

THE WORK OF AFRICA OFFICE

KEY ROLES OF AFRICA OFFICE

- **Representation of UN Environment**
- **Programmatic coordination of work in the region**
- **Effective coherent delivery of interventions in support to member states or regional institutions**

Structure of Africa Office

- Regional Office: Nairobi
- Liaison Office: Addis Ababa, for Africa Union and UN system, Ethiopia
- Sub-regional office: West Africa (Central Africa)
- National Offices: Kenya, Tanzania and South Africa

WHAT ARE THE AREAS OF FOCUS?

- **Delivery** of the seven sub-programme areas
 - **Governance of natural resources** – ecosystems, oceans, extractives, environment and security, illegal wildlife trade and value addition
 - **Waste management** –support to countries
 - **Environmental Diplomacy** – use dialogues to promote coordination and collaboration, common positions, the Africa Group, African Union, General Assembly, AMCEN
 - **Youth**: promoting green investments that can create jobs and wealth for the youth
 - **Mobility**: promoting sustainable transport especially in cities
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HOW DO WE WORK?

- Direct implementation in countries, sub-regions and continental levels
- Through partnerships - African Union, Regional Economic Communities, AMCEN, NEPAD, etc., other partners