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Stream 4:

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Aims of Stream 4

To highlight the socio-economic contribution and environmental benefits of Protected Areas for sustainable human development



Stream 4 Themes

	Theme	Led by
1.	Food security and nutrition	FAO
2.	Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)	Ministry of Environment of Japan (MOEJ)
3.	Water and watershed management	IUCN World Commission on Protected Areas (WCPA)
4.	Joint themes	FAO, MOEJ, WCPA



Topics

Food security and nutrition

- Food security and nutrition (terrestrial and marine)
- Agricultural production systems within protected areas
- *In-situ* conservation and use of genetic resources
- Protected landscapes and watershed management



Topics cont'd.....

Water and watershed management

- Benefits to water services
- Water security
- Valuation of water resources
- Guaranteeing quality of water



Topics cont'd

Disaster risk reduction

- Nature-based solutions
- Preparation and recovery
- Guidelines for protected area management
- Integration of green and grey infrastructure



Joint sessions

- Valuation and payment for ecosystem services
- Tenure and resource governance
- Marine protected areas
- Climate change
- Community-based natural resource management
- Restoration sites
- World Heritage sites



Activities

- **Before the Congress:**
 - *Raising awareness at global regional levels*
- **During the Congress**
 - *Keynote presenters highlighting successful innovative approaches*
 - *Experience sharing based on practical cases*
 - *Posters; capacity development; exhibitions*
- **After the congress:**
 - *Support to countries in implementing recommendations*



Thank you

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