

Indicator 15.1.1: Forest area as a proportion of total land area

Method of calculation The UN definition of forest is in accordance with the definition applied by Copenhagen University, Department of Geosciences and Natural Resource Management, in the Danish Forest Statistics.

The total land area in Denmark comes from Statistics Denmark's Statbank, table AREALDK15 and is in accordance with the UN definition. However, the UN definition applies 2015 as the baseline for the indicator and the total land area in Denmark has not been calculated for 2015. The nearest year is 2016, which will be the baseline in this indicator.

The calculation of the indicator is: $\text{Forest area (reference year)} / \text{Land area (2016)} * 100$.

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