



and thought leadership from IUCN Commissions, academia and civil society organisations such as (SBTN), business-civil society coalitions such as the (TNFD) and business groups such as (B4N) and the (WBCSD).

The approach seeks to embed consideration of , and is fully aligned with key IUCN principles and resolutions relating to rights and equity, such as the . The approach is also aligned with the IUCN Commission on Ecosystem Management's Impact Mitigation and Ecological Compensation Thematic Group (IMEC) Technical Paper on Nature-Positive. The approach recognises the where company actions go beyond delivery of the mitigation hierarchy and deliver supplementary positive impacts on biodiversity.

The definition of Nature-Positive used here is taken from the Nature Positive Initiative Partnership (NPIP) and the approach is consistent with the principles developed by NPIP.

IUCN's Measuring Nature-Positive approach is consistent with the currently being developed by the Science Based Targets Network, and both the species and ecosystem metrics proposed or under development described in the approach are consistent with the species extinction and ecosystem core metrics in the TNFD framework. The approach could also provide a means of measuring outcomes from innovative financial mechanisms such as .

The approach presents a summary of actions for

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The first stage of the consultation process was through a restricted circulation of the working paper (v 0.1) to partner institutions in August and September 2022 ahead of the IUCN Leaders Forum meeting