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Managing Ecosystem Services across the Nexus of Biodiversity, Water, Food, Health and Climate Change

This presentation will provide an overview of the key messages from the IPBES Nexus Assessment Summary for Policymakers. The assessment highlights that the world is facing interlinked crises of biodiversity loss, water and food insecurity, health threats and climate change that amplify one another. Tackling these in separate silos to date has been ineffective and counterproductive. Yet the nexus assessment demonstrates that a wide range of response options are available now for tackling these crises together and provides the evidence and tools to support decision-makers in developing integrated decisions and actions. This includes guidance on how economic, financing and governance systems can evolve towards holistic and integrated approaches that recognize the role different actors have in ensuring more just and sustainable outcomes for people and nature.