Figure 4.2.
Links between international organizations by paragraph
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This table indicates the total number of instances that international organizations of a given type in the Yearbook and in a given paragraph of the descriptive entry cite other organizations in the Yearbook.

See 1.3. “Types of organization” for more information on organization types.

The column headings used in this table are abbreviations of the paragraph headings used in the organizations' description entries. The full paragraph headings are as follows:

FOU = Founded	FIN = Finance	CON = Consultative Status
AIM = Aims	ACT = Activities	IGO = IGO Relations
STR = Structure	PUB = Publications	NGO = NGO Relations
STA = Staff	MEM = Members	

For further information see 10.2 "Contents of organization descriptions".

For example: FROM Type B organizations (row "B"): the IGOs of Type B have a total of 130 citations FROM the "Founded" paragraph (column "FOU"); the NGOs of Type B have 402 citations from the "Structure" paragraph (column "STR"). There are a total of 38 intergovernmental organizations of Type B (column "No of bodies"), with an average of 123,4 citations FROM all paragraphs of each organization (column "Average x-refs").

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.

X-refs from organization type		Number of cross-references from paragraphs: FOU	AIM	STR	STA	FIN	ACT	PUB	MEM	CON	IGO	NGO	Total X-refs FROM	Number of org's	Average X-refs
A	IGO	3	0	151	1	0	68	1	0	0	96	8	328	1	328,0
	NGO	23	0	63	0	6	6	0	838	94	215	435	1680	35	48,0
	Total	26	0	214	1	6	74	1	838	94	311	443	2008	36	55,8
B	IGO	130	0	100	39	0	677	7	48	1052	1718	917	4688	38	123,4
	NGO	283	0	402	3	97	132	4	2051	791	1853	5995	11611	602	19,3
	Total	413	0	502	42	97	809	11	2099	1843	3571	6912	16299	640	25,5
C	IGO	41	0	76	5	16	9	1	34	0	525	352	1059	40	26,5
	NGO	486	0	204	0	157	41	3	2782	644	1696	6119	12132	2635	4,6
	Total	527	0	280	5	173	50	4	2816	644	2221	6471	13191	2675	4,9
D	IGO	240	0	292	9	43	740	4	175	269	2115	1057	4944	218	22,7
	NGO	1478	0	257	2	484	138	5	3148	635	4284	16652	27083	7486	3,6
	Total	1718	0	549	11	527	878	9	3323	904	6399	17709	32027	7704	4,2
E	IGO	1697	0	571	30	402	560	16	1227	3031	6810	4396	18740	1000	18,7
	NGO	2584	0	337	5	819	80	5	6455	381	3597	8567	22830	3726	6,1
	Total	4281	0	908	35	1221	640	21	7682	3412	10407	12963	41570	4726	8,8
F	IGO	1145	0	566	27	197	460	8	909	18	5279	3032	11641	736	15,8
	NGO	1880	0	617	3	1772	119	2	9817	993	5058	16132	36393	5848	6,2
	Total	3025	0	1183	30	1969	579	10	10726	1011	10337	19164	48034	6584	7,3
G	IGO	104	0	5	0	24	8	0	0	0	343	361	845	161	5,2
	NGO	1482	0	224	0	1246	156	1	2427	1176	3133	19276	29121	9978	2,9
	Total	1586	0	229	0	1270	164	1	2427	1176	3476	19637	29966	10139	3,0
H	IGO	1679	0	257	9	106	537	4	324	2	2407	1259	6584	968	6,8
	NGO	2439	0	220	2	118	197	4	1433	386	1804	4500	11103	5718	1,9
	Total	4118	0	477	11	224	734	8	1757	388	4211	5759	17687	6686	2,6
J	IGO	68	0	3	0	12	1	0	74	0	34	7	199	76	2,6
	NGO	458	0	57	0	99	11	0	1235	126	243	1569	3798	2523	1,5
	Total	526	0	60	0	111	12	0	1309	126	277	1576	3997	2599	1,5
K	IGO	163	0	5	0	8	33	1	5	0	155	74	444	107	4,1
	NGO	414	0	26	0	21	14	1	25	1	80	217	799	359	2,2
	Total	577	0	31	0	29	47	2	30	1	235	291	1243	466	2,7
N	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0,0
	NGO	12	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	32	51	3433	0,0
	Total	12	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	32	51	3434	0,0
R	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0,0
	NGO	197	0	42	0	0	49	0	5	20	20	762	1095	910	1,2
	Total	197	0	42	0	0	49	0	5	20	20	762	1095	910	1,2

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X-refs from organization type		FOU	AIM	STR	STA	FIN	ACT	PUB	MEM	CON	IGO	NGO	Total X-refs FROM	Number of org's	Average X-refs
						Number of cross-references from paragraphs:									
S	IGO	35	0	21	0	0	10	1	1	0	64	57	189	92	2,1
	NGO	430	0	58	0	11	5	0	12	0	64	533	1113	3343	0,3
	Total	465	0	79	0	11	15	1	13	0	128	590	1302	3435	0,4
T	IGO	1231	0	9	0	0	51	0	176	0	2484	433	4384	2515	1,7
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0,0
	Total	1231	0	9	0	0	51	0	176	0	2484	433	4384	2515	1,7
U	IGO	2965	0	157	1	162	343	10	281	0	2048	1234	7201	1960	3,7
	NGO	7821	0	433	0	1376	552	16	5434	406	4219	12700	32957	24917	1,3
	Total	10786	0	590	1	1538	895	26	5715	406	6267	13934	40158	26877	1,5
GRAND TOTALS															
	IGO	**9501**	**0**	**2213**	**121**	**970**	**3497**	**53**	**3254**	**4372**	**24078**	**13187**	**61246**	**7913**	**7,7**
	NGO	**19987**	**0**	**2941**	**15**	**6208**	**1500**	**41**	**35662**	**5653**	**26270**	**93489**	**191766**	**71513**	**2,7**
	Total	**29488**	**0**	**5154**	**136**	**7178**	**4997**	**94**	**38916**	**10025**	**50348**	**106676**	**253012**	**79426**	**3,2**

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