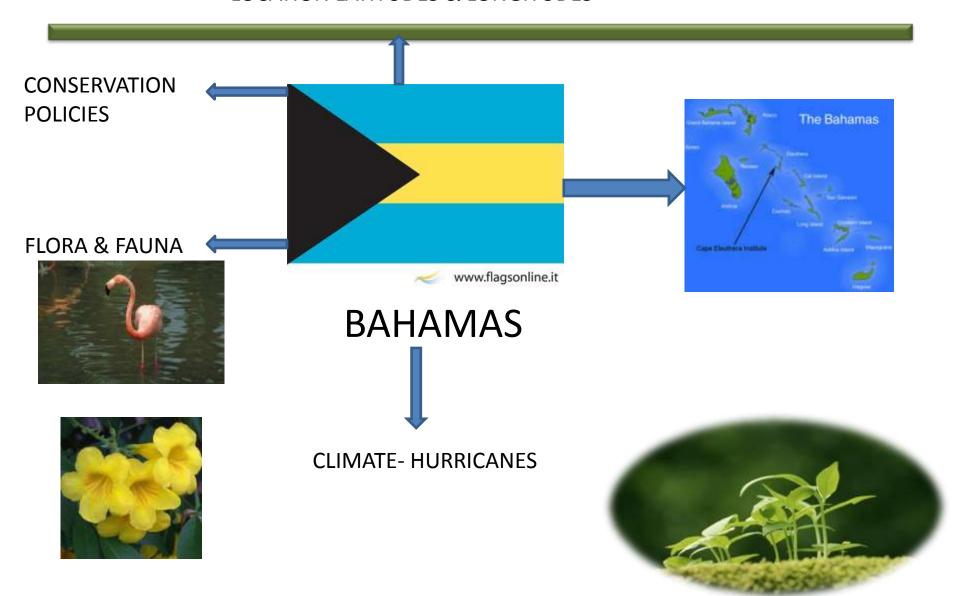
COUNTRY BAHAMAS

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LOCATION LATITUDES & LONGITUDES



In the year 1990 the Bahamas National Trust planned a week —long observance of Earth Day which lead to participate in UNCED in Rio de Janerio, Brazil in 1992 Later in the year it announced the cation of the Bahamas Environment, Science and Tecnology Commission

Knowledge of species diversity is fragmentary 5% of all species present in the country are reported to date

Reasons for making species rare----land cleaning or direct exploitation of food



Some rare species of plants and animals

Bahamian hutia (Geocapromys ingrahamii)

Fish hawk (Pandian halietus)

Agave species



Examples of Bahamas ecosystems

- pine Forest
- Inland ponds
- Mangrove forests

Action One: Establishment of the Bahamas
Environment, Science
and Technology Commission as a legal
entity.

Action Two: Establishment of the National Biodiversity Task Force and Preparation for National Consultative Process.

Action Three: The National Consultative Process Action Four: Implementation of the Recommendations of the Biodiversity Data Management Project

Action Five: Preparation of Bioregional Guidelines, Position Papers and Policy Statements

Action Six: Planning for a System of National
Parks and
Protected Areas

Action Seven: Development of Monitoring and Evaluation Methodologies
Action Eight: Protection or Rehabilitation of Threatened or Degraded Ecosystems and of Threatened Species



Action Nine: Improvement of the Botanic Gardens to Enhance its Capacity for Ex Situ Conservation.

