9.2.5. General overview: Meeting size over 20 years

This table shows the total number of international association meetings of Type A for each category of participant numbers from 2000 to 2019.*

Number of meetings by category of participant numbers at Type A meetings in 2000-2019

Participants	Total meetings 2000-2019	Average meetings per year	% of total meetings 2000-2019	
≤ 100	20,406	1020.3	27.3%	
101 to 500	35,995	1799.8	48.3%	
501 to 1000	9,044	452.2	12.1%	
1001 to 3000	6,188	309.4	8.3%	
3001 to 5000	1,430	71.5	1.9%	
5001 to 7000	516	25.8	0.7%	
> 7000	948	47.4	1.3%	

^{*} The data in this report are drawn from the UIA database, the source of the *International Congress Calendar* and the *Yearbook of International Organizations*.

Caveat: The number of meetings in the database for the year just past will, on average, increase by about 11% over the next year, by about 34% over the following five years, and by about 37% over the following seven years.

Definitions of meetings of Type A, of Type B, and of Type C can be found in "Research methodology" . Only meetings with a known number of **participants** are included in this table.

