



Appendix 3

Zonta Countries Chronologically Listed

January 2020

Countries are grouped as follows: Africa, Asia, Australia/New Zealand, Europe, North America, and South America (including Central America).

Clubs in Cyprus, Egypt, Iran, Israel, Lebanon and Turkey and are classified as “Europe” because clubs were allocated to European districts.

The figures in brackets indicate different occasions on which Zonta was established in a country. For example, “Australia (1)” indicates the first time a Zonta club was established in that country. That club lapsed in 1935, but with “Australia (2)” in 1966, Zonta was re-established.

When Zonta has been established in a country more than once, two numbers are recorded (e.g. Dominican Republic appears as numbers 59 and 83). As there are three such instances, the actual number of countries in which Zonta has operated, as of January 2020, is 92.

No.	Charter Year	Last club closed	Country	Groupings of countries
1	1919		USA	North America
2	1927		Canada	North America
3	1930	1935	Australia (1)	Australia/New Zealand
4	1930		Austria	Europe
5	1931		Germany	Europe
6	1935		Denmark	Europe
7	1935		Sweden	Europe
8	1941		Iceland	Europe
9	1947		Finland	Europe
10	1947		Norway	Europe
11	1948		Switzerland	Europe
12	1948		Chile	South America
13	1949		England	Europe

14	1950		France ¹	Europe
15	1952		Philippines	Asia
16	1957	2006	Guatemala	South America
17	1960		India	Asia
18	1960	1980	Pakistan	Asia
19	1961	2009	Mexico	South America
20	1962		Japan	Asia
21	1963	1979	Iran ²	Europe
22	1963	1978	Turkey ³ (1)	Europe
23	1964		Italy	Europe
24	1964		Taiwan	Asia
25	1964		Netherlands	Europe
26	1965		New Zealand	Australia/New Zealand
27	1966	2016	Scotland	Europe
28	1966		Australia (2)	Australia/New Zealand
29	1966		Greece	Europe
30	1966		Sri Lanka	Asia
31	1966		Puerto Rico ⁴	South America
32	1966		Hong Kong	Asia
33	1966		South Korea	Asia
34	1967		Belgium	Europe
35	1968		Bangladesh	Asia
36	1969		Thailand	Asia
37	1970		Ghana	Africa
38	1970		Nigeria	Africa
39	1970	1980	Liberia	Africa
40	1970		Sierra Leone	Africa
41	1970	1996	Kenya	Africa
42	1970		Senegal	Africa
43	1970		Ivory Coast	Africa
44	1970	2001	Colombia	South America
45	1970	2012	Ireland	Europe
46	1970		Uruguay	South America
47	1971		Singapore	Asia
48	1971	1982	Portugal	Europe
49	1973	2001	Indonesia	Asia
50	1974	1977	El Salvador	South America
51	1976	2017	Argentina	South America
52	1980	1995	Egypt ⁵	Europe
53	1980	1995	Costa Rica	South America
54	1980	1990	Honduras	South America
55	1981	2010	Brazil	South America

¹ France includes Guadeloupe, a French Department in the Caribbean. Zonta operated in Guadeloupe from 1993 to 1997 as part of District 22. Guadeloupe rejoined in 2004 as part of District 29, Area 1.

² Clubs in Iran were initially grouped with Asian clubs, but were transferred to District XIV in Europe.

³ As at January 2020, clubs in Turkey belong to District 28, Area 3, in Europe

⁴ Puerto Rico is an unincorporated territory of the USA. Clubs belong to District 11 in North America.

⁵ Clubs in Egypt belonged to District 14 in Europe.

56	1982		Bahamas ⁶	South America
57	1982	1984	Jamaica ⁷	South America
58	1985		Liechtenstein	Europe
59	1988	1991	Dominican Republic (1)	South America
60	1988	1993	Peru	South America
61	1988		Togo	Africa
62	1990	2004	Israel ⁸	Europe
63	1990		Burkina Faso	Africa
64	1991		Hungary	Europe
65	1991	2018 (Mar.)	Czech Republic.	Europe
66	1991		Estonia	Europe
67	1991	2019 (July)	Poland	Europe
68	1991		Turkey (2)	Europe
69	1991		Russia	Europe
70	1992	2007 (April)	Slovak Republic	Europe
71	1993		Luxembourg	Europe
72	1993	1995	Bolivia	South America
73	1993	2003	Paraguay	South America
74	1993		Latvia	Europe
75	1994		Croatia	Europe
76	1994		Monaco	Europe
77	1994		Lithuania	Europe
78	1995		Cyprus ⁹	Europe
79	1995		Bulgaria	Europe
80	1996	2017 (July)	Malaysia	Asia
81	1997	2009	South Africa	Africa
82	1997		Ukraine	Europe
83	1997	2003	Dominican Republic (2)	South America
84	1999	2007	Cameroon	Africa
85	1999	2004	Guinea	Africa
86	2000		Benin	Africa
87	2004	2019 (Oct.)	Macedonia	Europe
88	2004		Mongolia	Asia
89	2005		Spain	Europe
90	2006		Romania	Europe
91	2010		British Virgin Islands ¹⁰	South America
92	2012		Nepal	Asia
93	2013		Lebanon ¹¹	Europe
94	2014		Uganda	Africa
95	2014		Macau	Asia

⁶ As at January 2020, clubs in the Bahamas belong to District 11 in North America.

⁷ Clubs in Jamaica belonged to District 11 in North America.

⁸ Clubs in Israel belonged to District 14 in Europe.

⁹ As at January 2020, the club in Cyprus belongs to District 14, Area 4, in Europe

¹⁰ As at January 2020, the club In British Virgin Islands belongs to District 11 in North America.

¹¹ As at January 2020, the club in Lebanon belongs to District 14, Area 4, in Europe