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# Monitoring and Evaluation

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# International context

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- Planning, monitoring, reporting and review
- Monitoring framework
- Ongoing development of headline indicators

# Package of decisions

the Convention, including its three objectives,

1. *Adopts* the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework, as contained in the annex to the present decision;

2. *Notes* that the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework will be supported by the following decisions adopted by the Conference of the Parties at its fifteenth meeting and affirms that these decisions are of equal standing to the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;

(a) Decision 15/5 on the monitoring framework for the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework;

(b) Decision 15/6 on planning, monitoring, reporting and review;

(c) Decision 15/7 on resource mobilization;

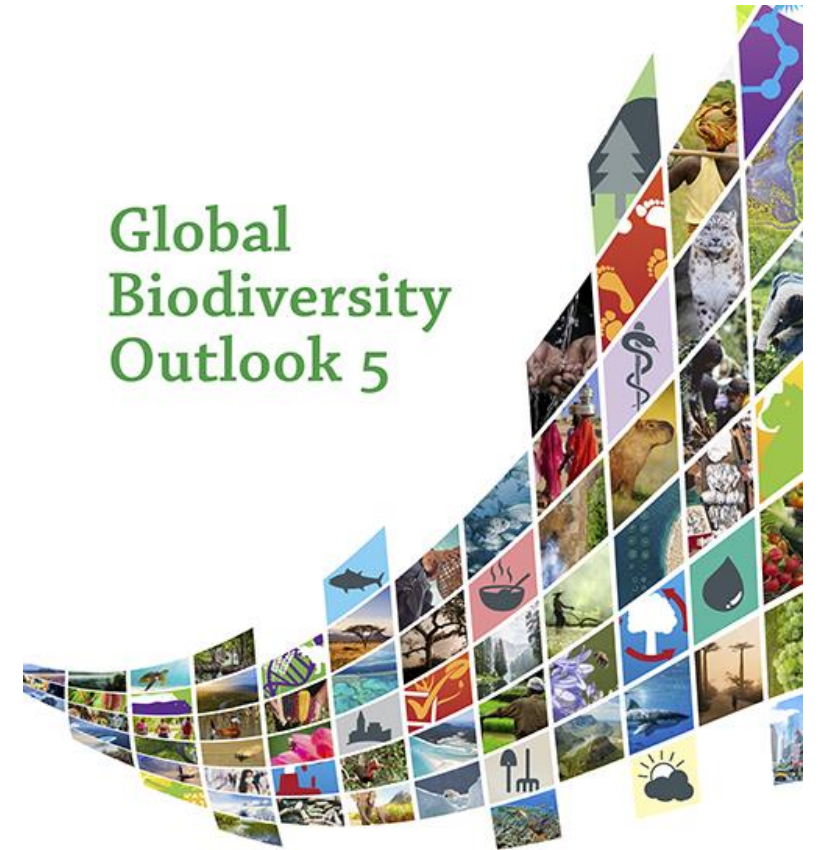
(d) Decision 15/8 on capacity-building and development and technical and scientific cooperation;

(e) Decision 15/9 on digital sequence information on genetic resources;

(f) Decision 15/13 on cooperation with other Conventions and international organizations.

# Planning, monitoring, reporting and review

| Date                      | Event                                     |
|---------------------------|---|
| By COP16 (last half 2024) | Submit updated NBSAP and national targets |
| Feb 2026                  | 7 <sup>th</sup> national reports          |
| COP17 (2026)              | Global review of implementation progress  |
| Jun 2029                  | 8 <sup>th</sup> national reports          |
| COP19 (2029)              | Global review of implementation progress  |



# Monitoring framework

| Element                        |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Global headline indicators     | Mandatory<br>Some still under development |
| Binary indicators              | Under development                         |
| Component indicators           | Optional                                  |
| Complementary indicators       | Optional                                  |
| Additional national indicators | Optional                                  |

**Right: Acoustic recorder**

**Credit: Justine E. Hausheer/The Nature Conservancy**





# Further development of monitoring framework

Ad Hoc Technical Expert Group on indicators



Subsidiary Body on Scientific, Technical and Technological Advice



COP16



# Domestic context

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- Indicators in the NBSAP
- Broader environmental data initiatives

# Indicators in the NBSAP

- Flexibility to use national indicators
- Leverage a range of environmental data initiatives
  - State of the Environment
  - Environmental Economic Accounts
  - Environment Information Australia





# Thank you

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