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WG3 Utilization and products

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Article Projects

- AP1 – Unconventional coppice (right of way, road banks, ditches, riparian etc.)
- AP2 – Mechanized chipharvesting methods for willow/poplar SRC in agricultural land
- AP3 – Comparing experiences with same species/products and properties of all coppice species – Quality of wood from coppice and high forest
- AP4 – Traditional products vs. chips in coppice harvesting
- AP5 – Database of traditional coppice harvesting productivity
- AP6 – Impact of chemical soil conditions on SRC biomass fuel properties
- AP7 – Safety and ergonomics in coppice harvesting
- AP8 – Database of short rotation Eucalyptus coppice harvesting productivity
- AP9 – Database of traditional short rotation Eucalyptus coppice conversions to non-coppice regeneration strategies

STSM

- Harvesting of hardwoods with new machines
- Knowledge Transfer in the Chestnut Coppice Industry – A Comparison of the Situation in Southeast England with Regions in Italy
- Human factors in small scale forestry, the ergonomic advantage of using a new equipment for winching

Next year

M6: Factsheet on the utilization and future products

- 1. Compiling typical traditional coppice forest products, assessing their actual market share and market potential for the future;
- 2. Developing ideas and concepts for possible “new” products in the frame work of a bio-economy, green economy;
- 3. Developing concepts to assess the sustainable growth in yield potential using advanced remote sensing technologies for inventory