

**Figure 7.7.**  
**Languages most commonly used by international non-governmental organizations**  
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The data in this figure are extracted from Figure 7.2.

This figure lists languages in descending order of the number of international non-governmental organizations of Types A to D whose descriptions in Volume 1 of this Yearbook series specify the use, whether officially or informally, of those languages.

See 1.3. "Types of organization" for more information on organization types.

In addition, totals are given at the end of each row by cluster. The organization types allocated to each cluster are as follows:

- Cluster I (International organizations): Types A B C D F
- Cluster II (Dependent organizations): Types E K R
- Cluster III (Organizational substitutes): Types S T
- Cluster IV (National organizations): Types G N
- Cluster V (Dead, inactive and unconfirmed bodies): Types H J U

Language	CLUSTER						TOTAL A-U	Language	CLUSTER						TOTAL A-U
	A-D	I	II	III	IV	V			A-D	I	II	III	IV	V	
English	5519	7549	1657	9	541	1798	11554	Turkish	11	23	5	0	8	3	39
French +	1983	2778	685	2	188	968	4621	Hindi +	10	28	16	0	12	5	61
Spanish +	1005	1475	321	0	115	438	2349	Icelandic	9	11	2	0	1	3	17
German +	912	1177	253	2	90	354	1876	Afrikaans	8	12	1	0	0	0	13
Portuguese +	304	450	93	0	27	101	671	Mand. Chinese +	8	15	2	0	1	0	18
Italian +	251	381	133	0	32	92	638	Romanian +	8	18	4	0	3	5	30
Russian	188	268	65	0	27	57	417	Slovakian +	8	13	5	0	2	0	20
Arabic +	185	262	66	0	28	84	440	Bulgarian	7	13	5	0	2	1	21
Dutch +	123	189	53	1	47	69	359	Hungarian	7	17	10	0	5	3	35
Swedish	86	110	21	0	6	81	218	Thai +	7	18	2	0	1	1	22
Danish	68	87	12	0	3	52	154	Latin	6	7	5	0	0	3	15
Norwegian	65	79	10	0	0	47	136	Indonesian	5	10	7	0	4	2	23
Chinese +	56	103	28	0	22	12	165	Vietnamese	5	9	2	0	2	1	14
Japanese	51	77	19	1	15	15	127	Slovak	4	7	2	0	1	0	10
Scand./Nordic +	51	63	9	0	0	41	113	Slovenian +	4	9	7	0	0	0	16
Scandinavian	40	47	6	0	0	31	84	Ukrainian	4	7	6	0	0	2	15
Finnish	33	44	7	0	4	25	80	Yiddish	4	4	0	0	1	5	10
Polish	27	42	21	0	5	6	74	Estonian	3	7	2	0	1	1	11
Greek +	26	48	16	0	5	12	81	Lithuanian	3	6	1	0	1	1	9
Esperanto +	20	35	16	0	2	23	76	Faeroese +	2	2	0	0	0	0	2
Hebrew	20	30	9	0	8	10	57	Irish +	2	3	1	0	0	1	5
Korean	14	29	6	0	8	0	43	Urdu +	2	6	3	0	4	1	14
Czech	12	22	5	0	2	2	31	Latvian	1	6	1	0	2	1	10
Nordic	11	16	3	0	0	10	29								