

Annex 1

UP-TO-DATE¹ ILO SOCIAL SECURITY STANDARDS AND THEIR STATUS OF RATIFICATIONS

1. **Social Security (Minimum Standards) Convention, 1952 (No. 102)**

Description: Defines the nine branches in social security (medical care, sickness benefit, unemployment benefit, old-age benefit, employment injury benefit, family benefit, maternity benefit, invalidity benefit, survivors' benefit) and sets minimum standards for these benefits concerning scope of coverage, kind of benefits, their duration and their qualifying conditions.

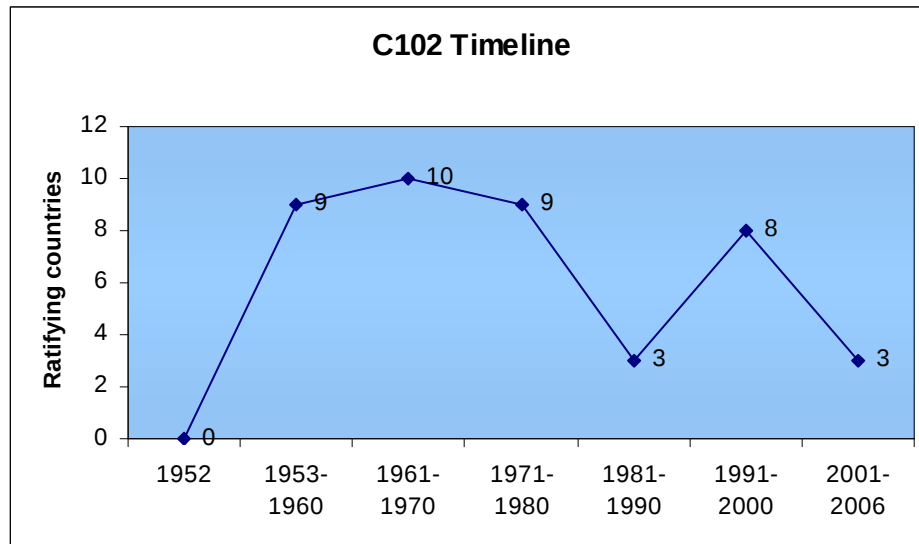
Ratifications: 42

Africa: Democratic Republic of the Congo (1987), Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (1975), Mauritania (1968), Niger (1966), and Senegal (1962).

Americas: Barbados (1972), Bolivia (1977), Costa Rica (1972), Ecuador (1974), México (1961), Peru (1961), Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (1982).

Asia: Japan (1976).

Europe: Albania (2006), Austria (1969), Belgium (1959), Bosnia and Herzegovina (1993), Croatia (1991), Cyprus (1991), Czech Republic (1993), Denmark (1955), France (1974), Germany (1958), Greece (1955), Iceland (1961), Ireland (1968), Israel (1955), Italy (1956), Luxembourg (1964), Netherlands (1962), Norway (1954), Poland (2003), Portugal (1994), Serbia (2000), Slovakia (1993), Slovenia (1992), Spain (1988), Sweden (1953), Switzerland (1977), The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (1991), Turkey (1975), United Kingdom (1954).



Prospective ratifications: Argentina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Jordan, Lithuania, Moldova, Mongolia and Ukraine.

Related instrument: Income Security Recommendation, 1944 (No. 67).

¹ Conventions whose ratification is encouraged and information on difficulties of ratification is requested; and Recommendations to which member States are invited to give effect.

2. **Invalidity, Old-Age and Survivors' Benefits Convention, 1967 (No. 128)**

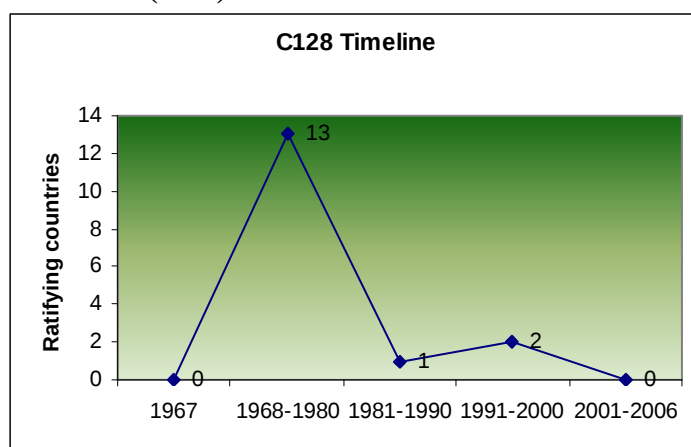
Description: Higher Standards than Convention No. 102 with regard to invalidity, old-age and survivors' benefits

Ratifications: 16

Africa: Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (1975).

Americas: Barbados (1972), Bolivia (1977), Ecuador (1978), Uruguay (1973), Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (1983).

Europe: Austria (1969), Cyprus (1969), Czech Republic (1993), Finland (1976), Germany (1971), Netherlands (1969), Norway (1968), Slovakia (1993), Sweden (1968), and Switzerland (1977).



Prospective ratifications: Not known.

Related instrument: Invalidity, Old-Age and Survivors' Benefits Recommendation, 1967 (No. 131).

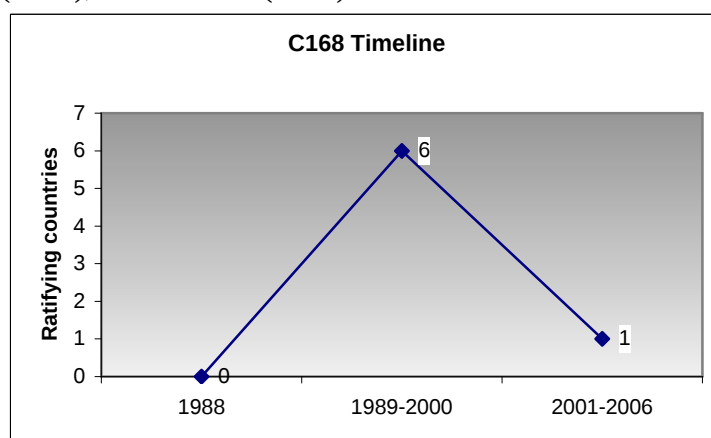
3. **Employment Promotion and protection against Unemployment Convention, 1988 (No. 168)**

Description: Provision for benefit or allowances to the voluntarily unemployed.

Ratifications: 7

Americas: Brazil (1993).

Europe: Albania (2006), Finland (1990), Norway (1990), Romania (1992), Sweden (1990), Switzerland (1990).



Prospective ratifications: Not known.

Related instrument: Employment Promotion and Protection against Unemployment Recommendation, 1988 (No. 176).

**RATIFICATION CHART OF CONVENTIONS 102, 128 AND 168
(OLD-AGE, INVALIDITY AND UNEMPLOYMENT)
BY REGIONS**

Countries which have ratified one or more of the three selected Conventions Nos. 102, 128 and 168	Old-Age (Part V of C. 102) (Part III of C. 128) (European Code of Social Security and its Protocol ²)	Invalidity (Part IX of C. 102) (Part II of C. 128) (European Code of Social Security and its Protocol)	Unemployment (Part IV of C. 102) (C. 168) (European Code of Social Security and its Protocol)
<i>Africa</i>			
Dem. Rep. of Congo	C. 102 (1987)	C. 102 (1987)	
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	C. 102 (1975) C. 128 (1975)	C. 102 (1975) C. 128 (1975)	C. 102 (1975)
Mauritania	C. 102 (1968)	C. 102 (1968)	
Niger	C. 102 (1966)		
Senegal			
<i>Americas</i>			
Barbados	C. 102 (1972) C. 128 (1972)	C. 102 (1972) C. 128 (1972)	
Bolivia	C. 102 (1977) C. 128 (1977)	C. 102 (1977) C. 128 (1977)	
Brazil			C. 168 (1993)
Costa Rica	C. 102 (1972)	C. 102 (1972)	
Ecuador	C. 102 (1974) C. 128 (1978)	C. 102 (1974) C. 128 (1978)	
Mexico	C. 102 (1961)	C. 102 (1961)	
Peru	C. 102 (1961)	C. 102 (1961)	
Uruguay	C. 128 (1973)	C. 128 (1973)	
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	C. 102 (1982) C. 128 (1983)	C. 102 (1982) C. 128 (1983)	
<i>Middle East</i>			
Israel	C. 102 (1955)		
<i>Asia</i>			
Japan	C. 102 (1976)		C. 102 (1976)
<i>Europe</i>			

² Abbreviation: ECSS and Protocol

Albania	C. 102 (2006)	C. 102 (2006)	C. 102 (2006) C. 168 (2006)
Austria	C. 102 (1969) C. 128 (1969)		C. 102 (1969)
Belgium	C. 102 (1959)	C. 102 (1959)	C. 102 (1959)
Bosnia and Herzegovina	C. 102 (1993)		C. 102 (1993)
Croatia	C. 102 (1991)		C. 102 (1991)
Cyprus	C. 102 (1991)	C. 102 (1991)	C. 102 (1991)
Czech Republic	C. 102 (1993) C. 128 (1993)	C. 102 (1993)	ECSS (2000)
Denmark	C. 102 (1955)	C. 102 (1955)	C. 102 (1955)
Estonia	ECSS (2004)	ECSS (2004)	ECSS (2004)
France	C. 102 (1974)	C. 102 (1974)	C. 102 (1974)
Finland	C. 128 (1976)	C. 128 (1976)	C. 168 (1990)
Germany	C. 102 (1958) C. 128 (1971)	C. 102 (1958) C. 128 (1971)	C. 102 (1958)
Greece	C. 102 (1955)	C. 102 (1955)	C. 102 (1955)
Iceland	C. 102 (1961)	C. 102 (1961)	
Ireland	ECSS (1971)		C. 102 (1968)
Italy	C. 102 (1956)		
Luxembourg	C. 102 (1964)	C. 102 (1964)	C. 102 (1964)
Netherlands	C. 102 (1962) C. 128 (1969)	C. 102 (1962) C. 128 (1969)	C. 102 (1962)
Norway	C. 102 (1954) C. 128 (1968)	C. 128 (1968)	C. 102 (1954) C. 168 (1990)
Poland	C. 102 (2003)		
Portugal	C. 102 (1994)	C. 102 (1994)	C. 102 (1994)
Romania			C. 168 (1992)
Serbia	C. 102 (2000)		C. 102 (2000)
Slovakia	C. 102 (1993) C. 128 (1993)	C. 102 (1993)	
Slovenia	C. 102 (1992)		C. 102 (1992)
Spain	ECSS (1994)	ECSS (1994)	C. 102 (1988)
Sweden	C. 128 (1968)	C. 128 (1968)	C. 102 (1953) C. 168 (1990)
Switzerland	C. 102 (1977) C. 128 (1977)	C. 102 (1977) C. 128 (1977)	C. 168 (1990)
Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	C. 102 (1991)		C. 102 (1991)
Turkey	C. 102 (1975)	C. 102 (1975)	
United Kingdom	C. 102 (1954)		C. 102 (1954)