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INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

METRE CONVENTION

(20 May 1875)

**NOTIFICATION
OF THE CONTRIBUTIVE PARTS**

DUE BY GOVERNMENTS OF THE HIGH CONTRACTING PARTIES
FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE BUREAU INTERNATIONAL DES POIDS ET MESURES

AND OF SUBSCRIPTIONS

DUE BY ASSOCIATE STATES OR ECONOMIES OF THE CGPM
IN 2016



DOTATION OF THE BIPM

At its 25th meeting (November 2014), the General Conference on Weights and Measures (CGPM) adopted Resolution 4 on the annual dotation of the International Bureau of Weights and Measures (BIPM) for the years 2016 to 2019, which sets it as follows:

2016:	11 980 000 Euros
2017:	11 980 000 Euros
2018:	11 980 000 Euros
2019:	11 980 000 Euros.

CONTRIBUTIVE PARTS IN 2016

The bureau of the International Committee for Weights and Measures (CIPM) has the honour to send Member States the table of the contributive parts for 2016 (as given on the following page).

The repartition of the dotation for 2016 is based on the Scale of Assessments for the apportionment of the expenses adopted by the United Nations (UN) General Assembly in December 2012 for the years 2013 to 2015, i.e. the scale in force when calculating the table of the contributive parts for 2016. As the Scale of Assessments applicable for 2016 onwards will be adopted in December 2015 by the United Nations (UN) General Assembly, and published in early 2016, corrections of the contributive parts for the year 2016 will be taken into account in the Notification of the contributive parts for the year 2017.

Those Member States marked with an asterisk in the Table of the repartition of the dotation pay the maximum or minimum contribution. Except for these States, the repartition percentage is calculated by multiplying the UN scale by 1.191.

PAYMENT TERMS

The CIPM bureau recalls that, according to Article 10 of the Metre Convention, the contributive parts shall be paid *at the beginning of each year*. Drawn up in Euros, they are paid in Euros, or in any other currency convertible to Euros.

Payment of the contributions can be made:

- **by cheque** payable to the Bureau international des poids et mesures,

- **by bank transfer** to the BIPM bank account **at HSBC**, 103 avenue des Champs Elysées F-75419 PARIS CEDEX 08:

Bank code: 30056	Branch code: 00006	Account number: 0006 370 0020	RIB key: 20
SWIFT code: CCF RF RPP		IBAN: FR76 3005 6000 0600 0637 0002 020	

- **by bank transfer** to the BIPM bank account **at La Banque Postale**, centre financier F-75900 PARIS CEDEX 15:

Bank code: 20041	Branch code: 00001	Account number: 02 829 26J 020	RIB key: 55
SWIFT code: PSSTFRPPPAR		IBAN: FR40 2004 1000 0102 8292 6J02 055	

To request an invoice, please contact the BIPM Director (martin.milton@bipm.org).

For the International Committee for Weights and Measures:

The Secretary,

J.MCLAREN.

Ottawa, Canada, 4 December 2015

The President,

B. INGLIS

Lane Cove, NSW, Australia, 4 December 2015

TABLE OF REPARTITION OF THE DOTATION FOR 2016

<i>Member States</i>	UN Scale for 2013-2015 (percentage)	Repartition percentage	Contribution for 2016 based on 11 980 000 Euros
Argentina.....	0.432	0.51	61 661
Australia.....	2.074	2.47	296 032
Austria.....	0.798	0.95	113 902
Belgium.....	0.998	1.19	142 449
Brazil.....	2.934	3.50	418 784
Bulgaria *.....	0.047	0.47	56 306
Canada.....	2.984	3.56	425 921
Chile *.....	0.334	0.47	56 306
China.....	5.148	6.13	734 799
Colombia *.....	0.259	0.47	56 306
Croatia *.....	0.126	0.47	56 306
Czech Republic *.....	0.386	0.47	56 306
Denmark.....	0.675	0.80	96 346
Egypt *.....	0.134	0.47	56 306
Finland.....	0.519	0.62	74 079
France.....	5.593	6.66	798 316
Germany.....	7.141	8.51	1 019 270
Greece.....	0.638	0.76	91 065
Hungary *.....	0.266	0.47	56 306
India.....	0.666	0.79	95 061
Indonesia *.....	0.346	0.47	56 306
Iran (Islamic Republic of) *.....	0.356	0.47	56 306
Iraq *.....	0.068	0.47	56 306
Ireland.....	0.418	0.50	59 663
Israel *.....	0.396	0.47	56 306
Italy.....	4.448	5.30	634 885
Japan *.....	10.833	9.44	1 130 912
Kazakhstan *.....	0.121	0.47	56 306
Kenya *.....	0.013	0.47	56 306
Malaysia *.....	0.281	0.47	56 306
Mexico.....	1.842	2.19	262 918
Netherlands.....	1.654	1.97	236 083
New Zealand *.....	0.253	0.47	56 306
Norway.....	0.851	1.01	121 467
Pakistan *.....	0.085	0.47	56 306
Poland.....	0.921	1.10	131 459
Portugal.....	0.474	0.56	67 656
Republic of Korea.....	1.994	2.38	284 613
Romania *.....	0.226	0.47	56 306
Russian Federation.....	2.438	2.90	347 988
Serbia *.....	0.040	0.47	56 306
Singapore *.....	0.384	0.47	56 306
Slovakia *.....	0.171	0.47	56 306
Saudi Arabia.....	0.864	1.03	123 323
South Africa *.....	0.372	0.47	56 306
Spain.....	2.973	3.54	424 351
Sweden.....	0.960	1.14	137 025
Switzerland.....	1.047	1.25	149 443
Thailand *.....	0.239	0.47	56 306
Tunisia *.....	0.036	0.47	56 306
Turkey.....	1.328	1.58	189 552
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	5.179	6.17	739 224
United States of America *.....	22.000	9.44	1 130 912
Uruguay *.....	0.052	0.47	56 306
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of).....	0.627	0.75	89 495
Total.....		100.00	11 980 000
<i>States having acceded to the Metre Convention after the 25th meeting of the CGPM (2014)</i>			
Lithuania.....	0.073	0.47	56 306
United Arab Emirates.....	0.595	0.71	84 927
Total.....			12 121 233

* Member State paying the maximum or minimum contribution

SUBSCRIPTIONS OF ASSOCIATE STATES AND ECONOMIES OF THE CGPM

In its Resolution 3 adopted at its 21st meeting (1999), the CGPM created the status of Associate of the General Conference and decided that Associate States and Economies shall pay an annual subscription determined by the Scale of Assessments for the apportionment of the expenses adopted by the UN General Assembly, as for Member States, but with a minimum equal to a set percentage of the annual dotation of the BIPM.

In its Resolution 4 adopted at its 24th meeting (2011), the CGPM increased the minimum percentage for Associate States to 0.1 % of the annual dotation of the BIPM. The CGPM also decided that after an initial five-year period following accession to the status of Associate of the CGPM, if the CIPM considers, on the basis of the criteria it has adopted, that it would be appropriate for the Associate State to become a Member State, the amount of the subscription for such an Associate will be progressively and irreversibly increased each year so that after five years it reaches an amount equivalent to 90 % of the annual contribution it would pay as a Member State. This disposition has been applied to the following Associate States: Albania, Belarus, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, Estonia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Georgia, Jamaica, Latvia, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Republic of Moldova, Republic of the Philippines, Slovenia, Ukraine and Viet Nam.

**TABLE OF SUBSCRIPTIONS OF ASSOCIATE STATES AND ECONOMIES
OF THE CGPM FOR 2016**

<i>Associate States and Economies</i>	UN Scale for 2013-2015 (percentage)	BIPM Coefficient for 2016 (percentage)	Net subscription for 2016 (Euros)
Albania.....	0.010	0.229	27 458
Azerbaijan.....	0.040	0.100	11 980
Bangladesh.....	0.010	0.100	11 980
Belarus.....	0.056	0.358	42 936
Bolivia (Plurinational State of).....	0.009	0.100	11 980
Bosnia and Herzegovina.....	0.017	0.100	11 980
Botswana.....	0.017	0.100	11 980
CARICOM.....	0.065	0.077	9 274
Chinese Taipei.....	0.297	0.354	42 364
Costa Rica.....	0.038	0.358	42 936
Cuba.....	0.069	0.358	42 936
Ecuador.....	0.044	0.358	42 936
Estonia.....	0.040	0.165	19 719
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.....	0.008	0.229	27 458
Georgia.....	0.007	0.165	19 719
Ghana.....	0.014	0.100	11 980
Hong Kong (China).....	0.165	0.196	23 525
Jamaica.....	0.011	0.358	42 936
Latvia.....	0.047	0.358	42 936
Luxembourg.....	0.081	0.100	11 980
Malta.....	0.016	0.100	11 980
Mauritius.....	0.013	0.100	11 980
Mongolia.....	0.003	0.100	11 980
Montenegro.....	0.005	0.100	11 980
Namibia.....	0.010	0.100	11 980
Oman.....	0.102	0.121	14 554
Panama.....	0.026	0.358	42 936
Paraguay.....	0.010	0.165	19 719
Peru.....	0.117	0.196	23 490
Philippines.....	0.154	0.231	27 713
Republic of Moldova.....	0.003	0.229	27 458
Seychelles.....	0.001	0.100	11 980
Slovenia.....	0.100	0.362	43 394
Sudan.....	0.010	0.100	11 980
Syrian Arab Republic.....	0.036	0.100	11 980
Ukraine.....	0.099	0.362	43 365
Viet Nam.....	0.042	0.358	42 936
Yemen.....	0.010	0.100	11 980
Zambia.....	0.006	0.100	11 980
Zimbabwe.....	0.002	0.100	11 980
Total.....		7.749	928 342