

## Institutional framework

### OA Requirements

- Gold OA (immediate OA)

OR

- Green OA with a maximum six-month embargo

### Financial support

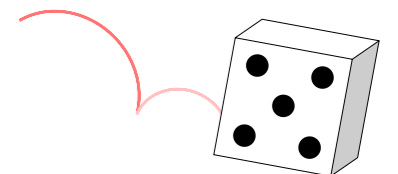
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**How not to get lost in the quest to  
publish an Open Access article ?**



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This game focuses on how a researcher can make their publication compliant with the Open Access requirements of their institution and funders.

To be compliant today, a researcher should try to choose full Gold, Diamond, and Hybrid OA journals included in transformative agreements, or negotiate as much as possible an acceptable embargo to self-archive a version of their article in their institutional repository. S.He must also be attentive about predatory journals and be aware of the double dipping question.

This game explores the different ways – the “colors” of Open Access – to achieve this compliance goal and aims to reflect as closely as possible the reality of journals' conditions, and the landscape of financial support possibilities, between transformative agreements and dedicated library funds.

## Game's goal

Publish your 4 articles and be compliant with the OA policies!

## Game progress

1. Return an article card
2. Draw a journal card
  - once in the game, you can change a journal card
3. If it is possible to finance an APC being compliant with OA policies, they pay it\* (place the money on your article):
  - a) with the funder's budget
  - b) with token of national agreements
  - c) with the library's budget + your own
4. If the Gold OA is not available/compliant, you can try to negotiate (with the dice) better Green OA conditions:
  - a) If you win, you get a bonus "Green OA"
  - b) If you lose, you get a penalty "Not compliant"
5. If you decide to pay a hybrid APC outside national agreements, you get a penalty "Double dipping"

\*Game changer: if you draw a Gold OA journal, the game master may challenge you with a question about predatory journals!

## Counting points

- Article with immediate OA (Gold or bonus "Green OA") : 4 points
- Article with delayed OA (6 months), bonus "Green OA" : 3 points
- Article with a penalty "Double dipping" : 2 points
- Article with a penalty "Not compliant" : 1 point
- Article lost because of a predatory journal : 0 point

## Material



## In the centre of the game





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journals

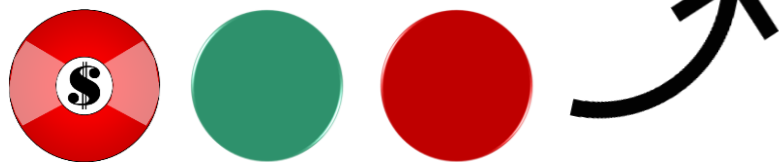
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articles

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budget



Place the money, bonus or penalty on your article



3 cards for 1<sup>st</sup> team

2<sup>nd</sup> team

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4<sup>th</sup> team

5<sup>th</sup> team

6<sup>th</sup> team

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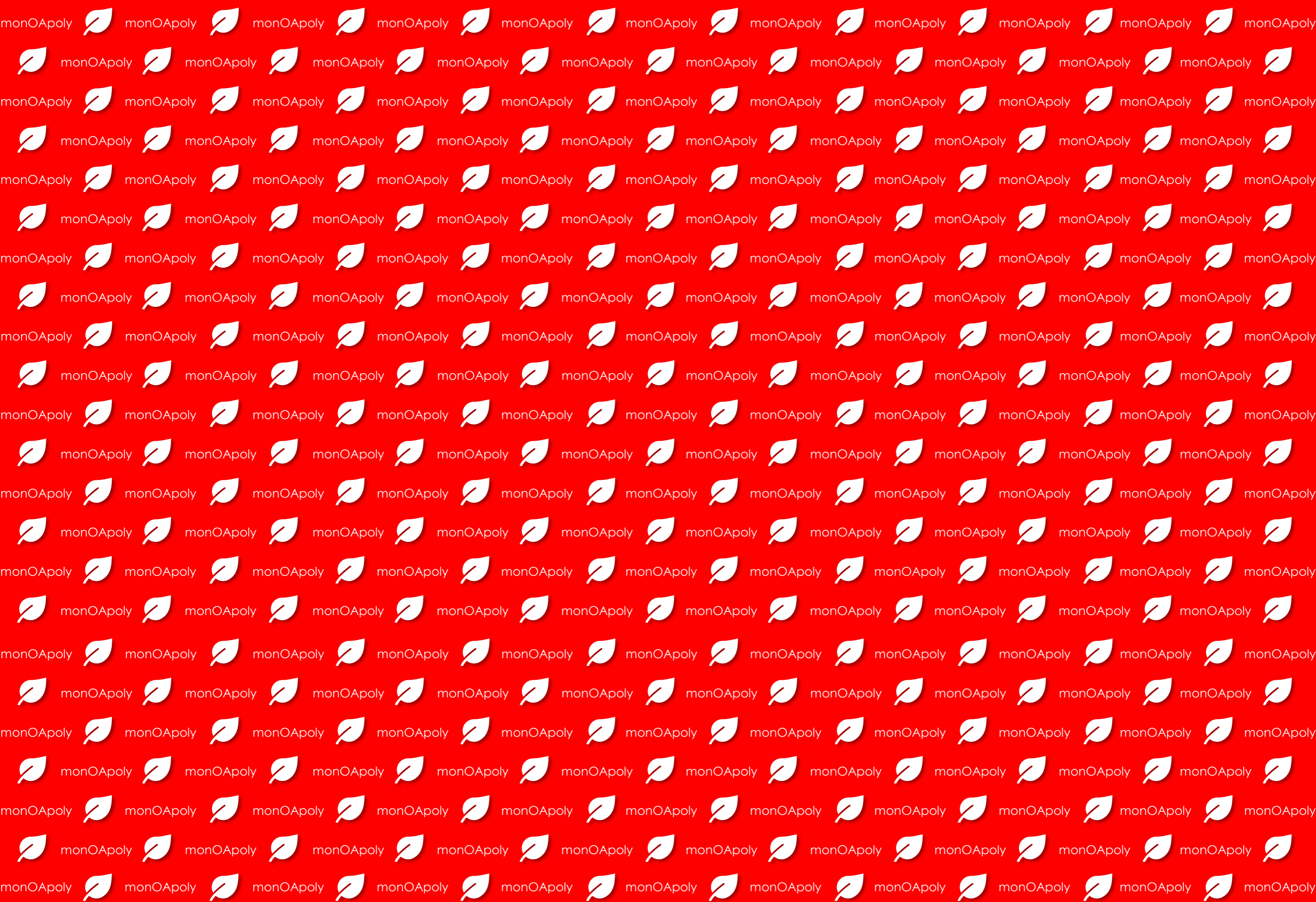
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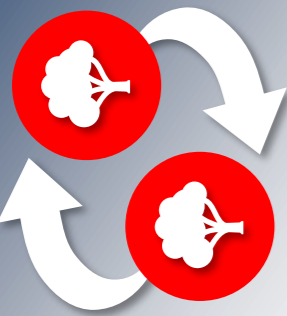
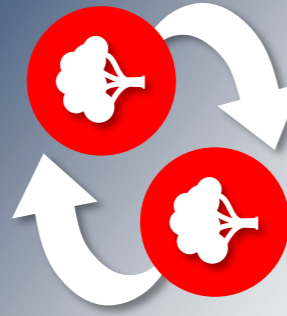
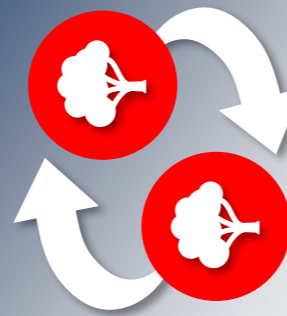
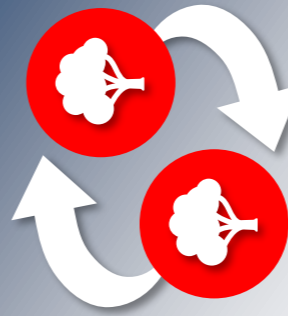
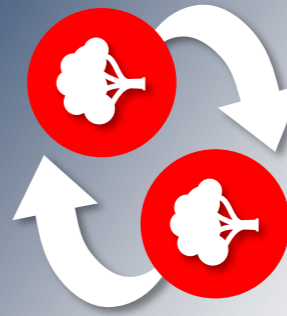
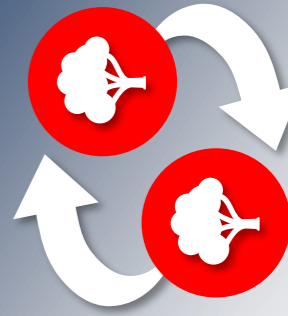
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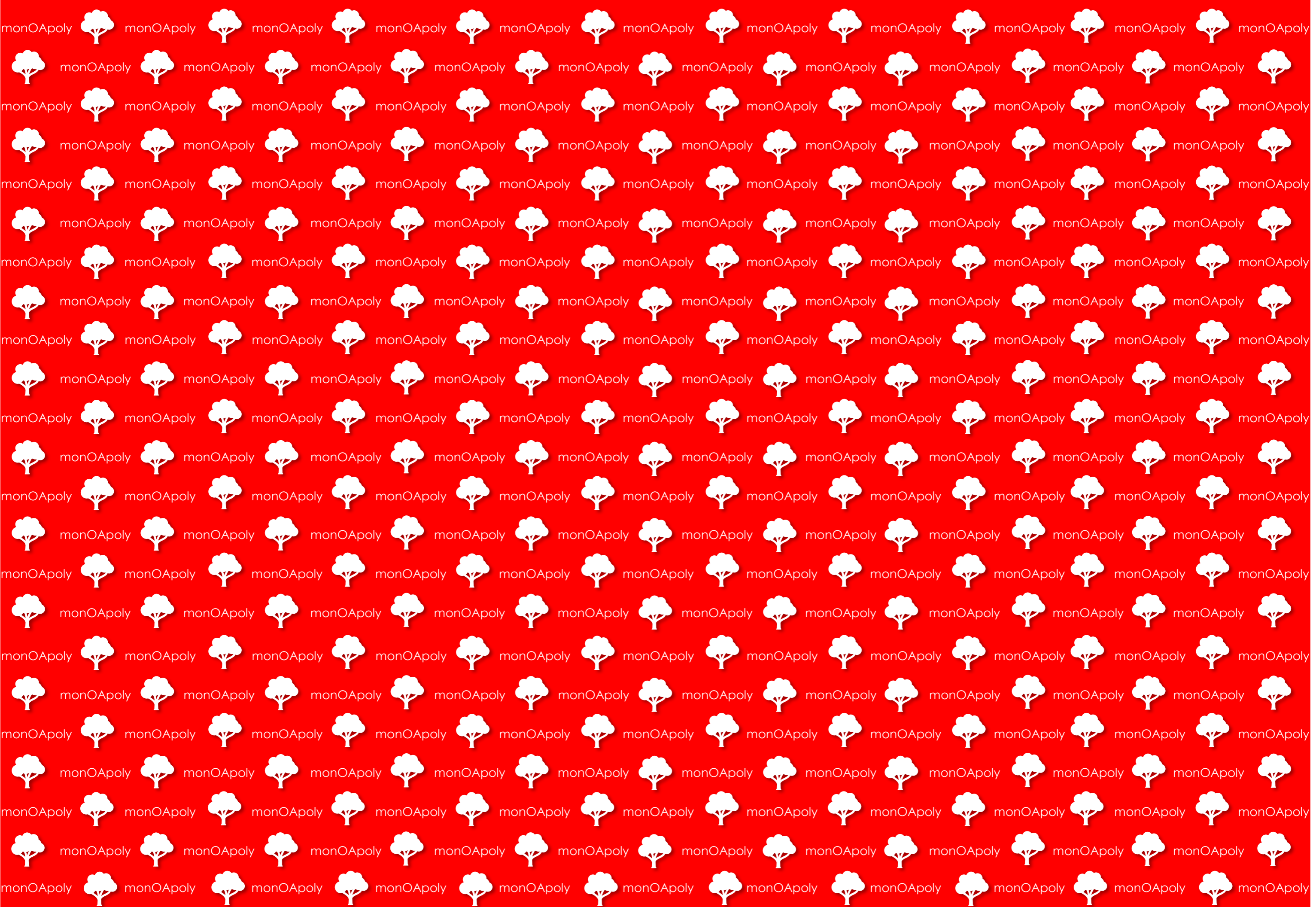
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Type  
Gold OA

Green OA conditions  
N/A

APC price  
2000 \$

**Nego**  
N/A


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**journal** 

Type  
Hybrid OA within a national agreement

Green OA conditions  
Embargo 12 months

APC price  
1000 \$

**Nego**  
6 months



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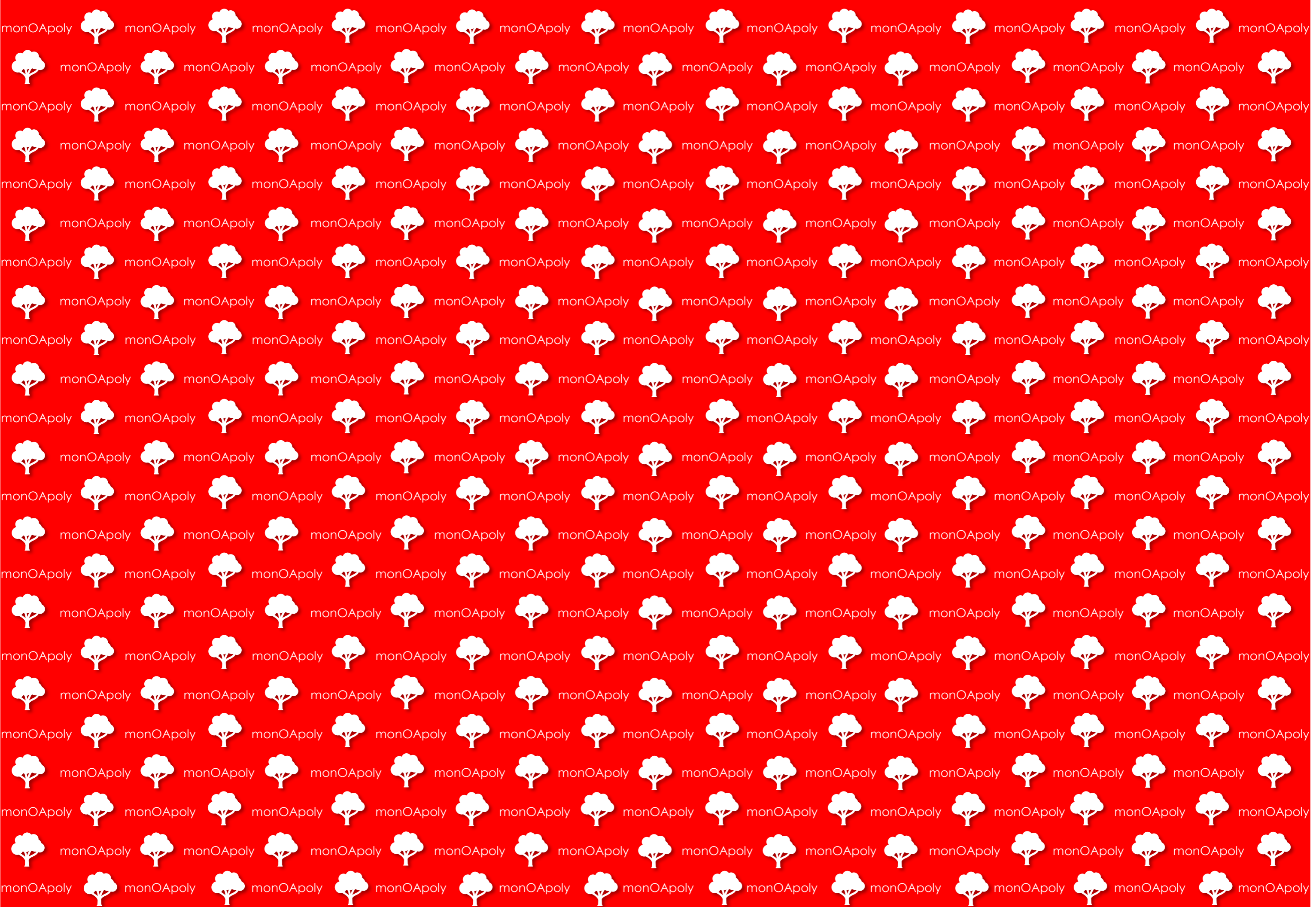
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Green OA conditions  
Embargo 24 months

APC price  
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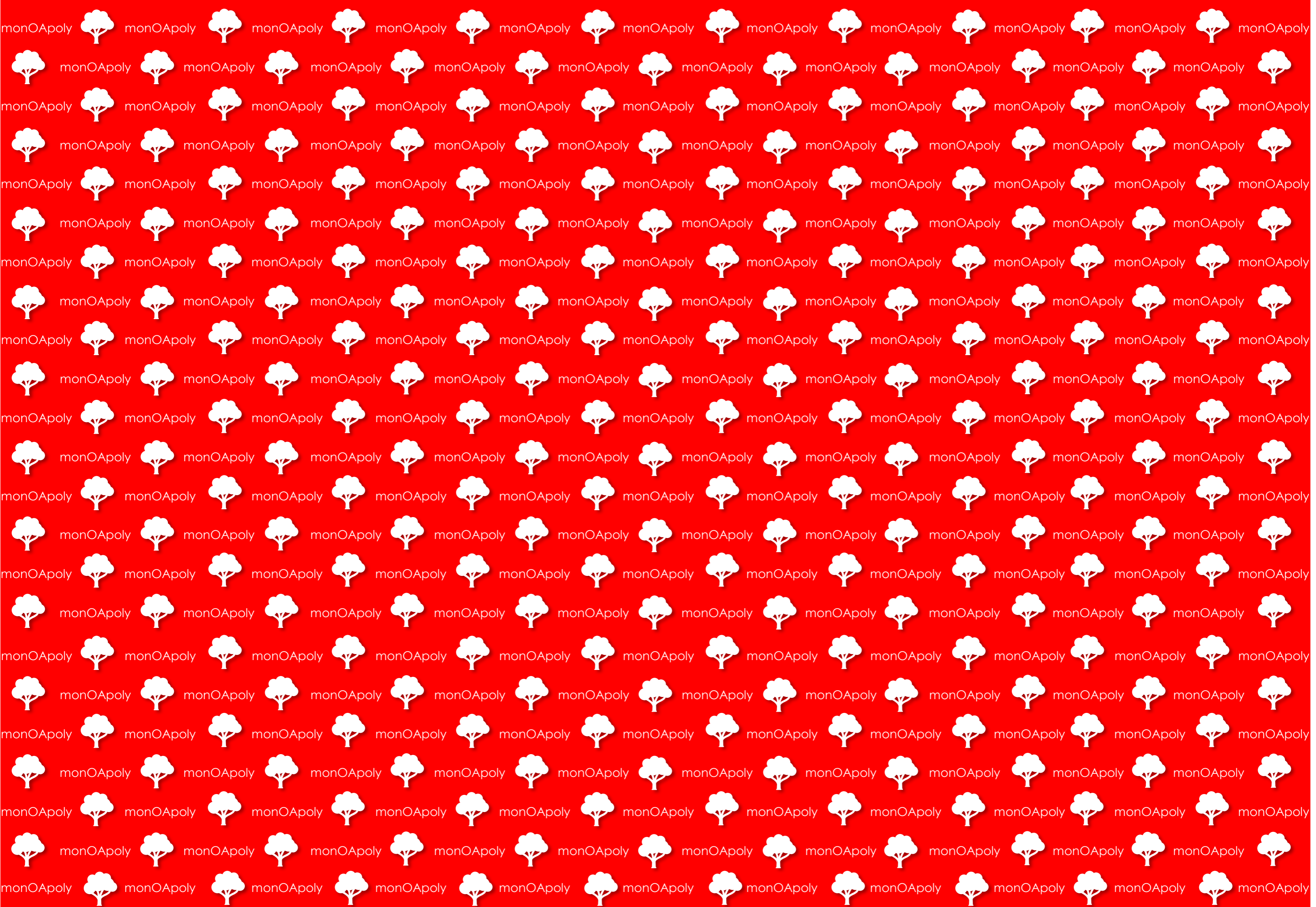


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**journal** 


Type  
Traditional

Green OA conditions  
Embargo 18 months

APC price  
N/A

**Nego**  
6 months




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Green OA conditions  
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APC price  
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APC price  
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APC price  
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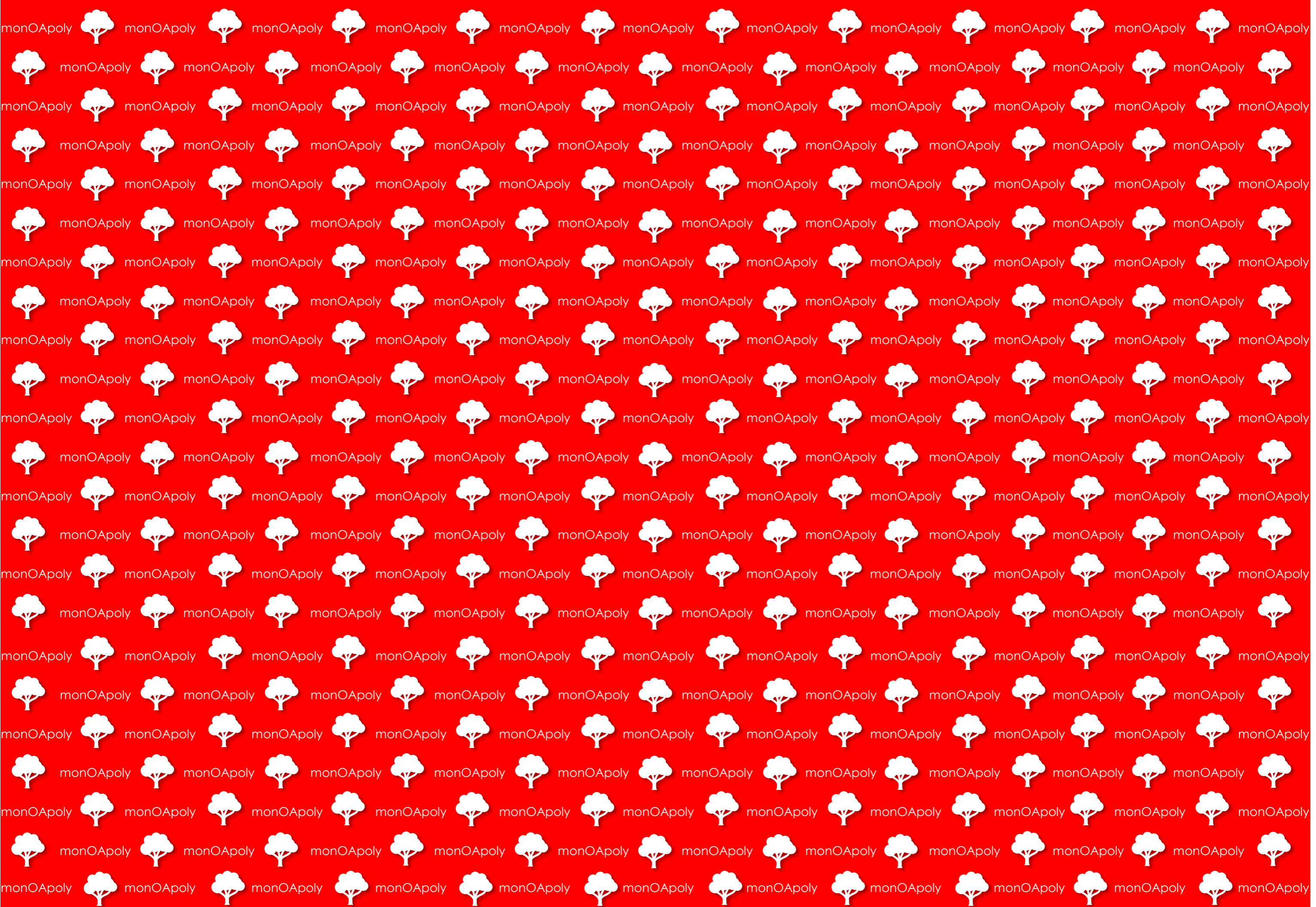
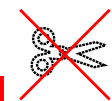
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Green OA conditions  
Embargo 6 months

APC price  
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# predatory

*Are predatory journals indexed and referenced in scientific bibliographic databases such as the Web Of Science or Scopus ?*

Game changer



# predatory

*Who can you contact for advice about predatory journals/a journal you find suspicious?*

Game changer



# predatory

*What is the DOAJ?*

Game changer



# predatory

*Can the ISSN be a way to recognize a predatory journal?*

Game changer



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*Are all articles published in predatory journals bad ?*

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*Cite a questionable practice of predatory publishers ?*

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*What can be the consequence of publishing in a predatory journal ?*

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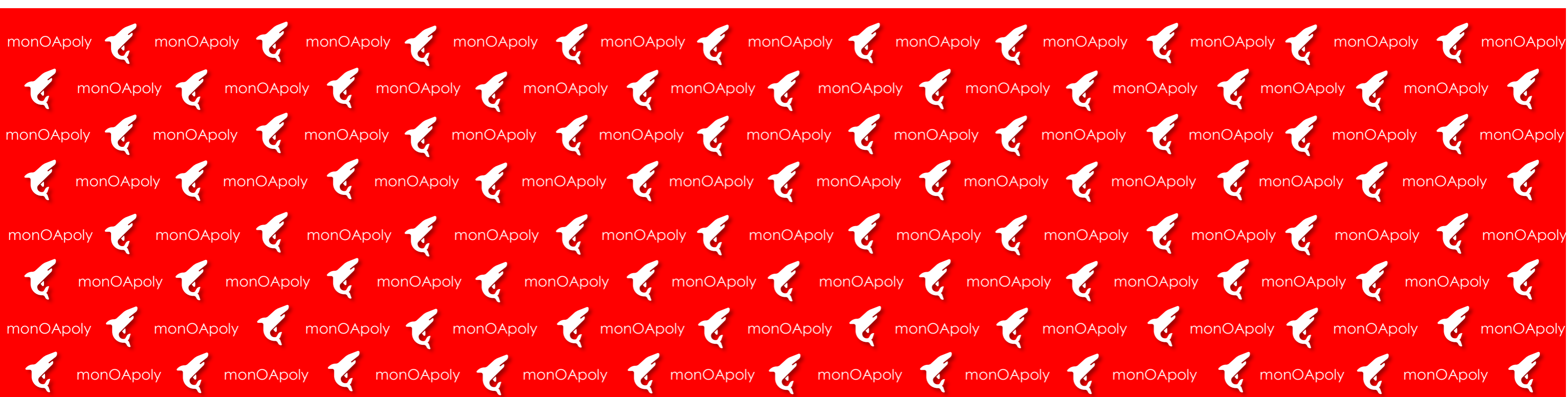


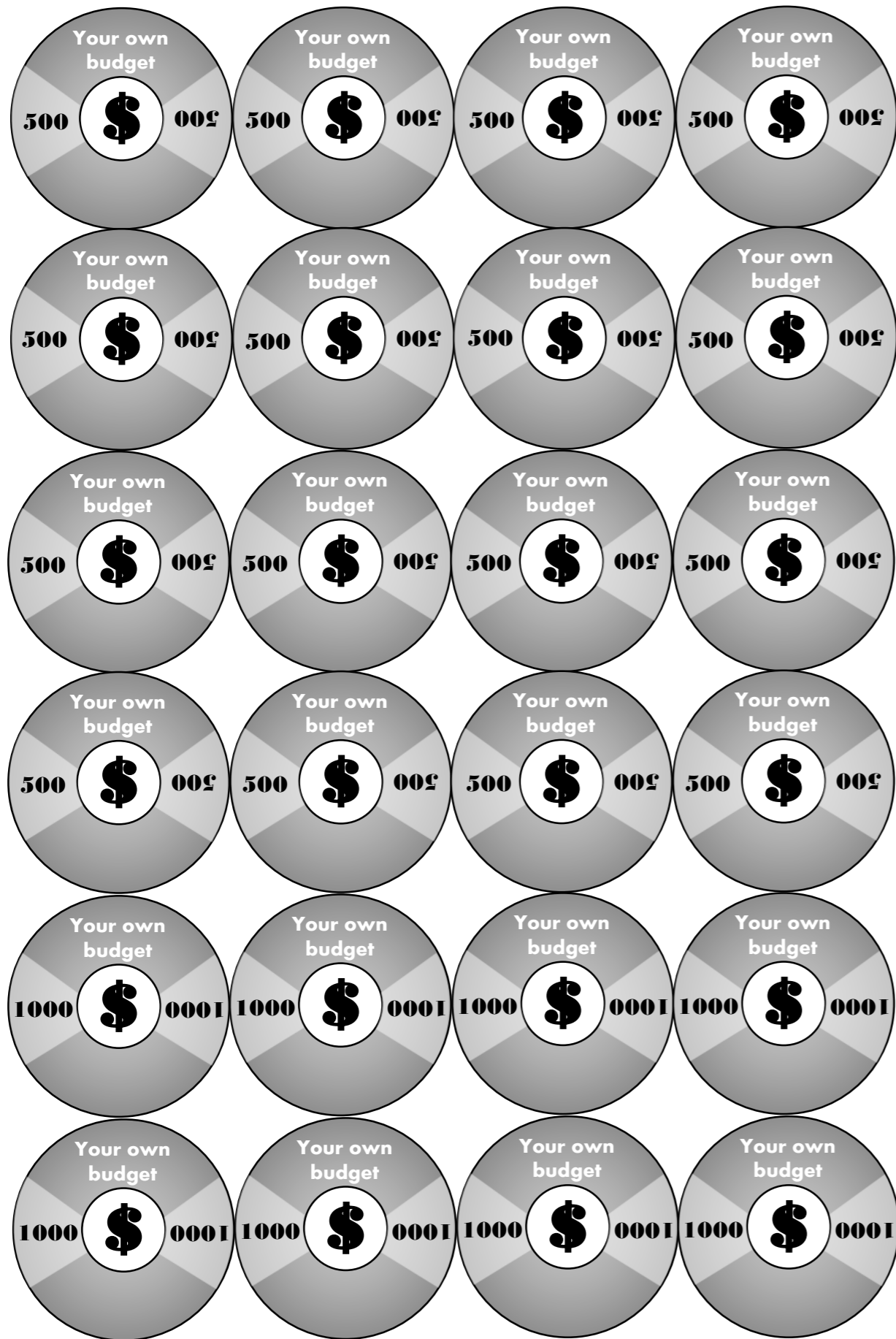
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*What is the purpose of predatory journals ?*

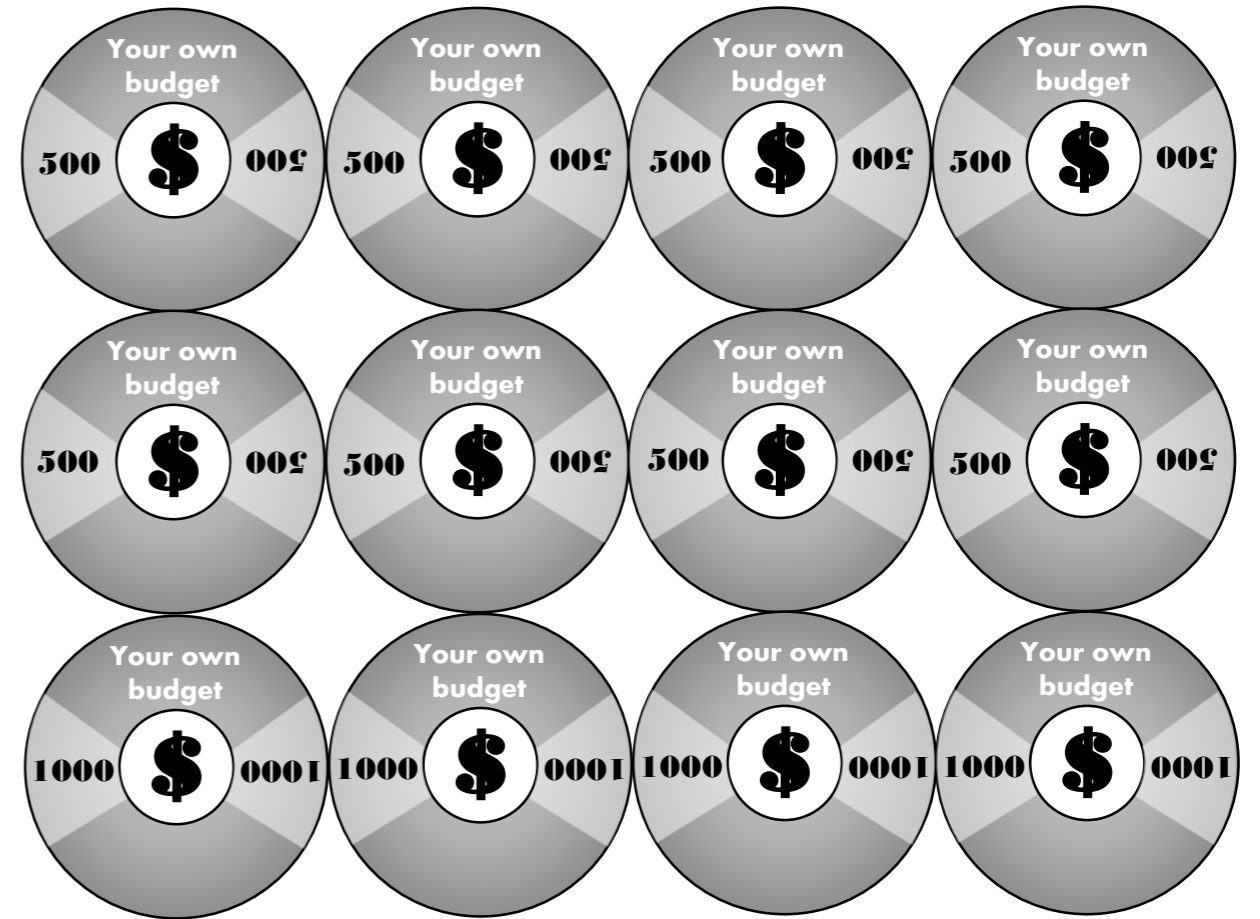
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4 teams



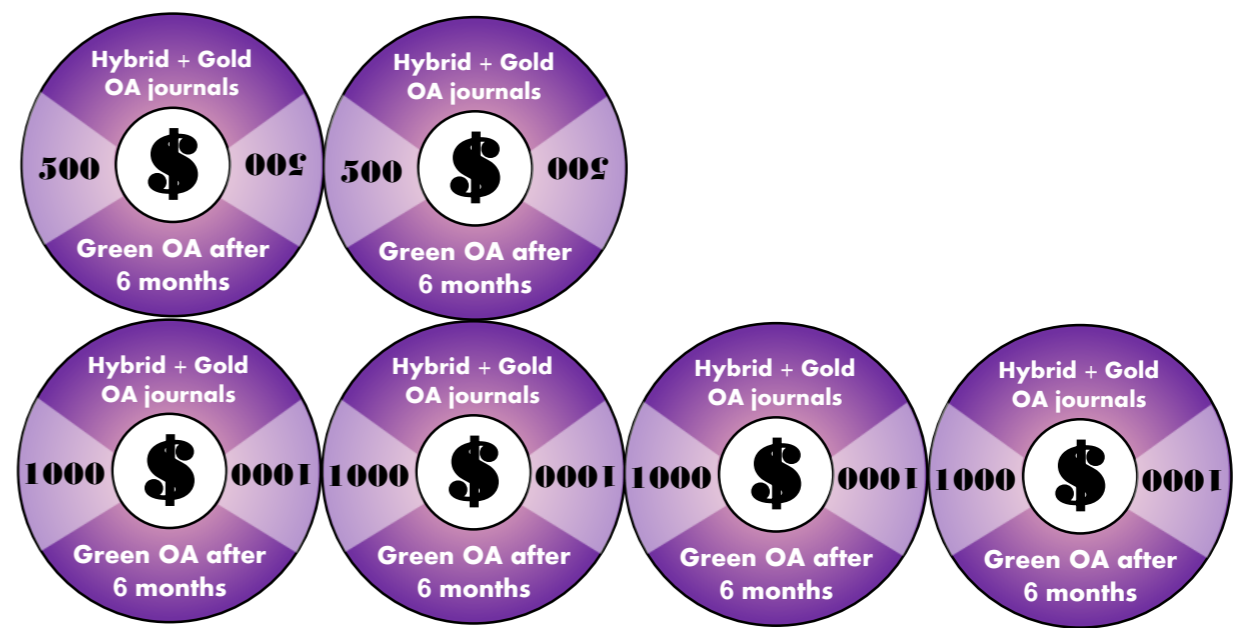
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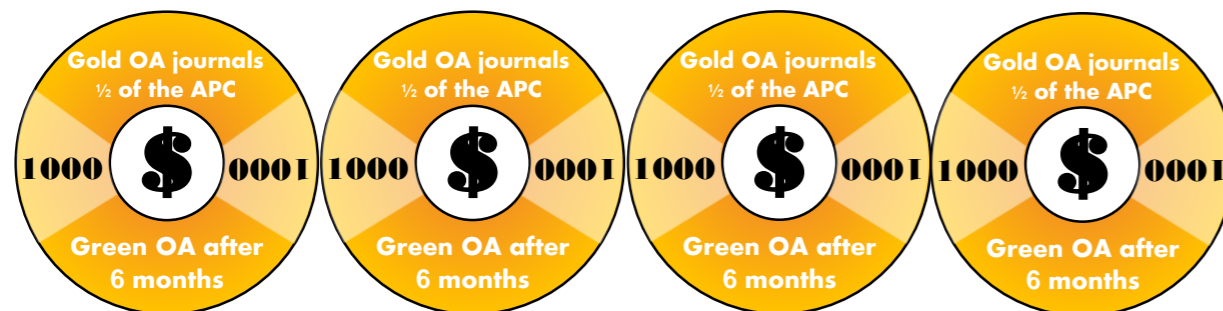
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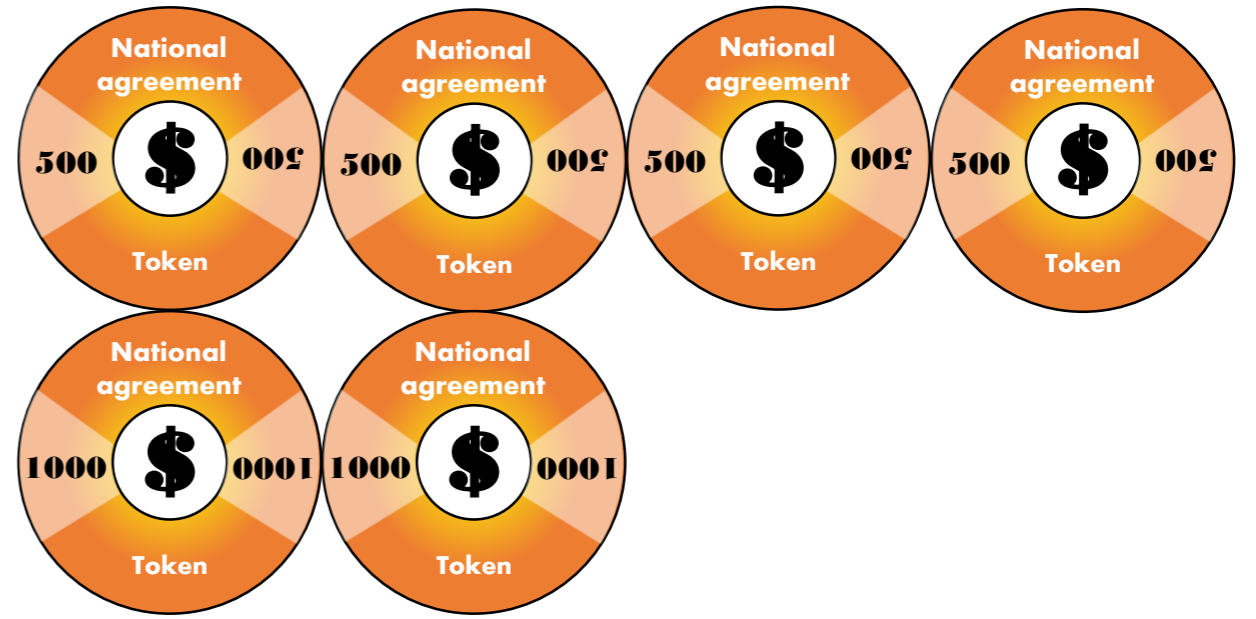
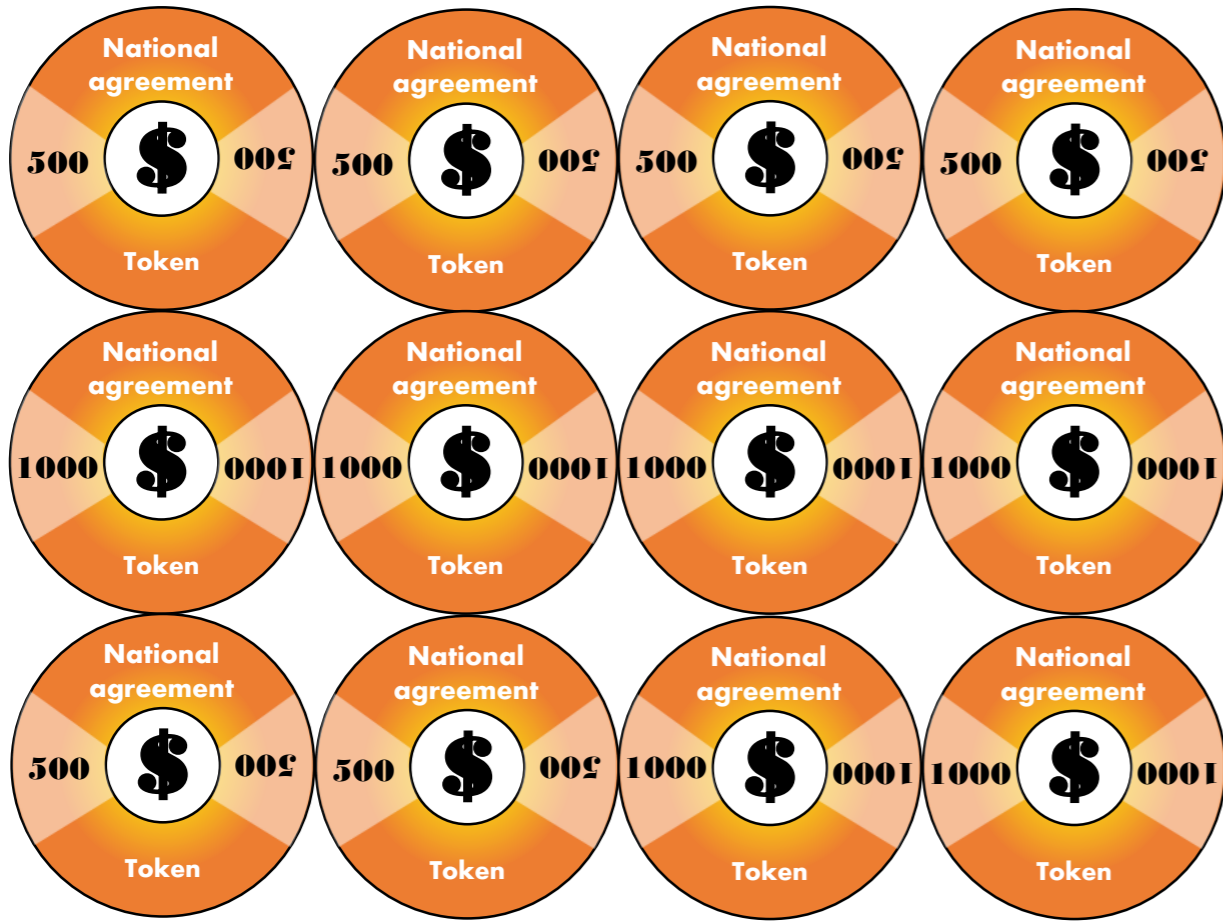
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