

Asylum Applications in Industrialized Countries: 1980-1999
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), Geneva, November 2001

Origin	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	Total
Yugoslavia, FR	743	1,334	2,838	4,146	1,547	10,608
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	390	7,051	201	7,642
Somalia	313	731	444	259	251	1,998
Sri Lanka	512	556	403	255	233	1,959
Islamic Rep. of Iran	451	244	130	147	160	1,132
Stateless	204	201	49	120	27	601
Lebanon	304	179	65	40	9	597
Iraq	90	131	111	137	126	595
Ethiopia	203	260	42	29	7	541
Romania	207	54	59	74	46	440
Russian Federation	81	71	75	39	75	341
Poland	82	120	19	10	72	303
Bulgaria	151	79	42	8	*	282
Turkey	80	46	32	30	30	218
Algeria	61	24	18	17	36	156
Croatia	-	-	-	68	78	146
Uganda	13	70	33	12	13	141
Sudan	9	34	29	40	15	127
India	31	30	13	22	20	116
Syrian Arab Rep.	47	25	15	13	14	114
Pakistan	31	14	17	23	26	111
Peru	17	22	32	13	13	97
Morocco	28	42	10	8	6	94
Afghanistan	19	13	21	25	9	87
Estonia	-	-	23	20	44	87
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	7	24	32	6	16	85
China	28	8	25	15	*	78
Albania	-	7	37	24	5	73
Sierra Leone	6	-	-	8	58	72
Kenya	15	19	13	5	19	71
Viet Nam	*	7	44	*	5	60
Togo	7	5	17	7	16	52
Tunisia	25	18	-	*	*	46
Czech Rep.	8	6	11	11	8	44
Liberia	-	15	9	11	7	42
Bangladesh	12	12	*	*	10	40
Ghana	14	6	-	11	5	36
Israel	-	*	*	25	-	32
Nigeria	8	-	-	11	10	29
Colombia	6	7	7	7	*	29
Other/unknown	147	151	126	122	154	700
Total	3,962	4,569	5,236	12,876	3,379	30,022
Africa	754	1,328	718	464	526	3,790
Asia	1,632	1,312	897	761	662	5,264
Europe	1,277	1,675	3,522	11,493	2,134	20,101
Latin America and Caribbean	35	53	49	36	29	202
Other/unknown	264	201	50	122	28	665
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