

WORLD WIDE FUND FOR NATURE (WWF) CONSTRAINTS IN SAVING SUMATRAN TIGERS FROM SCARCITY IN INDONESIA

ABSTRACT

This thesis discusses the constraints faced by WWF in saving Sumatran Tigers from extinction in Indonesia. The population of the Sumatran tiger is now declining drastically even reaching the Critical Endangered status. The Sumatran tiger faces two threats, namely deforestation and also the fury and conflict between humans and Sumatran Tigers. The decline of Sumatran tiger population has made WWF to save the Sumatran tiger from extinction, but WWF itself has to deal with various constraints such as internal constraints (lack of funds, lack of human resources and lack of technological assistance) and external constraints (deforestation, illegal hunting, human and tiger conflicts Sumatra and forest and land burning).

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