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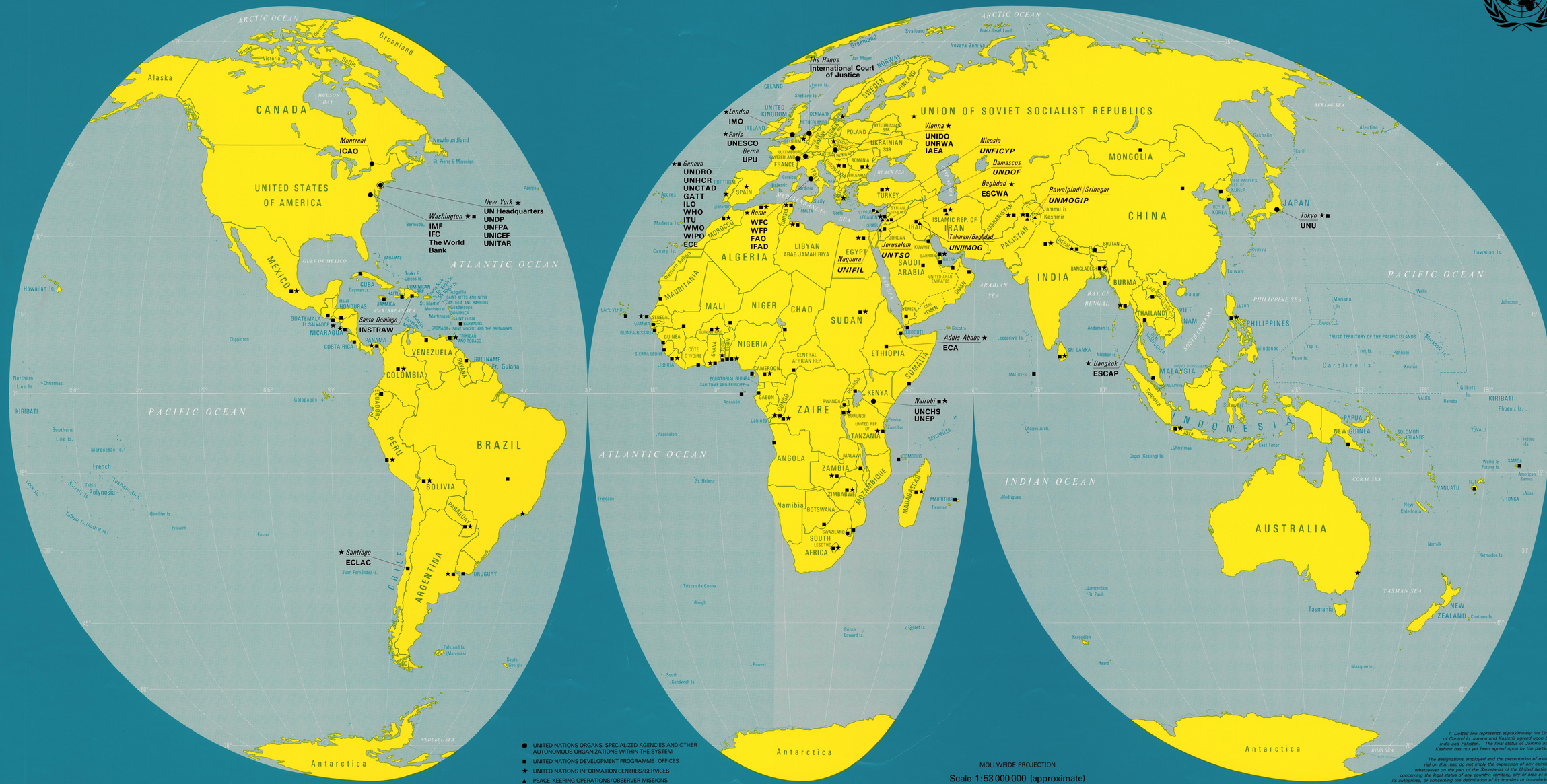

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MOLLWEIDE PROJECTION

Scale 1:53 000 000 (approximate)

1. Dotted line represents approximately the Line of Control in Jammu and Kashmir agreed upon by India and Pakistan. The final status of Jammu and Kashmir has not yet been agreed upon by the parties.

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THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM

PRINCIPAL ORGANS OF THE UNITED NATIONS

New York:
General Assembly
Security Council
Economic and Social Council
Trusteeship Council
Secretariat

The Hague:
The International Court of Justice

OTHER UNITED NATIONS ORGANS
(representative list only)

Geneva:
UNCTAD - United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDRO - Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Co-ordinator
UNHCR - Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
Nairobi:
UNCHS - United Nations Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat)
UNEP - United Nations Environment Programme
New York:
UNDP - United Nations Development Programme
UNFPA - United Nations Population Fund
UNICEF - United Nations Children's Fund
UNITAR - United Nations Institute for Training and Research
Rome:
WFC - World Food Council
WFP - Joint UN/FAO World Food Programme
Santo Domingo:
INSTRAW - International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women
Tokyo:
UNU - United Nations University
Vienna:
UNRWA - United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East

PEACE-KEEPING OPERATIONS/OBSERVER MISSIONS

UNOGIP - United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
UNFICYP - United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus
UNIFIL - United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
UNIIMOG - United Nations Iran-Iraq Military Observer Group
UNMOGIP - United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan
UNTSO - United Nations Truce Supervision Organization

SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER AUTONOMOUS ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE SYSTEM

Berne:
UPU - Universal Postal Union
Geneva:
GATT - General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
ILO - International Labour Organisation
ITU - International Telecommunication Union
WHO - World Health Organization
WIPO - World Intellectual Property Organization
WMO - World Meteorological Organization
London:
IMO - International Maritime Organization
Montreal:
ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization
Paris:
UNESCO - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
Rome:
FAO - Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
IFAD - International Fund for Agricultural Development
Vienna:
IAEA - International Atomic Energy Agency
UNIDO - United Nations Industrial Development Organization
Washington:
IFC - International Finance Corporation
IMF - International Monetary Fund
The World Bank - International Development Association (IDA)
- International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD)

REGIONAL COMMISSIONS

Addis Ababa:
ECA - Economic Commission for Africa
Baghdad:
ESCWA - Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
Bangkok:
ESCAP - Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
Geneva:
ECE - Economic Commission for Europe
Santiago:
ECLAC - Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean

MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS – DATE OF MEMBERSHIP, AREA AND POPULATION

Name of country	Date of admission	Total area (square kilometres)	Estimated population (mid-year 1987)
Afghanistan	19 Nov. 1946	652 090	14 709 000 [a]
Albania	14 Dec. 1955	28 748	3 082 700
Algeria	8 Oct. 1962	2 381 741	23 102 000 [a]
Angola	1 Dec. 1976	1 246 700	9 226 000 [a]
Antigua and Barbuda	11 Nov. 1981	440	83 000 [a]
Argentina	24 Oct. 1945	2 766 889	31 497 000
Australia	1 Nov. 1945	7 686 848	16 248 800
Austria	14 Dec. 1955	83 853	7 573 000
Bahamas	18 Sept. 1973	13 878	240 344
Bahrain	21 Sep. 1971	678	429 502
Bangladesh	17 Sep. 1974	143 998	102 562 961
Barbados	9 Dec. 1966	430	253 500
Belgium	27 Dec. 1945	30 519	9 918 000 [a]
Belize	25 Sep. 1981	22 965	170 000 [a]
Benin	20 Sep. 1960	112 622	4 304 000
Bhutan	21 Sep. 1971	47 000	1 419 000 [a]
Bolivia	14 Nov. 1945	1 098 581	6 797 359
Botswana	17 Oct. 1966	581 730	1 080 000 [a]
Brazil	24 Oct. 1945	8 511 965	141 452 000
Brunei Darussalam	21 Sep. 1984	5 765	232 900
Bulgaria	14 Dec. 1955	110 912	8 969 758
Burkina Faso	20 Sep. 1960	274 200	8 305 000 [a]
Burma	19 Apr. 1948	676 552	39 141 000 [a]
Burundi	18 Sep. 1962	27 834	5 001 124
Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic	24 Oct. 1945	207 600	10 188 000
Cameroon	20 Sep. 1960	475 442	10 821 746
Canada	9 Nov. 1945	9 976 139	25 651 500
Cape Verde	16 Sep. 1975	4 033	348 000 [a]
Central African Republic	20 Sep. 1960	622 984	2 703 000 [a]
Chad	20 Sep. 1960	1 284 000	5 268 000 [a]
Chile	24 Oct. 1945	756 945	12 536 377
China	24 Oct. 1945	9 596 961	1 088 570 000 [a]
Colombia	5 Nov. 1945	1 138 914	29 729 000
Comoros	12 Nov. 1975	2 235	472 000 [a]
Congo	20 Sep. 1960	342 000	1 837 000 [a]
Costa Rica	2 Nov. 1945	51 100	2 781 418
Cuba	24 Oct. 1945	110 861	10 288 400
Cyprus	20 Sep. 1960	9 251	680 000
Czechoslovakia	24 Oct. 1945	127 876	15 557 852
Democratic Kampuchea	14 Dec. 1955	181 035	7 683 000 [a]
Democratic Yemen	14 Dec. 1967	332 968	2 438 437
Denmark	24 Oct. 1945	43 077	5 127 024
Djibouti	20 Sep. 1977	23 200	372 000 [a]
Dominica	18 Dec. 1978	751	78 000 [a]
Dominican Republic	24 Oct. 1945	48 734	6 715 643
Ecuador	21 Dec. 1945	283 561	9 922 514
Egypt	24 Oct. 1945	1 001 449	50 740 000
El Salvador	24 Oct. 1945	21 041	5 009 425
Equatorial Guinea	12 Nov. 1968	28 051	410 000 [a]
Ethiopia	13 Nov. 1945	1 221 900	46 184 417
Fiji	13 Oct. 1970	18 274	715 000 [a]
Finland	14 Dec. 1955	338 127	4 932 500
France	24 Oct. 1945	551 500	55 632 000
Gabon	20 Sep. 1960	267 667	1 058 000 [a]
Gambia	21 Sep. 1965	11 295	789 000 [a]
German Democratic Republic	18 Sep. 1973	108 333	16 641 298
Germany, Federal Republic of	18 Sep. 1973	248 577	61 170 527
Ghana	8 Mar. 1957	238 537	13 704 000 [a]
Greece	25 Oct. 1945	131 990	9 992 000 [a]
Grenada	17 Sep. 1974	344	98 000 [a]
Guatemala	21 Nov. 1945	108 889	8 437 531
Guinea	12 Dec. 1958	245 857	6 380 000 [a]
Guinea-Bissau	17 Sep. 1974	36 125	925 000 [a]
Guyana	20 Sep. 1966	214 969	999 000 [a]
Haiti	24 Oct. 1945	27 750	5 437 746
Honduras	17 Dec. 1945	112 088	4 656 440
Hungary	14 Dec. 1955	93 032	10 613 000
Iceland	19 Nov. 1946	103 000	245 800
India	30 Oct. 1945	3 287 590 [b]	781 374 000
Indonesia	28 Sep. 1950	1 904 569	170 178 527
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	24 Oct. 1945	1 648 000	51 252 855
Iraq	21 Dec. 1945	438 317	17 053 000 [a]
Ireland	14 Dec. 1955	70 284	3 543 000
Israel	11 May 1949	20 770	4 368 700
Italy	14 Dec. 1955	301 268	57 330 515
Jamaica	18 Sep. 1962	10 990	2 409 000 [a]
Japan	18 Dec. 1956	377 801	122 091 324
Jordan	14 Dec. 1955	97 740	3 790 000 [a]
Kenya	16 Dec. 1963	580 367	22 936 074
Kuwait	14 May 1963	17 818	1 872 569
Lao People's Democratic Republic	14 Dec. 1955	236 800	3 779 000 [a]
Lebanon	24 Oct. 1945	10 400	2 762 000 [a]
Lesotho	17 Oct. 1966	30 355	1 619 000
Liberia	2 Nov. 1945	111 369	2 348 728
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	14 Dec. 1955	1 759 540	4 083 000 [a]
Luxembourg	24 Oct. 1945	2 586	367 000 [a]
Madagascar	20 Sep. 1960	587 041	10 886 000 [a]
Malawi	1 Dec. 1964	118 484	7 499 092
Malaysia	17 Sep. 1957	329 749	16 558 000
Maldives	21 Sep. 1965	298	195 000 [a]
Mali	28 Sep. 1960	1 240 192	8 675 091
Malta	1 Dec. 1964	316	344 167
Mauritania	27 Oct. 1961	1 025 520	1 864 000 [a]
Mauritius	24 Apr. 1968	2 040	1 003 794
Mexico	7 Nov. 1945	1 958 201	81 163 256
Mongolia	27 Oct. 1961	1 566 500	2 027 000 [a]
Morocco	12 Nov. 1956	446 550	23 306 000 [a]
Mozambique	16 Sep. 1975	801 590	14 548 411
Nepal	14 Dec. 1955	140 797	17 766 000
Netherlands	10 Dec. 1945	40 844	14 681 253
New Zealand	24 Oct. 1945	268 676	3 279 500
Nicaragua	24 Oct. 1945	130 000	3 502 000 [a]
Niger	20 Sep. 1960	1 267 000	6 489 000 [a]
Nigeria	7 Oct. 1960	923 768	101 907 000 [a]
Norway	27 Nov. 1945	323 895	4 185 842
Oman	7 Oct. 1971	212 457	1 334 000 [a]
Pakistan	30 Sep. 1947	796 095 [c]	102 240 000
Panama	13 Nov. 1945	77 082	2 274 448
Papua New Guinea	10 Oct. 1975	462 840	3 502 218
Paraguay	24 Oct. 1945	406 752	3 922 374
Peru	31 Oct. 1945	1 285 216	20 727 100
Philippines	24 Oct. 1945	300 000	57 356 042
Poland	24 Oct. 1945	312 677	37 663 756
Portugal	14 Dec. 1955	92 389	10 349 600
Qatar	21 Sep. 1971	11 000	326 000 [a]
Romania	14 Dec. 1955	237 500	22 936 000 [a]
Rwanda	18 Sep. 1962	26 338	6 529 000 [a]
Saint Kitts and Nevis	23 Sep. 1983	261	48 000 [a]
Saint Lucia	16 Sep. 1979	622	131 000 [a]
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	16 Sep. 1980	388	106 000 [a]
Samoa	15 Dec. 1976	2 831	165 000 [a]
Sao Tome and Principe	16 Sep. 1975	964	103 000 [a]
Saudi Arabia	24 Oct. 1945	2 149 690	13 612 000
Senegal	28 Sep. 1960	196 722	6 791 000 [a]
Seychelles	21 Sep. 1976	280	67 000 [a]
Sierra Leone	27 Sep. 1961	71 740	3 849 000 [a]
Singapore	21 Sep. 1965	618	2 612 800
Solomon Islands	19 Sep. 1978	28 896	290 000
Somalia	20 Sep. 1960	637 657	6 865 000 [a]
South Africa	7 Nov. 1945	1 221 037	33 016 000 [a]
Spain	14 Dec. 1955	504 782	38 832 262
Sri Lanka	14 Dec. 1955	65 610	16 381 000
Sudan	12 Nov. 1956	2 505 813	23 128 000 [a]
Suriname	4 Dec. 1975	163 265	386 000 [a]
Swaziland	24 Sep. 1968	17 364	712 000 [a]
Sweden	19 Nov. 1946	440 946	8 398 932
Syrian Arab Republic	24 Oct. 1945	185 180	10 969 000
Thailand	16 Dec. 1946	513 115	53 605 000
Togo	20 Sep. 1960	56 785	3 148 000 [a]
Trinidad and Tobago	18 Sep. 1962	5 130	1 223 000 [a]
Tunisia	12 Nov. 1956	163 610	7 626 000 [a]
Turkey	24 Oct. 1945	779 452	51 350 000
Uganda	25 Oct. 1962	235 880	16 599 000 [a]
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic	24 Oct. 1945	603 700	51 097 000 [a]
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	24 Oct. 1945	22 402 200 [d]	283 100 000 [a]
United Arab Emirates	9 Dec. 1971	83 600	1 453 000 [a]
United Kingdom	24 Oct. 1945	244 100	56 891 110
United Republic of Tanzania	14 Dec. 1961	945 087	23 217 000
United States of America	24 Oct. 1945	9 372 614	243 773 000
Uruguay	18 Dec. 1945	177 414	3 057 510
Vanuatu	15 Sep. 1981	12 189	144 881
Venezuela	15 Nov. 1945	912 050	18 272 157
Viet Nam	20 Sep. 1977	331 689	62 808 000 [a]
Yemen	30 Sep. 1947	195 000	7 309 000 [a]
Yugoslavia	24 Oct. 1945	255 804	23 410 983
Zaire	20 Sep. 1960	2 345 409	32 461 171
Zambia	1 Dec. 1964	752 614	7 563 000 [a]
Zimbabwe	25 Aug. 1980	390 580	8 639 656

[a] United Nations estimate.
[b] Excluding data for Jammu and Kashmir.
[c] For 1986. [d] Including the figures of Byelorussian SSR and Ukrainian SSR.

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