



UNCTAD's
contribution to
achieving the
SDGs through
BioTrade



*Implementing the
SDGs: trade in
biodiversity-based
goods and services*

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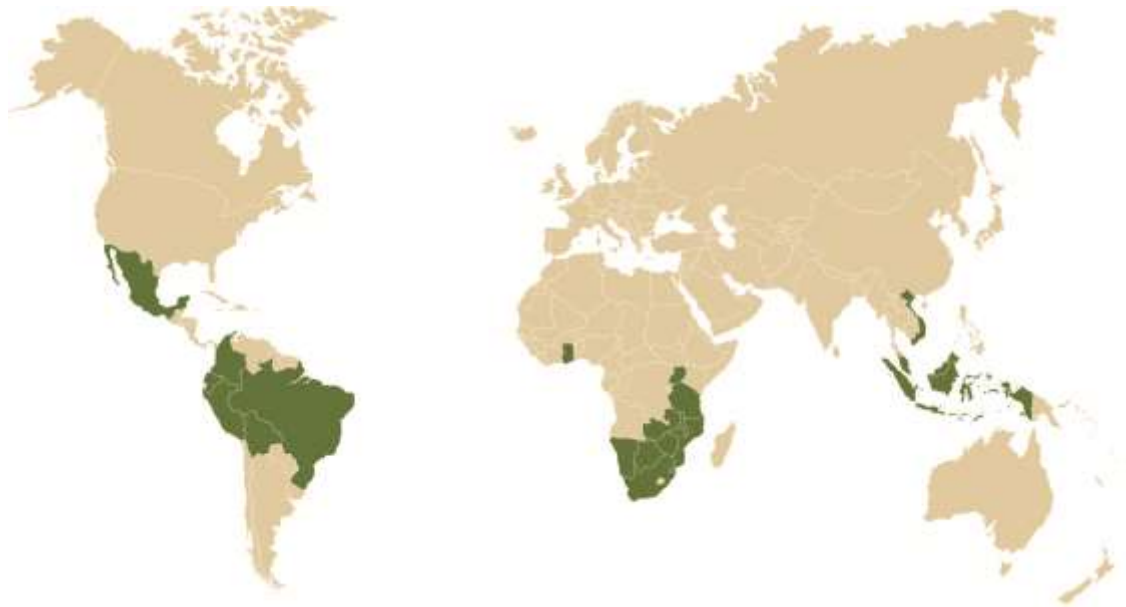
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UNCTAD's BioTrade Initiative

BioTrade refers to those activities of collection, production, transformation, and commercialization of goods and services derived from native biodiversity (species & ecosystems) under the criteria of environmental, social and economic sustainability

BioTrade Principles

1. Conservation of biodiversity
2. Sustainable use of biodiversity
3. Fair and equitable sharing of benefits derived from the use of biodiversity
4. Socio-economic sustainability
5. Compliance with national and international regulations
6. Respect for the rights of actors involved in BioTrade activities
7. Clarity about land tenure, use and access to natural resources and knowledge



Carbon sequestration



Personal care, pharmaceutical, food and fashion industries



Sustainable tourism



Ornament flora and fauna



Handicrafts



Textiles and natural fibres



THE GLOBAL GOALS
For Sustainable Development

SDGs & BioTrade



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REDD+ & BioTrade

Strong interrelation between forests, climate and biodiversity



REDD+ and BioTrade provide incentives to conserve forests and their biodiversity



Diversification and increase of income by commercializing BioTrade products and by trading carbon credits





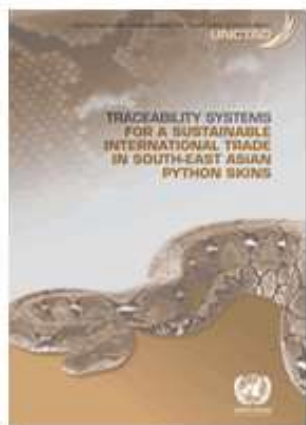
Traceability & BioTrade

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Biodiversity and climate change: Integrating REDD+ into BioTrade Strategies

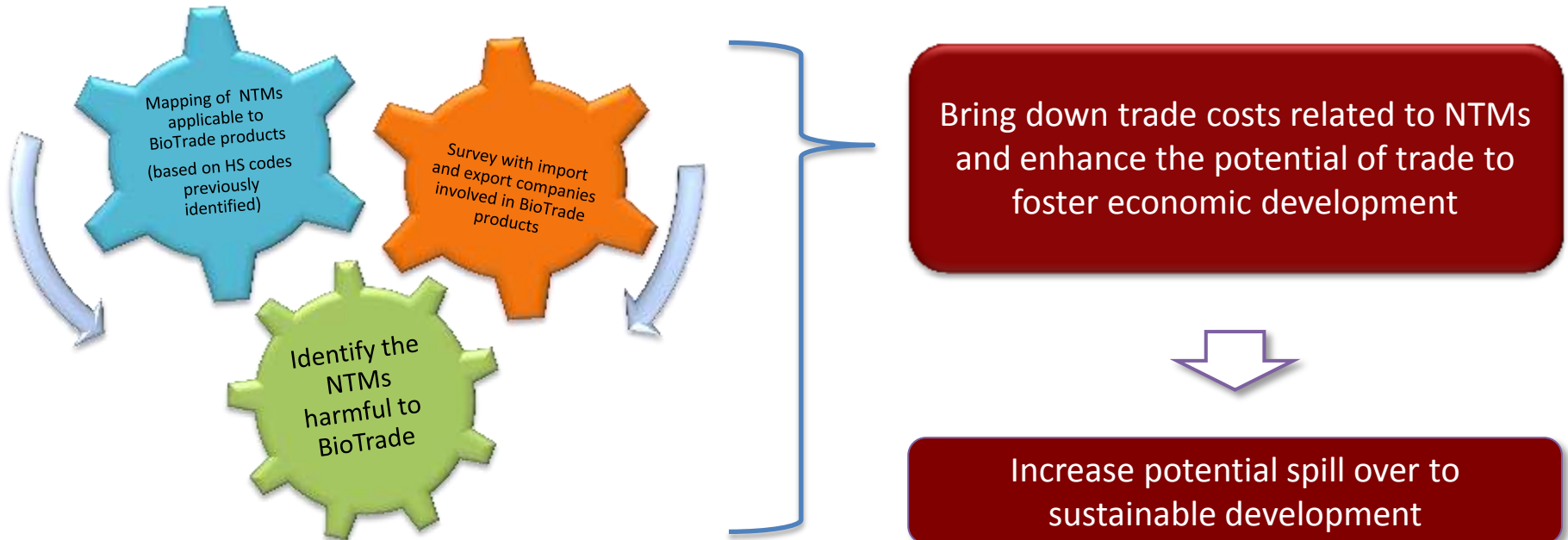
IMPORTANCE OF TRACEABILITY SYSTEMS – SHARING OF EXPERIENCES AND KNOWLEDGE

Background

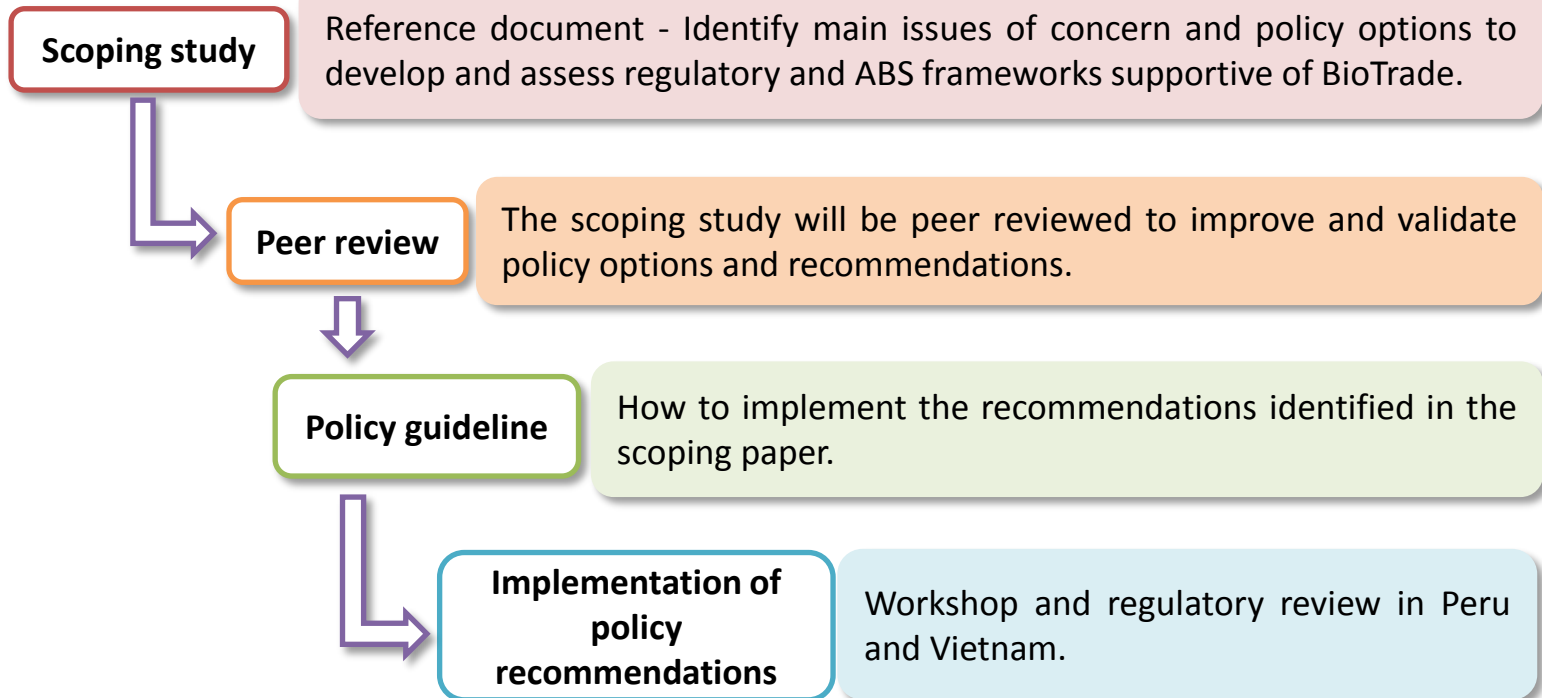
This session discussed the importance of traceability systems to the sustainable sourcing of flora and fauna species, which is legal, sustainable and provides livelihoods to rural communities. Traceability plays a major role in implementing CITES' mandate to regulate the international trade in listed flora and fauna species in order not to threaten their existence. Traceability is also essential for the private sector, as consumers become increasingly concerned about the origins of the products they buy.



NTMs & BioTrade



Access and Benefit Sharing & BioTrade



Peacebuilding & BioTrade

Two thirds of the world's biodiversity hotspots have experienced violent conflict

As part of a peacebuilding process, affected individuals can sustainably use and transform their surrounding biodiversity into value added products and services that are traded, generating additional income.



BioTRADE



Develop and strengthen the value chain of specific products linked to conflict affected communities and individuals



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Questions and answers



Thank you

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