



Climate- smart forestry in Latvia

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Climate smart (and biodiversity rich) forestry



Maintenance of biological diversity

Mitigation of climate change and its impact on society and biological diversity

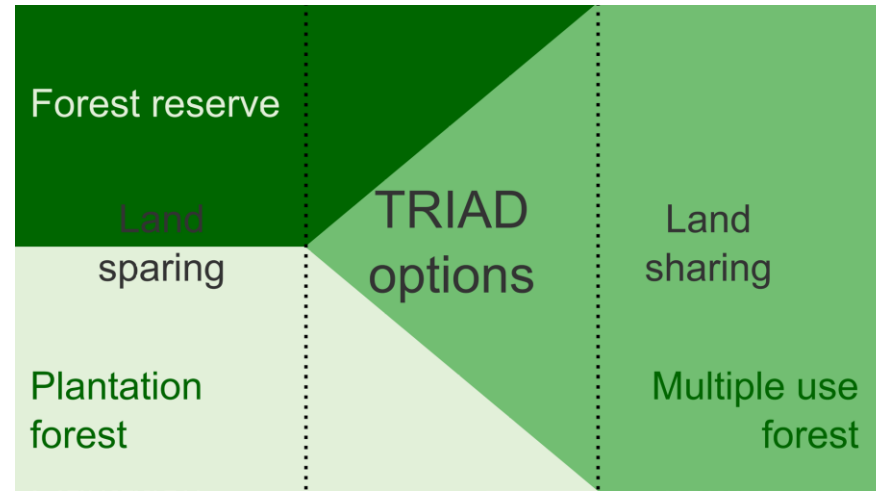
Adaptation of forests and forestry



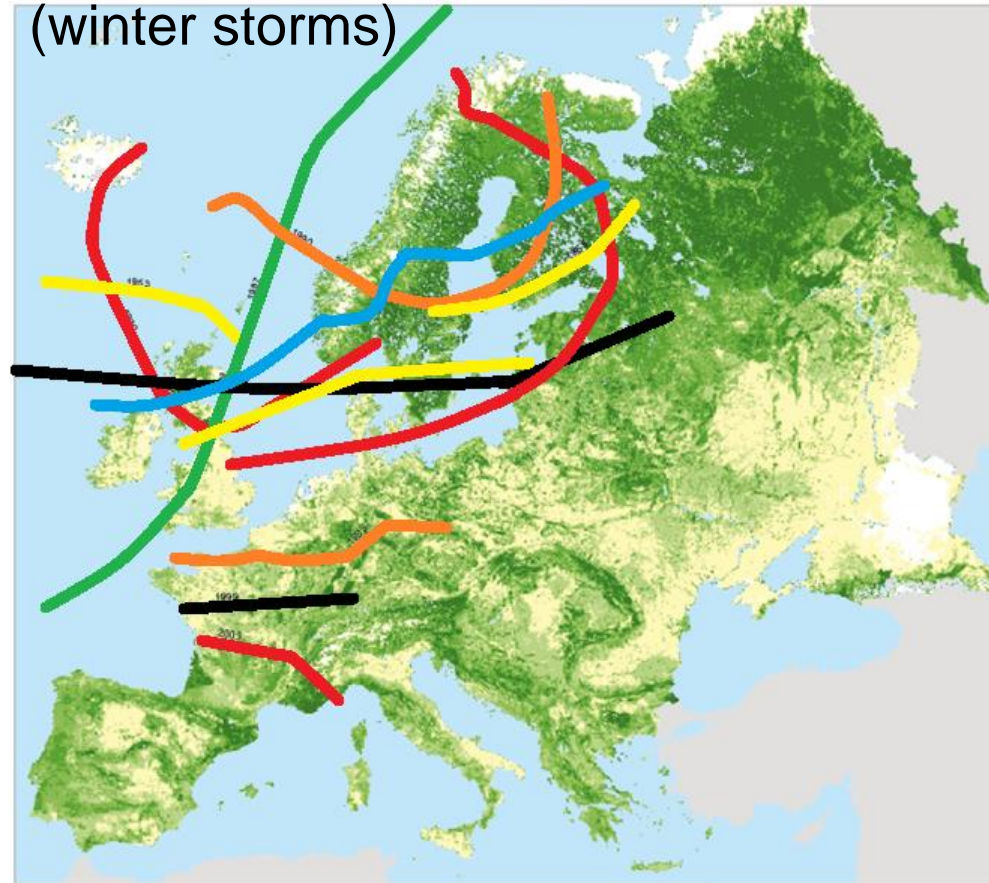
Existence of bioeconomy

Main objectives of climate-smart forestry is to ensure forest adaptation and resilience to climate change, to rise contribution to climate change mitigation and sustainably increase forest productivity and incomes (Nabuurs et al., 2017)

How it can be applied?



Trajectories of largest cyclonic storms (winter storms)



Gardiner, B., Schuck, A. R. T., Schelhaas, M. J., Orazio, C., Blennow, K., & Nicoll, B. (Eds.). (2013). *Living with storm damage to forests* (pp. 1-132). Joensuu: European Forest Institute.

What can we learn – stand scale

Shorter rotation=lower probability of damages



(with appropriate genotypes and stand density)

