

# PoWPA Meeting 16 November

WPC, Sydney







# MESSAGE OF THE VTH IUCN WORLD PARKS CONGRESS TO THE CONVENTION ON BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY

September 2003 The Vth IUCN World Parks Congress met on 8-17 September in Durban, South Africa, bringing together some 3000 delegates, representing a diverse range of countries, interests and experience in protected areas. The Congress identified the following actions as being relevant for the development of a programme of work under the Convention.









"Parties to the CBD and the world's protected area community have hailed the CBD Programme of Work on Protected Areas as one of the Convention's most successful initiatives. Since CBD came into force in 1993, the world's Protected Areas have increased by nearly 100% in absolute numbers and by about 60% in total area."

Achim Steiner, UN Under-Secretary General and UNEP Executive Director

"The Programme of Work on Protected Areas is one of the great successes of the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) and has helped stimulate rapid growth in both the number and effectiveness of protected areas throughout the world."

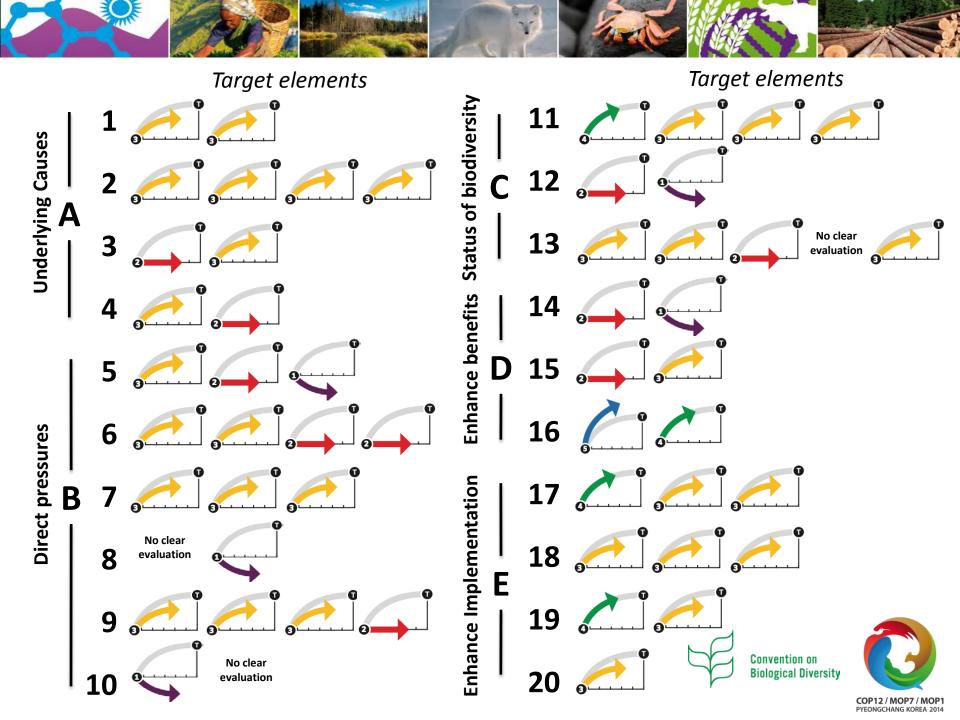
Julia Marton-Lefèvre, IUCN Director General and Nik Lopoukhine, Chair IUCN World

Commission on Protected Areas

"The Programme of Work on Protected areas without doubt can be seen as one of the most successful programmes of the CBD. This is thanks to the high commitment of the Secretariat......

In this context Germany would like to thank the Secretariat and its staff for their tireless efforts."

Statement by the delegation of Germany to SBSTTA 14



# Percentage of global areas protected in 2004 (red) and 2014 (blue)

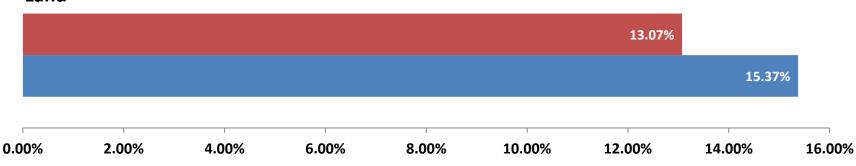
Territorial Seas (0-12 nautical miles)



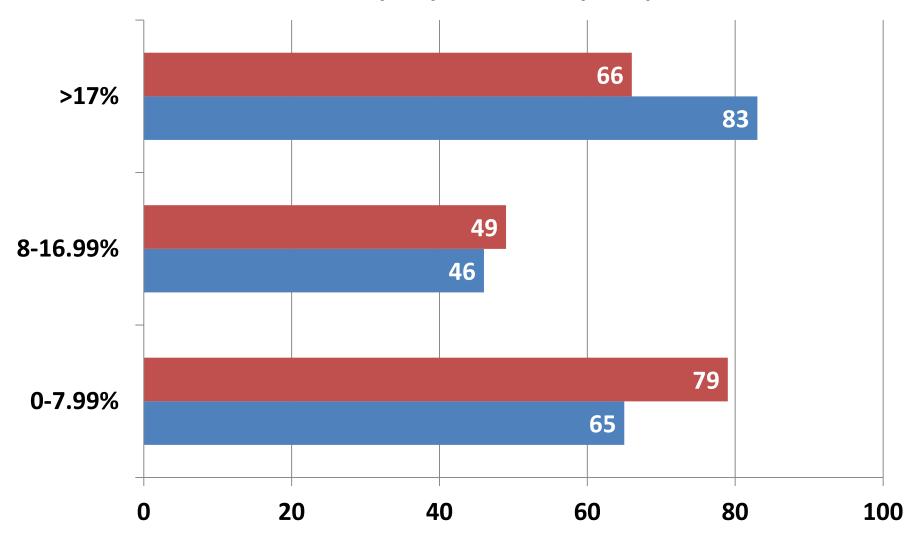
Areas within national jurisdiction (0-200 nautical miles)



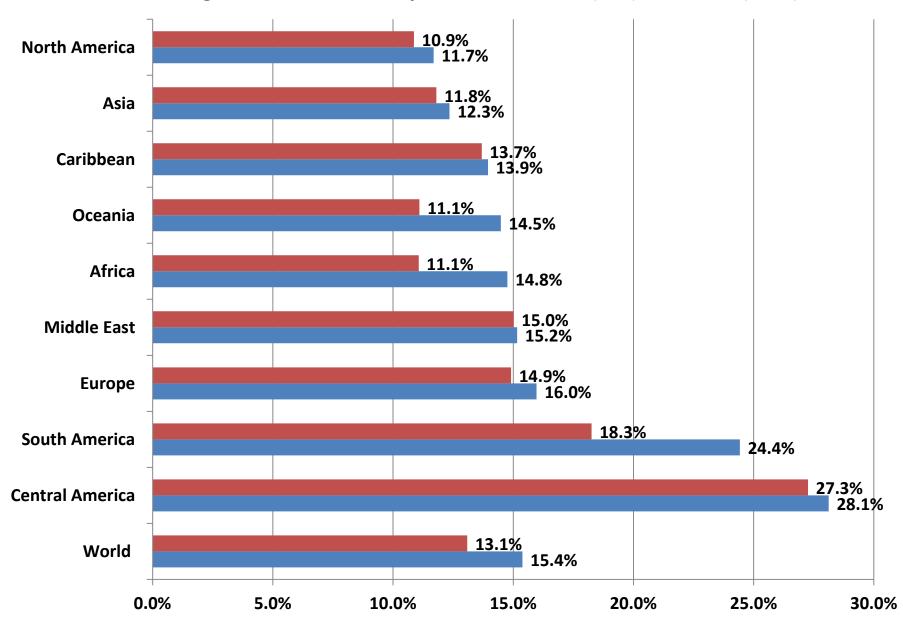
#### Land



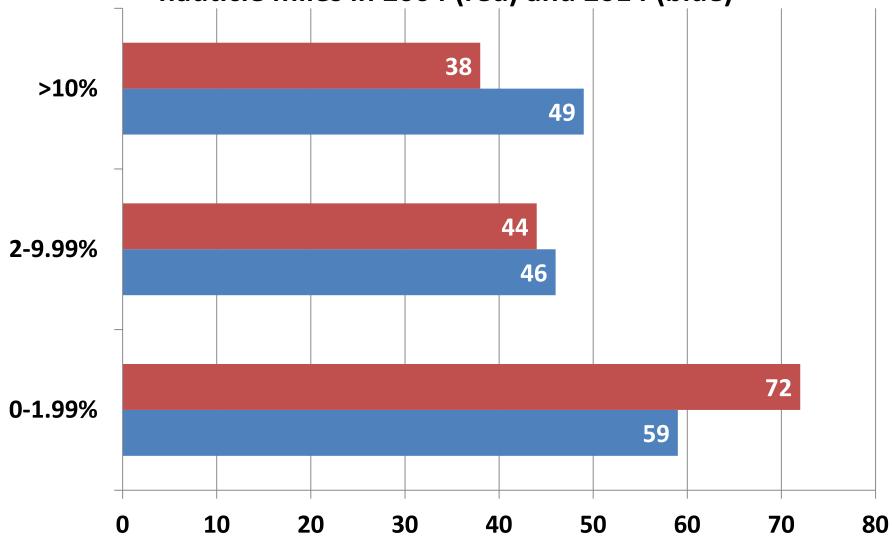
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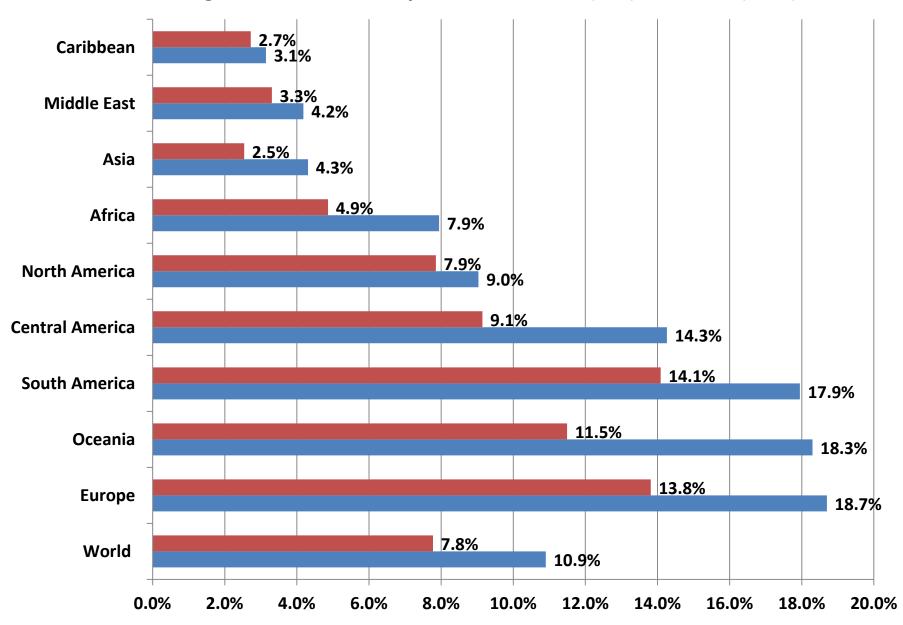
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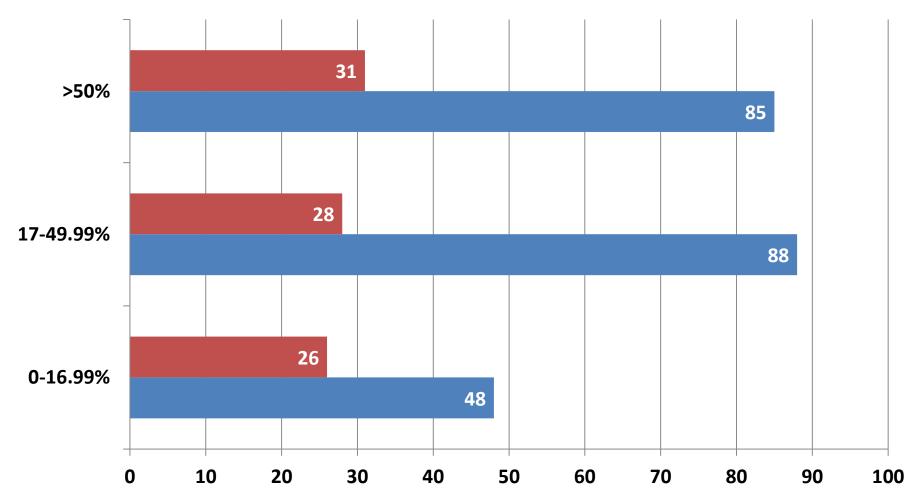
Number of CBD Parties at different levels of protection (percentage) for territorial seas up to 12 nauticle miles in 2004 (red) and 2014 (blue)



#### Percentage of territorial seas protected in 2004 (red) and 2014 (blue)



# The number of countries with different levels of protected area coverage for Alliance for Zero Extinction Sites (red) and Important Bird and Biodiversity Areas (blue)



## **PoWPA Triggered the launch of** regional protected area initiatives

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Forest bridge

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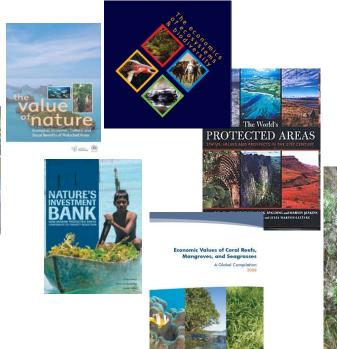
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# PoWPA increased awareness of the many values and benefits of protected areas

 Documentation of ecological, economic, social, and cultural benefits of PAs





# PoWPA facilitated exploration of innovative financial mechanisms & new & additional funding for protected areas

• GEF 4, 5 and 6 notional allocations for PAs under BD focal area

• US \$ 1.5 billion



**Supporting country action on the CBD PoWPA** 

#### LifeWeb

288 million euros



### PoWPA facilitated capacity building and training

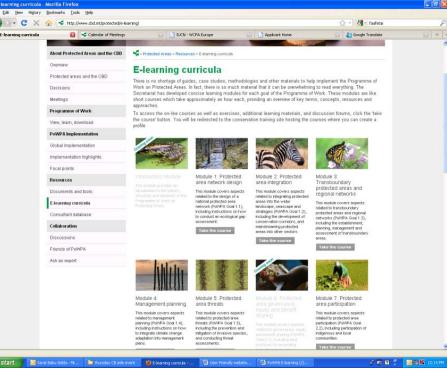
"I have come away enriched and a little better equipped to manage the PoWPA process here in Fiji. In addition I have made some valuable contacts of colleagues who are engaged in similar work and I look forward to strengthening this relationship over time."



Elizabeth Erasito, PoWPA FP, Fiji









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#### Создание сети ООПТ



Урок 3. Анализ результатов и устранение пробелов

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PoWPA fostered creation of national focal points for implement

150 PoWPA Focal Points





I also look forward (to) strengthen (the) partnership with you in building a strong network as we strive to ensure that our world is a safe place to be, especially Mother Africa.

- Nathaniel Blama, PoWPA FP, Liberia

## **PoWPA fostered partnerships**

- •Friends of PoWPA: Governments, NGOs, ILCs, industry and business, academic and research institutions work together at regional and national level
- Promote development of regional technical support networks to facilitate implementation

















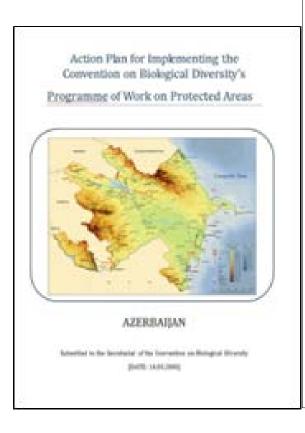
"Cela fait plaisir de voir qu'il existe un groupe d'hommes et de femmes engagés à faire avancer le PoWPA en Afrique. C'est l'occasion pour nous a réitérer notre engagement à travailler à coté pour que nous relevions les grands défis devant nous."



Arona Soumaré
 WWF- Western Africa Marine Ecoregion

# PoWPA spurred significant national action

108 countries developed **PoWPA Action Plans** and in the process of integrating them into revised **NBSAPs** 



Action Plan for Implementing the Programme of Work on Protected Areas of the Convention on Biological Diversity



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Substitled to the Secretarist of the Convention on Biological Diversity

May 26, 1812

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# Now it is for PoWPA to send a message to WPC