

**Figure 2.1.12. Geographic distribution
International organizations by region of activity: 2005**

This table lists, for the different continents, regions and other groupings, the total number of organizations listed in this Yearbook series which are preoccupied with that grouping. An organization's preoccupation with or involvement in a particular region is determined on the basis of either its title or keywords in its "Aims" paragraph. See the Appendix "Contents of organization descriptions" for further information on that paragraph.

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

The organizations are totalled by type, indicated by the letter code at the head of each column. In addition, totals are given at the end of each row by cluster. The organization 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

See the Appendix "Types of organization" for more information.

REGION	type	TYPES OF ORGANIZATION																	TOTALS BY CLUSTER					TOTAL A-U
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	I	II	III	IV	V			
Africa	IGO	0	0	5	136	356	275	20	415	29	120	0	0	37	149	563	416	476	186	20	1007	2105		
	NGO	0	0	8	624	393	791	1040	633	59	326	140	6	45	0	3344	1423	725	45	1180	4036	7409		
	Total	0	0	13	760	749	1066	1060	1048	88	446	140	6	82	149	3907	1839	1201	231	1200	5043	9514		
America	IGO	0	0	9	26	122	37	11	46	4	36	0	0	2	262	144	72	158	264	11	194	699		
	NGO	0	0	5	285	120	179	450	196	19	34	122	0	7	0	946	469	154	7	572	1161	2363		
	Total	0	0	14	311	242	216	461	242	23	70	122	0	9	262	1090	541	312	271	583	1355	3062		
Andes	IGO	0	0	0	2	18	45	0	7	0	7	0	0	2	3	40	47	25	5	0	47	124		
	NGO	0	0	0	13	19	15	37	18	2	4	2	0	0	0	134	28	23	0	39	154	244		
	Total	0	0	0	15	37	60	37	25	2	11	2	0	2	3	174	75	48	5	39	201	368		
Caribbean	IGO	0	0	0	37	183	139	6	64	7	67	0	0	10	28	283	176	250	38	6	354	824		
	NGO	0	0	0	322	113	263	122	188	10	48	18	0	6	0	517	585	161	6	140	715	1607		
	Total	0	0	0	359	296	402	128	252	17	115	18	0	16	28	800	761	411	44	146	1069	2431		
Latin America	IGO	0	0	0	52	145	158	11	49	9	47	0	0	16	51	259	210	192	67	11	317	797		
	NGO	0	0	3	801	226	489	435	520	42	101	71	3	24	0	1486	1293	330	24	506	2048	4201		
	Total	0	0	3	853	371	647	446	569	51	148	71	3	40	51	1745	1503	522	91	517	2365	4998		
Central America	IGO	0	0	0	13	60	31	5	22	9	13	0	0	11	164	92	44	73	175	5	123	420		
	NGO	0	0	0	69	49	41	68	84	7	3	9	0	5	0	308	110	52	5	77	399	643		
	Total	0	0	0	82	109	72	73	106	16	16	9	0	16	164	400	154	125	180	82	522	1063		
Asia	IGO	0	0	16	59	237	170	14	117	21	88	0	0	14	72	258	245	325	86	14	396	1066		
	NGO	0	0	34	901	321	600	764	318	35	177	149	7	55	0	1818	1535	505	55	913	2171	5179		
	Total	0	0	50	960	558	770	778	435	56	265	149	7	69	72	2076	1780	830	141	927	2567	6245		
ASEAN	IGO	0	0	0	8	50	39	0	7	8	77	0	0	76	35	95	47	127	111	0	110	395		
	NGO	0	0	0	47	137	56	24	13	5	16	3	0	10	0	262	103	153	10	27	280	573		
	Total	0	0	0	55	187	95	24	20	13	93	3	0	86	35	357	150	280	121	27	390	968		
Pacific	IGO	0	0	11	54	163	145	8	51	6	31	0	0	13	131	146	210	194	144	8	203	759		
	NGO	0	0	20	500	158	287	377	135	18	90	135	1	39	0	779	807	249	39	512	932	2539		
	Total	0	0	31	554	321	432	385	186	24	121	135	1	52	131	925	1017	443	183	520	1135	3298		
Europe	IGO	0	0	14	76	298	231	46	73	8	150	0	0	47	625	416	321	448	672	46	497	1984		
	NGO	0	0	0	4995	1767	2717	1033	1713	75	377	376	3	116	0	6881	7712	2147	116	1409	8669	20053		
	Total	0	0	14	5071	2065	2948	1079	1786	83	527	376	3	163	625	7297	8033	2595	788	1455	9166	22037		
European Union	IGO	0	0	0	18	179	260	0	42	0	105	0	0	6	82	581	278	284	88	0	623	1273		
	NGO	0	0	2	439	353	252	63	94	2	48	24	0	5	0	962	693	401	5	87	1058	2244		
	Total	0	0	2	457	532	512	63	136	2	153	24	0	11	82	1543	971	685	93	87	1681	3517		
Nordic	IGO	0	0	0	56	102	43	8	67	0	62	0	0	1	67	156	99	164	68	8	223	562		
	NGO	0	0	0	508	122	162	60	525	15	21	16	0	51	0	742	670	143	51	76	1282	2222		
	Total	0	0	0	564	224	205	68	592	15	83	16	0	52	67	898	769	307	119	84	1505	2784		

REGION	type	TYPES OF ORGANIZATION															TOTALS BY CLUSTER					TOTAL A-U
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	I	II	III	IV	V	
Central and Eastern Europe	IGO	0	0	5	10	53	62	13	43	0	41	0	0	1	23	233	77	94	24	13	276	484
	NGO	0	0	0	107	81	132	225	78	2	36	35	0	6	0	565	239	117	6	260	645	1267
	Total	0	0	5	117	134	194	238	121	2	77	35	0	7	23	798	316	211	30	273	921	1751
European (others)	IGO	0	0	0	36	49	64	7	45	10	11	0	0	15	190	92	100	60	205	7	147	519
	NGO	0	0	2	180	69	78	107	51	8	25	26	0	11	0	331	260	94	11	133	390	888
	Total	0	0	2	216	118	142	114	96	18	36	26	0	26	190	423	360	154	216	140	537	1407
Arab	IGO	0	0	0	80	131	92	3	121	2	62	0	0	7	48	226	172	193	55	3	349	772
	NGO	0	0	5	225	108	62	128	169	24	40	36	0	4	0	546	292	148	4	164	739	1347
	Total	0	0	5	305	239	154	131	290	26	102	36	0	11	48	772	464	341	59	167	1088	2119
Commonwealth	IGO	0	0	15	0	4	52	2	38	0	19	0	0	14	12	55	67	23	26	2	93	211
	NGO	0	0	95	28	40	33	35	59	2	7	0	0	9	0	158	156	47	9	35	219	466
	Total	0	0	110	28	44	85	37	97	2	26	0	0	23	12	213	223	70	35	37	312	677
Developing Countries	IGO	0	0	8	40	182	188	47	57	7	67	30	0	19	37	245	236	249	56	77	309	927
	NGO	8	55	118	79	290	620	833	108	0	62	63	7	5	0	1187	880	359	5	896	1295	3435
	Total	8	55	126	119	472	808	880	165	7	129	93	7	24	37	1432	1116	608	61	973	1604	4362
Mediterranean	IGO	0	0	0	15	41	31	6	14	2	39	0	0	1	62	57	46	80	63	6	73	268
	NGO	0	0	3	138	71	171	130	54	15	62	22	0	0	0	562	312	133	0	152	631	1228
	Total	0	0	3	153	112	202	136	68	17	101	22	0	1	62	619	358	213	63	158	704	1496
Non-aligned Countries	IGO	0	0	0	0	9	12	0	10	0	0	0	0	9	0	123	12	9	9	0	133	163
	NGO	0	0	12	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	12	4	0	0	21	37
	Total	0	0	12	0	13	12	0	11	0	0	0	0	9	0	143	24	13	9	0	154	200
Transition economies	IGO	0	0	0	0	33	14	3	4	0	6	0	0	0	0	15	14	39	0	3	19	75
	NGO	4	7	9	0	4	35	23	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	13	55	4	0	25	18	102
	Total	4	7	9	0	37	49	26	9	0	6	2	0	0	0	28	69	43	0	28	37	177
Regional Groupings (other)	IGO	0	0	17	15	49	19	0	19	2	11	0	0	0	86	43	51	60	86	0	64	261
	NGO	0	0	0	28	16	30	84	22	4	12	14	0	0	0	169	58	28	0	98	195	379
	Total	0	0	17	43	65	49	84	41	6	23	14	0	0	86	212	109	88	86	98	259	640
IGOs	IGO	13	0	156	662	3124	2620	298	1784	201	1605	179	0	316	0	5123	3451	4729	316	477	7108	16081
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	13	0	156	662	3124	2620	298	1784	201	1605	179	0	316	0	5123	3451	4729	316	477	7108	16081