



Bengal Tiger in the Bangladesh Sundarbans

By AHM Ali Reza, Md. Anwarul Islam, Md. Mostafa Feeroz and Ainun Nishat

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250x190mm, xii + 141Pp. photographs.
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IUCN-The World Conservation Union, Bangladesh Country Office in collaboration with Jahangirnagar University took an initiative to carry out research on the Bengal Tigers in the Bangladesh Sundarbans a few years back. With support from the British Petroleum and the British Council, Bangladesh, a study on the ecology of the Bengal Tigers was launched in January 1999.

The book focuses on: i. The status of the habitat of the Bengal tiger in the Bangladesh Sundarbans; ii. Biological details of the tigers in the Sundarbans mangrove forest; iii. The status of the principal prey species of the Bengal tigers in the Sundarbans; iv. The human-tiger interaction in the Sundarbans with a view to minimize conflicts; and v. the ways for improved management and conservation of the Bengal tigers as well as their habitat, the Sundarbans.



Flora of Rema-kalenga Wildlife Sanctuary

By Mohammad Zashim Uddin and Md. Abul Hassan

ISBN: 984-8574-03-4, 2004
285x210mm, vi + 120Pp. photographs
Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$10.00

Rema – Kalenga Wildlife Sanctuary is a protected area with pristine natural beauties covering a wide range of flora, fauna, genetic

resources and cultural values. 'Flora of Rema-Kalenga Wildlife Sanctuary' is a publication first of its kind for a PA in Bangladesh. Along with the enumeration of angiosperm flora of the sanctuary, it has also given pen pictures on the vegetation, list economic plants of different kinds, lists of threatened plants, and causes of threats to biodiversity, potential plant genetic resources along with some recommendations of the conservation of the flora of the sanctuary. Hope and believe that biodiversity planners, management specialists, conservation biologists, wildlife specialists and professionals from other disciplines will derive benefits from this publication.



Butterflies of Bangladesh –an annotated checklist

By Torben B. Larsen

ISBN: 984-8574-04-2, 2004
210x150mm, viii + 158Pp.
Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$10.00

Of all the insects, butterflies and moths are the most celebrated. Butterflies are probably the most popular because they are active by day and are renowned for their beautiful colours and graceful flight. Butterflies and moths belong to the largest group of animals, that is, the one with the greatest number of species, namely insects. Within this group, theirs is the fourth largest order, the Lepidoptera, meaning scaly wings covered with thousands of tiny, coloured scales overlapping each other like the tiles of a roof. It is estimated that there are approximately 200 000 species of butterflies and moths on the earth, but only about 170 000 may be described as known. Of these again, one-tenth are butterflies and the rest are moths. Butterflies have a fossil record that goes back 40 million years. Lepidoptera originated when flowering plants were beginning to proliferate. Their habitats range from Arctic tundra to Alpine mountain summits, as well as the warmer tropical rainforests and coastal mangrove swamps.

This is the first attempt at a checklist of the butterflies of Bangladesh. The checklist is clearly incomplete but it must be the most detailed

inventory of any large invertebrate group in the country. Each species is placed in the systematic framework of family, subfamily, tribe, genus, species, subspecies, author, date of description, vernacular name and type locality. Very brief notes are given on its habitats, distribution and frequency in Bangladesh. Also included are synonyms that have been in widespread and /or recent use, including those that have been changed since Evans (1932) whose nomenclature was largely followed by Wynther-Blyth (1957).



Conservation of Asian Elephants in Bangladesh

ISBN: 984-32-1999-0, 2004
280x210mm, photographs.
Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$10.00

IUCN Bangladesh Country Office has taken an initiative with the financial assistance from US Fish and Wildlife Services (USFWS) to have an assessment of the elephant population, its habitat condition, identification and prioritization of its threats, the aspects of human-elephant conflict, enhancing local capacity and awareness for conservation of elephants and developing a nationally representative management guideline to mitigate threats to the elephants in Bangladesh.

This milestone publication will be the first comprehensive overview on Asian elephants in Bangladesh covering important aspects for its conservation. It will be a good reference source for researchers and students interested in conservation studies on Asian elephant in Bangladesh.



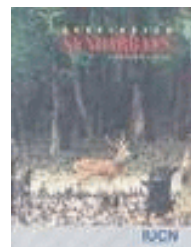
Bio-ecological Zones of Bangladesh

By Ainun Nishat, S.M. Imamul Huq, Shuvashish P. Barua, A.H.M. Ali Reza and A.S. Moniruzzaman Khan

ISBN: 984-31-1090-0, 2002,
280x210mm, xii + 141, Maps
Price: Tk. 550.00, US\$20.00

Out of Print

The first book of this kind from Bangladesh. In this book Bangladesh has been divided into twelve bio-ecological zones, some of which were then further divided into sub-zones. The numbering of the zones flows from north to south on the atlas in order to make it user-friendly. In addition to the floral and faunal diversities, the information of its location, mean annual rainfall, mean annual temperature, administrative units and headquarters, physiography, land and soil types, flooding depths, major agricultural land uses and major cultivated crops has been incorporated for each of these zones to facilitate browsing through this publication.



The Bangladesh Sundarbans: A photoreal sojourn

By Khasru Choudhury, Mir Waliuzzaman and Ainun Nishat

ISBN: 984-31-1088-9, 2001
277 x 207mm, vi + 154pp, colour photos.
Price: Tk. 500.00, US\$20.00

Out of Print

The Sundarbans, the immense tidal mangrove forests of Bangladesh, are a mosaic of islands of different shapes and sizes, perennially washed by brackish water swirling in and around the endless and mind-boggling labyrinths of twisting water channels. This is where mainland Bangladesh meets the Bay of Bengal, a globally unique ecological niche. This full colour publication captures the Sundarbans in all their glory, and gives us a glimpse of its animals and plants, as well as its social and spiritual life.



Bangladesher Bipanno Bonno Prani

S.M. Munjurul Hannan Khan, M. Nazrul Haque, Anisuzzaman Khan, Abdul Wahab Akonda Edited by Ainun Nishat and Mir Waliuzzaman

In Bengali
ISBN: 984-32-0375-X, 2003
280x210mm, xiv + 294pp., 208 colour photos
Price: Tk. 300.00, US\$10.00

Out of Print

It is an abbreviated version of the main work on nationally threatened animals in Bengali. It contains a list of nationally threatened fishes, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. The global status of the nationally threatened animals is also mentioned. IUCN Bangladesh has identified 54 species of fishes, 8 amphibians, 58 reptiles, 41 birds and 40 mammals as nationally threatened. Prepared with the specialist community in mind, this book is equally accessible to policy-makers and students.



Insect and Mite Pests Diversity in the Important Vegetable Crops Ecosystems in Bangladesh

By G. P. DAS

ISBN: 984-8574-05-0, 2004
240x180mm, iii + 22pp.
Price: Tk. 50.00, US\$5.00

The paper reports the insect and mite pests recorded and documented during 1948 and 2003 from the vegetable crops (brinjal, potato, sweet potato, aroids, yams, cabbage, cauliflower, knolkhol, radish, turnip, lady's finger, tomato, cucurbits, beans, kangkong, lettuce and amaranthus) ecosystems from Bangladesh. Over 175 species of insect and mite pests have been recorded from the vegetable crops ecosystems with their common and scientific names, orders, families and pest status (key / major, minor and occasional). This testifies the great diversity of the insect and mite pests in the vegetable crops ecosystems in Bangladesh.



Banglar Bagh (Bengal Tiger)

By Md. Ali Reza Khan, Md. Anisuzzaman Khan and Md. Mohsinuzzaman Chowdhury

In Bengali
ISBN 984-32-0864-1, 2003
220x140mm, 80pp., colour photos
Price: Tk. 50.00, US\$5.00

It is a reader friendly book on Bengal tiger in Bengali. It illustrates general biology of the Bengal tiger such as tiger, tiger evolution, tiger habitat, food, breeding, tiger census, etc. and conservation issues such as tiger conservation & tactics, illegal killing, tiger skin & bone trade, forest guards responsibility for tiger conservation etc. The book is important for the general people who love tiger/wildlife and also for student & policy-makers.



The 1998 Flood: Impact on Environment of Dhaka City An Assessment of Environmental Impacts of Flood 1998 on Dhaka City

By Ainun Nishat, Mohammed Reazuddin, Raquibul Amin and A. R. Khan
ISBN 985- 31- 1087- 0, 2000
240 x 170mm, x + 269pp., maps, figures, tables
Not for Sale

The flood, the most long- lasting in the country's history, caused severe damage to Dhaka City. It raged through for more than ninety days and caused havoc with the health, housing, food, security, employment, communication and livelihoods of the urban population. This study leads towards an understanding of the relationship between the flood and environmental degradation. Such understanding will help in developing loss minimizing plans and strategies for coping with such disaster in cities of Bangladesh in the future.



Environmental Economics in Bangladesh

By Qazi Kholiuzzaman Ahmad, Ainun Nishat, Qamrul Islam Chowdhury, A. K. Enamul Haque and Aminur Rahman

ISBN 981- 31- 0171- 6, 1999
180 x 140mm, viii + 131pp.
Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$ 10.00

**Out of
Print**

To explore the concept of green accounting, IUCN Bangladesh held two workshops in Dhaka (1997, 1998), attended by representatives from a broad spectrum of government and non- government agencies. The proceedings aim to create a greater awareness of the need for the application of environmental accounting in Bangladesh and it is hoped that the contents will be useful in promoting a more sophisticated computation of national income that realistically reflects the environmental issues involved in our economic activities.



Sanitary and Phyto-Sanitary Barriers to Trade and its Impact on the Environment: The Case of Shrimp Farming in Bangladesh

By Prof. A.K. Enamul Haque

ISBN 984- 729- 022- 9, 2004
180 x 240mm, xvi + 63pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

The study results contained in this publication were presented in a National Workshop in April 2003, and subsequently at the International Conference of Trade Knowledge Network in Geneva in late 2003. It highlights the net impact of Sanitary and Phyto-sanitary measures on the shrimp industry and recommends a coping strategy for small-scale local shrimp producers to deal with these issues. It also recommends strategies to minimize adverse environmental impacts on the shrimp industry as a whole.



Eco-restoration Nursery for the Hilly Areas of Bangladesh: a community based approach

By Junaid K. Choudhury, A.S.M. Moniruzzaman Khan, Shekhar R. Biswas and Mong Mong Sing

ISBN 984- 8574- 07- 7, 2004
180 x 240mm, viii + 29pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

As a part of the research and demonstration activities to restore the degraded forest and promote alternative income generation activities under the Ecological Restoration and Sustainable Management of Natural Forests in the village mouza Hlafaikhong program, Krykhong Para Village Development Committee (KPVDC) and IUCN Bangladesh has designed and prepared 'Eco-restoration nursery for the hilly areas' on a pilot basis. To achieve sustainability, as it is essential to ensure effective ownership of the local communities, the programme has adopted a "bottom up" approach. The pilot initiative has been proven sound both on the technical and the social grounds.



An Inventory on International Conventions, Treaties and Protocols Related to Environment and the Bangladesh Context

By M. Anwarul Islam

ISBN 984- 30- 0220-2, 1996
220 x 140mm, x + 101pp. tables
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

Bangladesh, like many other countries in the world has signed, accessed to or ratified a number of ICTPs related to environment. Obviously, though those all are important, but often are not of importance of the same magnitude. The initiative of preparing the report is undertaken by UNDP, Dhaka.



Red List of Threatened Animals of Bangladesh

S. M. Munjurul Hannan Khan, M. Nazrul Haque, M. Anisuzzaman Khan, Abdul Wahab Akonda

ISBN 984- 746- 000- 0, 2000
240 x 180mm., vii +35

Prepared with the specialist community in mind, this book is equally accessible to policy-makers and students. It is an abbreviated version of the main work on nationally threatened animals. It contains a list of nationally threatened fishes, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. The global status of the nationally threatened animals is also mentioned. IUCN Bangladesh has identified 54 species of fishes, eight amphibians, 58 reptiles, 41 birds and 40 mammals as nationally threatened.



Red Book of Threatened Mammals of Bangladesh

By Abdul Wahab Akonda

ISBN 984- 746- 004- 3 (English), 2000
240 x 180mm, viii + 65pp., 40 colour photos

Contains the description, habits, habitat, threats, conservation status and conservation needs of 40 inland mammals identified as nationally threatened. Colour illustrations of all the threatened mammals are also provided for easy identification.



Red Book of Threatened Birds of Bangladesh

By M. Anisuzzaman Khan

ISBN 984- 746- 003- 5 (English), 2000
240 x 180mm, viii + 100pp., 41 colour photos

Contains the description, habits, habitat, threats, conservation status and conservation needs of 41 resident birds identified as nationally threatened. Colour illustrations of all the threatened birds are also provided for easy identification.



Red Book of Threatened Amphibians and Reptiles of Bangladesh

By M. Nazrul Haque

ISBN: 984- 746- 002- 7 (English), 2000
240x180mm, viii +80pp., 66 colour photos

Contains the description, habits, habitat, threats, conservation status and conservation needs of eight amphibians and 58 reptiles identified as nationally threatened. Colour illustrations of the threatened amphibians and reptiles are also provided for easy identification.



Red Book of Threatened Fishes of Bangladesh

By M. Anisuzzaman Khan

ISBN: 984- 746- 002- 3 (English), 2000
240x180mm, viii +80pp., 66 colour photos

Contains the description, habits, habitat, threats, conservation status and conservation needs of fifty eight identified as nationally threatened. Colour illustrations of the threatened amphibians and reptiles are also provided for easy identification.

Price: Tk. 500.00, US\$ 20.00 (A Complete Set)



Monitoring and Evaluation Guidelines for Community Based Wetland Resource Management

By Mir Waliuzzaman, Md. Rakibul Haque, Rashiduz zaman
Ahmed and Ainun Nishat

ISBN 984-32-0374-1, 2003

250x170mm, vii +34pp.

Price: Tk. 300.00, US\$ 10.00

IUCN Bangladesh established this M & E plan through which regular activities, output, staff performance, efficacy, efficiency and relevance of the Community Based Wetland Resource Management Project are being monitored by using the monitoring guidelines which have formed according to the log-frame and project work plan.



Major Interventions for Sustainable Wetland Resource Management

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-22-0, 2005

240x180mm, x +135pp.

Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$ 5.00

The present publication registers a brief delineation of actions fielded for wetland's resource management with the local communities under the SEMP components till June 2005. In some case the reporting time vary which is duly mentioned. The principal approach of the projects and the project sites descriptions are followed by descriptions of different project interventions along with brief comments on the impacts they have created on the environment and on the local communities or beyond. Detailed description of all major activities will be found in intervention specific reports published under these projects.



A Plan for Sustainable Wetland Resource Management

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-11-6, 2005

240x180mm, x + 50pp.

Price: Tk. 300.00, US\$ 10.00

Overall objectives of the report as outlined in the Program Support Document (PSD) are to improve environmental quality of the country coupled with sustainable development, poverty alleviation and capacity building for better environmental management. This Project implementation Plan (PIP) was developed using the Logical framework Analyses (LFA) which sets out the benchmarks and indicators against which the outputs can be measured.



Introduction to Community Based Haor and Floodplain Resource Management

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-02-6, 2004

240x180mm, vi +42pp.

Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$ 5.00

The book focused on the objectives, sites, approach and methodology, all activities, monitoring and evaluation, etc. of the Community Based Haor and Floodplain Resource Management Project under the Sustainable Environment Management Programme, have implemented by the IUCN – The World Conservation Union, Bangladesh Country Office with support from the Ministry of Environment and Forest and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).



Community Based Haor and Floodplain Resource Management: The Gender Perspectives

By Shuriya Farzana, Ainun Nishat, Mir Waliuzzaman and Rashiduzaman Ahmed

ISBN 984-32-0376-8, 2004

240x180mm, xii + 62pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

This publication documents the gender analysis findings in the project area, which will help the concerned develop an understanding of the gender issues in regard to natural resource management specially wetland resource management. This study is based on the analysis of the primary and secondary data gathered from the SEMP project sites. Both qualitative and quantitative research methods viz. survey, observation, focus group discussions, case studies etc. were deployed in data collection, with pronounced emphasis on the qualitative modes. Also available literature source on gender related issues were tapped.



Utilization of Environmental Fund in the Community Based *Haor* and Floodplain Resource Management Project

By Md. Rakibul Hoque, M. Anisul Islam, M. Mokhlesur Rahman, Md.

Abdul Mannan and Olena Reza

ISBN 984-8574-15-9, 2005

240x180mm, vi +47pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

The purposes of the reports are to (1) improve existing, and develop new income generating opportunities with local communities; (2) Improve existing, and develop ways to manage (use, protect, enhance) natural resources; and (3) Facilitate, train and strengthen existing institutions; promote and undertake new institutional structures that improve sustainable utilization, management and conservation of natural resource.



Approaches to Sustainable Wetland Resource Management

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-06-9, 2005

240x180mm, x +88pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

This approach for project piloting also considered sustainability issues for each and every individual activity through participation of Community Based Organizations formed under the project. This report will describe the approach and methodology in brief adopted for planning, implementation and demonstration of various activities in the five different wetland areas in the country.



A Plan for Ensuring Sustainability of Wetland Resource Management

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-13-2, 2005

240x180mm, xii + 62pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

This report aims at providing proper guidelines and mechanisms for the community people to enable them manage and sustain the current positive trends into the future. The recommended issues and concerns articulated by the stakeholders have been considered as priority components while formulating the "Exit Plan" of the Community Based *Haor* and Floodplain Resource Management Projects of SEMP. It is anticipated that the exit plan will prove to be productive in depicting a resourceful plan of actions to assure the sustainability of the project initiatives.



Baira : the Floating Gardens for Sustainable Livelihood

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-08-5, 2005

240x180mm, viii +61 pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

IUCN Bangladesh has taken such initiative in association with Bangladesh Centre for Advanced Studies (BCAS) under the Sustainable Environment Management Programme (SEMP) (Components 2.2.1/B, Community Based Floodplain Resource Management) in the Madhumati Floodplain. Under this project one of the interventions is to promote alternative livelihood options. *Baira* farming was one of the options suggested by the people of that project area. Moreover, variations could be identified in this traditional cultivation system in different parts of the country, indicating *baira* cultivation to be in an evolutionary phase here. But the information on *baira* is not sufficiently documented in Bangladesh. The purpose of the present account is to illustrate the *baira* extension initiative taken under the SEMP. This publication documents field observations, local knowledge, and participatory planning and interventions to promote *baira* farming as an alternative livelihood option.



Hydro-Meteorological Characteristics of Hakaluki Haor

By Giasuddin Ahmed Choudhury and Ainun Nishat

ISBN 984-8574-23-9, 2005
240x180mm, x +91pp.
Price: Tk. 200.00, US\$ 5.00

The main objectives of the report is to provide hydrological inputs that include inflow and outflow routes of water, identification of various rivers, *beels* and *khals* functioning within the Hakaluki *Haor* region, current hydrological and hydraulic characteristics, soil characteristics of the area and land use pattern as governed by hydraulic regimes, information on natural resources like flora and fauna and suggestions on development of a Community Based Haor Resource Management Project.



Awareness Raising in Sustainable Haor Resource Management

By Haseeb Md. Irfanullah and M. Anisul Islam

ISBN 984-8574-09-3, 2005
240x180mm, x +44pp.
Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

The present report compiles the awareness raising initiatives taken under the Community Based *Haor* Resource Management project, a component of the SEMP. It details out the justification of such interventions, approaches considered and the chosen activities to enhance people's awareness level at the project areas in the haor basin. A number of recommendations are also suggested to make the initiative more participatory and effective in attaining the targeted impacts. This report would help other agencies and individuals interested in undertaking community based awareness programs in developing countries.



Awareness Raising in Sustainable Floodplain Resource Management

By Haseeb Md. Irfanullah, Shiba Prasad Kar and Md. Belayet Hussain

ISBN 984-8574-10-8, 2005
240x180mm, xii + 84pp.
Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

The present report compiles the awareness raising initiatives take under the Community Based Floodplain Resource Management Project, a component of the SEMP. It details out the justification of such interventions, approaches considered and chosen activities to enhance people's awareness level at the project areas in the floodplains. A number of recommendations are also suggested to make the initiative more participatory and effective in attaining the targeted impacts. This report will help other agencies and individuals interested in undertaking community based awareness programs in developing countries.



Plant Resources of Haors and Floodplains: An Overview

By Junaid Kabir Choudhury

ISBN 984-8574-08-5, 2005
240x180mm, viii +61pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

This book is primarily based on the observation made during field trips to different haors and floodplains in the SEMP project areas by plant expert, IUCNB staff and partner NGOs. Experience and ideas of the local communities of the wetlands were also considered while preparing the manuscript. Some of the information has been drawn from existing published and unpublished accounts. This book will provide a guideline for future wetland plant resource conservation and management.



Poverty Status of a Critical Wetland Area: Hakaluki Haor

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-03-4, 2005
250x170mm, viii +45pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

In this report, focus has been given on a range of related themes, though they are worthy of independent attention too. It examines the household situation with regard to their accessing different types of food and sheds light on inequality pervading the households, perceived in terms of their control over resource such as, land or food. It also gives information on the access to different elements of nutrition one requiring as basic needs.



Physical Infrastructures and Socio-Economic Aspects of Arua and Gopinathpur Beels of Manikganj

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-08-5, 2005
240x180mm, x +36pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

This report is a compilation of the prevailing socio-economic conditions and physical resources of Arua and Gopinathpur *Beels* and adjacent areas. One of the major purposes of these surveys was to gather knowledge about the overall socio-economic state and existing physical resources of the project area so that appropriate approaches could be taken and relevant interventions could be executed on the basis of the findings. This report gives a clear understanding of the socio-economic situation of the concerned community, and also the existing physical resources of the project area often as indicators of social conditions.



Fish and Wildlife of Arua and Gopinathpur Beel Areas

By Tapas Ranjan Chakraborty, Ahana Adrika and Md. Belayet Hussain

ISBN 984-8574-16-7, 2005
240x180mm, x + 44pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

The aim of the report is to carry out a survey on the available fish and wildlife of the locality with a view to developing a conservation and management plan for local wildlife. Documentation of the present status of the wildlife and fish in Arua and Gopinathpur *beel* in Padma-Jamuna Floodplain is to be carried out to create an elaborate list of the available fauna in a form of inventory and develop a sustainable conservation plan for the same.



Fish and Wildlife of the Chanda Beel

By Abdur Rob Mollah

ISBN 984-8574-21-2, 2005
240x180mm, x + 35pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

This report is an outcome of the baseline survey of fish and wildlife available in Chanda *Beel* that contains the information of available fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals. It covers issues like relative abundance, habitat, and seasonal occurrence along with the scientific, local and English name of the species. I hope that all concerned about environmental and conservation issues in Bangladesh will find this account very useful.



Plant Resources of Arua and Gopinathpur Beels of Manikganj

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-8574-00-X, 2005
240x180mm, viii + 49pp.
Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

Wetlands in Bangladesh are going through a difficult phase caused by exponential degradation and destruction of these ecosystems and dwindling of their valuable natural resources. Among these, plant resources are more vulnerable due to over-harvesting and unwise exploitation. Sustainable plant resource management and conservation of the local flora have to be linked together to provide greater livelihood security of the rural people, especially the poor ones, who depend upon plants for food, fodder, agricultural and household implements, medicine as well as recreation and entertainment. The data collection for this report also involved participation of the various resource-user groups and local communities. Hence, this report compilation of the knowledge and experience of the people of Arua and Gopinathpur unions.



Re-excavation: A Major Step in Wetland Restoration in the Floodplain

By Md. Belayet Hussain, Arif Mohammad Faisal and Monirul H. Khan

ISBN 984-32-2003-3, 2005
240x180mm, xii +47pp.

Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

The overall objectives of the report were to improve environmental quality of the degraded canals/*beels*/rivers for proper functioning of migratory routes of fish and other organisms, increase the crop production by facilitating irrigation and thereby effect socio-economic uplift of the local communities, especially the women and the disadvantaged.



Re-excavation: A Major Step in Wetland Restoration in the Haors

By Mahabubul Hassan, Arif Mohammad Faisal and M. Anisul Islam

ISBN 984-8574- 12- 4, 2005
240x180mm, x + 32pp.

Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

This report carried out many other restoration activities in some degraded and silted wetlands, as identified by the community people. Also to enhance fish population as well as aquatic habitats, increase the

agricultural production by ensuring adequate irrigation facilities, facilitate fish pass and migration, conserve brood fish and increase the water holding capacity of the wetland areas.



Community Based Plantation in Floodplain Areas

By Arif Mohammad Faisal, Monirul H. Khan, Md. Belayet Hussain, and Shiba Prasad Kar

ISBN 984-8574-14-0, 2005
240x180mm, xi +61pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

The loss of plants from floodplain ecosystems have resulted in further degradation of other ecological functions. To stop and reverse this trend, massive plantation programmes were carried out at three floodplain sites viz: Padma – Jamuna, Brahmaputra – Shitalakshya and Madhumati Floodplain under Community Based Floodplain Resource Management (Component 2.2.1/B) of SEMP. The overall objective of the report is to increase native tree coverage and enhance productivity by establishing plantations through people's participation.



Community Based Approach for Restoration of Swamp Forest in the Haor Areas

By Arif Mohammad Faisal, M. Anisul Islam and Mahabubul Hassan

ISBN 984-8574-24-7, 2005
240x180mm, x +69pp.

Price: Tk. 150.00, US\$ 5.00

The major goals and objectives of the report are to improve the *haor* ecosystem and assist to ensure the livelihood security of the local people, through the restoration of swamp forests mostly by afforestation on the available marginal land, and to restore the degraded swamp forest as well as to increase the native plants through plantation establishment and incorporate people's participation to achieve sustainability.



Participatory Problem Census in Pagnar and Sanuar – Dakuar Haors

By IUCN Bangladesh

ISBN 984-32-2000-9, 2005

240x180mm, viii +40pp.

Price: Tk. 100.00 , US\$ 5.00

Problem Census (PCs) and Planning Workshops (PWs) are used to examine diverse, contrasting perspectives of beneficiary groups in regard to their socio-economic and political conditions. On the basis of information generated from these activities, stakeholders become aware of non-uniform impacts of resource use patterns, livelihood strategies and economic activities on the local environment, sustainable resource management schemes and environmental conservation options available to them. Priorities are determined and intervention programs are designed accordingly. Programs must be beneficial to all stakeholders and facilitate community participation in development projects which focus on resource management and environmental conservation. In the long-run this contributes to sustainable development and poverty alleviation.



Shishu Thekey Shishu: Proshikshak Proshikshan O Karyakrama Nirdeshana (Child to Child: Teachers Training and Programme Guidelines)

By Reza Salim

ISBN 984-8574-09-3, 2005

240x180mm, x +44pp.

Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

The main objectives and goals of the manual are to create awareness to children for conserving the wetland ecology and natural resources. This non-formal education manual can be used by teachers, NGO's workers, and parents to generate knowledge base regarding sustainable natural resource conservation and management. Through the manual children can understand environmental issues such as; health, wetland valuation and various options to enable healthy environment.



Snail in the Chanda Beel Area

By Md. Saiful Islam Khan, Md. Belayet Hussain and Tapas Ranjan Chakraborty

ISBN 984-8574-17-5, 2005

240x180mm, x + 38pp.

Price: Tk. 100.00, US\$ 5.00

Under the Sustainable Environment Management Programme (SEMP), 'Community Based Floodplain Resource Management' project component is being implemented by IUCN Bangladesh in association with Bangladesh Centre for Advanced Studies (BCAS) in the Modhumoti floodplain. Through this study undertaken in the above wetland area, an attempt has been made to know about the volume of snail harvesting, trends, marketing channel and the overall snail trade cycle. Since the demand for snail is now high in the market, more and more people are being involved in its harvesting and it has become difficult to regenerate the resource base which is already in a critical state. Meantime, the total snail catch, though not a very large one, has registered gradual decline. If the current unregulated harvesting continues, the commercial snail species *Pila globosa* will become endangered within its own territory in the near future.



Participatory Landuse Survey of Pagnar and Sanuar – Dakuar Haors

By M. Anisul Islam, Md. Rakibul Haque and Sharoar Jahan

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The participatory landuse survey report is a major baseline activity of the Community Based *Haor* Resource Management Project. The survey was done in Pagnar and Sanuar-Dakuar *haors*. The objectives of this report are to promote local community participation in development projects, and collection and recording of topographical, ecological, economic, social and demographic information about the target areas, on the basis of which, analysis of impacts of the livelihood strategies and the economic activities on local resources has been carried out.



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The Himal Region - the Hindukush-Karakorum-Himalayas (HKH) - is the world's largest mountain region extending 3,500km from Myanmar in the east to Afghanistan in the west, from the Tibetan Plateau in the north to the Indo-Ganges basin in the south.

To develop an IUCN Bangladesh mountain programme for the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity in this region, a twoday workshop was organized in Dhaka. The proceedings of this workshop focus on the prioritized list of conservation issues in the Himal region, as well as perceived gaps and recommendations for a Himal programme, a needs assessment and prioritization of conservation issues in the participating countries.



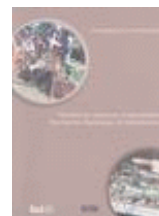
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Chapters 8 and 38 of Agenda 21 called on all countries to establish multi-stakeholder structures and mechanisms to follow through with their commitments made at the Earth Summit in Rio in 1992. These multi-stakeholder mechanisms, referred to as National Councils for Sustainable Development (NCSDs), are effective mechanisms for achieving success in sustainable development efforts.

In collaboration with Earth Council, Costa Rica, a forum was held in Dhaka in 1999 which gathered experts from the different sectors of society, including representatives from NGOs, business organizations, academics and government personnel. Experiences and information were shared, and a platform was created to establish a separate Bangladesh NCSD with Terms of Reference related to the National Agenda 21.



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ment of the National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP) for biodiversity conservation in Bangladesh. The major objective of the workshop was to incorporate the feedback of the participants representing cross section of the stakeholder groups including the government and nongovernmental organizations as regards the formulation and development of the NBSAP document.



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The Proceedings of the First National Workshop on National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan contains the primary framework of the biodiversity conservation strategy and action plan. The Inception Workshop held on December 29, 2002 had adopted a participatory planning process for developing the National Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (NBSAP) that envisaged holding thematic consultation meetings with professionals and six regional workshops at the six administrative divisional headquarters. Accordingly, consultation meetings with experts under different themes and regional workshops with participants from all walks of life were held. Findings from the consultation meetings and the regional workshops were presented in this proceeding.



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