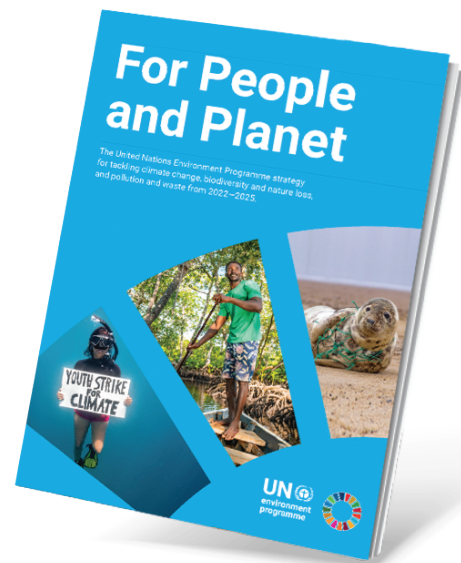
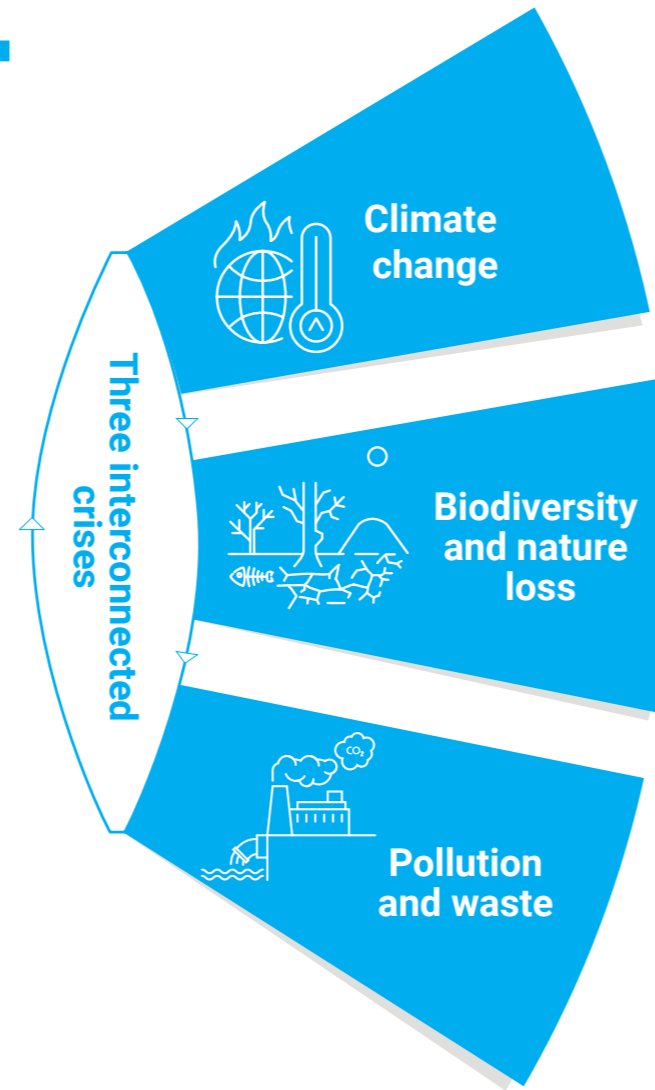


FOR PEOPLE AND PLANET

THE UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME STRATEGY FOR TACKLING CLIMATE CHANGE, BIODIVERSITY AND NATURE LOSS, AND POLLUTION AND WASTE FROM 2022–2025



The Medium-Term Strategy outlines the contribution of UNEP to the 2030 Agenda and the decade of action during the period 2022–2025, with a 2050 outlook on planetary sustainability for people, prosperity and equity.



Four Levers of Change for Better Delivery



Multilateral environmental agreements and their multiplier effect

UNEP will promote coherent and synergized cooperation across all the multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs) to increase their impact and deliver enhanced results, while supporting Member States capacities to implement MEA decisions and create the required policy instruments, frameworks and legislation.



Inclusive multilateralism for stronger global environmental governance

UNEP will promote transparent and accountable environmental governance at all levels, building an inclusive and multilateral response to the triple planetary crisis that mobilizes all those who can influence the changes needed to achieve the SDGs, from governments to private sector to the youth.



Raising environmental ambition through United Nations reform

UNEP will approach the United Nations reform through the lens of the triple planetary crisis, providing guidance across all aspects of the UN mission and raising collective ambition - from global to local - to accelerate and scale up progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals.



Innovative communication for empowered environmental advocacy

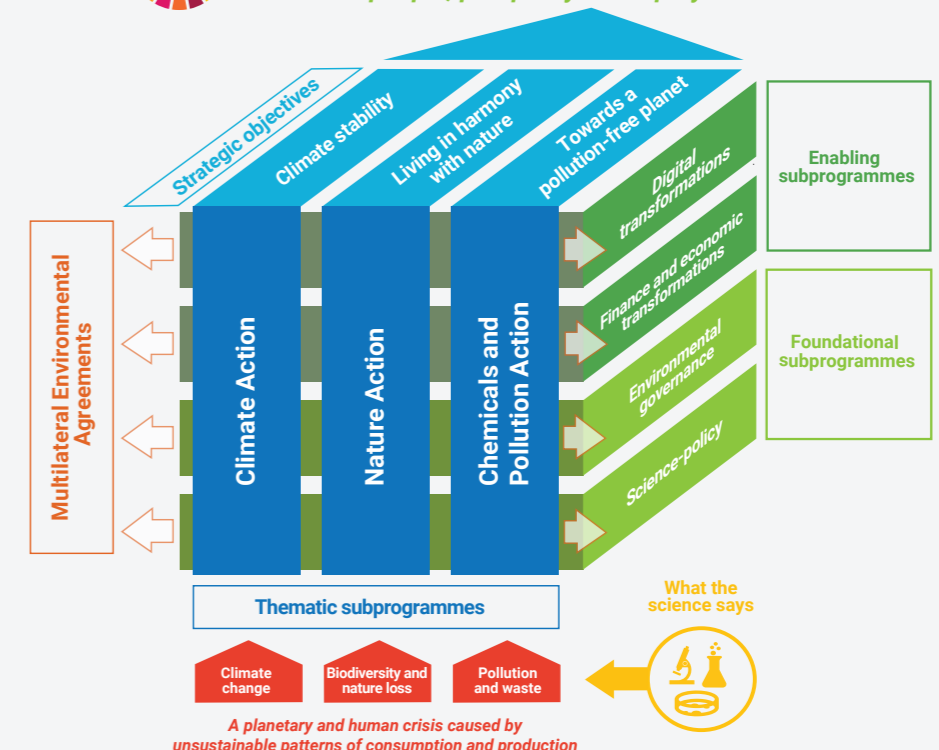
UNEP communications will shape a global narrative around the triple planetary crisis, spurring science-based societal action and inclusive engagement that generate political and social commitments and bring about the policy changes required to drive action for people and planet.

The UNEP medium term strategy 2022-2025 focuses on three strategic objectives delivered by three thematic subprogrammes, underpinned by two foundational subprogrammes and facilitated by two enabling subprogrammes.

Informed by the latest science and in collaboration with the multilateral environmental agreements (MEAs), the strategy charts UNEP's response to the triple planetary crisis and its drivers of unsustainable patterns of consumption and production.



Towards the Sustainable Development Goals For people, prosperity and equity



Three thematic subprogrammes outline the principal areas of action of the medium-term strategy in response to the triple planetary crisis.



Climate Action

helps lower greenhouse gas emissions in line with the Paris Agreement while supporting states as they adapt to an already-changing climate, promoting sustainable development in the process.



Nature Action

delivers science-based solutions to halt and reverse the loss of biodiversity while restoring ecosystems, which is key to many economic activities as well as the provision of goods and services critical to human welfare.



Chemicals and Pollution Action

prevents pollution, improving health and human well-being while safeguarding ecosystems and increasing their resilience to shocks.

Two foundational subprogrammes underpin UNEP's action, drawing on the organization's core expertise in science and environmental law and governance.



Science-policy

delivers credible and independent data, information and knowledge on the state of the environment and provides policy-relevant analysis and recommendations to catalyze and accelerate actions and solutions for the environment based on continuous review of global status and trends.



Environmental governance

supports countries in developing and implementing environmental policies in an integrated manner and promotes coherent decision making towards more effective legal and institutional frameworks that underpin the achievement of internationally agreed goals for climate, biodiversity and pollution in the context of the 2030 Agenda.

Two enabling subprogrammes will facilitate UNEP's responses, engaging the finance and business world, and leveraging digital transformations for the environment.



Finance and economic transformations

promotes the shift of finance and business practices towards sustainable patterns of consumption and production – and towards reducing climate impacts, biodiversity loss and pollution to realize the aspirations of the 2030 Agenda.



Digital transformations

integrates environmental and sustainability norms and goals into the global digital agenda, using digital tools to accelerate action on climate change, biodiversity and nature loss, chemicals and pollution, and bringing more transparency to knowledge of the state of our environment.