

Section 2: Table 9.2.2.(a) Current year Ratio of association secretariats to meetings in 2015

This table uses the data on international association meetings of type A presented in Table 9.1.1. and also the data on international association secretariats documented in the database of the *Yearbook of International Organizations*.

Countries are listed in alphabetical order. For ranking, see Table 9.2.2.(b). Only countries with at least 1 international association meeting in 2015, as detailed in Table 9.1.1., are included here.

The first column gives the total number of meetings of type A held in 2015 in the country specified. The second column gives the total number of international associations with a principal secretariat in that country. The third column gives the ratio of meetings to association secretariats, where meetings has the value of "1".

For example: for 1.5 international associations with a principal secretariat in Albania there was 1 international association meeting in 2015 in Albania; for 30.0 international associations with a principal secretariat in Burkina Faso there was 1 international association meeting in 2015 in Burkina Faso.

The international associations included here are classified in the *Yearbook of International Organizations* under these types:

- A= federations of international organizations
- B= universal membership organizations
- C= intercontinental membership organizations
- D= limited or regionally defined membership organizations
- E= organizations emanating from places, persons or other bodies
- F= organizations having a special form, including foundations, funds
- G= internationally-oriented national organizations
- K= subsidiary and internal bodies
- N= national organizations
- R= religious orders, fraternities and secular institutes

Meetings counted under the heading "A" are "Meetings of international organizations" and meet all the following criteria:

- meetings organized or sponsored by "international organizations", i.e. international non-governmental organizations (INGOs) and intergovernmental organizations (IGOs) that are included in the UIA's *Yearbook of International Organizations* (see the Introduction "What is an 'international organization'") and whose details are subject to systematic collection and updates on an annual basis by the UIA
- with at least 50 participants, or number of participants unknown

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Country	meetings	asn secs	ratio mtgs=1: secs	Country	meetings	asn secs	ratio mtgs=1: secs
Albania	2	3	1.5	Burkina Faso	1	30	30.0
Algeria	4	24	6.0	Cambodia	14	9	0.6
Angola	1	2	2.0	Cameroon	3	52	17.3
Argentina	48	200	4.2	Canada	262	797	3.0
Armenia	5	7	1.4	Cape Verde	1	2	2.0
Aruba	1	2	2.0	Chile	31	102	3.3
Australia	226	672	3.0	China	135	163	1.2
Austria	338	485	1.4	Colombia	47	98	2.1
Azerbaijan	7	9	1.3	Congo Brazzaville	4	11	2.8
Bahamas	5	2	0.4	Congo DR	3	14	4.7
Bahrain	6	25	4.2	Costa Rica	12	92	7.7
Bangladesh	10	33	3.3	Côte d'Ivoire	6	39	6.5
Barbados	8	47	5.9	Croatia	54	47	0.9
Belarus	2	9	4.5	Cuba	6	32	5.3
Belgium	726	2528	3.5	Curaçao	2	3	1.5
Belize	2	3	1.5	Cyprus	19	26	1.4
Benin	6	26	4.3	Czech Rep	89	82	0.9
Bermuda	2	4	2.0	Denmark	139	338	2.4
Bolivia	8	26	3.3	Djibouti	1	2	2.0
Bosnia-Herzegovina	8	12	1.5	Dominican Rep	14	18	1.3
Brazil	104	182	1.8	Ecuador	19	47	2.5
Brunei Darussalam	6	4	0.7	Egypt	28	165	5.9
Bulgaria	29	51	1.8	El Salvador	1	26	26.0

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Eritrea	1	0	0.0	New Caledonia	1	10	10.0
Estonia	24	35	1.5	New Zealand	33	106	3.2
Ethiopia	18	47	2.6	Nicaragua	3	20	6.7
Faeroe Is	1	2	2.0	Niger	3	10	3.3
Fiji	9	51	5.7	Nigeria	10	127	12.7
Finland	137	209	1.5	Niue	2	0	0.0
France	489	2196	4.5	Norway	143	272	1.9
Gabon	2	14	7.0	Oman	5	5	1.0
Gambia	3	5	1.7	Pakistan	5	61	12.2
Georgia	6	13	2.2	Palau	3	1	0.3
Germany	437	1566	3.6	Palestine	1	1	1.0
Ghana	16	98	6.1	Panama	21	41	2.0
Gibraltar	1	1	1.0	Papua New Guinea	4	5	1.3
Greece	79	176	2.2	Paraguay	7	15	2.1
Grenada	1	1	1.0	Peru	27	88	3.3
Guadeloupe	2	2	1.0	Philippines	48	178	3.7
Guatemala	7	44	6.3	Poland	117	115	1.0
Guyana	2	18	9.0	Portugal	195	113	0.6
Haiti	1	1	1.0	Puerto Rico	16	27	1.7
Honduras	1	20	20.0	Qatar	18	15	0.8
Hong Kong	49	125	2.6	Romania	41	54	1.3
Hungary	68	105	1.5	Russia	52	184	3.5
Iceland	19	35	1.8	Rwanda	6	12	2.0
India	86	355	4.1	Samoa	3	11	3.7
Indonesia	71	82	1.2	San Marino	2	4	2.0
Iran Islamic Rep	15	39	2.6	Sao Tomé-Principe	1	1	1.0
Ireland	55	115	2.1	Saudi Arabia	7	68	9.7
Israel	24	122	5.1	Senegal	6	92	15.3
Italy	383	1189	3.1	Serbia	18	30	1.7
Jamaica	5	39	7.8	Seychelles	1	3	3.0
Japan	431	501	1.2	Singapore	643	189	0.3
Jordan	19	59	3.1	Slovakia	16	38	2.4
Kazakhstan	6	18	3.0	Slovenia	28	52	1.9
Kenya	28	251	9.0	South Africa	106	349	3.3
Korea Rep	780	219	0.3	Spain	411	594	1.4
Kosovo	2	3	1.5	Sri Lanka	8	39	4.9
Kuwait	5	25	5.0	St Kitts-Nevis	3	2	0.7
Kyrgyzstan	1	7	7.0	Sudan	2	13	6.5
Laos	1	4	4.0	Suriname	5	0	0.0
Latvia	30	33	1.1	Swaziland	1	7	7.0
Lebanon	5	69	13.8	Sweden	118	424	3.6
Lesotho	1	1	1.0	Switzerland	252	1156	4.6
Lithuania	14	29	2.1	Taiwan	43	66	1.5
Luxembourg	44	99	2.3	Tajikistan	2	1	0.5
Macau	7	10	1.4	Tanzania UR	12	52	4.3
Macedonia	5	13	2.6	Thailand	285	191	0.7
Madagascar	1	3	3.0	Togo	1	25	25.0
Malawi	1	12	12.0	Tonga	2	1	0.5
Malaysia	195	165	0.8	Trinidad-Tobago	6	65	10.8
Maldives	2	0	0.0	Tunisia	13	57	4.4
Malta	27	38	1.4	Turkey	137	86	0.6
Marshall Is	2	0	0.0	Turks-Caicos	1	0	0.0
Martinique	1	4	4.0	Uganda	7	73	10.4
Mauritius	11	14	1.3	UK	344	2750	8.0
Mexico	85	174	2.0	Ukraine	5	37	7.4
Micronesia FS	1	3	3.0	United Arab Emirates	121	45	0.4
Moldova	3	12	4.0	Uruguay	16	88	5.5
Monaco	11	30	2.7	USA	880	6628	7.5
Mongolia	8	5	0.6	Uzbekistan	1	13	13.0
Montenegro	1	2	2.0	Vanuatu	1	3	3.0
Morocco	32	41	1.3	Venezuela	5	53	10.6
Mozambique	8	6	0.8	Vietnam	26	21	0.8
Myanmar	10	1	0.1	Virgin Is UK	1	1	1.0
Namibia	4	14	3.5	Virgin Is USA	1	1	1.0
Nepal	6	37	6.2	Zambia	2	17	8.5
Netherlands	288	1052	3.7	Zimbabwe	10	40	4.0

Section 2: Table 9.2.2.(b) Current year Top countries by ratio of association secretariats to meetings in 2015

The introduction to Table 9.2.2.(a) applies equally to this table.

For an alphabetical listing see Table 9.2.2.(a). Only countries with fewer than 4 international associations with a principal secretariat to 1 international association meeting in 2015, as detailed in Table 9.1.1., are included here.

For example: there are no international associations with a principal secretariat in Eritrea while there was 1 international association meeting in 2015 in Eritrea; for 1.4 international associations with a principal secretariat in Austria there was 1 international association meeting in 2015 in Austria.

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Marshall Is	2	0	0.0	Estonia	24	35	1.5
Niue	2	0	0.0	Albania	2	3	1.5
Suriname	5	0	0.0	Belize	2	3	1.5
Turks-Caicos	1	0	0.0	Bosnia-Herzegovina	8	12	1.5
Myanmar	10	1	0.1	Curaçao	2	3	1.5
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Bahamas	5	2	0.4	Gambia	3	5	1.7
Tajikistan	2	1	0.5	Serbia	18	30	1.7
Tonga	2	1	0.5	Puerto Rico	16	27	1.7
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Czech Rep	89	82	0.9	Montenegro	1	2	2.0
Poland	117	115	1.0	Rwanda	6	12	2.0
Gibraltar	1	1	1.0	San Marino	2	4	2.0
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Lesotho	1	1	1.0	Ireland	55	115	2.1
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