



Coordination and cooperation between the Global and the pan-European data collection

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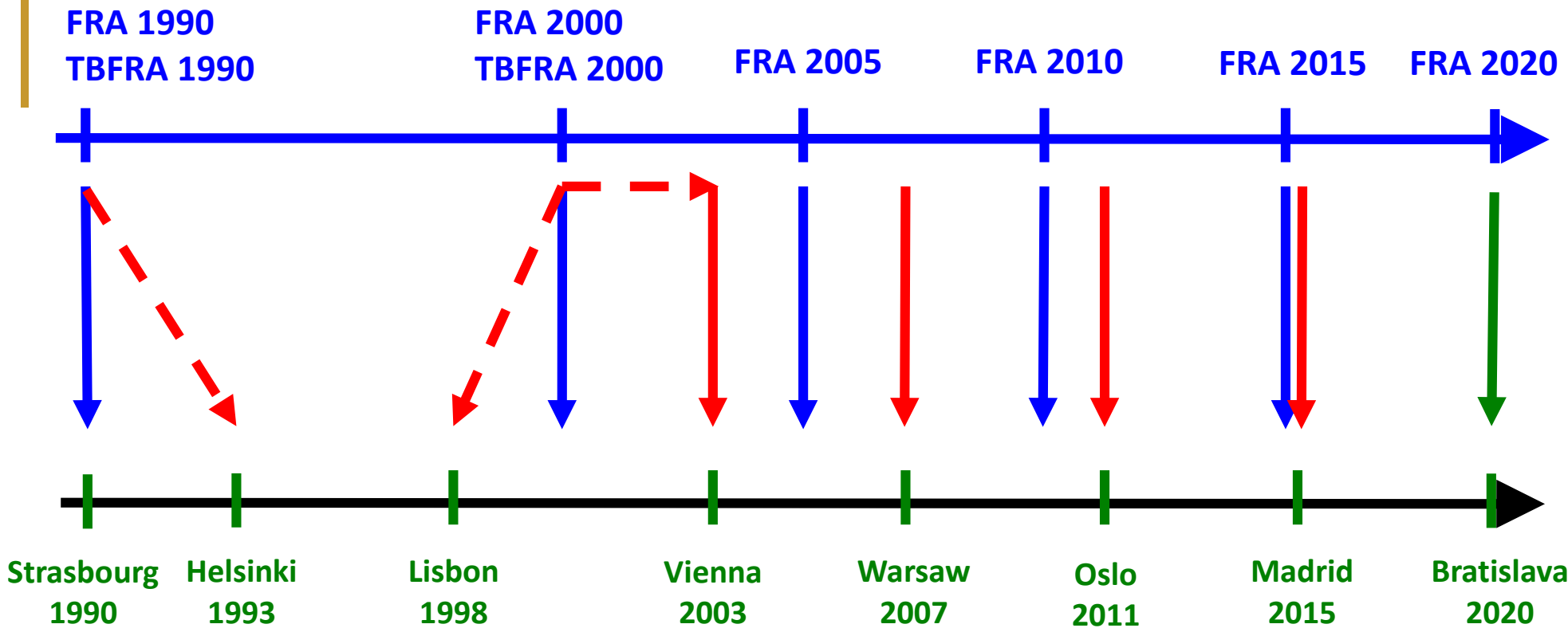


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Data Collection

Global and the Pan-European Reporting

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- The integrated data collection will be done jointly by FOREST EUROPE, FAO and UNECE, through the Liaison Unit Bratislava, the FRA Team and the Joint Forestry and Timber Section.
- The data will be collected through the interactive platform developed and hosted by FAO, which will include the main reporting module (same for all countries) and an additional component for the Pan-European indicators (for FOREST EUROPE countries).
- The three organizations will work together at the development of reporting formats, terms, definitions, classifications and guidelines for the 2020 reporting.
- National data will be collected through the same (for both processes) national correspondents, assisted in their work by experts designated by the three organizations.

Data Collection Roadmap

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ECE/FAO ToS Meeting
22-24 May 2017

Global Consultation **12-16 June 2017**

FE Advisory Group
27-28 September 2017

Launch of reporting
Early 2018

Regional workshop
17-19 April 2018

Deadline for data collection
Autumn 2018

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- Data collected will be made available to the all three organizations for their use and the production of their own or joint outputs;
- The complete dataset (regional or global) will be released together with the global database.
- Data collected will be disseminated through the FRA data platform. Data of all countries will be available on the FAO website, while FOREST EUROPE and UNECE will disseminate data reported by their member States through their own websites.
- The logos/names of the three organizations will always have to be displayed on any website or publication presenting the data.

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- Reduction of national reporting burden
- Optimization of the use of secretariats' resources
- Data feeds other processes
- Improved completeness of data
- Enhanced credibility and visibility of data
- Addressed needs of countries and organizations

Challenges

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- The plan has to be approved by governing bodies:
 - ECE COFFI and FAO EFC,
 - FE ELM
- Full implementation would require mobilization of additional resources
- The questionnaires on the Pan-European Indicators should be integrated into FRA Platform before launch of data collection (early 2018).
- Integration of reporting on qualitative and quantitative indicators
- Organization of the review process – regional vs. thematic?



Thank you!

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