

## IDENTIFY VULNERABILITIES TO SOIL PROCESSES

### OBJECTIVE

Identify soil temperature, moisture, biological activity and carbon sequestration.

### DESCRIPTION

Maintain and protect soil cover (canopy and ground cover); promote, maintain, and add to soil organic matter; promote native vegetation and minimize invasive species expansion.

### EXPECTED RESULTS

Protecting soil vulnerable elements.

### RESULT INDICATORS

Temperature [°C]

Moisture [kg/m<sup>3</sup> or g/m<sup>3</sup>]

Biological activity [µg]

Carbon sequestration [t CO<sub>2</sub> eq]

### INVOLVED ACTORS

Scientists, ecological experts, farmers.

### EXPECTED TIMELINE FOR ACTION

- Medium term (5-10 years)
- Long term (> 10 years)

### BEST PRACTICES

- UK
- North America

### CRITICALITIES

Updated data availability.

### SCOPE OF THE ACTION

- Adaptation
- Mitigation

## TYPE OF PROPOSED ACTIONS

- Green

## SECTOR OF ACTION

- Agriculture / Forests / Land use
- Biodiversity / Conservation of ecosystems
- Public health
- Other

## CLIMATE IMPACTS

- Change or loss of biodiversity
- Drought
- Extreme precipitation
- Extreme temperatures
- Floods
- Salinization and acidification of water
- Strong winds
- Other

## IMPLEMENTATION SCALE

- Association of municipalities
- Municipality
- Province
- Region / Country

## SOURCE

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/ccrc/approach/identify-vulnerabilities-soil-processes-including-temperature-moisture-biological-activity>