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# Implementation date and additional rounds 2012, 2013 and 2014

### Tobacco products package coverage and location

Graphic health warnings are required to cover the bottom 60% of the front and 60% of the back of the package. Overall, 60% of the package space is allocated to health warnings.

#### Misleading information

Misleading descriptors such as 'filter plus,' 'low in tar,' 'light,' 'ultra light,' and 'smooth,' and figures for emission yields (including tar, nicotine, and carbon monoxide) are prohibited from appearing on packages.

#### **Constituents and emissions information**

A single message is required to display qualitative (descriptive) constituents and emissions information on one lateral side.

#### Special notes

Legislation applies to all tobacco products (combusted and smokeless) including electronic cigarettes, without specifying the content of the warnings for each type of tobacco.

## Rotation schedule, history, language, and help for smoking cessation

Ecuador has produced three rounds of graphic health warning labels:

Round (Year)	Number	Size (%) [average— front/back]
R1 (2012)	6	60-60/60
R2 (2013)	6	60-60/60
R3 (2014)	6	60- 60/60

Warnings within each round are required to be rotated for a period of 12 months. Warning texts must be in Spanish, the principal language of the country.

#### WARNINGS: 2014













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**WARNINGS: 2013** 













WARNINGS: 2012











