

## Caribbean

|  | Units                | 1970  | 1975  | 1980  | 1985  | 1990  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001 | 2002 |
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| <b>FORESTS</b>                                 |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |
| <b>State and use of forests</b>                |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |
| Forest area, total <sup>1</sup>                | 1 000 ha             |       |       |       |       | 5 567 |       |       |       |       |       | 5 698 |      |      |
| Plantations <sup>2</sup>                       | 1 000 ha             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | 566   |      |      |
| Natural forests <sup>2</sup>                   | 1 000 ha             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | 4 256 |      |      |
| Annual average change in forest area 1990-2000 | %                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | 0.2   |      |      |
| <b>Fires</b>                                   |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |
| Total number of forest fires                   | No.                  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |
| <b>Forest production</b>                       |                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |      |      |
| Total roundwood production                     | 1 000 m <sup>3</sup> | 4 809 | 4 860 | 5 994 | 6 339 | 6 917 | 7 149 | 7 261 | 7 327 | 7 190 | 5 324 | 7 072 |      |      |
| Industrial roundwood production                | 1 000 m <sup>3</sup> | 1 204 | 899   | 982   | 1 042 | 1 227 | 1 375 | 1 319 | 1 333 | 1 198 | 992   | 1 038 |      |      |
| Wood fuel and charcoal production              | 1 000 m <sup>3</sup> | 3 604 | 3 961 | 5 013 | 5 297 | 5 689 | 5 773 | 5 942 | 5 994 | 5 992 | 4 332 | 6 034 |      |      |
| Production of sawed wood                       | 1 000 m <sup>3</sup> | 211   | 192   | 187   | 170   | 240   | 274   | 240   | 250   | 241   | 241   | 266   |      |      |
| Production of wood panels                      | 1 000 m <sup>3</sup> | 14    | 14    | 10    | 127   | 149   | 149   | 149   | 149   | 149   | 149   | 149   |      |      |
| Paper and paperboard production                | 1 000 tn             | 88    | 132   | 92    | 157   | 136   | 64    | 78    | 78    | 187   | 187   | 187   |      |      |