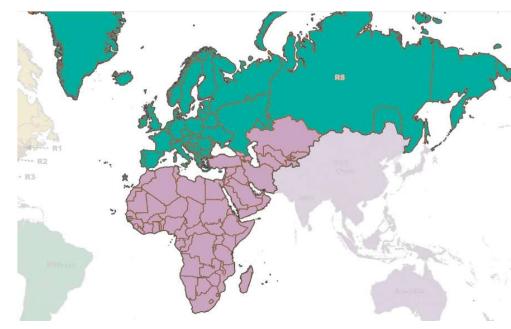
# **R8 Proposal A**



	Voting	Non-voting	Total
Europe (incl. Russia)	51 330	5 199	56 529
Middle East and Africa	12 232	8 466	20 698

-	Sections	Subsections	Total
Europe	35	1	36
Middle East and Africa	24	9	33

#### Pros:

Well aligned with continents. Very well balanced in terms of GeoUnits. The smaller Region shows the greatest potential to grow.

Cons:

Some adjustments might be needed for few countries.

The geographical sizes of both Regions are still very large.





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## **R8 Proposal B**



	Voting	Non-voting	Total
Europe and Middle East	58 766	10 112	68 878
Africa	4 796	3 573	8 369
	Sections	Subsections	Total
Europe and Middle East	48	4	52
Africa	11	6	17

#### Pros:

Aligned with continents. Less challenges with unique countries. Student membership is growing in Africa, demostrating potential for future growth.

### Cons:

Initially, membership in Africa would be small. Financial sustainabilty can be solved with temporary support from other Region (formerly part of the current R8).



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