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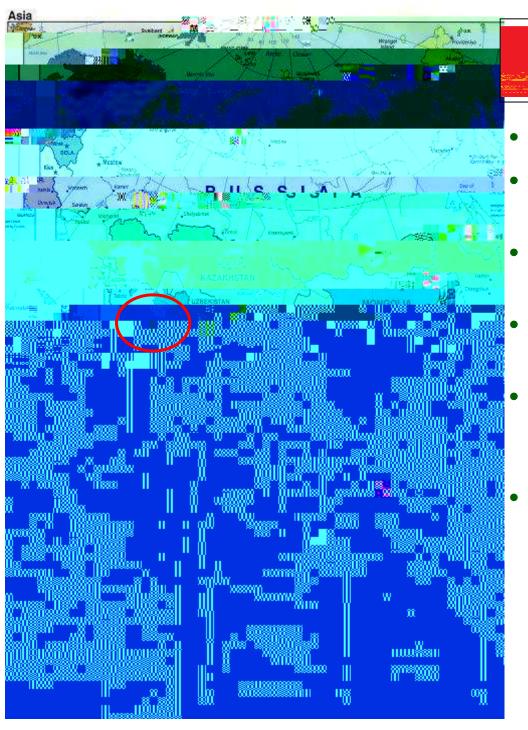
# Financia for Sustainable Forest Manale enting e Kyr yz epublic

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#### **Presentation Outline:**



### The Kyrgyz Republic (Kyrgyzstan)

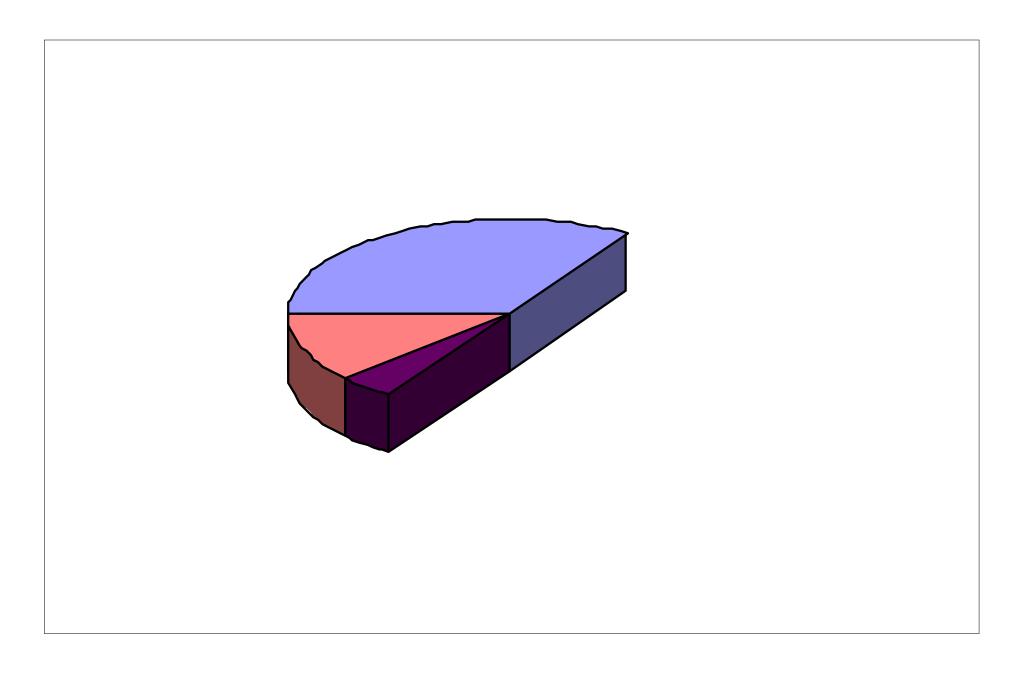


- Total area 199,900 km².
- More than half of Kyrgyzstan lies at an elevation higher than 2,500 m.
- Glaciers and snowfields cover 4% of the national territory.
- Gross hydropower capacity is 15,500 thousand kWs.
- Population is 5,368,000 people of 80 ethnic groups. 65% is rural and 35% urban.
- GDP 4,591.5 million USD.

#### **Forest Resources**

- Forest lands (State Forest Fund; SFF) 3,279.3 thousand ha (16 % of the national territory)
- Forest cover 863.6 thousand ha, (4.32 %)
- Non-forest lands 2,147.7 thousand ha.
  - Forest pastures 1,130.5 thousand ha
  - Arable lands 9 thousand ha of arable lands
  - Hayfields 14.8 thousand ha
  - Orchards and gardens 1.2 thousand ha
  - Farmstead 4.5 thousand ha
  - Another part of these non-forest lands includes
    3.2 thousand ha of bogs and marshes, 2.4

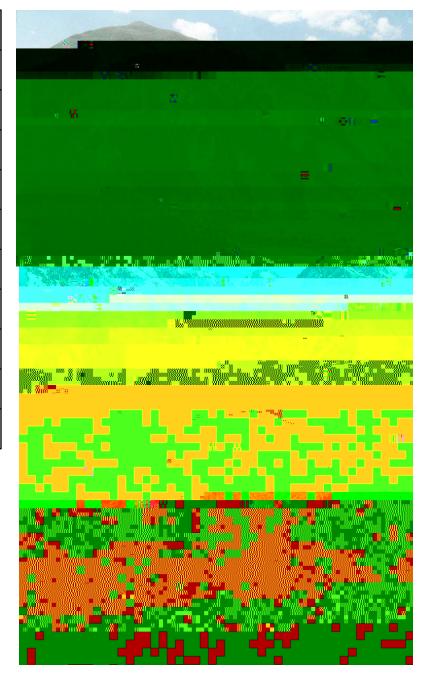
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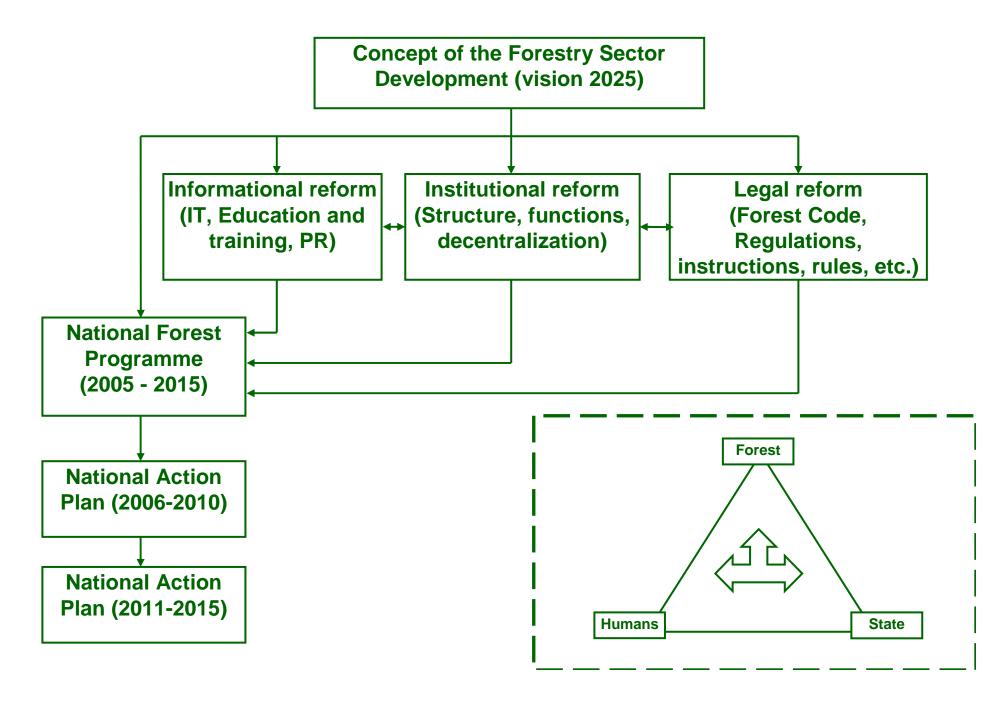
#### **Forest Resources**

Species	1000 m <sup>3</sup>	% of the stock
Spruce	15 333	53.2
Pine	335	1.2
Walnut	2 817	9.8
Birch	344	1.2
Maple	1 218	4.2
Elm	276	1
Poplar	772	2.7
Fruit	600	2.1
Other	7 145	24.8
Total	28 840	100

Wood stock annual growth – 644,000 m<sup>3</sup>



#### **National Forest Policy**



#### Special means: self generated funds

"special means": (a) timber sales, (b) collect harvesting residues, (c) leasing forest plots (pastures, recreation), (d) permits to collect NTFPs, (e) penalties on illegal activities. This source funds all expenses: reforestation, nurseries, additional labour required, communal services, transport costs

				2004		2006	2007	2008	2009
Income, thousand USD	734	827	757	1 019	1 237	1 434	1 668	1 716	1 601
Expenses, thousand USD	424	603	848	952	1 043	1 320	1 732	1 659	1 717
Balance, thousand USD	234	234	-91	67	194	114	-64	57	-116
Exchange rate	47.72	48.45	46.94	42.67	41.01	40.16	37.31	36.57	42.89

## Republic Environment Protection and Forestry Development Fund

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Funding of nature protection activities	10 867.70	19 525.60	36 204.60	47 941.20	69 290.70
Total expenditures (thousand KGS)	24 774.70	36 211.70	57 362.70	65 830.80	87 214.00
Total expenditures, thousand USD	604.11	901.68	1 536.46	1 800.13	2 033.43

