

# 3 Spatial Distribution of Biomass and Woody Litter for 4 Bio-Energy in Biscay (Spain)

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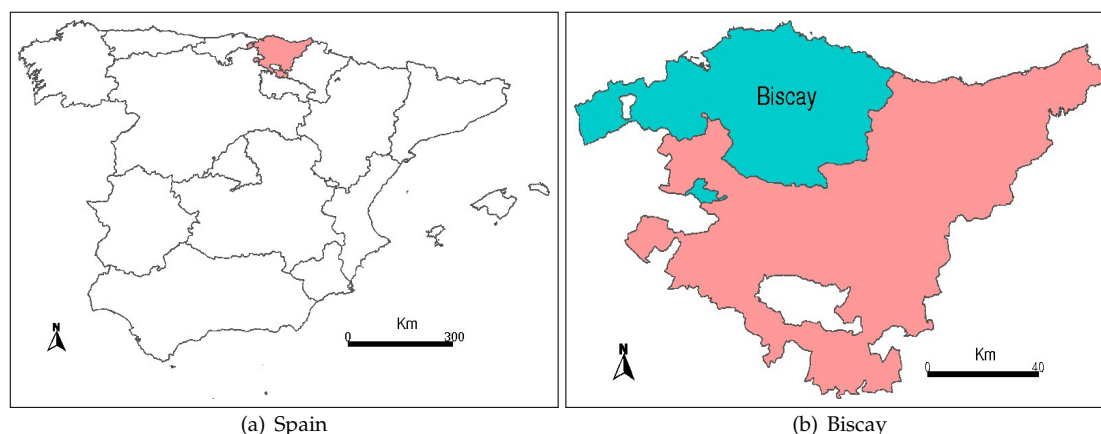
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## 13 1. Supplementary Material



**Figure S1.** The target study area: province of Biscay (Spain)

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**Table S1.** Equations of forest biomass fractions ( $W_i$ ) expressed in kg (oven-dry-weight,  $(102 \pm 2^\circ \text{C}$ , 24h)), coefficient of determination ( $R^2$ ), and standard error of estimate (SEE).

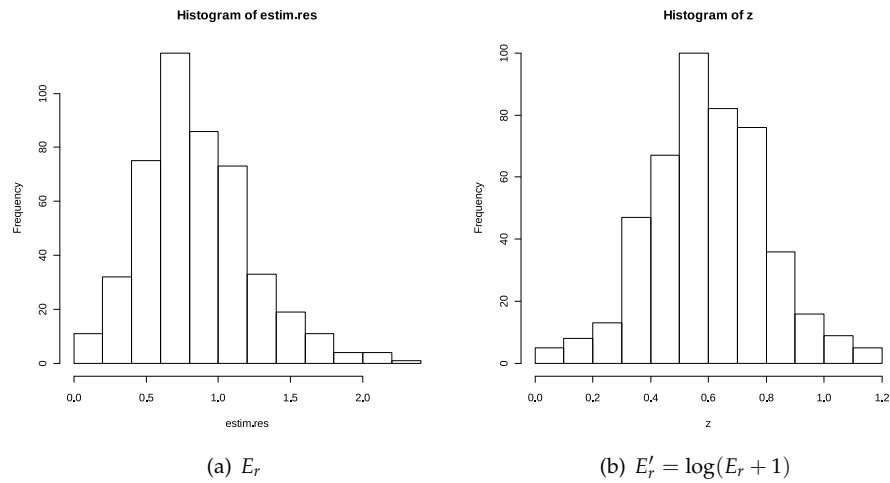
	Species	Equations	$R^2$	SEE
$W_{ab}^*$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.19327)^2}{2}} e^{-2.61093 D^{2.48739}}$	0.977	0.193270
	<i>E. globulus</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.15785)^2}{2}} e^{-1.33002 D^{2.19404}}$	0.980	0.157850
$W_w^+$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.2000075)^2}{2}} e^{-3.02878 D^{2.56358}}$	0.976	0.200075
$W_{b7}^\ddagger$		$e^{\frac{(0.52533)^2}{2}} e^{-10.5693 D^{3.64861}}$	0.710	0.525330
$W_w + W_{b7}$	<i>E. globulus</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.196830)^2}{2}} e^{-2.20421 D^{2.38196}}$	0.974	0.196830
$W_{b2-7}^\S$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.615400)^2}{2}} e^{-4.12515 D^{2.1173}}$	0.746	0.615400
	<i>E. globulus</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.442402)^2}{2}} e^{-2.67562 D^{2.19404}}$	0.822	0.442402
$W_{b2}$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.616072)^2}{2}} e^{-3.53532 D^{1.75877}}$	0.669	0.616072
	<i>E. globulus</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.333087)^2}{2}} e^{-2.64825 D^{1.61429}}$	0.858	0.333087
$W_l^\$$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.333087)^2}{2}} e^{-5.03445 D^{2.05803}}$	0.739	0.609518
	<i>E. globulus</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.333319)^2}{2}} e^{-2.05864 D^{1.61762}}$	0.859	0.333319
$W_r^\parallel$	<i>P. radiata</i>	$e^{\frac{(0.309544)^2}{2}} e^{-2.78485 D^{2.14449}}$	0.939	0.309544

\*  $W_{ab}$  = aboveground biomass;  $^+ W_w$  = stem wood biomass;  $^\ddagger W_{b7}$  = wood and bark biomass on branches with 7 cm minimum top diameter;  $^\S W_{b2-7}$  = wood and bark biomass on branches with 7 cm maximum butt diameter and 2 cm minimum top diameter;  $^\$ W_l$  = leaf biomass;  $^\parallel W_r$  = root biomass;  $D$  = DBH (cm).

**Table S2.** Expansion factors (EFs) in plots from NFI4

	S* plot (m <sup>2</sup> )	EF
$7.5 \leq D^+ < 12.5$	78.54	127.324
$12.5 \leq D < 22.5$	314.16	31.831
$22.5 \leq D < 42.5$	706.86	14.147
$D \geq 42.5$	1963.50	5.093

\* S = surface;  $^+ D$  = DBH (cm).



**Figure S2.** Histograms of the values of  $E_r$

**Table S3.** Normality test ( $p$  values) of the values of  $E_r$

	Anderson-Darling	Cramer-von Mises	Lilliefors Kolmogorov-Smirnov	Pearson's $\chi^2$	Shapiro-Francia	SD*
Stratum 1 $E_r$	$2.635 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.416 \times 10^{-6}$	$5.467 \times 10^{-5}$	0.0001846	$1.055 \times 10^{-7}$	0.208
Stratum 1 $E'_r = \log(E_r + 1)$	0.3213	0.2942	0.1919	0.1755	0.4482	0.379
Stratum 2 $E_r$	0.04942	0.1153	0.2351	0.06318	0.02919	0.275
Stratum 3 $E'_r = \sqrt{E_r}$	0.3743	0.4000	0.2684	0.6194	0.3641	0.216
Stratum 9 $E_r$	0.1953	0.4031	0.476	0.1634	0.09016	0.642
All Strata $E'_r = \log(E_r + 1)$	0.07718	0.3057	0.2273	0.0778	0.006831	0.208

\* Standard deviation