

Preface

The forests of lubuskie voivodship cover nearly half of its area and play an important role in the economy, as well as they are an essential element of environment.

We present you the publication 'Forestry in lubuskie voivodship in 2005-2009' which is a thematic study containing basic data on forest environment.

The data presented in the publication were sourced from the results of statistical surveys, which were completed with the data from institutions that are connected with forest environment.

The data are presented on annual basis in order to illustrate time changes in forest resources management and show the size and results of business activities.

Some data, mainly those on activities in the State Forests, were given only for the year 2009.

In order to emphasize ecological and social functions of forests the publication presents educational forms performed in forests, threats, and forest environment protection. The study also includes some forest curiosities.

The current edition was supplemented by the results of large-inventory of the forests carried out in 2005–2009, characterized by the first comprehensive forest resources throughout the country and by various forms of ownership.

Statistical data by type of activity for the first time published in the Polish Classification of Activities (PKD) 2007, at the same time-making in order to ensure comparability of data – calculations for the previous years.

I would like to express our gratitude to all individuals and institutions for the information given, which contributed to expanding the range of the data presented and increasing the knowledge on forestry.

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