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**138** countries supported to achieve the Aichi biodiversity targets

**7** sub-programmes of UNEP contribute to achieving Aichi biodiversity targets

**63** countries supported in actions to ratify the Nagoya Protocol and its implementation

More than **110** projects supported through the GEF portfolio

All **20** Aichi biodiversity targets receiving attention

**141** projects underway to support CBD strategic plan

Actions delivered through more than **80** partnerships

**82** countries receive support to revise/  
update/review the NBSAPs

**65** countries  
participate in the  
Biosafety Clearing  
House Phase II  
project

**58** countries  
supported to  
use ecosystem  
approach in  
sectoral planning  
and processes

More than **1.3**  
million twitter  
impressions on  
world wildlife day

More than **1** Billion  
dollar benefits  
from ecosystems  
identified in 4  
countries

**7** biodiversity  
related conventions  
targeted to enhance  
cooperation and  
synergies

**17** countries  
completed valuation  
of their ecosystems

## Executive Summary

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The United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) is committed to supporting Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) in their efforts to achieving the Strategic Plan of Biodiversity (2011-2020) and the Aichi biodiversity targets.

With more than one hundred projects spread across more than one hundred and twenty countries, UNEP's contribution to the CBD, specifically in achieving the twenty Aichi targets, is the key focus of this report for information and consideration by the Parties to the CBD as well as the Member States of UNEP.

It is noteworthy to mention that the UNEP's Medium Term Strategy and Programme of Work are in close alignment with the priorities of not just the CBD but also other biodiversity related conventions with regard to programmatic issues related to biodiversity.

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