

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

FIJI

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 12, Disagree 53, Abstain 8, Absent 17: 18.5%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.4%

—Arms Control: 14.3%; Human Rights: 53.3%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 5, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 44.4%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 71.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

FINLAND

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 33, Disagree 41, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 44.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.0%

—Arms Control: 55.2%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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FRANCE

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 38, Disagree 34, Abstain 18, Absent 0: 52.8%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 86.7%
—Arms Control: 73.3%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%
Security Council votes: 100.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

GABON

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 7, Disagree 50, Abstain 0, Absent 33: 12.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 70.6%
—Arms Control: 18.5%; Human Rights: 18.2%; Middle East: 6.3%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 5, Abstain 0, Absent 4: 28.6%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 62.1%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) X
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) X

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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GAMBIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 1, Disagree 26, Abstain 3, Absent 60: 3.7%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 68.5%

—Arms Control: 0.0%; Human Rights: 5.9%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 5, Abstain 0, Absent 5: 16.7%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 44.7%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) X
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) X
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) X
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) X
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) X

GEORGIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 31, Disagree 40, Abstain 17, Absent 2: 43.7%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.0%

—Arms Control: 58.6%; Human Rights: 54.5%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 1: 80.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.2%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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GERMANY

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 33, Disagree 41, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 44.6%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.0%
—Arms Control: 53.3%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) A

GHANA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 11, Disagree 63, Abstain 14, Absent 2: 14.9%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.1%
—Arms Control: 30.3%; Human Rights: 7.1%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.6%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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GREECE

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 33, Disagree 41, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 44.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.0%

—Arms Control: 58.6%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Security Council votes: 100.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

GRENADA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 15, Disagree 43, Abstain 2, Absent 30: 25.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 76.8%

—Arms Control: 14.3%; Human Rights: 18.2%; Middle East: 88.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 3, Disagree 4, Abstain 0, Absent 4: 42.9%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 71.3%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) X
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) X
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) N
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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GUATEMALA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 22, Disagree 58, Abstain 10, Absent 0: 27.5%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 77.9%
—Arms Control: 29.0%; Human Rights: 40.0%; Middle East: 9.1%
Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 3, Abstain 4, Absent 0: 57.1%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 82.4%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) A
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

GUINEA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 12, Disagree 67, Abstain 6, Absent 5: 15.2%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.5%
—Arms Control: 20.0%; Human Rights: 20.0%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 56.1%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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GUINEA-BISSAU

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 10, Disagree 54, Abstain 4, Absent 22: 15.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.5%

—Arms Control: 16.7%; Human Rights: 30.8%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 7, Abstain 1, Absent 1: 22.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 58.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) X
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

GUYANA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 14, Disagree 65, Abstain 10, Absent 1: 17.7%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.0%

—Arms Control: 29.4%; Human Rights: 22.2%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 7, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 22.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 63.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) A
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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HAITI

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 11, Disagree 49, Abstain 12, Absent 18: 18.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 76.5%
—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 40.0%; Middle East: 12.5%
Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 6, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 40.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 66.9%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

HONDURAS

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 15, Disagree 42, Abstain 10, Absent 23: 26.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 78.5%
—Arms Control: 15.4%; Human Rights: 58.8%; Middle East: 10.0%
Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 1, Abstain 4, Absent 2: 80.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 92.0%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) A
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) X
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) X

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

HUNGARY

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 34, Disagree 40, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 45.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.4%

—Arms Control: 58.6%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

ICELAND

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 34, Disagree 41, Abstain 15, Absent 0: 45.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.1%

—Arms Control: 56.7%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 16.7%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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INDIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 14, Disagree 59, Abstain 17, Absent 0: 19.2%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 77.0%
—Arms Control: 39.3%; Human Rights: 11.8%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 60.0%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) A
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

INDONESIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 12, Disagree 71, Abstain 6, Absent 1: 14.5%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.1%
—Arms Control: 25.8%; Human Rights: 13.6%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 9, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 10.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 54.8%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) A
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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IRAN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 7, Disagree 70, Abstain 10, Absent 3: 9.1%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 72.3%

—Arms Control: 10.7%; Human Rights: 15.8%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 9, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 10.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 54.1%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) A
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

IRAQ

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 7, Disagree 65, Abstain 14, Absent 4: 9.7%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.8%

—Arms Control: 14.3%; Human Rights: 18.8%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 6, Abstain 2, Absent 1: 25.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 65.9%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) X
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) A
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

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IRELAND

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 31, Disagree 44, Abstain 15, Absent 0: 41.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 82.9%
—Arms Control: 50.0%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

ISRAEL

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 57, Disagree 6, Abstain 12, Absent 15: 90.5%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 97.2%
—Arms Control: 86.4%; Human Rights: 94.1%; Middle East: 100.0%
Important Votes (11): Agree 9, Disagree 0, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 100.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 100.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) N
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) N
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) N
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) N
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

ITALY

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 32, Disagree 38, Abstain 15, Absent 5: 45.7%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.3%

—Arms Control: 56.7%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.5%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

JAMAICA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 13, Disagree 66, Abstain 11, Absent 0: 16.5%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.8%

—Arms Control: 25.0%; Human Rights: 21.1%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 8, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 11.1%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 57.9%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) A
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

JAPAN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 35, Disagree 39, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 47.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.8%
—Arms Control: 46.4%; Human Rights: 69.6%; Middle East: 15.4%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%
Security Council votes: 100.0%

Important Issues	VOTES
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....	(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....	(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....	(N) A

JORDAN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 10, Disagree 70, Abstain 8, Absent 2: 12.5%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.0%
—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 21.7%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 0, Absent 1: 20.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.6%

Important Issues	VOTES
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....	(N) Y

Notes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

KAZAKHSTAN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 17, Disagree 63, Abstain 6, Absent 4: 21.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.4%

—Arms Control: 34.5%; Human Rights: 24.0%; Middle East: 6.3%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 7, Abstain 1, Absent 1: 22.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 62.4%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

KENYA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 9, Disagree 58, Abstain 9, Absent 14: 13.4%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.0%

—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 18.2%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 56.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

KIRIBATI

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 0, Disagree 1, Abstain 0, Absent 89: 0.0%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 64.2%

—Arms Control: 0.0%; Human Rights: 0.0%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 0, Disagree 1, Abstain 0, Absent 10: 0.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 8.9%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) X
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) X
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) X
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) X
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) X
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) X
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) X
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) X

KUWAIT

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 7, Disagree 66, Abstain 9, Absent 8: 9.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 72.5%

—Arms Control: 17.9%; Human Rights: 6.3%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 55.3%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

KYRGYZSTAN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 15, Disagree 63, Abstain 9, Absent 3: 19.2%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.4%

—Arms Control: 32.1%; Human Rights: 21.7%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 7, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 22.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 62.6%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) A
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

LAOS

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 5, Disagree 64, Abstain 4, Absent 17: 7.2%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 70.1%

—Arms Control: 11.5%; Human Rights: 7.1%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 1: 11.1%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 52.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) X
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

LATVIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 35, Disagree 39, Abstain 16, Absent 0: 47.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.8%

—Arms Control: 62.1%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

LEBANON

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 8, Disagree 61, Abstain 1, Absent 20: 11.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 71.3%

—Arms Control: 11.1%; Human Rights: 28.6%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 52.2%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

LESOTHO

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 14, Disagree 67, Abstain 4, Absent 5: 17.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.7%

—Arms Control: 28.1%; Human Rights: 22.7%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

LIBERIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 6, Disagree 45, Abstain 4, Absent 35: 11.8%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.4%

—Arms Control: 18.5%; Human Rights: 0.0%; Middle East: 7.1%

Important Votes (11): Agree 1, Disagree 5, Abstain 1, Absent 4: 16.7%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.9%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) A
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) X
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) X
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

LIBYA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 8, Disagree 72, Abstain 10, Absent 0: 10.0%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 72.6%
—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 13.6%; Middle East: 5.9%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 57.1%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

LIECHTENSTEIN

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 32, Disagree 41, Abstain 17, Absent 0: 43.8%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.0%
—Arms Control: 55.2%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

LITHUANIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 34, Disagree 41, Abstain 15, Absent 0: 45.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.1%

—Arms Control: 56.7%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

LUXEMBOURG

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 34, Disagree 41, Abstain 15, Absent 0: 45.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.1%

—Arms Control: 56.7%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.8%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat.....(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements.....(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations.....(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices.....(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures.....(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

MADAGASCAR

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 9, Disagree 43, Abstain 3, Absent 35: 17.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.2%

—Arms Control: 19.2%; Human Rights: 27.3%; Middle East: 16.7%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 3, Abstain 0, Absent 6: 40.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 73.4%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) X
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) X
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) X
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) X
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

MALAWI

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 9, Disagree 51, Abstain 6, Absent 24: 15.0%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.3%

—Arms Control: 14.8%; Human Rights: 22.2%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 4, Abstain 0, Absent 5: 33.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 70.5%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) X
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) X
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) X
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) X
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

MALAYSIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 12, Disagree 70, Abstain 8, Absent 0: 14.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.6%

—Arms Control: 27.3%; Human Rights: 10.5%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 57.1%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

MALDIVES

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 15, Disagree 72, Abstain 1, Absent 2: 17.2%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.0%

—Arms Control: 29.4%; Human Rights: 17.4%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 56.7%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

MALI

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 14, Disagree 67, Abstain 7, Absent 2: 17.3%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.3%
—Arms Control: 27.3%; Human Rights: 21.1%; Middle East: 0.0%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.6%

Important Issues	VOTES
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

MALTA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 31, Disagree 47, Abstain 12, Absent 0: 39.7%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 82.0%
—Arms Control: 50.0%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 13.3%
Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 3, Abstain 3, Absent 0: 62.5%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 83.3%

Important Issues	VOTES
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

MARSHALL ISLANDS

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 47, Disagree 18, Abstain 7, Absent 18: 72.3%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 91.5%

—Arms Control: 54.2%; Human Rights: 93.8%; Middle East: 100.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 9, Disagree 0, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 100.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 100.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) N
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) N
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) N
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) N
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

MAURITANIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 14, Disagree 69, Abstain 6, Absent 1: 16.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.9%

—Arms Control: 14.3%; Human Rights: 36.0%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 3, Disagree 8, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 27.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 61.7%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

MAURITIUS

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 12, Disagree 64, Abstain 13, Absent 1: 15.8%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 75.1%

—Arms Control: 27.6%; Human Rights: 11.1%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 7, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 22.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 63.0%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) A
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

MEXICO

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 19, Disagree 62, Abstain 8, Absent 1: 23.5%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 76.4%

—Arms Control: 23.3%; Human Rights: 41.7%; Middle East: 6.7%

Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 5, Abstain 2, Absent 0: 44.4%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 73.5%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) A
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

MICRONESIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 47, Disagree 16, Abstain 5, Absent 22: 74.6%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 91.9%

—Arms Control: 59.1%; Human Rights: 84.2%; Middle East: 100.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 8, Disagree 1, Abstain 1, Absent 1: 88.9%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.9%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) A
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) N
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) N
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) N
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) X

MONACO

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 33, Disagree 37, Abstain 15, Absent 5: 47.1%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 84.4%

—Arms Control: 63.0%; Human Rights: 58.3%; Middle East: 15.4%

Important Votes (11): Agree 5, Disagree 1, Abstain 5, Absent 0: 83.3%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 93.4%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) A
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) A
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) N
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) Y
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) A
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) A

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

MONGOLIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 11, Disagree 54, Abstain 5, Absent 20: 16.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.1%

—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 33.3%; Middle East: 7.1%

Important Votes (11): Agree 3, Disagree 4, Abstain 2, Absent 2: 42.9%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 73.1%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) X
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) X
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) A
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

MOROCCO

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 11, Disagree 68, Abstain 9, Absent 2: 13.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 73.7%

—Arms Control: 17.2%; Human Rights: 23.8%; Middle East: 5.9%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 0, Absent 1: 20.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.6%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) X
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

V—Country Voting Practices in the United Nations

MOZAMBIQUE

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 5, Disagree 58, Abstain 8, Absent 19: 7.9%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 72.4%

—Arms Control: 14.8%; Human Rights: 9.1%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 55.7%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

MYANMAR (BURMA)

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 10, Disagree 66, Abstain 6, Absent 8: 13.2%

—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 72.8%

—Arms Control: 25.8%; Human Rights: 5.9%; Middle East: 0.0%

Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 9, Abstain 0, Absent 0: 18.2%

—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 55.3%

Important Issues

VOTES

1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....(Y) N
10. International Trade and Development.....(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures(N) Y

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote

Voting Practices in the United Nations—2005

NAMIBIA

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 15, Disagree 68, Abstain 6, Absent 1: 18.1%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 74.3%
—Arms Control: 27.3%; Human Rights: 20.0%; Middle East: 0.0%
Important Votes (11): Agree 2, Disagree 8, Abstain 1, Absent 0: 20.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 59.8%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) Y
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) Y
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) Y
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) Y
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) Y
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) Y
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) Y
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) A
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) Y
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) Y

NAURU

Voting Coincidence Percentages

Overall Votes (90): Agree 8, Disagree 1, Abstain 3, Absent 78: 88.9%
—Including All 183 Consensus Resolutions: 96.7%
—Arms Control: 0.0%; Human Rights: 100.0%; Middle East: 100.0%
Important Votes (11): Agree 4, Disagree 1, Abstain 0, Absent 6: 80.0%
—Including the 10 Important Consensus Resolutions: 83.8%

Important Issues	<u>VOTES</u>
1. U.S. Embargo of Cuba.....	(N) Y
2. Human Rights in Sudan.....	(N) N
3. Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People.....	(N) N
4. Division for Palestinian Rights of the Secretariat	(N) N
5. Compliance with Non-Proliferation Agreements	(Y) X
6. Follow-up to Nuclear Disarmament Obligations	(N) X
7. Work of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices	(N) N
8. Strengthening the Role of the United Nations in Elections.....	(Y) X
9. Human Rights in Iran.....	(Y) X
10. International Trade and Development.....	(N) X
11. Unilateral Economic Measures	(N) X

Votes: Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, X=Absent, ()=U.S. Vote