

Special Issue

Sustainability Assessments and Management of Woody Waste

Message from the Guest Editor

Earlier studies in different regions of the world have indicated that there is a significant quantity of woody waste at council refuse centres, mills, forests/plantations areas and central yards that could potentially be used in a sustainable way for developing bioproducts. The quantity and quality of woody waste left on the forestry sites may depend on various parameters such as applied harvesting method, equipment, stand age, product type, silvicultural regime, species, site and stand quality, etc. This special issue of *Forests* welcomes any article submission on the latest research and development trials on the following topics related to woody wastes: sources and causes of woody wastes; quantity and quality assessments of woody wastes; supply chain management of woody waste and optimisation methods; economic assessment of waste recovery; environmental impacts associated with waste recovery; social and entrepreneurial aspects of woody waste management; sustainability assessments of woody waste recovery. We look forward to receiving your innovative reports to extend the knowledge of woody waste management. Dr. Mohammad Raza Ghaffariyan

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