



Certification Number : 251-008

Certificate of Support for “Nationally Certified Sustainably Managed Natural Sites” Silva General Incorporated Association (Non-profit Type)

Supported site

Site name: Shonan Village Meguri no Mori
Site location: Yokosuka City, Kanagawa Prefecture
Management authority: Kanagawa Prefectural Government
Activity types: ☒ Maintain ☐ Restoration ☐ Creation

Support content

Number of support : 5

*In the case of multiple support, they are shown on the following pages.

Support①

Support Activities

Restoration of environmental conservation forests through planting using native potential natural vegetation species.

Inputs

Approximately 120 staff members were deployed over the course of the tree-planting festival.

Activities

Holding biannual regular tree-planting and tree-nurturing festivals, and conducting tree-planting festivals and forest workshops for companies and schools.

Date of Support (Period)

Regular Tree-Planting Festival: 10 November 2024, 11 May 2025, with preparatory period immediately preceding
Corporate and School Activities: 7 sessions in total from November 2024 to June 2025

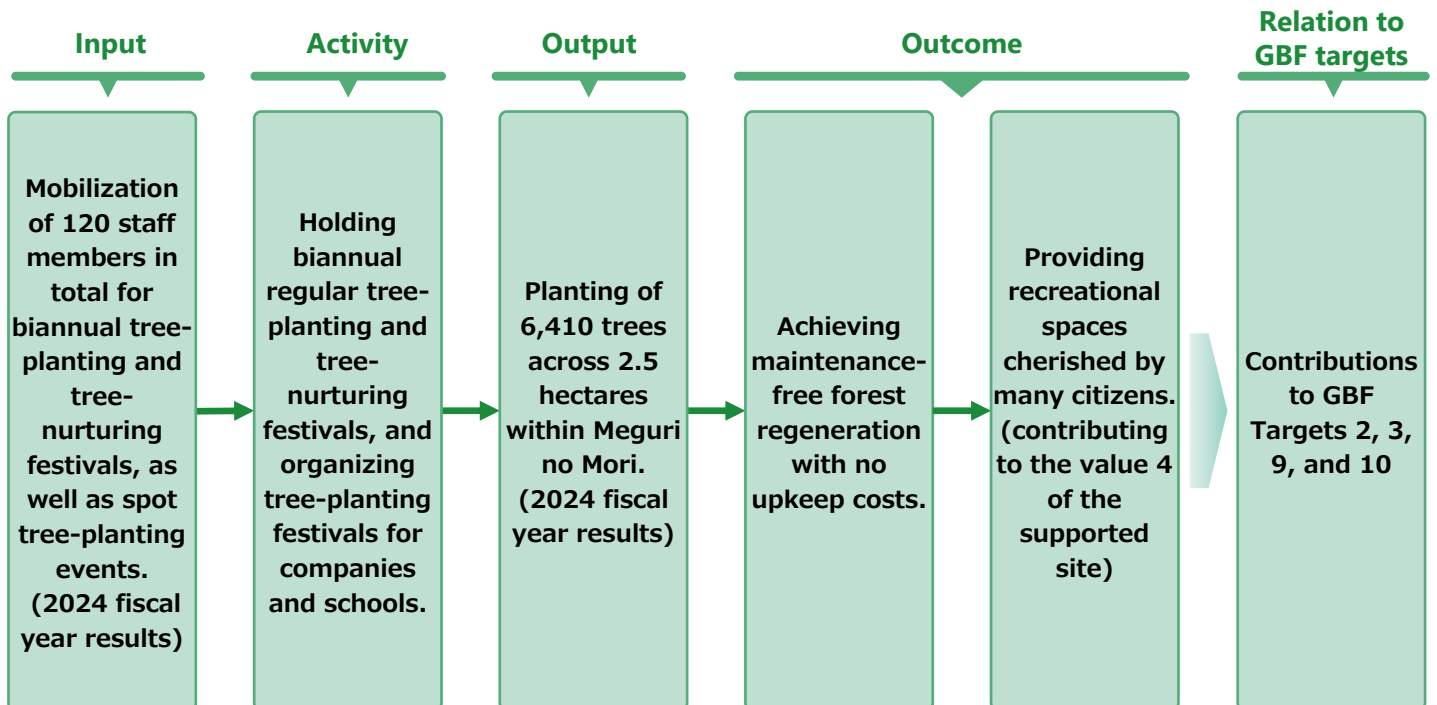




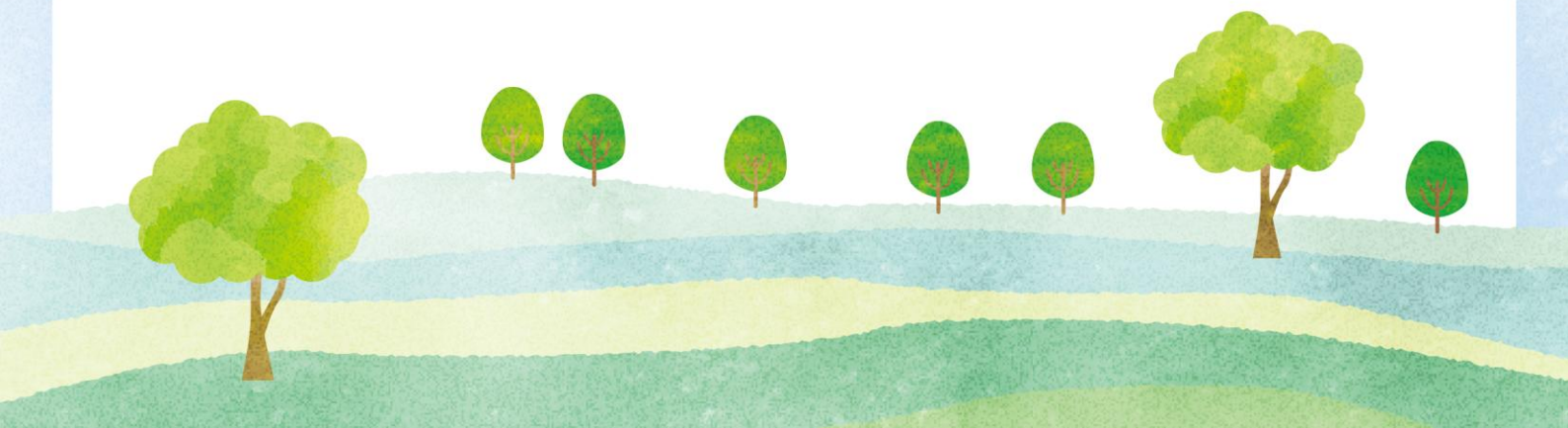
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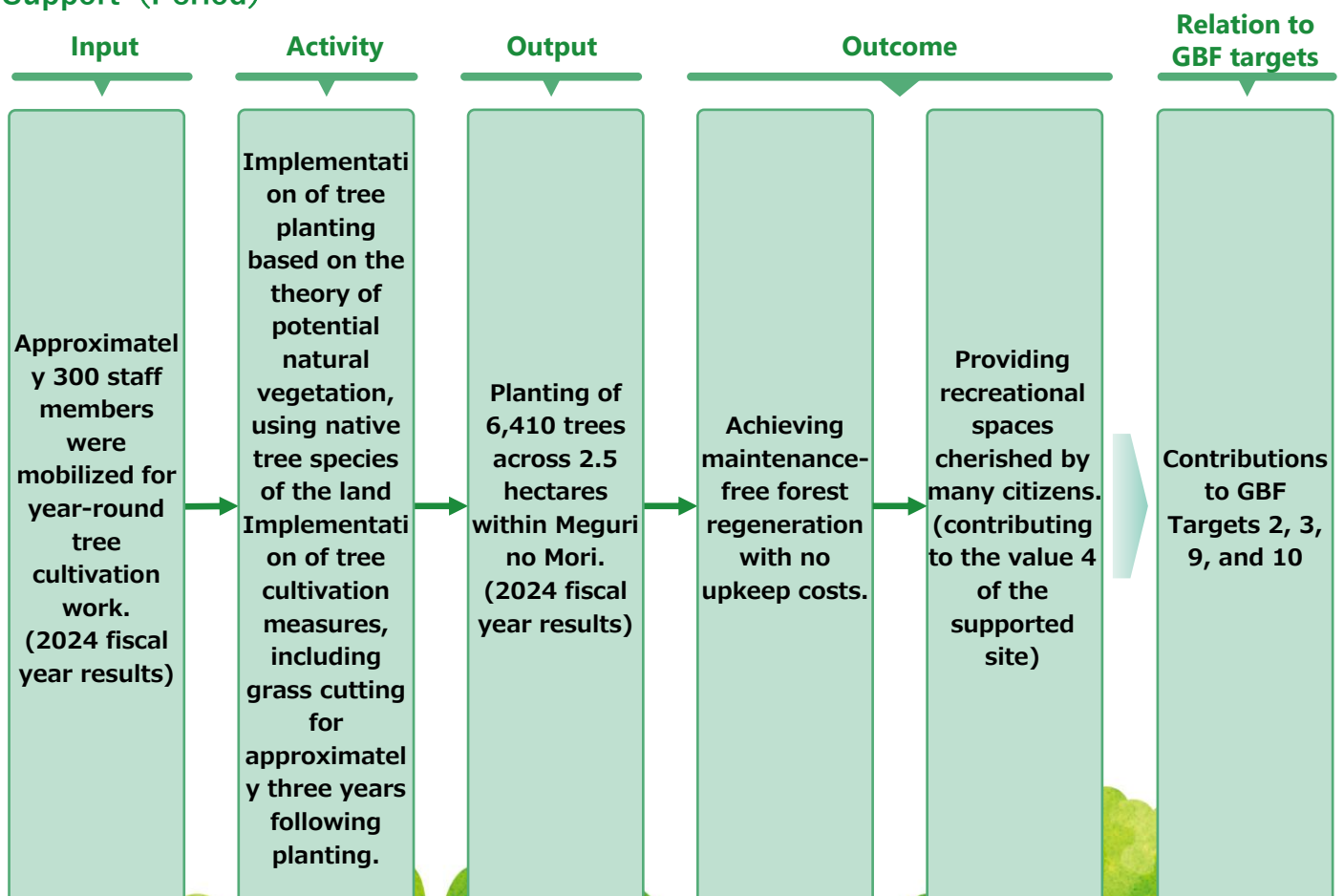
Support②

Support Activities Regeneration of environmental conservation forests through tree-rearing operations utilizing native potential natural vegetation species.

Inputs Approximately 300 staff members are mobilized annually.

Activities Year-round land restoration and tree cultivation work.

Date of Support (Period) Approximately 80 days from September 2024 to August 2025



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Support③

Support Activities

Human Resource Development for the Regeneration of Environmental Conservation Forests.

Inputs

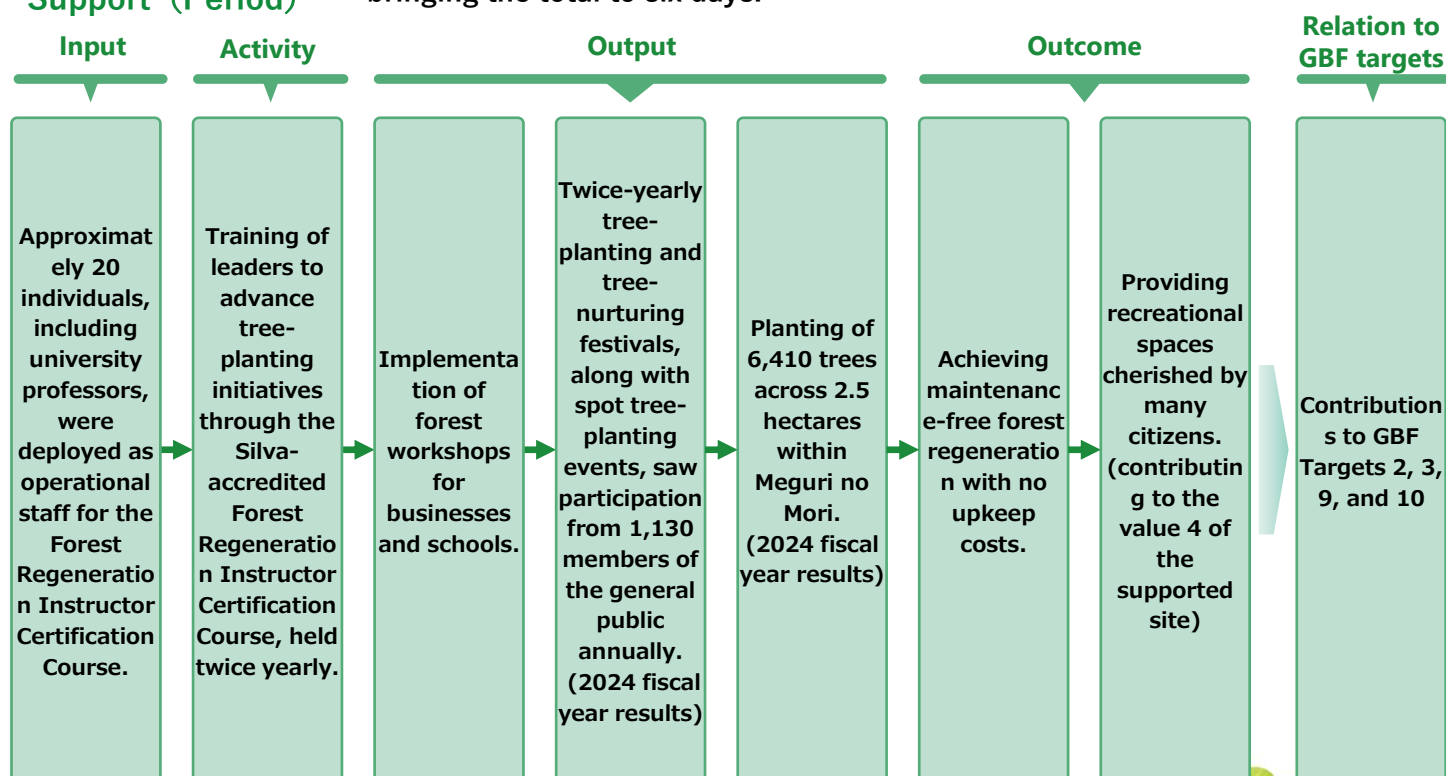
Approximately 20 staff members, including university professors, were deployed.

Activities

Training of leaders to advance tree-planting initiatives through the Silva-accredited Forest Regeneration Instructor Certification Course, held twice yearly.

Date of Support (Period)

Five days in September 2024, with an additional online course in March 2025 bringing the total to six days.



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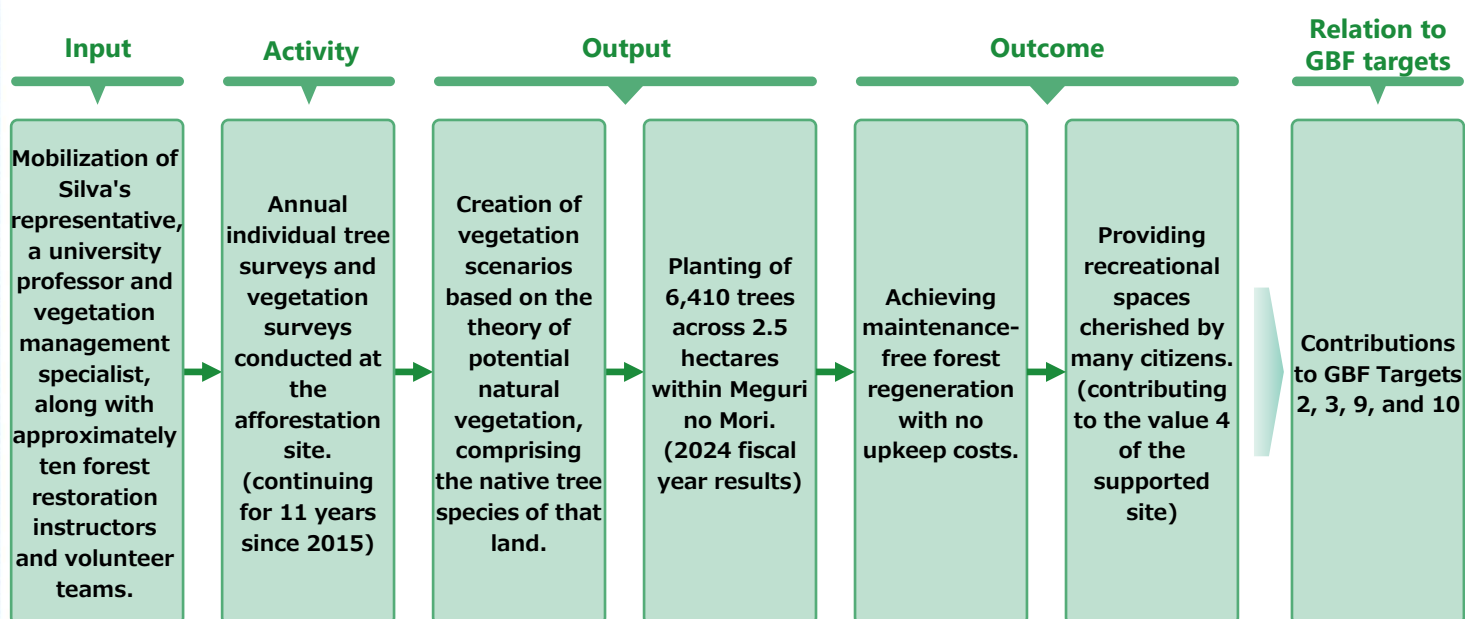
Support④

Support Activities Individual tree survey and vegetation survey at the planting site.

Inputs Mobilization of Silva's representative, a university professor and vegetation management specialist, along with approximately ten forest restoration instructors and volunteer teams.

Activities Individual tree surveys for measuring carbon dioxide fixation, vegetation surveys for creating vegetation scenarios required for vegetation restoration.

Date of Support (Period) Implemented during the preparatory period preceding the annual regular tree-planting festival (May) (continuing for 11 years since 2015)



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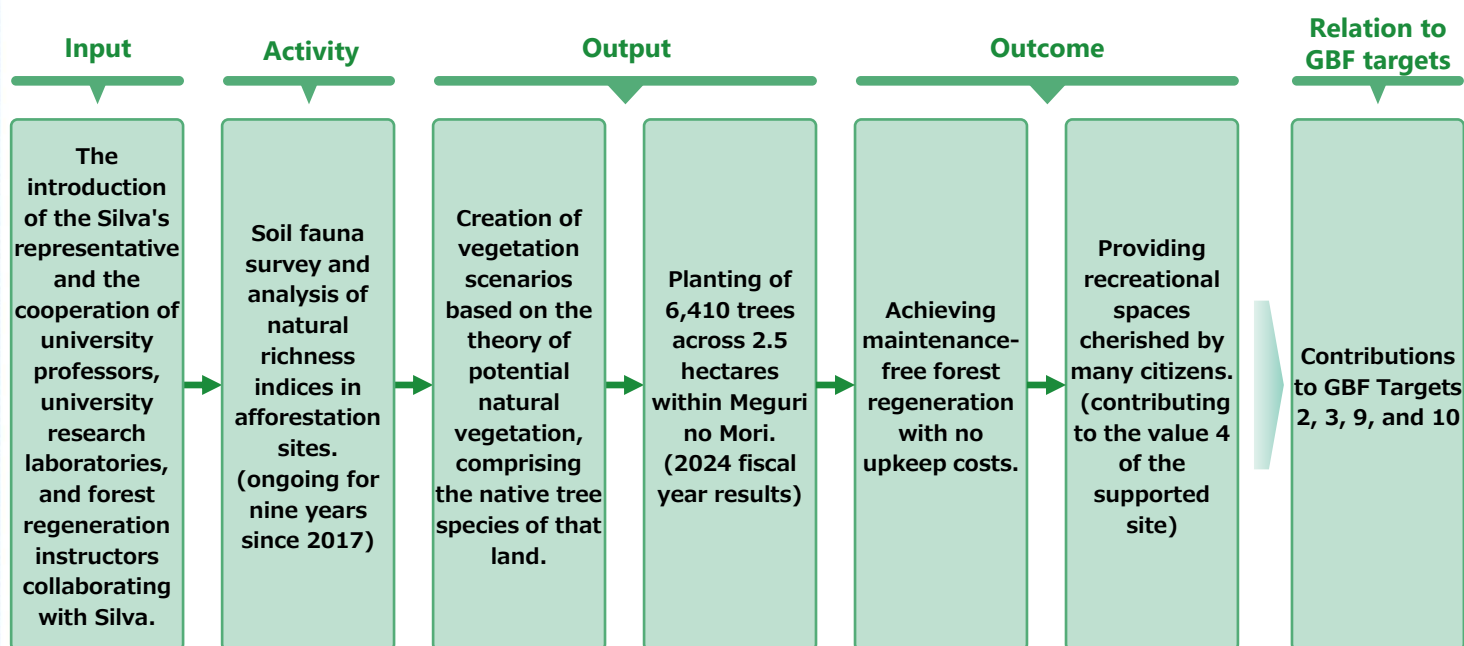
Support⑤

Support Activities Soil fauna survey analyzing natural richness indices in afforestation sites.

Inputs Conducted research under the supervision of a university professor and in collaboration with a university research laboratory (with assistance from representative(Silva) and forest regeneration instructors).

Activities Silva's representative is responsible for on-site duties (with assistance from forest regeneration instructors) and analysis.

Date of Support (Period) Implemented during the preparatory period preceding the annual regular tree-planting festival (May) (continued for nine years since 2017)



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Special Notes

Since 2008, Kanagawa Prefecture has designated the “Meguri no Mori” initiative as a core collaborative citizen-participation project for forest regeneration, organizing the “Collaborative Meguri no Mori Development Promotion Council”. Silva serves as group leader for one of the council's two working groups: the “Mixed-Planting and High-Density Planting Promotion Group”.

*The description in the appendix is optional by the applicant and has not been examined in detail by the Ministry of the Environment.

