

Ecosystem Service	Visual screening
CICES class name	Visual screening'
CICES Section	Regulation & Maintenance (Biotic)
CICES Class code	2.1.2.3

Brief Description

- Screening unsightly things, e.g. by planting hedges
- Reduction in the visual impact of human structures on people that mitigates its harmful or stressful effect

Sample Indicators

Indicator values from			
Experiment or direct measurement		Survey	
Expert assessment		Statistical- or census data	
Model or GIS		Literature values	
Stakeholder participation		Not provided	

Table 1: National Scale

Indicator	Unit	Indicator values from
^[1] Hedgerow length	Not specified	

References

No.	Citation
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