

# Nature, Ministries of Finance, and WRI

## The value of nature to people is through ecosystem services:

1. Food, water, timber, plant materials
  - **Factors of production**
2. Clean water and air, erosion and flood control, carbon storage, climate resilience
  - **Regulating services**
3. Recreation, health, art, religion, knowledge
  - **Cultural benefits**

## Why this matters for Ministries of Finance:

- Growth, income, and jobs
  - **Rural production, supply chains, exports**
- Climate resilience
  - **Flood control, water quantity and quality, coastal protection**
- Revenue
  - **Forest and blue carbon markets; sustainability bonds**

# WRI – 8 Programs and 3 Cross-cutting Centers



**Cities**



**Climate**



**Energy**



**Food**



**Forests**



**Ocean**



**Water**



**Land**



**Equity**



**Finance**



**Economics**

# WRI – 8 Programs and 3 Cross-cutting Centers

Cities 4 Forests  
Urban Efficiency and  
Climate

**Cities**

Climate Watch  
Land and Carbon Lab

**Climate**

System Change Lab  
Clean Energy Invest-  
ment Accelerator

**Energy**

Food and Land Use  
Coalition  
Cool Food

**Food**

Forest Watch  
30 x 30 High  
Ambition Coalition

**Forests**

High Level Panel for  
a Sustainable Ocean  
Economy

**Ocean**

Aqueduct  
Urban Water  
Resilience

**Water**

Global Restoration  
Initiative – AFR100  
and Latin America

**Land**

Triple Dividends of  
Resilience

**Equity**

RAMP – Resilience  
and Adaptation  
Mainstreaming  
Program

**Finance**

New Climate Economy  
Valuing Nature

**Economics**

# Full benefits of adaptation investments include nature

First dividend (Avoided Losses)    Second dividend (Induced Development Benefits)    Third dividend (Environmental Benefits)

