

FYR MACEDONIA

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Developed regions
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Developed countries
United Nations:	Europe	Other UN country groupings:	
Bureau (UNHCR):	Europe	Landlocked Developing Country	
Region (UNHCR):	South-Eastern Europe		

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

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Refugees*	31,452	14,891	9,048	5,089	3,500	1,700	21,200	9,050	4,363	2,816
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	54	62
Returned refugees***	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90,012	10,767
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,371	9,442
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	58,153	6,929
Various/others	..	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	2,130
Total	..	..	..	..	3,500	1,700	21,200	9,051	168,953	32,146

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries. **Pending applications. 1993-1995: data available for industrialized countries only. ***Also based on country of asylum reports.

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

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Arrivals</i>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	355,000	68	-	-
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	33	1
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Durable solutions</i>										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	90	650	1,211	418	101	233,780	12,139	4,505	1,091
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	82	48	229
Naturalization	-	958	400	-	-	25	208

* Includes Convention status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons, first instance and appeal. 1993-1995: industrialized countries only. ** Also based on country of return reports.

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

Responsibility (2002): UNHCR

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
New applications	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	195	118
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	1
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Refugees</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	17.3	8.2	5.0	2.8	1.9	0.9	11.7	5.0	2.4	1.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	15.4	7.3	4.4	2.5	1.7	0.8	10.4	4.4	2.1	1.4
Per 1,000 km ²	1,241.1	587.6	357.0	200.8	138.1	67.1	836.6	357.1	172.2	111.1
<i>Total population of concern to UNHCR</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	..	1.9	0.9	11.7	5.0	93.1	17.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	..	1.7	0.8	10.4	4.4	82.6	15.7
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	..	138.1	67.1	836.6	357.2	6,666.9	1,268.5

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

B. DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, LOCATION, LEGAL BASIS AND RECOGNITION, END OF 2002

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	466	1,563	3,410	645	-	6,084	8%	26%	56%	11%	50%
Male	524	1,689	3,403	582	-	6,198	8%	27%	55%	9%	50%
Total	990	3,252	6,813	1,227	-	12,282	8%	26%	55%	10%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	3,633
Urban	8,569
Dispersed/various	19,944
Total	32,146
Camps/centers	11%
Urban	27%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	26
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	2,790
Total	2,816
1951 Convention	1%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	2,740
Individually recognized	26
Other/unknown	50
Total	2,816
Prima facie (group)	97%
Individually recognized	1%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN FYR MACEDONIA -- MAIN ORIGIN

1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2002)

Origin*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	900	21,000	8,878	4,307	2,765

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2002 -- data available for industrialized asylum countries only)

Origin	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
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Data not available

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM FYR MACEDONIA -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2002)

Asylum country*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Serbia and Montenegro	1,895	185	160	1,322	1,322	1,322	1,322	1,322	11,276	3,614
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,186
Sweden	-	149	225	225	241	242	242	286	297	311
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	285
United States	-	-	13	28	-	110	129	122	161	163
Other	2	13	12,485	11,466	11,184	265	396	446	463	494
Total	1,897	347	12,883	13,041	12,747	1,939	2,089	2,176	12,197	8,053

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2002 -- data available for industrialized asylum countries only)

Asylum country	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Switzerland	64	-	111	57	126	119	128	64	884	1,085
Austria	172	314	73	-	10	19	51	21	947	786
Germany	615	1,038	3,412	1,893	1,704	387	360	216	1,163	505
Sweden	37	-	10	23	74	27	21	30	420	501
Belgium	719	680	356	169	90	234	309	275	667	337
Other	226	424	235	199	383	433	465	403	2,411	1,568
Total	1,833	2,456	4,197	2,341	2,387	1,219	1,334	1,009	6,492	4,782

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN FYR MACEDONIA -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2002

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Skopje	URB	4,380
Kumanovo	URB	2,760
Tetovo	URB	1,080
Suto Orizari	CAM	1,010
Stiv Naumov	CAM	550

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

Location name	Type*	Total
Katlanovo	CAM	390
Hotel Pelagonija	CAM	350
Various	URB	350
Olimpisko Selo	CAM	190
Hotel Kuba	CAM	170

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

F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR FYR MACEDONIA

