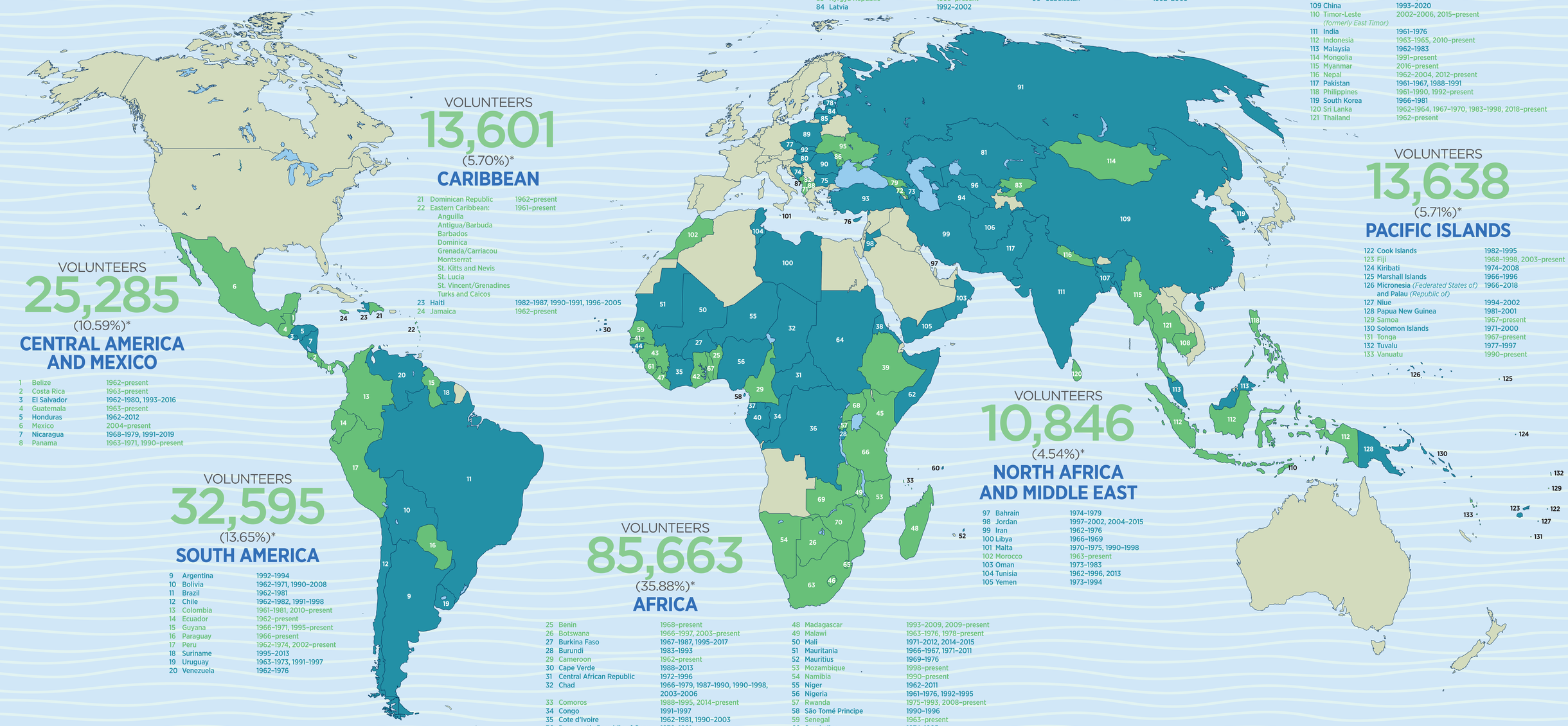
PEACE CORPS
AT A GLANCE
1961–2020



VOLUNTEERS
25,285
(10.59%)*

CENTRAL AMERICA AND MEXICO

1	Belize	1962–present
2	Costa Rica	1963–present
3	El Salvador	1962–1980, 1993–2016
4	Guatemala	1963–present
5	Honduras	1962–2012
6	Mexico	2004–present
7	Nicaragua	1968–1979, 1991–2019
8	Panama	1963–1971, 1990–present

VOLUNTEERS
13,601
(5.70%)*

CARIBBEAN

21	Dominican Republic	1962–present
22	Eastern Caribbean: Anguilla, Antigua/Barbuda, Barbados, Dominica, Grenada/Carriacou, Montserrat, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent/Grenadines, Turks and Caicos	1961–present
23	Haiti	1982–1987, 1990–1991, 1996–2005
24	Jamaica	1962–present

VOLUNTEERS
32,595
(13.65%)*

SOUTH AMERICA

9	Argentina	1992–1994
10	Bolivia	1962–1971, 1990–2008
11	Brazil	1962–1981
12	Chile	1962–1982, 1991–1998
13	Colombia	1961–1981, 2010–present
14	Ecuador	1962–present
15	Guyana	1966–1971, 1995–present
16	Paraguay	1966–present
17	Peru	1962–1974, 2002–present
18	Suriname	1995–2013
19	Uruguay	1963–1973, 1991–1997
20	Venezuela	1962–1976

VOLUNTEERS
20,753
(8.69%)*

EASTERN EUROPE AND CENTRAL ASIA

71	Albania	1992–1997, 2003–present
72	Armenia	1992–present
73	Azerbaijan	2003–2016
74	Bosnia and Herzegovina	2000–2002
75	Bulgaria	1991–2013
76	Cyprus	1962–1964
77	Czech Republic	1990–1997
78	Estonia	1992–2002
79	Georgia	2001–present
80	Hungary	1990–1997
81	Kazakhstan	1993–2011
82	Kosovo	2014–present
83	Kyrgyz Republic	1993–present
84	Latvia	1992–2002
85	Lithuania	1992–2002
86	Moldova	1993–present
87	Montenegro	Opening 2020
88	North Macedonia *(formerly Republic of Macedonia)*	1996–present
89	Poland	1990–2001
90	Romania	1991–2013
91	Russia	1992–2003
92	Slovak Republic	1990–2002
93	Turkey	1962–1971
94	Turkmenistan	1993–2013
95	Ukraine	1992–present
96	Uzbekistan	1992–2005

VOLUNTEERS
85,663
(35.88%)*

AFRICA

25	Benin	1968–present
26	Botswana	1966–1997, 2003–present
27	Burkina Faso	1967–1987, 1995–2017
28	Burundi	1983–1993
29	Cameroon	1962–present
30	Cape Verde	1988–2013
31	Central African Republic	1972–1996
32	Chad	1966–1979, 1987–1990, 1990–1998, 2003–2006
33	Comoros	1988–1995, 2014–present
34	Congo	1991–1997
35	Cote d'Ivoire	1962–1981, 1990–2003
36	Democratic Republic of Congo *(formerly Zaire)*	1970–1991
37	Equatorial Guinea	1988–1993
38	Eritrea	1995–1998
39	Ethiopia	1962–1977, 1995–1999, 2007–present
40	Gabon	1963–1968, 1973–2005
41	The Gambia	1967–present
42	Ghana	1961–present
43	Guinea	1963–1966, 1969–1971, 1985–present
44	Guinea-Bissau	1988–1998
45	Kenya	1964–2014, 2019–present
46	Lesotho	1967–present
47	Liberia	1962–1990, 2008–present
48	Madagascar	1993–2009, 2009–present
49	Malawi	1963–1976, 1978–present
50	Mali	1971–2012, 2014–2015
51	Mauritania	1966–1967, 1971–2011
52	Mauritius	1969–1976
53	Mozambique	1998–present
54	Namibia	1990–present
55	Niger	1962–2011
56	Nigeria	1961–1976, 1992–1995
57	Rwanda	1975–1993, 2008–present
58	São Tomé Principe	1990–1996
59	Senegal	1963–present
60	Seychelles	1974–1995
61	Sierra Leone	1962–1994, 2010–present
62	Somalia	1962–1970
63	South Africa	1997–present
64	Sudan *(now North and South Sudan)*	1984–1986
65	Eswatini *(formerly Swaziland)*	1969–1996, 2003–present
66	Tanzania *(formerly Tanganyika)*	1961–1969, 1979–present
67	Togo	1962–present
68	Uganda	1964–1972, 1991–1999, 2001–present
69	Zambia	1994–present
70	Zimbabwe	1991–2001

VOLUNTEERS
10,846
(4.54%)*

NORTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST

97	Bahrain	1974–1979
98	Jordan	1997–2002, 2004–2015
99	Iran	1962–1976
100	Libya	1966–1969
101	Malta	1970–1975, 1990–1998
102	Morocco	1963–present
103	Oman	1973–1983
104	Tunisia	1962–1996, 2013
105	Yemen	1973–1994

VOLUNTEERS
36,393
(15.24%)*

ASIA

106	Afghanistan	1962–1979
107	Bangladesh	1998–2006
108	Cambodia	2007–present
109	China	1993–2020
110	Timor-Leste *(formerly East Timor)*	2002–2006, 2015–present
111	India	1961–1976
112	Indonesia	1963–1965, 2010–present
113	Malaysia	1962–1983
114	Mongolia	1991–present
115	Myanmar	2016–present
116	Nepal	1962–2004, 2012–present
117	Pakistan	1961–1967, 1988–1991
118	Philippines	1961–1990, 1992–present
119	South Korea	1966–1981
120	Sri Lanka	1962–1964, 1967–1970, 1983–1998, 2018–present
121	Thailand	1962–present

VOLUNTEERS
13,638
(5.71%)*

PACIFIC ISLANDS

122	Cook Islands	1982–1995
123	Fiji	1968–1998, 2003–present
124	Kiribati	1974–2008
125	Marshall Islands	1966–1996
126	Micronesia *(Federated States of)* and Palau *(Republic of)*	1966–2018
127	Niue	1994–2002
128	Papua New Guinea	1981–2001
129	Samoa	1967–present
130	Solomon Islands	1971–2000
131	Tonga	1967–present
132	Tuvalu	1977–1997
133	Vanuatu	1990–present

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Former country

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*Percentage of total volunteers who have served in region since 1961
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