

Application score form	
Reviewer	
Date of revision	
Number of applicant reviewed (assigned automatically at the reception of the applications to anonymize the process)	
Country	
Organisation' territorial level (NUTS and others)	
Date and time of submission	
[1]Forest Area (ha) represented by the organisation	
CRITERIA 1 - Public-private diversity of forest owners represented within the organisation	Scoring
CRITERIA 2 - Categories of number of associated forest owners	Scoring
CRITERIA 3 - Gender balance of associated forest owners	Scoring

[1] Forest area refers to the area of Forest and Other Wooded Land (FOWL) according to the legal definition in the country, of the forest owners integrated in the organisation.

SELECTION OF CANDIDATES					
Step 1 (Maximum of 3 candidates will be selected)	SUPRANATIONAL	Number of candidates ≤3	All candidates are selected		
		Number of candidates >3	Application of criteria	Criteria 1 - Public-private diversity of forest owners represented within the organization	Scoring
				Public & private	5
				Only Private	4
				Only Public	3
				Criteria 2 - Number of associated forest owners	Scoring
				>10.000	5
				1.000-10.000	3
				0-1.000	1
				Criteria 3 - Gender balance of associated forest owners	Scoring
				>40% women	5
				20-40%	3
				0-20%	1
				If tied scores, funding prioritization will be based on the largest area represented by each applicant and ultimately, in the submission order.	
Step 2 (One candidate per country will be selected)	NATIONAL	1 candidate per country	All candidates are selected		
		> 1 candidate per country	Candidates are prioritized based on NUTS classification levels	National > NUTS1-NUTS2 and NUTS3 levels	
				NUTS1- NUTS2 > NUTS3	
		If there are several candidates per country at the same highest-priority NUTS level	Application of criteria	Criteria 1 - Public-private diversity of forest owners represented within the organization	Scoring
				Public & private	5
				Only Private	4
				Only Public	3
				Criteria 2 - Number of associated forest owners	Scoring
				>10.000	5
				1.000-10.000	3
				0-1.000	1
				Criteria 3 - Gender balance of associated forest owners	Scoring
				>40% women	5
				20-40%	3
				0-20%	1
				If tied scores, funding prioritization will be based on the largest area represented by each applicant and ultimately, in the submission order.	

Step 3 (Remaining candidates until 40 candidates are finally selected)	Once one award recipient has been selected per country, the remaining candidates will be prioritized based on NUTS classification levels		NUTS3 > NUTS1-NUTS2 and National levels	
			NUTS1- NUTS2 > National	
	If there are several candidates per country at the same highest-priority NUTS level	Application of criteria	Criteria 1 - Public-private diversity of forest owners represented within the organization	Scoring
			Public & private	5
			Only Private	4
			Only Public	3
			Criteria 2 - Number of associated forest owners	Scoring
			>10.000	5
			1.000-10.000	3
			0-1.000	1
			Criteria 3 - Gender balance of associated forest owners	Scoring
			>40% women	5
			20-40%	3
			0-20%	1
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