

Figure 4.4.
Links between international organizations by subject
Edition 48, 2011/2012 (data collected in 2010)

This table indicates the number of citations from international organizations active in subject fields within a given level of the subject matrix (see Figure 5.1.) to other international organizations active in subject fields within another level of the matrix.

The matrix levels are indicated by the column and row headings: e.g. the label W0 indicates level 0 of the matrix, the label W1 indicates level 1 of the matrix, and so on. The general headings of the matrix rows given here in the left column apply also to the matrix rows given as column headings.

A distinction is made between intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, and between the organizations citing others and organizations being cited by others. Specifically, for each row of the matrix the following counts are given:

- intergovernmental organizations citing other intergovernmental organizations (IGO citing IGO)
- intergovernmental organizations citing non-governmental organizations (IGO citing NGO)
- intergovernmental organizations citing both intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations (IGO citing Total)
- non-governmental organizations citing intergovernmental organizations (NGO citing IGO)
- non-governmental organizations citing other non-governmental organizations (NGO citing NGO)
- non-governmental organizations citing both intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations (NGO citing Total)
- organizations (whether intergovernmental or non-governmental) citing intergovernmental organizations (Total citing IGO)
- organizations (whether intergovernmental or non-governmental) citing non-governmental organizations (Total citing NGO)
- organizations (whether intergovernmental or non-governmental) citing both intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations (Total citing Total)

For example:

- IGOs active in the field of "Biosciences" (matrix level W1: "Biosphere") cite IGOs active in the field of "Conservation" (matrix level 6: "Innovative change - structure") in 1297 cases: row W1-IGO citing IGO, column W6.
- NGOs active in the field of "Biosciences" (matrix level W1: "Biosphere") cite NGOs active in the field of "Conservation" (matrix level W6: "Innovative change - structure") in 2726 cases: row W1-NGO citing NGO, column W6.
- NGOs active in the subject field "Health Care" (matrix level 3: "Social action - context") cite IGOs active in the subject field "Community" (matrix level 7: "Innovative change - context") in 1711 cases: row W3-NGO citing IGO, column W7.

Note that editorial discretion is used when an organization cites links with large numbers of other bodies, especially when such contact is temporary or tenuous: e.g. foundations funding large numbers of NGOs; IGOs collaborating in specific projects of NGOs not otherwise recognized.

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.

MATRIX ROW NUMBER AND HEADING			W0	W1	W2	W3	MATRIX COLUMNS			W7	W8	W9	TOTAL
							W4	W5	W6				
W0 Cosmosphere/ Geosphere	IGO citing	IGO	2520	696	3813	3689	2456	1693	2265	585	922	291	18930
		NGO	1421	594	1702	1087	843	374	880	263	217	31	7412
		Total	3941	1290	5515	4776	3299	2067	3145	848	1139	322	26342
	NGO citing	IGO	1579	624	2596	2651	1689	1539	1761	437	612	170	13658
		NGO	5949	1786	5673	3352	2341	1519	2249	830	556	110	24365
		Total	7528	2410	8269	6003	4030	3058	4010	1267	1168	280	38023
	Total citing	IGO	4099	1320	6409	6340	4145	3232	4026	1022	1534	461	32588
		NGO	7370	2380	7375	4439	3184	1893	3129	1093	773	141	31777
		Total	11469	3700	13784	10779	7329	5125	7155	2115	2307	602	64365
W1 Biosphere	IGO citing	IGO	609	1052	2071	2470	1086	927	1297	326	521	131	10490
		NGO	420	744	1214	1040	406	315	552	302	204	39	5236
		Total	1029	1796	3285	3510	1492	1242	1849	628	725	170	15726
	NGO citing	IGO	674	1017	2616	3183	1473	1425	1676	380	531	124	13099
		NGO	1762	9684	6072	6537	1821	1526	2726	1249	780	219	32376
		Total	2436	10701	8688	9720	3294	2951	4402	1629	1311	343	45475
	Total citing	IGO	1283	2069	4687	5653	2559	2352	2973	706	1052	255	23589
		NGO	2182	10428	7286	7577	2227	1841	3278	1551	984	258	37612
		Total	3465	12497	11973	13230	4786	4193	6251	2257	2036	513	61201

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W2 Social action (structure)	IGO citing	IGO	3050	1940	15885	14408	7100	5898	7160	2514	3078	619	61652
		NGO	1513	1395	8286	4854	2127	1653	2537	1830	879	290	25364
		Total	4563	3335	24171	19262	9227	7551	9697	4344	3957	909	87016
	NGO citing	IGO	2110	2217	14786	13203	7792	7955	8135	2544	2375	528	61645
		NGO	5679	6307	45007	25477	8538	10680	11696	10651	4767	1880	130682
		Total	7789	8524	59793	38680	16330	18635	19831	13195	7142	2408	192327
	Total citing	IGO	5160	4157	30671	27611	14892	13853	15295	5058	5453	1147	123297
		NGO	7192	7702	53293	30331	10665	12333	14233	12481	5646	2170	156046
		Total	12352	11859	83964	57942	25557	26186	29528	17539	11099	3317	279343
W3 Social action (context)	IGO citing	IGO	2988	2221	13538	16238	6167	5904	6124	2762	3111	603	59656
		NGO	1473	1502	6198	5085	1826	1463	2215	1285	752	187	21986
		Total	4461	3723	19736	21323	7993	7367	8339	4047	3863	790	81642
	NGO citing	IGO	1381	1928	9087	10066	4584	5332	5073	1711	1599	298	41059
		NGO	3272	6623	24948	32116	5731	10440	7554	7186	3163	1435	102468
		Total	4653	8551	34035	42182	10315	15772	12627	8897	4762	1733	143527
	Total citing	IGO	4369	4149	22625	26304	10751	11236	11197	4473	4710	901	100715
		NGO	4745	8125	31146	37201	7557	11903	9769	8471	3915	1622	124454
		Total	9114	12274	53771	63505	18308	23139	20966	12944	8625	2523	225169
W4 Concept formation (structure)	IGO citing	IGO	1984	976	7063	6412	4182	2944	3924	1071	1629	320	30505
		NGO	1003	787	3881	2450	1522	866	1485	793	439	147	13373
		Total	2987	1763	10944	8862	5704	3810	5409	1864	2068	467	43878
	NGO citing	IGO	980	766	4107	3777	2753	2527	3002	714	938	239	19803
		NGO	2366	1969	8763	5932	5604	2300	3351	1763	1010	293	33351
		Total	3346	2735	12870	9709	8357	4827	6353	2477	1948	532	53154
	Total citing	IGO	2964	1742	11170	10189	6935	5471	6926	1785	2567	559	50308
		NGO	3369	2756	12644	8382	7126	3166	4836	2556	1449	440	46724
		Total	6333	4498	23814	18571	14061	8637	11762	4341	4016	999	97032
W5 Concept formation (context)	IGO citing	IGO	1118	793	4923	5381	2376	4111	2700	1572	1262	249	24485
		NGO	829	715	4329	2894	1267	1442	1505	1325	499	234	15039
		Total	1947	1508	9252	8275	3643	5553	4205	2897	1761	483	39524
	NGO citing	IGO	452	723	3040	3003	1496	2496	1483	676	452	116	13937
		NGO	1445	1513	10237	10206	2201	9654	3322	4393	1694	959	45624
		Total	1897	2236	13277	13209	3697	12150	4805	5069	2146	1075	59561
	Total citing	IGO	1570	1516	7963	8384	3872	6607	4183	2248	1714	365	38422
		NGO	2274	2228	14566	13100	3468	11096	4827	5718	2193	1193	60663
		Total	3844	3744	22529	21484	7340	17703	9010	7966	3907	1558	99085
W6 Innovative change (structure)	IGO citing	IGO	1491	1053	6224	5539	3271	2966	4015	1115	1484	293	27451
		NGO	713	706	3089	1958	1174	657	1655	585	403	91	11031
		Total	2204	1759	9313	7497	4445	3623	5670	1700	1887	384	38482
	NGO citing	IGO	938	883	5003	4291	2684	2882	3565	1027	1113	279	22665
		NGO	2277	2832	11906	7587	3299	3480	7950	3559	2174	493	45557
		Total	3215	3715	16909	11878	5983	6362	11515	4586	3287	772	68222
	Total citing	IGO	2429	1936	11227	9830	5955	5848	7580	2142	2597	572	50116
		NGO	2990	3538	14995	9545	4473	4137	9605	4144	2577	584	56588
		Total	5419	5474	26222	19375	10428	9985	17185	6286	5174	1156	106704
W7 Innovative change (context)	IGO citing	IGO	400	317	2280	2751	972	1669	1174	1077	574	135	11349
		NGO	262	196	1658	1112	394	476	638	764	216	79	5795
		Total	662	513	3938	3863	1366	2145	1812	1841	790	214	17144
	NGO citing	IGO	322	532	3215	2697	1344	2331	1363	1013	417	96	13330
		NGO	737	1157	9977	6780	1584	4312	3229	6040	1659	827	36302
		Total	1059	1689	13192	9477	2928	6643	4592	7053	2076	923	49632
	Total citing	IGO	722	849	5495	5448	2316	4000	2537	2090	991	231	24679
		NGO	999	1353	11635	7892	1978	4788	3867	6804	1875	906	42097
		Total	1721	2202	17130	13340	4294	8788	6404	8894	2866	1137	66776

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W8 Experiential (values)	IGO citing	IGO	719	447	2939	3184	1587	1296	1680	567	969	124	13512
		NGO	355	333	1369	977	521	272	721	219	256	24	5047
		Total	1074	780	4308	4161	2108	1568	2401	786	1225	148	18559
	NGO citing	IGO	267	325	1747	1548	852	935	972	331	380	67	7424
		NGO	502	735	4627	3008	872	1720	2031	1710	1278	314	16797
		Total	769	1060	6374	4556	1724	2655	3003	2041	1658	381	24221
	Total citing	IGO	986	772	4686	4732	2439	2231	2652	898	1349	191	20936
		NGO	857	1068	5996	3985	1393	1992	2752	1929	1534	338	21844
		Total	1843	1840	10682	8717	3832	4223	5404	2827	2883	529	42780
W9 Experiential (modes)	IGO citing	IGO	206	99	555	584	264	272	287	160	116	54	2597
		NGO	95	85	379	221	135	86	179	87	54	14	1335
		Total	301	184	934	805	399	358	466	247	170	68	3932
	NGO citing	IGO	43	72	480	388	228	396	201	112	45	27	1992
		NGO	101	186	1837	1401	269	948	472	856	304	415	6789
		Total	144	258	2317	1789	497	1344	673	968	349	442	8781
	Total citing	IGO	249	171	1035	972	492	668	488	272	161	81	4589
		NGO	196	271	2216	1622	404	1034	651	943	358	429	8124
		Total	445	442	3251	2594	896	1702	1139	1215	519	510	12713