

Acronyms & Abbreviations

2010 BIP	2010 Biodiversity Indicators Partnership
ACB	Centre for Biodiversity
AHTEG	Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group
ASEAN	Association of Southeast Asian Nations
BINU	Biodiversity Indicators for National Use
BIP	Biodiversity Indicators Partnership
BOD	Biochemical Oxygen Demand
CAFF	Conservation of Arctic Flora and Fauna Working Group of the Arctic Council
CBD	Convention on Biological Diversity
CBMP	Circumpolar Biodiversity Monitoring Program
CCIB	Centre de Convenciones Internacional de Barcelona
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CGN	Centre for Genetic Resources
CI	Conservation International
CITES	Convention on the International Trade of Endangered Species of wild fauna & flora
CMS	Convention on the conservation of Migratory Species of wild animals
CONABIO	Comisión Nacional para el Conocimiento y Uso de la Biodiversidad
COP	Conference of the Parties
CSA	Canadian Standards Association
DAC	Development Assistance Committee
DAD-IS	Domestic Animal Diversity Information System
DGEF	Division of Global Environment Facility Coordination
EA	Executing Agency
EEA	European Environment Agency
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
FRA	Global Forest Resources Assessment
FSC	Forest Stewardship Council
FSP	Full Size Project
G8	Group of Eight
GBIF	Global Biodiversity Information Facility
GBO	Global Biodiversity Outlook
GEF	Global Environment Facility
GEMS	Global Environment Monitoring System
GFN	Global Footprint Network
GISIN	Global Invasive Species Information Network
GISP	Global Invasive Species Program
GMT	Greenwich Mean Time
GNL	Global-National Linkages
GROMS	Global Register of Migratory Species
GWBI	Global Wild Bird Index
IABIN	Inter American Biodiversity Information Network
IAEG	Interagency and Expert Advisory Group
IAS	Invasive alien species
ICMM	International Council on Mining and Metals
ILO	Indicator Lead Organisation
ILRI	International Livestock Research Institute
INBio	Instituto Nacional de Biodiversidad
INI	International Nitrogen Initiative
IOZ	Institute of Zoology
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
IUCN	International Union for the Conservation of Nature
KIP	Key Indicator Partner
LPI	Living Planet Index
M&E	Monitoring and Evaluation
MA	Millennium Ecosystem Assessment
MDG	Millennium Development Goal
MEA	Multilateral Environmental Agreement

MPA	Marine Protected Area
MTCC	Malaysian Timber Certification Council
MTI	Marine Trophic Index
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
PCU	Project Coordination Unit
PDF	Project Development Facility
PEBLDS	Pan-European Biological Diversity and Landscape Strategy
PEFC	Pan-European Forest Council
PGRFA	Plant genetic resources for food and agriculture
Ramsar	Ramsar Convention on Wetlands
RLI	Red List Index
RSPB	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
SAB	Scientific Advisory Body
SBSTTA	Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice
SC	Steering Committee
SCBD	Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity
SEBI2010	Streamlining European 2010 Biodiversity Indicators
SFI	Sustainable Forest Initiative
SOFIA	State of the World's Fisheries and Aquaculture
SRLI	Sampled Red List Index
SSC	Species Survival Commission
SUSG	Sustainable Use Specialist Group
TNC	The Nature Conservancy
UBC	University of British Columbia
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
US	(see USA)
USA	United States of America
VMAD	Virgin Mean Annual Discharge
WAICENT	World Agricultural Information Centre
WBI	Wild Bird Index
WCC	World Conservation Congress
WCMC	World Conservation Monitoring Centre
WCPA	World Commission on Protected Areas
WCS	Wildlife Conservation Society
WDPA	World Database on Protected Areas
WHO	World Health Organisation
WWF	World Wide Fund for nature (<i>or</i> World Wildlife Fund, <i>North America only</i>)
WWL-DAD	World Watch List for Domestic Animal Diversity
ZSL	Zoological Society of London