

The opportunities presented by collaborative management approaches to conservation



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Challenges we are faced with

- Vast and complex landscapes in which we are attempting conservation
- Increasing human pressures
- Acute shortages of funding, human resources and capacity
- Hesitancy of some donors due to lack of frameworks to invest in
- Limits to the abilities of governments and communities to absorb and process funding
- Challenges associated with making the TFCA dream work

Opportunities created by collaborative management approaches

- Allow for long term financial and technical support
- Open up access to donors that may otherwise not engage
- There are an array of options which allow for improved outcomes in a range of scenarios
- Collaborative management approaches are flexible and can involve multiple SH groups
- Provide significant scope for landscape approaches
- As such can link conservation and development/poverty alleviation
- Can allow for improved regional integration
- Offers scope for the TFCA dream to be realised

Thank you



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