**Template for the review of the document on linkages between the post-2020 global biodiversity framework and the 2030 agenda for sustainable development**

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| 2 | GBF Goal A | GBF Goal A contributes to, among other things, maintaining genetic biodiversity. Since SDG 2, more specifically Target 2.5 calls for maintaining “the genetic diversity of seeds, cultivated plants and farmed and domesticated animals and their related wild species”. Therefore, SDG 2 should also be included in the column on GBF Goal A’s related SDGs. Note that SDG Target 2.5 is expiring in 2020. | |
| 3 | GBF Goal D | Several targets under the two main biodiversity-related SDGs (SDG 14 and 15) are concerning means of implementation:   * Targets 14.a (R&D on marine technology), * Target 14.b (access to marine resources of small-scale artisanal fishers), * Target 14.c (implementation of international law on sustainable oceans), * Target 15.a (financial resources for sustainable use of ecosystems), * Target 15.b (financing for sustainable forest management) and * Target 15.c (combatting trafficking of protected species)   Therefore, these two SDGs should also be included in the column related to the SDGs under GBF Goal D. | |
| 4 | GBF Target 1 | Several SDG targets and indicators under SDG 15 are relevant here. Some of them (Targets 15.3 and 15.5, some associated targets) have already been reflected in this document under review, but not all. The following targets are additionally suggested:   * SDG Target 15.1 (ensuring conservation, restoration and sustainable use of terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems): Indicator 15.1.1 * SDG Target 15.2 (forest management, including halting deforestation and restoring degraded forests): Indicator 15.2.1 * SDG Target 15.4 (conservation of mountain ecosystems): Indicator 15.4.2 | |
| 4 | GBF Target 2 | Other SDG targets and indicators relevant to GBF Target 2 can be added:   * SDG Target 6.6 (protecting water-related ecosystems): Indicator 6.6.1 * SDG Target 11.4 (protecting cultural and natural heritages): Indicator 11.4.1 * SDG Target 14.2 (managing/protecting marine and coastal ecosystems): Indicator 14.2.1 | |
| 5 | GBF Target 3 | SDG Target 14.4 relating to ending overfishing and IUU fishing practices is relevant to GBF Target 3. | |
| 5 | GBF Target 4 | SDG Target 14.6 concerning the prohibition of fisheries subsidies that facilitate overfishing and IUU fishing is relevant here. The associated indicator 14.5.1 is already included in the document in the review. | |
| 7 | GBF Target 7 | SDG Target 13.2, which calls for integrating climate change measures into national policies, should be included here. Besides, SDG Target 1.5 on building the resilience of the poor to climate and other disasters may also be included. | |
| 8 | GBF Target 8 | GBF Target 8 is likely to contribute to SDG Target 2.5 maintaining “the genetic diversity of seeds, cultivated plants and farmed and domesticated animals and their related wild species” and “ensure access to and fair and equitable benefits”. | |
| 11 | GBF Target 10 | SDG Target 15.4 on conserving mountain ecosystems is relevant here, particularly related to hazards such as landslide and flash floods. Sustainable management of forests (Target 15.2) offers a nature-based solution to minimizing hazards and extreme events and improving air quality. | |
| 13 | GBF Target 12 | GBF Target 12 can also contribute to SDG Target 14.7 related to the economic benefits to SIDS and LDCs from the sustainable use of marine resources, and Target 14.a related to increasing R&D on capacity particularly of the SIDS and LDCs. | |
| 13 | GBF Target 13 | As the GBF Target 13 supports SDGs mainstreaming, SDG Target 17.9 on international support for sustainable development capacity building in developing countries is quite relevant. | |
| 15 | GBF Target 14 | SDG Target 2.4 on sustainable food production systems and resilient agricultural practices is relevant to GBF Target 14. | |
| 16 | GBF Target 15 | SDG Target 6.4 calls for increasing water-use efficiency and ensuring sustainable withdrawals and supply of freshwater. This is quite relevant to GBF Target 15, which aims at eliminating unsustainable consumption patterns affecting biodiversity. | |
| 20 | GBF Target 19 | GBF Target 19 focusing on quality information can also contribute to SDG Target 17.19 on measurements of progress on sustainable development | |
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