

# Proteus Partners Meeting

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London

9<sup>th</sup> December 2009



**PROTEUS 2012**  
Partners for a wiser world



# Welcome & Introductions

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# Objectives & Agenda



## United Nations Environment Programme World Conservation Monitoring Centre

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### Draft Proteus 2012 Partners Meeting Agenda

**Date:** December 9th 2009

**Time:** 10:00h to 17:30h

**Location:** IHS office - 133 Houndsditch, London, UK EC3A 7BX

#### Objectives:

- Present on recent developments in the field of Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services
- Report on Proteus activities and budget
- Update information on current and future data acquisition for the WDPA and IBAT
- Present information on the application of datasets and other tools
- Feedback of the Technical Users Group Survey
- Review Proteus 2010 work plan and outputs for 2010 – the International Year of Biodiversity

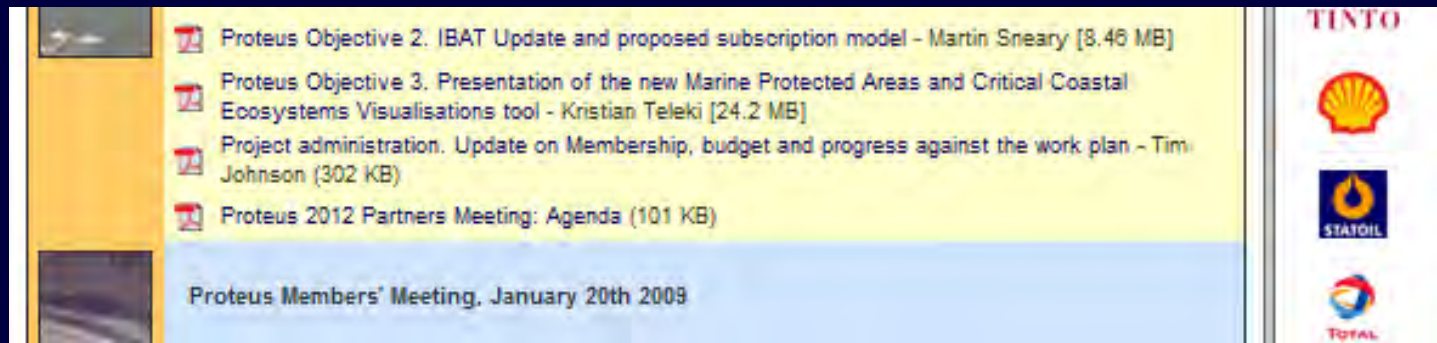
#### Agenda:

10:00	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b> – IHS and UNEP-WCMC
10:10	<b>Approve minutes of last meeting</b> – Jon Hutton
10:15	<b>Setting the Scene: International Year of Biodiversity</b> – Jon Hutton
10:30	<b>Interactive session</b> - Proteus Technical User Survey feedback, follow-up actions and sharing experiences Overall results and feedback – Mônica Barcellos Harris (15 minutes) Feedback and exchanging experience with others – interactive session: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Dissemination of data internally – Virpi Stucky, Shell</li><li>2. Webex sessions – Rob Piper, Rio Tinto</li><li>3. Online use and data update– Dan McLaughlin, BHP Billiton</li><li>4. Others</li><li>5. Discussions on Programme of work for the technical user group - MBH</li></ol>
11:30	<b>Break</b>

11:45	<b>Objective 1. Reporting back on latest improvements on the World Database on Protected Areas (WDPA) – Amy Milam</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall updates</li> <li>• Report on progress with EEA, IABIN and ASEAN</li> <li>• Content improvement in the past 9 months</li> <li>• Functionality improvement</li> </ul>
12:25	<b>Application of WDPA datasets to ecosystem services – Dr Mark Mulligan, UNEP-WCMC Research Fellow based at Kings College London</b>
12:55	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30	<b>Objective 2. Integrated Biodiversity Assessment Tool (IBAT) updates – Conrad Savy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overall updates</li> <li>• Dataset updates</li> <li>• IBAT for IFC and IDB</li> </ul>
14:00	<b>Objective 3. Report on Updates of marine datasets – Craig Mills</b> Overall updates New partnerships to update data Application of datasets publications Update on coastal data publication – indicator of where coral reefs are at risk
14:30	<b>Applications of coastal and marine datasets: ARIES (Artificial Intelligence for Ecosystem Services) - Dr Ferdinando Villa, University of Vermont</b>
15:00	<b>Proteus administration - Budget Report – Tim Johnson</b>
15:15	<b>Break</b>
15:45	<b>Interactive – Work plan for 2010 session – Jon Hutton</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to work plan – Tim Johnson</li> <li>• WDPA and UN List of Protected Areas – Craig Mills</li> <li>• Discussion: 2010 Work plan and budget</li> </ul>
17:00	<b>Interactive: Discussion of Proteus event for the International Year of Biodiversity – Jon Hutton</b>
17:20	<b>AOB and Dates for next meeting</b>
17:30	<b>End of meeting</b>



- Minutes
- Background documents from each meeting
- Business plan for Proteus 2012
- Constitution
- Workplan and Budget for 2008, 2009, 2010
- <http://proteus.unep-wcmc.org/partners.aspx>
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**Draft Minutes of the Proteus Meeting  
20<sup>th</sup> January 2009  
IPIECA, London**

**Participants:**

Anglo American

BP

ENI

ESRI UK

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Repsol YPF

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Jon Hutton

Tim Johnson

**Observers:**

IPIECA

ICMM

IBAT

**Apologies:**

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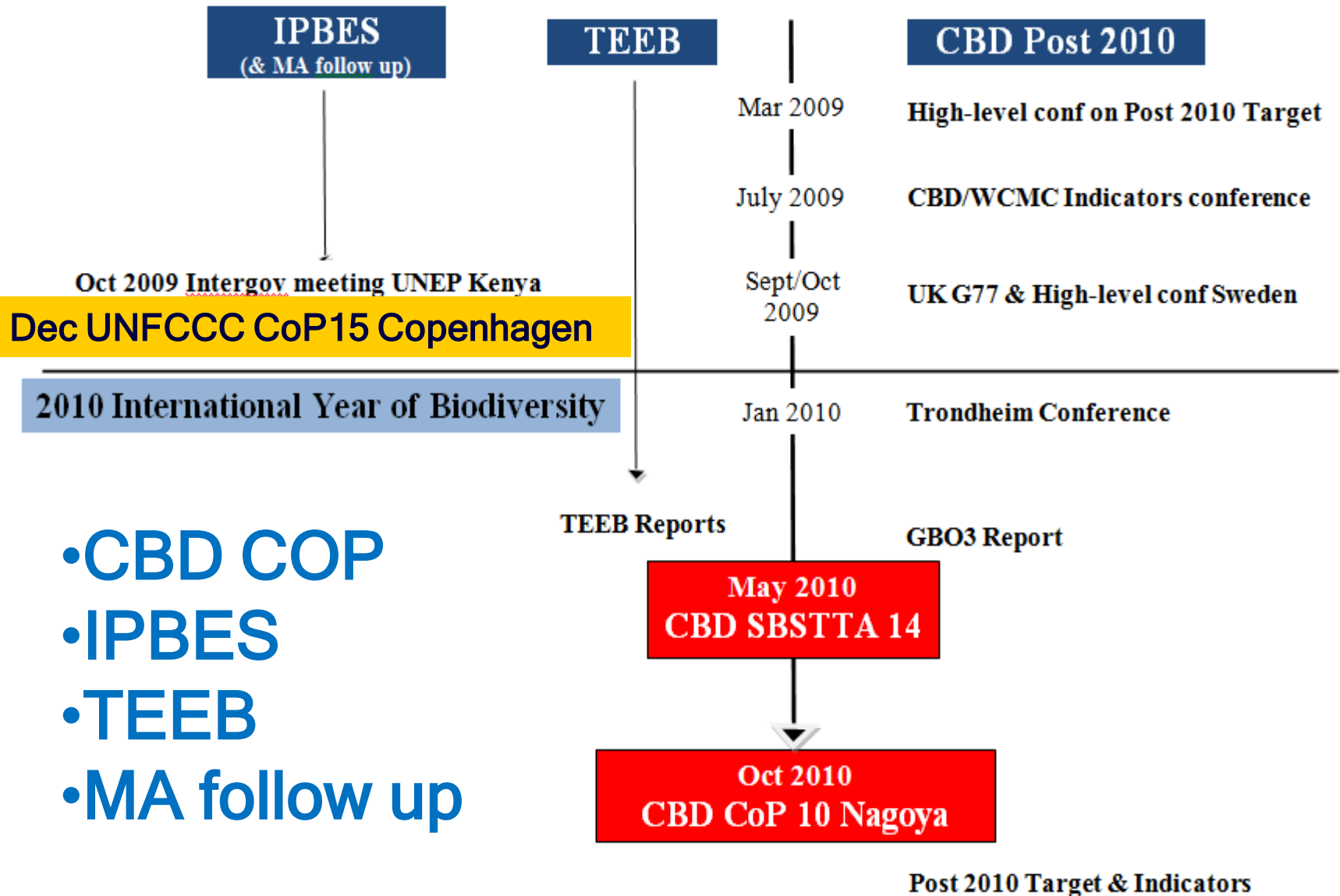
Craig Mills

# Next....

# Setting the Scene: An Update on the International Year of Biodiversity



# 2010 International Year of Biodiversity



# CBD SBSTTA 14

- ◆ Key Scientific/Technical COP preparatory meeting - adopts recommendations to the COP
- ◆ 10-21 May, Nairobi
- ◆ Key agenda items:
  - Marine & coastal biodiversity
  - Protected areas
  - Biodiversity & Climate Change
  - Global Biodiversity Outlook - 3
  - Global Strategy for Plant Conservation
  - **Post-2010 goals, targets and indicators**
  - **Biofuels**

# CBD Working Group on Review of Implementation (WGRI)

- ◆ Key political COP preparatory meeting - adopts recommendations to the COP
- ◆ 24-28 May, Nairobi
- ◆ Key agenda items:
  - **Strategic Plan & 2010 target**
  - IPBES
  - National reporting
  - Resource mobilization
  - New multi-year programme of work for COP

# Conference of the Parties 10<sup>th</sup> meeting

- ◆ Decision-taking body
- ◆ 18-29 October, Nagoya, Japan
- ◆ Key (political) issues:
  - Regime on access & benefit-sharing
  - 2010 and post-2010 targets
- Also: 38 other items referred from SBSTTA & WGRI



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## Convention on Biological Diversity

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30 November 2009

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### REVISION AND UPDATING OF THE STRATEGIC PLAN: POSSIBLE OUTLINE AND ELEMENTS OF THE NEW STRATEGIC PLAN

*Note by the Executive Secretary*

#### INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

1. At its tenth meeting in Nagoya, Japan, in October 2010, the Conference of the Parties (COP) is expected to adopt a revised and updated Strategic Plan for the Convention including new biodiversity target(s) for the post-2010 period. The process for revising and updating the Strategic Plan was set out in decision IX/9. In line with that decision, the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity has invited Parties and stakeholders to submit views on the updating and revision of the Strategic Plan. In addition an electronic forum and a number of informal consultations have been organized by partners.

# Options for Post 2010 Target

1. “To have taken by 2020 the necessary urgent and concerted actions to reduce the threats facing biodiversity so as to stop biodiversity loss, and have started to restore ecosystems, thus ensuring the continued provision of ecosystem services, while equitably sharing the benefits, avoiding change that is irreversible or has dangerous consequences for human well-being, and contributing to the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals. To ensure that all countries have the means to achieve this.”
2. “By 2020, to halt biodiversity loss, and restore it to ecologically sound levels, and enhance the capacity of ecosystems to provide services, while equitably sharing the benefits contributing to human wellbeing and poverty reduction. To ensure that all countries have the means to achieve this.”
3. “The 2020 target to sustain life on earth: Safeguard and restore biodiversity, and reduce the threats it faces, staying within ecological limits, in order to improve its status, prevent extinctions and enhance ecosystem services, while equitably sharing the benefits, thus contributing to human well-being and poverty eradication. To ensure that all countries have the means to achieve this.”

# Four Strategic Goals.....

- ◆ Strategic Goal A. Initiate strategic actions to address the indirect drivers of biodiversity loss through communication, education and public awareness, the realignment of economic incentives and the mainstreaming of biodiversity across government and society
- ◆ Strategic Goal B. Address the direct drivers of biodiversity loss, reducing pressures on biodiversity from habitat change, overexploitation, pollution, invasive species and climate change.
- ◆ Strategic Goal C. Promote direct action to safeguard and restore biodiversity and related ecosystem services, contributing to climate change mitigation and adaptation.
- ◆ Strategic Goal D. Enhance implementation through planning, knowledge management and capacity development, and the fair and equitable sharing of the benefits arising from the use of genetic resources.

# Twenty Targets.....

- ◆ I won't burden you!

# IUCN's emerging position...

## A New Vision for Biodiversity Conservation

### IUCN's emerging position on a new (post 2010) Strategic Plan for the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)

For information and consultation: comments on this 'emerging position' should be sent to [arturo.mora@iucn.org](mailto:arturo.mora@iucn.org) by 11 January 2010

#### Introduction

In 2002, the Conference of the Parties (COP) to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) adopted a Strategic Plan including, as its mission, the target of achieving by 2010 **a significant reduction of the current rate of biodiversity loss at the global, regional and national levels as a contribution to poverty alleviation and to the benefit of all life on Earth**. This target was subsequently endorsed by the World Summit on Sustainable Development and the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) and incorporated into the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). In 2006, the UN General Assembly declared the year 2010 as the International Year of Biodiversity and adopted a resolution that calls for a high level segment of the UNGA at its 65th session in 2010.

# IUCN - Vision for 2050

**Biodiversity is maintained and restored, to secure a healthy planet and to deliver essential benefits for sustainable development and human wellbeing for all**

# Mission for 2015 /2020 (post 2010 target)

- ◆ To have taken by 2020 the necessary urgent, concerted and effective actions to address the threats facing biodiversity so as to stop biodiversity loss, and have started to restore ecosystems, thus ensuring the continued provision of ecosystem services, and avoiding dangerous or irreversible environmental change
- ◆ To have initiated by 2015 the necessary urgent and concerted actions required to address the threats facing biodiversity with a view to halting biodiversity loss, and to restoring ecosystems, thus ensuring the continued provision of ecosystem services and avoiding dangerous or irreversible environmental change, or change that has dangerous consequences for human wellbeing, as well as contributing to the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals

2010

January

[Launch of the International Year of Biodiversity  
\(11 January, Berlin, Germany\)](#)

[InterAcademy Panel Biodiversity Conference: Integrating Ecosystem  
Services into Biodiversity Management, Royal Society  
\(13-14 January, London, UK\)](#)

[Launch of an International Exhibition on Biodiversity  
\(21-22 January, Paris, France\)](#)

[UNESCO scientific conference on biodiversity in the post-2010 period  
\(25-29 January, Paris, France\)](#)

[Potential EU Presidency meetings in the first half of 2010 - Spain](#)

[Expert workshop on the CBD post-2010 strategic plan  
\(18-20 January, London, UK\)](#)

[European conference on protected areas  
\(25-27 January, Madrid, Spain\)](#)

[International Workshop on Innovative Financial Mechanisms  
\(27-29 January, Bonn, Germany\)](#)

February

[Trondheim Conference on Biodiversity  
\(1-5 February, Trondheim, Norway\)](#)

[Biodiversity 2010 and Beyond, Hermès & IDDRI  
\(16 February, Paris, France\)](#)

[Special Session of the UNEP GC/GMEF  
\(24-26 February, Bali, Indonesia\)](#)

March

[CITES COP 15  
\(13-25 March, Doha, Qatar\)](#)

[Sustainable Conservation: Bridging the Gap between Disciplines  
\(15-18 March, Trondheim, Norway\)](#)

[European SBSTTA Preparatory Meeting  
\(17-20 March, Vilm, Germany\)](#)

[Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Access and Benefit-sharing  
\(18-24 March, Colombia\)](#)

May	<a href="#">5th Global Conference on Oceans, Coasts and Islands</a> <a href="#">(3-7 May 2010, Paris, France)</a>	<a href="#">International Day for Biodiversity</a> <a href="#">(22 May)</a>
	<a href="#">CBD SBSTTA 14</a> <a href="#">(10-21 May, Nairobi, Kenya)</a>	
	<a href="#">CBD WGRI 3</a> <a href="#">(24-28 May, Nairobi, Kenya)</a>	<a href="#">Fourth GEF Assembly</a> <a href="#">(25-27 May, Punta del Este, Uruguay)</a>
June	<a href="#">G8 Summit</a> <a href="#">(25-27 June, Musoka, Canada)</a>	
July	<a href="#">24<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society for Conservation Biology: Conservation for a Changing Planet</a> <a href="#">(3-7 July, Edmonton, Canada)</a>	<a href="#">Potential EU Presidency meetings in the second half of 2010 - Belgium</a>
		<a href="#">UNESCO International Congress on Biological and Cultural Diversity</a> <a href="#">(19-23 July, Montréal, Canada)</a>
August		<a href="#">MDG Review Summit</a> <a href="#">(? New York, USA)</a>
September	<a href="#">High level segment of the UNGA on the 2010 target</a> <a href="#">(20 September, New York, USA)</a>	
October	<a href="#">CBD COP 10</a> <a href="#">(18-29 October, Nagoya, Japan)</a>	
November		

# Concluding remarks....

- ◆ Very lean on anything central to business!



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Biological Diversity



## The Jakarta Charter on Business and Biodiversity

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# The Jakarta Charter on Business and Biodiversity

We the participants attending the *Third Business and the 2010 Biodiversity Challenge* conference held in Jakarta, Indonesia from 30 November to 2 December 2009 Agreed that:

- ◆ Mainstreaming biodiversity into business needs to be enhanced through ..... international standard and certification systems and related initiatives.....;
- ◆ The concept of no net loss of biodiversity and net positive impact, as articulated by the Business and Biodiversity Offsets Program is a practical framework for assessing efforts to implement the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD);
- ◆ Improving the quantity, quality, availability of biodiversity data to facilitate business decision making and action that will support biodiversity conservation and sustainable use;

- ◆ A visionary and effective *Strategy to Advance the 2020 Business & Biodiversity Agenda*, focusing in particular on scaling up of successful approaches for mainstreaming biodiversity into business operations to be considered by the Tenth Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity, to be held in Aichi-Nagoya, Japan in October 2010;
- ◆ Building on the experience of the last three Biodiversity Challenge Conferences, there is a need for a multi-sectoral global forum on Business and Biodiversity for promoting dialogue and partnerships between Parties, representatives of business, civil society representatives and other stakeholders to advance the implementation of the three objectives of the CBD and its new strategic plan;
- ◆ Businesses are encouraged to express their commitment to the three objectives of the CBD by endorsing the *Jakarta Charter on Business and Biodiversity* and participating actively in COP 10 in 2010



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