Nauru

Nauru is scored against 188 of 193 other countries. At the UN it votes most alike with Palau, Papua New Guinea, Tonga; least alike with Türkiye, Russia, France.

Groups: APG

WHERE NAURU STANDS IN UN VOTES, 2025

Voting position 0.31 (90% range 0.16 to 0.46), among 191 countries. Distance from Russia 0.23, China 0.68, United States 2.58.



Nearest voting positions: Papua New Guinea (0.02, ranges overlap), Fiji (0.05, ranges overlap), Palau (0.12, ranges overlap), Serbia (0.12, ranges overlap), Tonga (0.14, ranges overlap), Armenia (0.19, ranges overlap).

WHO IT VOTES WITH

Votes most alike at the UN		Votes least alike at the UN	
Palau	82% vote agreement	Türkiye	34% vote agreement
Papua New Guinea	84% vote agreement	Russia	37% vote agreement
Tonga	80% vote agreement	France	49% vote agreement
São Tomé and Príncipe	88% vote agreement	Poland	50% vote agreement
Micronesia	76% vote agreement	Belgium	50% vote agreement
Fiji	79% vote agreement	Luxembourg	51% vote agreement

VOTES CAST WITH 15 COUNTRIES OR FEWER (SINCE 2010)

Combating sand and dust storms
2025 · A/RES/80/143 · Nauru: No · overall 178 yes, 4 no, 2 abstain

Permanent sovereignty of the Palestinian people in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and of the Arab population in the occupied…
2025 · A/RES/80/158 · Nauru: No · overall 156 yes, 8 no, 10 abstain

Oil slick on Lebanese shores
2025 · A/RES/80/130 · Nauru: No · overall 163 yes, 9 no, 8 abstain

The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination
2025 · A/RES/80/195 · Nauru: No · overall 164 yes, 8 no, 9 abstain

Advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Obligations of Israel in relation to the presence and activities of the United Nations, other…
2025 · A/RES/80/116 · Nauru: No · overall 139 yes, 12 no, 19 abstain

Palestine refugees' properties and their revenues
2025 · A/RES/80/79 · Nauru: No · overall 157 yes, 10 no, 9 abstain

Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and the occupied Syrian Golan
2025 · A/RES/80/81 · Nauru: No · overall 146 yes, 13 no, 17 abstain

Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine
2025 · A/RES/80/72 · Nauru: No · overall 151 yes, 11 no, 11 abstain

THE BIG THREE

United States: index +9 (Neutral), votes +4, trade $2.3 million a year
China: index -6 (Distant), votes -75, trade $30 million a year
Russia: index -33 (Opposed), votes -94, trade $2 thousand a year

NAURU IN NUMBERS (CONTEXT, NOT SCORED)

Population	12,025 (2025)	Inflation	-0.1% (2012)
Economy (GDP)	$176 m (2025)		
Income per person	$8,340 (2025)		
Government debt	15% (2025)		

TRADE, SECURITY AND CLUBS

Biggest trade ties

Thailand	$140 million
Australia	$36 million
China	$30 million
South Korea	$16 million
Senegal	$14 million
Philippines	$13 million

Opposite sides in armed conflict (latest year)

none recorded

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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