

CONGO - CG

Jurisdiction - General Information

The Congo has been a Contracting Party to the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property since September 2, 1963. It has also been a Contracting Party to the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) since January 24, 1978, but it can be designated only through the African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI).

The Congo is a member of [OAPI](#).

More legal information about intellectual property-related laws and regulations of the Congo can be found on [WIPO Lex](#).

Online Patent Register and Online Gazette

The Congo has neither an **Online Register** nor an **Online Gazette**. As a member of OAPI, the Congo can only be designated through OAPI. Please consult the [OAPI detailed jurisdiction file](#) for more information.

Features and search functionalities

Not applicable

Additional Information

Particularities of patent protection in the Congo

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