

GERMANY

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developed regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Developed countries
United Nations:	Europe	Other UN country groupings:	Not applicable
Bureau (UNHCR):	Europe		
Region (UNHCR):	Western Europe		

A. REFUGEES, ASYLUM-SEEKERS AND OTHERS OF CONCERN TO UNHCR

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees	1,266,000	1,049,000	949,200	975,500	906,000	903,000	980,000	960,395	876,622	700,016
Asylum-seekers	318,538	288,049	274,908	247,393	204,366	192,228	164,000	128,083	86,151	71,624
Returned refugees*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,619	9,476
Others of concern	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	1,337,049	1,224,108	1,222,893	1,110,366	1,095,228	1,144,000	1,088,478	973,392	781,116

* Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

2. Refugees--displacement and durable solutions during the year

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Arrivals										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	26,182	20,990	13,857	12,361	13,043	26,102	8,107	4,703	3,031	3,121
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durable solutions										
Voluntary repatriation**	30,000	95,930	98,051	41,783	69,345	10,708	7,473	5,466	3,273	2,864
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Naturalization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. ** Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

3. Asylum and refugee status determination during the year (incl. appeal/review)

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
New applications	116,367	104,353	98,644	95,113	78,564	88,287	71,127	50,563	35,607	28,914
1951 Convention status	24,100	18,222	11,320	10,261	11,446	22,719	6,509	3,136	2,067	2,464
Allowed/humanitarian	2,082	2,768	2,537	2,100	1,597	3,383	1,598	1,567	964	657

Responsibility (2005): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	38.2	31.7	28.6	29.4	27.3	27.2	29.6	29.0	26.4	21.1
Per 1,000 inhabitants	15.3	12.7	11.5	11.8	11.0	10.9	11.9	11.6	10.6	8.5
Per 1,000 km ²	3,556.1	2,946.6	2,666.3	2,740.1	2,544.9	2,536.5	2,752.8	2,697.7	2,462.4	1,966.3
Total population of concern to UNHCR										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	40.3	36.9	36.9	33.5	33.0	34.5	32.8	29.4	23.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	16.2	14.8	14.8	13.4	13.2	13.8	13.2	11.8	9.4
Per 1,000 km ²	..	3,755.7	3,438.5	3,435.1	3,119.0	3,076.4	3,213.4	3,057.5	2,734.2	2,194.1

* Refugees and Total population of concern to UNHCR: annual estimates (Table A.1). Figures for GDP (Current) per capita, national population and land area are the most recent available estimates.

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2005

1. Population of concern to UNHCR--demographic characteristics*

Sex	<5	5-17	18-59	60+>	Various	Total	<5 (%)	5-17 (%)	18-59 (%)	60+> (%)	F/M (%)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* May not reflect the total population of concern to UNHCR.

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-
Dispersed/various	-
Total	-
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-

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3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	261,268
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	438,748
Total	700,016
1951 Convention	37%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	122,430
Individually recognized	146,434
Other/unknown	431,152
Total	700,016
Prima facie (group)	17%
Individually recognized	21%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN GERMANY -- MAIN ORIGIN

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Turkey	-	-	-	-	-	-	148,983	140,702	128,419	122,891
Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-	183,170	168,980	142,681	99,789
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	53,502	57,309	57,693	56,276
Iraq	-	-	-	-	-	-	72,697	73,489	68,071	52,922
Russian Federation	-	-	-	-	-	-	44,284	45,568	45,030	41,732

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2005)

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Serbia and Montenegro	24,773	30,962	34,979	31,451	11,121	7,758	6,679	4,909	3,855	5,522
Turkey	31,732	25,937	11,754	9,065	8,968	10,869	9,575	6,301	4,148	2,958
Iraq	10,934	14,189	7,435	8,662	11,601	17,167	10,242	3,850	1,293	1,983
Russian Federation	1,647	1,592	867	2,094	2,763	4,523	4,058	3,383	2,757	1,719
Viet Nam	1,907	2,855	2,991	2,425	2,332	3,721	2,340	2,096	1,668	1,222

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM GERMANY -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	420	443	688	1,298	1,183	1,033	928	725	78	78

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2005)

Asylum country	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Canada	3	6	14	7	13	11	34	25	20	28
Other	10	39	41	36	26	32	33	31	26	25
Total	13	45	55	43	39	43	67	56	46	53

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN GERMANY -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2005

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total	Location name	Type*	Total

*CAM = Camps/centers; URB = Urban; RUR = Rural/dispersed/various.

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR GERMANY

