

## **Dissemination Plan**

Stakeholder list:

Forest Service / DAFM	State sector responsible for drafting and implementing legislation in the forestry and environment area.
Research institutions	Universities and other organisations/institutes which carry out research in the forestry, energy, and environment areas. The project already includes members from a large proportion of such organisations. Communication with this group will largely be through published scientific and technical papers, as well as conferences.
Coillte	The semi-state forestry company in Ireland. Coillte is a commercial company operating in forestry, land based businesses, renewable energy and panel products. The Company is participating in the project as external assistance to UCD.
ITGA	Irish Timber Growers Association supports the development and expansion of the private sector forestry in Ireland. It is now the recognised national representative body of private woodland owners in Ireland. The Association is particularly concerned that private plantations achieve their maximum potential by the implementation of good forest management practises throughout their rotation.
IFA	Irish Farmers' Association represents the interests of its 87,000 members.
SIF	Society of Irish Foresters represents the interests of over 700 members, predominantly professional foresters, but including, through its associate and student membership, a wide cross-section of people involved, or with an interest in, the forest and timber industry. The aim of the SIF is to 'advance and spread the knowledge of forestry in all its aspects'.
AIFC	Association of Irish Forestry Consultants, represents the forest consultancy profession in Ireland with a membership that has a nationwide presence and a client-base of over 1,500 forest owners.
NPWS	National Parks and Wildlife Service is part of the Department of the Environment Heritage and Local Government and is charged with the conservation of a range of habitats and species in Ireland.
NGOs	Will be sourced and contacted with customised dissemination material when the opportunity presents.