



Promoting synergies between biodiversity and climate change adaptation through the NAP and NBSAP processes

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Rationale

- NAP and NBSAP processes **share common approaches** and characteristics:
 - Iterative
 - (Often) same ministerial home
 - Multi-stakeholder approach
 - Need for mainstreaming
- There are opportunities to **increase integration** and **reduce duplication**
- **More efficient use of resources** for planning, implementation, monitoring, finance
- Especially important for LDCs and SIDS

Objectives

- Explore the potential to **foster synergies** between the UNFCCC climate change adaptation and CBD biodiversity conservation policy processes **at the national level** with a particular focus on the **NAP and NBSAP processes**
- Highlight **practical entry points** and lessons learned from **case study examples on effective coordination and joint implementation** of climate change adaptation and biodiversity protection.

Approach

- Build on existing guidance and good practice examples, e.g.
 - UNEP Guidelines for Integrating EbA into NAPs
 - CBD EbA guidance;
 - NAP Global Network analysis on EbA in NAPs



Target audience

- **Country-level CBD and UNFCCC focal points** and technical staff of ministries who are engaged in planning and implementation of NAPs and NBSAPs.

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