

Section 9: Table 2.1.(a) Five year review

Top international meeting countries in 2007-2011: Type A

This table lists the countries with at least 20 meetings of type A during the period 2007 to 2011, giving the total number of meetings of type A in each country per year from 2007 to 2011. Countries are listed in alphabetical order.

Meetings counted under the heading “A” are “Meetings of international organizations” and meet all the following criteria:

- meetings organized or sponsored by “international organizations”, i.e. international non-governmental organizations (INGOs) and intergovernmental organizations (IGOs) that are included in the UIA's *Yearbook of International Organizations* (see the Introduction “What is an ‘international organization’”) and whose details are subject to systematic collection and updates on an annual basis by the UIA
- with at least 50 participants, or number of participants unknown.

The total meetings of all countries for each year of type A is used to calculate the percentages.

Caveat: When comparing consecutive years in flux, it should be remembered that both years' totals can be expected to change over time, the latest slightly more rapidly than the older. The number of meetings for the current reporting year (2011) is expected to be around 80 percent of that extracted from the database three to five years, by which time data stability is expected to be more or less reached for 2011.

Country	2007 “A”		2008 “A”		2009 “A”		2010 “A”		2011 “A”	
	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world
Albania	2	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0
Algeria	11	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.1	8	0.1	2	0.0
Argentina	76	0.6	87	0.7	69	0.6	90	0.8	46	0.5
Armenia	1	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.1	8	0.1	4	0.0
Australia	297	2.5	273	2.2	250	2.1	328	2.9	272	3.1
Austria	391	3.3	310	2.5	405	3.4	305	2.7	321	3.6
Azerbaijan	3	0.0	8	0.1	10	0.1	9	0.1	4	0.0
Bahrain	10	0.1	8	0.1	14	0.1	10	0.1	3	0.0
Bangladesh	4	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	10	0.1	4	0.0
Barbados	9	0.1	3	0.0	13	0.1	6	0.1	4	0.0
Belgium	391	3.3	444	3.6	511	4.3	616	5.5	525	6.0
Benin	6	0.1	10	0.1	9	0.1	0	0.0	1	0.0
Bolivia	8	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1	3	0.0	2	0.0
Bosnia-Herzegovina	13	0.1	5	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0
Botswana	10	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1	13	0.1	3	0.0
Brazil	149	1.2	138	1.1	129	1.1	99	0.9	79	0.9
Brunei Darussalam	2	0.0	7	0.1	9	0.1	12	0.1	3	0.0
Bulgaria	36	0.3	51	0.4	28	0.2	25	0.2	17	0.2
Burkina Faso	13	0.1	14	0.1	5	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.1
Cambodia	8	0.1	9	0.1	17	0.1	8	0.1	6	0.1
Cameroon	11	0.1	12	0.1	13	0.1	7	0.1	6	0.1
Canada	295	2.5	278	2.3	219	1.8	214	1.9	158	1.8
Chile	47	0.4	40	0.3	48	0.4	44	0.4	23	0.3
China	232	1.9	255	2.1	188	1.6	235	2.1	176	2.0
Colombia	40	0.3	41	0.3	37	0.3	44	0.4	24	0.3
Congo Brazzaville	9	0.1	5	0.0	4	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0
Congo DR	5	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.1	6	0.1	1	0.0
Costa Rica	22	0.2	18	0.1	16	0.1	15	0.1	12	0.1
Côte d'Ivoire	2	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	8	0.1	8	0.1
Croatia	61	0.5	81	0.7	59	0.5	39	0.4	31	0.4
Cuba	25	0.2	19	0.2	23	0.2	23	0.2	3	0.0
Cyprus	32	0.3	22	0.2	32	0.3	21	0.2	11	0.1
Czech Rep	116	1.0	116	1.0	215	1.8	85	0.8	64	0.7
Denmark	134	1.1	164	1.3	161	1.3	139	1.2	114	1.3
Dominican Rep	22	0.2	11	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1	4	0.0
Ecuador	20	0.2	21	0.2	18	0.2	12	0.1	4	0.0
Egypt	53	0.4	75	0.6	70	0.6	42	0.4	24	0.3
El Salvador	6	0.1	11	0.1	9	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Estonia	30	0.3	33	0.3	42	0.4	20	0.2	24	0.3
Ethiopia	23	0.2	23	0.2	22	0.2	10	0.1	15	0.2
Fiji	2	0.0	8	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.1
Finland	197	1.6	168	1.4	167	1.4	152	1.4	142	1.6
France	640	5.3	820	6.7	612	5.1	642	5.8	441	5.0
Gabon	3	0.0	9	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0
Gambia	2	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.1	5	0.1
Georgia	7	0.1	3	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	4	0.0
Germany	649	5.4	517	4.2	552	4.6	472	4.2	369	4.2
Ghana	28	0.2	30	0.2	22	0.2	8	0.1	5	0.1
Greece	143	1.2	174	1.4	117	1.0	100	0.9	70	0.8
Guadeloupe	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.1
Guatemala	20	0.2	10	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Guyana	5	0.0	7	0.1	6	0.1	6	0.1	4	0.0
Hong Kong	59	0.5	68	0.6	51	0.4	56	0.5	44	0.5
Hungary	136	1.1	140	1.2	133	1.1	165	1.5	177	2.0
Iceland	31	0.3	25	0.2	30	0.3	22	0.2	13	0.1

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	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world
India	131	1.1	141	1.2	136	1.1	136	1.2	93	1.1
Indonesia	66	0.6	45	0.4	67	0.6	59	0.5	53	0.6
Iran Islamic Rep	10	0.1	17	0.1	20	0.2	10	0.1	10	0.1
Ireland	84	0.7	82	0.7	60	0.5	90	0.8	51	0.6
Israel	19	0.2	25	0.2	28	0.2	34	0.3	20	0.2
Italy	535	4.5	516	4.2	447	3.7	390	3.5	260	3.0
Jamaica	14	0.1	10	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1
Japan	360	3.0	388	3.2	418	3.5	528	4.7	401	4.6
Jordan	22	0.2	19	0.2	15	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Kazakhstan	7	0.1	7	0.1	27	0.2	13	0.1	8	0.1
Kenya	51	0.4	32	0.3	53	0.4	27	0.2	26	0.3
Korea Rep	212	1.8	266	2.2	254	2.1	370	3.3	160	1.8
Kuwait	2	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.1
Laos	5	0.0	2	0.0	8	0.1	4	0.0	2	0.0
Latvia	31	0.3	23	0.2	12	0.1	17	0.2	9	0.1
Lebanon	6	0.1	7	0.1	22	0.2	17	0.2	14	0.2
Libyan AJ	7	0.1	3	0.0	12	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0
Lithuania	33	0.3	28	0.2	43	0.4	22	0.2	18	0.2
Luxembourg	41	0.3	39	0.3	34	0.3	26	0.2	17	0.2
Macau	7	0.1	10	0.1	9	0.1	12	0.1	3	0.0
Macedonia	4	0.0	5	0.0	11	0.1	12	0.1	8	0.1
Malaysia	102	0.9	103	0.8	97	0.8	94	0.8	105	1.2
Mali	10	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1
Malta	26	0.2	32	0.3	29	0.2	29	0.3	18	0.2
Mauritius	10	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1	5	0.0	5	0.1
Mexico	136	1.1	142	1.2	94	0.8	110	1.0	81	0.9
Monaco	19	0.2	18	0.1	12	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1
Mongolia	5	0.0	3	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.1	7	0.1
Morocco	31	0.3	54	0.4	38	0.3	38	0.3	28	0.3
Mozambique	8	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0	5	0.1
Namibia	4	0.0	8	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Nepal	8	0.1	2	0.0	14	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1
Netherlands	432	3.6	447	3.7	462	3.9	314	2.8	253	2.9
New Zealand	47	0.4	52	0.4	37	0.3	43	0.4	36	0.4
Nigeria	9	0.1	40	0.3	40	0.3	13	0.1	12	0.1
Norway	136	1.1	151	1.2	139	1.2	166	1.5	143	1.6
Oman	9	0.1	7	0.1	8	0.1	6	0.1	7	0.1
Pakistan	9	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1	8	0.1	3	0.0
Panama	15	0.1	22	0.2	9	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Paraguay	4	0.0	4	0.0	8	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1
Peru	27	0.2	73	0.6	31	0.3	31	0.3	21	0.2
Philippines	79	0.7	55	0.5	51	0.4	45	0.4	39	0.4
Poland	133	1.1	142	1.2	146	1.2	86	0.8	113	1.3
Portugal	251	2.1	180	1.5	194	1.6	152	1.4	157	1.8
Puerto Rico	20	0.2	15	0.1	15	0.1	6	0.1	8	0.1
Qatar	15	0.1	16	0.1	16	0.1	17	0.2	20	0.2
Romania	64	0.5	64	0.5	60	0.5	46	0.4	38	0.4
Russia	99	0.8	97	0.8	84	0.7	75	0.7	53	0.6
Rwanda	9	0.1	7	0.1	5	0.0	2	0.0	3	0.0
Samoa	11	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0
Saudi Arabia	9	0.1	9	0.1	8	0.1	9	0.1	11	0.1
Senegal	23	0.2	16	0.1	22	0.2	18	0.2	9	0.1
Serbia	36	0.3	20	0.2	27	0.2	19	0.2	20	0.2
Singapore	380	3.2	532	4.4	624	5.2	604	5.4	771	8.8
Slovakia	34	0.3	36	0.3	29	0.2	28	0.3	16	0.2
Slovenia	66	0.6	104	0.9	45	0.4	38	0.3	23	0.3
South Africa	125	1.0	125	1.0	130	1.1	80	0.7	89	1.0
Spain	441	3.7	478	3.9	376	3.1	535	4.8	329	3.7
Sri Lanka	12	0.1	11	0.1	13	0.1	6	0.1	10	0.1
Sudan	7	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0	8	0.1	5	0.1
Sweden	197	1.6	142	1.2	286	2.4	176	1.6	152	1.7
Switzerland	353	2.9	317	2.6	369	3.1	329	3.0	213	2.4
Syrian AR	10	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1	2	0.0
Taiwan	59	0.5	52	0.4	50	0.4	71	0.6	53	0.6
Tanzania UR	12	0.1	11	0.1	44	0.4	10	0.1	14	0.2
Thailand	128	1.1	96	0.8	161	1.3	88	0.8	106	1.2
Togo	3	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0
Trinidad-Tobago	10	0.1	10	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Tunisia	33	0.3	45	0.4	34	0.3	25	0.2	13	0.1
Turkey	160	1.3	135	1.1	137	1.1	146	1.3	118	1.3
Uganda	24	0.2	20	0.2	22	0.2	14	0.1	7	0.1
UK	415	3.5	430	3.5	414	3.5	382	3.4	278	3.2
Ukraine	22	0.2	29	0.2	17	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1
United Arab Emirates	38	0.3	54	0.4	53	0.4	69	0.6	65	0.7
Uruguay	25	0.2	23	0.2	19	0.2	15	0.1	11	0.1
USA	1205	10.1	1124	9.2	1082	9.0	911	8.2	669	7.6
Vatican	6	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1	2	0.0
Venezuela	14	0.1	24	0.2	10	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0
Vietnam	33	0.3	45	0.4	47	0.4	53	0.5	17	0.2
Zambia	6	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1

Section 9: Table 2.1.(b) Five year review

Top international meeting countries in 2007-2011: Type A+B

This table lists the countries with at least 20 meetings of type A+B during the period 2007 to 2011, giving the total number of meetings of type A+B in each country per year from 2007 to 2011. Countries are listed in alphabetical order.

Meetings counted under the heading “B” are “Other international meetings (3 days)” meet all the following criteria:

- meetings not organized or sponsored by “international organizations” but nonetheless of significant international character, notably those organized by national organizations and national branches of international organizations
- at least 40 percent of the participants are from countries other than the host country and at least 5 nationalities are represented
- lasting at least 3 days, or of unknown duration
- with either a concurrent exhibition or at least 300 participants

The total meetings of all countries for each year of type A+B is used to calculate the percentages.

Caveat: When comparing consecutive years in flux, it should be remembered that both years' totals can be expected to change over time, the latest slightly more rapidly than the older. The number of meetings for the current reporting year (2011) is expected to be around 80 percent of that extracted from the database three to five years, by which time data stability is expected to be more or less reached for 2011.

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Albania	2	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0
Algeria	12	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.1	2	0.0
Argentina	76	0.6	87	0.7	69	0.5	93	0.7	46	0.5
Armenia	1	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.1	8	0.1	4	0.0
Australia	326	2.5	316	2.4	280	2.2	383	3.1	329	3.3
Austria	424	3.3	342	2.6	441	3.4	373	3.0	390	3.9
Azerbaijan	3	0.0	8	0.1	11	0.1	9	0.1	4	0.0
Bahrain	12	0.1	8	0.1	16	0.1	10	0.1	3	0.0
Bangladesh	4	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	10	0.1	4	0.0
Barbados	9	0.1	3	0.0	13	0.1	6	0.0	4	0.0
Belgium	399	3.1	454	3.4	525	4.1	641	5.2	530	5.3
Benin	6	0.0	10	0.1	9	0.1	0	0.0	1	0.0
Bolivia	8	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0
Bosnia-Herzegovina	14	0.1	5	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0
Botswana	10	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1	13	0.1	3	0.0
Brazil	149	1.2	139	1.1	133	1.0	102	0.8	80	0.8
Brunei Darussalam	2	0.0	7	0.1	9	0.1	12	0.1	3	0.0
Bulgaria	38	0.3	51	0.4	28	0.2	26	0.2	17	0.2
Burkina Faso	13	0.1	14	0.1	6	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.1
Cambodia	9	0.1	9	0.1	17	0.1	8	0.1	6	0.1
Cameroon	11	0.1	12	0.1	13	0.1	7	0.1	6	0.1
Canada	317	2.4	299	2.3	241	1.9	239	1.9	174	1.8
Chile	47	0.4	42	0.3	48	0.4	45	0.4	23	0.2
China	252	1.9	270	2.0	201	1.6	264	2.1	199	2.0
Colombia	45	0.3	41	0.3	38	0.3	44	0.4	24	0.2
Congo Brazzaville	9	0.1	5	0.0	4	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0
Congo DR	5	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.1	6	0.0	1	0.0
Costa Rica	22	0.2	18	0.1	16	0.1	15	0.1	12	0.1
Côte d'Ivoire	2	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.1	8	0.1	8	0.1
Croatia	62	0.5	81	0.6	59	0.5	40	0.3	31	0.3
Cuba	26	0.2	20	0.2	27	0.2	23	0.2	3	0.0
Cyprus	32	0.2	22	0.2	33	0.3	21	0.2	11	0.1
Czech Rep	118	0.9	119	0.9	220	1.7	91	0.7	65	0.7
Denmark	145	1.1	171	1.3	179	1.4	152	1.2	126	1.3
Dominican Rep	23	0.2	12	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1	5	0.1
Ecuador	20	0.2	21	0.2	18	0.1	12	0.1	4	0.0
Egypt	56	0.4	77	0.6	71	0.5	45	0.4	26	0.3
El Salvador	6	0.0	11	0.1	9	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Estonia	30	0.2	33	0.2	45	0.3	20	0.2	24	0.2
Ethiopia	23	0.2	23	0.2	22	0.2	10	0.1	15	0.2
Fiji	2	0.0	8	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.1
Finland	215	1.7	186	1.4	179	1.4	165	1.3	157	1.6
France	757	5.8	933	7.1	707	5.5	734	5.9	557	5.6
Gabon	3	0.0	9	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0
Gambia	2	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.1
Georgia	7	0.1	3	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	4	0.0
Germany	683	5.3	540	4.1	613	4.7	539	4.3	419	4.2
Ghana	28	0.2	30	0.2	22	0.2	8	0.1	5	0.1
Greece	145	1.1	180	1.4	122	0.9	106	0.9	70	0.7
Guadeloupe	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.1
Guatemala	21	0.2	10	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Guyana	5	0.0	7	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.0	4	0.0
Hong Kong	64	0.5	73	0.6	56	0.4	59	0.5	46	0.5
Hungary	137	1.1	157	1.2	147	1.1	187	1.5	221	2.2
Iceland	31	0.2	25	0.2	30	0.2	22	0.2	13	0.1

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India	139	1.1	156	1.2	156	1.2	173	1.4	102	1.0
Indonesia	67	0.5	45	0.3	69	0.5	60	0.5	53	0.5
Iran Islamic Rep	10	0.1	17	0.1	21	0.2	12	0.1	10	0.1
Ireland	85	0.7	84	0.6	60	0.5	97	0.8	52	0.5
Israel	20	0.2	27	0.2	29	0.2	37	0.3	22	0.2
Italy	542	4.2	522	3.9	457	3.5	398	3.2	270	2.7
Jamaica	14	0.1	10	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1
Japan	486	3.8	600	4.5	554	4.3	752	6.0	583	5.9
Jordan	22	0.2	19	0.1	15	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Kazakhstan	7	0.1	7	0.1	27	0.2	13	0.1	8	0.1
Kenya	51	0.4	32	0.2	53	0.4	28	0.2	26	0.3
Korea Rep	294	2.3	343	2.6	365	2.8	478	3.8	188	1.9
Kuwait	3	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.1
Laos	5	0.0	2	0.0	8	0.1	4	0.0	2	0.0
Latvia	31	0.2	23	0.2	13	0.1	17	0.1	10	0.1
Lebanon	8	0.1	7	0.1	22	0.2	17	0.1	14	0.1
Libyan AJ	8	0.1	3	0.0	12	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0
Lithuania	33	0.3	28	0.2	45	0.3	22	0.2	18	0.2
Luxembourg	41	0.3	39	0.3	34	0.3	26	0.2	17	0.2
Macau	7	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1	4	0.0
Macedonia	4	0.0	5	0.0	11	0.1	12	0.1	8	0.1
Malaysia	107	0.8	107	0.8	101	0.8	110	0.9	123	1.2
Mali	10	0.1	6	0.0	7	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1
Malta	26	0.2	34	0.3	32	0.2	29	0.2	18	0.2
Mauritius	10	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.0	5	0.0	5	0.1
Mexico	136	1.1	150	1.1	96	0.7	111	0.9	82	0.8
Monaco	20	0.2	19	0.1	12	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1
Mongolia	5	0.0	3	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.1
Morocco	31	0.2	54	0.4	39	0.3	40	0.3	28	0.3
Mozambique	8	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0	5	0.1
Namibia	4	0.0	8	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Nepal	8	0.1	2	0.0	14	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1
Netherlands	475	3.7	474	3.6	487	3.8	356	2.9	299	3.0
New Zealand	48	0.4	52	0.4	38	0.3	43	0.3	37	0.4
Nigeria	9	0.1	40	0.3	40	0.3	14	0.1	12	0.1
Norway	150	1.2	168	1.3	159	1.2	187	1.5	166	1.7
Oman	10	0.1	7	0.1	8	0.1	6	0.0	7	0.1
Pakistan	9	0.1	11	0.1	6	0.0	8	0.1	3	0.0
Panama	15	0.1	22	0.2	10	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Paraguay	4	0.0	4	0.0	8	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1
Peru	27	0.2	73	0.6	31	0.2	31	0.2	23	0.2
Philippines	80	0.6	56	0.4	52	0.4	45	0.4	39	0.4
Poland	134	1.0	143	1.1	147	1.1	87	0.7	114	1.1
Portugal	254	2.0	193	1.5	213	1.6	155	1.2	160	1.6
Puerto Rico	20	0.2	16	0.1	17	0.1	8	0.1	8	0.1
Qatar	17	0.1	16	0.1	17	0.1	17	0.1	21	0.2
Romania	64	0.5	64	0.5	61	0.5	48	0.4	38	0.4
Russia	110	0.8	104	0.8	89	0.7	78	0.6	54	0.5
Rwanda	9	0.1	7	0.1	5	0.0	2	0.0	3	0.0
Samoa	11	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0
Saudi Arabia	9	0.1	9	0.1	9	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1
Senegal	23	0.2	17	0.1	22	0.2	18	0.1	9	0.1
Serbia	36	0.3	20	0.2	27	0.2	19	0.2	20	0.2
Singapore	490	3.8	659	5.0	693	5.3	730	5.9	918	9.3
Slovakia	34	0.3	36	0.3	29	0.2	28	0.2	16	0.2
Slovenia	66	0.5	104	0.8	47	0.4	39	0.3	23	0.2
South Africa	129	1.0	126	1.0	132	1.0	83	0.7	91	0.9
Spain	495	3.8	536	4.1	412	3.2	595	4.8	386	3.9
Sri Lanka	13	0.1	11	0.1	14	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1
Sudan	7	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.1
Sweden	218	1.7	147	1.1	297	2.3	185	1.5	160	1.6
Switzerland	356	2.7	322	2.4	373	2.9	345	2.8	219	2.2
Syrian AR	11	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1	2	0.0
Taiwan	59	0.5	53	0.4	50	0.4	75	0.6	54	0.5
Tanzania UR	12	0.1	11	0.1	44	0.3	10	0.1	14	0.1
Thailand	133	1.0	101	0.8	174	1.3	103	0.8	123	1.2
Togo	4	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0
Trinidad-Tobago	10	0.1	10	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Tunisia	33	0.3	45	0.3	34	0.3	25	0.2	13	0.1
Turkey	161	1.2	140	1.1	141	1.1	149	1.2	123	1.2
Uganda	24	0.2	21	0.2	22	0.2	15	0.1	7	0.1
UK	433	3.3	445	3.4	436	3.4	412	3.3	292	2.9
Ukraine	22	0.2	29	0.2	17	0.1	13	0.1	11	0.1
United Arab Emirates	49	0.4	58	0.4	59	0.5	89	0.7	102	1.0
Uruguay	25	0.2	23	0.2	19	0.1	15	0.1	11	0.1
USA	1323	10.2	1229	9.3	1177	9.1	1006	8.1	738	7.4
Vatican	6	0.0	7	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1	2	0.0
Venezuela	14	0.1	24	0.2	10	0.1	11	0.1	2	0.0
Vietnam	33	0.3	45	0.3	47	0.4	53	0.4	17	0.2
Zambia	6	0.0	7	0.1	7	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1

Section 9: Table 2.1.(c) Five year review

Top international meeting countries in 2007-2011: Type A+C

This table lists the countries with at least 20 meetings of type A+C during the period 2007 to 2011, giving the total number of meetings of type A+C in each country per year from 2007 to 2011. Countries are listed in alphabetical order.

Meetings counted under the heading "C" are "Other international meetings (2 days)" meet all the following criteria:

- meetings not organized or sponsored by "international organizations" but nonetheless of significant international character, notably those organized by national organizations and national branches of international organizations
- at least 40 percent of the participants are from countries other than the host country and at least 5 nationalities are represented
- lasting at least 2 days, or of unknown duration
- with either a concurrent exhibition or at least 250 participants

The total meetings of all countries for each year of type A+C is used to calculate the percentages.

Caveat: When comparing consecutive years in flux, it should be remembered that both years' totals can be expected to change over time, the latest slightly more rapidly than the older. The number of meetings for the current reporting year (2011) is expected to be around 80 percent of that extracted from the database three to five years, by which time data stability is expected to be more or less reached for 2011.

Country	2007 "A+C"		2008 "A+C"		2009 "A+C"		2010 "A+C"		2011 "A+C"	
	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world
Albania	2	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0
Algeria	12	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.1	2	0.0
Argentina	77	0.6	87	0.6	69	0.5	93	0.7	46	0.4
Armenia	1	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.1	8	0.1	4	0.0
Australia	331	2.5	325	2.4	287	2.1	399	3.1	346	3.3
Austria	431	3.3	364	2.7	470	3.5	424	3.3	442	4.3
Azerbaijan	3	0.0	8	0.1	11	0.1	9	0.1	4	0.0
Bahrain	12	0.1	8	0.1	16	0.1	10	0.1	3	0.0
Bangladesh	4	0.0	10	0.1	5	0.0	10	0.1	4	0.0
Barbados	9	0.1	3	0.0	13	0.1	6	0.0	4	0.0
Belgium	404	3.1	458	3.4	532	4.0	654	5.0	544	5.2
Benin	6	0.0	10	0.1	9	0.1	0	0.0	1	0.0
Bolivia	8	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0
Bosnia-Herzegovina	14	0.1	5	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0
Botswana	10	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1	13	0.1	3	0.0
Brazil	149	1.1	140	1.0	135	1.0	103	0.8	80	0.8
Brunei Darussalam	2	0.0	7	0.1	9	0.1	12	0.1	3	0.0
Bulgaria	38	0.3	52	0.4	28	0.2	28	0.2	18	0.2
Burkina Faso	13	0.1	14	0.1	6	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.0
Cambodia	9	0.1	9	0.1	17	0.1	8	0.1	6	0.1
Cameroon	11	0.1	12	0.1	13	0.1	7	0.1	6	0.1
Canada	318	2.4	300	2.2	242	1.8	239	1.8	176	1.7
Chile	47	0.4	42	0.3	48	0.4	45	0.3	23	0.2
China	252	1.9	271	2.0	203	1.5	264	2.0	205	2.0
Colombia	45	0.3	41	0.3	38	0.3	44	0.3	24	0.2
Congo Brazzaville	9	0.1	5	0.0	4	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0
Congo DR	5	0.0	6	0.0	8	0.1	6	0.0	1	0.0
Costa Rica	22	0.2	18	0.1	16	0.1	15	0.1	12	0.1
Côte d'Ivoire	2	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.1	8	0.1	8	0.1
Croatia	62	0.5	81	0.6	59	0.4	40	0.3	31	0.3
Cuba	26	0.2	20	0.1	27	0.2	23	0.2	3	0.0
Cyprus	32	0.2	23	0.2	34	0.3	21	0.2	12	0.1
Czech Rep	118	0.9	120	0.9	220	1.6	91	0.7	66	0.6
Denmark	146	1.1	174	1.3	188	1.4	165	1.3	134	1.3
Dominican Rep	23	0.2	12	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1	5	0.0
Ecuador	20	0.2	21	0.2	18	0.1	12	0.1	4	0.0
Egypt	59	0.5	77	0.6	71	0.5	45	0.3	26	0.3
El Salvador	6	0.0	11	0.1	9	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Estonia	30	0.2	33	0.2	45	0.3	20	0.2	24	0.2
Ethiopia	23	0.2	23	0.2	22	0.2	10	0.1	15	0.1
Fiji	2	0.0	8	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.1
Finland	219	1.7	199	1.5	188	1.4	174	1.3	163	1.6
France	775	5.9	994	7.3	786	5.9	821	6.3	626	6.0
Gabon	3	0.0	9	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0
Gambia	2	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.0
Georgia	7	0.1	3	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	4	0.0
Germany	691	5.3	551	4.1	629	4.7	569	4.4	438	4.2
Ghana	28	0.2	32	0.2	22	0.2	8	0.1	5	0.0
Greece	146	1.1	180	1.3	123	0.9	106	0.8	72	0.7
Guadeloupe	10	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0
Guatemala	21	0.2	10	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Guyana	5	0.0	7	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.0	4	0.0
Hong Kong	64	0.5	74	0.5	56	0.4	59	0.5	47	0.5
Hungary	138	1.1	164	1.2	151	1.1	194	1.5	231	2.2
Iceland	31	0.2	25	0.2	30	0.2	22	0.2	13	0.1

Country	2007 "A+C"		2008 "A+C"		2009 "A+C"		2010 "A+C"		2011 "A+C"	
	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world	total meetings	as % of world
India	140	1.1	157	1.2	156	1.2	175	1.3	104	1.0
Indonesia	67	0.5	45	0.3	70	0.5	60	0.5	53	0.5
Iran Islamic Rep	10	0.1	17	0.1	21	0.2	12	0.1	10	0.1
Ireland	85	0.7	84	0.6	60	0.4	103	0.8	52	0.5
Israel	20	0.2	27	0.2	29	0.2	38	0.3	22	0.2
Italy	544	4.2	523	3.9	460	3.4	401	3.1	271	2.6
Jamaica	14	0.1	10	0.1	12	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1
Japan	500	3.8	650	4.8	577	4.3	759	5.8	593	5.7
Jordan	22	0.2	19	0.1	15	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Kazakhstan	7	0.1	7	0.1	27	0.2	13	0.1	8	0.1
Kenya	51	0.4	32	0.2	53	0.4	28	0.2	26	0.3
Korea Rep	301	2.3	370	2.7	439	3.3	527	4.1	212	2.0
Kuwait	3	0.0	6	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0	5	0.0
Laos	5	0.0	2	0.0	8	0.1	4	0.0	2	0.0
Latvia	31	0.2	23	0.2	13	0.1	17	0.1	10	0.1
Lebanon	8	0.1	7	0.1	22	0.2	17	0.1	14	0.1
Libyan AJ	8	0.1	3	0.0	12	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0
Lithuania	33	0.3	28	0.2	45	0.3	22	0.2	18	0.2
Luxembourg	41	0.3	39	0.3	34	0.3	26	0.2	17	0.2
Macau	7	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1	4	0.0
Macedonia	4	0.0	5	0.0	11	0.1	12	0.1	8	0.1
Malaysia	109	0.8	107	0.8	103	0.8	114	0.9	127	1.2
Mali	10	0.1	6	0.0	7	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1
Malta	26	0.2	34	0.3	32	0.2	29	0.2	18	0.2
Mauritius	10	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.0	5	0.0	5	0.0
Mexico	136	1.0	150	1.1	96	0.7	111	0.9	82	0.8
Monaco	20	0.2	19	0.1	12	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1
Mongolia	5	0.0	3	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.1
Morocco	31	0.2	55	0.4	40	0.3	40	0.3	29	0.3
Mozambique	8	0.1	11	0.1	10	0.1	2	0.0	5	0.0
Namibia	4	0.0	8	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	6	0.1
Nepal	8	0.1	2	0.0	14	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1
Netherlands	484	3.7	485	3.6	502	3.8	376	2.9	324	3.1
New Zealand	48	0.4	52	0.4	38	0.3	43	0.3	37	0.4
Nigeria	9	0.1	40	0.3	40	0.3	14	0.1	12	0.1
Norway	153	1.2	179	1.3	170	1.3	204	1.6	187	1.8
Oman	10	0.1	7	0.1	8	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1
Pakistan	9	0.1	11	0.1	6	0.0	8	0.1	3	0.0
Panama	15	0.1	22	0.2	10	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.1
Paraguay	4	0.0	4	0.0	8	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1
Peru	27	0.2	73	0.5	31	0.2	31	0.2	23	0.2
Philippines	80	0.6	57	0.4	52	0.4	45	0.3	39	0.4
Poland	134	1.0	145	1.1	149	1.1	87	0.7	114	1.1
Portugal	254	1.9	198	1.5	219	1.6	156	1.2	164	1.6
Puerto Rico	20	0.2	16	0.1	17	0.1	8	0.1	8	0.1
Qatar	17	0.1	16	0.1	17	0.1	17	0.1	21	0.2
Romania	64	0.5	64	0.5	61	0.5	48	0.4	38	0.4
Russia	111	0.8	105	0.8	91	0.7	78	0.6	54	0.5
Rwanda	9	0.1	7	0.1	5	0.0	2	0.0	3	0.0
Samoa	11	0.1	3	0.0	3	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.0
Saudi Arabia	9	0.1	9	0.1	9	0.1	10	0.1	13	0.1
Senegal	23	0.2	17	0.1	23	0.2	18	0.1	9	0.1
Serbia	36	0.3	20	0.1	27	0.2	19	0.1	20	0.2
Singapore	494	3.8	713	5.3	750	5.6	839	6.5	1010	9.7
Slovakia	34	0.3	36	0.3	29	0.2	28	0.2	16	0.2
Slovenia	66	0.5	104	0.8	48	0.4	40	0.3	25	0.2
South Africa	130	1.0	127	0.9	132	1.0	86	0.7	91	0.9
Spain	506	3.9	554	4.1	429	3.2	635	4.9	430	4.1
Sri Lanka	13	0.1	11	0.1	14	0.1	7	0.1	10	0.1
Sudan	7	0.1	5	0.0	3	0.0	9	0.1	5	0.0
Sweden	218	1.7	149	1.1	309	2.3	190	1.5	168	1.6
Switzerland	357	2.7	324	2.4	373	2.8	348	2.7	220	2.1
Syrian AR	11	0.1	10	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.1	2	0.0
Taiwan	59	0.5	53	0.4	50	0.4	75	0.6	54	0.5
Tanzania UR	12	0.1	11	0.1	44	0.3	10	0.1	14	0.1
Thailand	133	1.0	103	0.8	184	1.4	110	0.8	127	1.2
Togo	4	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.1	1	0.0	4	0.0
Trinidad-Tobago	10	0.1	10	0.1	12	0.1	7	0.1	1	0.0
Tunisia	33	0.3	47	0.3	34	0.3	25	0.2	13	0.1
Turkey	161	1.2	140	1.0	142	1.1	151	1.2	123	1.2
Uganda	24	0.2	21	0.2	22	0.2	15	0.1	7	0.1
UK	439	3.4	454	3.3	441	3.3	418	3.2	294	2.8
Ukraine	22	0.2	29	0.2	17	0.1	14	0.1	11	0.1
United Arab Emirates	49	0.4	59	0.4	62	0.5	93	0.7	107	1.0
Uruguay	25	0.2	23	0.2	19	0.1	15	0.1	11	0.1
USA	1328	10.2	1235	9.1	1182	8.8	1014	7.8	746	7.2
Vatican	6	0.0	7	0.1	7	0.1	7	0.1	2	0.0
Venezuela	14	0.1	24	0.2	10	0.1	11	0.1	2	0.0
Vietnam	34	0.3	46	0.3	47	0.4	53	0.4	18	0.2
Zambia	6	0.0	7	0.1	7	0.1	9	0.1	6	0.1