

## Project title : FILTEA - Creation of an organic tea supply in a biodiversity hotspot in Uganda

Project place	Project cost	Role in the project	Technical and financial sponsors	Dates
Uganda	139 000 €	Supply chain	Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle, FFEM - French Global Environment Fund	June 2023 - June 2025

### Project's goals and results

#### Main goals

The FoFauPopU project is a response to conservation and development issues around the Kibale National Park. The project involves (component 1) strengthening the collective governance of local communities in Sebitoli and the institutions involved and (component 2) reducing human-wildlife conflicts and nuisances in the northern part of the Park and improving human and animal health

#### Specific objectives

As for component 3, it focuses on the development and economic valorization of activities encouraging collaborative conservation. For this, the tea sector was identified as responding to a **quality and profitable niche market**. It is therefore a question of ensuring a transition from a full sun monoculture tea system to a diversified **agroforestry** system of **organic** tea also ensuring the role of refuge for **biodiversity** and **carbon** storage

#### Beneficiaries

#### Results

#### Activities

- A1.** Improve the income of small producers around Kibale Park, with a focus on tea and an objective of diversification into other productions
- A2.** Mitigating the impact of agriculture on wildlife by supporting organic and agroecological practices
- A3.** Create employment and generate an alternative and viable economic model for tea processing that can be replicated elsewhere in Uganda
- A4.** Promote commercial surpluses to empower wildlife protection associations