

Figure 4.3.
Links between international organizations by frequency
Edition 53, 2016/2017 (data collected in 2015)

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 201 intergovernmental organizations ("IGO") classified as Type D, 42 cite between 10 and 19 other organizations.
- In total, there are 68,576 organizations, of which 101 cite over 99 other organizations, while 27,324 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	0	2	1	2	3	8	6	6	4	0	1	0	38	
Total	6	0	2	1	2	3	8	6	6	4	0	1	0	39	
B. IGO	15	0	1	1	1	1	2	3	6	4	1	2	0	37	
NGO	6	7	3	9	7	10	35	43	79	159	89	80	13	540	
Total	21	7	4	10	8	11	37	46	85	163	90	82	13	577	
C. IGO	2	1	0	0	3	1	1	5	4	12	5	1	1	36	
NGO	1	2	0	1	1	2	7	14	54	211	304	683	336	1616	
Total	3	3	0	1	4	3	8	19	58	223	309	684	337	1652	
D. IGO	6	0	2	3	1	7	8	14	18	42	32	62	6	201	
NGO	4	1	1	3	4	6	10	42	101	418	911	3784	1529	6814	
Total	10	1	3	6	5	13	18	56	119	460	943	3846	1535	7015	
E. IGO	18	1	3	6	13	16	19	42	92	229	222	243	3	907	
NGO	7	3	2	7	7	15	24	46	113	329	573	1627	491	3244	
Total	25	4	5	13	20	31	43	88	205	558	795	1870	494	4151	
F. IGO	13	6	4	8	11	13	19	34	61	130	155	204	47	705	
NGO	12	5	4	13	15	20	46	76	180	572	862	2175	903	4883	
Total	25	11	8	21	26	33	65	110	241	702	1017	2379	950	5588	
G. IGO	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	5	15	21	94	14	155	
NGO	4	1	1	3	0	9	21	32	85	384	879	5950	876	8245	
Total	4	1	1	3	1	9	24	34	90	399	900	6044	890	8400	
H. IGO	3	2	1	0	2	4	7	13	32	82	141	425	130	842	
NGO	0	1	1	0	7	1	10	4	31	119	302	2117	2527	5120	
Total	3	3	2	0	9	5	17	17	63	201	443	2542	2657	5962	
J. IGO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	49	5	62	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	5	32	50	686	329	1108	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3	5	33	56	735	334	1170	
K. IGO	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4	5	20	51	184	0	266	
NGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	16	97	669	0	788	
Total	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	5	9	36	148	853	0	1054	
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	42	3332	3375	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	42	3333	3376	
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	3	45	333	523	907	
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	45	333	523	907	
S. IGO	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	53	28	88	
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	9	214	534	761	
T. IGO	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	7	31	122	1488	777	2432	
NGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	4	7	31	122	1488	777	2432	

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U. IGO	1	1	0	0	1	3	4	16	22	114	247	1201	314	1924
NGO	3	1	0	0	4	2	8	26	54	323	863	7651	14633	23568
Total	4	2	0	0	5	5	12	42	76	437	1110	8852	14947	25492
GRAND TOTALS														
IGO	59	11	11	19	35	48	64	137	252	681	1008	4006	1326	7657
NGO	42	21	14	38	47	68	172	295	714	2572	4979	25959	25998	60919
Total	101	32	25	57	82	116	236	432	966	3253	5987	29965	27324	68576