



DEFORESTATION FROM AN INTERNATIONAL LEGAL PERSPECTIVE

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DEFORESTATION

1980s –199s

Environmental Degradation

Climate change/Transborder
Pollution

Technology Advancement

Trade and Developing Countries

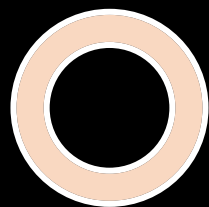




Mapping the of International Forest
Governance and Policy

1. MULTILATERAL
LEGALLY BINDING

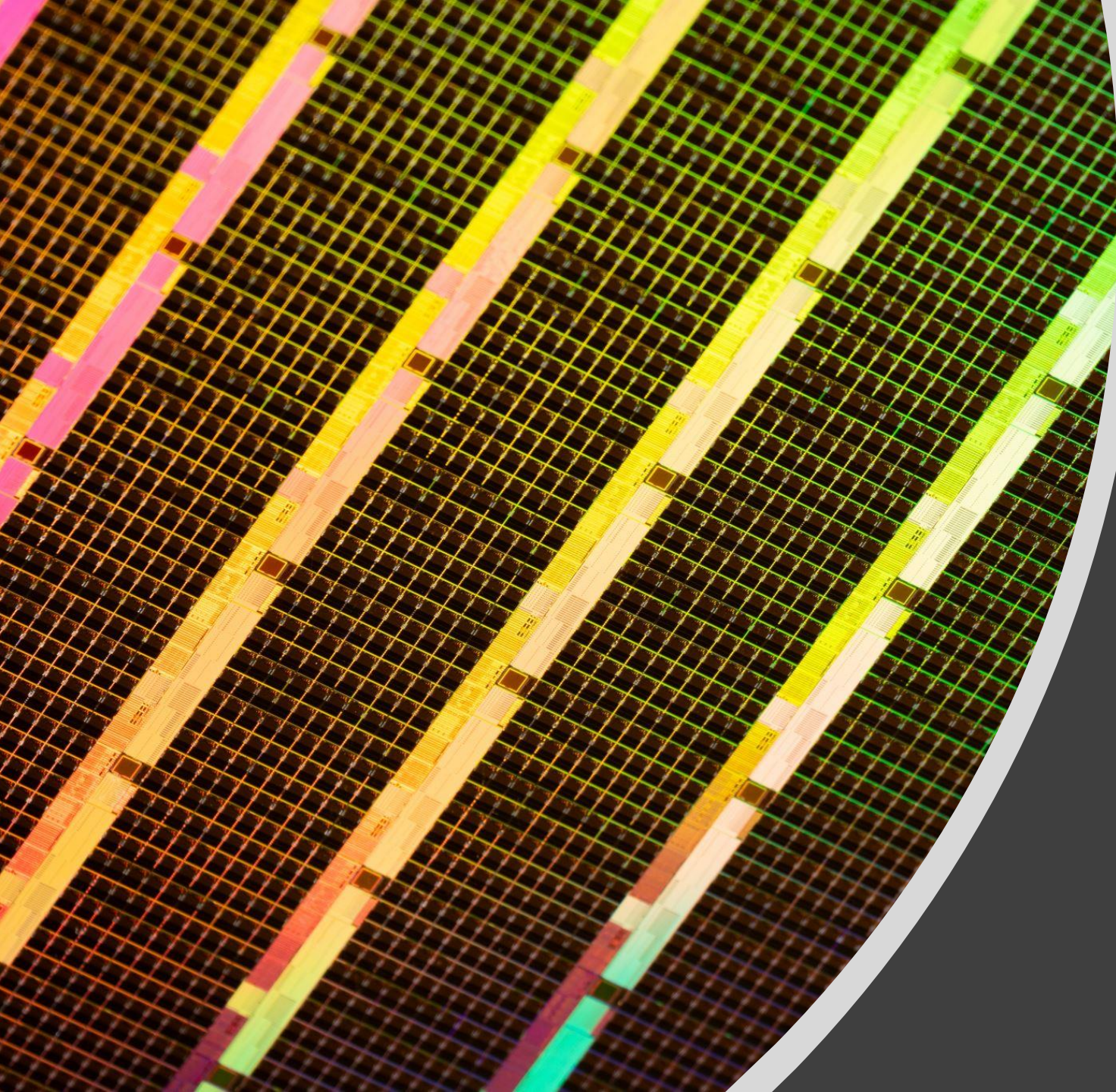
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MULTILATERAL LEGALLY BINDING

- 1. GLOBAL FOREST CONVENTION
- 2. TROPICAL TIMBER AGREEMENT
- 3. UN CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY
- 4. UN FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE





MULTILATERAL NON LEGALLY BINDING

1. INTERNATIONAL ARRANGEMENTS
ON FOREST

- (i) Reverse the loss of forest cover worldwide through SFM, including protection, restoration, afforestation, and reforestation, and increase efforts to prevent forest degradation and contribute to the global effort of addressing climate change;
- (ii) enhance forest-based economic, social, and environmental benefits, including by improving the livelihoods of forest-dependent people;
- (iii) significantly increase the area of protected forests worldwide and other areas of sustainably managed forests, as well as the proportion of forest products from sustainably managed forests;

- (iv) mobilize significantly increased, new, and additional financial resources from all sources for the implementation of SFM and strengthen scientific and technical cooperation and partnerships;
- (v) promote governance frameworks to implement sustainable forest management, including through the UNFI, and enhance the contribution of forests to the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development;
and
- (vi) enhance cooperation, coordination, coherence, and synergies on forest-related issues at all levels, including within the UN system and across member organizations of the Collaborative Partnership on Forests, as well as across sectors and relevant stakeholders

ISSUES

1. DEVELOPED VS DEVELOPING COUNTRIES
2. ETHICS, LAW AND RIGHTS TO EXPLOIT
3. TRADE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
4. CONSENSUS INTERNATIONAL LEGAL REGIME
5. ENFORCEMENT BODY