VALUING OUR BIODIVERSITY

Biodiversity supplies:
- Diverse food products
- Timber and fuel
- Textiles
- Medicinal products
- Fresh water
- Fertile soils

Ecosystem services:
- Regulate our climate
- Control floods
- Pollinate crops
- Purify our water
- Absorb CO₂ gases
- Stop erosion

Natural areas offer:
- Beautiful landscapes
- Amazing wildlife
- Peace and tranquility
- A healthy environment
- Recreation and tourism
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Biodiversity, of which we are an integral part, represents the immense variety of life on earth. It is all around us and provides the basis of our health, prosperity and quality of life.