

InTree....

.....and the Deer

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1783 - 1859

„Forest Science is an observation science“

„Wald vor Wild“

EFI projects

- European Forest Risk Facility
- Integrate Plus
- InTree / Invasives
 - One cross cutting issue across most of Europe

Ungulates

- 28 wildlife management laws in EU for the same species....
- Rising populations
- Effects on silviculture, tree species composition, etc

Sika – Sitka

Case study Ireland

- Sika deer introduced to enrich hunting
- Sitka spruce introduced to establish profitable forestry
- Combination of effects reduce forestry in Ireland to one tree species





Observation

- Douglas Fir
- City of Freiburg / St. Ulrich valley
- Apparent competition?
- is maybe the hunting regime the factor ?









Thank You for your Time!