



# Plenary session: IPBES Work Program - Knowledge system and knowledge generation

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# What is IPBES?

**Goal of IPBES: “ To *strengthen the science-policy interface for biodiversity and ecosystem services for the conservation and sustainable use of biodiversity, long-term human well-being and sustainable development*”.**

**Appendix I to Annex I in  
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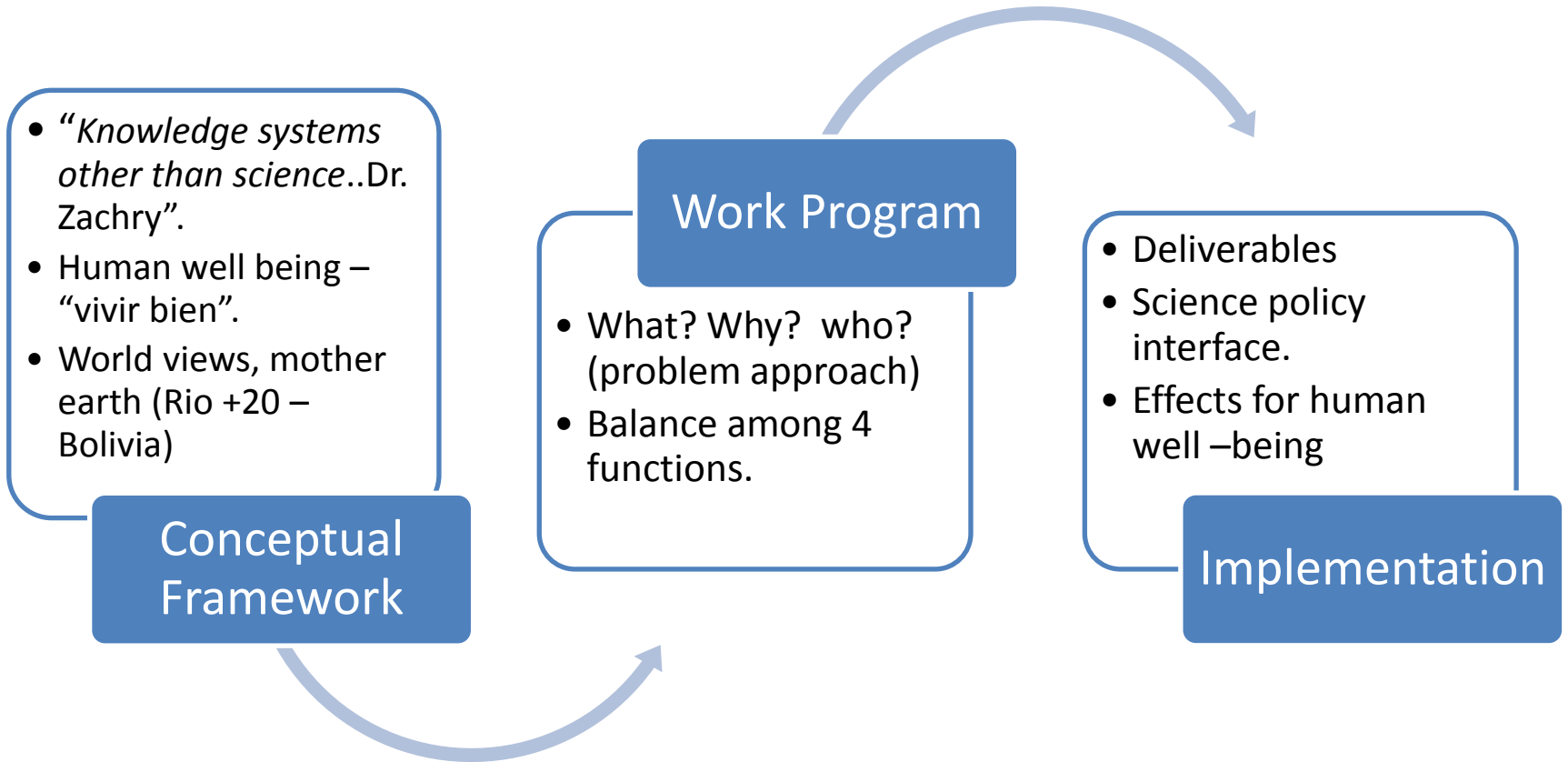


# Ipbes - Pillars

- a) **Identify and prioritize key scientific information needed for policymakers** at appropriate scales and catalyze efforts to generate new knowledge;
- a) Perform regular and timely **assessments** of knowledge on biodiversity and ecosystem services and **their inter-linkages**, which should include comprehensive global, regional and, as necessary, subregional assessments and thematic issues;
- a) Support **policy formulation and implementation by identifying policy-relevant tools and methodologies**, such as those arising from assessments, to enable decision makers to gain access to those tools and methodologies, and, where necessary, to promote and **catalyze their further development**; and;
- a) **Prioritize key capacity-building needs to improve the science-policy interface** at appropriate levels and then provide and call for financial and other support for the highest-priority needs related directly to its activities as well as integrate capacity-building into all relevant aspects of its work and catalyse financing such activities by providing a forum with conventional and potential sources of funding.

Interlink: to [cause](#) to [join](#) or [connect](#) together, with the [parts joined](#) often having an [effect](#) on each other. Cambridge dictionary.

# Process - coherence



# Scoping Experiences, methodologies and emerging opportunities for Bridging across Knowledge System. What, How and Who,

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## **Local:**

**Governance:** Formal Local rules/ local/ institutions and national legal frameworks. Respect to the social structures/institutions.

**Local TK is holistic** and is the equivalent to an Enciclopedia. Interdisciplinary approach is needed. (Thematic assessments must have the right approach in this case)

**Trust – dialogue -reciprocity.** TK engagement takes time, to develop trusted relationship with the local structures (15-25 years).



Knowledge application to life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Locally</li><li>• Other explanations</li></ul>
Cultural	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Knowledge systems?</li><li>• Boundaries</li></ul>
Territories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Livelihoods</li><li>• Unique</li></ul>

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**National – Regional / multinational:**

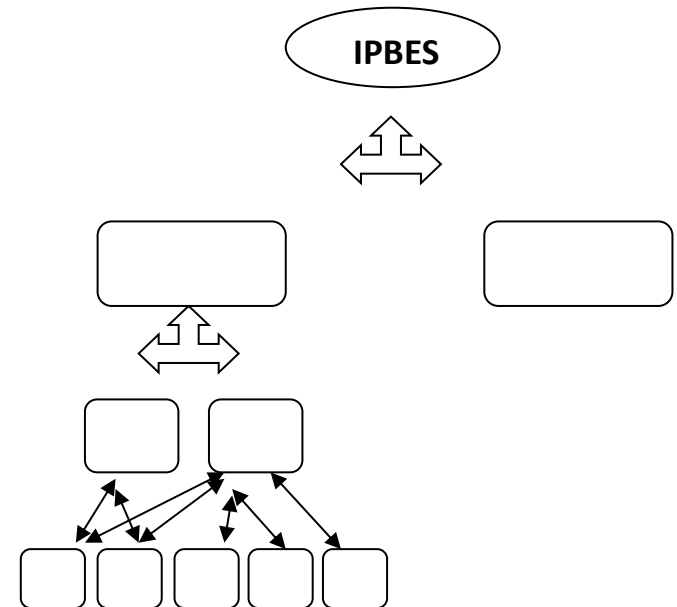
**TK are embedded in to social institutions and structures that feed, maintain and use it,**

**Co management approaches regarding the use of ES (harvesting-governance**

**To get government support and recognition**

**To articulate K-systems and IPBES functioning at NBSAP's.**

**Fully acting and participation of IP in decision making (Arctic). Ensure all related accepted procedures PIC and MA**



# Starting questions to panelist

- 1. What are the main priorities to address with respect to data/knowledge on biodiversity and ecosystem services in the region?
- 2. What would be the clear and transparent process for sharing and incorporating relevant data or knowledge? What? Who? How?
- 3. What are the best ways to ensure data/knowledge is comparable and time series are maintained? How the reciprocity of sharing knowledge will be in good well being to us?
- 4. How can IPBES contribute to monitoring of progress in meeting Aichi Biodiversity Targets (and other biodiversity-related goals) in the region?

Thank you!

