

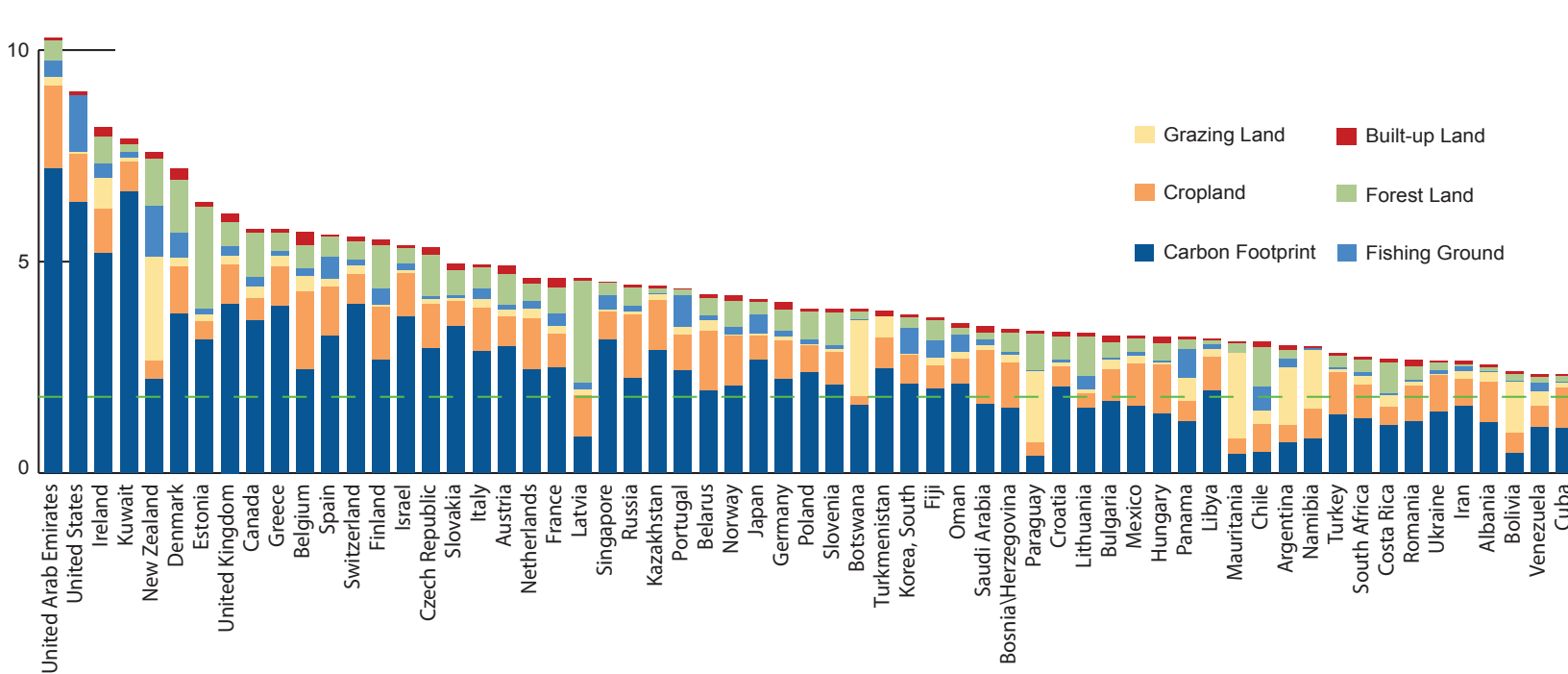


Figure 7. Ecological Footprint by Country, 2006

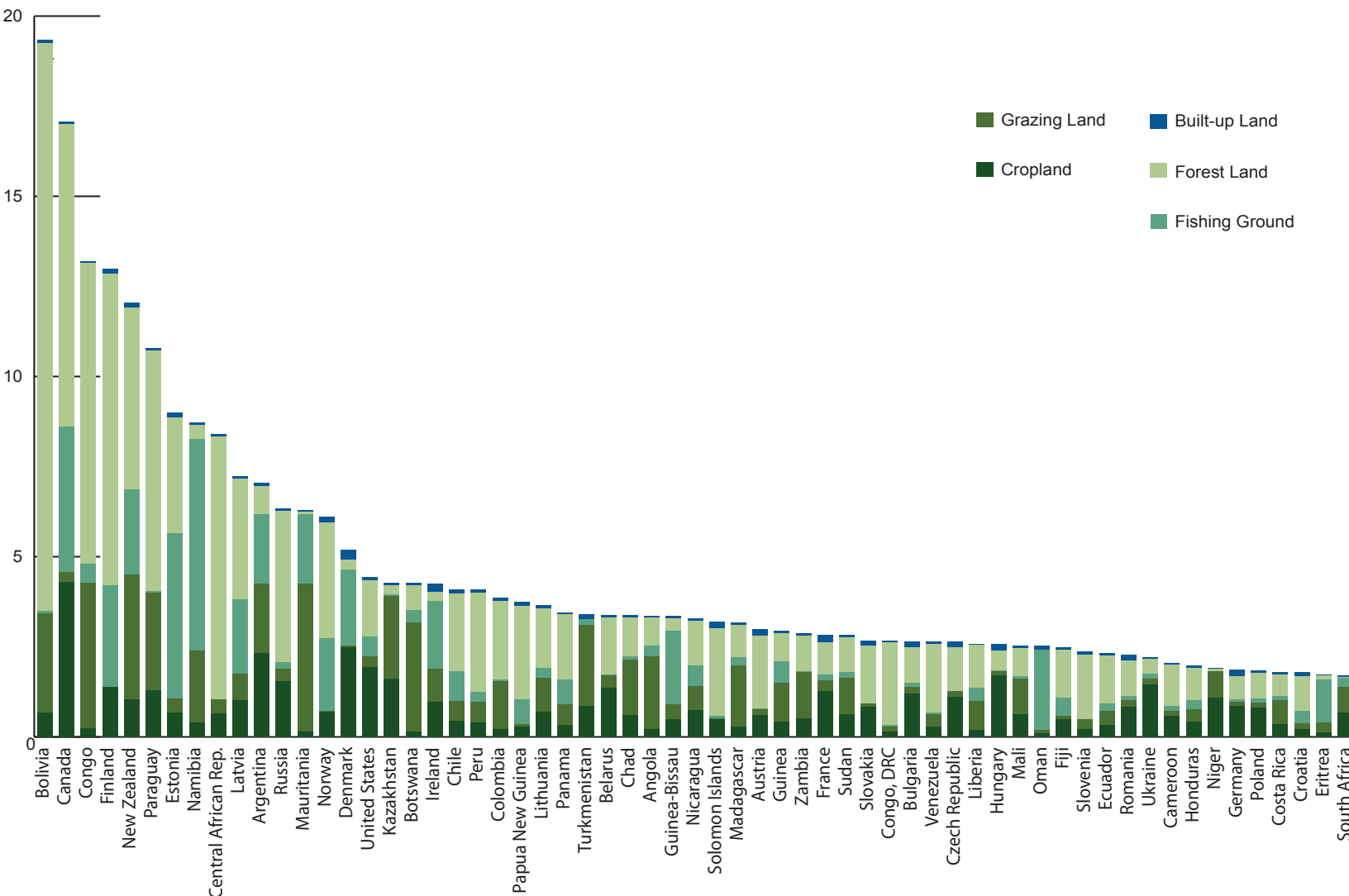


Figure 8. Biocapacity by Country, 2006

Figure 7 shows the average Ecological Footprint of consumption per person in 2006 for 126 of the 241 countries covered in the National Footprint Accounts. Of the 10 countries with the highest Ecological Footprints per person, only Australia, New Zealand, Estonia and Canada had more biocapacity than they were using. Figure 8 shows the average biocapacity available per person for these same countries. While having high availability of biocapacity is not a pre-requisite for

a large average Ecological Footprint, the converse is also true. Bolivia, for example, has the most biocapacity per person of any country, while its Ecological Footprint per person is less than half the global average.

