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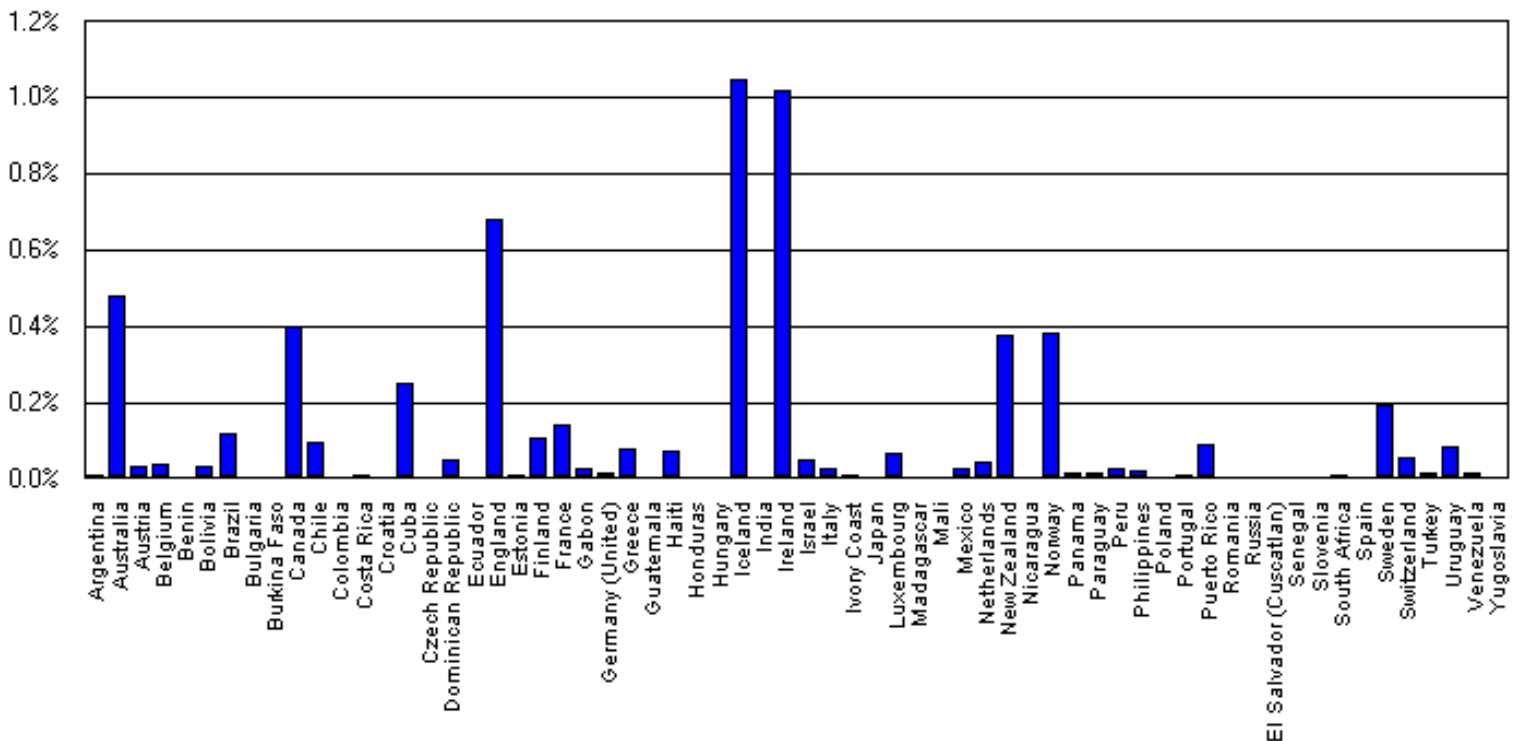
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International Masonic Statistics - Graphs, Maps, Charts

The information on this chart is based on information from various sources, such as *Freemasonry Universal*, the excellent book about Freemasonry by Kent Henderson and Tony Pope, MSA, *Grand Lodge Proceedings*, *List of Lodges - Masonic* (Pantagraph) books and various countries' census or statistical bureaus. If anyone has any updates for additions or changes on this chart, please send email to Paul M. Bessel at paulb[at]bessel.org

Because of the nature of these sources of information, most of the statistics are for what are sometimes called "mainstream" Grand Lodges, although some others are clearly listed. For the United States, the statistics are for the "predominately white" Grand Lodges. Prince Hall Masonic statistics are shown on another webpage -- <http://bessel.org/phastats.htm> More Masonic statistics about the U.S. ("mainstream" Grand Lodges) are at <http://bessel.org/masstats.htm>

Percent of Population that are Masons (years vary somewhat, but generally around 2000)
based on population figures from countries' census bureaus, and List of Lodges, Proceedings, and MSA, for Masonic numbers



Country or Jurisdiction	Population (as current as possible)	Number of Masons (obtained from sources thought to be accurate)	Percent of Population who are Masons
Argentina	32,245,467	2,500	0.01%
Australia - New South Wales	6,411,700	30,000	0.5%
Australia - Queensland	3,512,300	16,254	0.5%
Australia - South Australia	1,493,100	6,500	0.4%
Australia - Tasmania	470,300	3,357	0.7%
Australia - Victoria	4,712,200	25,987	0.6%
Australia - Western Australia	1,861,000	6,700	0.4%
Australia	18,460,600	88,798	0.5%
Austria	8,103,800	2,350	0.03%
Belgium	10,274,595	1,500	0.02%
Benin	6,097,000	350	0.01%
Bolivia	8,329,000	2,839	0.03%
Brazil - Grande Oriente		105,743	
Brazil - Acre (Gleac) (Roraima?)	557,226	993	0.2%
Brazil - Alagoas	2,819,172	600	0.02%
Brazil - Amapa	475,843	280	0.06%
Brazil - Amazonas-Glomam	2,813,085	6,703	0.2%
Brazil - Bahia	13,066,910	6,311	0.05%
Brazil - Brasilia	2,043,169	1,062	0.05%
Brazil - Ceara	7,418,476	11,906	0.2%
Brazil - Esperito Santo	3,094,390	4,167	0.1%
Brazil - Goias	4,996,439	4,500	0.09%
Brazil - Guanabara			
Brazil - Maranhao	5,642,960	1,181	0.02%
Brazil - Mato Grosso	2,502,260	784	0.03%
Brazil - Mato Grosso do Sul	2,074,877	1,990	0.1%
Brazil - Minas Gerais	17,866,402	8,683	0.05%
Brazil - Para	6,189,550	2,920	0.05%
Brazil - Paraiba	3,439,344	1,616	0.05%
Brazil - Parana	9,558,454	2,800	0.03%
Brazil - Pernambuco	7,911,937	1,050	0.01%
Brazil - Piaui	2,841,202	1,840	0.06%
Brazil - Rio de Janeiro	14,367,083	9,433	0.07%
Brazil - Rio Grande do Norte	2,771,538	500	0.02%

Brazil - Rio Grande do Sul	10,181,749	3,890	0.04%
Brazil - Rondonia-Glomaron	1,377,792	455	0.03%
Brazil - Roraima	324,152	500	0.2%
Brazil - Santa Catarina	5,349,580	2,124	0.04%
Brazil - Sao Paulo	36,969,476	15,909	0.04%
Brazil - Sergipe	1,781,714	313	0.02%
Brazil - Tocantins	1,155,913	675	0.06%
Brazil	169,590,693	198,928	0.1%
Bulgaria	8,225,000	200	0.002%
Burkina Faso	11,937,000	200	0.002%
Canada - Alberta	2,997,200	9,344	0.3%
Canada - British Columbia	4,063,800	15,300	0.4%
Canada - Manitoba	1,147,900	4,785	0.4%
Canada - New Brunswick	756,600	5,146	0.7%
Canada - Nova Scotia	941,000	6,712	0.7%
Canada - Ontario	11,669,300	67,130	0.6%
Canada - Prince Edward Island	138,900	1,045	0.8%
Canada - Quebec	7,372,400	5,742	0.1%
Canada - Saskatchewan	1,023,600	5,312	0.5%
Canada	30,110,700	120,516	0.4%
Chile	15,211,000	14,000	0.1%
China			
Colombia - Barranquilla		300	
Colombia - Bogota		700	
Colombia - Cali		350	
Colombia - Cartagena		241	
Colombia - Los Andes (Bucaramanga)		250	
Colombia - Santander		169	
Colombia	42,321,000	2,010	0.005%
Costa Rica	4,023,000	234	0.01%
Croatia	4,473,000	100	0.002%
Cuba	11,201,000	27,882	0.2%
Czech Republic	10,272,503	206	0.002%
Denmark	5,450,661	9,377	.17%

Dominican Republic	7,293,390	3,500	0.05%
Ecuador	12,646,000	500	0.004%
Egypt			
England	52,428,000	358,214	0.7%
Estonia	1,396,000	110	0.01%
Finland	5,176,000	5,600	0.1%
France - GOF		38,000	
		A masonic brother has emailed me: The "Humanisme" (GOF "home" magazine) prints 42,000+ copies and authoritative sources (an immediate Past (and reliable) Assistant Grand Master of GOF) says "just below 40,000."	
France - GLF		26,000	
France - GLNF		20,000	
		A masonic brother has emailed me: The "Actualités" (GLNF "house" magazine) prints 33,000+ copies and I can tell you that GLNF now has 31,500 members. The figures of printing are "public" as every periodical must file such data with Ministry of Interior.	
France	59,080,000	84,000	0.1%
Gabon	1,226,000	300	0.02%
Germany	82,220,000	14,000	0.02%
Greece	10,645,000	8,000	0.1%
Guatemala	11,385,000	582	0.01%
Haiti	8,222,000	6,000	0.1%
Honduras	6,485,000	350	0.01%
Hungary	10,036,000	250	0.002%
Iceland	281,000	2,947	1.0%

India	1,027,015,247	15,070	0.001%
Iran			
Ireland	3,730,000	38,000	1.0%
Israel	6,217,000	3,000	0.05%
Italy - Grand Orient		12,000	
Italy - Grant Lodge		1,200	
Italy	57,298,000	13,200	0.02%
Ivory Coast	14,786,000	1,000	0.007%
Japan	126,714,000	2,508	0.002%
Liberia			
Luxembourg	431,000	276	0.1%
Madagascar	15,942,000	100	0.001%
Mali	11,234,000	100	0.001%
Mexico - Baja California		2,000	
Mexico - Coahuila (Benito Juarez)		250	
Mexico - Chiapas		800	
Mexico - Chihuahua (Cosmos)		2,600	
Mexico - Nuevo Leon		3,000	
Mexico - Occidental Mexicana		750	
Mexico - Pacifico		387	
Mexico - El Potosi		600	
Mexico - Tamaulipas		2,509	
Mexico - Unida Mexicana (Veracruz)		2,500	
Mexico - Valle de Mexico		12,321	
Mexico - York		376	
Mexico	98,881,000	28,093	0.03%
Netherlands	15,786,000	6,528	0.04%

New Zealand	3,862,000	14,600	0.4%
Nicaragua	5,074,000	182	0.004%
Norway	4,465,000	17,000	0.4%
Panama	2,856,000	387	0.01%
Paraguay	5,496,000	850	0.02%
Peru	25,662,000	7,131	0.03%
Philippines	76,498,735	16,676	0.02%
Poland	38,765,000	120	0.0003%
Portugal	9,875,000	600	0.01%
Puerto Rico	3,869,000	3,443	0.1%
Romania	22,327,000	753	0.003%
Russia	146,934,000	178	0.0001%
El Salvador (Cuscatlan)	6,276,000	250	0.004%
Scotland	5,120,000	150,000	2.930%
Senegal	9,481,000	450	0.005%
Slovenia	1,986,000	100	0.005%
South Africa	40,377,000	3,300	0.008%
Spain	39,630,000	2,000	0.01%
Sweden	8,910,000	17,000	0.2%
Switzerland	7,386,000	3,842	0.1%
Turkey	66,591,000	11,250	0.02%
Uruguay	3,337,000	2,870	0.1%
Venezuela	24,170,000	3,400	0.01%
Yugoslavia	10,640,000	150	0.001%
U.S. - Alabama	4,447,100	41,038	0.9%
U.S. - Alaska	626,932	2,061	0.3%
U.S. - Arizona	5,130,632	11,500	0.2%
U.S. - Arkansas	2,673,400	23,697	0.9%
U.S. - California	33,871,648	94,693	0.3%
U.S. - Colorado	4,301,261	17,745	0.4%
U.S. - Connecticut	3,405,565	18,859	0.6%
U.S. - Delaware	783,600	6,110	0.8%
U.S. - D.C.	572,059	5,464	1.0%
U.S. - Florida	15,982,378	61,199	0.4%
U.S. - Georgia	8,186,453	60,168	0.7%
U.S. - Hawaii	1,211,537	2,198	0.2%
U.S. - Idaho	1,293,953	6,131	0.5%
U.S. - Illinois	12,419,293	88,566	0.7%
U.S. - Indiana	6,080,485	86,542	1.4%