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Digital sequence information on genetic resources

Decision adopted by the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization on 27 February 2025

NP-5/14. Digital sequence information on genetic resources

*The Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Nagoya Protocol*,

*Recalling* its decision [NP-4/6](https://www.cbd.int/doc/decisions/np-mop-04/np-mop-04-dec-06-en.pdf) of 19 December 2022,

*Noting* the outcome of the deliberations of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources,[[1]](#footnote-2)

*Takes note* of decision [16/2](https://www.cbd.int/decisions/cop/?m=cop-16) of 1 November 2024 of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity[[2]](#footnote-3) on digital sequence information on genetic resources, by which the Conference of the Parties to the Convention adopted the modalities for operationalizing the multilateral mechanism for the fair and equitable sharing of benefits from the use of digital sequence information on genetic resources, including the Cali Fund.

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1. See recommendation [2/1](https://www.cbd.int/recommendations/wgdsi/?m=wgdsi-02) of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Benefit-sharing from the Use of Digital Sequence Information on Genetic Resources. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. United Nations, *Treaty Series*, vol. 1760, No. 30619. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)