



## Convention on Biological Diversity

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**Conference of the Parties to the  
Convention on Biological Diversity  
Sixteenth meeting**  
Cali, Colombia, 21 October–1 November 2024

### Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Organizational matters.
3. Report on the credentials of representatives to the sixteenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties.
4. Pending issues.
5. Date and venue of future meetings of the Conference of the Parties.
6. Reports of intersessional and regional preparatory meetings.
7. Administration of the Convention and budget for the trust funds.
8. Progress on the preparation of targets and updating of national biodiversity strategies and action plans by Parties in line with the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework.
9. Digital sequence information on genetic resources.
10. Mechanisms for planning, monitoring, reporting and review.
11. Resource mobilization and financial mechanism.
12. Capacity-building and development, technical and scientific cooperation, clearing-house mechanism and knowledge management.
13. Cooperation with international organizations and bodies established under other conventions.
14. Implementation of Article 8(j) and related provisions.
15. Communication, education and public awareness.
16. Scientific and technical needs to support the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, including implications for the programmes of work of the Convention.
17. Mainstreaming of biodiversity within and across sectors.
18. Diverse values of biodiversity.
19. Sustainable wildlife management.
20. Marine and coastal biodiversity, and island biodiversity.

21. Invasive alien species.
  22. Biodiversity and health.
  23. Plant conservation.
  24. Synthetic biology.
  25. Biodiversity and climate change.
  26. Liability and redress (Article 14, paragraph 2).
  27. Review of the effectiveness of processes under the Convention and its Protocols.
  28. Multi-year programme of work of the Conference of the Parties.
  29. Other matters.
  30. Adoption of the report.
  31. Closure of the meeting.
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