

Figure 2.1.5. Geographic distribution
Membership of international organizations, by region of activity: 2001

This table lists, for the different continents, regions and other groupings, the total number of organizations listed in this Yearbook series which have members in that grouping.

For each grouping, the first line of totals indicates the number of intergovernmental organizations with members in that region or group; the second line indicates the number of non-governmental organizations with members in that region or group; the third line indicates the total number of organizations, both intergovernmental or non-governmental with members in that region or group.

The organizations are totalled by type, indicated by the letter code at the head of each column. (See appendix 10 "Types of organization" for more information.) In addition, totals are given at the end of each row for certain groupings of types.

REGION	TYPES OF ORGANIZATION														TOTALS				
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	A-D	A-F	AG+R	A-U
ACP																			
IGO	1	34	20	95	332	278	5	154	5	62	0	0	2	563	207	150	760	765	1758
NGO	34	451	727	1023	554	1231	359	436	16	288	203	502	2	0	719	2235	4020	4881	6545
Total	35	485	747	1118	886	1509	364	590	21	350	203	502	4	563	926	2385	4780	5646	8303
ASEAN member countries																			
IGO	1	32	21	12	159	157	2	53	10	32	0	0	3	293	100	66	382	384	875
NGO	30	452	738	690	447	1014	259	247	12	211	195	236	5	0	489	1910	3371	3866	5025
Total	31	484	759	702	606	1171	261	300	22	243	195	236	8	293	589	1976	3753	4250	5900
Africa																			
IGO	1	34	22	68	260	227	4	147	4	49	0	0	2	502	157	125	612	616	1477
NGO	34	460	917	1141	581	1331	362	406	13	328	257	498	3	1	753	2552	4464	5324	7085
Total	35	494	939	1209	841	1558	366	553	17	377	257	498	5	503	910	2677	5076	5940	8562
America																			
IGO	1	34	28	54	302	275	4	101	4	72	0	0	3	661	201	117	694	698	1740
NGO	34	462	1025	1864	834	1733	523	610	24	415	506	551	7	0	1078	3385	5952	7026	9666
Total	35	496	1053	1918	1136	2008	527	711	28	487	506	551	10	661	1279	3502	6646	7724	11406
Andes																			
IGO	1	34	12	22	156	129	2	39	2	28	0	0	0	432	83	69	354	356	940
NGO	32	436	566	615	332	836	193	265	9	174	125	288	2	0	370	1649	2817	3298	4243
Total	33	470	578	637	488	965	195	304	11	202	125	288	2	432	453	1718	3171	3654	5183
Arab																			
IGO	1	33	18	50	226	175	3	108	2	42	0	0	1	438	135	102	503	506	1232
NGO	32	449	697	848	413	933	209	327	9	245	142	140	1	1	472	2026	3372	3721	4918
Total	33	482	715	898	639	1108	212	435	11	287	142	140	2	439	607	2128	3875	4227	6150
Asia																			
IGO	1	34	28	52	279	264	3	112	14	72	0	0	5	481	176	115	658	661	1521
NGO	34	462	1014	1669	815	1589	422	493	21	418	374	388	8	1	895	3179	5583	6393	8603
Total	35	496	1042	1721	1094	1853	425	605	35	490	374	388	13	482	1071	3294	6241	7054	10124
Caribbean																			
IGO	1	32	14	35	179	159	3	67	1	30	0	0	1	483	133	82	420	423	1138
NGO	28	422	552	572	316	815	242	253	10	149	176	207	1	0	397	1574	2705	3154	4140
Total	29	454	566	607	495	974	245	320	11	179	176	207	2	483	530	1656	3125	3577	5278
Central America																			
IGO	1	31	6	22	144	107	3	37	2	19	0	0	0	427	77	60	311	314	876
NGO	26	377	315	410	226	639	172	188	4	105	83	134	2	0	283	1128	1993	2299	2964
Total	27	408	321	432	370	746	175	225	6	124	83	134	2	427	360	1188	2304	2613	3840
Central and Eastern Europe																			
IGO	1	32	23	30	219	200	3	78	3	59	0	0	4	668	133	86	505	508	1453
NGO	35	453	921	1878	801	1458	261	370	16	367	220	217	5	1	692	3287	5546	6024	7695
Total	36	485	944	1908	1020	1658	264	448	19	426	220	217	9	669	825	3373	6051	6532	9148
Commonwealth member countries																			
IGO	1	34	30	98	451	396	6	158	15	115	0	0	5	746	250	163	1010	1016	2305
NGO	34	461	1029	3015	1345	2274	561	875	28	561	516	491	7	1	1602	4539	8158	9210	12800
Total	35	495	1059	3113	1796	2670	567	1033	43	676	516	491	12	747	1852	4702	9168	10226	15105
Commonwealth of Independent States member countries																			
IGO	1	32	19	23	170	157	2	30	2	47	0	0	3	377	51	75	402	404	914
NGO	31	400	678	1030	490	911	180	124	9	249	126	76	2	0	317	2139	3540	3796	4623
Total	32	432	697	1053	660	1068	182	154	11	296	126	76	5	377	368	2214	3942	4200	5537

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	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	A-D	A-F	AG+R	A-U
Europe																			
IGO	1	34	28	71	383	351	7	144	5	113	0	0	6	893	239	134	868	875	2275
NGO	35	462	1025	3054	1303	2228	540	1065	23	514	511	625	6	1	1690	4576	8107	9272	13082
Total	36	496	1053	3125	1686	2579	547	1209	28	627	511	625	12	894	1929	4710	8975	10147	15357
European Union member countries																			
IGO	1	33	24	60	353	308	6	108	2	103	0	0	5	850	161	118	779	785	2014
NGO	35	461	1022	3000	1281	2174	503	1044	19	498	497	619	6	1	1631	4518	7973	9095	12791
Total	36	494	1046	3060	1634	2482	509	1152	21	601	497	619	11	851	1792	4636	8752	9880	14805
French speaking																			
IGO	1	34	31	109	482	416	7	195	5	115	0	0	3	882	262	175	1073	1080	2542
NGO	35	461	1029	3093	1368	2289	548	970	23	546	512	582	4	1	1692	4618	8275	9405	13153
Total	36	495	1060	3202	1850	2705	555	1165	28	661	512	582	7	883	1954	4793	9348	10485	15695
Islamic																			
IGO	1	34	28	92	379	328	4	170	15	101	0	0	6	640	213	155	862	866	2011
NGO	34	461	927	1637	768	1507	351	512	23	370	244	399	6	1	890	3059	5334	6084	8130
Total	35	495	955	1729	1147	1835	355	682	38	471	244	399	12	641	1103	3214	6196	6950	10141
Latin America																			
IGO	1	34	20	33	211	205	3	66	3	46	0	0	0	605	151	88	504	507	1378
NGO	34	461	921	1178	574	1276	356	413	17	319	299	483	5	0	704	2594	4444	5283	7040
Total	35	495	941	1211	785	1481	359	479	20	365	299	483	5	605	855	2682	4948	5790	8418
Least developed																			
IGO	1	32	15	85	327	246	5	148	4	63	0	0	3	488	171	133	706	711	1588
NGO	32	422	492	772	438	980	283	320	13	217	110	342	1	0	538	1718	3136	3761	4960
Total	33	454	507	857	765	1226	288	468	17	280	110	342	4	488	709	1851	3842	4472	6548
Mediterranean																			
IGO	1	34	28	68	383	335	3	131	2	90	0	0	4	818	190	131	849	852	2087
NGO	35	461	1013	2843	1235	2050	416	855	19	488	403	587	4	1	1445	4352	7637	8640	11855
Total	36	495	1041	2911	1618	2385	419	986	21	578	403	587	8	819	1635	4483	8486	9492	13942
Non-aligned																			
IGO	1	34	27	124	474	421	5	220	17	124	0	0	6	870	313	186	1081	1086	2636
NGO	34	462	1015	2269	1007	1878	492	743	34	478	375	597	8	1	1231	3780	6665	7754	10624
Total	35	496	1042	2393	1481	2299	497	963	51	602	375	597	14	871	1544	3966	7746	8840	13260
Nordic																			
IGO	1	34	15	37	237	219	5	63	0	79	0	0	3	633	115	87	543	548	1441
NGO	30	445	892	2316	932	1617	229	716	10	369	288	74	3	0	1000	3683	6232	6535	8921
Total	31	479	907	2353	1169	1836	234	779	10	448	288	74	6	633	1115	3770	6775	7083	10362
OECD member countries																			
IGO	1	34	29	81	423	399	8	129	6	127	0	0	7	971	222	145	967	975	2437
NGO	35	462	1032	3365	1403	2377	618	1184	26	560	565	668	9	1	1824	4894	8674	9960	14129
Total	36	496	1061	3446	1826	2776	626	1313	32	687	565	668	16	972	2046	5039	9641	10935	16566
Pacific																			
IGO	1	33	15	13	141	147	2	34	3	26	0	0	2	327	72	62	350	352	816
NGO	32	445	895	1068	530	1152	288	272	12	296	351	164	3	0	595	2440	4122	4574	6103
Total	33	478	910	1081	671	1299	290	306	15	322	351	164	5	327	667	2502	4472	4926	6919