



Background Paper 1

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTIONS OF FORESTS

**Executive Summary: “
Economic Contributions of Forests”**

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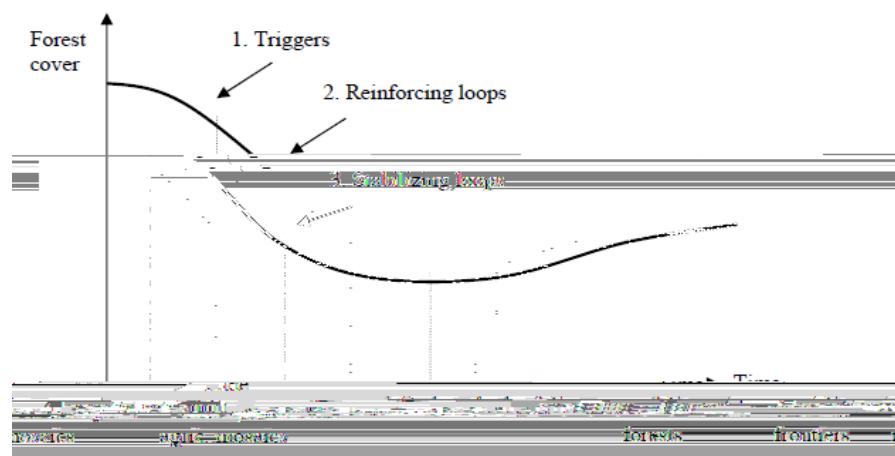


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Table 3a: Cash and

3.5 The 'morality' of the 'non cash economy'

Table 4: Total annual value of forest products to rural people in Uganda, in millions of dollars

Forest Products grouped by category	CASH		NON CASH		VALUE OF ALL FOREST PRODUCTS	
	\$ millions	%	\$ millions	%	\$ millions	%
Fuel	406		1,186		1,592	
Building materials	346		655		1,001	
Forest Foods	241		510		752	
Fibre (for ropes, baskets, mats etc)	68		257		326	
Herbal medicine	44		145		189	
Timber	32		129		161	
Total	\$1,137	28.3	\$2,882	71.7	\$4,019	100%

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3.9 .. Can forest ever be fully valued? And how could the value of forests become more appealing to policy makers?

4.2 Sustainability supply chains and forests

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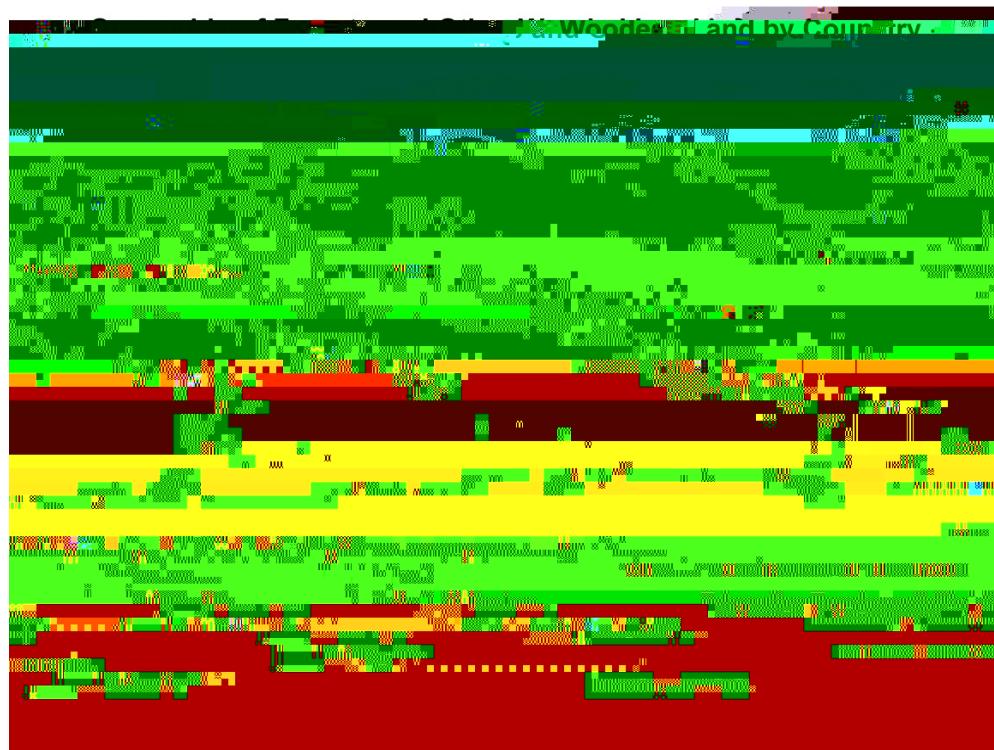
4.3 Non Cash benefits from forests^{..}

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5.1 Distribution of forests under different forms of governance

Total	296.4	15.1	101.4	5.2	418.5
Latin America					
Total	777.6	106.5	66.7	106.5	1057.3
Developed Countries					
Total developed	1443.3	20.0	0	344.6	1737.9
Total developing	1744.8	125.8	180.0	121.5	2172.1
Total	3188.1	145.8	180.0	466.1	3910.0

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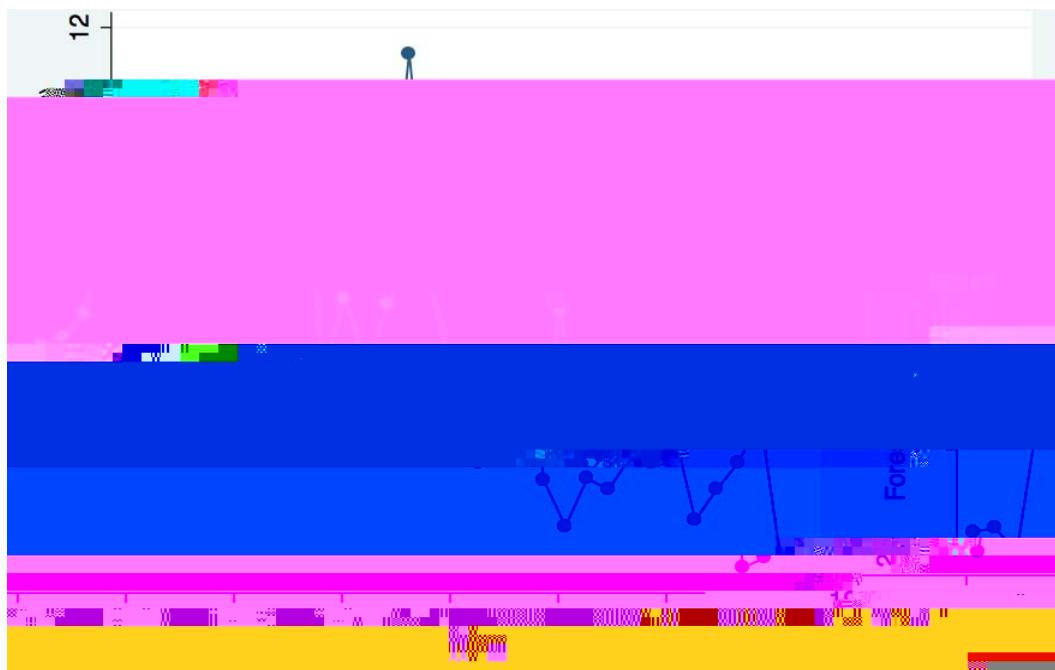
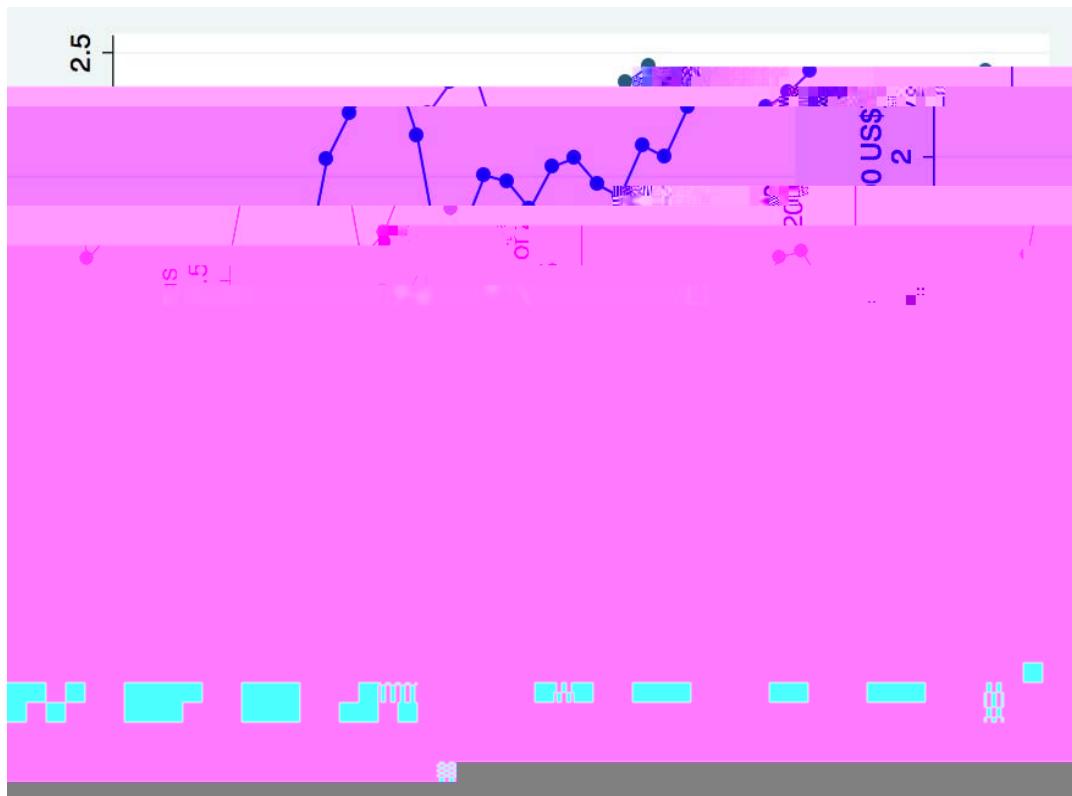


Figure 13: Environmentally positive or neutral forest aid, 1970–2008⁶



6.2 Gaps and obstacle to higher financing ..

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Conceptual Approach	Valuation strategy	Advantages	Disadvantages
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