INFORMATION ON THE PARTY

1. Information on the party

Name of party
Burkina Faso

Date on which its instrument of ratification, accession, approval or acceptance was deposited
10 avril 2017

Date of entry into force of the Convention for the party
16 août 2017

2. Information on the national focal point

Full name of the institution
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Focal Point is submitting the national report
ART. 3: MERCURY SUPPLY SOURCES AND TRADE

3.1. Does the party have any primary mercury mines that were operating within its territory at the date of entry into force of the Convention for the party?

☐ Yes
☐ No

Additional information on this question if needed
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3.2. Does the party have any primary mercury mines that are now in operation that were not in operation at the time of entry into force of the Convention for the party?

☐ Yes
☐ No

3.3. Has the party endeavoured to identify individual stocks of mercury or mercury compounds exceeding 50 metric tons and sources of mercury supply generating stocks exceeding 10 metric tons per year that are located within its territory?

☐ Yes
☐ No

If the party answered No above, please explain.
Insuffisance de ressources financières

3.4. Does the party have excess mercury available from the decommissioning of chlor-alkali facilities?

☐ Yes
☐ No

3.5. *Has the party received consent, or relied on a general notification of consent, in accordance with article 3, including any required certification from importing non-parties, for all exports of mercury from the party’s territory in the reporting period?

☐ Yes, exports to parties
☐ Yes, exports to non-parties
☐ No

Additional information if needed
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3.6. Has the party allowed the import of mercury from a non–party?

- No
- Yes
- The importing party has relied on paragraph 7 of article 3

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Il n'y a pas d'importation officielle de mercure au Burkina Faso. Cependant on note une entrée du mercure par la fraude, car du mercure est utilisé sur les sites artisanaux miniers.

ART. 4: MERCURY–ADDED PRODUCTS

4.1. Has the party taken any appropriate measures to not allow the manufacture, import or export of mercury–added products listed in Part I of Annex A of the Convention after the phase–out date specified for those products?

- Yes
- No
- Yes (implementing paragraph 2 of article 4)

If no, has the party registered for an exemption pursuant to article 6?

- Yes
- No

4.3. Has the party taken two or more measures for the mercury–added products listed in Part II of Annex A in accordance with the provisions set out therein?

- Yes
- No

4.4. Has the party taken measures to prevent the incorporation into assembled products of mercury–added products whose manufacture, import and export are not allowed under article 4?

- Yes
- No

4.5. Has the party discouraged the manufacture and the distribution in commerce of mercury–added products not covered by any known use in accordance with article 4, paragraph 6?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please provide information on the measures.

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**ART. 5: MANUFACTURING PROCESSES IN WHICH MERCURY OR MERCURY COMPOUNDS ARE USED**

5.1. Are there facilities within the territory of the party that use mercury or mercury compounds for the processes listed in Annex B of the Minamata Convention in accordance with paragraph 5 of article 5 of the Convention?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] I do not know

5.2. Are measures in place to not allow the use of mercury or mercury compounds in manufacturing processes listed in Part I of Annex B after the phase-out date specified in that Annex for the individual process?

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5.3. Are measures in place to restrict the use of mercury or mercury compounds in the processes listed in Part II of Annex B in accordance with the provisions set out therein?

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5.4. Is there any use of mercury or mercury compounds in a facility using the manufacturing processes listed in Annex B that did not exist prior to the date of entry into force of the Convention for the party?

- Yes
- No

5.5. Is there any facility that has been developed using any other manufacturing process in which mercury or mercury compounds are intentionally used that did not exist prior to the date of entry into force of the Convention?

- Yes
- No

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7.2. Has the party determined and notified the secretariat that artisanal and small-scale gold mining and processing within its territory is more than insignificant?

- Yes
- No

7.3. Has the party developed and implemented a national action plan and submitted it to the secretariat?

- Yes
- No
- In progress

7.4. Attach your most recent review that must be completed under paragraph 3 (c) of article 7, unless it is not yet due

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7.5. Supplemental: Has the party cooperated with other countries or relevant intergovernmental organizations or other entities to achieve the objective of this article?

- Yes
- No

Please provide information
- Rencontres de partage d'expérience avec les pays parties (Sénégal, Mali)
- Collaboration avec l'Organisation des Nations Unies pour le Développement Industriel (ONUDI), UNITAR, Artisanal Gold Council (AGC), Alliance pour une mine Responsable (ARM), Agence Nationale de l'Encadrement des Exploitations Minières Artisanales et semi-Mécanisées (ANEEMAS)

Please provide information
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▼ ART. 8: EMISSIONS

8.1. Identify any Annex D source categories for which there are new sources of emissions of mercury or mercury compounds as defined in paragraph 2 (c) of article 8.

For each of those source categories describe the measures in place, including the effectiveness of such measures, to implement the requirements of paragraph 4 of article 8.

- Coal-fired power plants
- Coal-fired industrial boilers
Smelting and roasting processes used in the production of non-ferrous metals

- Waste incineration facilities
  - Obtention d'une autorisation du Ministère en charge de l'Environnement avant toute installation;
  - Existence de norme de rejets de polluants dans l'air, l'eau et le sol

Cement clinker production facilities

- Has the party required the use of best available techniques or best environmental practices (BAT/BEP) to control and where feasible reduce emissions for new sources no later than 5 years after the date of entry into force of the Convention for the party?
  - Yes
  - No

Attach relevant documentation

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8.2. Identify any Annex D source categories for which there are existing sources of emissions of mercury or mercury compounds as defined in paragraph 2 (e) of article 8.

For each of those source categories, select and provide details on the measures implemented under paragraph 5 of article 8 and explain the progress that these applied measures have achieved in reducing emissions over time in your territory:

**COAL-FIRED POWER PLANTS**

- A quantified goal for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Emission limit values for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Use of BAT/BEP to control emissions from relevant sources
- Multi-pollutant control strategy that would deliver co-benefits for control of mercury emissions
- Alternative measures to reduce emissions from relevant sources

**Measures**

(Empty)

**Progress**

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**COAL-FIRED INDUSTRIAL BOILERS**

- A quantified goal for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Emission limit values for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Use of BAT/BEP to control emissions from relevant sources
- Multi-pollutant control strategy that would deliver co-benefits for control of mercury emissions
- Alternative measures to reduce emissions from relevant sources

**Measures**
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**Progress**
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▼ **SMELTING AND ROASTING PROCESSES USED IN THE PRODUCTION OF NON-FERROUS METALS**

- A quantified goal for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Emission limit values for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Use of BAT/BEP to control emissions from relevant sources
- Multi-pollutant control strategy that would deliver co-benefits for control of mercury emissions
- Alternative measures to reduce emissions from relevant sources

**Measures**
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**Progress**
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▼ **WASTE INCINERATION FACILITIES**

- A quantified goal for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Emission limit values for controlling and, where feasible, reducing emissions from relevant sources
- Use of BAT/BEP to control emissions from relevant sources
- Multi-pollutant control strategy that would deliver co-benefits for control of mercury emissions
- Alternative measures to reduce emissions from relevant sources

**Measures**
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**Progress**
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▼ **CEMENT CLINKER PRODUCTION FACILITIES**
Have the measures for existing sources under paragraph 5 of article 8 been implemented no later than 10 years after the date of entry into force of the Convention for the party?

- Yes
- No

8.3. Has the party prepared an inventory of emissions from relevant sources within 5 years of entry into force of the Convention for it?

- Yes
- No
- Have not been a party for 5 years

8.4. Has the party chosen to establish criteria to identify relevant sources covered within a source category?

- Yes
- No

8.5. Has the party chosen to prepare a national plan setting out the measures to be taken to control emissions from relevant sources and its expected targets, goals and outcomes?

- Yes
- No

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9.1. Are there, within the party’s territory, relevant sources of releases as defined in paragraph 2 (b) of article 9?

- Yes
- No
- I do not know

9.2. Has the party established an inventory of releases from relevant sources within 5 years of entry into force of the convention for it?

- Yes
- Relevant sources do not exist in the territory
- Have not been a party for 5 years
- No

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ART. 10: ENVIRONMENTALLY SOUND INTERIM STORAGE OF MERCURY, OTHER THAN WASTE MERCURY

10.1. Has the party taken measures to ensure that the interim storage of non-waste mercury and mercury compounds intended for a use allowed to a party under the Convention is undertaken in an environmentally sound manner?

- Yes
- No
- I do not know

Part E – Additional comments on the article in free text if the party chooses to do so

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ART. 11: MERCURY WASTES

11.1. Have measures outlined in article 11, paragraph 3, been implemented for the party’s mercury waste?

- Yes
- No

11.2. Are there facilities for final disposal of waste consisting of mercury or mercury compounds in the party’s territory?
ART. 12: CONTAMINATED SITES

12.1. Has the party endeavoured to develop strategies for identifying and assessing sites contaminated by mercury or mercury compounds in its territory?

- Yes
- No

Please elaborate
Manque de mécanisme financier

Part E – Additional comments on the article in free text if the party chooses to do so

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ART. 13: FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND MECHANISM

13.1. Has the party undertaken to provide, within its capabilities, resources in respect of those national activities that are intended to implement the Convention in accordance with its national policies, priorities, plans and programmes?

- Yes
- No

Please specify
Création de ligne budgétaire pour la participation aux COP, information et sensibilisations à travers des émission radio-télévisées et interview dans la presse écrite.

Please provide comments, if any.
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13.2. Supplemental: Has the party, within its capabilities, contributed to the mechanism referred to in paragraph 5 of article 13?

- Yes
- No

Please specify
13.3. Supplemental: Has the party provided financial resources to assist developing–country parties and/or parties with economies in transition in the implementation of the Convention through other bilateral, regional and multilateral sources or channels?

☐ Yes
☐ No

Please specify

Pays en voie de développement

Please provide comments, if any.

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ART. 14: CAPACITY–BUILDING, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

14.1. Has the party cooperated to provide capacity–building or technical assistance, pursuant to article 14, to another party to the Convention?

☐ Yes
☐ No

Please specify

Pays en voie de Développement

14.2. Supplemental: Has the party received capacity–building or technical assistance pursuant to article 14?

☐ Yes
☐ No

Please specify

Projets financés par le Fond pour l'Environnement Mondial (FEM)

Please provide comments, if any.

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14.3. Has the party promoted and facilitated the development, transfer and diffusion of and access to, up–to–date environmentally sound alternative technologies?

☐ Yes
☐ No
ART. 16: HEALTH ASPECTS

16.1. Have measures been taken to provide information to the public on exposure to mercury in accordance with paragraph 1 of article 16?

Yes  
No

Supplemental: If yes, describe the measures that have been taken.
- Ateliers de sensibilisation,
- Stratégies d'information du public et de santé définie dans le Plan d'Action National,
- Emission radio-télévisées
- Elaboration de curricula de formation des artisans miniers pour le traitement de minerais sans mercure par le projet Planet GOLD

16.2. Have any other measures been taken to protect human health in accordance with article 16?

Yes  
No

Supplemental: If yes, describe the measures that have been taken.
Inventaire des dispositifs médicaux contenant du mercure en vue de leur élimination dans le cadre du projet "Eliminer les dispositifs médicaux contenant du mercure" avec le PNUE, l'OMS sous financement FEM. Le projet sera mis en œuvre 2022–2026.

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ART. 18: PUBLIC INFORMATION, AWARENESS AND EDUCATION

18.1. Have measures been taken to promote and facilitate the provision to the public of the kinds of information listed in article 18, paragraph 1?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please indicate the measures that have been taken and the effectiveness of those measures
- Ateliers d'information et de sensibilisation des acteurs
- Édition et diffusion de dépliants de la convention
- Animation d'émissions radiophoniques, télévisées et publication dans les journaux

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ART. 19: RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND MONITORING

19.1. Has the party undertaken any research, development and monitoring in accordance with paragraph 1 of article 19?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please describe these actions
- Inventaire des dispositifs médicaux contenant du mercure
- Analyse des risques environnementaux et sanitaires des amalgames dentaires
- Analyse de l'état de santé des communautés d'artisans miniers

Part E – Additional comments on the article in free text if the party chooses to do so

Nécessité de faciliter l'accès au financement pour des études diagnostiques sur les sites contaminés, les maladies liées aux émissions et rejets de mercure, pour la mise en œuvre de projets

COMMENTS
Part C: Comments regarding possible challenges in meeting the objectives of the Convention (Art. 21, para. 1)

- faiblesse de la mobilisation financière nationale
- exécution des projets mercure par des agences d'exécution ne maitrisant pas le contexte national, d'où des résultats non atteints
- difficulté d'accès au financement international
- étendue des sites d'exploitation artisanale de l'or (plus de 300), d'où la difficulté de mener des études

▼ SUPPLEMENTAL – ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Supplemental: Part D: Comments regarding the reporting format and possible improvements, if any

Formulaire approprié à cette étape