MAINTAIN AND ENHANCE GOODS AND SERVICES PROVIDED BY MEDITERRANEAN WOODLANDS: Which Innovative Mechanisms/Instruments?

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Why is it important to discuss these topics?

- -when wood production utility is low, the value mostly represented by environmental/social services;
- costs of maintenance of those services need to be compensated for better conservation;
- conventional policies based on regulatory means do not provide compensation, they may even increase the constraints;
- thus new instruments or mechanisms, linked to the market or not, need to be introduced.





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What are the main topics to be addressed?

- the value of environmental and social services: how to evaluate (calculate?) them?; how to take this value in account for forest policy making?
- various types of innovative instruments and mechanisms: Payments for environmental services (PES): National forestry funds, Fiduciary funds: why they are not more developed.





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What is the expected result of our discussion?

- to be clear on how important are the environmental and social services, interest and difficulties in assessing them.
- to have a clear idea on what are the main types of instruments and mechanisms that can promote environmental/social services: Payments for Environmental Services (PES) and other mechanisms for compensation, National Forestry Funds, Fiduciary Funds.





Part 1 - Monday 18/03 (11:15-13:00): <u>The contribution of Mediterranean woodlands</u> <u>to the economy and population's well-being</u>

- importance in Mediterranean of non-market benefits: which issues are concerned? (water balance, carbon sequestration, biodiversity conservation, grazing) who are the producers, the beneficiaries?

- how to provide related goods and services with appropriate management?





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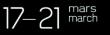
Part 2 – Monday 18/03 (14:30-18:00) : <u>Innovative</u> <u>mechanisms/instruments to help maintain and</u> <u>improve the supply of goods and services by</u> <u>Mediterranean woodlands</u>

- new logic of intervention: when market and State complement each other;
- what to do with National Forestry Funds?
- volontary vs. compulsary; bilateral vs. collective;
 PES: what they bring and how to be developed?
 ethics: do State or market compensate or just

remunerate the fact to implement the law?









The rule of the game

- speakers: 15 mn. maximum each

panelists: first round of basic common questions to respond (5 mn. each maximum) then panelists comment on each other.

questions, comments from the audience:
3 mn. maximum each, including
questioner's brief presentation





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