

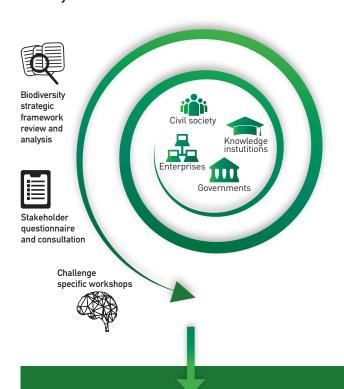
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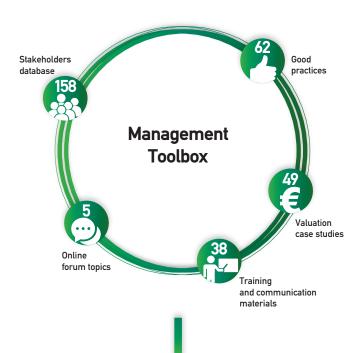
Strengthening European research cooperation for smart and sustainable management of tropical and subtropical biodiversity in Outermost Regions (ORs) and Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs)

# **Project Main Achievements**

Policy Recommendations and Research Priorities

## **Biodiversity Management Toolbox**





# 4 main challenges



Integrated biodiversity conservation through spatial planning



Sustainable agriculture and forestry practises



Sustainable management and effective conservation of biodiversity



based decisionmaking in marine and coastal issues

Recommendations

4 Research **Priorities** 

## **Dedicated biodiversity** interactive tool:

- Online discussion with peers
- Search for partners for collaboration in biodiversity research activities
- Support for decision-making
- One stop shop for biodiversity management knowledge



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## Policy Recommendations and Research Priorities on the main challenges identified

#### **Policy Recommendations**

- Adopt a more coherent approach to spatial planning, accounting for ecological and societal considerations
- Adapt international legislation to national/regional context
- Promote more efficient and sustainable usage of natural resources
- Put ecosystem-based management principles into practice
- Establish biodiversity indicators specific for EU overseas

#### **Research Priorities**

- Improve tools for effective participation in biodiversity management .
- Predict effects of climate change on natural resource use
- Increase the consideration of biodiversity and ecosystem services in environmental assessment and valuation methods
- Map ecological limits to extractive activities



Find out more in the NetBiome-CSA Strategic Document: Management of European Overseas (sub)tropical biodiversity in support of sustainable development: Policy recommendations and priorities for research cooperation

### Biodiversity Management Toolbox - Dedicated interactive tool for ORs and OCTs



Stakeholders database on biodiversity management and research



Case studies for biodiversity valuation



Good practices for tropical and (sub)tropical biodiversity conservation



Training and communication materials on biodiversity valuation



Online forum

**BIODIVERSITY MANAGEMENT** 









**ONE STOP SHOP** 

# PROJECT SNAPSHOT

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