

Solutions: An Overview

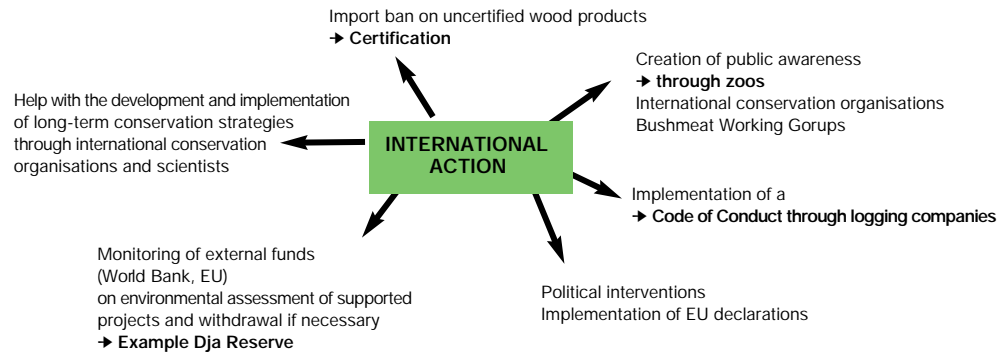
Measures for stemming the bushmeat trade must be addressed at all levels and carefully co-ordinated. Action is especially asked from political decision-makers.
This goal can be achieved through pressure created from a large public awareness.

Everyone can help!

- ☛ Check your own consumer habits
- ☛ Use your power as a consumer by buying certified wood products
- ☛ Become informed about the issues and spread your knowledge
- ☛ Approach influential people in politics and economy
- ☛ Support nature conservation organisations with your signature, your donation or direct practical help



International collaboration (here the team for a large mammal census in Kahuzi-Biega National Park) promotes understanding and moves projects onwards.



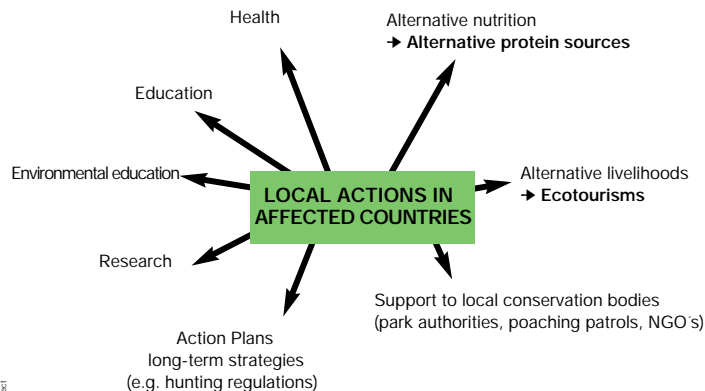
„Sustainable Development“ (= mutual striving for economic wealth, social equality and protection of natural living resources). This was already demanded by the IUCN in 1980 and again by the UN-Conference for Environment and Development in 1987 and 1992 (Agenda 21). In 1996, however, the IUCN stated that projects on sustainable development so far have shown to be economically dependent in various ways, to be unpredictable and often harmful to nature.



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Bonobo researcher Jef Dupain, marking a fruit tree.



Workshops provide skills for conservation strategies.