

## **PROJECT INFORMATION**

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## **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

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Within one of our tasks with the EEA of IP2014, we are developing baseline maps on the condition of Pan-European ecosystems. We have drawn so far an overall approach on the assessment of all ecosystem types at the level biodiversity where we used the habitat Directive data, in addition to the European species assessments of IUCN and the global birds assessment. At the ecosystem level, we are developing approaches that are ecosystem specific and we are using the sources of information of the synthesis table we have developed for the MAES 2nd report.

In relation to forest ecosystems, we are focusing on assessing the physical (connectivity) and biological condition of forests (forest biomass, growing stock, naturalness, healthy, pest).