

GUINEA-BISSAU - GW

Jurisdiction - General Information

Guinea-Bissau has been a Contracting Party to the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property since June 28, 1988. It has also been a Contracting Party to the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) since December 12, 1997, but it can be designated only through the African Intellectual Property Organization (OAPI).

Guinea-Bissau is a member of the Organisation Africaine de la Propriété Intellectuelle ([OAPI](#)).

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

Online Patent Register and Online Gazette

Guinea-Bissau has neither an **Online Register** nor an **Online Gazette**.

As a member of OAPI, Guinea-Bissau can only be designated through OAPI. Please consult the [OAPI detailed jurisdiction file](#) for more information.

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Features and search functionalities

Not applicable

Additional Information

Particularities of patent protection in Guinea-Bissau

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