

HELICOPTER FACTS

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Data for the Helicopter Community How Many Civil Helicopters are Flying in the World? What are the Most Popular Civil Helicopters?

Approximately 23 percent of the world’s civil helicopters are registered in the United States.

Number of Civil Helicopters

United States	9,073	North & South America	16,376
Europe *	8,716	Europe & Russia	11,965
Asia	5,363	Asia & Oceania	8,248
Latin & Central America	4,894	Africa & the Middle East	3,502
Russia	3,249		
Oceania	2,885		
Africa	2,446		
Canada	2,409		
Middle East	1,056		
		Total civil helicopters:	40,091

(*) *EASA and non-EASA countries*

Top Ten Types Of Helicopters

1. Robinson R44	5,905
2. Bell 206	3,399
3. Airbus H125 (AS350)	3,240
4. Robinson R22	2,806
5. Mil Mi-8	1,733
6. Bell 407	1,230
7. Hughes 269	1,163
8. MD 500/Hughes 369	1,075
9. AgustaWestland AW109	1,059
10. Airbus H135 (EC135)	904