Chilean Forest Research Institute (INFOR)
The Forestry Institute (INFOR) is a technological research Institute of the State of Chile, attached to the Ministry of Agriculture. It was born in 1961 for providing value to forestry progress and development.

The mission: Contribute to Chilean forestry development, promoting the sustainable use of forest ecosystems for the society benefit, through the creation and transfer of knowledge, innovative products, services of excellence and relevant and timely forest information for decision makers.

The budget comes from contracts with the Ministry of Agriculture and Economy in additions to grants of national funds and technical consulting.
INFOR – the old times

Forest inventories

Printing

Laminated timber

Paint testing
PRESIDENT: Executive Director of the Forest Service (CONAF) Ministry of Agriculture

VICE PRESIDENT: Representative of Ministry of Economy

DIRECTORS:

Director of Agriculture Development Services (INDAP)
Representative of Ministry of Economy
Representative of Small Landowners (MUCECH)
President of Forest Companies Board (CORMA)
Representative of Small Forest Industry
Representative of Ministry of Agriculture
## BUDGET in 1000 US$

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<th>BUDGET</th>
<th>Year 2017</th>
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<td>Sale of Services (consulting), Own Income, Product Sales</td>
<td>1,099,015</td>
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<td>National Funds / Research</td>
<td>837,294</td>
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<td>1,618,502</td>
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<td>Ministry Transfer Agreement</td>
<td>6,421,686</td>
<td>5,706,712</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>9,965,848</strong></td>
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Average US$ dollar

|                       | 615,22       | 695,69       |
## BUDGET in %

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<td>16%</td>
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INFOR is focused on research, development and innovation, providing:

- Forest ecosystems inventory and monitoring
- Forest economics and policy
- Native and exotic ecosystem silviculture and forest management
- Wood industry and technology
- Forest diversification
• Forest ecosystems inventory and monitoring
  • Forest Inventory
  • Adaptation and mitigation to climate change
  • Forest and water ecosystems
Continuous forest inventory and monitoring

Web Mapping: http://mapaforestal.infor.cl
INTERNATIONAL BUDGET (FAO):

SIMEF:
The integrated system for monitoring and evaluation of the native forest ecosystems (SIMEF) is a national initiative that establishes a coordinated work among public institutions and it involves local communities for monitoring native forest ecosystems.

OBJECTIVE:
To support decision-making about the native forest management, contributing to the responsible use of forest resources and the conservation of ecosystems and their biodiversity. The final purpose of SIMEF is to contribute to assure a better quality life for the communities that depend on the forest and the Chilean society as a whole.

METHODOLOGY:
SIMEF integrates, facilitates and promotes the use of standardized and updated information about the condition and evolution of native forest ecosystems of our country.
Dr. Yasna Rojas has been, since 2015, a member of the Task Force Bureau for the National Greenhouse Gas Inventories of the IPCC, as representative of the South America region. This work group has the task of assisting and advising about methodology guidelines and evaluation reports of the Greenhouse Gas Inventories and activities such as workshops and expert meetings.
• Forest economics and policy

  • Economic studies

  • Forest statistics
Acceso al módulo Web
http://www.infor.cl

Caracterización del Sector en las áreas de comercio, industria y precios.

Publicaciones en línea

Consultas Bases de Datos
INFOR - focus

- Native and exotic ecosystem silviculture and forest management
  - Recovery and eco systemic management of native forest resources
  - Forest plantation management
  - Conservation and genetic improvement
THE NATIVE FOREST NOW:
Not managed
Big number of species
Un even aged
Bad quality
Degraded and old

THE CHALLENGE
Regenerate
Focus on high value species
Management - Silviculture (nat. dyn.)
Increase quality and yield

How to do native forest management?
Genetic conservation and improvement

Seed collection area
Climate change, environment and water supply
INFOR - focus

- Wood industry and technology
  - Structural construction timber
  - Engineering timber products
Support to the small and medium industry

Construction and certification
INFOR - focus

- Forest diversification
  - Non-timber forest products
  - Development of sustainable agroforestry systems
  - Species diversification for forest
  - Forestry biomass and energy
Support to the small and medium land owners

Non timber forest products and agroforestry
Support to the small and medium land owners

Agroforestry
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