Gabon

Gabon is scored against 188 of 193 other countries. At the UN it votes most alike with Cambodia, Mozambique, Eswatini; least alike with Israel, United States, Micronesia.

Groups: AFR, African Union

WHERE GABON STANDS IN UN VOTES, 2025

Voting position -0.56 (90% range -0.88 to -0.29), among 191 countries. Distance from China 0.19, Russia 0.64, United States 3.45.



Nearest voting positions: Botswana (0.0, ranges overlap), Kenya (0.0, ranges overlap), Cambodia (0.0, ranges overlap), Eswatini (0.0, ranges overlap), Benin (0.01, ranges overlap), Bolivia (0.01, ranges overlap).

WHO IT VOTES WITH

Votes most alike at the UN		Votes least alike at the UN	
Cambodia	98% vote agreement	Israel	32% vote agreement
Mozambique	97% vote agreement	United States	34% vote agreement
Eswatini	98% vote agreement	Micronesia	53% vote agreement
Burkina Faso	98% vote agreement	Canada	54% vote agreement
Bangladesh	97% vote agreement	United Kingdom	52% vote agreement
Nepal	96% vote agreement	Hungary	54% vote agreement

VOTES CAST WITH 15 COUNTRIES OR FEWER (SINCE 2010)

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
2018 · R/73/123 · Gabon: No · overall 124 yes, 8 no, 46 abstain

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
2017 · A/RES/72/111 · Gabon: No · overall 128 yes, 7 no, 40 abstain

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
2015 · R/70/231 · Gabon: No · overall 140 yes, 4 no, 4 abstain

THE BIG THREE

United States: index -19 (Distant), votes -93, trade $600 million a year
China: index +31 (Close), votes +31, trade $4.0 billion a year
Russia: index +3 (Neutral), votes +8, trade $12 million a year

GABON IN NUMBERS (CONTEXT, NOT SCORED)

Population	2.6 m (2025)	Government debt	79% (2025)
Economy (GDP)	$21.4 bn (2025)	Inflation	1.8% (2025)
Income per person	$6,641 (2025)	Electoral democracy	0.30 (2025)
Military spending	1.5% (2024)		

TRADE, SECURITY AND CLUBS

Biggest trade ties

China	$4.0 billion
France	$1.4 billion
India	$830 million

Republic of the Congo	$679 million

Malaysia	$644 million

Indonesia	$612 million

Opposite sides in armed conflict (latest year)

France	1964

SOURCES AND LIMITS

Votes: UN General Assembly roll calls (Voeten et al.; UN Digital Library) via Nations on Record. Trade: IMF via Nations on Record. Conflict: Uppsala Conflict Data Program 26.1. Context numbers: World Bank, IMF, SIPRI, V-Dem. Voting positions: Bailey, Strezhnev and Voeten. A vote shows how a government voted on a text, not why. Scores are not predictions and not advice. Rules and checks: https://nationsrelations.org/method

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