2023 Key Performance Indicator Highlights

WBCSD’s Forest Solutions Group (FSG) is the global platform where leading business in the forest products sector build and share solutions to sustainable development. FSG’s mission is to grow an inclusive circular bioeconomy that is rooted in thriving working forests. As a sign of shared commitment, members of FSG adhere to Membership Principles & Responsibilities, and report annually on a set of Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) to track progress on the commitments made in the Forest Sector SDG Roadmap.

This infographic shows a subset of FSG’s 2023 KPI results, based on 2022 data.

**COMMUNITIES**
- 92% of supplier code of conduct had a provision on minimum wage
- A total of USD $71 million was invested in communities

**WORKING FORESTS**
- Of the 20 million hectares of working forests managed, 98% were certified for sustainable forest management, and 24% were set aside for conservation and restoration purposes

**PROCUREMENT**
- 95% of wood fiber intake was either certified or covered by due diligence and traceability systems

**PEOPLE**
- 65% of FSG members reported having a numerical, time-bound target on increasing inclusion and diversity
- Women made up 26% of the workforce and 27% of senior management

**WATER**
- 80% of manufacturing operations in water stressed regions had water consumption reduction plans
- 92% of used water was treated and returned to water sources

**CLIMATE**
- 88% of members had time-bound and verified CO2 reduction targets
- 64% of total energy used came from renewable sources

**BIOECONOMY**
- A total of USD $691 million was invested in R&D to bring to market innovative wood fiber products that substitute for less sustainable alternatives

**CIRCULARITY**
- 73% of process residuals and waste was reused as raw material input or feedstock for other industries