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Distribution of votes for the calculation of contributions for coffee year 2026/27 in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (6) of Article 12 of the International Coffee Agreement 2007 (Calculated as at 11 September 2026)

Background

1. This document contains the distribution of votes for the calculation of contributions for coffee year 2026/27, 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 2026/27, 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 2022 to 2025. The votes for exporting and importing Members have been calculated on the basis of the statistical data contained in document [ED-2516/26 Rev. 1](#).
3. This distribution of votes for the calculation of contributions, as shown in Tables 1 and 2, is based on the membership of the Organization under the International Coffee Agreement 2007 as at 11 September 2026.
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 2026/27
As at 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

Exporting Members	Average exports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total exports	Basic	Votes Proportional	Total	Percentage share of all votes
TOTAL	106,828,212	100.00	210	790	1,000	50.00
Angola	17,766	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	37,542	0.04	5	0	5	0.25
Brazil	42,569,813	39.85	5	315	320	16.00
Burundi	163,177	0.15	5	1	6	0.30
Cameroon	172,173	0.16	5	1	6	0.30
Central African Republic	17,625	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Colombia	11,972,379	11.21	5	89	94	4.70
Costa Rica	1,027,218	0.96	5	8	13	0.65
Côte d'Ivoire	990,015	0.93	5	7	12	0.60
Cuba	13,329	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Democratic Republic of Congo	177,050	0.17	5	1	6	0.30
Ecuador	551,396	0.52	5	4	9	0.45
El Salvador	470,495	0.44	5	4	9	0.45
Ethiopia	5,320,618	4.98	5	39	44	2.20
Gabon	0	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Ghana	8,319	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Honduras	4,822,585	4.51	5	36	41	2.05
India	6,591,890	6.17	5	49	54	2.70
Indonesia	7,931,762	7.42	5	59	64	3.20
Kenya	854,714	0.80	5	6	11	0.55
Liberia	0	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Madagascar	64,667	0.06	5	0	5	0.25
Malawi	8,083	0.01	5	0	5	0.25
Mexico	3,088,871	2.89	5	23	28	1.40
Nepal	1,235	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Nicaragua	2,413,710	2.26	5	18	23	1.15
Nigeria	558	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Panama	30,885	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Papua New Guinea	853,125	0.80	5	6	11	0.55
Peru	3,915,766	3.67	5	29	34	1.70
Philippines	4,800	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Rwanda	272,116	0.25	5	2	7	0.35
Sierra Leone	31,575	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Tanzania	857,468	0.80	5	6	11	0.55
Thailand	223,344	0.21	5	2	7	0.35
Timor-Leste	98,078	0.09	5	1	6	0.30
Togo	93,218	0.09	5	1	6	0.30
Venezuela	79,025	0.07	5	1	6	0.30
Vietnam	10,945,331	10.25	5	81	86	4.30
Yemen	47,326	0.04	5	0	5	0.25
Zambia	87,677	0.08	5	1	6	0.30
Zimbabwe	1,485	0.00	5	0	5	0.25

TABLE 2
IMPORTING MEMBERS
INITIAL DISTRIBUTION OF VOTES IN THE COUNCIL
COFFEE YEAR 2026/27
As at 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

Importing Members	Average imports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total imports	Basic	Votes Proportional	Total	Percentage share of all votes
TOTAL	104,205,437	100.00	35	965	1,000	50.00
<i>European Union</i>	<i>81,555,347</i>	<i>78.26</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>661</i>	<i>666</i>	<i>33.30</i>
Austria						
Belgium/Luxembourg						
Bulgaria						
Croatia						
Cyprus						
Czech Republic						
Denmark						
Estonia						
Finland						
France						
Germany						
Greece						
Hungary						
Ireland						
Italy						
Latvia						
Lithuania						
Malta						
Netherlands						
Poland						
Portugal						
Romania						
Slovakia						
Slovenia						
Spain						
Sweden						
Japan	6,983,995	6.70	5	94	99	4.95
Norway	737,717	0.71	5	10	15	0.75
Russian Federation	5,430,927	5.21	5	73	78	3.90
Switzerland	3,747,614	3.60	5	50	55	2.75
Tunisia	474,102	0.45	5	6	11	0.55
United Kingdom	5,275,735	5.06	5	71	76	3.80

TABLE 3
EXPORTING MEMBERS
REDISTRIBUTION OF VOTES EXCLUDING MEMBERS IN PERSISTENT ARREARS
COFFEE YEAR 2026/27
As at 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

Exporting Members	Average exports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total exports	Basic	Votes		Percentage share of all votes
				Proportional	Total	
TOTAL	106,828,212	100.00	145	855	1,000	50.00
Angola	17,766	0.02	5	0	5	0.25
Brazil	42,569,813	40.30	5	345	350	17.50
Burundi	163,177	0.15	5	1	6	0.30
Cameroon	172,173	0.16	5	1	6	0.30
Colombia	11,972,379	11.33	5	97	102	5.10
Costa Rica	1,027,218	0.97	5	8	13	0.65
Côte d'Ivoire	990,015	0.94	5	8	13	0.65
Democratic Republic of Congo	177,050	0.17	5	1	6	0.30
Ecuador	551,396	0.52	5	4	9	0.45
El Salvador	470,495	0.45	5	4	9	0.45
Ethiopia	5,320,618	5.04	5	43	48	2.40
Gabon	0	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Honduras	4,822,585	4.57	5	39	44	2.20
India	6,591,890	6.24	5	53	58	2.90
Indonesia	7,931,762	7.51	5	64	69	3.45
Kenya	854,714	0.81	5	7	12	0.60
Mexico	3,088,871	2.92	5	25	30	1.50
Madagascar	64,667	0.06	5	1	6	0.30
Nepal	1,235	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Nicaragua	2,413,710	2.28	5	20	25	1.25
Panama	30,885	0.03	5	0	5	0.25
Papua New Guinea	853,125	0.81	5	7	12	0.60
Peru	3,915,766	3.71	5	32	37	1.85
Philippines	4,800	0.00	5	0	5	0.25
Rwanda	272,116	0.26	5	2	7	0.35
Thailand	223,344	0.21	5	2	7	0.35
Timor-Leste	98,078	0.09	5	1	6	0.30
Togo	93,218	0.09	5	1	6	0.30
Vietnam	10,945,331	10.36	5	89	94	4.70
Sub-total	105,638,199	100	145	855	1,000	50
(b) Members of the ICA 2007 in persistent arrears						
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	37,542	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Central African Republic	17,625	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Cuba	13,329	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Ghana	8,319	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Liberia	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Malawi	8,083	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Nigeria	558	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Sierra Leone	31,575	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Tanzania	857,468	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Venezuela	79,025	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Yemen	47,326	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Zambia	87,677	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Zimbabwe	1,485	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Sub-total	1,190,013	0.00	0	0	0	0.00

TABLE 4
IMPORTING MEMBERS
REDISTRIBUTION OF VOTES EXCLUDING MEMBERS IN PERSISTENT ARREARS
COFFEE YEAR 2026/27
As at 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

Importing Members	Average imports (60-kg bags)	Percentage share in total imports	Basic	Votes Proportional	Total	Percentage share of all votes
TOTAL	104,205,437	100.00	30	970	1,000	50.00
European Union	81,555,347	82.57	5	661	666	33.30
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Belgium/Luxembourg						
Bulgaria						
Croatia						
Cyprus						
Czech Republic						
Denmark						
Estonia						
Finland						
France						
Germany						
Greece						
Hungary						
Ireland						
Italy						
Latvia						
Lithuania						
Malta						
Netherlands						
Poland						
Portugal						
Romania						
Slovakia						
Slovenia						
Spain						
Sweden						
Japan	6,983,995	7.07	5	125	130	6.50
Norway	737,717	0.75	5	13	18	0.90
Switzerland	3,747,614	3.79	5	67	72	3.60
Tunisia	474,102	0.48	5	9	14	0.70
United Kingdom	5,275,735	5.34	5	95	100	5.00
Sub-total	98,774,510	100	30	970	1,000	50
(b) Member of the ICA 2007 in persistent arrears						
Russian Federation	5,430,927	0.00	0	0	0	0.00
Sub-total	5,430,927	0.00	0	0	0	0.00

NOTES TO TABLES

1. Paragraph 2 of Article 12 of the ICA 2007 states that each Member shall have 5 basic votes.
2. Paragraph 5 of Article 12 states that the EU shall hold votes as a single Member.
3. Paragraph 7 of Article 12 states that the Council shall provide for the redistribution of votes in accordance with the provisions of this Article whenever there is a change in the membership of the Organization or if the voting rights of a Member are suspended or regained under the provisions of Article 21.
4. Paragraph 8 of Article 12 states that no Member shall hold two-thirds or more of the votes in its category.
5. Paragraph 2 of Article 21 states that 'if any Member fails to pay its full contribution to the Administrative Budget within six months of the date on which the contribution is due, its voting rights and its right to participate in meetings of specialized committees shall be suspended until its contribution has been paid in full. However, unless the Council so decides, such Member shall not be deprived of any of its other rights nor relieved of any of its obligations under this Agreement.' As decided by the Council in March 2013 (see document [ICC-110-16](#)), in the case of contributions where there is a small underpayment, the Executive Director should have discretion to ignore these shortfalls when determining votes. The amount of the shortfall is defined as £1,000 or 5% of the Member's contribution, whichever is the greater, provided also that the outstanding contribution will be paid by the Member in the following financial year.