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Major Religions
of the World
Ranked by
Number of
Adherents

33% Christianity (including Catholic, Protestant Eastern Orthodox, Pentecostal, 21% Anglican, Monophysite, AICs, Latter-day Saints, Evangelical, SDAs, Jehovah's Witnesses, Quakers, AOG, nominal, etc.) Judaism (0.22%)Islam other Sikhism (Shiite, Sunni, etc.) (0.36%)Buddhism 6% Chinese Nonreligious" traditional 6% (ind. agnostic, atheist, secular humanist,+people answering 'none' or no relig, preference, Half 6% Hinduism of this group is "theistic" but primal-indigenous nonrelig. 16% (ind. African 14% Traditional/Diasporic) NOTE: Total adds up to more than 100% due to rounding and because upper bound estimates were used for each group. © 2005 www.adherents.com

(Sizes shown are approximate estimates, and are here mainly for the purpose of ordering the groups, not providing a definitive number. This list

is sociological/statistical in perspective.)

- 1. Christianity: 2.1 billion
- 2. Islam: 1.3 billion
- 3. Secular/Nonreligious/Agnostic/Atheist: 1.1 billion
- 4. Hinduism: 900 million
- 5. Chinese traditional religion: 394 million
- 6. Buddhism: 376 million
- 7. primal-indigenous: 300 million
- 8. African Traditional & Diasporic: 100 million

9. Sikhism: 23 million

10. Juche: 19 million

11. Spiritism: 15 million

12. Judaism: 14 million

13. Baha'i: 7 million

14. Jainism: 4.2 million

15. Shinto: 4 million

16. Cao Dai: 4 million

17. Zoroastrianism: 2.6 million

18. Tenrikyo: 2 million

19. Neo-Paganism: 1 million

20. Unitarian-Universalism: 800 thousand

21. Rastafarianism: 600 thousand

22. Scientology: 500 thousand