



African Ministerial Summit on Biodiversity

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Africa's biodiversity priorities

- Ecosystem restoration
- Coastal and marine biodiversity and the blue economy
- Invasive alien species
- Access and benefit-sharing and traditional knowledge
- Strategic environmental assessment (Article 14 of the Convention on Biological Diversity)
- Climate change and biodiversity
- Mainstreaming biodiversity into relevant sectors
- Natural capital accounting
- Biosafety
- Poaching and illegal wildlife trade
- Enabling mechanisms for implementation:
 - o Education, awareness-raising and knowledge management
 - o Capacity-building
 - Technology transfer
 - o Resource mobilization
 - o Gender mainstreaming and youth engagement
 - o Compliance and enforcement of environmental regulations