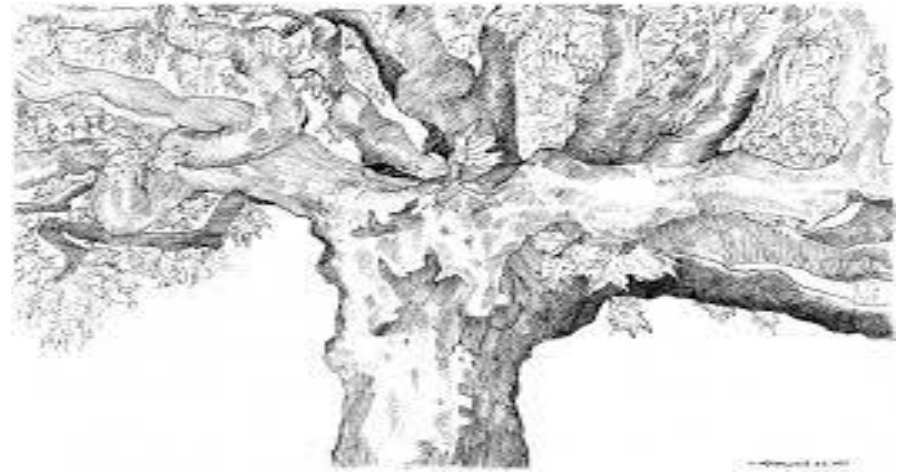


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## PRIVATE FORESTS - activities, opportunities and development opportunities



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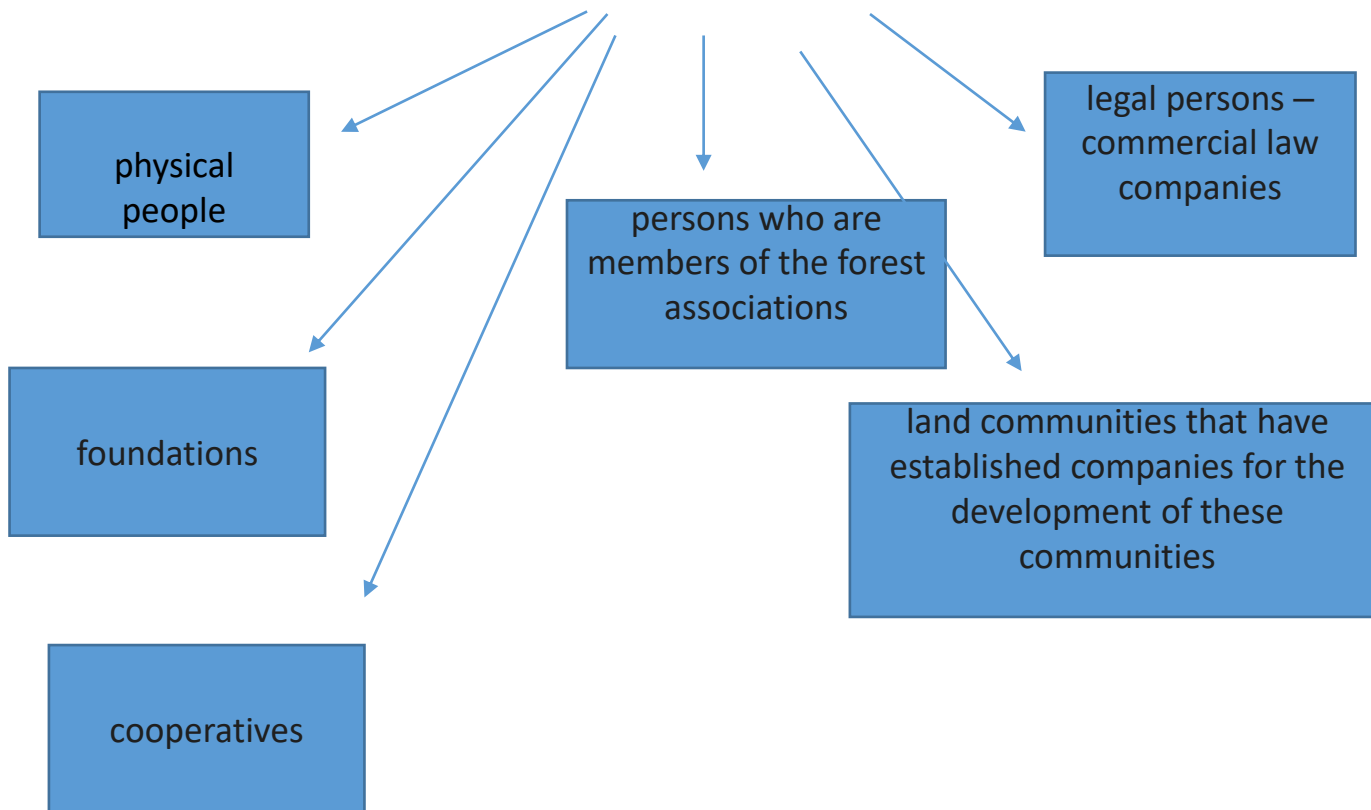
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## PRIVATE FORESTS « NON-STATE FORESTS

- The private forests - as of December 31, 2022, area: 1,783.4 thousand ha (vs. 1785.9 - December 31, 2021)

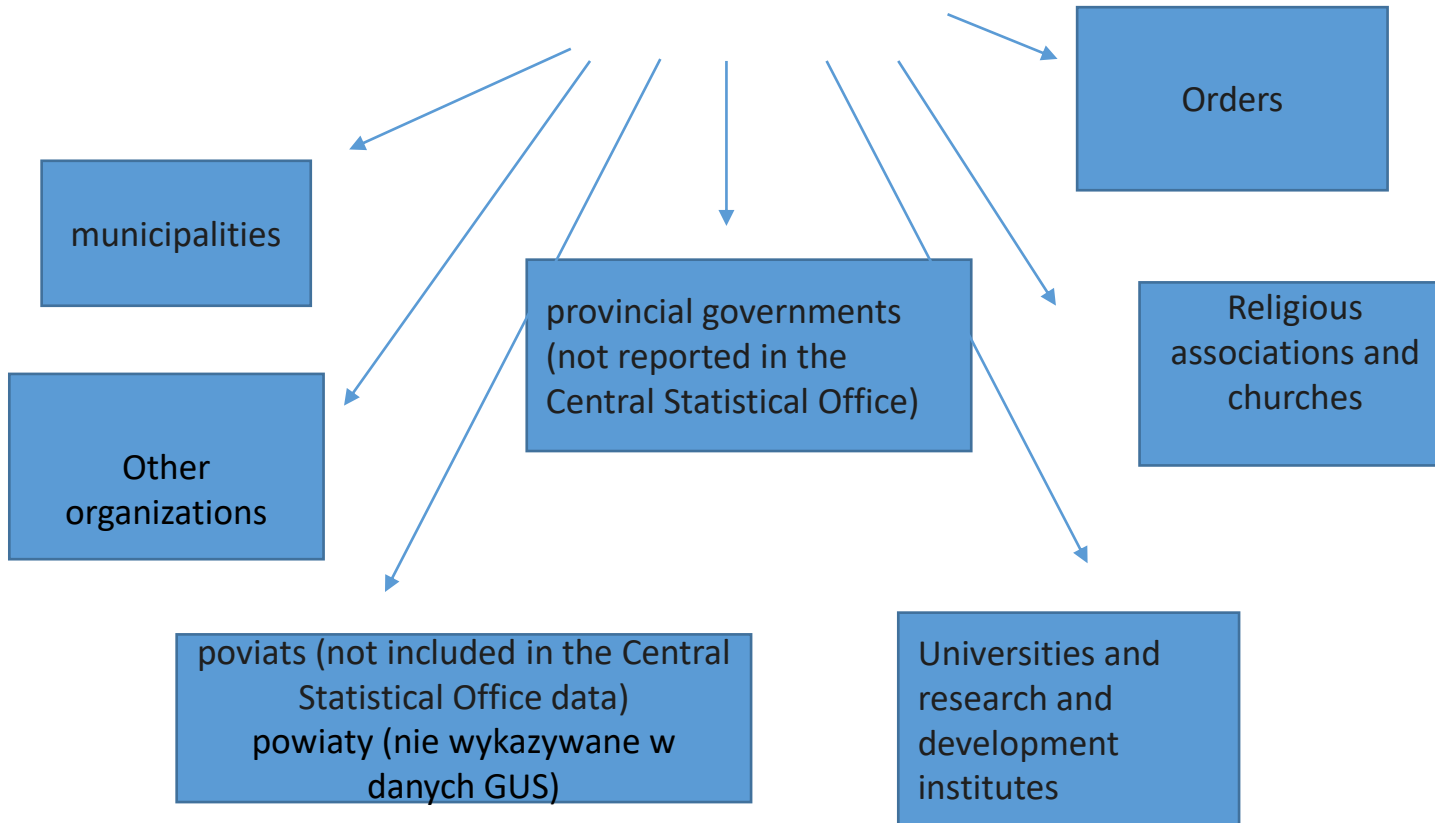
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## Non-state forests

### The owner



## ORGANIZATIONAL FORMS – LEGAL STATUS

- ▶ **Forest associations - Act of April 7, 1989, Law on Associations**
- ▶ **Companies for the development of land communities - Act of June 29, 1963 on the development of land communities**
- ▶ **Regional forest associations – art. 22 of the Act of April 7, 1989, Law on Associations**
- ▶ **Cooperatives - Act of September 16, 1982, Cooperative Law**
- ▶ **Agricultural and forestry chambers - Act of December 14, 1995 on agricultural chambers - no association characteristics**

# The Polish Association of Forest Associations (PZZL) as an organization operating in the field of non-state forestry

The first step to establishing PZZL was an agreement concluded in October 2010

They were the signatories of the agreement :

- Ministry of the Environment
- The General Directorate of the State Forests
- The Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development
- National Council of Agricultural Chambers
- Representatives of associations representing forest owners



# PZZL members, current status

## Regional Associations :

- Pomorskie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych
- Podlaskie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych
- Warmińsko-Mazurskie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych
- Małopolski Związek Spółek Leśnych i Gruntowych

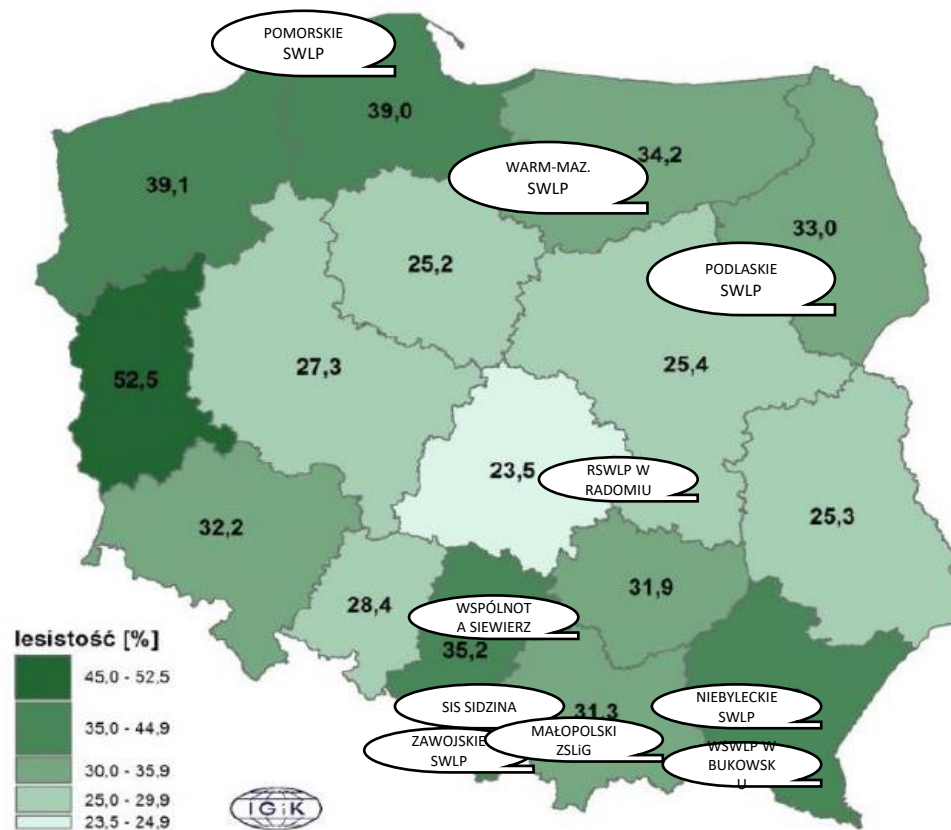
## Founders Association :

- Niebyleckie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych
- Regionalne Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów w Radomiu
- Stowarzyszenie Inicjatywa Społeczna w Sidzinie
- Włociańskie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych
- Zawojkie Stowarzyszenie Właścicieli Lasów Prywatnych

## Local Associations, Land Communities, Founders :

- Wspólnota Leśno-Gruntowa w Siewierzu

## PZZL members, current status:



Ryc. 4. Rzeczywista lesistość wg IGiK dla województw (źródło granic województw: CODGiK).

Źródło: Stanisław Łazowy  
„Lasy prywatne- różnorodności





- ▶ Area structure of private forests (fragmentation) Low level of integration among private forest owners
- ▶ There are no many legal regulations relating to non-public forests in the Forest Act, incl :
  - - no definition of a private forest holding
  - - lack of regulation enabling the use of the "forest fund" in the part regarding financial resources derived from fees for excluding land from forest production
- ▶ Lack of institutional support from forest associations
- ▶ Lack of representation of private forest owners in European structures (CEPF)
- ▶ Lack of vision for the development and functioning of private forestry in Poland - "Status quo" in terms of legislative changes

# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

