

 Early Warning System

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DASOS FUND II CO-INVESTMENT FORESTRY IRELAND



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Ireland
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	European Investment Bank (EIB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Voting Date</b>	2017-07-14
<b>Borrower</b>	DASOS CAPITAL OY
<b>Sectors</b>	Agriculture and Forestry
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 32.68 million
<b>Loan Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 32.68 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 229.36 million



## Project Description

According to EIB website, this project is a co-investment with Dasos Timberland Fund II to improve Irish forest assets (reforestation and new plantations) and improve forest management. It aggregates a portfolio of up to 12 000 ha of forestry assets in the Republic of Ireland. By consolidating fragmented forestry assets, the co-investment will allow the creation of one larger portfolio under the same management, thus benefiting from improved forest operations, economies of scale and synergies – all important value creation drivers in the Irish forestry sector. The co-investment will include investments in:

- i) improving forest management
- ii) reforestation (i.e. after harvesting operations)
- iii) new plantations

The decision of the Competent Authority whether to require an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) will be assessed, as well as possible impacts on protected flora and fauna.



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### Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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[http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints\\_mechanism\\_policy\\_en.pdf](http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints_mechanism_policy_en.pdf)

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<http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu/atyourservice/interactiveguide.faces>



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## Bank Documents

- [Environmental and Social Data Sheet](#)

## Media

- [Ireland: EIB and ISIF confirm multi-million backing for new investment in Irish forestry](#)