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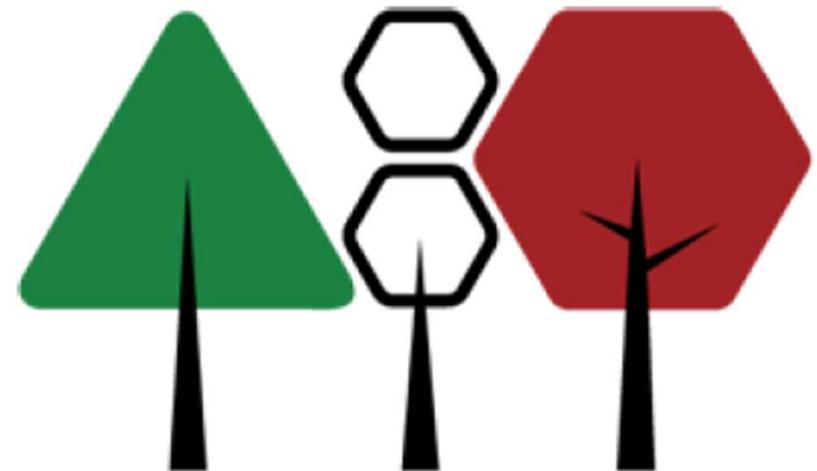
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The National forest strategy aims to recognize forests as a vital part of the natural capital, ensuring their conservation and sustainable management to support the well-being of present and future generations, while promoting biodiversity, climate resilience, and socio-economic development in rural areas.

National Forest Strategy



In implementation of Art. 6(1),
Of Legislative Decree No. 34 of April 3, 2018.

Instrumental St.5.1 - Establishment of a National Wood Cluster

The strategic action for the "**Establishment of a National Wood Cluster**" aims to promote networking initiatives between the forestry sector and the primary and secondary wood processing industries. The main objectives include:

- **Encouraging supply chain policies,**
- **Supporting technological innovation,**
- **Increasing transparency in the domestic market,**
- **Promoting the value of local territories and the production system,**
- **Creating synergies in technological innovation processes and internationalization.**



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"Today we are achieving a goal that we believe is fundamental, that of creating a wood cluster in Italy that brings together the best energies from the world of research, production, and that can guarantee on the one hand environmental sustainability, with the growth of a healthy forestry system, and on the other hand a productive sustainability that makes it attractive to invest in wood, together with all the elements of the supply chain and the companies connected to them."

Minister Hon. Lollobrigida.

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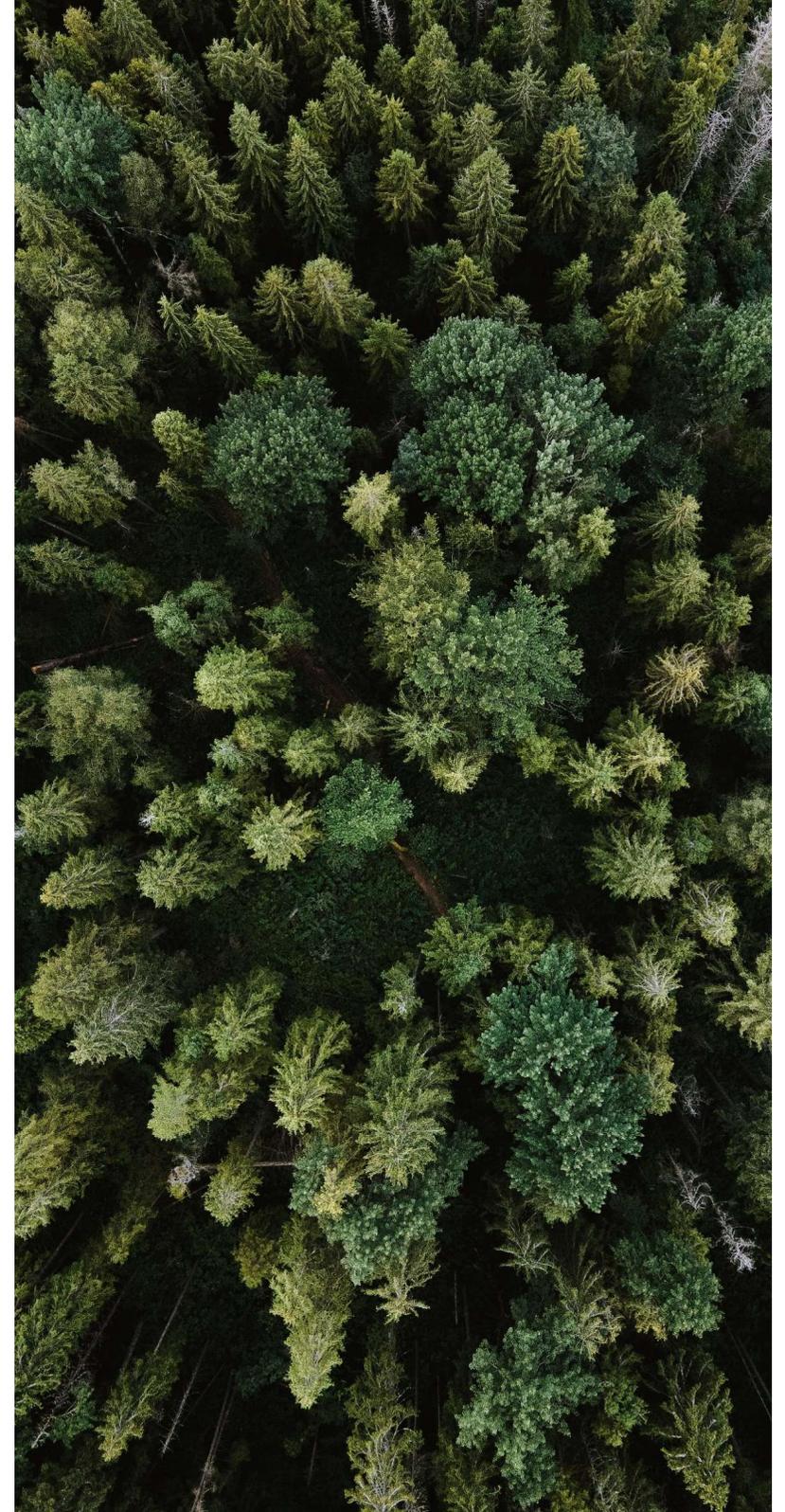
What is a Cluster?

It is a group of organizations, private or public, operating in a specific geographic area working together to produce products or provide services in a for the development of a specific sector.



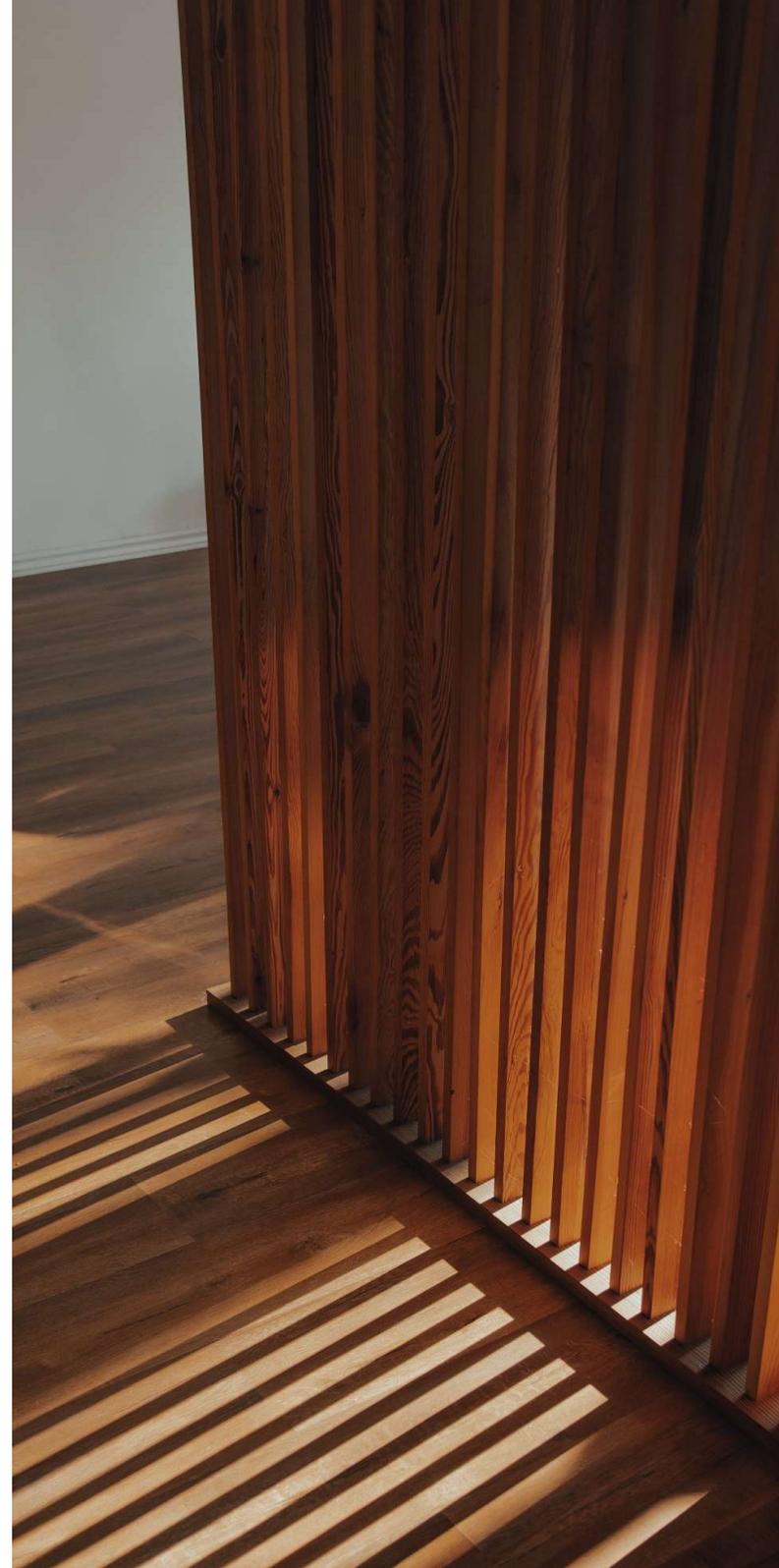
What is the Forest Wood Cluster?

It is the set of Italian organizations, public or private, called to work together to strengthen the Italian wood forest supply chains, ensuring sustainable development of our country and strengthening it on the international scene.



OBJECTIVES OF THE NATIONAL CLUSTER

1. Fostering dialogue among system actors national forestry.
2. Support members in innovation projects.
3. Support the government in initiatives and activities involving the forest sector and woodworking.
4. Creating networks in Europe and around the world
5. Promoting forest management



HOW DOES THE NATIONAL GROUP WORK?

National Committee of
National Supply Chains



Executive Council

University Committee
and Research

Committee for Territorial
Development

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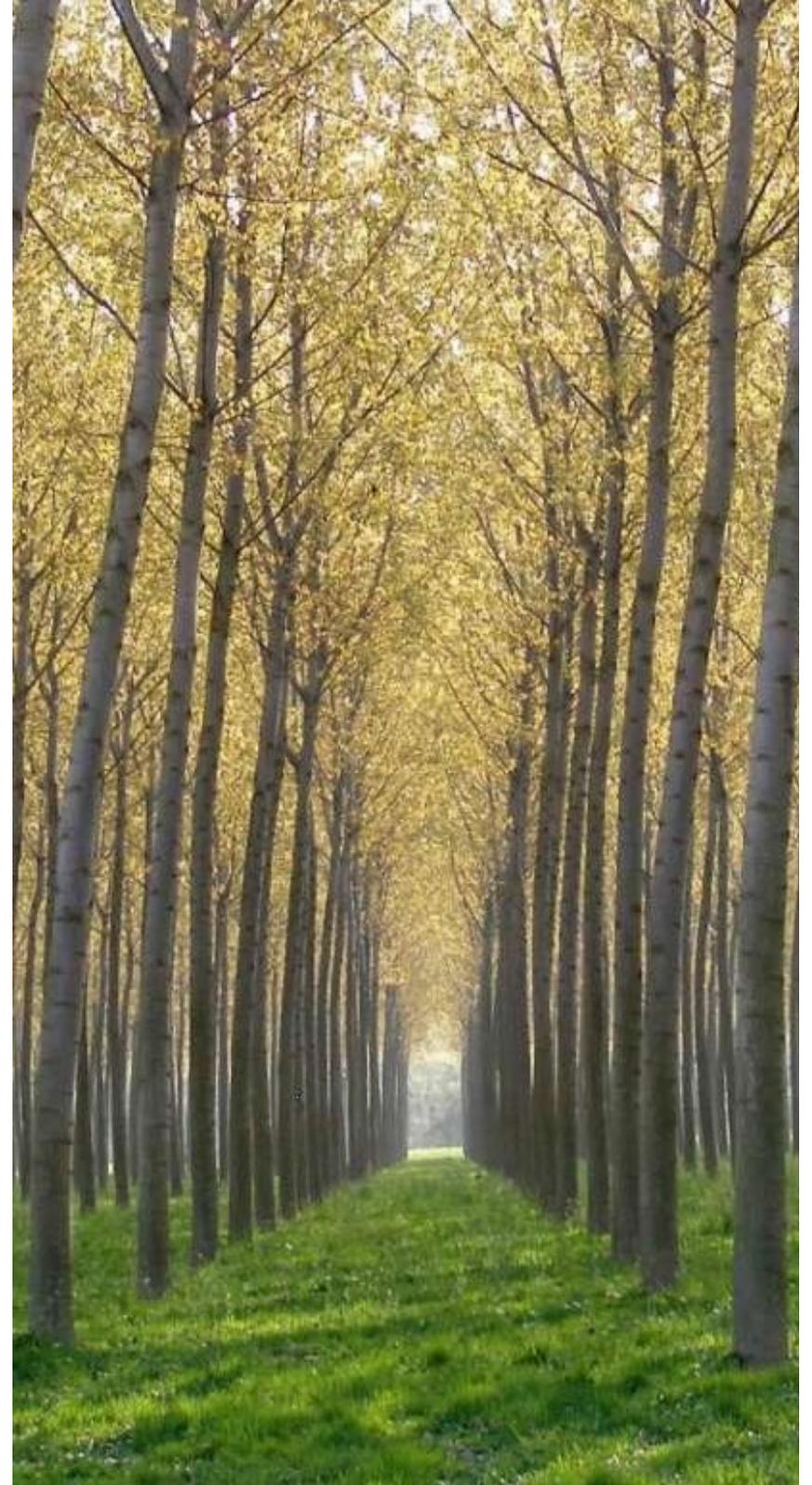


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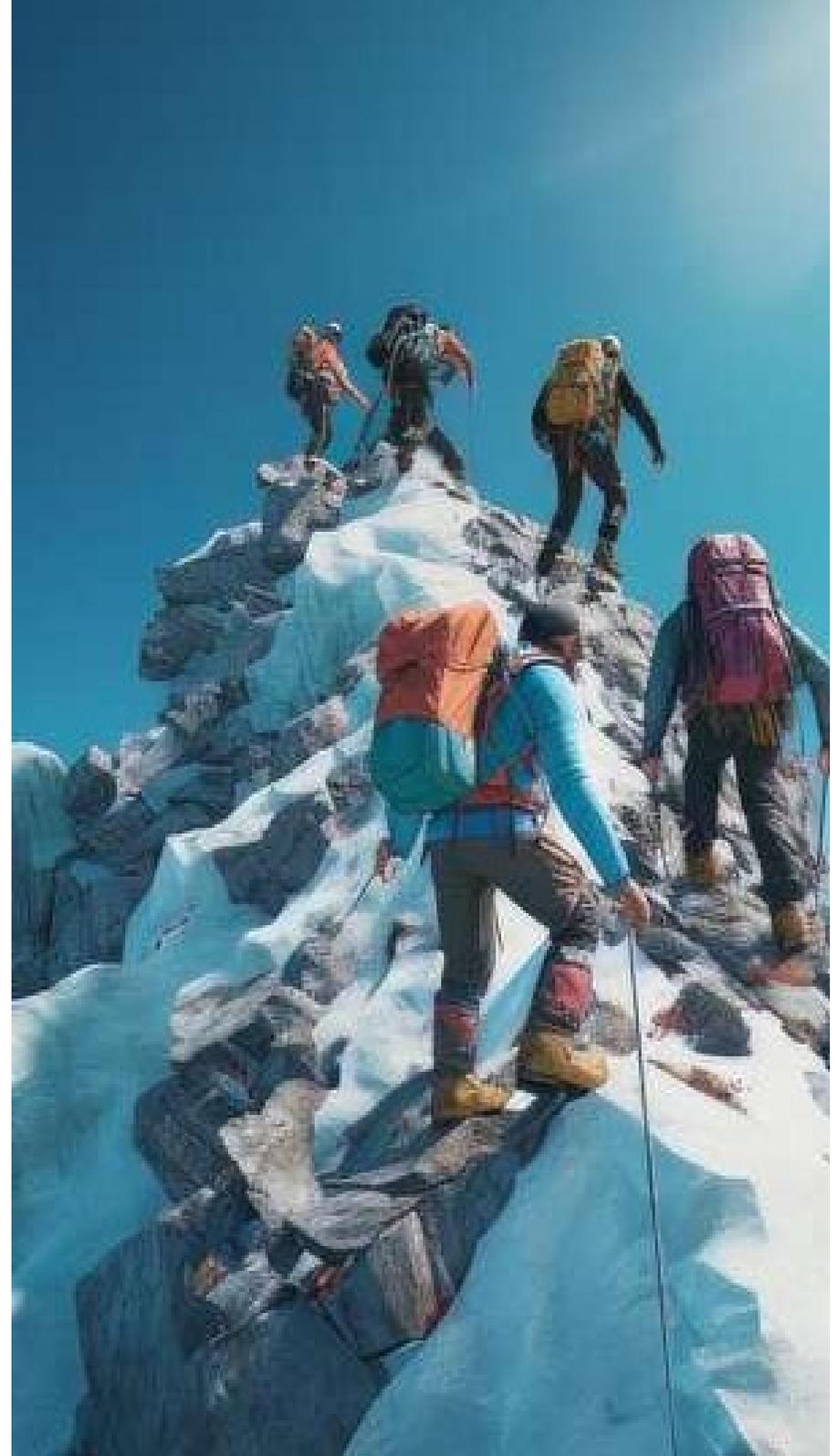
WHAT IS THE CURRENT FOCUS OF THE NATIONAL CLUSTER ?

1. Sharing development strategies for the sector with the Ministry and implementing coordinated initiatives to directly support the entire system.
2. Participation in innovation projects with universities or research centers, creating a link with companies and territories
3. Mapping the problems common to different committees to identify the best solutions.
4. About the bioeconomy and how to develop it.
5. Develop international relations of the Italian forestry sector for the strengthening of the national system.



Being part of the National Cluster is an important and complex adventure because there is so much diversity and so many challenges...

...But the goal we will be able to achieve together will be incredibly greater than what we could ever achieve alone.



Thank you all

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