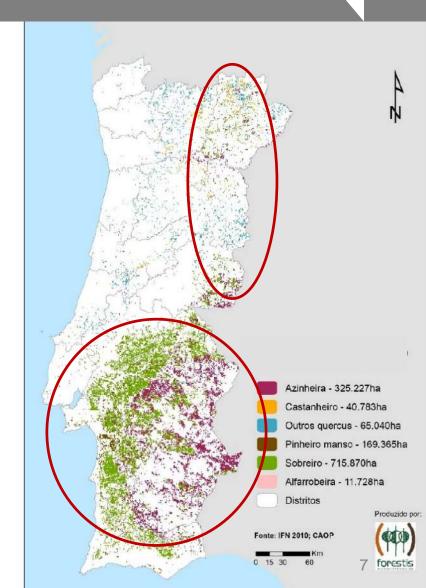




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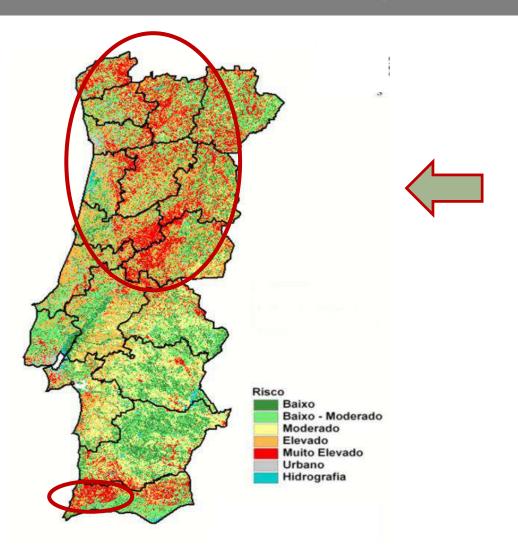
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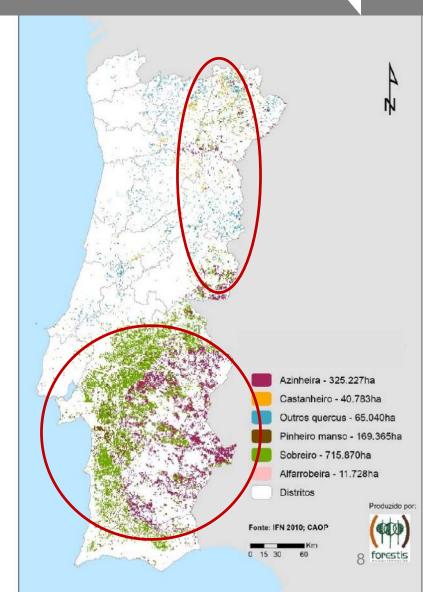
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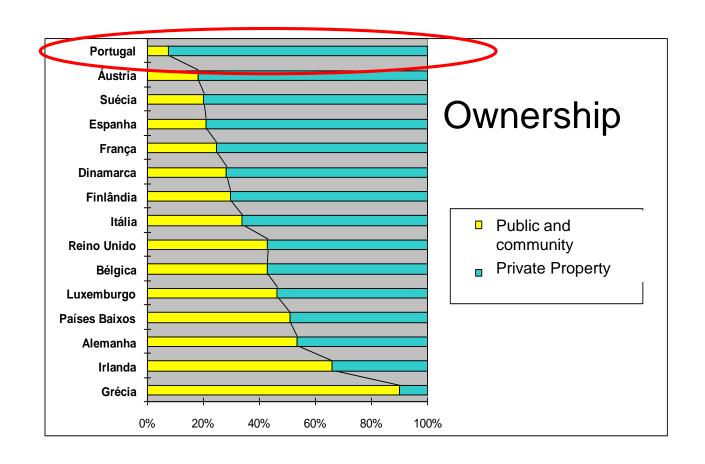


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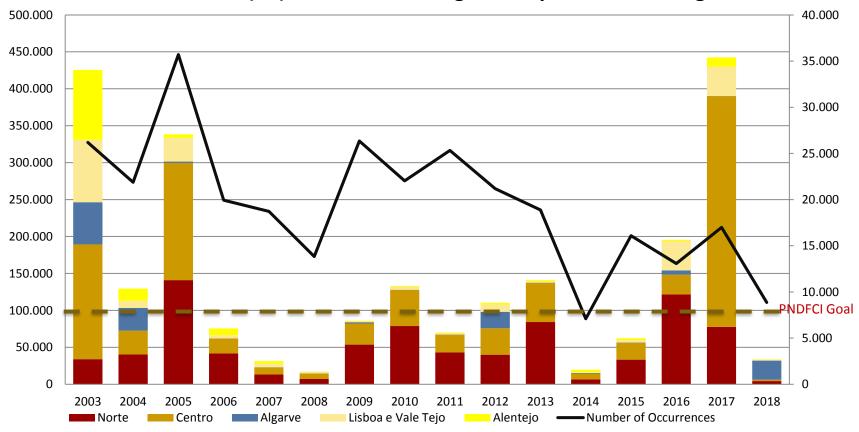


2.CONTEXT





Burned area (ha) and Number of ignitions per Year and Region





Public Authorities | Private Forest Organizations: Cooperation

Challenges of Governmental Authorities in managing a territory which is 97% non-public



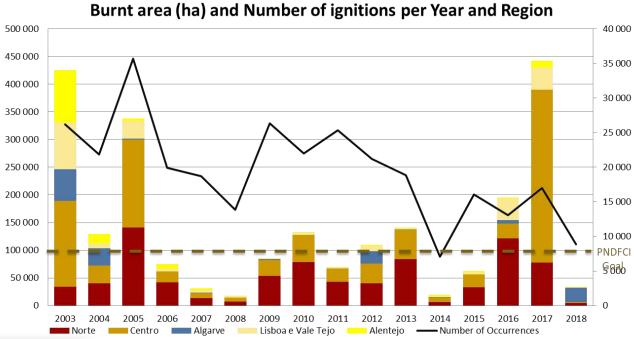




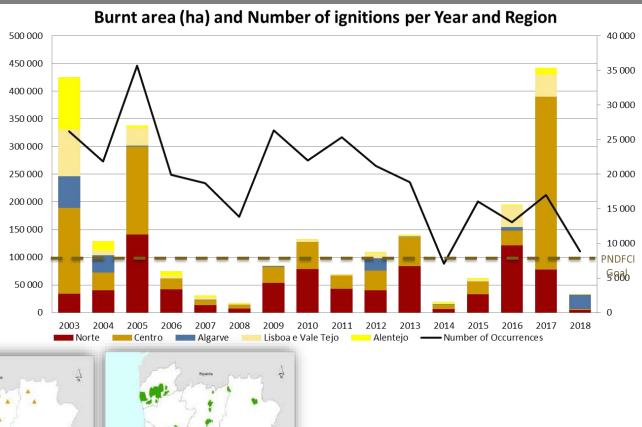


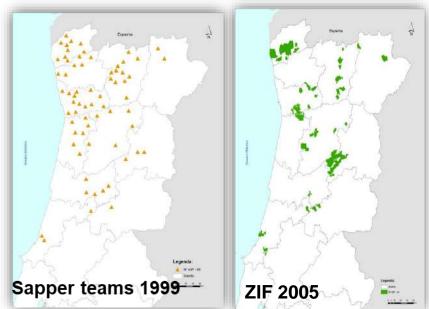


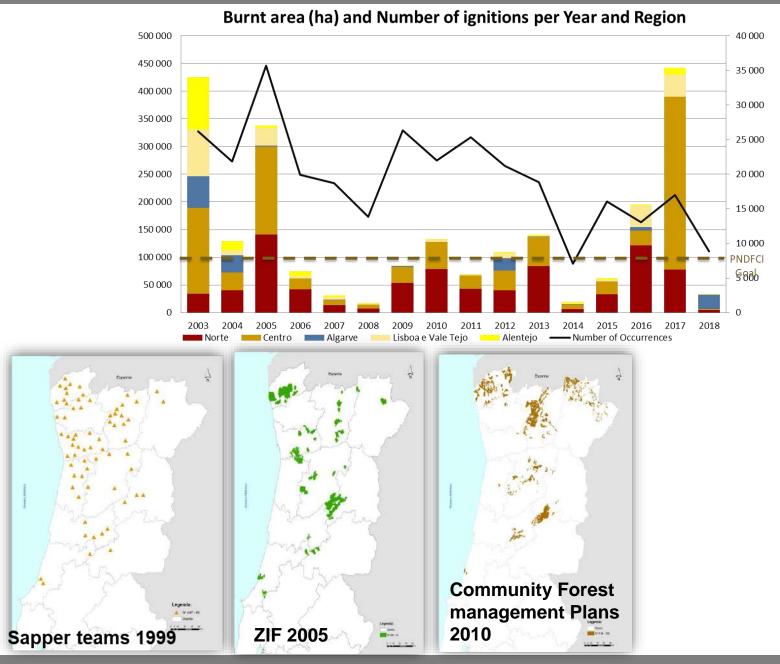


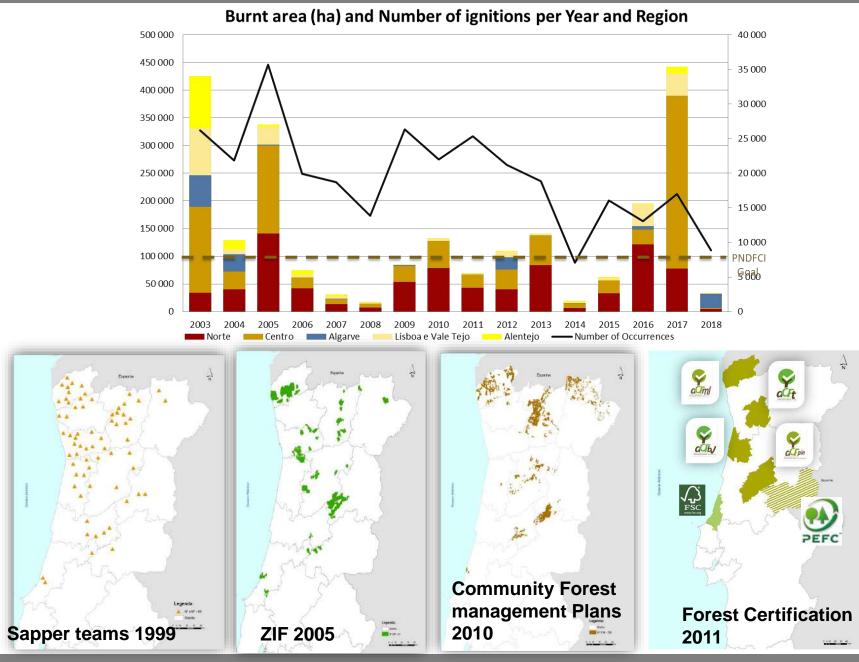












Improve planning efficiency

ZIF Management Plans and Fire Defense Plans



FORGESTWEB Sistema de Apoio à Gestão Florestal



O Forgestiveb é uma ferramenta de gestão inituitiva que concilia a informação dos proprietários florestais com a informação cadastral e geográfica dos seus prédios rústicos relacionando-a de forma dinâmica com as opções de planeamento e gestão florestai em cada prédio e/ou parcela do proprietário.

Vermais

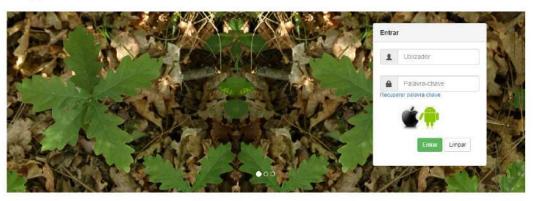
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ForgestCertifica Sistema Integrado de Apoio à Certificação Florestal





Certificação Florestal é uma realidade

Aposte na valorização dos produtos florestais! A Certificação Florestai, ê hoje uma exigência e um factor de concorrência nos mercados nacionais e internacionais. Adira ao processo de certificação, florestal regional.

Acesso às Associações de Certificação



Planeamento garante uma melhor gestão florestal

Optimize a gestão florestall. Os trabalhos florestais devem ser planeados com antecedência, de forma a que a sua execução seja efectuada no momento desejado e com as methores condições. Contacte o técnico florestal para o ajudár...

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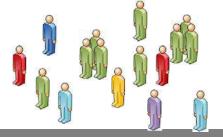


Regime de (Re)Arborização. Fale connosco...

Evite processos de contra-ordenação! Entrou em vigor o novo regime jurídico aplicável ás ações de arborização e rearborização, com recurso a espécies florestais (DL n. 996/2013 de 19 de Julho).

Ver mais.





VANTAGENS EM ADERIR ÀS ZIF

- ► PROFISSIONALIZAÇÃO DO ORDENAMENTO E DA GESTÃO FLORESTAL, EM ZONAS ONDE A DIMENSÃO DA PROPRIEDADE SÓ O PERMITE ATRAVÉS DA ORGANIZAÇÃO DOS PROPRIETÁRIOS FLORESTAIS EM TORNO DA GESTÃO E DEFESA COMUNS DO PATRIMÓNIO INDIVIDUAL.
- ► PRIORIDADE DE ACESSO AOS INSTRUMENTOS FINANCEIROS DE ORDENAMENTO, GESTÃO FLORESTAL E DE DEFESA DA FLORESTA CONTRA INCÊNDIOS.
- ► ATRIBUIÇÃO DE PRÉMIOS, EM FUNÇÃO DOS OBJECTIVOS ATINGIDOS, TENDO EM CONTA A PROGRESSÃO DA ÁREA ZIF E A OBTENÇÃO DA CERTIFICAÇÃO DA GESTÃO FLORESTAL SUSTENTÁVEL DA ZIF.
- ► ISENÇÃO DE TAXAS E EMOLUMENTOS NA EMISSÃO DE CÓPIAS E CERTIDÕES MATRICIAIS, BEM COMO DOS LICENCIAMENTOS DE USO E ALTERAÇÃO DE USO
- ► AUMENTO DA RENTABILIDADE ECONÓMICA DOS PRODUTOS, DIMINUINDO O CUSTO E OS RISCOS DE INVESTIMENTO E AUMENTANDO O VOLUME DE PRODUÇÃO.
- ► VALORIZAÇÃO DE ÁREAS POUCO PRODUTIVAS, COMO PASTAGENS, INCULTOS E MATOS, ATRAVÉS DA GESTÃO CONJUNTA DE ÁREAS DE MINIFÚNDIO.

CONSULTE A SUA ASSOCIAÇÃO FLORESTAL







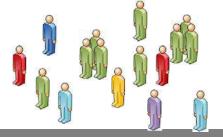


EM CASO DE INCÊNDIO LIGUE GRÁTIS 117



16 VIDAS HUMANAS PERDIDAS





PARA COMBATER ESTE FLAGELO NACIONAL, PROPOMOS-LHE QUE ADIRA ÀS ZIF.

O QUE SÃO AS ZIF?

AS ZONAS DE INTERVENÇÃO FLORESTAL SÃO ESPAÇOS FLORESTAIS CONTÍNUOS, QUE PERMITEM AOS PROPRIETÁRIOS E PRODUTORES FLORESTAIS GERIR ACTIVAMENTE O SEU PATRIMÓNIO, DE FORMA CONJUNTA E COM UMA GESTÃO TÉCNICA CORRECTA.

AS ZIF PROCURAM ULTRAPASSAR OS PROBLEMAS ESTRUTURAIS DAS PEQUENAS PROPRIEDADES SEM GESTÃO FLORESTAL E QUE NÃO SÃO VIÁVEIS ECONOMICAMENTE.

ÁREA MÍNIMA – 1.000HA №. MÍNIMO DE PROPRIETÁRIOS – 50 №. MÍNIMO DE PRÉDIOS RÚSTICOS – 100



OBJECTIVOS

- ► PROMOVER A GESTÃO SUSTENTÁVEL DOS ESPAÇOS FLORESTAIS QUE AS INTEGRAM.
- COORDENAR, DE FORMA PLANEADA, A PROTECÇÃO DOS ESPAÇOS FLORESTAIS E NATURAIS.
- ► REDUZIR AS CONDIÇÕES DE IGNIÇÃO E DE PROPAGAÇÃO DE INCÊNDIOS.
- COORDENAR A RECUPERAÇÃO DOS ESPAÇOS FLORESTAIS E NATURAIS QUANDO AFECTADOS POR INCÊNDIOS.
- ► DAR COERÊNCIA TERRITORIAL E EFICÁCIA À ACÇÃO DA ADMINISTRAÇÃO CENTRAL E LOCAL E DOS DEMAIS AGENTES COM INTERVENÇÃO NOS ESPAÇOS FLORESTAIS.

Proteja a floresta, dê vida ao futuro.



COMO FUNCIONA?

- CONSTITUEM-SE POR INICIATIVA DOS PROPRIETÁRIOS OU PRODUTORES FLORESTAIS, QUE NOMEIAM UMA ENTIDADE GESTORA,
- ➤ A ENTIDADE GESTORA ELABORA O REGULAMENTO INTERNO DA ZIF E OS PLANOS DE GESTÃO E DEFESA DA FLORESTA CONTRA INCÊNDIOS.
- ► AS DECISÕES SOBRE A GESTÃO REALIZAR-SE-ÃO COM BASE EM CRITÉRIOS TÉCNICOS, ESTABELECIDOS NO PLANO DE GESTÃO DA ZIF, APROVADOS PELOS PROPRIETÁRIOS ADERENTES.
- ➤ A ENTIDADE GESTORA DA ZIF APRESENTA ANUALMENTE À ASSEMBLEIA GERAL DE ADERENTES O PLANO ANUAL DE ACTIVIDADES E O RELATÓRIO DE CONTAS.
- ► À ENTIDADE GESTORA PODE SER SUBSTITUÍDA POR INICIATIVA DOS PROPRIETÁRIOS E PRODUTORES FLORESTAIS, EM ASSEMBLEIA DE ADERENTES.
- ➤ O FUNCIONAMENTO DAS ZIF REGE-SE POR UM
 REGULAMENTO INTERNO, APROVADO EM ASSEMBLEIA
 GERAL DE ADERENTES.





FOREST LAND FRAGMENTATION | JOINT FOREST MANAGEMENT

Forest land fragmentation: policies and instruments to address joint forest management

Forestry Associations – Representative service and providers Forest Intervention Zones - Management Unities Forest Management Entities – Legal Person Forest Unity Management – Legal person



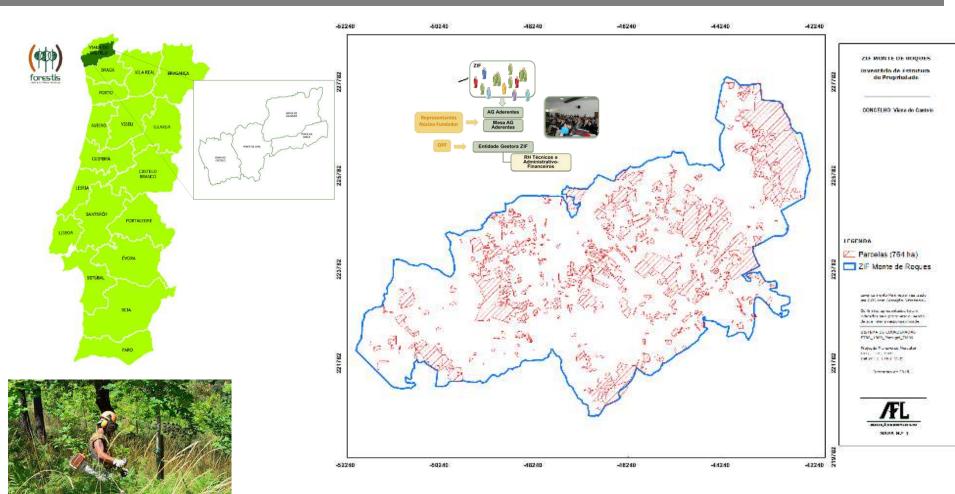
A Forest Intervention Zone (ZIF) is a continuous and delimited territorial area, constituted mainly by forest areas, submitted to a Forest Management Plan (PGF) and that complies with what is established in the Municipal Forest Fire Prevention Plans, and administered by a single entity, which is called the ZIF's Management Entity.



ZIF – FOREST INTERVENTION ZONE

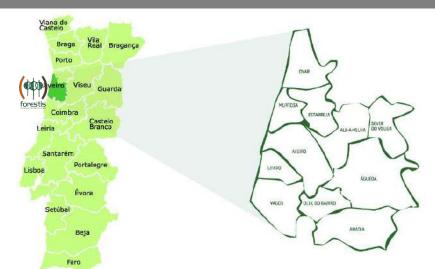
Local Forest Owners Organization (No legal person) that partially delegates the management to Regional Forest

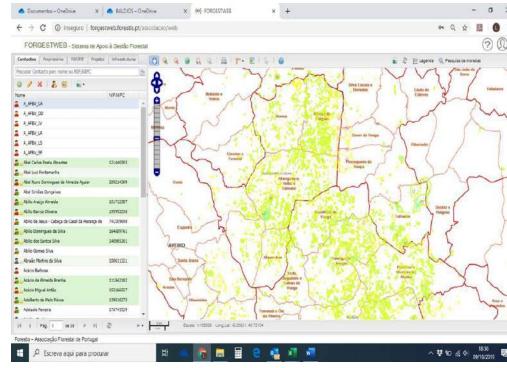
Association





FOREST OWNER ASSOCIATION SUB REGIONAL LEVEL





Wood Trade

Promotion of forest producers groupings;

Improvement of the level of information and training of forest producers;

Technical support to members' forest areas;

Representation of forest producers before public and private entities;

Streamlining interinstitutional relations to promote regional forest

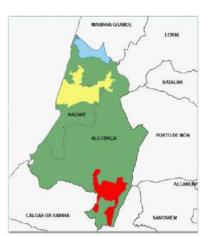
Support for forest fire protection: fires, pests and desieses



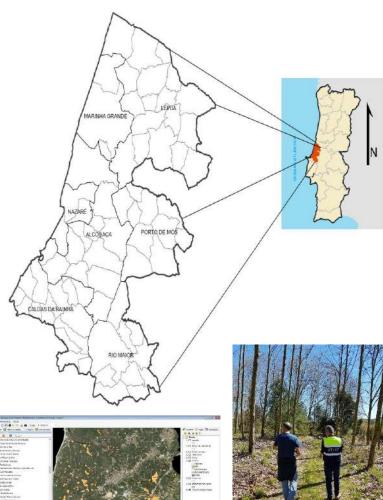


FOREST OWNER ASSOCIATION SUB REGIONAL I EVEL











Forest and endogenous resources

Diversify maktable goods and services

Make landscape more resilient

Wood, Corck, and biomass







Chestnuts, nuts...

Resin



Nature ativities (sports...)



Agro forestry



Mushrooms



Hunting



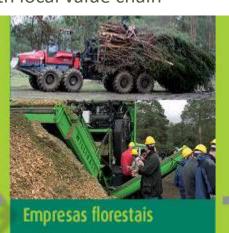


Making fuel management profitable

Forest biomass - Natural and renewable resource.

- Reduction of energy costs (public buildings, industrial units, collective and residential buildings (individual and urbanization)
- Decreased risk of forest fires,
- Business opportunity for forest owners and service providers
- Engine for job creation and rural / regional development.
- Encouraging local and regional development of:
- More locally viable logistics, transportation and processing
- Business with local value chain













Partners
INESC TEC - Institute of Systems and Computer Engineering,
Technology and Science
INEGI - Institute of Science and Innovation in Mechanical Engineering
and Industrial Engineering
Young Forest, Lda

Sérgio Domingos Azevedo Alves (FlorAlves)

GOTECFOR - Technology for the mobilization and use of forest biomass in agro-industry

Application and development of forest biomass based solutions in response to the heating needs of protected crops, using new processes and efficient equipment adapted to the Portuguese forest context by;

- Promoting integral management of forest resources and valuing residual products;
- Increase the productivity of agroforestry activities;
- Reduce costs of productive activities in protected crops (heating needs);
- Promote the use of more efficient and safer machinery in the forest Portuguese context.







Participants

AFG - Galicia Forestal Association

INESC TEC - Institute of Systems and Computer Engineering, Technology and Science

CTAG - Foundation for the Promotion of Innovation, Research and Technological Development in the Galicia Automotive Industry

BIOTECFOR - Bio-businesses and technology for efficient use of endogenous forest resources in northern Portugal and Galicia

Increase levels of efficiency in the use of forest resources by using intelligent robotic systems for the collection and processing of biomass and looking for new applications for new materials by:

- Developing innovative technology and tools, capable of harnessing and enhancing forest resources;
- Boost the sustainable management of the forest areas, for a greater profitability of the forest activity and a reduction of the fire risk;
- Assessment of the potential of implementation of this project in other regions.



Ecosystem Services Payments

Implemention of Payment mechanism

Water quality



Nature Services

carbon sequestration



Leisure/tourism



Recreation/ Landscape



Biodiversity







Communication and raising awereness

2006



2007



2012









Training and Forest Education

Children and Youth

- Pedagogical publications (eg books, games)
- Merchandising (eg stickers, bookmarks, bags, etc.)



Training and Forest Education 2018





Urbana vs Rural

	Population of one parrish of Porto (Lordelo do Ouro- no forest)						
	1970	1981	1991	2001	2011		
Inahbitants	17 208	22 316	22 421	22 212	22 270		

Population of Pedrogão (forest fires 2017)

	1970	1981	1991	2001	2011
Inahbitants	5 131	5 842	4 643	4 398	3 915



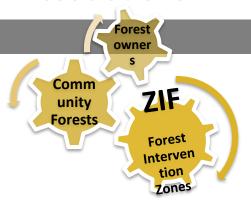








Forest Associations



Profitability of Forest goods and services Bonus price for certified wood Access to markets

And

Advisory Services and knowledge transfer
Better designed forest policies national and European
Better understanding by urban population





Towards a European forest policy and Advisory services network

Talking to People