

Four "Basic Strategies"

1 Mainstreaming Biodiversity in our daily life

Launching "Our Life on Biodiversity" project which aims to enhance the involvement of local governments, businesses, NGOs and the public

- Guidance for strategies at local levels
- Development of guidelines for private sector
- Proposal for a biodiversity-friendly lifestyle

Hands-on nature experiences for school kids, and primal experiences to "feel with the five senses"

2 Re-building sound relationship between man and nature in local communities

Selecting "Important *satochi-satoyama* areas have to be inherited by next generation"; developing management models as commons

Developing communities coexisting with wildlife through separating habitat and capacity building

Promoting sound activities of agriculture, forestry and fisheries which contribute to the conservation of biodiversity

Managing habitat for endangered fauna and flora; combating alien species issues

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3 Securing linkages among forests, countrysides, rivers and the sea

Realizing the ecological network at national scale

Promoting a comprehensive review of National and Quasi-National Parks, and promoting nature restoration

Studies on marine protected areas to secure sustainable fishery activities

4 Taking action with global perspective

Hosting COP10 of the Convention on Biological Diversity

Conducting a country-wide comprehensive ecosystem assessment (Japan Biodiversity Outlook)

- Developing biodiversity indicators
- Mapping of states of crisis; selecting "Hot Spots"

Proposing the "SATOYAMA Initiative" to the world
- to realize a society in harmony with nature

Consideration of mitigation and adaptation measures for global warming in the context of biodiversity
(Conserving forests and wetlands;
Forming ecological networks resistant to global warming)