

## UNITED KINGDOM

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	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Refugees*	90,909	98,577	107,933	121,716	148,922	186,248	233,389	260,687	276,522	289,054
Asylum-seekers**	69,650	57,405	51,795	64,770	125,100	94,500	42,200	41,300	23,900	9,800
Returned refugees***	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stateless/Others	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	..	159,728	186,486	274,022	280,748	275,589	301,987	300,422	298,854

\* UNHCR estimate. \*\* Pending applications. 1995: data available for industrialized countries only. \*\*\* Also based on country of asylum reports.

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

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<b>Arrivals</b>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	9,210	11,685	12,130	17,055	35,655	42,539	52,195	47,360	29,283	17,113
Resettlement	70	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150
<b>Durable solutions</b>										
Voluntary repatriation**	9	230	271	16	1,432	1,686	942	1,806	1,234	433
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Naturalization	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

Category	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
New applications	55,000	37,000	41,500	58,500	91,200	98,900	91,600	103,080	61,050	40,620
1951 Convention status	2,430	4,175	7,390	10,600	31,015	29,894	24,870	24,890	21,479	13,004
Allowed/humanitarian	6,780	7,510	4,740	6,455	4,640	12,645	27,325	22,470	7,804	4,187

Responsibility (2004): Government

## 4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
<b>Refugees</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	3.0	3.3	3.6	4.0	5.0	6.2	7.8	8.7	9.2	9.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.5	3.1	3.9	4.4	4.6	4.8
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	372.7	404.2	442.5	499.0	610.6	763.6	956.9	1,068.8	1,133.7	1,185.1
<b>Total population of concern to UNHCR</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	5.3	6.2	9.1	9.3	9.2	10.0	10.0	9.9
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	2.7	3.1	4.6	4.7	4.6	5.1	5.0	5.0
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	..	..	654.9	764.6	1,123.5	1,151.1	1,129.9	1,238.2	1,231.7	1,225.3

\* 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 2004

## 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	-

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

## 3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	185,798
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	103,256
Total	289,054
1951 Convention	64%

\* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

## 4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	289,054
Other/unknown	-
Total	289,054
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

## C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN UNITED KINGDOM -- MAIN ORIGIN

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main origin (main nationalities in 2004)

Origin*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Somalia	11,197	14,768	16,706	19,156	18,266	26,891	31,366	34,131	36,106	36,700
Iraq	4,208	4,671	5,125	6,025	6,380	9,510	11,955	20,580	23,421	22,763
Afghanistan	820	1,260	1,915	3,450	4,645	5,675	15,065	20,305	21,718	22,494
Serbia and Montenegro	2,320	3,810	5,925	6,935	13,310	15,440	17,725	19,875	21,301	20,527
Turkey	5,637	5,701	5,803	5,855	4,985	7,115	7,270	6,945	7,717	8,602

\* UNHCR estimates

## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main origin (main nationalities during 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Origin	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Islamic Rep. of Iran	615	585	585	745	1,320	5,610	3,415	2,630	2,875	3,975
Somalia	3,465	1,780	2,730	4,685	7,495	5,020	6,465	6,540	5,090	3,270
Pakistan	2,915	1,640	1,615	1,975	2,615	3,165	2,860	2,405	1,915	3,000
Zimbabwe	105	115	60	80	230	1,010	2,115	7,655	3,295	2,500
China	790	820	1,945	1,925	2,625	4,000	2,390	3,675	3,450	2,405

## D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM UNITED KINGDOM -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

## 1. Refugee population, end of year--main countries of asylum (main countries in 2004)

Asylum country*	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
United States	10	28	36	50	73	77	77	84	64	55
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	47	52
Other	67	45	43	42	33	36	32	38	38	37
Total	77	73	79	92	106	113	109	164	149	144

\* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

## 2. Asylum applicants during the year--main asylum countries (main countries in 2004 -- 1995 data only incl. industrialized asylum countries)

Asylum country	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
United States	11	28	36	50	73	77	77	84	64	55
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	47	52
Other	11	45	43	42	33	34	29	65	43	16
Total	11	73	79	92	106	113	109	164	149	144

## E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN UNITED KINGDOM -- MAIN LOCATIONS, END OF 2004

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
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## F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR UNITED KINGDOM

