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# Nature-based Solutions to address global societal challenges

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## Description / Abstract

This report has been prepared as part of an effort by IUCN to define its position on Naturebased Solutions (NbS) and plan for future work to advance this concept and support effective implementation of NbS to enhance ecosystem services provision and address societal challenges.

The report proposes a definitional framework for NbS, including a set of general principles for any NbS intervention. The report also defines the scope of NbS as an umbrella concept embracing a number of different ecosystembased approaches.

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