

Common Approach to Integrating Biodiversity and Nature-based Solutions for Sustainable Development into United Nations Policy and Programme Planning and Delivery: **Outputs**

A. Internal policy alignment and coherence

Output 1: the United Nations system can prove its commitment to biodiversity and nature-based solutions through its corporate behaviour.

Output 2: the United Nations system needs to lead by example in its policy, programme planning and implementation.

B. Align current resources and mobilize additional joint financing

Output 3: United Nations entities can review their current programming and resources to ensure that operations integrate biodiversity and nature-based solutions, prevent or account for negative impacts and do not exacerbate and accelerate biodiversity loss.

Output 4: collaborative efforts can support the creation and capitalization of new pooled funding mechanisms for joint programming needed to restore the relationship to biodiversity and ecosystem services at scale.

C. Exchange knowledge needed to identify, prioritize, scale up and accelerate action

Output 5: working together, United Nations system data, knowledge and expertise can be leveraged at all levels to provide capacity-building in support of the implementation of Member States' obligations and commitments, post-pandemic recovery plans and the biodiversity-dependent elements of the Sustainable Development Goals.

Output 6: knowledge-sharing through the United Nations regional mechanisms, notably regional collaborative platforms, regional issue-based coalitions and regional peer support groups.

Output 7: greater engagement with and visibility of biodiversity in existing global coordination mechanisms.

D. Coordinate outreach and communications efforts

Output 8: United Nations entities can contribute to and use coherent narratives during the decade of action for the Sustainable Development Goals, the United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration, the United Nations Decade of Family Farming and the United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development.

Output 9: United Nations entities can coordinate efforts to capitalize on the political leadership, key outcomes and messages of the summit on biodiversity held in September 2020.

See more: [Common Approach to Biodiversity](#)