


Economountain

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Context

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- ◆ Forest fires and abandonment
 - ◆ Loss of value and activity risks
 - ◆ Ecosystem services and market value

Stakeholders

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- ◆ Forest owners
 - ◆ Comunal lands managers
 - ◆ Shepherds
 - ◆ Local authorities
 - ◆ EDP Biodiversity Fund

Our solution:



Targeted Grazing with Goats

- **Agility and Flexibility**
(scale, access and weather conditions)
- **Cost Savings**

Up to 50% cost savings in relation to existing methods
- **Environmental benefits**
- **Dinamization and monitorization**
(otherwise unoccupied land)

Results



Main ideas

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- ◆ **Efficient and cost effective fuel management**
 - ◆ **Habitat management**
 - ◆ **Soil recovery**
 - ◆ **Social recognition of ecosystem services value**
 - ◆ **A possible future for “outdated” technologies**