



**THE BIODIVERSITY PLAN**

For Life on Earth

Role of Forest  
Biodiversity for  
attainment of the  
Kunming-Montreal  
Global Biodiversity  
Framework

CBD Secretariat



**Recognizing the contribution of regional strategies, frameworks, plans or initiatives, such as the Carpathian Biodiversity Framework, to the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework**

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# Renewed national commitments aligned to the Biodiversity Plan

- **Submission of the NBSAPs and/or national targets by COP16**
  - national biodiversity finance plans or similar instruments
  - develop dedicated biodiversity capacity-building and development action plans
- **[Online reporting tool](#)**
- **6 Subregional NBSAP Dialogues have been organized since 2023 and 5 more are in planning**
  - Chance to mobilize commitments from relevant MEAs, development of national monitoring and finance plans
- **Informal regional or subregional dialogues could provide a mechanism for facilitating country review during the implementation of the Framework**



## Capacity-building and development, technical and scientific cooperation, and technology transfer

18 Regional and/or subregional technical and scientific support centers:

### Europe

- European Commission Joint Research Centre
- IUCN Centre for Mediterranean Cooperation
- IUCN Regional Office for Eastern Europe and Central Asia
- Royal Belgian Institute for Natural Sciences





# Recommendations for COP16 that enable regional approaches

## Scientific and technical needs for the implementation of the KM-GBF

The [potential] [important] **role of the regional and subregional technical and scientific cooperation support centres** and the global knowledge support service for biodiversity in supporting the use [and the further development] of tools and guidance to facilitate the implementation of the Framework

To continue **to facilitate the development of further tools** [and exchange of good practices][and guidance and updating of existing guidance, ]where needed, to address gaps identified [by Parties] [in annex III to document CBD/SBSTTA/26/2, section IV.B of and the annex to document CBD/SBSTTA/26/3 and document CBD/SBSTTA/26/INF/15], **in cooperation with** relevant multilateral environmental agreements, [other competent intergovernmental organizations,] **[the regional and subregional technical and scientific cooperation support centres]...**

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## Cooperation with other conventions and international organizations

Calls upon Parties **to establish effective national, regional and subregional coordination processes**, mechanisms **to support collaboration among the national focal points** of the CBD and its Protocols, and the national focal points of other conventions, including through the **establishment of structured communication channels and the convening of relevant focal points**, to support coherence in their respective policies, strategies and action plans,

Requests that the Executive Secretary, subject to the availability of resources

Facilitate the **exchange of case studies and experiences from Parties** in promoting synergies, cooperation and collaboration, as appropriate, in the implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity and other multilateral environmental agreement, including **by convening regional dialogues or workshops**

# Thank You!



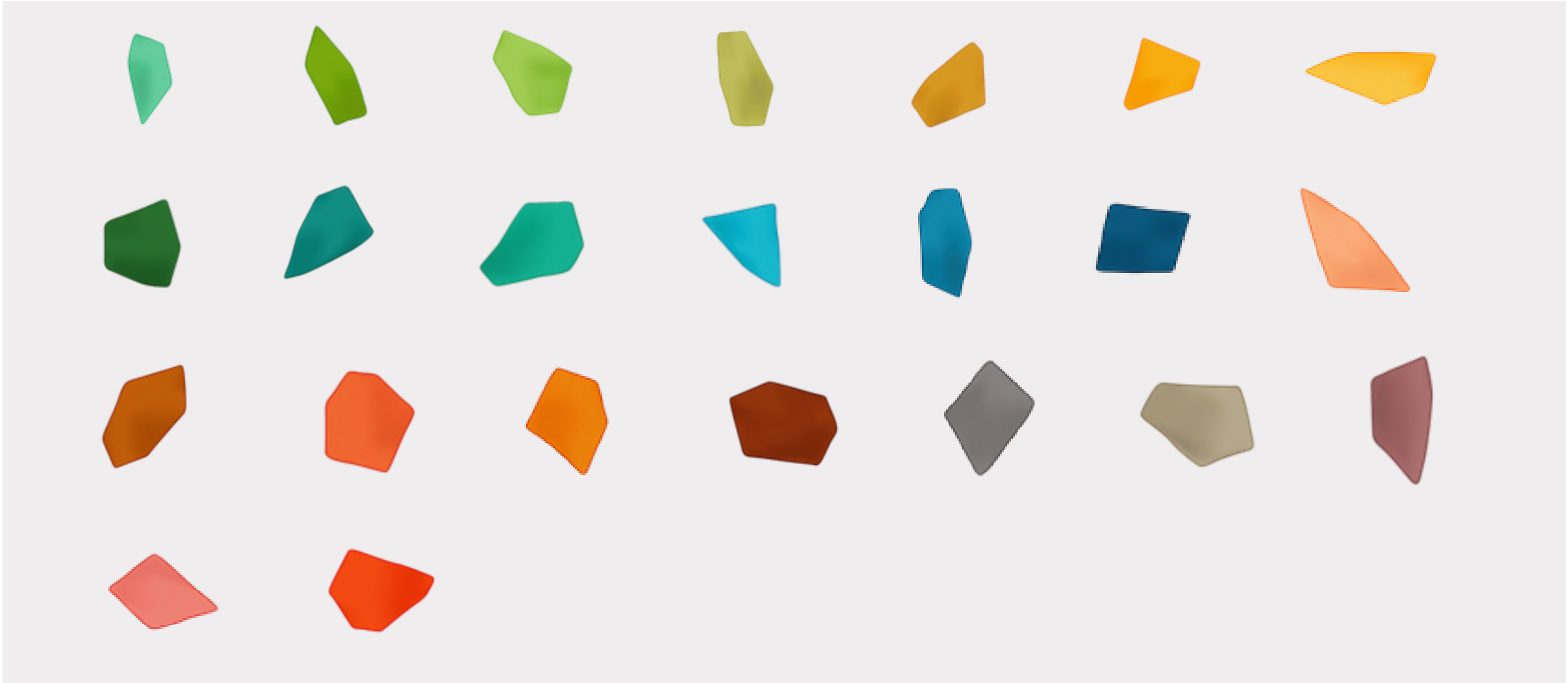
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