Expert input sheet

Conservation and management of Continental Woodland and forest in Poland

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Habitat(s):
91E0 – Alluvial forests with Alnus glutinosa and Fraxinus excelsior (Alno-Padion, Alnion incanae, Salicio albae)

Biogeographical region:
Continental

Member state:
Poland

Region(s) (if applicable):
Podkarpacie

Issues and pressures
1. Invasive alien species;
2. Erosion;
3. Dead and dying trees removal;
4. River regulation;
5. Urban areas development;
6. Tree diseases.

Conservation requirements
1. Alien species removal.

Conservation management
Lack of actual management practices

Species specific management:
No

Barriers and bottlenecks
1. Lack of active conservation financing;
2. Lack of landowners wish to cooperate;
3. Lack of protection plan/preventive assignements for Natura 2000 sites.
Solutions and opportunities
1. Building environmental awareness through education;
2. Greater financial support;
3. Preparing protection plan/ preventive assignments for Natura 2000 sites.

Cross cutting issues
1. More consirable involvement of nature conservation aspects during rural development.

Lessons learned / best practice
No previous experience, thus cannot provide the Commission with any information.

Opportunities for joint action
1. active methods of habitats protection.

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