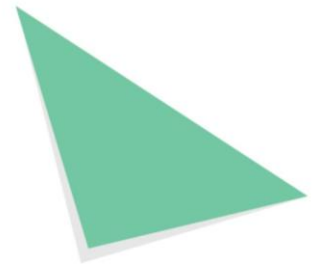


Two Sides Facts



Forest Certification Matrix

This matrix from GreenBlue compares the five major forest certification systems on a variety of criteria.

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Criteria	Forest Stewardship Council (FSC)	Canadian Council of Forest Certification (CCFC)	Program for the Endorsement of Certification of Forest Management (PEFC)	Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI)	Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) - Chain of Custody (CoC)
Global	Available in 150+ countries	Available in 150+ countries	Available in 150+ countries	Available in 150+ countries	Available in 150+ countries
Market	Highly recognized	Highly recognized	Highly recognized	Highly recognized	Highly recognized
Stakeholder participation	Highly participatory	Highly participatory	Highly participatory	Highly participatory	Highly participatory
Scope	Covers most forest types in the US	Covers all forest types in Canada	Covers all forest types in the world	PEFC is a broad-based organization that covers most of the world's forests	Covers all forest types in the United States and Canada
Number of participants	Over 1000 forest owners in the US	Over 1000 forest owners in Canada	Over 1000 forest owners in the world	PEFC is a broad-based organization that covers most of the world's forests	Over 1000 forest owners in the United States and Canada
Global areas	US and Canada	Canada	Worldwide	Worldwide	US and Canada

