

1. Enhance policy, regulatory and institutional frameworks relevant for the sustainability, integrated management, restoration, long-term financing of Conservation Landscapes and for the development of ecotourism.
2. Strengthen the effectiveness of the institutions at national, provincial, municipal, and local levels, including local communities and indigenous people, in the preservation of beneficiary Conservation Landscapes.
3. Improve the conservation, management, and use of biodiversity, wildlife and ecosystem goods and services in the beneficiary Conservation Landscapes, ensuring the inclusion of the local communities, particularly women, children, youth, and vulnerable populations.

Potential targeted Conservation Landscapes include Quiçama, Luando-Cagandala-Cuanza, and Cameia National Parks.

The Outputs to be delivered by this Action contributing to the corresponding Specific Objectives are:

- 1.1 contributing to Outcome 1 (or Specific Objective 1): Enhanced institutional capacity for the development of policies, laws and regulations governing the sustainable management of natural resources including integrated landscape approach to biodiversity conservation and sustainable ecotourism.
- 1.2 contributing to Outcome 1 (or Specific Objective 1): Strengthened institutional capacity for the effective enforcement of applicable laws, protection of biodiversity, integration of local communities, and promotion of ecotourism.
- 1.3 contributing to Outcome 1 (or Specific Objective 1): Improved monitoring and evaluation mechanisms for tracking the effectiveness of policies, law enforcement, and management in the biodiversity sector.
- 1.4 contributing to Outcome 1 (or Specific Objective 1): Enhanced capacity of ecotourism stakeholders for the marketing and promotion of Angola's natural and cultural attractions.
- 2.1 contributing to Outcome 2 (or Specific Objective 2): Strengthened technical and managerial capacities of personnel at national, provincial, municipal, local and communities' levels in the areas of conservation, law enforcement, and sustainable management.
- 2.2 contributing to Outcome 2 (or Specific Objective 2): Improved TVET offer in the fields of conservation, environmental, biodiversity, climate change and business entrepreneurship.
- 3.1 contributing to Outcome 3 (or Specific Objective 3): Increased capacity of Conservation Landscapes' stakeholders for tracking the progress of conservation, climate mitigation and adaptation and development interventions in beneficiary Conservation Landscapes.
- 3.2 contributing to Outcome 3 (or Specific Objective 3): Enhanced capacity and local community engagement for inclusive conservation management, land-use governance and natural resource management within the beneficiary Conservation Landscapes.
- 3.3 contributing to Outcome 3 (or Specific Objective 3): Enhanced inclusive access to sustainable green and circular economy livelihoods opportunities for community members in the beneficiary Conservation Landscapes.

3.2 Indicative Activities

Activities relating to Output 1.1:

1. Review existing policies, laws, and guidelines for Conservation Landscapes, climate change, and ecotourism, focusing on vulnerable groups.
2. Assess the enforcement, implementation, and monitoring of these policies, identify gaps and barriers (including gender and language issues) and propose solutions.
3. Draft proposals for policy revisions and new guidelines to address those gaps (including enabling frameworks for community-based conservation and other area-based effective conservation measures and sustainable livelihood activities and initiatives).
4. Define the framework needed to establish potential community-based conservation initiatives, conducive sustainable livelihood activities, and initiatives preserving and promoting the cultural heritage of local communities, incorporating traditional knowledge and practices within the conservation landscapes.

Activities relating to Output 1.2:

5. Review institutional frameworks (Ministry of Environment, Ministry of Tourism, INBC, provincial and local levels) to strengthen enforcement of conservation laws, foster community participation in conservation and support ecotourism development.