



Survey for participants

Thank you for registering for the workshop on the Nagoya Protocol on access and benefit sharing (ABS) and its implications for companies working in the cosmetics sector. This workshop aims to provide information as practical and relevant to your work as possible. To do this, it is important to understand participants' level of awareness, expertise and experience on ABS and related topics. This is also an opportunity for participants to put forth specific questions or cases to be discussed. We appreciate you taking the time to fill out this survey. Please note the information will be considered and communicated only in an aggregated manner, with no identification of any specific participant or company.

1. Please fill out the following information on yourself and the company or association you are affiliated with:

Name of participant:

Position:

Company or association:

2. Which of the following activities are relevant to your company?

- Growing or collecting plants, plant parts or other biological material as raw material
- Bioprospecting for new plants or other biological material for use as raw material
- Conducting research on raw material based on plants or other biological material
- Purchasing raw material based on plants or other biological material
- Developing ingredients or fragrances with raw material from biodiversity
- Purchasing ingredients or fragrances containing raw material from biodiversity
- Developing formulations for cosmetics
- Other activities linked to biodiversity-based R&D, such as:

3. Have you participated in training workshops on ABS before?

- Yes No

4. How would you rate your understanding of ABS rules and their practical implications?

Select

5. How often are you faced with ABS-related issues in your work?

Select

6. What kinds of ABS-related issues arise in your work?

- Defining applicability of ABS requirements to access raw material or ingredient
- Finding reliable and up-to-date information on ABS
- Responding to questions from suppliers or clients

- Securing ABS-related permits and contracts directly in provider country
- Ensuring suppliers have necessary ABS-related permits and contracts
- Negotiating benefit sharing with providers
- Explaining ABS to other company staff
- Integrating ABS into company policies or procedures
- Other ABS-related issues and questions, such as:

7. How would you rate your company's understanding of how ABS rules apply to its activities?

Select

8. Which of the following measures related to ABS have already been taken by your company?

- Policy on ABS
- Due diligence procedures on ABS
- Staff training on ABS
- Supplier questionnaire on ABS
- Assessment of ingredients or projects on ABS
- Access permits
- Other measures related to ABS, such as

9. Please describe any challenges or opportunities related to ABS identified in the work of your company:

10. Do you have any suggestions for issues that would be useful to discuss in the training workshop?

11. What would be your main expectation for the training workshop?

12. Would you be interested in presenting a specific case or hypothetical scenario based on your experiences for discussion in the workshop? If so, please described briefly describe the case or scenario.

- Yes No