



# NETBIOME-CSA

STRENGTHENING EUROPEAN RESEARCH COOPERATION FOR SMART AND SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF TROPICAL AND SUBTROPICAL BIODIVERSITY IN OUTERMOST REGIONS AND OVERSEAS COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES

## ADDED VALUE OF THE NETBIOME PROGRAM

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The program targets European ORs and OCTs:

- Hotspots for marine and terrestrial biodiversity accounting for most of the EU biodiversity, including iconic ecosystems
- Home to people depending on this biodiversity
- Vulnerable to global change and biodiversity loss
- Open laboratories :
  - for research on unique ecological systems and impact of climate change
  - for sustainable development



The program funded applied science projects:

- Involving local stakeholders at all stages of the projects (design, implementation, dissemination)
- Understanding and conserving biodiversity
- Providing solutions to environmental issues
- Building a transoceanic and transregional network of partners with complementary skills and expertise
- Strengthening links between mainland European and overseas research



- Supporting synergistic research between ORs and OCTs
- Designing biodiversity indicators specific for EU ORs and OCTs
- Creating integrated management approaches for biodiversity vis-à-vis global change
- Elaborating strategies to address the projected impact of global change on water resources, biodiversity and health
- Contributing to smart specialization (S<sup>3</sup>):
  - Blue / green bio economy
  - Local human capital



# Thank you for your attention!

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