

Seventh-day Adventist World Church Statistics—2003

Churches, Companies, Membership, and Employees

Churches—World	55,826
North American Division	5,024
Companies—World	58,707
North American Division	579
Church Membership—World	13,406,554
North American Division	992,046
Total Accessions	991,717
Baptisms.....	966,541
Professions of Faith.....	25,176
Ordained Ministers, Active.....	15,229
Total Active Employees	216,713

Mission to the World

Countries and Areas of the World as Recognized by the United Nations.....	230
Countries and Areas of the World in Which Seventh-day Adventist Work is Established....	204
Languages Used in Seventh-day Adventist Publications and Oral Work.....	882
Divisions	13
Union Conferences and Missions	99
Local Conferences and Missions.....	539

Educational Program

Total Schools.....	6709
Tertiary Institutions	99
Worker Training Institutions.....	39
Secondary Schools	1,318
Primary Schools	5,253
Total Enrollment	1,254,179
Tertiary Institutions	83,588
Worker Training Institutions.....	5,270
Secondary Schools	309,290
Primary Schools	856,031

Food Industries.....	27
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Healthcare Ministry

Hospitals and Sanitariums.....	165
Nursing Homes and Retirement Centers.....	123
Clinics and Dispensaries	432
Orphanages and Children's Homes.....	34
Airplanes and Medical Launches.....	10
Outpatient Visits	13,416,725

Media Centers 9

Publishing Work

Publishing Houses and Branches 56
 Literature Evangelists, Credentialed and Licensed 7,312
 Languages Used in Publications 349

Sabbath Schools

Sabbath Schools 116,892
 Sabbath School Membership 17,423,111

Contributions

In US Dollars

Tithe—World \$1,231,293,999
 North American Division \$727,180,608
 Tithe Per Capita—World \$97.95
 North American Division \$755.09
 Sabbath School Mission Offerings—World \$44,132,835
 North American Division \$19,984,170
 Ingathering—World \$10,243,240
 North American Division \$2,517,507
 Total Tithe and Offerings—World \$1,875,728,145
 North American Division \$1,154,464,002
 Total Tithe and Offerings Per Capita—World \$149.22
 North American Division \$1,198.77

Adventist Development and Relief Agency International (ADRA)

Countries and Areas of the World Where ADRA is Involved 122
 Total Projects Funded 2,325
 Development 1,358
 Relief 967
 Beneficiaries of Projects 23,076,047
 Value of Total Aid \$121,550,016