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**World crime trends and responses: integration and
coordination of efforts by the United Nations Office on
Drugs and Crime and by Member States in the field of
crime prevention and criminal justice**

Status of ratification of the United Nations crime conventions as at 29 March 2007

A. Summary of signatures and ratifications

<i>International instrument</i>	<i>Signatures</i>	<i>Ratifications</i>	<i>Entry into force</i>
United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime	147	132	29 Sept. 2003
Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children	117	111	25 Dec. 2003
Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air	112	105	28 Jan. 2004
Protocol against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Their Parts and Components and Ammunition	52	62	3 July 2005
United Nations Convention against Corruption	140	91	14 Dec. 2005

Source: United Nations Treaty Collection (<http://untreaty.un.org>).

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B. Status of ratification of the United Nations crime conventions, by regional group and party

<i>Party</i>	<i>Organized Crime Convention</i>	<i>Trafficking in Persons Protocol</i>	<i>Migrants Protocol</i>	<i>Firearms Protocol</i>	<i>Convention against Corruption</i>
Group of African States					
Algeria	7 Oct. 2002	9 Mar. 2004	9 Mar. 2004	25 Aug. 2004 ^a	25 Aug. 2004
Angola	-	-	-	-	29 Aug. 2006
Benin	30 Aug. 2004	30 Aug. 2004	30 Aug. 2004	30 Aug. 2004	14 Oct. 2004
Botswana	29 Aug. 2002	29 Aug. 2002	29 Aug. 2002	-	-
Burkina Faso	15 May 2002	15 May 2002	15 May 2002	15 May 2002	10 Oct. 2006
Burundi	-	-	-	-	10 Mar. 2006 ^a
Cameroon	6 Feb. 2006	6 Feb. 2006	6 Feb. 2006	-	6 Feb. 2006
Cape Verde	15 July 2004	15 July 2004	15 July 2004	15 July 2004 ^a	-
Central African Republic	14 Sept. 2004 ^a	6 Oct. 2006 ^a	6 Oct. 2006 ^a	6 Oct. 2006 ^a	6 Oct. 2006
Comoros	25 Sept. 2003 ^a	-	-	-	-
Congo	-	-	-	-	13 July 2006 ^a
Democratic Republic of the Congo	28 Oct. 2005 ^a	28 Oct. 2005 ^a	28 Oct. 2005 ^a	28 Oct. 2005 ^a	-
Djibouti	20 Apr. 2005 ^a	20 Apr. 2005 ^a	20 Apr. 2005 ^a	-	20 Apr. 2005
Egypt	5 Mar. 2004	5 Mar. 2004	1 Mar. 2005 ^a	-	25 Feb. 2005
Equatorial Guinea	7 Feb. 2003	7 Feb. 2003	-	-	-
Gabon	15 Dec. 2004 ^a	-	-	-	-
Gambia	5 May 2003	5 May 2003	5 May 2003	-	-
Guinea	9 Nov. 2004 ^a	9 Nov. 2004 ^a	8 Jun. 2005 ^a	-	-
Kenya	16 Jun. 2004 ^a	5 Jan. 2005 ^a	5 Jan. 2005 ^a	5 Jan. 2005 ^a	9 Dec. 2003
Lesotho	24 Sept. 2003	24 Sept. 2003	24 Sept. 2004	24 Sept. 2003 ^a	16 Sept. 2005
Liberia	22 Sept. 2004 ^a	22 Sept. 2004 ^a	22 Sept. 2004 ^a	22 Sept. 2004 ^a	16 Sept. 2005 ^a
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	18 Jun. 2004	24 Sept. 2004	24 Sept. 2004	18 Jun. 2004	7 Jun. 2005
Madagascar	15 Sept. 2005	15 Sept. 2005	15 Sept. 2005	15 Sept. 2005	22 Sept. 2004
Malawi	17 Mar. 2005	17 Mar. 2005 ^a	17 Mar. 2005 ^a	17 Mar. 2005 ^a	-
Mali	12 Apr. 2002	12 Apr. 2002	12 Apr. 2002	3 May 2002	-
Mauritania	22 July 2005 ^a	22 July 2005 ^a	22 July 2005 ^a	22 July 2005 ^a	25 Oct. 2006 ^a
Mauritius	21 Apr. 2003	24 Sept. 2003 ^a	24 Sept. 2003 ^a	24 Sept. 2003 ^a	15 Dec. 2004
Morocco	19 Sept. 2002	-	-	-	-
Mozambique	20 Sept. 2006	20 Sept. 2006	20 Sept. 2006	20 Sept. 2006 ^a	-
Namibia	16 Aug. 2002	16 Aug. 2002	16 Aug. 2002	-	3 Aug. 2004
Niger	30 Sept. 2004	30 Sept. 2004	-	-	-
Nigeria	28 June 2001	28 June 2001	27 Sept. 2001	3 Mar. 2006	14 Dec. 2004
Rwanda	26 Sept. 2003	26 Sept. 2003	4 Oct. 2006	4 Oct. 2006 ^a	4 Oct. 2006
Sao Tome and Principe	12 Apr. 2006 ^a	23 Aug. 2006 ^a	12 Apr. 2006 ^a	12 Apr. 2006 ^a	12 Apr. 2006
Senegal	27 Oct. 2003	27 Oct. 2003	27 Oct. 2003	7 Apr. 2006	16 Nov. 2005
Seychelles	22 Apr. 2003	22 Jun. 2004	22 Jun. 2004	-	16 Mar. 2006
Sierra Leone	-	-	-	-	30 Sept. 2004

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South Africa	20 Feb. 2004	20 Feb. 2004	20 Feb. 2004	20 Feb. 2004	22 Nov. 2004
Sudan	10 Dec. 2004	-	-	-	-
Togo	2 July 2004	-	-	-	6 July 2005
Tunisia	19 June 2003	14 July 2003	14 July 2003	-	-
Uganda	9 Mar. 2005	-	-	9 Mar. 2005 ^a	9 Sept. 2004
United Republic of Tanzania	24 May 2006	24 May 2006	24 May 2006	24 May 2006	25 May 2005
Zambia	24 Apr. 2005 ^a	24 Apr. 2005 ^a	24 Apr. 2005 ^a	24 Apr. 2005 ^a	-
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	-	8 Mar. 2007
Regional total	40	34	32	24	29
Group of Asian States					
Afghanistan	24 Sept. 2003	-	-	-	-
Bahrain	7 June 2004 ^a	7 June 2004 ^a	7 June 2004 ^a	-	-
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	27 Feb. 2007 ^a
Cambodia	12 Dec. 2005	-	12 Dec. 2005	12 Dec. 2005 ^a	-
China	23 Sept. 2003	-	-	-	13 Jan. 2006
Cook Islands	4 Mar. 2004 ^a	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	22 Apr. 2003	6 Aug. 2003	6 Aug. 2003	6 Aug. 2003	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	19 Sept. 2006
Jordan	-	-	-	-	24 Feb. 2005
Kiribati	15 Sept. 2005 ^a	15 Sept. 2005 ^a	15 Sept. 2005 ^a	-	-
Kuwait	12 May 2006 ^a	12 May 2006 ^a	12 May 2006 ^a	-	16 Feb. 2007
Kyrgyzstan	2 Oct. 2003	2 Oct. 2003	2 Oct. 2003	-	16 Sept. 2005
Lao People's Democratic Republic	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	-
Lebanon	5 Oct. 2005	5 Oct. 2005	5 Oct. 2005	13 Nov. 2006	-
Malaysia	24 Sept. 2004	-	-	-	-
Maldives	-	-	-	-	22 Mar. 2007 ^a
Micronesia (Federated States of)	24 May 2004 ^a	-	-	-	-
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	11 Jan. 2006
Myanmar	30 Mar. 2004 ^a	30 Mar. 2004 ^a	30 Mar. 2004 ^a	-	-
Oman	13 May 2005 ^a	13 May 2005 ^a	13 May 2005 ^a	13 May 2005 ^a	-
Philippines	28 May 2002	28 May 2002	28 May 2002	-	8 Nov. 2006
Qatar	-	-	-	-	30 Jan. 2007
Saudi Arabia	18 Jan. 2005	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka	22 Sept. 2006	-	-	-	31 Mar. 2004
Tajikistan	8 July 2002	8 July 2002 ^a	8 July 2002 ^a	-	25 Sept. 2006 ^a
Turkmenistan	28 Mar. 2005 ^a	28 Mar. 2005 ^a	28 Mar. 2005 ^a	28 Mar. 2005 ^a	28 Mar. 2005 ^a
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	22 Feb. 2006
Uzbekistan	9 Dec. 2003	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	4 Jan. 2006 ^a	-	-	-	-
Yemen	-	-	-	-	7 Nov. 2005
Regional total	22	12	13	6	15

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Group of Eastern European States					
Albania	21 Aug. 2002	21 Aug. 2002	21 Aug. 2002	-	25 May 2006
Armenia	1 July 2003	1 July 2003	1 July 2003	-	8 Mar. 2007
Azerbaijan	30 Oct. 2003	30 Oct. 2003	30 Oct. 2003	3 Dec. 2004 ^a	1 Nov. 2005
Belarus	25 June 2003	25 June 2003	25 June 2003	6 Oct. 2004 ^a	17 Feb. 2005
Bosnia and Herzegovina	24 Apr. 2002	24 Apr. 2002	24 Apr. 2002	-	26 Oct. 2006
Bulgaria	5 Dec. 2001	5 Dec. 2001	5 Dec. 2001	6 Aug. 2002	20 Sept. 2006
Croatia	24 Jan. 2003	24 Jan. 2003	24 Jan. 2003	7 Feb. 2005 ^a	24 Apr. 2005
Estonia	10 Feb. 2003	12 May 2004	12 May 2004	12 May 2004	-
Georgia	5 Sept. 2006	5 Sept. 2006	5 Sept. 2006	-	-
Hungary	22 Dec. 2006	22 Dec. 2006	22 Dec. 2006	-	19 Apr. 2005
Latvia	7 Dec. 2001	25 May 2004	23 Apr. 2003	28 July 2004 ^a	4 Jan. 2006
Lithuania	9 May 2002	23 June 2003	12 May 2003	24 Feb. 2005	21 Dec. 2006
Moldova	16 Sept. 2005	16 Sept. 2005	16 Sept. 2005	28 Feb. 2006 ^a	-
Montenegro	23 Oct. 2006 ^b	23 Oct. 2006 ^b	23 Oct. 2006 ^b	23 Oct. 2006 ^b	23 Oct. 2006 ^b
Poland	12 Nov. 2001	26 Sept. 2003	26 Sept. 2003	4 Apr. 2005	15 Sept. 2006
Romania	4 Dec. 2002	4 Dec. 2002	4 Dec. 2002	16 Apr. 2004 ^a	2 Nov. 2004
Russian Federation	26 May 2004	26 May 2004	26 May 2004	-	9 May 2006
Serbia	6 Sept. 2001	6 Sept. 2001	6 Sept. 2001	20 Dec. 2005 ^a	20 Dec. 2005
Slovakia	3 Dec. 2003	21 Sept. 2004	21 Sept. 2004	21 Sept. 2004	1 Jun. 2006
Slovenia	21 May 2004	21 May 2004	21 May 2004	21 May 2004	-
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	12 Jan. 2005	12 Jan. 2005	12 Jan. 2005	-	-
Ukraine	21 May 2004	21 May 2004	21 May 2004	-	-
Regional total	22	22	22	14	16
Group of Latin American and Caribbean States					
Antigua and Barbuda	24 July 2002	-	-	-	21 Jun. 2006 ^a
Argentina	19 Nov. 2002	19 Nov. 2002	19 Nov. 2002	18 Dec. 2006	28 Aug. 2006
Belize	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	26 Sept. 2003 ^a	14 Sept. 2006 ^a	-	-
Bolivia	10 Oct. 2005	18 May 2006	-	-	5 Dec. 2005
Brazil	29 Jan. 2004	29 Jan. 2004	29 Jan. 2004	31 Mar. 2006	15 Jun. 2005
Chile	29 Nov. 2004	29 Nov. 2004	29 Nov. 2004	-	13 Sept. 2006
Colombia	4 Aug. 2004	4 Aug. 2004	-	-	27 Oct. 2006
Costa Rica	24 July 2003	9 Sept. 2003	7 Aug. 2003	9 Sept. 2003	21 Mar. 2007
Cuba	9 Feb. 2007	-	-	9 Feb. 2007 ^a	9 Feb. 2007
Dominican Republic	26 Oct. 2006	-	-	-	26 Oct. 2006
Ecuador	17 Sept. 2002	17 Sept. 2002	17 Sept. 2002	-	15 Sept. 2005
El Salvador	18 Mar. 2004	18 Mar. 2004	18 Mar. 2004	18 Mar. 2004	1 July 2004
Grenada	21 May 2004 ^a	21 May 2004 ^a	21 May 2004 ^a	21 May 2004 ^a	-
Guatemala	25 Sept. 2003	1 Apr. 2004 ^a	1 Apr. 2004 ^a	1 Apr. 2004 ^a	3 Nov. 2006
Guyana	14 Sept. 2004 ^a	14 Sept. 2004 ^a	-	-	-
Honduras	2 Dec. 2003	-	-	-	23 May 2005
Jamaica	29 Sept. 2003	29 Sept. 2003	29 Sept. 2003	29 Sept. 2003	-

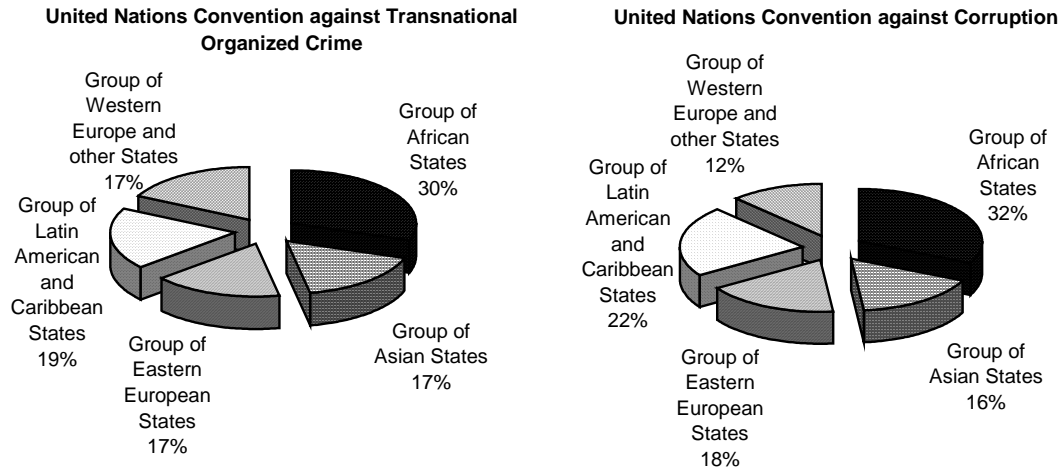
<i>Party</i>	<i>Organized Crime Convention</i>	<i>Trafficking in Persons Protocol</i>	<i>Migrants Protocol</i>	<i>Firearms Protocol</i>	<i>Convention against Corruption</i>
Mexico	4 Mar. 2003	4 Mar. 2003	4 Mar. 2003	10 Apr. 2003	20 July 2004
Nicaragua	9 Sept. 2002	12 Oct. 2004 ^a	15 Feb. 2006 ^a	-	15 Feb. 2006
Panama	18 Aug. 2004	18 Aug. 2004	18 Aug. 2004	18 Aug. 2004	23 Sept. 2005
Paraguay	22 Sept. 2004	22 Sept. 2004	-	-	1 Jun. 2005
Peru	23 Jan. 2002	23 Jan. 2002	23 Jan. 2002	23 Sept. 2003 ^a	16 Nov. 2004
Saint Kitts and Nevis	21 May 2004	21 May 2004 ^a	21 May 2004 ^a	21 May 2004 ^a	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	31 May 2006
Uruguay	4 Mar. 2005	4 Mar. 2005	4 Mar. 2005	-	10 Jan. 2007
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	13 May 2002	13 May 2002	19 Apr. 2005	-	-
Regional total	25	21	17	12	20
Group of Western European and other States					
Australia	27 May 2004	14 Sept. 2005	27 May 2004	-	7 Dec. 2005
Austria	23 Sept. 2004	15 Sept. 2005	-	-	11 Jan. 2006
Belgium	11 Aug. 2004	11 Aug. 2004	11 Aug. 2004	24 Sept. 2004	-
Canada	13 May 2002	13 May 2002	13 May 2002	-	-
Denmark	30 Sept. 2003	30 Sept. 2003	8 Dec. 2006	-	26 Dec. 2006
Finland	10 Feb. 2004	7 Sept. 2006	7 Sept. 2006	-	20 Jun. 2006
France	29 Oct. 2002	29 Oct. 2002	29 Oct. 2002	-	11 July 2005
Germany	14 Jun. 2006	14 Jun. 2006	14 Jun. 2006	-	-
Israel	27 Dec. 2006	-	-	-	-
Italy	2 Aug. 2006	2 Aug. 2006	2 Aug. 2006	2 Aug. 2006	-
Malta	24 Sept. 2003	24 Sept. 2003	24 Sept. 2003	-	-
Monaco	5 June 2001	5 June 2001	5 June 2001	-	-
Netherlands	26 May 2004	27 July 2005	27 July 2005	8 Feb. 2005 ^a	31 Oct. 2006
New Zealand	19 July 2002	19 July 2002	19 July 2002	-	-
Norway	23 Sept. 2003	23 Sept. 2003	23 Sept. 2003	23 Sept. 2003	29 Jun. 2006
Portugal	10 May 2004	10 May 2004	10 May 2004	-	-
Spain	1 Mar. 2002	1 Mar. 2002	1 Mar. 2002	9 Feb. 2007 ^a	19 Jun. 2006
Sweden	30 Apr. 2004	1 July 2004	6 Sept. 2006	-	-
Switzerland	27 Oct. 2006	27 Oct. 2006	27 Oct. 2006	-	-
Turkey	25 Mar. 2003	25 Mar. 2003	25 Mar. 2003	4 May 2004	9 Nov. 2006
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	9 Feb. 2006	9 Feb. 2006	9 Feb. 2006	-	9 Feb. 2006
United States of America	3 Nov. 2005	3 Nov. 2005	3 Nov. 2005	-	30 Oct. 2006
European Community	21 May 2004	6 Sept. 2006	6 Sept. 2006	-	-
Regional total	23	22	21	6	11
World total	132	111	105	62	91

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^a Accession.

^b Succession.

C. Status of ratification of the United Nations crime conventions by regional group



D. Rate of ratification of the United Nations crime conventions

