

Figure 0.3.2. Current overview

Links from intergovernmental organizations (IGOs) by type: 2008

This table indicates the total number of instances that intergovernmental organizations (IGOs), grouped by cluster, cite other international organizations, whether intergovernmental (IGO) or non-governmental (NGO), of the same or another 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

For example:

- There are 989 IGOs included in Cluster I. They cite other organizations in Cluster I, whether IGO or NGO, a total of 12,771 times, and organizations in Cluster II, whether IGO or NGO, 5,499 times.
- These 989 bodies cite other organizations, of whatever cluster, a total of 22,904 times, for an average of 23.16 citations per organization.
- Cluster I organizations, whether IGO or NGO, register a total of 29,811 citations from IGOs. This is an average of 2.22 citations to each organization in Cluster I.

For information on organization types, see Appendix "Types of organization". For further detail on citations between types see Figures 3.1.1. and 3.2.1.

Note that the total number of citations given in this table may differ from the totals given in other tables due to intervening editorial work.

Citing IGO cluster		All organizations (IGO + NGO)					Total links FROM	No. of citing IGOs	Average links FROM
		to I	to II	to III	to IV	to V			
from I	International organizations	12771	5499	119	1875	2640	22904	989	23.16
from II	Dependent bodies	9711	4818	69	2111	1249	17958	1209	14.85
from III	Organizational substitutes	2251	724	7	133	1010	4125	2516	1.64
from IV	National bodies	362	193	3	91	25	674	123	5.48
from V	Inactive, unconfirmed and excluded bodies	4716	2356	52	508	1427	9059	2654	3.41
Total links TO		29811	13590	250	4718	6351	54720	7491	7.30
Number of cited bodies		13435	6026	3106	9863	30038	62468		
Average links TO		2.22	2.26	0.08	0.48	0.21	0.88		