

Forests vs. other land uses - 2015



Forested area
30,83% of the world's land area
3,99 billion ha

Agricultural land
37,26% of the world's land area
4,83 billion ha

Other land
31,84% of the world's land area
4.13 billion ha

Data from: World Bank indicators - https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/AG.LND.FRST.ZS

Forests Status

Intact forests

Fragmented forests



Degraded forested areas

35%

Cleared forest cover

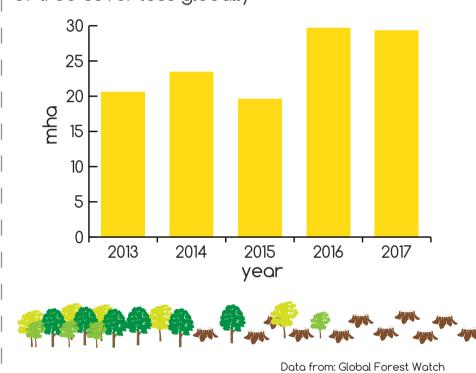




Data from World Resource Institute

Annual global tree cover loss (>30% canopy cover)

From 2013 and 2017, there was a total of **122,8 Mha** of tree cover loss globally



Restoration opportunities, commitments & Costs



Forest land restoration opportunities: 2 billion ha worldwide



Bonn Challenge aims at 150 million ha by 2020

Total costs: 359 Billion USD

Per year: 36 Billion USD



2.5 times the size of France

Taking no action costs: 23 trillion USD by 2050

Taking action now to stop the global land degradation trend costs: 4.6 trillion USD



NY declaration on forests aims at 350 million ha by 2030

Total costs: 837 Billion USD

Per year: 49 Billion USD



5.5 times the size of France

