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Members	146	national standards bodies, comprising				
	99 36	member bodies				
	30 11	correspondent members subscriber members				
Technical Committee	2952	technical bodies, comprising				
structure	190	technical committees				
	544 2188	subcommittees working groups and				
	30	ad hoc study groups				
		For details, see ISO Memento				
Staff Technical secretariats	37	member bodies provide the administrative and technical services for the secretariats of technical committees (TC) and subcommittees (SC)				
	500	These services involve a full-time staff equivalent of persons				
	500					
Central Secretariat in Geneva	151 21	full-time staff from countries coordinate the worldwide activities of ISO				
Financing	120	million CHF per year is the estimated cost for the operation of TC/SC secretariats financed by				
	37	member bodies holding TC and SC secretariats				
	30	million CHF represents the operational cost of the ISO Central Secretariat financed				
	65%	through membership fees				
	35%	through sales of publications and other income from services				

Development of International Standards					
Total at 31 December 2004	14941	International Standards and standards-type documents			
2004	531 324	These standards represent a total output of pages in English and French (terminology is also often provided in other languages)			
in 2004	1 247	International Standards and standards-type documents published			
	59527	This output represents a total of pages for 2004			
		For details, see ISO Catalogue			
Work in progress at	4 176	work items appear on the programmes of work of the technical committees			
31 December		The breakdown is as follows:			
2004	895	new work items at preparatory stage			
	1 2 5 1	committee drafts			
	2 030	draft International Standards (DIS) and final draft International Standards (FDIS)			
in 2004	509	new work items registered			
	796	committee drafts registered			
	2 3 9 7	draft International Standards and final draft International Standards registered			
		For details, see ISO CataloguePlus on CD-ROM			

PRODUCTION BY TECHNICAL SECTOR

Sectors as based on the International Classification for Standards (ICS)		DIS/FDIS		INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS			
		Total	New	No. of pages	Total	No. of pages	
Generalities, infrastructures and sciences	234	195	103	5 482	1 366	45 748	
Health, safety and environment	146	125	55	1736	633	18 791	
Engineering technologies	726	560	443	21 292	3 860	157 996	
Electronics, information technology and telecommunications	379	297	176	16 590	2 287	149 261	
Transport and distribution of goods	235	233	126	4 179	1 621	40 828	
Agriculture and food technology	98	78	67	1 813	924	19 216	
Materials technologies	490	449	244	7 380	3 833	87 765	
Construction	72	67	26	850	299	8 799	
Special technologies	17	26	7	205	118	2 920	
TOTAL	2 397	2 030	1 247	59 527	14 941	531 324	

New : between 1 January and 31 December 2004 Total : at 31 December 2004 A **new** draft can be registered as both DIS and FDIS in the same year

Proportion by sector (by percent) of total output

100%	90%	80%	70%	60%	50%	40%	30%	20%	10%
Generalities/Te Sociology/Serv	erminology/Standa rices/Company org	es and science ardization/Docume ganization and mai	entation (01) –	istration/Transpor	t (03) —			9,6 9,1	
Mathematics/I	Vatural sciences () 					1	7,1	
Health care teo									6,2
Environment ai	nd health protection	on/Safety (13)							4,2
	ı technologies					27	.6		
for general use	e (21) – Fluid syste	ysical phenomena ms and componen ering (27) – Electri	its for general use	e (23) – Manufact	uring engineering	(25) –	25,9		
Electronics (31	, information te	echnology and ations/Audio and v	telecommuni	cations				14,6	
	hnology/Office ma		ndeo engineering	(33) -				15,3	
	nd distribution		(45) 014 4 4					11,5	
Aircraft and sp		Railway engineerii neering (49) – Mat ods (55)			structures (47) –			10,8	
	and food tech	nology							3,8
Agriculture (65 Food technolog									6,2
Materials te	chnologies						22,1		
Textile and lea	ther technology (5	9) – Clothing indu: ies (75) – Metallu	stry (61) – Chemic ray (77) – Wood t	cal technology (71) – Mining and mi	nerals (73) –			
industries (81)	 Rubber and plas 	stics industries (83) – Paper technol	ogy (85) – Paint a	nd colour industrie	es (87)	25,7		1
Construction m	n naterials and build	ing (01)							3,3
Civil engineerii	ng (93)	iiig (31) —							2,0
Special tec	hnologies								10
Military engine	eering (95) –	ment/Entertainme	nt/Sports (97)						1,3
bomostic and (sommerenar equipi	nontr Enter tamille							0,8
Vote – Figures	s in brackets con	respond to ICS f	ields.			DIS/FDIS		Interna Standa	

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Meetings in 2004	10	technical meetings are in progress, on average, each working day of the year somewhere in the world				
	995	technical meetings were held in 30 countries,comprising				
	98	meetings of technical committees				
	290	meetings of subcommittees				
	567	meetings of working groups or ad hoc groups				
Liaisons	581	international organizations are in liaison with ISO technical committees and subcommittees				
Electronic access to technical information		Complete information on ISO's standardization activities (including the <i>ISO Memento</i> and the <i>ISO Catalogue</i> ,) is available from ISO Online , accessible on the Web at the following address: www.iso.org				
		Users will find here				
	14941	bibliographic data items on ISO International Standards				
	4 176	bibliographic data items on draft ISO International Standards.				
	700000	Through ISO Online, by accessing <i>World Standards Services Network</i> <i>(WSSN)</i> , users can also access information on standardization developments within a number of international, regional and national standardizing bodies and on some bibliographic data related to standards, technical regulations and other standards-type documents from all over the world.				