



# What We Offer

## Who is Eligible to Apply?

We will consider submissions by private, public, or civil society entities involved in infrastructure projects.

This includes all stakeholders involved in infrastructure projects—municipalities and urban planners, infrastructure investors, private sector enterprises dependent on or designing nature-based infrastructure, etc.

The NBI Global Resource Centre is looking for project proponents who will work with us to co-create the assessment and identify the risks and impacts of their project with us. We also count on project proponents to deliver the available project-related data (feasibility studies, impact assessments, and other materials).

Priority will be given to project proponents in developing countries and countries most vulnerable to climate change.

## What Kind of Projects Are We Looking For?

We are seeking NBI projects or grey-built projects that can be enhanced or replaced by NBI.

NBI in the context of this project includes:

- Natural ecosystems or working landscapes that can be conserved, rehabilitated, and maintained to enhance the delivery of ecosystem services, enhance the delivery of direct and indirect co-benefits, reduce the need to build grey infrastructure, and complement and enhance the efficiency of grey infrastructure. Examples include restoring peatland, protecting mangroves, or implementing agroforestry.
- Hybrid infrastructure, also referred to as grey-green infrastructure, that combines engineered and nature-based solutions. For example, constructed wetlands that complement wastewater treatment plants or green roofs that cool down urban areas.

Projects can be in the early design stage, planning stage, or implementation stage.

Preference will be given to:

- Projects in developing countries and those that are vulnerable to the impacts of climate change.
- Projects that can impact policy changes.
- Projects that have significant potential to be implemented, financed, or scaled up thanks to the NBI assessment.
- Project partners that can provide co-funding or in-kind contributions (e.g., data collection) to the NBI valuation.



## What Can You Expect?

A customized NBI valuation includes:

- An economic and financial assessment of an NBI project and a comparison to grey-built infrastructure options under different climate scenarios.
- Capacity building during the valuation process in the form of virtual meetings.
- Interactive, participative discussions throughout the process and a webinar at the end to discuss results with a wider group of stakeholders and raise awareness on the value of NBI.
- A technical report describing the valuation methods and results of the valuation.

The valuation is based on a rigorous simulation methodology that draws from the [Sustainable Asset Valuation or SAVi](#) and is described in more detail here [link to methodology page].

This process will happen through a series of virtual meetings (minimum 3) and interactions via the NBI Resource Centre Portal.

## How Long Will the Assessment Take?

The review process takes approximately 1 month. An assessment will typically take 3–4 months from initial engagement with the project proponent to the delivery of assessment results.



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