

## Executive Committee's membership by year of admission

### UNHCR Advisory Committee established in 1951

The following fifteen members

Australia	France	Switzerland
Austria	Germany	Turkey
Belgium	Holy See	United Kingdom
Brazil	Israel	United States
Denmark	Italy	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of*

### The UNREF Executive Committee established in 1955

The same fifteen members as the Advisory Committee, plus:

Colombia	the Netherlands	<b>as of 1957</b>
Greece	Norway	Canada
Iran, Islamic Republic of		

### Executive Committee of the High Commissioner's Programme, 1958

The same twenty-one members as the UNREF Executive Committee, plus:

China	<b>as of 1996</b>	<b>as of 2008</b>
Sweden	Ireland	Benin
Tunisia		Luxembourg
Yugoslavia, Socialist Federal Republic of**	<b>as of 1997</b>	Montenegro
	Poland	the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
	South Africa	
<b>as of 1963</b>		<b>as of 2009</b>
Algeria		Djibouti
Lebanon	<b>as of 1999</b>	Republic of Moldova
Madagascar	Mozambique	
Nigeria		<b>as of 2010</b>
United Republic of Tanzania	<b>as of 2000</b>	Slovenia
	Chile	
<b>as of 1967</b>	Côte d'Ivoire	<b>as of 2011</b>
Uganda	Republic of Korea	Bulgaria
		Cameroon
<b>as of 1979</b>	<b>as of 2001</b>	Congo
Argentina	Mexico	Croatia
Finland		Togo
Japan	<b>as of 2002</b>	Turkmenistan
Lesotho	Ecuador	
Morocco	Guinea	<b>as of 2012</b>
Nicaragua	New Zealand	Azerbaijan
Sudan	Serbia**	Rwanda
Thailand		
Democratic Republic of the Congo***	<b>as of 2003</b>	<b>as of 2014</b>
	Cyprus	Afghanistan
<b>as of 1982</b>	Kenya	Belarus
Namibia	Yemen	Czech Republic
		Latvia
<b>as of 1988</b>	<b>as of 2004</b>	Peru
Pakistan	Egypt	Senegal
Somalia	Zambia	
		<b>as of 2015</b>
<b>as of 1991</b>	<b>as of 2005</b>	Armenia
Philippines	Ghana	Chad
	Romania	Georgia
<b>as of 1993</b>		Uruguay
Ethiopia	<b>as of 2006</b>	
Hungary	Jordan	<b>As of 2017</b>
	Portugal	Fiji
<b>as of 1994</b>		Lithuania
Spain	<b>as of 2007</b>	Paraguay
	Estonia	
<b>as of 1995</b>	Costa Rica	<b>Total = 101</b>
Bangladesh		
India		
Russian Federation		

\* On 17 November 2004, the United Nations was informed that the short name of Venezuela had been changed to Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)

\*\* In 2002, following the dissolution of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (after the secession of Croatia, Slovenia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Bosnia and Herzegovina), the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Montenegro and Serbia) was admitted as a new member. On 4 February 2003, the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia informed the United Nations that it had changed its name to Serbia and Montenegro. On 3 June 2006, following the Declaration of Independence adopted by the Republic of Montenegro, the Republic of Serbia (Serbia) informed the United Nations that it would continue the United Nations membership previously held by Serbia and Montenegro.

\*\*\* On 20 May 1997, the Republic of Zaïre was renamed the Democratic Republic of the Congo.