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A short meeting to discuss Syngenta's approach of comprehensive climate and environmental indicators. They argued that it is more logical to target soil carbon and biodiversity levels, rather than using proxy targets, such as reduction of pesticides. The ultimate goal is to improve biodiversity which can be achieved by a mix of measures and technologies. Syngenta highlighted the role of advisory services, IPM and the use of biopesticides. They also argued in favour creating a market for carbon and nature. Finally, Syngenta pointed out that authorisation deadlines should be shortened, especially for low risk substances and for biopesticides.