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# Natural Capital: solutions for a changing world

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## The earth's stock of natural assets - including forests, rivers, land, minerals and oceans – that supply us with essential goods (such as food, medicine, fuel and building materials) and services such as pollination climate regulation and flood protection

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### Natural capital is thus the <u>stocks</u> of natural ecosystems that yield <u>flows</u> of valuable ecosystem goods or services

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#### Can't see the **TREES** for the **WOOD?**

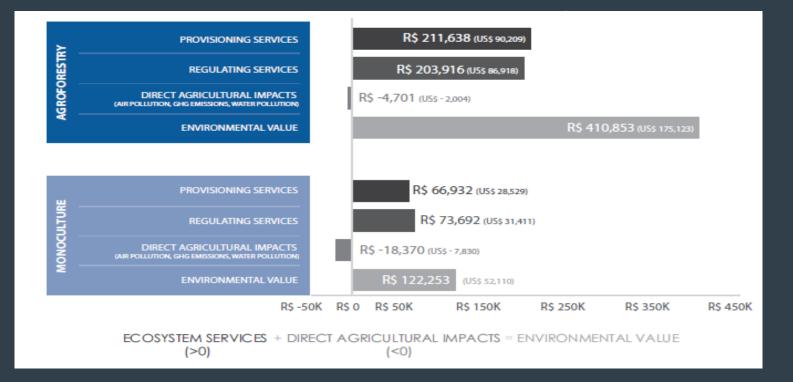
Natural Capital explained ...





It's time to start valuing nature's capital

## Natura - Brazil palm oil case study



TEEB for Business, Brazil, 2014





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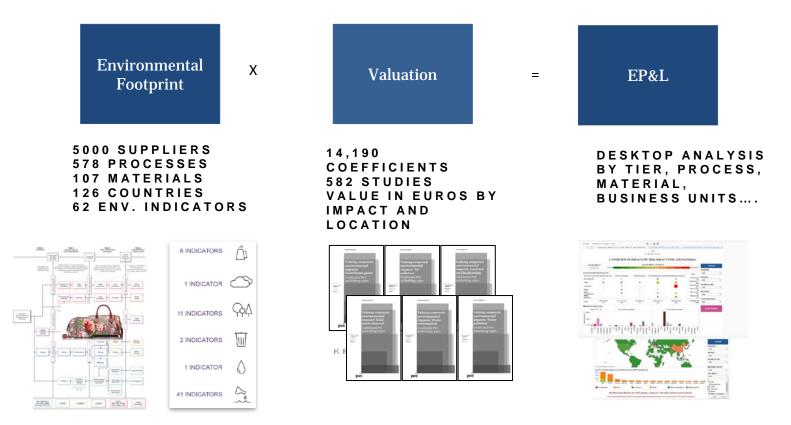


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# Four highlights

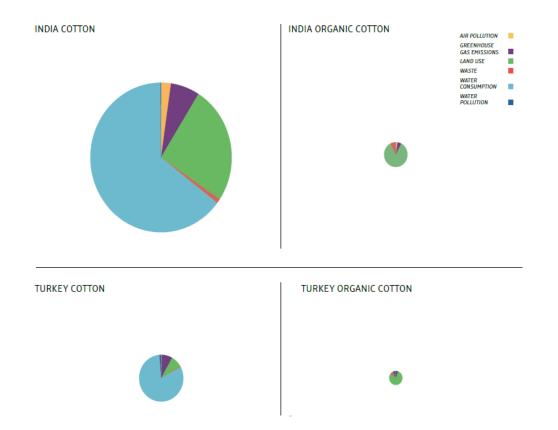
# Natural Capital accounting Investable conservation products Finance sector disruptors Ethical Charter

#### What is an E P&L?



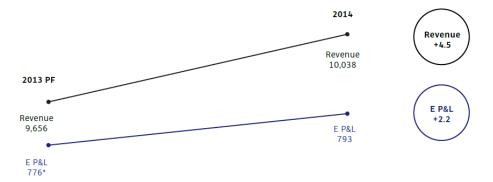
#### Using the EP&L as a Business decision tool

#### VALUED E P&L IMPACTS PER 1 KG OF CONVENTIONAL AND ORGANIC COTTON FROM INDIA AND TURKEY

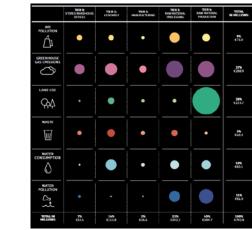


TIER 0: TIER 3: TIER 4: TOTAL IN MILLIONS: TIER 1: TIER 2: RAW MATERIAL RAW MATERIAL STORES WAREHOUSE ASSEMBLY MANUFACTURING OFFICES PROCESSING PRODUCTION AIR POLLUTION Ő 9% €75.0 GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS 37% €288.9  $\sim$ LAND USE ĢΔ 28% €223.7 • ٠ WASTE 5% €40.3 Ŵ WATER CONSUMPTION **10%** €80.1  $\bigcirc$ ٠ WATER POLLUTION 11% €84.8 **∆**°\$ • ٠ TOTAL IN MILLIONS: **7%** €52.4 **14%** €111.8 5% €36.6 25% €202.3 **49%** €389.7 100% €792.8

KERING GROUP 2014 E P&L RESULTS 2013 vs. 2014



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TOTAL	2% 6540	13% 6100,3	4% 63.70	24% 6197.6	50% O11.7	100% (771,0



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# Natural Capital Protocol



provide clear guidance on **qualitative, quantitative and monetary valuation** of natural capital impacts and dependencies and when to apply which level of assessment

be framed for use in different business applications

provide guidance on the applicability of the Protocol at **different organizational levels** (corporate, project, products, site) through the value chain

be applicable to all **business sectors** across **all geographies** 





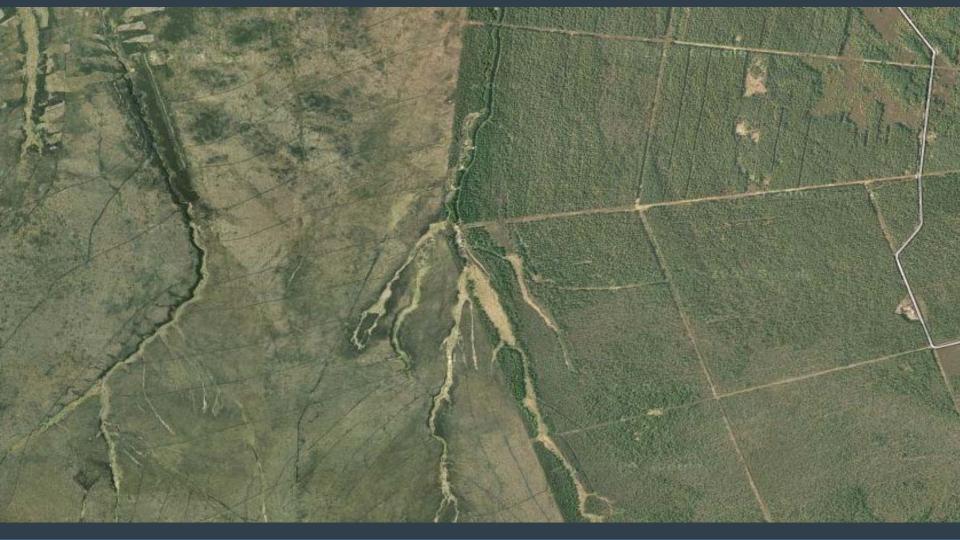
To meet global demand for conservation funding, investable cashflows need to be 20-30 times higher than they are today. \$200-300 billion a year

To unlock this level of private investment we need to develop measurable and verifiable products which provide conservation <u>and</u> financial returns



In EU, 80% of the  $CO_2$  emissions from agricultural land are from peatland









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Department for Environment Food & Rural Affairs







Rural Economy and Land Use Programme



# Payments for Ecosystem Services

- $\checkmark$  A voluntary transaction where
- ✓ A well-defined ecosystem service or land use management likely to secure that service
- ✓ Is being invested in an ecosystem service investor
- ✓ From one or multiple ecosystem service providers
- ✓ If and only if the ecosystem service provider secures provision

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# How much will it cost?

The Costs:						
Capital cost to restore the peat bog, depending on degree of damage.	£257-£400 per hectare					
Cost of monitoring over a 30 year contract	£126 per hectare					
Management costs over the 30 years	£180 per hectare					
Total cost for a 100 hectare site	£56,300-£70,600					
A $\pounds$ 72,435 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) restoration project would be equivalent to paying $\pounds$ 7.50 per tonne CO <sub>2</sub> -eq (including a 25% carbon buffer). NB for some projects the costs may be higher – up to $\pounds$ 15 per tonne CO2-eq.						
The Benefits:						
Expected Greenhouse Gas emission reduction benefits depending on type of restoration and state of damaged peatland.	3.9-4.2 tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent per hectare per year,					
Total Greenhouse Gas emission reductions for a 100 hectare site, over 30 years.	<b>11,700-12,600 tonnes of <math>CO_2</math></b> ( equivalent to a year's $CO_2$ emissions of over 7000 average family cars)					
If this CSR investment were turned into an asset, the investment would break even by the end of the contract, with a projected carbon market value of £7.50 per tonne between 2020-2030. Further returns on investment would be possible under higher market values.						

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# BANK AND INVESTOR RISK POLICIES ON SOFT COMMODITIES

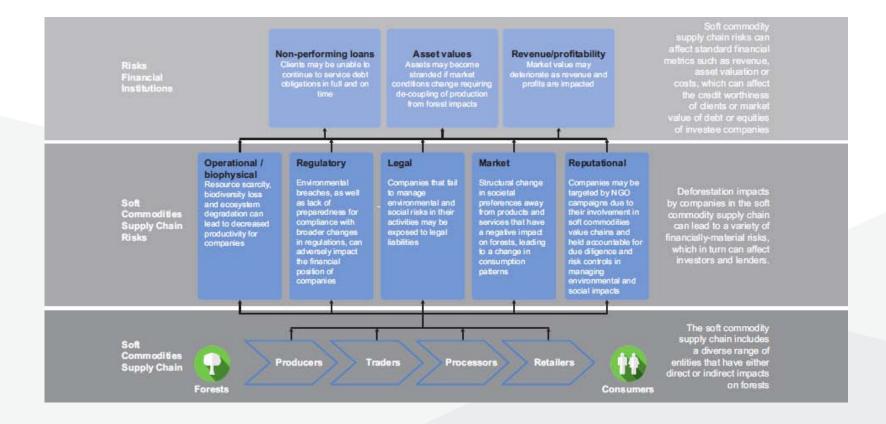
A framework to evaluate deforestation and forest degradation risk in the agricultural value chain



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# Risks to financial institutions





# Natural Capital Charter















## Transformational change? Four Challenges

# Finance sector adoption - internalising externalities De-regulatory agenda Ideological inertia Complexity of nature



# Thank you

