

16. CHANGE IN FOREST AREA, 1990-2000

Country/Region	Total Forest, 1990 ('000ha)	Total Forest, 2000 ('000ha)	Forest area change, 1990-2000	
			Annual change ('000ha)	Annual rate of change (%)
Kenya	18027	17096	-93	-0.5
Mozambique	31238	30601	-64	-0.2
South Africa	8997	8917	-8	-0.1
Zambia	39755	31246	-851	-2.4
Zimbabwe	22239	19040	-320	-1.5
Bhutan	3016	3016	ns	ns
Cambodia	9896	9335	-56	-0.6
China	145417	163480	1806	1.2
India	63732	64113	38	0.1
Indonesia	118110	104986	-1312	-1.2
Japan	24-47	24081	3	ns
Malaysia	21661	19292	-237	-1.2
Myanmar	39588	34419	-517	-1.4
Nepal	4683	3900	-78	-1.8
Pakistan	2755	2361	-39	-1.5
Rep. Korea	6299	6248	-5	-0.1
Thailand	15886	14762	-112	-0.7
Austria	3809	3886	8	0.2
Denmark	455	455	1	0.2
Finland	21855	21935	8	Ns
France	14725	15341	62	0.4
Germany	10740	10740	ns	Ns
Russian Fed.	850039	851392	135	Ns
Sweden	27128	27134	1	Ns
U.K.	2624	2794	17	0.6
Canada	244571	244571	ns	Ns
Mexico	61511	55205	-631	-1.1
U.S.A.	222113	225993	388	0.2
Argentina	37499	34648	-285	-0.8
Brazil	566998	543905	-2309	-0.4
Australia	157359	154539	-282	-0.2
New Zealand	7556	7946	39	0.5
Africa	702502	649866	-5262	-0.8
Asia	551448	547793	-364	-0.1
Europe	1030475	1039251	881	0.1
N&C Amer.	555002	549304	-570	-0.3
S. America	922731	885618	-3711	-0.4
Oceania	201271	197623	-365	-0.2
Total World	3963429	3869455	-9391	-0.2

Source: State of World's Forests 2001 (FAO)
