

GHG assessment in agriculture, forestry and other land use

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Platform: Zoom and Mentimeter for questions

Moderator: Roberts Rotbergs, Project Portfolio Manager at Institute for Environmental Solutions

Duration of each presentation: 20 minutes + additional 10 minutes for questions

Time (CET)	Topics	Speakers
8.45–9.00	Registration	
9.00 – 9.10	Opening speech	Inese Suija-Markova, Managing Director at Institute for Environmental Solutions
9.10–9.40	Revision of the Land Use, Land Use Change and Forestry (LULUCF) Regulation: Overview and implications for monitoring	Dr. Rene Colditz, Policy Officer at The Directorate-General for Climate Action (DG CLIMA)
9.40–10.10	National GHG inventories: accounting in forest land, cropland and grassland. Challenges and solutions	Dr. Andis Lazdiņš, Leading Researcher at Latvian State Forest Research Institute "Silava"
10.10–10.20	Break	
10.20–10.50	Assessing GHG in agricultural lands in Latvia	TBA
10.50–11.20	In situ GHG measurements in agricultural lands: advances and challenges	Aigars Lavrinovičs, Researcher at Institute for Environmental Solutions
11.20–11.30	Break	
11.30–12.00	The role of Copernicus satellite data in supporting GHG inventory	TBA
12.00–12.30	Developing Earth observation support for monitoring and reporting of GHG emissions and removals from land use, land-use change and forestry (LULUCF)	Dr. Ali Nadir Arslan, Senior Scientist at Finnish Meteorological Institute
12.30–13.00	Copernicus satellite data use to support GHG monitoring: a Latvian case study	Dr. Dainis Jakovels, Leading Researcher at Institute for Environmental Solutions
13.00–13.10	Concluding remarks	Moderator

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