

Figure 7.9.
Number of languages used by international organizations
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This table gives the number of international organizations whose descriptions in Volume 1 of this Yearbook series specify the number of languages used, whether officially or informally. If no language is specified in the organization's description, then that organization is not included in this table.

At the beginning of the table is given the total number of organizations included in this table. This number may differ from that of the 7.2. due to intervening editorial work.

For each number, the first line indicates the number of intergovernmental organizations specifying the use of that many languages; the second line indicates the number of non-governmental organizations; the third line indicates the total number of organizations.

This table takes no account of language groups as described in 7.1. Index to languages.

The organizations are totalled by type, indicated by the letter code at the head of each column. See 1.3. Types of organization for more information on types and clusters.

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	TYPES OF ORGANIZATION																TOTAL BY CLUSTER				TOTAL
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	I	II	III	IV	V	A-U
<i>Number of organizations</i>	IGO	1	36	31	156	521	371	15	175	3	75	0	2	0	155	595	596	2	15	333	1541
	NGO	37	497	1175	4350	1576	2258	528	1273	74	196	117	56	9	723	8317	1828	9	645	2070	12869
	Total	38	533	1206	4506	2097	2629	543	1448	77	271	117	56	11	878	8912	2424	11	660	2403	14410
35	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
28	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
27	IGO	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	4
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	5
26	IGO	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	6
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	7
25	IGO	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	3
	NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	4
24	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
23	IGO	0	0	0	2	10	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	0	20
	NGO	0	0	0	3	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	2	0	0	4	11
	Total	0	0	0	5	12	10	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	15	12	0	0	4	31
22	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
21	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	5
	Total	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	5
20	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
19	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
	Total	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
18	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	Total	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
17	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
	NGO	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
	Total	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	3
16	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3
	Total	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	3

LANGUAGE		TYPES OF ORGANIZATION														TOTAL BY CLUSTER				TOTAL A-U						
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	N	R	S	T	U	I	II	III		IV	V				
15	IGO	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
	NGO	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
	Total	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	4
14	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	NGO	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
	Total	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
13	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	NGO	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
	Total	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
12	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
	NGO	0	0	1	2	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
	Total	0	0	1	2	3	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	14
11	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	NGO	0	0	1	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	12
	Total	0	0	1	2	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	12
10	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	NGO	0	1	1	4	5	5	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	11	6	0	2	2	0	2	2	2	21
	Total	0	1	1	4	5	6	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	12	6	0	2	3	0	2	3	3	23
9	IGO	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	0	6
	NGO	0	0	1	7	3	10	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	18	4	0	2	1	0	2	1	0	25
	Total	0	0	1	7	3	12	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	20	5	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	31
8	IGO	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	7
	NGO	2	4	3	11	6	20	2	5	0	1	0	3	0	0	40	10	0	2	5	0	2	5	0	57	
	Total	2	4	3	11	10	22	2	6	0	1	0	3	0	0	42	14	0	2	6	0	2	6	0	64	
7	IGO	0	2	0	1	3	4	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	7	5	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	17
	NGO	2	11	5	56	24	28	3	28	1	1	0	3	0	0	2	102	28	0	3	31	0	3	31	0	164
	Total	2	13	5	57	27	32	3	31	2	3	0	3	0	0	3	109	33	0	3	36	0	3	36	0	181
6	IGO	1	10	1	4	48	26	0	9	0	6	0	0	0	0	13	42	54	0	0	22	0	0	22	0	118
	NGO	0	10	17	49	36	51	8	38	1	1	2	4	0	0	13	127	41	0	10	52	0	10	52	0	230
	Total	1	20	18	53	84	77	8	47	1	7	2	4	0	0	26	169	95	0	10	74	0	10	74	0	348
5	IGO	0	4	3	2	17	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	17	17	0	1	10	0	1	10	0	45	
	NGO	1	24	49	97	51	77	19	48	2	6	4	4	0	0	26	248	61	0	23	76	0	23	76	0	408
	Total	1	28	52	99	68	85	20	50	2	6	4	4	0	0	34	265	78	0	24	86	0	24	86	0	453
4	IGO	0	5	3	18	42	33	1	19	0	11	0	0	0	15	59	53	0	1	34	0	1	34	0	147	
	NGO	3	70	77	199	84	117	57	96	1	7	7	7	1	0	53	466	98	1	64	150	0	64	150	0	779
	Total	3	75	80	217	126	150	58	115	1	18	7	7	1	0	68	525	151	1	65	184	0	65	184	0	926
3	IGO	0	5	8	27	104	59	4	29	1	12	0	0	0	36	99	116	0	4	66	0	4	66	0	285	
	NGO	6	95	128	556	191	315	82	213	9	34	13	9	0	156	1100	234	0	95	378	0	95	378	0	1807	
	Total	6	100	136	583	295	374	86	242	10	46	13	9	0	192	1199	350	0	99	444	0	99	444	0	2092	
2	IGO	0	6	6	40	126	98	3	53	1	24	0	0	0	33	150	150	0	3	87	0	3	87	0	390	
	NGO	14	77	163	805	347	437	137	305	16	33	18	11	3	0	165	1496	391	3	155	486	0	3	155	0	2531
	Total	14	83	169	845	473	535	140	358	17	57	18	11	3	0	198	1646	541	3	158	573	0	3	158	0	2921
1	IGO	0	4	10	62	157	126	5	56	0	18	0	0	2	41	202	175	2	5	97	0	5	97	0	481	
	NGO	9	204	726	2551	816	1178	215	535	44	112	72	11	5	0	303	4668	939	5	287	882	0	5	287	0	6781
	Total	9	208	736	2613	973	1304	220	591	44	130	72	11	7	0	344	4870	1114	7	292	979	0	7	292	0	7262