

## Annex I: Overview of ABS provincial requirements in Argentina

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<b>Buenos Aires (city)</b>	None	None	None	None	No	No
<b>Buenos Aires (province)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law decree 10081/83 on the rural code</li> <li>• Decree 1878/73 regulating the rural Code</li> </ul>	Collection of wildlife for scientific research	Permit	None	No	No
<b>Catamarca</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 4855/94 on wildlife</li> <li>• Law 4891/96 on fisheries and agriculture</li> <li>• Resolution 309/2015 on scientific research</li> </ul>	Collection of natural and/or genetic resources for scientific research	Permit	Reporting requirements. If monetary benefits are obtained as a result of access, the amount of royalties is set at 50% of taxable revenue.	Yes	No
<b>Chaco</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 5629 on wildlife and hunting</li> </ul>	Collection of wildlife for scientific research	Permit	None	No	No
<b>Chubut</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law XI – 10/89 on wildlife</li> <li>• Regulation 868/90 on wildlife</li> <li>• Provision 48/2008 on scientific research</li> <li>• Provision 46/2010 modifying provision 48</li> </ul>	Collection of wildlife for scientific research	Permit	None	Yes	No
<b>Córdoba</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 7343/85 on environmental principles</li> <li>• Law 10.208/14 on environmental policy</li> </ul>	Collection of biological resource (native or exotic) in the province for the purposes of research, whether research is taking place in the province or not	Permit for research in province Permit for research abroad	None	No	No
<b>Corrientes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 1863/54 on wildlife</li> <li>• Decree 1440/2009 on the Ibera National Park</li> <li>• Provision 845/2013 on scientific collection</li> </ul>	Collection of biological material from wild species for scientific research	Permit	Reporting and information-sharing requirements	No	No
<b>Entre Ríos</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 10.479/2017 on protected areas</li> <li>• <a href="https://www.dropbox.com/s/qpcwlui4bxqfquu/RESOLUCION%201721%20-2014.pdf?dl=0">Res 1721/2014 on access to genetic resources<sup>2</sup></a></li> </ul>	Collection of biological material for scientific research	Permit	Payment of royalties over benefits derived from access to genetic resources and derivatives. The amount of royalties is set at 50% of taxable revenue.	Yes	Yes

<sup>1</sup> Sanctions established specifically in the context of access to genetic resources for their utilization, rather than broader collection or research activities.

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/qpcwlui4bxqfquu/RESOLUCION%201721%20-2014.pdf?dl=0>

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<b>Formosa</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 1060/93 on environmental policy</li> <li>• Law 1067/93 on wildlife</li> <li>• Law 1314/2000 on rural code</li> <li>• <a href="#">Res 40/2015 on access to genetic resources<sup>3</sup></a></li> </ul>	Access (direct or through an intermediary) to in-situ or ex-situ native biological resources, derivatives or associated traditional knowledge, with exception of plant varieties (as long as not wild crop relatives or farmer varieties) and processed biological material	Permit	Benefit sharing on basis of mutually agreed terms	No	Yes  (including fines and confiscation)
<b>Jujuy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 5063/98 on environment</li> <li>• <a href="#">Resolution 15/2013 on access to biodiversity<sup>4</sup></a></li> </ul>	Access (direct or indirect) to in-situ or ex-situ native genetic or biochemical resources	Permit	Access fee (for foreigners, cost of 150 l of unleaded gas). Sharing of results. If monetary benefits, benefit sharing arrangements are required.	Yes	Yes  (including fines, confiscation and ineligibility for future permits)
<b>La Pampa</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 1.194/89 on wildlife</li> <li>• Decree 2218/1994 on wildlife</li> <li>• Law 1.914/2001 on environmental policy</li> </ul>	Access to genetic resources	Permit is foreseen, but not regulated	None	No	No
<b>La Rioja</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 7.801/2004 on environment</li> <li>• Law 4.677/85 on wildlife</li> </ul>	Collection of natural resources in protected areas for research purposes	Permit	None	No	No
<b>Mendoza</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 7.308/2004 on wildlife</li> <li>• Law 6.045/93 on protected areas</li> <li>• Res 1243/2012 on research in protected areas</li> </ul>	Collection of natural resources in protected areas for research purposes	Permit is required, subject to positive technical assessment of project.	None	No	No
<b>Misiones</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law XVI-47/1996 on biodiversity</li> <li>• Decree 474/02 on biodiversity</li> <li>• <a href="#">Res 509/2007 on access to genetic resources<sup>5</sup></a></li> <li>• Law XVI – 98/2008 creating plant gene bank</li> <li>• Law XVI – 116/2016 on animal gene bank</li> </ul>	Access (utilization) of genetic resources and derivatives, collection of samples and genetic modification	Permit	Payment of royalties over benefits derived from access to genetic resources and derivatives. The amount of royalties is set at 50% of taxable revenue.	Yes	No

<sup>3</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/ju97d3ecmyuoo1m/Resolucion%2040%20Diversidad%20Biologica.pdf?dl=0>

<sup>4</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/ha0x8rpogpzmhnc/Resolucion%20acceso%20a%20BD%20de%20Jujuy.pdf?dl=0>

<sup>5</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/8pcrnjax98r8q5o/Resolucion%20509%20-%20Acceso%20a%20los%20RRGG.pdf?dl=0>

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<b>Neuquén</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 2.539/2006 on wildlife</li> <li>• <a href="#">Law 2.503/2005 on access to genetic resources</a><sup>6</sup></li> </ul>	Genetic and biochemical resources located within provincial jurisdiction	For scientific research, a permit is required. For research with commercial purposes, a contract is required.	Access fee is foreseen, as well as payment of royalties over benefits derived from access to genetic resources. The amount of royalties is set at 20% of taxable revenue.	No	Yes  (including warnings and fines)
<b>Río Negro</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 2056/85 on wildlife</li> <li>• <a href="#">Law 2600/93 on genetic heritage</a><sup>7</sup></li> <li>• <a href="#">Decree 1135/1998 regulates Law 2600</a><sup>8</sup></li> <li>• Law 2669/93 on protected areas</li> <li>• Law 3702/2002 on medicinal plants</li> </ul>	Genetic resources located within provincial jurisdiction	For scientific research, registration is required. For research with commercial purposes, a permit is required.	None	No	No
<b>Salta</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 7070/99 on environmental protection</li> <li>• Law 7107/2000 on protected areas</li> <li>• Res 091/2005 on scientific research</li> </ul>	Collection of wild flora or fauna for research purposes	Permit	Reporting requirements	No	No
<b>San Juan</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 6911/98 on wildlife</li> <li>• Law 6912/98 regulating Law 6911</li> </ul>	Collection of biological resources in protected areas for scientific research	Permit	None	Yes	No
<b>San Luis</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 317/2014 on wildlife, hunting and fishing</li> <li>• <a href="#">Law 851/2013 on access to genetic resources</a><sup>9</sup></li> <li>• <a href="#">Decree 8804/2015 regulating Law 851</a><sup>10</sup></li> <li>• Resolution 03/2011 on research permits</li> </ul>	Collection of wild fauna and flora and associated traditional knowledge for research purposes	Permit	Access fee is foreseen, as well as payment of royalties over benefits derived from access to genetic resources. The amount of royalties is to be fixed annually in tax provisions.	No	Yes  (including warnings, confiscations and fines)
<b>Santa Cruz</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 2373/94 on wildlife</li> <li>• Res 861/98 on research activities</li> </ul>	Collection of biological resources in protected areas for scientific research	Permit. Collection to be conducted with park ranger	None	No	No

<sup>6</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/9r57ypnome5958f/LEY%202503%20-%20RRGG.pdf?dl=0>

<sup>7</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/pauwvqmo50sgje/LEY%202600%20-%20RRGG.PDF?dl=0>

<sup>8</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/7o48bvzkbhwh82/DECRETO%201135.PDF?dl=0>

<sup>9</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/bgfcwf2qzlo2t17/Ley%20%20IX-0851-2013%20ACCESO%20Y%20REGISTRO%20DE%20RECURSOS%20GENETICOS.pdf?dl=0>

<sup>10</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/ntulmrmcgv199sd/DECRETO%20N%208804-%20ACCESO%20Y%20REGISTRO%20DE%20RECURSOS%20GENETICOS.pdf?dl=0>

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<b>Santa Fe</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Protocol for access to biodiversity (2019)<sup>11</sup></a></li> </ul>	Collection of wild flora or fauna, and associated traditional knowledge, for research purposes	Permit	If potential commercial application, proposal for benefit sharing with government (or local communities if link to traditional knowledge) must be presented	No	No
<b>Santiago del Estero</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 6321/96 on environmental protection</li> </ul>	Native flora and fauna	None	None	No	No
<b>Tierra del Fuego</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 55/92 on environmental protection</li> <li>• <a href="#">Res 570/2012 on research on genetic resources<sup>12</sup></a></li> </ul>	Collection of wild flora or fauna for research purposes	Permit	If foreign application, collaboration with local partners is required, including mutually agreed terms with fair and equitable benefit sharing	Yes	Yes (ineligibility to apply for further research permits)
<b>Tucumán</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Law 6292/91 on flora and fauna</li> <li>• Res 87/2017 on scientific research</li> </ul>	Collection of wild flora or fauna for research purposes	Permit	Requirements for annual reports and sharing results	No	No

<sup>11</sup> <https://proyectosinv.conicet.gov.ar/wp-content/uploads/sites/6/SF-Requisitos-para-solicitud-permisos-de-colectas-2019.pdf>

<sup>12</sup> <https://www.dropbox.com/s/b6my9yxt527an2p/Res-570.pdf?dl=0>