

BBNJ Agreement and Information Costs

- Intermediary actor on information search, production, and exchange (Art. 12, 14, 15).
- Transaction costs are high when there are incomplete information and unclear property rights.
- The exchange of information is particularly costly for other sectors, such as marine capture fisheries and deep-seabed mining.
- "Reasonable Costs" in accessing samples, data or information (Art. 14(4)).
- Avoid the risks of stacking obligations and avoid duplication.
- What are the terms and conditions of use and tCHM?



Data Contributors?

Clearing-House Mechanism

- Sales, Revenues, Commercialisation.
- Patents, Copyrights, and other IPs.



Information/Data Limitations

- Carve-out Rules to Fish (Art. 10 (2)).
- Confidentiality of Information (Art. 51(6)).

