

## Figure 0.2.1. Current overview

### Participation in international organizations by continent and cluster: 2004

These tables provide an overview of participation, through membership, of different continents in different clusters\* of international organizations (as introduced in Figure 0.1). The summary is by continent and cluster, also showing percentages of intergovernmental organizations (IGOs) and nongovernmental organizations (NGOs).

For example, there are 6,019 African members of IGOs in Cluster I; American members comprise 18.5 % of all members of Cluster II organizations. Refer to Figures 0.2.2 – 0.2.4 for more detailed breakdowns by organization types with each cluster. See Figure 2.1.1. for more detail on participation. For information on organization types in the *Yearbook of International Organizations* see Appendix "Types of organization".

| COUNTRY                            | Cluster I     | % continent   | % world      | Cluster II   | % continent   | % world      | Cluster III  | % continent   | % world      | Cluster IV   | % continent   | % world      | Cluster V    | % continent   | % world      |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Africa IGO                         | 6019          | 14.1%         | 2.1%         | 5224         | 35.5%         | 5.8%         | 6922         | 99.8%         | 18.5%        | 122          | 2.6%          | 0.4%         | 3631         | 26.3%         | 5.0%         |
| Africa NGO                         | 36678         | 85.9%         | 12.7%        | 9501         | 64.5%         | 10.5%        | 12           | 0.2%          | 0.0%         | 4482         | 97.4%         | 14.1%        | 10180        | 73.7%         | 14.0%        |
| <b>Africa total</b>                | <b>42697</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>14.8%</b> | <b>14725</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>16.2%</b> | <b>6934</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>18.6%</b> | <b>4604</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>14.5%</b> | <b>13811</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>19.0%</b> |
| America IGO                        | 4812          | 9.4%          | 1.7%         | 4286         | 25.5%         | 4.7%         | 7556         | 99.6%         | 20.2%        | 94           | 1.4%          | 0.3%         | 2580         | 19.4%         | 3.5%         |
| America NGO                        | 46505         | 90.6%         | 16.1%        | 12512        | 74.5%         | 13.8%        | 29           | 0.4%          | 0.1%         | 6835         | 98.6%         | 21.5%        | 10748        | 80.6%         | 14.8%        |
| <b>America total</b>               | <b>51317</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>17.8%</b> | <b>16798</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>18.5%</b> | <b>7585</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>20.3%</b> | <b>6929</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>21.8%</b> | <b>13328</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>18.3%</b> |
| Asia IGO                           | 4526          | 9.0%          | 1.6%         | 3808         | 26.5%         | 4.2%         | 4901         | 98.9%         | 13.1%        | 69           | 1.1%          | 0.2%         | 2224         | 20.8%         | 3.1%         |
| Asia NGO                           | 45502         | 91.0%         | 15.8%        | 10538        | 73.5%         | 11.6%        | 54           | 1.1%          | 0.1%         | 6091         | 98.9%         | 19.2%        | 8451         | 79.2%         | 11.6%        |
| <b>Asia total</b>                  | <b>50028</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>17.3%</b> | <b>14346</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>15.8%</b> | <b>4955</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>13.3%</b> | <b>6160</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>19.4%</b> | <b>10675</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>14.7%</b> |
| Australasia / Oceania IGO          | 1199          | 10.8%         | 0.4%         | 982          | 27.5%         | 1.1%         | 1343         | 99.4%         | 3.6%         | 8            | 0.5%          | 0.0%         | 452          | 18.5%         | 0.6%         |
| Australasia / Oceania NGO          | 9953          | 89.2%         | 3.4%         | 2583         | 72.5%         | 2.8%         | 8            | 0.6%          | 0.0%         | 1687         | 99.5%         | 5.3%         | 1992         | 81.5%         | 2.7%         |
| <b>Australasia / Oceania total</b> | <b>11152</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>3.9%</b>  | <b>3565</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>3.9%</b>  | <b>1351</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>3.6%</b>  | <b>1695</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>5.3%</b>  | <b>2444</b>  | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>3.4%</b>  |
| Europe IGO                         | 8323          | 6.2%          | 2.9%         | 8584         | 20.8%         | 9.5%         | 16409        | 99.4%         | 44.0%        | 112          | 0.9%          | 0.4%         | 3865         | 11.9%         | 5.3%         |
| Europe NGO                         | 125143        | 93.8%         | 43.4%        | 32739        | 79.2%         | 36.1%        | 91           | 0.6%          | 0.2%         | 12236        | 99.1%         | 38.6%        | 28604        | 88.1%         | 39.3%        |
| <b>Europe total</b>                | <b>133466</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>46.2%</b> | <b>41323</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>45.5%</b> | <b>16500</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>44.2%</b> | <b>12348</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>38.9%</b> | <b>32469</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>44.6%</b> |
| Total IGO                          | 24879         | 8.6%          |              | 22884        | 25.2%         |              | 37131        | 99.5%         |              | 405          | 1.3%          |              | 12752        | 17.5%         |              |
| Total NGO                          | 263781        | 91.4%         |              | 67873        | 74.8%         |              | 194          | 0.5%          |              | 31331        | 98.7%         |              | 59975        | 82.5%         |              |
| <b>Grand total</b>                 | <b>288660</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |              | <b>90757</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |              | <b>37325</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |              | <b>31736</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |              | <b>72727</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |              |

\* The types allocated to each cluster are as follows:

Cluster I (International organizations): Types A B C D F

Cluster II (Dependent organizations): Types E K R

Cluster III (Organizational substitutes): Types S T

Cluster IV (National organizations): Types G N

Cluster V (Dead, inactive and unconfirmed bodies): Types H J U