
Researching and consolidating ‘General Assembly Resolution Sessions’ data from the un.org website, this list summarises annual UNGA committee meetings and resolutions since the organisation’s first session in 1946 to present day (2015), that make references to ‘general and complete disarmament’. Under the umbrella and goal of ‘general and complete disarmament’, topics discussed ranged from the regulation and limitation of small arms, to complete nuclear disarmament, to disarmament in space and on the sea bed. However farfetched the goal may seem, the data show that there is awareness within the international community, and more importantly, a consensus for an international effort towards achieving ‘general and complete disarmament’.

1st – 13th sessions of the General Assembly, 1946 – 1959
- No resolutions

14th session of the General Assembly, 1959 – 1960
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/1378(XIV)

15th session of the General Assembly, 1960 - 1961
- No resolutions

- Question of disarmament A/RES/1660(XVI)
- Question of disarmament A/RES/1722(XVI)

- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/1767(XVII)
- Declaration on the conversion to peaceful needs of the resources released by disarmament A/RES/1837(XVII)

18th session of the General Assembly, 1963 – 1964
- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/1884(XVIII)
- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/1908(XVIII)
- Conversion to peaceful needs of the resources released by general and complete disarmament A/RES/1931(XVIII)

19th session of the General Assembly, 1964 - 1965
- No resolutions

- Question of convening a world disarmament conference A/RES/2030(XX)
- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2031(XX)

- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2162(XXI) A-C

- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2342(XXII) A-B

- Conversion to peaceful needs of the resources released by disarmament A/RES/2387(XXIII)
- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2454(XXIII) A-B

- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2602(XXIV) A-F

- General and Complete Disarmament A/RES/2661(XXV) A-C
- Economic and social consequences of disarmament A/RES/2685(XXV)

- Question of general and complete disarmament A/RES/2825(XXVI) A-C

27th session of the General Assembly, 1972 – 1973
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/2932(XXVII) A-B

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/3184(XXVIII) A-C

29th session of the General Assembly, 1974 – 1975
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/3261(XXIX) A-G

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/3484(XXX) A-E

- Effective measures to implement and pursue the objectives of the Disarmament Decade A/RES/31/68
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/31/189 A-D

- Effective measures to implement the purposes and objectives of the Disarmament Decade A/RES/32/80
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/32/87 A-G

33rd session of the General Assembly, 1978 – 1979
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/33/71 N
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/33/91 A-I

34th session of the General Assembly, 1979 – 1980
- Reviews of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/34/83 A
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/34/87 A-F
- Declaration on International Cooperation of disarmament A/RES/34/88 Archived as: A/RES/43/88

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/35/156 A-K
- Preparations for the 2nd special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament A/RES/35/47
- Review of the implementations of the recommendations adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/35/152 E
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly’s tenth special session A/RES/36/92 D/M
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/36/97 A-L

37th session of the General Assembly, 1982 – 1983
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/37/99 A-K
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/37/100 C/F/H/J

- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/38/73 B/F/G
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/38/183 H/K
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/38/188 A-J

- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/39/63 A/G/H
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/39/148 I
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/39/151 A-J

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/40/94 A-O
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/40/151 D/E/F
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/40/152 D/L/N

41st session of the General Assembly, 1986 – 1987
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/41/59 A-O
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/41/60 A/E/F/G
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/41/86 N/O/Q

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/42/38 A-O
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/42/39 B/C/E
- Convening of the third special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament A/RES/42/40
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/42/42 F/M

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/43/75 A-T
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/43/76 B/E

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/44/116 A-U
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/44/117 B/C/D
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/44/119 A/E

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/45/58 A-P
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/45/59 B/D
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/45/62 C/E

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/46/36 A-L
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/46/37 B/C/D
- Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session A/RES/46/38 B

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/47/52 A-L
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/47/53 C/E/F

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/48/75 A-L
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/48/76 A/B

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/49/75 A-P
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/49/76 C/E

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/50/70 A-R
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/50/71 B

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/51/45 A-T
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/51/46 C

52nd session of the General Assembly, 1997 – 1998
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/52/38 A-T
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/52/39 B

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/53/77 A-AA
54th session of the General Assembly, 1999 – 2000
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/54/54 A-V
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/54/55 A

- General and complete disarmament A/RES/55/33 A-Y
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/55/34 B

56th session of the General Assembly, 2001 – 2002
- General and complete disarmament A/RES/56/24 A-V
- Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly A/RES/56/25 A

After the 56th session, each of the sub-items of GCD has been adopted as a stand-alone resolution, while still appearing under the umbrella item GCD. In order to reflect this change in the proceedings of First Committee, each sub-item of GCD will be listed separately with the session(s) in which it was run.

Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world: the need for a new agenda - 57th session A/RES/57/59 - 58th session A/RES/58/51


A/RES/68/37 – 69th session  A/RES/69/56

Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control – 57th session  A/RES/57/64 – 58th session

Nuclear-weapon-free southern hemisphere and adjacent areas – 57th session
A/RES/67/55 – 69th session  A/RES/69/35

Regional disarmament – 57th session  A/RES/57/76 – 58th session  A/RES/58/38 – 59th session
A/RES/62/38 – 63rd session  A/RES/63/43 – 64th session  A/RES/64/41 – 65th session
A/RES/68/54 – 69th session  A/RES/69/45

Conventional arms control at the regional and subregional levels – 57th session
A/RES/69/47

Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction – 57th session
A/RES/69/67

Implementation of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction – 57th session
A/RES/68/30 – 69th session  A/RES/69/34

Consolidation of peace through practical disarmament measures – 57th session
A/RES/69/60


A/RES/69/48

Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons – 57th session A/RES/57/85 – 58th session

Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and collecting them – 57th session A/RES/57/70 – 58th session A/RES/58/58 – 59th session A/RES/59/74 – 60th session
A/RES/69/33

A/RES/63/72 – 64th session A/RES/64/50 – 65th session A/RES/65/64 – 66th session
A/RES/69/51

Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in Central Asia – 57th session

Prohibition of the dumping of radioactive wastes – 58th session A/RES/58/40 – 60th session
A/RES/66/52 – 68th session A/RES/68/53

Reduction of non-strategic nuclear weapons – 58th session A/RES/58/50


National legislation on transfer of arms, military equipment and dual-use goods and technology – 58th session A/RES/58/42 – 59th session A/RES/59/66 – 60th session
A/RES/60/69 – 68th session A/RES/68/44


Improving the effectiveness of the methods of work of the First Committee – 59th session A/RES/59/95

Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context – 59th session
A/RES/64/31 – 66th session
A/RES/65/55 – 67th session
A/RES/67/36 – 69th session
A/RES/69/53

Towards a nuclear-weapon-free world: accelerating the implementation of nuclear disarmament commitments – 60th session
A/RES/60/56 – 61st session
A/RES/61/65 – 62nd session
A/RES/62/25 – 63rd session
A/RES/63/58 – 64th session
A/RES/64/57 – 65th session
A/RES/65/59 – 66th session
A/RES/66/40 – 67th session
A/RES/67/34 – 68th session
A/RES/68/39 – 69th session
A/RES/69/37

Prevention of the illicit transfer and unauthorized access to and use of man-portable air defence systems – 60th session
A/RES/60/77

The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation – 60th session
A/RES/60/62 – 67th session
A/RES/67/42 – 69th session
A/RES/69/44

Information on confidence-building measures in the field of conventional arms – 60th session
A/RES/60/82 – 61st session
A/RES/61/79 – 63rd session
A/RES/63/57 – 65th session
A/RES/65/63 – 67th session
A/RES/67/49 – 69th session
A/RES/69/64

Problems arising from the accumulation of conventional ammunition stockpiles in surplus – 60th session
A/RES/60/74 – 61st session
A/RES/61/72 – 63rd session
A/RES/63/61 – 64th session
A/RES/64/51 – 66th session
A/RES/66/42 – 68th session
A/RES/68/52

Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities – 61st session
A/RES/61/75 – 62nd session
A/RES/62/43 – 63rd session
A/RES/63/68 – 64th session
A/RES/64/49 – 65th session
A/RES/65/68 – 68th session
A/RES/68/50 – 69th session
A/RES/69/38

Follow-up to nuclear disarmament obligations agreed to at the 1995 and 2000 Review Conferences of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons – 62nd session
A/RES/62/24 – 64th session
A/RES/64/31 – 66th session
A/RES/66/28 – 68th session
A/RES/68/35

Effects of the use of armaments and ammunitions containing depleted uranium – 63rd session
A/RES/63/54 – 65th session
A/RES/65/55 – 67th session
A/RES/67/36 – 69th session
A/RES/69/57

Treaty on the South-East Asia Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone (Bangkok Treaty) – 64th session
A/RES/64/39 – 66th session
A/RES/66/43 – 68th session
A/RES/68/49

Renewed determination towards the total elimination of nuclear weapons – 64th session
A/RES/64/47

The arms trade treaty – 64th session
A/RES/64/48 – 67th session
A/RES/67/234 – 68th session
A/RES/68/31 – 69th session
A/RES/69/49

Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities – 65th session
A/RES/65/75 – 67th session
A/RES/67/43 – 69th session
A/RES/69/62

Treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices – 65th session
A/RES/65/65 – 66th session
A/RES/66/44 – 67th session
A/RES/67/53


Taking forward multilateral nuclear disarmament negotiations – 68th session A/RES/68/46 – 69th session A/RES/69/41

Compliance with non-proliferation, arms limitation and disarmament agreements and commitments – 69th session A/RES/69/59

Follow-up to the 2013 high-level meeting of the General Assembly on nuclear disarmament – 69th session A/RES/69/58