

Austvent Downloadable Resource Checklists

2. Nature-Positive Investment Screening Tool (TNFD-Aligned)

Purpose: Screens early-stage projects for risks and opportunities related to biodiversity and ecosystem services.

Checklist Items:

- Map interaction with priority ecosystems or high conservation value areas
- Identify direct and indirect impacts on species and habitats
- Assess alignment with TNFD LEAP framework
- Include indigenous/local stakeholder consultation processes
- Estimate nature-related risks (physical, reputational, regulatory)
- Define measurable biodiversity performance indicators
- Align monitoring plans with national biodiversity strategies or KPIs
- Evaluate opportunities for positive biodiversity outcomes (restoration, offsets)