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**Initial distribution of votes in the Council  
for coffee year 2021/22 in accordance with  
the provisions of paragraph (6) of Article 12  
of the International Coffee Agreement 2007**

**(Calculated as at 6 June 2022)**

## **Background**

1. This document contains the revised initial distribution of votes in the Council for coffee year 2021/22, calculated in accordance with the relevant provisions of Article 12 of the 2007 Agreement.
2. In order to permit the Council to take a decision on the distribution of votes for each category of Member in coffee year 2021/22, it is necessary, in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs (3) and (4) of Article 12, to establish the average volume of exports of coffee to all destinations (exporting Members) and of imports of coffee from all sources (importing Members), over the preceding four calendar years from 2017 to 2020. The votes for exporting and importing Members have been calculated on the basis of the statistical data contained in document [ED-2378/21 Rev. 2](#).
3. The Secretariat has revised the initial distribution of votes approved in September 2021, as shown in Tables 1 and 2, to reflect accurately the membership of the Organization as at 6 June 2022.
4. The redistribution of votes, as shown in Tables 3 and 4, is based on the provisions of [ICC Resolution 470](#), which temporarily suspends Members in persistent arrears.

## **Action**

The Council is requested to approve this document.

**TABLE 1**  
**EXPORTING MEMBERS**  
**INITIAL DISTRIBUTION OF VOTES IN THE COUNCIL**  
**COFFEE YEAR 2021/22**

Exporting Members	Average exports (60-kg bags)	Share in total exports	Votes			Percentage share of all votes
			Basic	Proportional	Total	
<b>(a) Members of the ICA 2007</b>						
Angola	13,509	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	21,967	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Brazil	37,981,034	34.01	5	269	274	13.70
Burundi	223,372	0.20	5	2	7	0.35
Cameroon	241,017	0.22	5	2	7	0.35
Central African Republic	27,479	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Colombia	12,989,139	11.63	5	92	97	4.85
Costa Rica	1,094,384	0.98	5	8	13	0.65
Côte d'Ivoire	1,474,188	1.32	5	11	16	0.80
Cuba	21,315	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Democratic Republic of Congo	164,537	0.15	5	1	6	0.30
Ecuador	531,228	0.48	5	4	9	0.45
El Salvador	498,422	0.45	5	4	9	0.45
Ethiopia	3,706,118	3.32	5	26	31	1.55
Gabon	12	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Ghana	10,601	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Honduras	6,628,043	5.94	5	47	52	2.60
India	5,945,248	5.32	5	42	47	2.35
Indonesia	6,564,084	5.88	5	47	52	2.60
Kenya	789,628	0.71	5	6	11	0.55
Liberia	5,045	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Madagascar	22,232	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Malawi	13,578	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Mexico	2,877,388	2.58	5	20	25	1.25
Nepal	1,219	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Nicaragua	2,579,995	2.31	5	18	23	1.15
Nigeria	2,283	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Panama	48,210	0.04	5	0	5	0.25
Papua New Guinea	787,187	0.70	5	6	11	0.55
Peru	3,822,778	3.42	5	27	32	1.60
Philippines	6,578	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Rwanda	315,548	0.28	5	2	7	0.35
Sierra Leone	35,615	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Tanzania	852,132	0.76	5	6	11	0.55
Thailand	199,952	0.18	5	1	6	0.30
Timor-Leste	89,122	0.08	5	1	6	0.30
Togo	60,075	0.05	5	0	5	0.25
Venezuela	31,252	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Viet Nam	20,928,345	18.74	5	148	153	7.65
Yemen	32,118	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Zambia	20,179	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Zimbabwe	4,318	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>111,660,471</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>50.00</b>

**TABLE 2**  
**IMPORTING MEMBERS**  
**INITIAL DISTRIBUTION OF VOTES IN THE COUNCIL**  
**COFFEE YEAR 2021/22**

Importing Members	Average exports (60-kg bags )	Share in total exports	Basic	Votes		Percentage share of all votes
				Proportional	Total	
<b>(a) Members of the ICA 2007</b>						
<b>European Union</b>	<b>51,351,921</b>	<b>68.85</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>33.30</b>
Austria						
Belgium						
Bulgaria						
Croatia						
Cyprus						
Czech Republic						
Denmark						
Estonia						
Finland						
France						
Germany						
Greece						
Hungary						
Ireland						
Italy						
Latvia						
Lithuania						
Luxembourg						
Malta						
Netherlands						
Poland						
Portugal						
Romania						
Slovakia						
Slovenia						
Spain						
Sweden						
Japan	7,635,660	10.24	5	100	105	5.25
Norway	790,594	1.06	5	10	15	0.75
Russian Federation	5,733,747	7.69	5	75	80	4.00
Switzerland	3,192,886	4.28	5	42	47	2.35
Tunisia	523,114	0.70	5	7	12	0.60
United Kingdom	5,357,083	7.18	5	70	75	3.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>74,585,005</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>50</b>

**TABLE 3**  
**EXPORTING MEMBERS**  
**REDISTRIBUTION - EXCLUDING COUNTRIES WITH CONTRIBUTIONS IN ARREARS OVER 21 MONTHS**  
**COFFEE YEAR 2021/22**  
**AS AT 6 JUNE 2022**

Exporting Members	Average	Percentage	Votes			Percentage
	exports (60-kg bags )	share in total exports	Basic	Proportional	Total	share of all votes
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>111,660,471</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>(a) Members of the ICA 2007</b>						
Angola	13,509	0.01	5	0	5	0.50
Brazil	37,981,034	34.36	5	294	299	29.90
Cameroon	241,017	0.22	5	2	7	0.70
Colombia	12,989,139	11.75	5	101	106	10.60
Costa Rica	1,094,384	0.99	5	8	13	1.30
Côte d'Ivoire	1,474,188	1.33	5	11	16	1.60
El Salvador	498,422	0.45	5	4	9	0.90
Ethiopia	3,706,118	3.35	5	29	34	3.40
Gabon	12	0.00	5	0	5	0.50
Ghana	10,601	0.01	5	0	5	0.50
Honduras	6,628,043	6.00	5	51	56	5.60
India	5,945,248	5.38	5	46	51	5.10
Indonesia	6,564,084	5.94	5	51	56	5.60
Kenya	789,628	0.71	5	6	11	1.10
Madagascar	22,232	0.02	5	0	5	0.50
Mexico	2,877,388	2.60	5	22	27	2.70
Nepal	1,219	0.00	5	0	5	0.50
Nicaragua	2,579,995	2.33	5	20	25	2.50
Nigeria	2,283	0.00	5	0	5	0.50
Panama	48,210	0.04	5	0	5	0.50
Papua New Guinea	787,187	0.71	5	6	11	1.10
Peru	3,822,778	3.46	5	30	35	3.50
Philippines	6,578	0.01	5	0	5	0.50
Rwanda	315,548	0.29	5	2	7	0.70
Tanzania	852,132	0.77	5	7	12	1.20
Thailand	199,952	0.18	5	2	7	0.70
Timor-Leste	89,122	0.08	5	1	6	0.60
Togo	60,075	0.05	5	0	5	0.50
Vietnam	20,928,345	18.93	5	162	167	16.70
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>110,528,470</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>(b) Members of the ICA 2007 in persistent arrears</b>						
Bolivia	21,967	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Burundi	223,372	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Central African Republic	27,479	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Congo, Dem. Rep. of	164,537	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Cuba	21,315	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Ecuador	531,228	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Liberia	5,045	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Malawi	13,578	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Sierra Leone	35,615	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Venezuela	31,252	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Yemen	32,118	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Zambia	20,179	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Zimbabwe	4,318	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>1,132,001</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**TABLE 4**  
**IMPORTING MEMBERS**  
**REDISTRIBUTION OF VOTES IN THE COUNCIL**  
**COFFEE YEAR 2021/22**  
**AS AT 22 SEPTEMBER 2021**

Importing Members	Average imports (60-kg bags )	Percentage share in total imports	Basic	Votes		Percentage share of all votes
				Proportional	Total	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>74,585,005</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>50.00</b>
<i>European Union</i>	<i>51,351,921</i>	<i>68.85</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>661</i>	<i>666</i>	<i>33.30</i>
Japan	7,635,660	10.24	5	100	105	5.25
Norway	790,594	1.06	5	10	15	0.75
Russian Federation	5,733,747	7.69	5	75	80	4.00
Switzerland	3,192,886	4.28	5	42	47	2.35
Tunisia	523,114	0.70	5	7	12	0.60
United Kingdom	5,357,083	7.18	5	70	75	3.75