



Nature, Land Use, and Ocean Day

Media Fact Sheet

United to Protect Forests, Mangroves and the Ocean

COP28's Nature, Land Use and Ocean Day saw both public and private sector leaders unite behind landmark commitments on forests, mangroves, landscape restoration, climate-nature finance, and the ocean, reaffirming that near-term action on nature is essential for delivering the goals of the Paris Agreement.

The COP28 Joint Statement on Climate, Nature, and People

Unveiled by the COP28 UAE Presidency and the People's Republic of China, as President of the Convention on Biological Diversity CBD COP15, the ['COP28 Joint Statement on Climate, Nature and People'](#) creates an integrated approach to climate and nature action ahead of CBD COP16 and COP30, ensuring continuity across COPs. The Joint Statement was endorsed by 18 countries and 11 biodiversity partnerships across forests, mangroves and the ocean.

\$2.6 Billion on Nature Mobilized to Date

Over \$2.6 billion has been mobilized during COP28 to fund climate-nature solutions, including \$186.6million in new financing made on Nature, Land Use and Ocean Day.



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21 countries formally endorsed the Mangrove Breakthrough and 30 countries have become members of the Mangrove Alliance for Climate (MAC) since COP27, covering over 60 per cent of mangroves globally.



More than 150 businesses and financial institutions announced plans to set climate and nature targets under the Science-Based Target Network and Science-Based Target International's Forest Land and Agriculture frameworks.