

Progress made in the area of Chemical Demilitarisation: Meeting Verification Challenges

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Introduction

State Parties' CW Destruction programs:

- **Destruction of post 1946 CW**
- **Destruction and/or conversion of CW production facilities**
- **Storage of post 1946 CW stockpiles awaiting destruction**
- **Recovery, storage and destruction of old and abandoned CW**

Destruction of CW stockpiles

- **CW declarations**
- **CW destruction programs in SPs**
- **Destruction of Cat 1,2 and 3 CWs**
- **The progress in CW destruction**
- **Verification: main objectives**

Destruction of CW stockpiles

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- **CWDFs: continuously and non-continuously operated**
- **Destruction technologies**
- **Verification procedures**
- **Challenges**

Destruction and conversion of CW production facilities

- **64 CWPFs declared by 12 SPs**
- **Access to CWPFs and their closure**
- **Destruction (42) or conversion (22)**
- **35 facilities destroyed**
- **Destruction deadlines**
- **Current status of destruction**

Destruction and conversion of CW production facilities (cont.)

- **Conversion of CWPF**
- **Destruction of specialised buildings and equipment**
- **22 CWPFs approved for conversion**
- **CWC deadline for conversion**
- **Conversion of 6 CWPFs has not been completed**
- **Verification**

Storage of CW stockpiles

- **CW storage sites**
- **Verification of initial declarations**
- **Systematic inspections**
- **Frequency of inspections**
- **Closure of CWSFs**

O/ACW

- **10 States Parties Declared OCW Sites**
- **42 OCW Sites Declared**
(of which 28 are subject to inspections)
- **3 States Parties Declared ACW sites on their territory**
- **Japan declared ACW on the territory of China**
- **Total 15 ACW sites declared**

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