

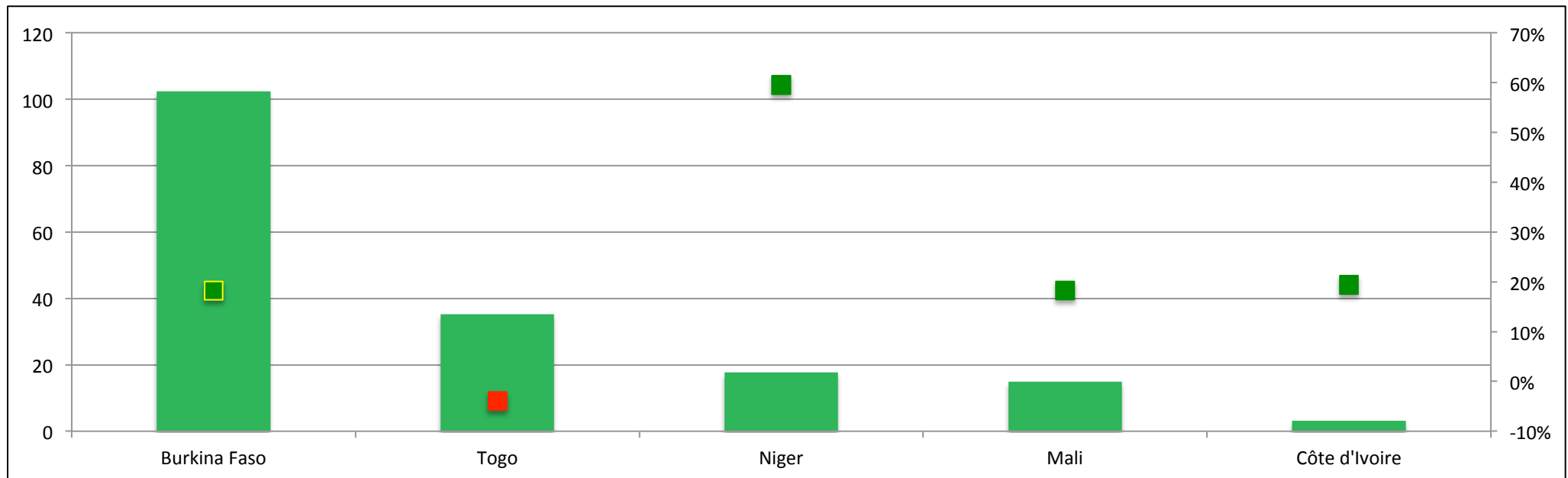
EXPORT PERFORMANCE: PLASTICS

ANNUAL UPDATE 2016

- Exports of plastic and plastic products from Ghana amounted 180 million USD in 2016. Compared to 2015, the export value declined a bit (-1.6%).
- The total average growth of Ghanaian exports of plastics reached +7.9% per annum during 2012-2016.
- Top export destinations include only African countries. Over half of all exports of plastics went to Burkina Faso in 2016. The top 4 destinations reached almost 95% share of total Ghanaian exports. Neighboring country Côte d'Ivoire is the fifth largest destination with 3 million USD export value.
- Largest grower for Ghanaian exports of plastics and plastic products on average annually from 2012-2016 is Niger (+59.5%). Besides Togo, all top destinations reached good average annual growth over 2012-2016.



Figure 1 – Top 5 Ghanaian export destinations for plastics (green bars: USD million in 2016, squares: average annual growth '12/'16)



Source: Customs Ghana.