

Funding & research for biodiversity

This project will take forward recommendations from 2007 Overseas Territories nature conservation assessments by identifying and securing additional funding for biodiversity conservation within the Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies, and by providing a brokering service for research projects.

Multilateral environment agreements

This project provides advice and support to Overseas Territories, Crown Dependencies and UK Government departments on the interpretation and application of multilateral environmental agreements that have been extended to the Territories, including CBD, Ramsar and CITES. Specific support is provided to the UK south Atlantic Overseas Territories in implementing the Agreement on the Conservation of Albatrosses and Petrels (ACAP). The project also supports and advises Overseas Territory governments on the implementation of Environmental Charters.

Sustainable Development

This project provides support and advice to Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies on issues including, economic valuation, climate change, the ecosystem approach and invasive species.



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Opportunities for collaboration



JNCC Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies Programme

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What is JNCC?

JNCC is the Joint Nature Conservation Committee.

We are the UK Government's statutory adviser on issues for and affecting nature conservation in the UK as a whole and internationally.

We provide scientific and, in some instances, policy advice to Government.

What key areas does JNCC advise on?

- Setting of standards for and advising on monitoring and surveillance;
- Site conservation goals and management;
- Marine mapping and area protection; ecosystem approach;
- Climate change;
- Economic valuations of biodiversity interpretation and implementation of MEAs.

JNCC Overseas Territories Programme

Aim: Provide, to UK Government departments, the governments of the Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies and others, timely and sound advice to support the achievement of the 2010 biodiversity target, the progressing of Environment Charters, and the implementation of multilateral environment agreements.



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What are the JNCC's OT/CD projects?

Advice & Communications

This project will provide ongoing advice and support to UK government in addressing marine and terrestrial nature conservation priorities in the UK Overseas Territories and Crown dependencies. In addition it will facilitate more effective exchanges of information, experiences and skills with and between Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies, UK Government and Non-Government Organisations (NGOs), including the hosting of workshops, producing newsletters and encouraging skill sharing.