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COUNTRY PROFILE TEMPLATE

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| <b>Official name:</b><br>eg. <i>People's Repubic</i><br>of Burkina Faso | <ul> <li>Capital City:</li> <li>Other Major Cities:</li> <li>Continent:</li> <li>Region:</li> <li>Neighboring Countries:</li> <li>Landlocked? Ocean/Sea Territories?:</li> </ul>   |
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| Population  | <ul> <li>Total Population:</li> <li>Life Expectancy:</li> <li>Birth Rate:</li> <li>Death Rate:</li> <li>Infant Mortality Rate:</li> <li>Major Population Problems:</li> </ul>  |
| Economics   | <ul> <li>Major Sectors of the Economy:</li> <li>Unemployment Rate:</li> <li>Natural Resources:</li> <li>Size of Labor Force:</li> <li>Energy Resources:</li> <li>Major Trade Partners:</li> <li>Major Economic Problems:</li> </ul>  |
| Culture and Society   | <ul> <li>Religions:</li> <li>Ethnic Groups:</li> <li>Refugees:</li> <li>Literacy Rates:</li> <li>Major Social/Cultural Problems:</li> </ul>  |
| Political<br>Characteristics  | <ul> <li>Type of Government:</li> <li>Organization of State:</li> <li>Political Parties in Power:</li> <li>Country's Leader:</li> <li>Former Colony? Colonial Power?:</li> <li>Member of International Organizations?:</li> <li>Major Allies:</li> <li>Major Adversaries:</li> </ul> |

|                 | <ul> <li>International Disputes:</li> <li>Signatory of Universal Human Rights and the Two Covenants?:</li> <li>Accused of Political Repression/ HR Abuse?:</li> <li>Major Internal or External Political Problems:</li> </ul> |
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| United Nations  | <ul> <li>Positions Held and Importance in the UN:</li> <li>Role in UN Peacekeeping Missions:</li> <li>UN Intervention:</li> <li>UN Committees:</li> </ul>   |
| Military Issues | <ul> <li>Size of Military (Break Down by Service):</li> <li>Conscription? Age? Males Only?:</li> <li>Nuclear Weapons:</li> <li>Neighbors with Nuclear Weapons:</li> <li>Major Military Suppliers:</li> </ul>                  |

#### **Research Sources for Country**

BBC Country Profiles CIA World Factbook UN Digital Library (to find speeches, resolutions, voting data) UN Official Document System (a bit difficult to navigate) UN Research Search Engine

### **Committee Specific Information**

| • United 1 | Stance and/or Involvement:<br>Nations Actions:<br>Plans (Both Country and UN): |
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<u>Model United Nations</u>