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Welcome to the June 2025 edition of the Life Terra Newsletter.

Promote restoration efforts across Europe by [adopting our planted trees](#): start taking climate action!

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Life Terra: 5 years later

Five years on, Life Terra has planted and registered millions of trees across Europe, restoring nature and enhancing biodiversity with hundreds of species. This is a short summary of everything we have achieved so far, but our mission continues.

We will continue to empower citizens to take climate action, inspire students and develop reforestation and carbon removal and biodiversity credits projects. Let's keep planting!

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Recent Project Activities

Monitor Meeting

On June 17 and 18, the partners of the Life Terra project, together with the project officers from the European Commission, gathered in Engelskirchen, Germany. The monitor meeting was an occasion to recap and review the results of the 5 year-project together, and for all parties involved to draw conclusions about the achievements and the impact of the work completed during this period. We also took the opportunity to monitor some plots from the surroundings.



Life Terra's Conference in Brussels

On June 19, the conference of the Life Terra project took place in Brussels. Representatives from the European Commission, along with members of various environmental organisations, joined the event for a series of panel discussions on topics such as scaling reforestation in Europe, the importance of carbon removal and biodiversity credits projects and the role of community involvement in tree planting.

The conference also served as a platform to offer valuable networking opportunities for stakeholders and attendees.



Don't miss: Euractiv Infographic

In their most recent infographic, the project partner Euractiv takes a look at non-wood forest products as a biodiversity-friendly alternative in the sustainable use of forests, in hopes of combating deforestation.

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A recent visit to the Hagenvoorde planting site showed promising progress. Most trees are thriving, and signs of active maintenance, including pruning, were clearly visible!

Despite challenging conditions like drought, the site is holding up well. Even more encouraging: we spotted natural regeneration beginning to take root, pointing to a healthy trajectory for the ecosystem.
A resilient site with strong potential for long-term impact. 🌿

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Recently we visited this large and diverse site that was hit hard by the weather. The result: only 30% of trees are currently surviving. Why is still a success?

Species like chestnut, almond, and walnut were hit the hardest, likely due to strong winds, heavy rains. But despite this and the lack of maintenance we also saw something promising: early signs of natural regeneration emerging across the area.

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🌱 Monitoring update from Nijmegen, NL NL

Our recent visit to the Cavaljéweg planting site brought encouraging news: the young forest is thriving! 🍌

🌿 Most saplings are showing strong growth, maintenance is on point. No major issues detected, and all species seem to be doing equally well — a great sign for the ecosystem's long-term resilience. 🌍 ✨

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