

**Figure 4.3.**  
**Links between international organizations by frequency**  
*Edition 52, 2015/2016 (data collected in 2014)*

This table ranks organizations according to the number of other bodies they cite. Organizations have been divided into categories ranging from those which cite over 100 other organizations to those which cite no other organization. They are counted by type.

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

For example:

- Of the 38 non-governmental organizations ("NGO") classified as Type A, 5 cite over 99 other organizations.
- Of the 199 intergovernmental organizations ("IGO") classified as Type D, 42 cite between 10 and 19 other organizations.
- In total, there are 68,029 organizations, of which 102 cite over 99 other organizations, while 26,857 cite no other organization.

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.

Type of organization	Number of citations														Total organizations
	Over 99	90-99	80-89	70-79	60-69	50-59	40-49	30-39	20-29	10-19	5-9	1-4	0		
A. IGO	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
NGO	5	1	1	2	1	5	7	7	5	3	0	1	0	38	
Total	6	1	1	2	1	5	7	7	5	3	0	1	0	39	
B. IGO	15	0	1	1	0	2	2	3	6	4	1	2	0	37	
NGO	6	6	5	8	10	7	35	42	78	153	93	75	14	532	
Total	21	6	6	9	10	9	37	45	84	157	94	77	14	569	
C. IGO	2	1	0	0	3	1	1	5	4	11	6	1	1	36	
NGO	1	2	0	1	1	2	7	15	57	201	313	650	310	1560	
Total	3	3	0	1	4	3	8	20	61	212	319	651	311	1596	
D. IGO	6	1	1	3	2	5	8	14	18	42	31	61	7	199	
NGO	4	1	1	4	3	7	14	39	90	417	907	3813	1546	6846	
Total	10	2	2	7	5	12	22	53	108	459	938	3874	1553	7045	
E. IGO	19	1	3	7	12	16	16	41	103	222	222	253	5	920	
NGO	7	4	0	9	7	13	21	46	106	332	573	1585	486	3189	
Total	26	5	3	16	19	29	37	87	209	554	795	1838	491	4109	
F. IGO	15	5	5	9	10	12	21	36	54	135	160	203	48	713	
NGO	11	7	4	15	12	21	44	75	186	548	861	2170	909	4863	
Total	26	12	9	24	22	33	65	111	240	683	1021	2373	957	5576	
G. IGO	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	6	15	22	89	15	152	
NGO	5	0	2	3	1	8	21	38	83	376	884	5827	759	8007	
Total	5	0	2	3	1	9	24	39	89	391	906	5916	774	8159	
H. IGO	2	2	1	0	2	3	6	13	31	73	134	416	129	812	
NGO	0	1	1	0	6	1	10	4	30	115	296	2027	2428	4919	
Total	2	3	2	0	8	4	16	17	61	188	430	2443	2557	5731	
J. IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	7	50	1	61	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	6	22	49	589	213	884	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	7	24	56	639	214	945	
K. IGO	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	8	30	62	216	0	324	
NGO	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	23	107	799	0	936	
Total	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	6	12	53	169	1015	0	1260	
N. IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	36	3363	3400	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	36	3364	3401	
R. IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	43	335	521	906	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	43	335	521	906	
S. IGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	102	28	138	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	161	506	673	
Total	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	263	534	811	
T. IGO	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	12	27	122	1481	763	2412	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	12	27	122	1481	763	2412	

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U. IGO	1	1	0	0	1	3	4	16	23	117	254	1217	314	1951
NGO	1	1	0	0	4	2	9	25	55	315	838	7779	14490	23519
Total	2	2	0	0	5	5	13	41	78	432	1092	8996	14804	25470
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>														
IGO	61	11	11	21	32	45	63	138	266	679	1027	4091	1312	7757
NGO	41	23	14	43	45	66	169	298	702	2511	4968	25847	25545	60272
Total	102	34	25	64	77	111	232	436	968	3190	5995	29938	26857	68029