



**Joint UNECE Timber Committee and FAO European Forestry Commission  
Market Discussions, 21-22 October 2008**

**Theme: Green building impacts on the forest sector**

**21 October 2008, Tuesday, EFW's daily theme: Forests and climate change**

- 14.30 Opening of the annual Market Discussions**  
Mr. J. Dengg, Chairman TC  
Mr. A. Chaudron, Chairman EFC
- 14:45 Introduction to Market Discussions**  
Dr. Ed Pepke, UNECE/FAO Timber Section
- 15.00 Forest products market and policy developments**  
Dr. Helmut Resch, BOKU
- 15.30 Green building influence on the forest sector**  
Mr. Carl-Eric Guertin, QWEB
- 15.50 Discussion**
- 16.10 Certification and certified forest products markets**  
Dr. Ruth Nussbaum, ProForest
- 16.30 Wood raw material markets & forecasts**  
to be announced
- 16.50 Discussion**
- 17.30 Close of day's discussions**
- 18.00 Reception**

**22 October 2008, Wednesday, EFW's daily theme: Forests and energy**

- 14.30 Wood energy markets & policies, and impacts on the forest sector**  
Dr. Bengt Hillring and Mr. Olle Olsson  
Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences
- 14.50 Discussion**
- 15.10 Sawn softwood markets & forecasts**  
Mr. Russ Taylor, Wood Markets Inc.  
Mr. Thorsten Leicht, Pöyry Forest Industries Consulting
- 15.30 Sawn hardwood markets & forecasts**  
Mr. Florian Borlea, Romsilva  
Mr. Constantin Tobescu, Fordaq Timber Network
- 15.50 Discussion**
- 16.10 Panels markets & forecasts**  
Dr. Ivan Eastin, Cintrafor
- 16.30 Paper & pulp markets & forecasts**  
Dr. Peter Ince, USDA Forest Service
- 16.50 Value-added wood products markets**  
Dr. Urs Buehlmann, Virginia Tech
- 17.10 Discussion**
- 17.25 Summary and close of Market Discussions**  
Mr. J. Dengg, Chairman TC,  
Mr. A. Chaudron, Chairman EFC
- 17.30 Close of day's discussions**

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