

Figure 3.21.
Cities in which international organization headquarters are located, ranked by continent
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This table lists cities, within continental groupings, in descending order of the number of international organizations (both intergovernmental and non-governmental) of Types A to D in this edition of the Yearbook series with a principal secretariat located in that city. Only cities with at least 10 principal secretariats of international organizations classified as Types A to D are included here. See 1.2. "Geographical names" for further information on country names and continental groupings.

Only principal secretariats are counted.

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

For a detailed analysis per city and per organization type, see Figure 3.17.

CITY	TYPES OF ORGANIZATION					Total A-U	
	A-D	I	II	III	IV		V
AFRICA							
Cairo, Egypt	54	66	33	0	21	87	207
Nairobi, Kenya	54	115	70	7	38	118	348
Accra, Ghana	25	52	21	1	23	31	128
Dakar, Senegal	21	43	20	0	16	69	148
Johannesburg, South Africa	20	33	3	0	22	21	79
Abuja, Nigeria	15	20	2	0	3	7	32
Pretoria, South Africa	15	19	12	0	16	13	60
Tunis, Tunisia	15	19	13	0	13	38	83
Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire	14	23	8	2	7	26	66
Cape Town, South Africa	11	19	5	0	19	11	54
Kampala, Uganda	11	28	12	0	14	17	71
Yaounde, Cameroon	11	17	10	0	10	40	77
Gaborone, Botswana	10	13	7	0	1	8	29
AMERICAS							
Buenos Aires, Argentina	90	127	24	1	24	99	275
Washington DC, USA	64	216	111	94	483	278	1182
New York NY, USA	56	192	136	15	390	336	1069
Mexico City, Mexico	55	74	27	2	27	55	185
Montevideo, Uruguay	40	58	21	0	5	29	113
Montreal, Canada	38	54	35	33	64	59	245
Santiago, Chile	33	46	25	0	13	41	125
Lima, Peru	32	50	15	1	14	43	123
Sao Paulo, Brazil	30	40	9	0	18	23	90
Ottawa, Canada	26	51	15	2	47	26	141
Bogota, Colombia	25	34	21	0	8	31	94
Toronto, Canada	23	35	18	0	67	36	156
Kingston, Jamaica	19	27	8	4	5	12	56
San Jose, Costa Rica	19	35	20	0	16	50	121
Panama, Panama	18	27	9	0	3	9	48
Chicago IL, USA	17	27	9	0	74	60	170
Philadelphia PA, USA	17	22	6	1	38	32	99
Caracas, Venezuela	16	26	15	2	8	53	104
Houston TX, USA	16	25	1	1	25	29	81
Los Angeles CA, USA	16	32	10	1	50	33	126
Guatemala, Guatemala	15	20	8	1	13	17	59
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	15	25	8	1	9	27	70
Milwaukee WI, USA	14	18	7	0	10	4	39
Alexandria VA, USA	13	19	3	1	62	19	104
Quito, Ecuador	12	22	5	4	5	27	63
St Michael, Barbados	12	20	6	0	0	14	40
Boston MA, USA	11	21	4	1	38	19	83
Atlanta GA, USA	10	17	4	0	30	16	67
Baltimore MD, USA	10	15	9	0	26	12	62
Port-of-Spain, Trinidad-Tobago	10	16	3	1	0	9	29
San Francisco CA, USA	10	25	2	0	78	51	156

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	A-D	I	II	III			
ASIA							
Singapore, Singapore	84	110	33	2	43	38	226
Tokyo, Japan	72	105	19	1	145	129	399
Seoul, Korea Rep	67	84	18	6	38	63	209
Bangkok, Thailand	36	86	41	4	25	55	211
Beijing, China	34	42	22	1	40	34	139
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	33	46	25	4	10	20	105
Taipei, Taiwan	23	31	8	0	12	21	72
Beirut, Lebanon	21	31	10	0	14	22	77
New Delhi, India	21	49	16	2	58	69	194
Hong Kong, Hong Kong	20	27	7	0	4	15	53
Amman, Jordan	19	31	15	0	10	23	79
Jerusalem, Israel	18	30	8	3	25	25	91
Manila, Philippines	18	28	11	4	9	46	98
Quezon City, Philippines	17	38	18	0	13	27	96
Dubai, United Arab Emirates	15	16	6	0	2	4	28
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia	14	18	15	1	3	11	48
Kowloon, Hong Kong	13	16	5	0	11	19	51
Teheran, Iran Islamic Rep	12	16	9	0	11	9	45
Jakarta, Indonesia	11	22	50	15	7	62	156
Shanghai, China	11	15	1	0	3	4	23
AUSTRALASIA / OCEANIA							
Sydney, Australia	21	33	6	2	51	21	113
Suva, Fiji	17	30	14	0	8	14	66
Auckland, New Zealand	15	22	5	0	18	10	55
Melbourne, Australia	14	22	7	1	35	20	85
EUROPE							
Brussels, Belgium	807	1250	524	42	238	809	2863
Paris, France	285	459	223	50	313	535	1580
London, UK	276	521	143	83	424	316	1487
Vienna, Austria	132	191	85	33	85	84	478
Geneva, Switzerland	120	258	190	205	89	105	847
Madrid, Spain	77	104	44	0	81	95	324
Stockholm, Sweden	77	113	31	4	52	41	241
Rome, Italy	71	149	352	24	92	150	767
Amsterdam, Netherlands	66	124	19	0	67	55	265
Moscow, Russia	59	70	19	2	58	145	294
Zurich, Switzerland	58	76	16	0	27	20	139
Berlin, Germany	57	107	37	2	83	64	293
Copenhagen, Denmark	52	94	45	5	44	57	245
Oslo, Norway	49	68	31	2	42	46	189
Lausanne, Switzerland	48	59	14	0	11	13	97
Frankfurt-Main, Germany	45	60	12	3	16	25	116
The Hague, Netherlands	42	84	22	40	47	29	222
Helsinki, Finland	39	57	23	8	40	39	167
Munich, Germany	37	50	17	0	27	24	118
Leuven, Belgium	36	49	10	1	15	21	96
Milan, Italy	36	52	17	1	35	38	143
Athens, Greece	35	47	23	8	32	37	147
Barcelona, Spain	33	57	25	0	45	28	155
Basel, Switzerland	33	46	12	1	13	10	82
Budapest, Hungary	33	43	23	1	18	37	122
Utrecht, Netherlands	32	46	11	0	20	22	99
Dublin, Ireland	30	38	18	0	25	23	104
Bonn, Germany	29	42	28	24	47	31	172
Berne, Switzerland	25	36	14	0	18	16	84
Rotterdam, Netherlands	25	30	6	0	8	17	61
Lisbon, Portugal	21	25	7	2	29	29	92
Strasbourg, France	21	53	56	214	19	34	376
Dusseldorf, Germany	20	24	4	0	6	15	49
Gothenburg, Sweden	20	25	5	0	10	10	50
Luxembourg, Luxembourg	20	42	12	3	18	16	91
Antwerp, Belgium	19	25	3	3	20	39	90
Leiden, Netherlands	19	32	13	0	20	7	72
Prague, Czech Rep	19	28	5	1	23	29	86
Cologne, Germany	18	23	7	3	19	12	64
Florence, Italy	16	25	12	0	4	11	52
Hamburg, Germany	15	26	8	0	38	21	93
Istanbul, Turkey	15	23	7	5	14	11	60
Lyon, France	15	28	15	1	25	24	93
Ankara, Turkey	14	16	7	1	8	11	43
Zagreb, Croatia	14	19	10	0	6	12	47
Edinburgh, UK	13	23	8	1	25	12	69
Hannover, Germany	13	18	5	0	5	7	35
Liege, Belgium	13	20	3	1	5	38	67
Sofia, Bulgaria	13	15	8	0	13	23	59
Aarhus, Denmark	12	17	0	2	2	11	32

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	A-D										
Birmingham, UK	12				19	5	0	16	12		52
Cambridge, UK	12				20	17	1	30	13		81
Bristol, UK	11				14	4	0	11	6		35
Delft, Netherlands	11				15	8	0	5	2		30
Graz, Austria	11				13	4	0	5	4		26
Ljubljana, Slovenia	11				18	10	0	8	6		42
Marseille, France	11				19	8	0	20	20		67
Montpellier, France	11				15	7	1	10	16		49
Sheffield, UK	11				14	3	0	2	5		24
Thessaloniki, Greece	11				20	4	0	7	7		38
Uppsala, Sweden	11				20	9	1	6	6		42
Warsaw, Poland	11				22	11	1	22	36		92
Bergen, Norway	10				16	4	1	13	5		39
Nijmegen, Netherlands	10				15	2	0	5	3		25
Riga, Latvia	10				17	3	0	12	5		37
Tallinn, Estonia	10				14	1	0	8	6		29
Turin, Italy	10				15	11	0	15	15		56