

**Figure 2.14.**  
**Historical overview of number of international organizations by cluster**  
**1983-2012**

The data for these charts are extracted from Figure 2.9. The comments given in Figure 2.9. are also applicable here. Users are particularly advised to consult 1.3. "Types of organization" and 1.4. "Continuity".

In every case, the line with short dashes indicates the number of intergovernmental organizations (IGOs), the line with long dashes indicates the number of international non-governmental organizations (NGOs), and the solid line indicates the total of IGOs and NGOs.

Organizations are grouped by cluster. See 1.3. Types of organization. for more information on clusters of organizations. The X axis goes from 1983 on the left to 2012 on the right. Note the difference in scale in the Y axis on these charts.

