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Glinščica catchment (SLO) demonstration site

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NBS Clustering Event in A Coruna

Workshop session IV



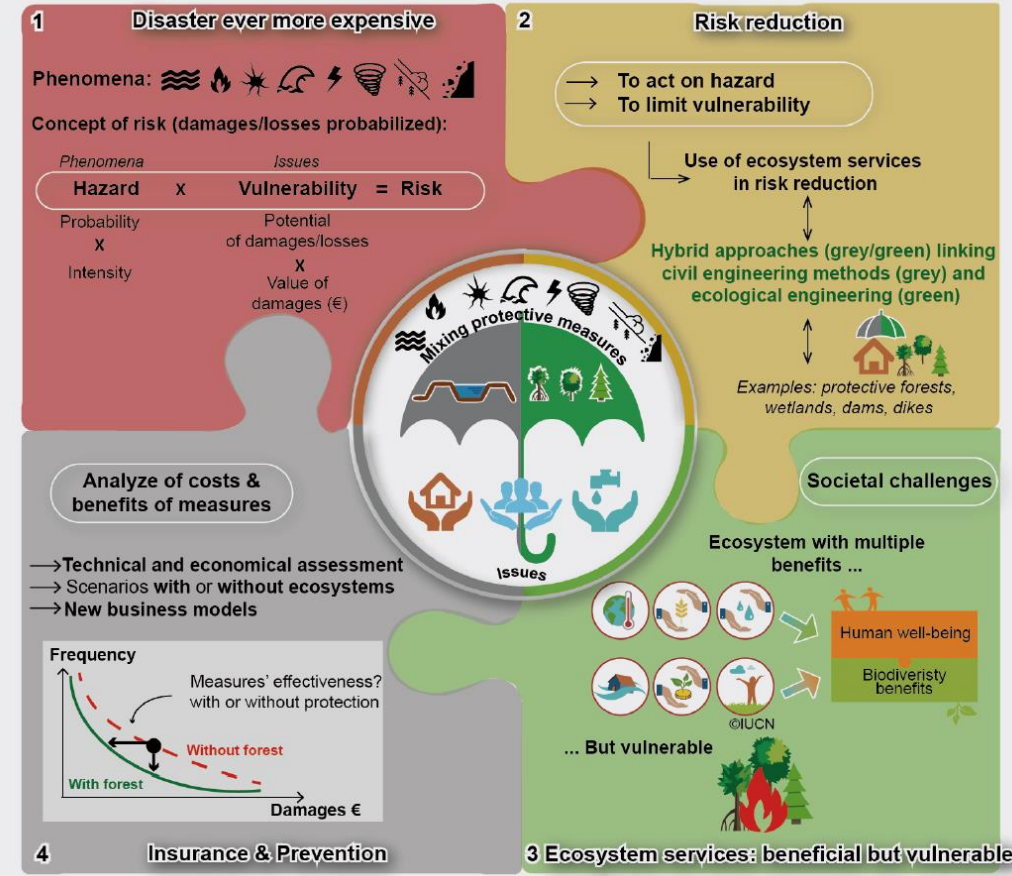
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Nature Insurance: Assessment and Demonstration

- 23 partners, 11 countries, 9 demos
- NBS in risk management (flood, drought, wildfire, avalanche,...)
- Assessment Framework/Operationalization
 - Physical assessment/determine current status
 - Social risk perception/identify NBS
 - Economic Valuation/assess potential for impact
 - Funding and finance
- Policy uptake and impact

Nature-Based Solutions (NBS): an opportunity for the insurance sector! (IRSTEA, 2017)



VULNERABILITY

These are elements that can aggravate the flood impacts.

VARIABLES DESCRIPTION			SCORE				
			1	2	3	4	5
SOCIAL VUNERABILITY Refers to the inability of citizen and public organizations to withstand adverse impacts to flood hazards.	Lack community involvement	It refers at the mechanism that allows the citizens to share and raise awareness about risk flood					
	Lack of an early warning system	Is a system to enable the community to prepare at flood risk and act accordingly to mitigate or avoid it. E.g preventive measures, protection strategies, action plans, etc..					
ECONOMIC VULNERABILITY	Lack of public funding	It refers at inability of public funds to act prevention measures to reduce flood risk					
ENVIRONMENTAL VULNERABILITY The human activities modify environment, transform the land surface and lead to a biological diversity losses.	Flood plain occupation	It refers at urbanization of flood plain					

Form 2 – Selecting the list of actions to be implemented in order to obtain the selected benefits

Different actions need to be implemented in order to achieve the selected benefits and co-benefits. For each of the most important benefits, write on a post it all the actions that, according to your opinion, need to be implemented in order to achieve those benefits. Please, use the following lists as a support for the selection of the most suitable actions. Three different classes of actions were identified, i.e. “green” solutions, “grey” solutions and “soft” (social and institutional) solutions. Please, do not limit yourself to these lists. Feel free to add other solutions if needed. There is no limit in the number of actions that can be suggested for each co-benefit.

NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS

Renaturing urban water bodies

Reduce canalization of the waterbodies

Re-vegetation in urban areas (street trees, grasslands, green roofs, infiltration gardens etc.)

Re-establishing meandering and oxbows

Restore riparian vegetation

Construction of dry retention areas on flood plains

Create artificial waterbodies for short term water storage (ponds etc.)

Use of balancing ponds to release water slowly

Preventing soil compaction (forests, farm fields, urban areas, grasslands etc)

Forest management

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Benefits and co-benefits to be provided	Score
Improve the state of the green areas and ecosystem	
Increase the accessibility of green areas	
Recreational values	
Temperature reduction	
Abatement of pollutants	
Groundwater quality	
Enhance air quality	
Enhance biodiversity	
Enhance community involvement in risk management	
Improve community's risk awareness	
Social value of urban ecosystem	
Increase cultural richness and diversity in urban area	
Increase the institutional cooperation for risk management	
Reduce building and infrastructure damages	
Increase the population protected by risk management measures	
Positive health effects of urban green areas	
Increase urban attractiveness toward business companies	
Reduce soil erosion	
Reduce runoff	
Reduce flood peak	
Increase the institutional cooperation for risk management	



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- Mahatma Gandhi



THANK YOU



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