



2022 Report of the IUCN Species Survival Commission and Secretariat



To accomplish those targets, the Species Conservation Cycle was established, which is the conceptual framework for the Network activities. The Species Conservation Cycle's Stand-alone reports summarize the activities conducted and results generated by each group member of the SSC. Following, is the structure of the stand-alone report and the contents under each session.

Title of the SSC Group

Photograph(s) of the Chair / Co-Chairs

Group information

Includes names of Chair / Co-Chairs, Vice-Chairs, Deputy Chairs, Red List Authority Coordinators and Program Of cers, their institutional af liations, number of members and social networks currently active.

Logo of the SSC Group

Mission statement

Includes the mission of the group.

Projected impact for the 2021-2025 quadrennium

Includes the description of the impact on species conservation resulting from the implementation of the targets formulated by the group for the 2021-2025 quadrennium.

Targets for the 2021-2025 quadrennium

Includes the targets planned by the SSC Group for the 2021-2025 quadrennium ordered alphabetically by component of the Species Conservation Cycle. Each target is labeled with a numerical coive plp1s p17.7 (u,)0.5 (s)-5 ()]_201-7n aber (0)2.8 (1)-6.4 (f t)-15.5 (1a-0.8 (t)-6.-7r)-14.4 (d)-14.5 (e)-8.3 (n)-9.2 (t)-10.9 (r) 1

Committee

Center for Species Survival



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Mission statement

The mission of the IUCN SSC Penguin Specialist Group (PSG) is to provide scienti c advice that informs policy and engages people in effective conservation action.

Projected impact 2021–2025

The disconcerting and rapid population decreases reported for most of the world's penguin species will be reversed only through immediate and af rmative action on the part of the global community of researchers, governmental entities, conservation organisations, sheries managers, and the general public. If we address the identi ed threats, undertake priority research needs using an interdisciplinary and integrated approach, and begin to implement appropriate conservation actions, management could perhaps slow or stop the observed decreases in penguin populations. We wish to call attention to the plight of this important and charismatic taxonomic group, whose dire situation is a clear re ection of the current escalating crisis facing the world's marine ecosystems and as indicators of future global warming scenarios. To improve the conservation status of penguin species we will: (1) identify the need for management

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actions and/or studies for particular species, critical areas, or threats to penguins; (2) provide scienti c advice on conservation and management issues concerning penguins to interested parties; (3) coordinate input from penguin experts for the IUCN Red List assessments, and (4) facilitate dissemination of scienti c information concerning penguins, including supporting publications and regional and international meetings.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS

60

Targets 2021–2025

ASSESS

T-004 Reassess IUCN Red List status of penguin species. Status: On track

T-005 Publish at least one paper of global

relevance related to the ecology and conservation of all penguin species. Status: Not initiated

PLAN

T-001 Convene meetings of the PSG Steering Committee focused on updating our Wild Penguins in Perpetuity Conservation Strategy. Status: On track

T-003 Convene annual Steering Committee meetings to revise and rede ne priorities for global penguin conservation. Status: On track

T-006 Convene a meeting of the PSG Steering Committee to update and rede ne priorities for global penguin conservation prior to the International Penguin Congress in Chile in 2022. Status: On track

ACT

T-008 Rede ne priority conservation actions needed and priority research. Status: On track

NETWORK

T-002 Continue to add expert members as needed.

Status: On track

T-007 Convene a Steering Committee meeting in Chile 2022 to update status of PSG and de ne future goals. Status: On track

T-011 Convene regular virtual meetings every six months with Steering Committee members. Status: Achieved

COMMUNICATE

T-009 Develop the Specialist Group of cial website.
Status: Achieved
T-010 Develop the logo of the Specialist Group.
Status: Achieved

Activities and results 2022 ASSESS Red List T-004 . (KSR 6)