

Section 4: Table 9.4.2. Fifteen year review: supplementary information International association meetings and exhibitions by month 2003-2017: Type A

This table lists the number of meetings of type A, and the number of such meetings with a concurrent exhibition, by month for each of the years from 2003 to 2017.

For each month of each year:

- the first line gives the number of meetings of type A held in that month in that year;
- the second line gives the number of such meetings with a concurrent exhibition.

Meetings for which the month is unknown are not included here.

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 number in the last column for the rows labelled “meetings” is the average percentage of international association meetings held in that month over 15 years. Thus: 3.3% of association meetings held in the past 15 years was held in January, and 4.6% was held in February.

The number in the last column for the rows labelled “with exhibition” is the average percentage of international association meetings with an exhibition held in that month over 15 years. Thus: 0.3% of association meetings with a concurrent exhibition held in the past 15 years was held in January, and 0.5% was held in February.

Caveat: It should be remembered that the number of meetings in the database for the current reporting year will, on average, increase by about 11% over the next year, and by about 34% over the following five years.

Month		Type “A” meetings															average
		2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	%
January	meetings	325	302	285	305	353	332	328	330	349	282	329	343	326	428	306	3.3
	with exhibition	30	34	19	30	27	38	31	27	31	32	33	27	27	41	28	0.3
February	meetings	412	461	393	409	397	471	550	492	446	435	389	499	432	519	502	4.6
	with exhibition	29	52	34	47	48	60	66	50	44	41	28	37	40	46	54	0.5
March	meetings	575	740	578	658	698	605	800	712	655	649	592	774	806	791	703	6.9
	with exhibition	43	74	55	78	74	91	103	95	89	72	62	85	96	85	73	0.8
April	meetings	670	824	800	688	715	876	772	797	626	722	881	844	875	924	735	7.9
	with exhibition	47	86	93	80	73	104	101	97	79	90	86	97	111	96	87	0.9
May	meetings	1151	1162	1198	1092	1191	1125	1120	1089	1099	1103	1068	1164	1111	1107	1101	11.3
	with exhibition	101	125	129	131	130	160	154	153	172	127	122	142	126	133	138	1.4
June	meetings	1237	1251	1224	1114	1294	1329	1319	1321	1168	1120	1277	1356	1345	1253	1087	12.5
	with exhibition	150	127	152	136	159	160	163	190	161	126	172	168	165	138	123	1.5
July	meetings	724	738	766	712	739	738	739	699	670	729	753	752	661	732	741	7.3
	with exhibition	74	68	90	88	97	104	86	93	76	104	87	91	73	84	74	0.9

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		2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	%
August	meetings	621	683	636	601	612	590	595	584	551	532	666	665	621	584	537	6.1
	with exhibition	82	76	89	83	102	107	88	96	76	75	118	83	88	73	58	0.9
September	meetings	1484	1428	1412	1350	1277	1284	1243	1325	1261	1334	1430	1450	1366	1279	1129	13.4
	with exhibition	152	159	209	193	179	176	202	221	168	148	188	181	190	177	119	1.8
October	meetings	1292	1177	1092	1224	1204	1314	1403	1304	1140	1331	1310	1380	1390	1219	1140	12.7
	with exhibition	135	133	119	177	163	168	201	199	162	157	167	177	159	161	129	1.6
November	meetings	916	951	1023	1056	1015	1072	1057	1003	902	972	996	1115	1087	1024	994	10.2
	with exhibition	89	88	94	99	99	124	130	116	122	98	114	110	132	105	94	1.1
December	meetings	456	368	392	348	316	416	414	406	341	342	364	501	450	390	386	3.9
	with exhibition	38	24	29	23	26	31	43	45	35	33	33	47	43	32	26	0.3