

REPORTING INSTRUMENT

1. Origin of the report [Help](#)

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2. Demographics [Help](#)

(a) Age and sex: [Help](#)

Year (latest available)	Age groups	Percentage of <i>male</i> population	Percentage of <i>female</i> population	Percentage of <i>total</i> population
2005	0-4	6.0	5.9	11.9
2005	5-9	6.4	6.1	12.5
2005	10-14	7.4	7.1	14.5
2005	15-19	7.6	7.2	14.8
2005	20-24	6.6	6.4	13.0
2005	25-29	4.9	4.9	9.8
2005	30-34	3.1	3.0	6.2
2005	35-39	2.2	2.2	4.4
2005	40-44	1.5	1.7	3.3
2005	45-49	1.2	1.3	2.5
2005	50-54	1.0	1.0	1.9
2005	55-59	0.9	0.8	1.8
2005	60-64	0.7	0.6	1.3
2005	65-69	0.5	0.4	0.9
2005	70-74	0.3	0.3	0.6
2005	75+	0.3	0.4	0.7

(b) Ethnicity (optional): [Help](#)

Name of ethnic group	Percentage of total population
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3. Tobacco use

i. Prevalence (ref. Article 19.2(a), Article 20.2 and Article 20.3(a)) [Help](#)

(a) Smoking tobacco: [Help](#)

	Age groups ¹ (adults) 0-4	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 5-9	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ³		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

¹ Preferably by 10-year categories; e.g. 25-34, 35-44, etc.

² Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 10-14	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ⁴		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 15-19	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ⁵		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
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⁴ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

⁵ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Males				
Daily smokers ⁶		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ⁷		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ⁸		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		

⁶ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

⁷ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

⁸ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ⁹		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹⁰		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

⁹ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

¹⁰ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹¹		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹³		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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¹² Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

¹³ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹⁴		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 65-69	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹⁵		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

¹⁴ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

¹⁵ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

	Age group (Adult) 70-74	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹⁶		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

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	Age group (Adult) 75+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Males				
Daily smokers ¹⁷		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Females				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		
Total (males and females)				
Daily smokers ²		Not available		
Occasional smokers ²		Not available		

ble, please provide the average number of cigarettes smoked per day by the smoking population:

	Age groups ¹⁸ (adults) 0-4	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers¹⁹		Not available		

¹⁶ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

¹⁷ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

¹⁸ Preferably by 10-year categories, e.g. 25-34, 35-44, etc.

Female smokers²		Not available		
Total smokers²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 5-9	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁰		Not available		
Female smokers²		Not available		
Total smokers²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 10-14	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²¹		Not available		
Female smokers²		Not available		
Total smokers²		Not available		

	Age group (Adult) 15-19	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²²				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²³				

¹⁹ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²⁰ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²¹ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²² Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²³ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁴				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁵				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁶				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	15.00

	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁷				

²⁴ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²⁵ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²⁶ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²⁷ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	10.00

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁸				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers²⁹				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers³⁰				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	14.00

	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers³¹				

²⁸ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

²⁹ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³⁰ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³¹ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	13.00

	Age group (Adult) 65-69	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers³²				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	11.00

	Age group (Adult) 70-74	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers³³				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	11.00

	Age group (Adult) 75+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Average number of cigarettes smoked per day
Male smokers³⁴				
Female smokers²				
Total smokers²		cigarettes	2000	11.00

(b) Smokeless tobacco, including snuff and chewing tobacco (optional): [Help](#)

	Age group 0- 4	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				

³² Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³³ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³⁴ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 5-9	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 10-14	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 15-19	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				

Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 20-24	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 25-29	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 30-34	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
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Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 35-39	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 40-44	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 45-49	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 50-54	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 55-59	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				

Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 60-64	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 65-69	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group	Tobacco products	Year of data	Prevalence
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	(Adult) 70-74	included	(latest available)	(%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

	Age group (Adult) 75+	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Male				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Female				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				
Total				
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

(c) If prevalence data is appropriate and available for ethnic groups, please provide. [Help](#)

	Ethnic group	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence (%)
Daily users				
Occasional users ²				

(d) If prevalence data is appropriate and available for youth groups, please provide. [Help](#)

Create Youth Group

	Youth groups ³⁵ 13-15	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence ³⁶ (%)
Males		cigarettes	2003	16.20
Females		cigarettes	2003	1.80

	Youth group 13-15	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence ³⁷ (%)
Males		Hubble-Bubble	2003	16.60
Females		Hubble-Bubble	2003	2.60

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	Youth group 13-15	Tobacco products included	Year of data (latest available)	Prevalence ³⁸ (%)
Males		Smokeless Tobacco	2003	15.30
Females		Smokeless Tobacco	2003	2.70

i. Supply [Help](#)

- (a) Licit supply of tobacco (ref. **Article 20.4(c)** and **Article 15.4(a)**) in accordance with **Article 15.5)** [Help](#)

	Domestic production	Exports	Imports
Year (latest available)		2006	
Quantity (specify product and unit; e.g. millions of cigarettes)		309,409 kg tobacco of leaf, all of which is domestically produced	

Note: licit supply = domestic production + (imports - exports)

³⁵ Definitions to be provided by the Parties.

³⁶ Parties should provide definition for youth smoking; e.g. at least one cigarette in the past 30 days.

³⁷ Parties should provide definition for youth smoking; e.g. at least one cigarette in the past 30 days.

³⁸ Parties should provide definition for youth smoking; e.g. at least one cigarette in the past 30 days.

- (b) Please provide information regarding duty-free sales volumes, if available. [Help](#)

Not available at present

- (c) Seizures of illicit tobacco (ref. **Article 15.4(a)**) in accordance with **Article 15.5**) [Help](#)

	Year (latest available)	Quantity seized (specify unit, e.g., millions of pieces)
Cigarettes	2006	17,743,000 sticks
Other tobacco products (optional; please specify product) : Tombak, Supari, Afdal, Pan, Pan prag, etc	2006	126,772 kg

- (d) Please provide information regarding illicit or smuggled tobacco (optional) (ref. **Article 15.4(a)**) in accordance with **Article 15.5**). [Help](#)

Not available

4. Taxation [Help](#)

- (a) Please provide your rates of taxation for tobacco products for all levels of government, and be as specific as possible (specify the type of tax: excise, VAT or sales, import duties) (ref. **Article 6.3**). [Help](#)

100% on all tobacco as import duty for part (b) below see attachment

- (b) Please attach the relevant documentation (ref. **Article 6.3**). (Please provide documentation in one of the six official languages, if available.) [Help](#)
- (c) Please provide retail prices for the three most popular brands of domestic and imported tobacco products in your jurisdiction, and the relevant year (ref. **Article 6.2(a)**). [Help](#)

Marlboro 0.650 Omani Rials, Kent 0.550 Omani Rials

5. Legislative, executive, administrative and other measures [Help](#)

i. Core questions [Help](#)

It should be noted that the measures identified below are not exhaustive, but reflect the spirit and intent of the Convention.

Please check yes or no. For affirmative answers, you are asked to attach a brief summary and the relevant documentation. (Please provide documentation in one of the six official languages, if available.)

Article	Pursuant to Article 21.1(a) , have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation)	No	
Price and tax measures to reduce the demand for tobacco				
6.2(b)	Prohibiting or restricting sales to and/or importations by international travellers of tax- and duty-free tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Protection from exposure to tobacco smoke		Full/Partial/None		
8.2 <input type="checkbox"/> Help	in indoor workplaces?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- government buildings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- health care facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- educational facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- private workplaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in public transport?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	in indoor public places?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- cultural facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	- bars and night clubs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
- restaurants	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
- other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
If you responded "Partial" to the measures outlined in Article 8.2, please provide specific details of the partial ban here: Each private organization issuing decisions to ban smoking on its premises voluntarily with no legislation to force them as yet				
Regulation of tobacco product disclosures				
10	Requiring manufacturers and/or importers of tobacco products to disclose to governmental authorities information about contents?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

<input type="checkbox"/> Help			
Illicit trade in tobacco products			
15.2(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Requiring marking of packaging to assist in determining the origin of the product?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	and to assist in determining whether the product is legally for sale on the domestic market?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
15.3 <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Requiring that marking is in legible form and/or appear in its principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15.4(b)	Enacting or strengthening legislation against illicit trade in tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15.4(e)	Enabling the confiscation of proceeds derived from the illicit trade?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15.7	Licensing or other actions to control or regulate production and distribution?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Sales to and by minors			
16.1 <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products to minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specify legal age: 18	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.2	Prohibiting or promoting the prohibition of the distribution of free tobacco products to the public and especially minors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.3	Prohibiting the sale of cigarettes individually or in small packets?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.6	Providing for penalties against sellers and distributors?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.7	Prohibiting the sales of tobacco products by minors?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Liability			
19.1 <input type="checkbox"/> Help	Dealing with criminal and civil liability, including compensation where appropriate?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ii. **Optional questions** Help

It should be noted that responses to these questions are not required at the time of Group 1 reports, but may be answered at this time if applicable.

Article	Have you adopted and implemented legislative, executive, administrative and/or other measures on:	Yes (please attach a brief summary and relevant documentation) ³⁹	No
Regulation of the contents of tobacco products			
9	Testing and measuring the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

³⁹ Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if available, and please specify sections of your legislation related to each “yes” response.

<input type="checkbox"/> Help	Testing and measuring the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the contents of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regulating the emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Packaging and labelling of tobacco products			
11.1(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Help	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?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)	Requiring that packaging and labelling also carry health warnings describing the harmful effects of tobacco use?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(i)	Ensuring that the health warnings are approved by the competent national authority?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(ii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are rotating?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iii)	Ensuring that the health warnings are large, clear, visible and legible?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(iv)	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy no less than 30% of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Ensuring that the health warnings occupy 50% or more of the principal display areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.1(b)(v)	Ensuring that the health warnings are in the form of, or include, pictures or pictograms?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11.2	Requiring that packaging and labelling contains information on relevant constituents and emissions of tobacco products?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.3	Requiring that the warnings and other textual information appear on each unit package, and on any outside packaging and labelling in your principal language or languages?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship <input type="checkbox"/> Help			
13.2	Instituting a comprehensive ban of all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	including on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13.3	Applying restrictions, in the absence of a comprehensive ban, on all tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Restricting or instituting a comprehensive ban on cross-border advertising, promotion and sponsorship originating from its territory?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13.4(a)	Prohibiting all forms of tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship that promote a tobacco product by any means that are false, misleading, deceptive or likely to create an erroneous impression?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13.4(b)	Requiring that health or other appropriate warnings or messages accompany all tobacco advertising and promotion and sponsorship?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13.4(c)	Restricting the use of direct or indirect incentives that encourage the purchase of tobacco products by the public?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

13.4(d)	Requiring the disclosure to relevant governmental authorities of expenditures by the tobacco industry on advertising, promotion and sponsorship not yet prohibited?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13.4(e)	Restricting tobacco advertising, promotion and sponsorship on radio, television, print media and other media, such as the Internet?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.4(f)	Prohibiting or restricting tobacco sponsorship of international events, activities and/or participants therein?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you have any additional legislation or other measures not covered in Question 5, you may provide additional details here: [Help](#)

Article 34 of the Press and Publication Law (49/84) that may not publish newspaper advertisements or other print advertisements containing materials prohibited publication in accordance with the provisions of this chapter of the law and may not publish advertisements that would mislead the public or to publish announcements regarding medicines or medical products without special permission from the Ministry of health.

Compared to what is set forth in this article, tobacco and other substances included in the formulas which may not be disseminated via local media except with the permission of the Ministry of Health.

6. Programmes and plans [Help](#)

i. Core questions [Help](#)

It should be noted that the measures identified below are not exhaustive, but reflect the spirit and intent of the Convention.

	Yes (please attach the relevant documentation) ⁴⁰	No
Have you developed and implemented comprehensive multisectoral national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? (Article 5.1)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If no, have some partial strategies, plans and programmes been developed and implemented? (Article 5.1)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you responded yes to either of the first two questions, which of the following do these strategies, plans and programmes cover? Please check, and provide a brief summary. (Please provide the summary in one of the six official languages.)

⁴⁰ Please provide these documents in one of the six official languages, if possible.

General obligations <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
5.2(a)	A national coordinating mechanism or focal point(s) for tobacco control? 1- National Tobacco Control Committee, 2- National Smokless Tobacco Control Committee 3- Tobacco Control Department within the Directorate of Non-Communicable Diseases Surveillance & Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5.3	Protection of policies from the commercial and other vested interests of the tobacco industry? The Ministry of Health banning dealings with the company Meta	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Education, communication, training and public awareness <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
12(a)	Broad access to effective and comprehensive educational and public awareness programmes on the health risks? yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at adults and/or the general public? yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	... targeted at children and youth? yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(b)	Public awareness about the health risks of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke, and about the benefits of the cessation of tobacco use and tobacco-free lifestyles? yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(c)	Public access to a wide range of information on the tobacco industry? no	<input type="checkbox"/>
12(e)	Awareness and participation of public and private agencies and nongovernmental organizations not affiliated with the tobacco industry in developing and implementing intersectoral programmes and strategies for tobacco control? yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
14.1	Comprehensive and integrated guidelines based on scientific evidence and best practices to promote cessation of tobacco use and adequate treatment for tobacco dependence? Preparing educational booklets to educate society as well as the work of awareness lectures and organize health exhibitions with pharmaceutical companies to introduce the products to stop smoking, as well as the celebration of the activities in the World No Tobacco Day and sending SMS messages awareness to the general public.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
14.2(d)	Facilitation of accessibility and affordability for treatment of tobacco dependence including pharmaceutical products? not available	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provision of support for economically viable alternative activities <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
17	Promotion of economically viable alternatives for tobacco workers, growers and, as the case may be, individual sellers? No	<input type="checkbox"/>

Research, surveillance and exchange of information <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
20.1(a)	Research that addresses the determinants and consequences of tobacco consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke as well as research for identification of alternative crops? No	<input type="checkbox"/>
20.4(b)	Updated data from national surveillance programmes? No	<input type="checkbox"/>

ii. **Optional questions** [Help](#)

Education, communication, training and public awareness <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
12(d)	Appropriate training or awareness programmes on tobacco control addressed to persons such as health, community and social workers, media professionals, educators, decision-makers, administrators and other concerned persons? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12(f)	Public awareness of and access to information regarding the adverse health, economic, and environmental consequences of tobacco production and consumption? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Demand reduction measures concerning tobacco dependence and cessation <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
14.2(a)	Design and implementation of programmes aimed at promoting the cessation of tobacco use, in such locations as educational institutions, health care facilities, workplaces and sporting environments? No	<input type="checkbox"/>
14.2(b)	Diagnosis and treatment of tobacco dependence and counselling services on cessation of tobacco use in national health and education programmes, plans and strategies, with the participation of health workers, community workers and social workers? No	<input type="checkbox"/>
14.2(c)	Establishment in health care facilities and rehabilitation centres of programmes for diagnosing, counselling, preventing and treating tobacco dependence? No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Protection of the environment and the health of persons <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
18	Due regard to the protection of the environment and the health of persons in relation to the environment in respect of tobacco cultivation and manufacture within its territory?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Research, surveillance and exchange of information <input type="checkbox"/> Help		
20.1(b)	Training and support for all those engaged in tobacco control activities, including research, implementation and evaluation?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.2	Programmes for national, regional and global surveillance of the magnitude, patterns, determinants and consequences of tobacco	<input type="checkbox"/>

	consumption and exposure to tobacco smoke? No	
20.3(a)	A national system for epidemiological surveillance of tobacco consumption and related social, economic and health indicators? No	<input type="checkbox"/>
20.4	The exchange of publicly available scientific, technical, socioeconomic, commercial and legal information, as well as information regarding practices of the tobacco industry and the cultivation of tobacco? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20.4(a)	An updated database of laws and regulations on tobacco control, and information about their enforcement, as well as pertinent jurisprudence? No	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. Technical and financial assistance [Help](#)

The goal of this section is to assist the Secretariat in facilitating the coordination of available skills and resources with identified needs.

Pursuant to **Article 21.1(c)**, 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 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:

	Assistance provided (please give details below)	Assistance received (please give details below)
Development, transfer and acquisition of technology, knowledge, skills, capacity and expertise related to tobacco control? (Article 22.1(a))	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of technical, scientific, legal and other expertise to establish and strengthen national tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? (Article 22.1(b))	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Appropriate training or sensitization programmes for appropriate personnel in accordance with Article 12? (Article 22.1(c))	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Provision of the necessary material, equipment and supplies, as well as logistical support, for tobacco control strategies, plans and programmes? (Article 22.1(d))	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Identification of methods for tobacco control, including comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? (Article 22.1(e))	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Promotion of research to increase the affordability of comprehensive treatment of nicotine addiction? (Article 22.1(f))	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Other. Specify:		
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>None</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p> <p>None</p>		

Pursuant to **Article 21.3**, have you either provided or received financial or technical assistance to support developing country Parties and Parties with economies in transition in meeting reporting obligations?

Assistance provided <input type="checkbox"/> Help	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)	Assistance received	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No (please give details below)
<p>Additional details:</p> <p>If you answered no to any of the above, please identify any financial or technical assistance that may be under consideration.</p> <p>None</p> <p>If you answered yes to any of the above, please identify the country or countries from/to which assistance was received/provided.</p> <p>None</p>			

Have you identified any specific gaps between the resources available and the needs assessed, for the financial and technical assistance provided or received? [Help](#)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (please give details below)	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Additional details: 1- Lack of Financial Resources to provide Nicotine Replacement therapy 2- A shortage of trained health workers to provide advices for stopping smoking.	

8. Priorities for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control [Help](#)

What are the priority areas for implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control in your jurisdiction? (Ref. **Article 21.1(b)**)

Our points are :

- 1-protection from exposure to tobacco smoking.
- 2-tobacco advertising and promotion.
- 3- labelling and packaging of tobacco products
- 4- provision of Nicotine Replacement therapy

What, if any, are the constraints or barriers you have encountered in implementing the Convention? (ref. **Article 21.1(b)**)

Human resources to follow up with other sectors on various issues of tobacco control
Fianancial resources to provide NRT to help smoker to quit

9. Additional comments [Help](#)

Please provide any relevant information not covered elsewhere that you feel is important.

10. Questionnaire feedback

- (a) Please provide feedback for improvement of the Group 1 questionnaire. [Help](#)

1- Arabic version did not work in some fields
2- provide more areas to write some comments and not to colse the file as it is now

- (b) Please provide input for the future development of the Group 2 questionnaire.
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