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Notes

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Tartalom:

1 Forests cover a large part of Europe and fulfil multiple functions for society, providing economic, social and environmental benefits, including serving as a key reservoir of biodiversity

2 Old growth natural and semi-natural forests are the most valuable forest type in terms of storing biodiversity (including genetic variety) and carbon

3 Unsustainable forest management, fragmentation, airborne pollution and

climate change are major threats to Europe's forest biodiversity

Unsustainable forest management

Fragmentation

Air pollution

Climate change

4 Interacting pressures on forest ecosystems are threatening species and habitats of European interest

5 European countries have taken measures to protect and restore forest

biodiversity in Europe

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