

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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## MEMBERSHIP OF THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

### Revision

Upon the accession of **China**, on **11 December 2001** the number of Members of the World Trade Organization shall reach **143**. The following is the list of Members and their membership is effective as of the dates indicated:

<u>Government</u>	<u>Entry into Force/ Membership</u>
Albania .....	8 September 2000
Angola .....	23 November 1996
Antigua and Barbuda .....	1 January 1995
Argentina .....	1 January 1995
Australia .....	1 January 1995
Austria .....	1 January 1995
Bahrain .....	1 January 1995
Bangladesh .....	1 January 1995
Barbados .....	1 January 1995
Belgium .....	1 January 1995
Belize .....	1 January 1995
Benin .....	22 February 1996
Bolivia .....	12 September 1995
Botswana .....	31 May 1995
Brazil .....	1 January 1995
Brunei Darussalam .....	1 January 1995
Bulgaria .....	1 December 1996
Burkina Faso .....	3 June 1995
Burundi .....	23 July 1995
Cameroon .....	13 December 1995
Canada .....	1 January 1995
Central African Republic .....	31 May 1995
Chad .....	19 October 1996
Chile .....	1 January 1995
China .....	11 December 2001
Colombia .....	30 April 1995
Congo .....	27 March 1997
Costa Rica .....	1 January 1995
Côte d'Ivoire .....	1 January 1995
Croatia .....	30 November 2000
Cuba .....	20 April 1995
Cyprus .....	30 July 1995
Czech Republic .....	1 January 1995
Democratic Republic of the Congo .....	1 January 1997
Denmark .....	1 January 1995
Djibouti .....	31 May 1995

<u>Government</u>	<u>Entry into Force/ Membership</u>
Dominica .....	1 January 1995
Dominican Republic .....	9 March 1995
Ecuador.....	21 January 1996
Egypt .....	30 June 1995
El Salvador .....	7 May 1995
Estonia .....	13 November 1999
European Community .....	1 January 1995
Fiji .....	14 January 1996
Finland .....	1 January 1995
France .....	1 January 1995
Gabon .....	1 January 1995
The Gambia.....	23 October 1996
Georgia.....	14 June 2000
Germany .....	1 January 1995
Ghana .....	1 January 1995
Greece .....	1 January 1995
Grenada .....	22 February 1996
Guatemala.....	21 July 1995
Guinea .....	25 October 1995
Guinea Bissau.....	31 May 1995
Guyana .....	1 January 1995
Haiti .....	30 January 1996
Honduras .....	1 January 1995
Hong Kong, China .....	1 January 1995
Hungary.....	1 January 1995
Iceland .....	1 January 1995
India .....	1 January 1995
Indonesia .....	1 January 1995
Ireland .....	1 January 1995
Israel .....	21 April 1995
Italy .....	1 January 1995
Jamaica.....	9 March 1995
Japan .....	1 January 1995
Jordan .....	11 April 2000
Kenya .....	1 January 1995
Korea, Republic of .....	1 January 1995
Kuwait .....	1 January 1995
Kyrgyz Republic .....	20 December 1998
Latvia .....	10 February 1999
Lesotho .....	31 May 1995
Liechtenstein .....	1 September 1995
Lithuania.....	31 May 2001
Luxembourg .....	1 January 1995
Macao, China .....	1 January 1995
Madagascar .....	17 November 1995
Malawi .....	31 May 1995
Malaysia .....	1 January 1995
Maldives .....	31 May 1995
Mali .....	31 May 1995
Malta .....	1 January 1995
Mauritania .....	31 May 1995

<u>Government</u>	<u>Entry into Force/ Membership</u>
Mauritius .....	1 January 1995
Mexico .....	1 January 1995
Moldova .....	26 July 2001
Mongolia .....	29 January 1997
Morocco .....	1 January 1995
Mozambique.....	26 August 1995
Myanmar .....	1 January 1995
Namibia .....	1 January 1995
Netherlands - For the Kingdom in Europe and for the Netherlands Antilles	1 January 1995
New Zealand .....	1 January 1995
Nicaragua .....	3 September 1995
Niger .....	13 December 1996
Nigeria .....	1 January 1995
Norway .....	1 January 1995
Oman .....	9 November 2000
Pakistan .....	1 January 1995
Panama .....	6 September 1997
Papua New Guinea.....	9 June 1996
Paraguay .....	1 January 1995
Peru .....	1 January 1995
Philippines.....	1 January 1995
Poland .....	1 July 1995
Portugal .....	1 January 1995
Qatar .....	13 January 1996
Romania .....	1 January 1995
Rwanda.....	22 May 1996
Saint Kitts and Nevis.....	21 February 1996
Saint Lucia.....	1 January 1995
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines .....	1 January 1995
Senegal .....	1 January 1995
Sierra Leone .....	23 July 1995
Singapore.....	1 January 1995
Slovak Republic .....	1 January 1995
Slovenia.....	30 July 1995
Solomon Islands .....	26 July 1996
South Africa .....	1 January 1995
Spain .....	1 January 1995
Sri Lanka .....	1 January 1995
Suriname.....	1 January 1995
Swaziland .....	1 January 1995
Sweden .....	1 January 1995
Switzerland.....	1 July 1995
Tanzania .....	1 January 1995
Thailand.....	1 January 1995
Togo .....	31 May 1995
Trinidad and Tobago.....	1 March 1995
Tunisia .....	29 March 1995
Turkey .....	26 March 1995

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Uganda .....	1 January 1995
United Arab Emirates .....	10 April 1996
United Kingdom.....	1 January 1995
United States .....	1 January 1995
Uruguay.....	1 January 1995
Venezuela.....	1 January 1995
Zambia .....	1 January 1995
Zimbabwe.....	5 March 1995

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