

SWOT ANALYSIS OF UGANDA'S NBSAP

- **Strength**
 - Mainstreamed in national development frameworks (e.g. Constitution, NDP, sectoral policies)
 - Developed in a consultative and participatory manner- Ownership
 - Policy, legal and institutional frameworks in place
 - Valuation of biodiversity and ecosystem services and their linkage to national development
 - On-going discussion on REDD and development of REDD Strategy for Uganda
 - Development of a Clearing House Mechanism – coordination and info sharing
 - Growth of eco-tourism
- **Weaknesses**
 - Not aligned to national vision (2040), Rio+20, MDGs
 - Limited awareness of true biodiversity values
- **Opportunities**
 - Value addition to biodiversity products
 - Improved market access for biodiversity products
 - Employment opportunities
 - Use of biodiversity resources to alleviate poverty
- **Threats**
 - Widespread Poverty
 - High Population growth
 - Limited/inadequate financing
 - Limited infrastructure and human capacity
 - Lack of data/information to guide decision
 - Weak institutional collaboration
 - Discovery of Oil and Gas in biodiversity rich area