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B1. TOBACCO CONSUMPTION

Prevalence of tobacco use

Smoking prevalence in the adult population (all)

(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18-64 years; see B112)

Current smokers

	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in preva- lence data)	Average number of the most-con- sumed smoking tobacco product used per day
MALE	24.5	
FEMALE	14.6	
TOTAL (males and females)	19.4	

Daily smokers

	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in preva- lence data)	Average number of the most-con- sumed smoking tobacco product used per day
MALE	18.9	16
FEMALE	12.1	14
TOTAL (males and females)	15.4	15

Occasional smokers

	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in preva- lence data)
MALE	5.6
FEMALE	2.5
TOTAL (males and fe- males)	4.0

Former smokers

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

MALE	27.6
FEMALE	18.8
TOTAL (males and females)	23.1

Never smokers

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)

MALE	47.9
FEMALE	66.6
TOTAL (males and females)	57.5

Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B11:

All products, not specified

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B11 refer:

From	To
Age range	15

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B11:

2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B11:

Belgian Health Interview Survey 2018: https://his.wiv-isp.be/fr/SitePages/Rapports_complets_2018.aspx

Please provide the definitions of “current smoker”, “daily smoker”, “occasional smoker”, “former smoker” and “never smoker” used in this report.

Current smoker	Current smokers are those who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime (or equivalent amount of tobacco) and who currently smoke daily or occasionally
Daily smoker	Daily smokers are those who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime (or equivalent amount of tobacco) and who currently smoke daily
Occasional smoker	Occasional smokers are those who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime (or equivalent amount of tobacco) and who currently smoke occasionally
Former smoker	Former smokers are those who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime (or equivalent amount of tobacco) and who do not smoke nowadays
Never smoker	Never smokers are those who declare that they have never smoked up to 100 cigarettes (or equivalent amount of tobacco) in their entire lifetime

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smoking prevalence in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Results from the

Health Interview Survey (HIS) conducted in 2018 show a decline in the prevalence of current smokers (19.4%) as regard the 2013 HIS (23%). This trend is due to a decrease in the relative number of daily smokers (15.4% in 2018 against 18.9% in 2013) as opposed to a stable percentage of occasional smokers (4% both years). Globally, these figures confirm the steady descending trends in smoking prevalence observed since the first HIS was carried out in 1997 (30.3% current smokers and 25.5% daily smokers).

Smoking prevalence in the adult population (by age groups)

(If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)

	Range - start age	Range - end age	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking to- bacco products in prevalence data)
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	15	24	15
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	25	34	26
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	35	44	26
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	45	54	22
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	55	64	22
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	65	74	11
TOTAL (males and females) - current smokers ¹	75		5

Please indicate the smoking tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B12:

All tobacco products, as the survey question does not specify which (i.e., "Do you smoke nowadays?")

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B12:

2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B12:
Belgian Health Interview Survey, 2018

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current smoking prevalence by age group in the past two years or since submission of your last report, if data are available.

Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (all)

(Please provide prevalence data for total adult population, and identify the age considered in B132, e.g. 15 years old and over, 18–64 years; see B132)

Males

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

Females

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

TOTAL (males and females)

Prevalence (%)
(please include all smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B13:

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B13 refer:

From To

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B13:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B13:

Please provide the definitions of “current user”, “daily user”, “occasional user”, “former user” and “never user” (of smokeless tobacco products) used in this report in the space below.

Current user
Daily user
Occasional user
Former user
Never user

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in smokeless tobacco use in the adult population in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Prevalence of smokeless tobacco use in the adult population (current users) by age group (by age groups)

(If data are available, please provide prevalence data by age group, and identify the age group considered, preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44 years)

Range - start age	Range - end age	Prevalence (%) (please include all smoking tobacco products in prevalence data)
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Please indicate the smokeless tobacco products included in the answer to question B14:

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B14:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B14:

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in current use of smokeless tobacco by adult age groups in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Tobacco use by ethnic group(s)

(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

Ethnic group(s)	MALES - Prevalence (%)	FEMALES - Prevalence (%)	TOTAL (males and females) - Prevalence (%)
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Please indicate the tobacco products included in the answer to question B15:

Please indicate the age range to which the data used to answer question B15 refer:

From To

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B15:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B15:

Tobacco use by young persons

(please include all smoking or smokeless tobacco products in prevalence data)

	Age range	SMOKING TOBACCO - Prevalence (%)	SMOKELESS TOBACCO - Prevalence (%)	WATER PIPE - Prevalence (%)
BOYS - Current users ⁴	15-19	16.1		
BOYS - Current users ⁴	20-24	23.7		
GIRLS - Current users ⁴	15-19	7.2		
GIRLS - Current users ⁴	20-24	14.5		

Please indicate the tobacco products included in calculating prevalence for question B16:
All products (no specification)

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B16:
2018

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B16:
Belgian Health Interview Survey, 2018- Health Behaviour in School-aged Children (HBSC) survey, 2014 - SIPES (French Community of Belgium)

Please provide the definition of “current smoking/tobacco use” used to answer question B16 in the space below.

Current

smokers are those who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime (or equivalent amount of tobacco) and who currently smoke daily or occasionally. Smokeless tobacco is not included – not common in Belgium.

Please provide a brief explanation of the trend in tobacco use by young persons in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Due to small numbers,

prevalence by age group in the young are given as an indication (95% confidence intervals are wide!) but comparisons are not advised.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Use of novel and emerging tobacco and nicotine products

Age range	Heated tobacco products (HTPs) - Prevalence (%)	Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS) - Prevalence (%)	Electronic Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS) - Prevalence (%)	Other products - Prevalence (%)
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B2-B9. HEALTH, SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Exposure to tobacco smoke

Do you have any data on exposure to tobacco smoke in your population?

Yes ✓

Please provide details in the space below (e.g. exposure by gender, at home, in the workplace, on public transport).

Lors de leur dernière visite, 4% des personnes ont été exposées à la fumée dans un restaurant et 18 % des personnes ont été exposées à la fumée dans un bar.

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B21:

2017

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B21:

Special Eurobarometer 458 - ATTITUDES OF EUROPEANS TOWARDS TOBACCO AND ELECTRONIC CIGARETTES

Please attach the relevant documentation.

No comment

File type
"pdf"

Tobacco-related mortality

Do you have information on tobacco-related mortality in your population?

No ✘

If available, please provide any additional information on mortality attributable to tobacco use (e.g. lung cancer, cardiovascular diseases) in your jurisdiction.

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B32 and 33:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B32 and B33:

Please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

Tobacco-related costs

Do you have information on the economic burden of tobacco use in your population, e.g. the overall cost of tobacco use imposed on your society?

Yes ✓

Please provide details (e.g. direct (health care-related) and indirect costs and, if possible, the method used to estimate these costs).

See SOCOST study :

http://www.belspo.be/belspo/fedra/DR/DR65_Socost_sum_fr.pdf direct and indirect costs as well as intangible costs are integrated

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B42:

2015

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B42:

See SOCOST study : http://www.belspo.be/belspo/fedra/DR/DR65_Socost_sum_fr.pdf

Please submit a copy of the study you refer to:

Supply of tobacco and tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(b), 20.4(c), and 15.5)

Licit supply of tobacco products

	Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Domestic production	Retail sales	Exports	Imports
Smoking tobacco products	Cigar	pièces	251.046.368			
Smoking tobacco products	Cigarettes	pièces	9.812.782.085			
Smoking tobacco products	Roll your own	tonnes	5.465			

Please provide information on the volumes of duty-free sales (e.g. product, unit, quantity), if available.

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B51 and 52:

2019

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B51 and B52:

Ministry of finances : statistics on manufactured tobacco released for consumption

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Seizures of illicit tobacco products

(with reference to Article 15.5)

Seizures of illicit tobacco

	Year	Product	Unit (e.g. pieces, tonnes)	Quantity seized
Smoking tobacco products	2019	Cigarettes	pièces	174711555
Smoking tobacco products	2019	Cigars	pièces	2356099
Smoking tobacco products	2019	tabac à rouler + autres	Kg	10093607
Other tobacco products	2019	tabac brut	kg	13292

Do you have any information on the percentage of illicit tobacco products on the national tobacco market?

Yes ✓

What percentage of the national tobacco market do illicit tobacco products constitute?

(%)

5.7

What is the trend over the past two years or since submission of your last report in the percentage of illicit tobacco products in relation to the national tobacco market?

In 2018 the counterfeit and

“contraband” cigarettes consumed in Belgium increased with 2 % compared with 2017.

Please provide any further information on illicit tobacco products.

Data based on the KPMG project Sun (2017) a study of the illicit cigarette market in the European Union, Norway and Switzerland and KPMG project Stella (2018), a study of the illicit cigarette market in the EU. Remark: both studies were financed by the tobacco manufactures The project Sun (2017) and the project Stella (2018) have the following information about Belgium: In 2018 a total of 9 billion cigarettes were consumed. This was 0,2 billion higher than in 2017. There were 0,5 billion counterfeit and “contraband” cigarettes consumed. This was 0,2 billion higher compared with 2017. The total tax revenue lost from counterfeit and contraband was € 118 million. This was € 42 million higher compared with 2017. The cigarettes’ black market (definition of black market seems also rather large to us) grew from 330 million cigarettes sold in 2017 to 480 million cigarettes sold in 2018. The increase was 45 %. More counterfeit cigarettes were consumed with a total of 36 million cigarettes in 2018. The number of contraband cigarettes increased with 40 % from 281,8 million in 2017 to 402 million of cigarettes in 2018. The consumption of “illicit whites” tripled from 12,8 million cigarettes to 41 million cigarettes. So counterfeit and illicit whites consumed in Belgium are in total of 77 million cigarettes.

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions in section B6:

The data used to answer 2.6.2 until 2.6.5 are based on the KPMG project Sun (2017) a study of the illicit cigarette market in the European Union, Norway and Switzerland and KPMG project Stella (2018), a study of the illicit cigarette market in the EU

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Tobacco-growing

Is there any tobacco-growing in your jurisdiction?

Yes ✓

Please provide information on the number of workers involved in tobacco-growing. If available, please provide this figure broken down by gender.

42 producteurs : 45,5 ha.

Please provide, if available, the share of the value of tobacco leaf production in the national gross domestic product.

negligeable

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer questions in section B7:

2019

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions in section B7:

<https://statbel.fgov.be/fr/themes/agriculture-peche/exploitations-agricoles-et-horticoles#figures>

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Taxation of tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(a) and 6.3)

What proportion of the retail price of the most popular price category of tobacco product consists of taxes (e.g. sum of excise, sales and import duties (if applicable) and value added tax/goods and services tax (VAT/GST))?

79

How are the excise taxes levied (what types of taxes are levied)?

Specific tax only	No
Ad valorem tax only	No
Combination of specific and ad valorem taxes	Yes
More complex structure (please explain below)	

If available, please provide details on the rates of taxation for tobacco products at all levels of Government and be as specific as possible (specify the type of tax, e.g. VAT, sales, import duties)

	Product	Type of tax	Rate or amount	Base of tax⁵
Smoking tobacco products	cigars	Excise duties: Only ad valorem excise	10%	retail price
Smoking tobacco products	cigarettes	exciseduties: ad valorem and specific excise	40,04 % and 66,4691 €	retail price and 1000 cigarettes
Smoking tobacco products	smoking tobacco	excise duties: ad valorem and specific excise	31,50 % or 48,3083 €	retail price and kilogram

Please briefly describe the trends in taxation for tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction.

Cigars: same taxation since 1st January 2007 Cigarettes: Taxation since 1st January 2019: 40,04 % of the retail price and 66,4691 euro per 1.000 cigarettes Smoking tobacco: Taxation since 1st January 2019: 31,50 % of the retail price and 48,3083 euro per kilogram

Do you earmark any percentage of your taxation income for funding any national plan or strategy on tobacco control in your jurisdiction?

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer questions B81 to B86:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer questions B81 to B86:
2014 – 2018 Rates as mentioned in the law of 3 April 1997 related to the tax system for manufactured tobacco

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Price of tobacco products

(with reference to Articles 6.2(a))

Domestic

Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of domestic tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.

	Name of the most widely sold brands	Number of units or amount per package	Retail price	Currency
Smoking tobacco products	Malboro	20 cig pack	6.60	€
Smoking tobacco products	Camel	20 cig pack	6.30	€
Smoking tobacco products	Lucky strike	20 cig pack	6.00	€

Imported

Please provide the retail prices of the three most widely sold brands of imported tobacco products at the most widely used point of sale in your capital city.

Name of the most widely sold brands	Number of units or amount per package	Retail price	Currency

Please indicate the year of the data used to answer question B91:

Please indicate the source of the data used to answer question B91:

Please briefly describe the trend in the prices of tobacco products in the past two years or since submission of your last report in your jurisdiction.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C1. GENERAL OBLIGATIONS

With reference to Article 5

Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes in accordance with the Convention?

No ✘

Have you partially developed and implemented tobacco control strategies by including tobacco control in national health, public health or health promotion strategies, plans and programmes?

Yes ✔

Have you established or reinforced and financed:

a focal point for tobacco control?	Yes
a tobacco control unit?	Yes
a national coordinating mechanism for tobacco control?	Yes

Please provide details (e.g. the nature of the national coordinating mechanism, the institution to which the focal point for tobacco control or the tobacco control unit belongs).

- Le point focal fait partie du ministère fédéral de la santé - L'unité de contrôle tabac du ministère de la santé regroupe 37 contrôleurs - Une "Cellule générale drogues" est en place. Elle a pour but de coordonner les politiques en matière de drogues illégales, d'alcool et de tabac. Toutes les autorités compétentes en la matière y sont représentées.

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.1 and 5.2 (*General obligations*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Pas de changements majeurs

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Protection of public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

protecting public health policies with respect to tobacco control from commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry?

No

ensuring that the public has access, in accordance with Article 12(c), to a wide range of information on tobacco industry activities relevant to the objectives of the Convention, such as in a public repository?

No

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 5.3 in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Aucun changement

Have you utilized the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 5.3 of the WHO FCTC” when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C2. MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF DEMAND FOR TOBACCO

With reference to Articles 6–14

Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

tax policies and, where appropriate, price policies on tobacco products so as to contribute to the health objectives aimed at reducing tobacco consumption?

Yes ✓

prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, sales to international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?

Yes ✓

prohibiting or restricting, as appropriate, imports by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?

Yes ✓

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 6 (*Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 6 of the WHO FCTC” when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No ✗

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places ?

Yes ✓

What is the type/nature of the measure providing for the ban?

national law	Yes
subnational law(s)	No
administrative and executive orders	No
voluntary agreements	No
other measures (please specify in C223 below)	No

Please provide a brief explanation of the type/nature and content of the measures providing for the ban.

Loi interdisant de fumer du tabac ou des produits similaires dans les lieux publics fermés, y compris les lieux de travail.

Do any of these measures provide for a mechanism/ infrastructure for enforcement?

Yes ✓

Please provide details of this system.

Le contrôle du respect de la législation est assuré en fonction des lieux par les services d'inspection du SPF Santé publique, de l'agence fédérale pour la sécurité alimentaire ou du SPF Emploi. La police est compétente pour l'ensemble de ces contrôles.

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Indoor workplaces:

government buildings	Complete
health-care facilities	Complete
educational facilities ⁶	Complete
universities	Complete
private workplaces	Complete
other (please specify below)	Complete

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

Tous les lieux publics fermés, cest à dire tous les lieux non strictement réservés à la sphère familiale.

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Public transport:

	airplanes	Complete
	trains	Complete
	ferries	Complete
	ground public transport (buses, trolleybuses, trams)	Complete
	motor vehicles used as places of work (taxis, ambulances, delivery vehicles)	Complete
	private vehicles	Complete
	other (please specify below)	Complete

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

Tous les lieux publics fermés, cest à dire tous les lieux non strictement réservés à la sphère familiale.

Please specify the settings and extent/comprehensiveness of measures applied in indoor workplaces, public transport, indoor public places and, as appropriate, other public places.

Indoor public places:

	cultural facilities	Complete
	shopping malls	Complete
	pubs and bars	Complete
	nightclubs	Complete
	restaurants	Complete
	other (please specify below)	Complete

Please provide a brief explanation of any "other" policies in the space below

Tous les lieux publics fermés, cest à dire tous les lieux non strictement réservés à la sphère familiale.

Please provide a brief summary of complete and partial measures, with specific details of the partial measures that have been implemented:

Banning tobacco smoking in indoor workplaces

L'interdiction est totale. Possible de prévoir un fumoir dans les entreprises, après avis préalable du Comité pour la prévention et la protection au travail et sous certaines conditions très strictes (exclusivement destiné aux fumeurs, fermé, pas utilisé comme zone de passage, extraction puissante)

Banning tobacco smoking in public transport

L'interdiction est totale.

Banning tobacco smoking in indoor public places

L'interdiction est totale. Seul un fumoir peut être installé, sous certaines conditions très strictes (fermé, pas utilisé comme zone de passage, extraction puissante, 25 % maximum de l'établissement, pas de service)

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 8 (*Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Pas de changements majeurs

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 8 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

interdiction de fumer dans les voitures
avec enfants introduite dans la législation nationale et dans les législations régionales.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Regulation of the contents of tobacco products

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?

Yes ✓

testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?

Yes ✓

regulating the contents of tobacco products?

Yes ✓

regulating the emissions of tobacco products?

Yes ✓

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 9 (*Regulation of the contents of tobacco products*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

La nouvelle directive européenne 2014/40/UE est d'application depuis le 20 mai 2016. L'arrêté royal transposant cette directive a été modifié en avril 2019 pour sajuster à la réalité de terrain et éviter certains contournements de législation par l'industrie. Au sujet des ingrédients, des dispositions interdisant certains aditifs et permettant de modifier l'intensité de combustion, la couleur des émissions, l'odeur, ou le goût des produits à base de tabac ont été élargies aux éléments techniques, tels les filtres et papiers.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No ✗

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g., whether your country 1) has incorporated product regulation in the national tobacco control legislation; 2) has access to either governmental or independent – not owned or controlled by the tobacco industry – laboratories for testing contents and/or emissions of tobacco products; 3) has regulated ingredients, such as flavours (e.g. menthol); 4) has regulated product characteristics, such as design features (e.g., cigarette ventilation); etc.).

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Regulation of tobacco product disclosures

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

requiring manufacturers or importers of tobacco products to disclose to Government authorities information about the:

contents of tobacco products?	Yes
emissions of tobacco products?	Yes

requiring public disclosure of information about the:

contents of tobacco products?	Yes
emissions of tobacco products?	Yes

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 10 (*Regulation of tobacco product disclosures*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

La nouvelle directive européenne 2014/40/UE est d'application depuis le 20 mai 2016. Le système EUCEG mis en place par la Commission européenne est utilisée pour récolter les données des fabricants de tabac. Chaque dossier est contrôlé afin qu'il soit corrigé si nécessaire l'arrêté royal transposant cette directive a été modifié en avril 2019 pour s'ajuster à la réalité de terrain et éviter certains contournements de législation par l'industrie. Les dispositions en matière de notification ont été renforcées afin de recevoir ces données plus tôt dans l'année et permettre contrôles et sanctions en cas de manquements.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Articles 9 and 10 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No ✘

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g. whether your country has incorporated tobacco product disclosures in the national tobacco control legislation; has regulated the public disclosure of toxic constituents and emissions of tobacco products, aiming to raise public awareness and advance tobacco control policy; etc.).

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Packaging and labelling of tobacco products

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

requiring that packaging, individual cigarettes or other tobacco products do not carry advertising or promotion?

Yes ✓

requiring that packaging and labelling do not promote a product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression about its characteristics, health effects, hazards or emissions?

Yes ✓

requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?

Yes ✓

ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?

Yes ✓

ensuring that the health warnings are rotated?

Yes ✓

ensuring that the health warnings are clear, visible and legible?

Yes ✓

Does your law mandate, as a minimum, a style, size and colour of font to render the warning clear, visible and legible?

Yes ✓

ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?

Yes ✓

ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?

Yes ✓

ensuring that health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?

Yes ✓

Does the Government own the copyright to these pictures and pictograms?

No ✘

Would you grant a non-exclusive and royalty-free licence for the use of health warnings developed in your jurisdiction with other Parties?

Yes ✔

requiring that each unit packet and package of tobacco products and any outside packaging and labelling of such products contain information on relevant:

constituents of tobacco products?	No
emissions of tobacco products?	No

requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit packet and package and on any outside packaging and labelling in the principal language or languages of the country?

Yes ✔

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 11 (*Packaging and labelling of tobacco products*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

La nouvelle directive européenne 2014/40/UE est d'application depuis le 20 mai 2016. cela implique des améliorations en matière de packaging, notamment avertissements incluant photos sur les deux faces principales des paquets de cigarettes, avertissements incluant photos sur le tabac à rouler et le tabac à chichi. Le paquet standardisé est d'application pour les cigarettes, tabac à rouler et tabac chicha depuis le 1er janvier 2020.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 11 of the WHO FCTC" when developing or implementing policies in this area?

No ✘

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to or not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Education, communication, training and public awareness

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

educational and public awareness programmes? *(Please refer to programmes implemented since submission of your two-year report.)*

Yes ✓

To whom are these programmes targeted?

- adults or the general public
- children and young people
- men
- women
- pregnant women
- ethnic groups
- other (please specify)
- precarious public Other

Do you reflect the following key differences among targeted population groups in educational and public awareness programmes?

- age
- gender
- educational background
- cultural background
- socioeconomic status
- other (please specify)
- Other

Do these educational and public awareness programmes cover:

- health risks of tobacco consumption?
 - health risks of exposure to tobacco smoke?
 - benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles?
 - adverse economic consequences of tobacco production?
 - adverse economic consequences of tobacco consumption?
 - adverse environmental consequences of tobacco production?
 - adverse environmental consequences of tobacco consumption?
-

awareness and participation of the following agencies and organizations in development and implementation of intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control:

- public agencies?
 - nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry?
 - private organizations?
 - other (please specify)?
 - Other
-

Are the elaboration, management and implementation of communication, education, training and public awareness programmes guided by research and do they undergo pre-testing, monitoring and evaluation?

Yes ✓

Are appropriate and special training or sensitization and awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to:

- health workers?
 - community workers?
 - social workers?
 - media professionals?
 - educators?
 - decision-makers?
 - administrators?
 - other (please specify)
 - Other
-

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 12 (*Education, communication, training and public awareness*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

FLANDERS The Institute for Healthy Living develops together with the Social Partners a programme for prevention coaches at work. In concrete, a company coach assists with the preventative health policy. The intention is to raise awareness about healthy choices at the work place: offering fruit; assist to stop smoking; install bike allowances, GERMAN SPEAKING COMMUNITY Tobacco prevention and awareness is mostly aimed at pupils of secondary schools, through questions, quizzes and class-battles. Additionally the awareness is raised to the health-consequences of smoking.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 12 of the WHO FCTC" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

Yes ✓

If you answered “Yes” to question C269 please provide details in the space below or refer to section E of the additional questionnaire available at this link. Response to this question or to the additional questionnaire is voluntary. <https://extranet.who.int/data-form/655321?token=e83wpvevwm8yufs&lang=en> (<https://extranet.who.int/data-form/655321?token=e83wpvevwm8yufs&lang=en>)

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes:

instituting a comprehensive ban on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?
Yes ✓

Does your ban cover:

- display and visibility of tobacco products at points of sales?
 - the domestic Internet?
 - the global Internet?
 - brand stretching and/or brand sharing?
 - product placement as a means of advertising or promotion?
 - the depiction of tobacco or tobacco use in entertainment media products?
 - tobacco sponsorship of international events or activities and/or participants therein?
 - contributions from tobacco companies to any other entity for “socially responsible causes” and/or any other activities implemented under the umbrella of “corporate social responsibility” by the tobacco industry?
 - cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory?
 - the same forms of cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship entering your territory for which domestic regulation apply?
-

cooperating with other Parties in the development of technologies and other means necessary to facilitate the elimination of cross-border advertising?

Yes ✓

imposing penalties for cross-border advertising equal to those applicable to domestic advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from your territory in accordance with national law?

Yes ✓

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 13 (*Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

L'exception permettant la publicité via l'apposition de la marque (de tabac) sur une affiche sur la devanture et à l'intérieur des magasins spécialisés et dans les librairies a été abrogée lors d'un vote au Parlement. Cette nouvelle loi doit encore être publiée. Il est prévu que cette exception soit supprimée pour le 1er janvier 2021.

Have you utilized the "Guidelines for implementation of Article 13 of the WHO FCTC" when developing and implementing policies in this area?

No ✗

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

La loi prévoit une interdiction totale de la publicité avec 4 exceptions : apposition de la marque sur des affiches en 2 dimensions affichage dans certains points de vente (magasins spécialisés et librairies), journaux internationaux hors UE, communication fortuite pour événement hors UE, publication à destination des professionnels du secteur du tabac. Il est donc prévu que la première soit supprimée pour le 1er janvier 2021.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

developing and disseminating appropriate, comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices?

Yes ✓

programmes to promote cessation of tobacco use, including:

- media campaigns emphasizing the importance of quitting?
 - programmes specially designed for underage girls and young women?
 - programmes specially designed for women?
 - programmes specially designed for pregnant women?
 - telephone quitlines?
 - local events, such as activities related to World No Tobacco Day or National No Smoking Day, if appropriate?
 - other (please specify)?
Other
- partial reimbursement of tobacco cessation consultations
-

design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as:

- educational institutions?
 - health-care facilities?
 - workplaces?
 - sporting environments?
 - other (please specify)?
Other
- beginning of sensibilisation municipalities and social housings in Wallonia and Brussels Region
-

inclusion of diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services for cessation of tobacco use in national programmes, plans and strategies for:

- tobacco control?
 - health?
 - education?
-

inclusion of programmes on the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence in your health-care system?

Yes ✓

Which structures in your health-care system provide programmes for the diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence?

- primary health care
- secondary and tertiary health care
- specialist health-care systems (please specify below)
- specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence
- rehabilitation centres
- Other

Are the services provided in these settings covered by public funding or reimbursement schemes?

primary health care	Partially
secondary and tertiary health care	Partially
specialist health-care systems (please specify below)	Partially
specialized centres for cessation counselling and treatment of tobacco dependence	Partially
rehabilitation centres	Partially
other (please specify below)	

Which health and other professionals are involved in programmes offering treatment for tobacco dependence and counselling services?

Health professionals including:

- physicians
- dentists
- family doctors
- practitioners of traditional medicine
- other medical professionals (please specify below)
- nurses
- midwives
- pharmacists
- Community workers
- Social workers
- other (please specify)
- psychologists, physical therapists, dieticians
- Other

training on tobacco dependence treatment incorporated into the curricula of health professional training at pre- and post-qualification levels at the following schools:

- medical?
- dental?
- nursing?
- pharmacy?

Tobaccologists: continuing education for all health professional: study of smoking cessation specialists

Other

facilitating accessibility and/or affordability of pharmaceutical products for the treatment of tobacco dependence?

Yes ✓

Where and how can these products be legally purchased in your country?

Pharmacies with or without medical prescriptions, depending on the kind product .

Which pharmaceutical products are legally available for the treatment of tobacco dependence in your jurisdiction?

- nicotine replacement therapy
- bupropion
- varenicline
- other (please specify)
- Other

Are the costs of these products covered by public funding or reimbursement?

nicotine replacement therapy	None
bupropion	Partially
varenicline	Partially
other (please specify below)	

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 14 (*Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

La question du tabagisme et des mesures prises à son égard sont présentes dans le plan de prévention et de promotion de la santé en Wallonie horizon 2018-2030. GERMAN SPEAKING COMMUNITY To help people cessate self-help groups, which are free of charge are established, as well as personal coaching. Additionally consultations with tobaccologists are for the major part reimbursed.

Have you utilized the “Guidelines for implementation of Article 14 of the WHO FCTC” when developing and implementing policies in this area?

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C3. MEASURES RELATING TO THE REDUCTION OF THE SUPPLY OF TOBACCO

With reference to Articles 15–17

Illicit trade in tobacco products

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining the origin of the product?

Yes ✓

requiring marking of all unit packets and packages of tobacco products and any outside packaging of such products to assist in determining whether the product is legally sold on the domestic market?

Yes ✓

requiring that unit packets and packages of tobacco products for retail and wholesale use that are sold on the domestic market carry the statement: “Sales only allowed in ...” or carry any other effective marking indicating the final destination of the product?

No ✗

developing a practical tracking and tracing regime that would further secure the distribution system and assist in the investigation of illicit trade?

Yes ✓

requiring that marking is presented in legible form and/or appears in the principal language or languages of the country?

Yes ✓

requiring the monitoring and collection of data on cross-border trade in tobacco products, including illicit trade?

Yes ✓

facilitating the exchange of this information among customs, tax and other authorities, as appropriate, and in accordance with national law and applicable bilateral and multilateral agreements?

Yes ✓

enacting or strengthening legislation, with appropriate penalties and remedies, against illicit trade in tobacco products, including counterfeit and contraband cigarettes?

Yes ✓

requiring that confiscated manufacturing equipment, counterfeit and contraband cigarettes and other tobacco products derived from illicit trade are destroyed, using environment-friendly methods where possible, or disposed of in accordance with national law?

Yes ✓

adopting and implementing measures to monitor, document and control the storage and distribution of tobacco products held or moving under suspension of taxes or duties?

Yes ✓

enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from illicit trade in tobacco products?

Yes ✓

promoting cooperation between national agencies and relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations in investigations, prosecutions and proceedings, with a view to eliminating illicit trade in tobacco products, with special emphasis on cooperation at regional and subregional levels?

Yes ✓

licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution in order to prevent illicit trade?

No ✗

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 15 (*Illicit trade in tobacco products*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

les articles 15 et 16 de la nouvelle directive européenne 2014/40/UE sont d'application pour les cigarettes et le tabac à rouler depuis le 20 mai 2019. Ils le seront pour les autres produits du tabac pour le 20 mai 2024. L'article 15 permet la traçabilité via un code unique imprimé sur chaque paquet. Chaque mouvement du paquet est enregistré dans le système. il en va de même pour les paiements et les factures associés.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Sales to and by minors

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?

Yes ✓

Please specify the legal age:

18

requiring that all sellers of tobacco products place a clear and prominent indicator inside their point of sale about the prohibition of tobacco sales to minors?

No ✗

requiring that, in case of doubt, each seller of tobacco products requests that the purchaser provides appropriate evidence of having reached full legal age?

Yes ✓

banning the sale of tobacco products in any manner by which they are directly accessible, such as open store shelves?

No ✗

prohibiting the manufacture and sale of sweets, snacks, toys or any other objects in the form of tobacco products which appeal to minors?

No ✘

prohibiting the sale of tobacco products from vending machines?

No ✘

Do you ensure that tobacco vending machines are not accessible to minors and/or do not promote the sale of tobacco products to minors?

Yes ✔

prohibiting and/or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products:

- to the public?
 - to minors?
-

prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?

Yes ✔

providing for penalties against sellers and distributors in order to ensure compliance?

Yes ✔

prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?

Yes ✔

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 16 (*Sales to and by minors*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

L'âge en dessous duquel la vente de tabac est interdite est passé de 16 à 18 ans. Une loi interdisant la vente par des distributeurs a été votée au parlement. Elle est actuellement en cours de notification à la Commission européenne. Elle devrait être appliquée en 2023.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, measures or programmes on any of the following:

promoting economically viable and sustainable alternatives for:

tobacco growers?	No
tobacco workers?	No
tobacco individual sellers?	No

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 17 (*Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the “Policy options and recommendations on economically sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing (in relation to Articles 17 and 18 of the WHO FCTC)” when developing and implementing policies in this area?

No ✘

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

C4. OTHER MEASURES AND POLICIES

With reference to Articles 18–21

Protection of the environment and the health of persons

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

implementing measures in respect of tobacco cultivation within your territory, which take into consideration:

the protection of the environment?	No
the health of persons in relation to the environment?	No

implementing measures in respect of tobacco manufacturing within your territory, which take into consideration:

the protection of the environment?	No
the health of persons in relation to the environment?	No

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 18 (*Protection of the environment and the health of persons*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

Have you utilized the “Policy options and recommendations on economically sustainable alternatives to tobacco growing (in relation to Articles 17 and 18 of the WHO FCTC)” when developing and implementing policies in this area?

No

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Liability

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

Does your tobacco control legislation contain measures regarding criminal liability for any violations of that tobacco control legislation?

Yes

Do you have separate criminal liability provisions in relation to tobacco control (outside of the tobacco control legislation)?

No

Do you have any civil liability measures that are specific to tobacco control?

No

Do you have any general civil liability provisions that could apply to tobacco control?

Yes

Do you have civil or criminal liability provisions that provide for compensation for adverse health effects and/or for reimbursement of medical, social or other relevant costs?

No

Has any person in your jurisdiction launched any criminal and/or civil liability action, including compensation where appropriate, against any tobacco company in relation to any adverse health effect caused by tobacco use?

No

Have you taken, as appropriate, any legislative, executive, administrative and/or other action against the tobacco industry for full or partial reimbursement of medical, social and other relevant costs related to tobacco use in your jurisdiction?

No

Please provide a brief description of any progress made, as appropriate, in implementing Article 19 (*Liability*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

Research, surveillance and exchange of information

Have you adopted and implemented, where appropriate, legislative, executive, administrative or other measures or have you implemented, where appropriate, programmes on any of the following:

developing and/or promoting research that addresses:

- determinants of tobacco consumption?
- consequences of tobacco consumption?
- social and economic indicators related to tobacco consumption?
- tobacco use among women, with special regard to pregnant women?
- the determinants and consequences of exposure to tobacco smoke?
- identification of effective programmes for the treatment of tobacco dependence?
- identification of alternative livelihoods?
- Other

training and support for all persons engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?

Yes ✓

a national system for epidemiological surveillance of:

- patterns of tobacco consumption?
- determinants of tobacco consumption?
- consequences of tobacco consumption?
- social, economic and health indicators related to tobacco consumption?
- exposure to tobacco smoke?
- Other

Please list all surveys, including the year of the survey, that you have undertaken in the past.

Enquête de santé par interview 1997, 2001, 2004, 2008, 2013, 2018.

Does your country have any plans to repeat any of the above or to undertake a new tobacco survey within three to five years of your last survey? Please provide details in the space below.

L'enquête de santé par interview est répétée tous les quatre ou cinq ans.

regional and global exchange of publicly available national:

- scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information?
- information on the practices of the tobacco industry?
- information on the cultivation of tobacco?

an updated database of:

- laws and regulations on tobacco control?
- information about the enforcement of laws on tobacco control?
- pertinent jurisprudence?

Please provide a brief description of the progress made in implementing Article 20 (*Research, surveillance and exchange of information*) in the past two years or since submission of your last report.

If you have any other relevant information pertaining to but not covered in this section, please provide details in the space below (e.g. whether you included information on WHO FCTC implementation in your Voluntary National Review (VNR) on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), related to target 3.a).

Lenquête sur les
coûts sociaux est un progrès.

Please attach the relevant documentation.

D. INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE

Pursuant to Article 21.1(c) and in accordance with Article 26, have you either provided or received financial or technical assistance (be it through unilateral, bilateral, regional, subregional or other multilateral channels, including relevant regional and international intergovernmental or nongovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions) for the development and strengthening of multisectoral, comprehensive tobacco control programmes of developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition in any of the following areas:

development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control?

Assistance provided	Yes
Assistance received	Yes

provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?

Assistance provided	Yes
Assistance received	Yes

appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12?

Assistance provided	No
Assistance received	No

provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistic support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes?

Assistance provided	No
Assistance received	No

identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?

Assistance provided	No
Assistance received	No

promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction?

Assistance provided	No
Assistance received	No

Please identify the Party or Parties from which assistance was received or to which assistance was provided.

Des échanges de données, connaissances, expériences se font de manière structurel entre pays de l'Union européenne.

Please provide information about any assistance provided or received in the space below, including any support received from nongovernmental organizations (please, specify).

Des échanges de données, connaissances, expériences se font de manière structurel entre pays de l'Union européenne. BE a participé à deux workshops (organisé par la Commission européenne en 2019) à destination des autorités de Bosnie sur le commerce illicites et les législations anti-tabac UE. Elle y a partagé son expérience.

If you have not received or provided assistance in any of the aforementioned areas, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration, if appropriate.

Have you encouraged relevant regional and international intergovernmental organizations and financial and development institutions in which you are represented to provide financial assistance for developing country Parties and for Parties with economies in transition to assist them in meeting their obligations under the Convention?

No ✘

E. PRIORITIES AND COMMENTS

What are the priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction?

Elargir les mesures appliquées aux cigarettes et tabac à rouler à l'ensemble des produits à base de tabac (cigarillos, cigares, tabac à mâcher, tabac pour pipe,...), notamment en matière de détiquetage (avertissements photos et paquets neutres) et de réglementation des ingrédients (interdictions des arômes caractérisant,...) mise en oeuvre d'une politique de "display ban" mise en oeuvre de mesures concrètes pour améliorer l'application de l'article 5.3

Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed for implementing the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control?

No ✘

What, if any, are the constraints or barriers, other than lack of resources, you have encountered in implementing the Convention?

inertie des structures de l'état, manque de volonté politique

Do you have any of the following products available on your national tobacco market?

- smokeless tobacco products
 - water pipe tobacco
 - Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS)
 - Electronic Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS)
 - heated tobacco products (HTPs)
 - Other
-

Have you adopted and implemented any policy or regulation that is specific to the following tobacco products?

- smokeless tobacco products
 - water pipe tobacco
 - Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENDS)
 - Electronic Non-Nicotine Delivery Systems (ENNDS)
 - heated tobacco products (HTPs)
 - Other
-

If you have any relevant information related to questions E5 and E6, please provide details in the space below.

ENDS sont régulés

par un arrêté royal qui transpose l'article 20 de la directive 2014/40/UE. toutes les autres restrictions (vente aux mineurs, interdiction de publicité, utilisation dans les lieux publics) sont applicables à la fois pour les ENDS et les ENNDS.

Please provide any other relevant information not covered elsewhere that you consider important.

Données de prévalence (En français) :

https://his.wiv-isp.be/fr/Documents%20partages/EC_FR_2018.pdf Difficile à intégrer dans la question B17 du questionnaire mais contient des informations très intéressantes.

Your suggestions for further development and revision of the reporting instrument:

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