

How WWF Is Helping Tigers and the Forests Where They Live

Environmental organizations like WWF are dedicated to protecting tigers and increasing their population numbers, as well as protecting the places they live. Here are some of the things we are doing to help tigers survive the many threats they face:

Eliminating tiger trade

Trade in tiger parts and products is a major threat to wild tiger survival. WWF works together with TRAFFIC, the global wildlife trade monitoring network, to stop wildlife criminal networks, help governments shut down black markets, and change consumer behavior.

Protecting and connecting tiger habitat

To save tigers, we need to protect the forest habitats across Asia where they range. We are working to save these biologically diverse places and the routes that tigers use to travel through them by establishing and maintaining protected areas there and promoting sustainable forestry methods.

Monitoring tigers and their prey

WWF is working to double the number of tigers in the wild. To do this, we need to observe tigers and their prey. We are using hidden cameras and tracking technologies and collecting DNA samples from scat (droppings) to study the growth of tiger populations. This will help us make the best conservation decisions possible to help tigers, based on strong science and field experience.

