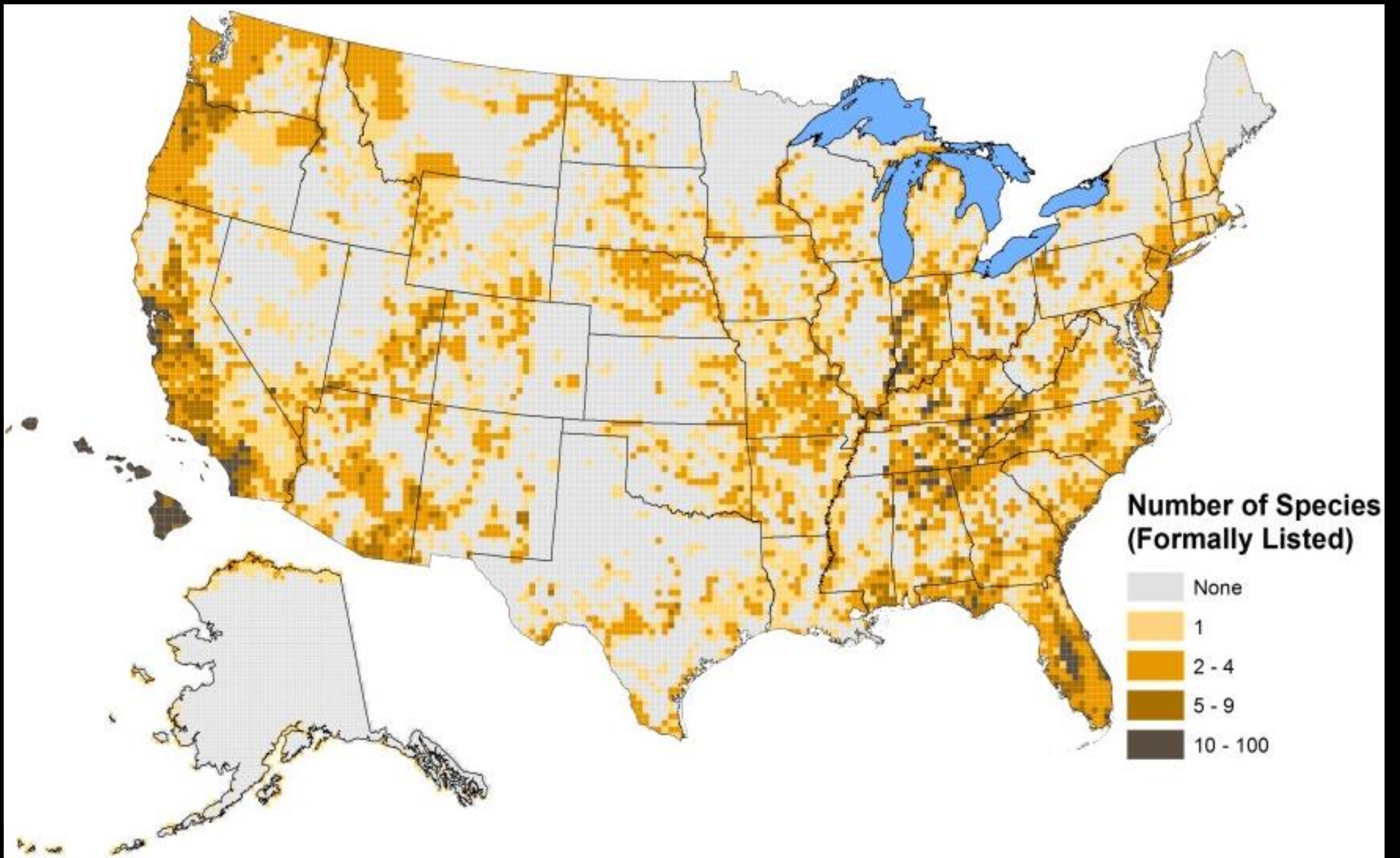




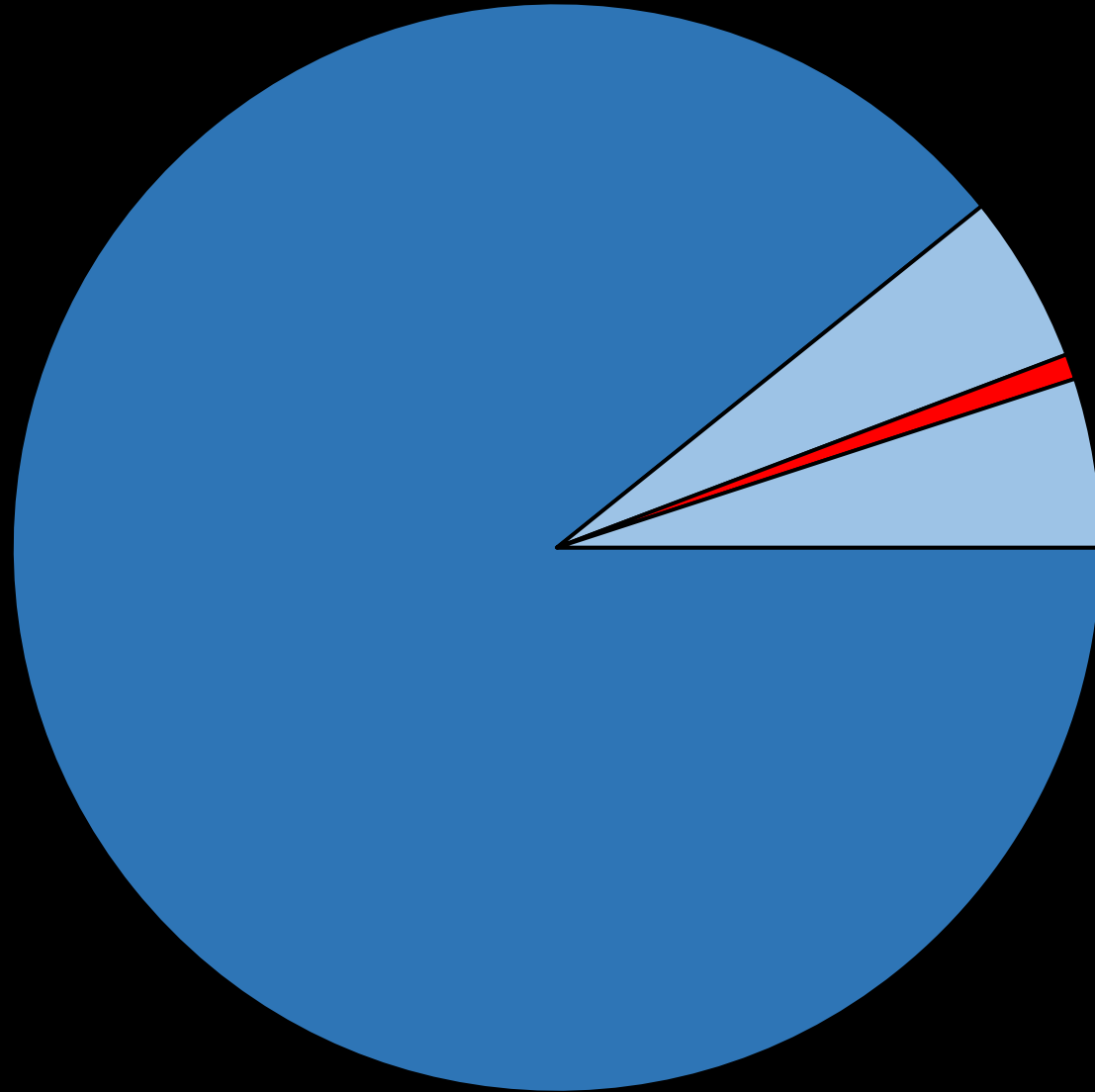
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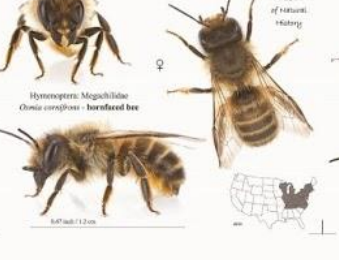
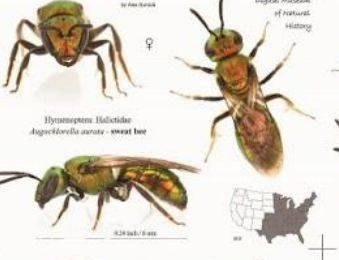
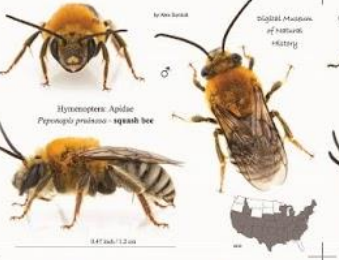
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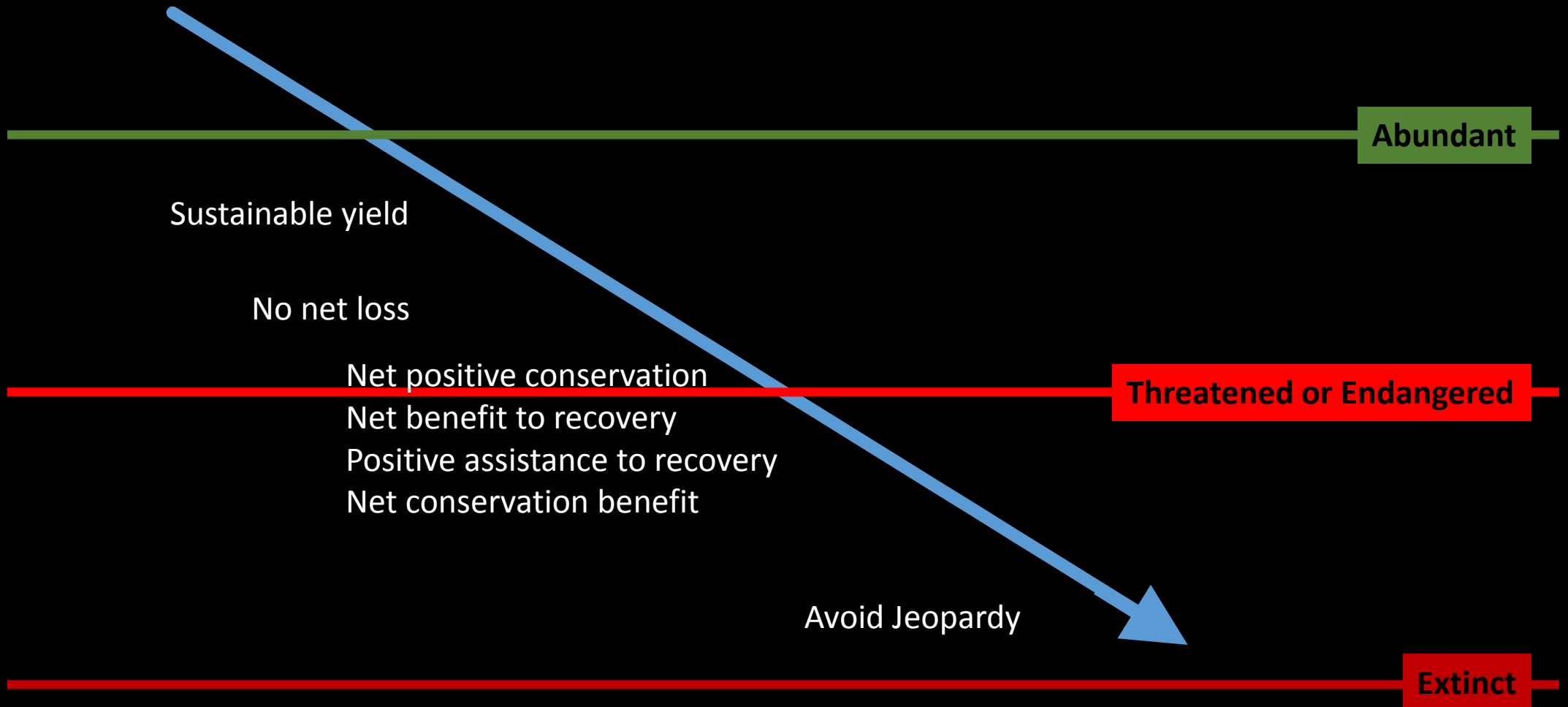


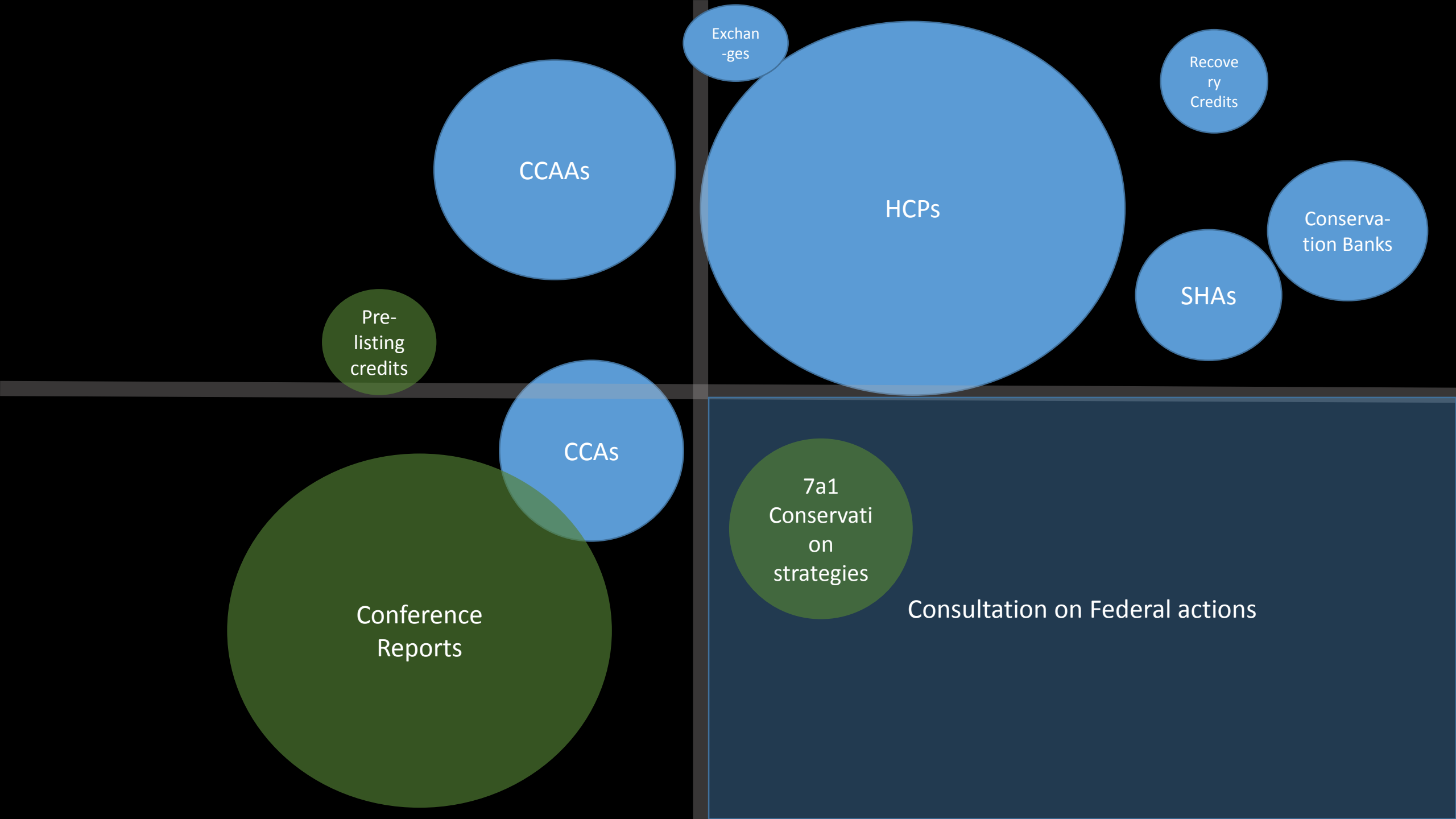
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Wildlife Goals





Safe Harbor

22 years, no litigation
12 states serve as administrators
500-700 enrolled landowners

Template agreement – 16 landowners, Pygmy rabbit

Habitat Conservation Plans

30 years experience, 5% or less litigated

~40 million acres covered

NiSource/TransCanada



Conservation Banks



Taking Risks



Speed



Outcome focus



Few of the most important questions are science ones

1. Cover strategies, not actions
2. Measure baseline: What is the fastest cheapest, relatively accurate approach
3. Use an Environmental Assessment if the program is designed to create an overall benefit to species
4. Allow multiple parties to enroll lands (federal , corporate, state)
5. Annual reports to Fish and Wildlife Service but no enrollment approval
6. Require outcomes: Monitor & share performance



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