

<b>A.1 Population of concern to UNHCR by region of asylum, 2001-2005 (thousands)</b>					
See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.					
<b>A. UN major areas</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Africa	4,039.7	4,443.5	4,177.2	4,760.3	5,094.9
Asia	8,954.2	9,562.9	6,199.2	7,251.5	8,922.5
Europe	5,082.9	4,691.5	4,259.7	4,445.9	3,689.5
Latin America and the Caribbean	783.4	1,052.5	1,320.5	2,079.2	2,514.2
North America	1,086.7	1,063.1	979.1	850.2	716.8
Oceania	81.9	79.1	74.3	82.6	82.5
Various/unknown	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.6</b>	<b>17,010.1</b>	<b>19,469.7</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>
<b>B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	6,342.9	7,019.6	3,985.5	4,856.6	5,912.7
East and Horn of Africa	1,081.2	1,017.4	822.5	1,515.0	2,105.3
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	1,432.8	1,541.4	1,402.1	1,413.7	1,359.2
West Africa	799.4	1,043.7	1,206.3	1,154.1	1,031.0
Southern Africa	602.3	684.9	546.5	463.2	434.4
The Americas	1,852.0	2,110.3	2,295.4	2,920.9	3,229.8
Asia and Pacific	1,711.4	1,683.9	1,404.7	1,595.4	2,207.5
Europe	6,206.9	5,791.3	5,347.0	5,550.8	4,740.4
Various/unknown	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.6</b>	<b>17,010.1</b>	<b>19,469.7</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>
- Africa	3,915.7	4,287.4	3,977.5	4,545.9	4,929.9
<b>C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Developed regions	3,915.6	3,937.5	3,581.4	4,281.2	4,411.5
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	2,290.4	2,231.3	2,027.9	1,948.3	1,845.5
- CIS (Europe)	1,006.7	973.2	884.9	763.4	623.4
- CIS (Asia)	1,283.7	1,258.1	1,143.0	1,184.9	1,222.1
Developing regions	13,822.9	14,723.8	11,400.8	13,240.1	14,763.3
- Northern Africa	983.7	991.3	922.7	910.4	696.9
- Sub-Saharan Africa	3,589.4	3,735.8	3,533.4	3,306.4	3,653.3
- Latin America and the Caribbean	1,446.1	1,659.9	1,757.7	3,197.7	3,729.0
- Eastern Asia	297.3	299.1	301.7	302.2	305.3
- South Asia	4,250.0	5,817.3	2,741.5	3,100.4	2,803.5
- South-eastern Asia	173.4	118.4	131.1	144.9	125.2
- Western Asia	2,811.7	1,810.1	1,706.1	1,954.8	3,119.5
- Oceania	271.3	291.9	306.6	323.2	330.6
Various/unknown	0.0	-	-	-	-
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	3,513.7	5,556.6	3,021.8	3,286.9	3,520.1
Small island developing states (SIDS)	35.6	49.4	24.4	29.9	35.1
Least developed countries (LDCs)	4,751.7	7,225.7	4,378.3	5,363.7	6,236.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.5</b>	<b>17,010.0</b>	<b>19,469.6</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>

**A.2 Population of concern to UNHCR by country/territory of asylum/residence, 2001-2005 (thousands)**

See Table I.1 for explanations and methods of estimation for selected industrialized countries.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Afghanistan	1,226.1	3,376.5	912.3	1,066.8	911.7	Gambia	8.4	12.1	7.5	7.9	7.9
Albania	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	Georgia	272.2	265.9	264.6	240.2	238.5
Algeria	169.5	169.2	169.0	169.1	94.4	Germany	1,095.2	1,144.0	1,088.5	973.4	781.1
Angola	228.3	302.7	147.4	105.1	68.6	Ghana	14.2	42.3	48.0	48.1	59.0
Argentina	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	Greece	13.2	4.5	10.0	12.8	14.3
Armenia	264.3	247.6	239.3	235.3	219.6	Guatemala	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.4
Australia	69.5	66.7	59.3	68.5	66.8	Guinea	179.3	182.5	186.9	145.6	67.3
Austria	29.6	43.6	49.7	56.6	62.4	Guinea-Bissau	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.8
Azerbaijan	587.3	588.2	585.2	618.8	584.3	Haiti	-	-	0.0	-	-
Bahamas	-	-	-	-	-	Honduras	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Bahrain	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Hong Kong SAR, China	1.9	1.7	2.1	2.5	3.0
Bangladesh	22.2	22.0	19.8	270.5	271.2	Hungary	7.1	7.1	7.8	8.2	8.8
Belarus	35.5	20.5	17.3	13.7	13.2	Iceland	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4
Belgium	30.7	32.6	35.2	36.5	34.4	India	169.8	169.4	165.3	163.0	139.6
Belize	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.6	Indonesia	74.4	28.8	17.0	16.6	0.5
Benin	5.0	5.3	5.8	5.9	32.0	Iraq	130.5	135.9	102.6	241.4	1,634.3
Bolivia	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	Ireland	14.5	12.3	13.4	10.2	9.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	570.2	508.5	404.7	352.3	200.0	Islamic Rep. of Iran	1,868.0	1,307.8	988.7	1,046.7	974.5
Botswana	4.3	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.2	Israel	4.7	4.9	4.9	0.6	1.5
Brazil	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.8	7.7	Italy	8.6	10.1	12.8	16.6	21.6
Bulgaria	4.5	4.8	4.8	5.6	5.2	Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-
Burkina Faso	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	Japan	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.5	4.2
Burundi	125.8	202.6	135.9	150.7	120.3	Jordan	6.4	5.0	7.9	13.6	17.5
Cambodia	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.7	0.2	Kazakhstan	119.5	103.8	34.4	74.1	57.9
Cameroon	43.8	63.6	64.3	65.0	58.8	Kenya	251.8	236.1	241.6	249.3	267.7
Canada	175.0	182.7	174.7	168.4	167.7	Kuwait	139.3	139.7	102.7	102.7	102.7
Central African Rep.	52.9	56.1	53.0	28.1	26.6	Kyrgyzstan	9.8	8.4	6.2	4.2	103.1
Chad	17.3	34.5	147.2	260.1	276.9	Lao People's Dem. Rep.	0.0	-	-	-	-
Chile	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	Latvia	0.0	0.0	0.0	452.2	418.7
China	295.3	297.3	299.4	299.4	301.1	Lebanon	6.5	3.0	3.1	2.4	2.5
Colombia	720.4	950.2	1,244.4	2,000.2	2,000.2	Lesotho	0.0	-	-	-	-
Comoros	0.0	-	-	-	0.0	Liberia	253.4	391.0	601.6	603.7	579.1
Congo	122.3	112.6	96.4	72.8	69.9	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	11.7	11.7	12.0	12.4	12.4
Costa Rica	10.7	12.5	13.6	10.6	11.5	Liechtenstein	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Côte d'Ivoire	128.6	145.9	131.9	119.8	82.1	Lithuania	0.4	0.6	0.5	9.5	9.3
Croatia	68.0	49.1	31.3	23.7	15.8	Luxembourg	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8
Cuba	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	Madagascar	0.0	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	1.9	2.2	5.4	10.6	13.8	Malawi	6.2	13.2	12.1	7.0	9.6
Czech Rep.	12.8	9.0	5.3	2.3	2.7	Malaysia	50.7	52.2	78.7	97.5	106.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	366.9	355.9	237.6	213.5	243.5	Mali	9.2	9.8	10.7	12.3	13.1
Denmark	79.1	78.3	71.9	66.2	45.3	Malta	0.2	0.3	1.0	1.7	2.1
Djibouti	24.1	22.2	28.7	18.0	10.5	Mauritania	29.9	29.9	30.0	30.1	30.2
Dominican Rep.	-	-	-	-	-	Mauritius	0.0	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	4.2	5.9	8.9	10.1	262.6	Mexico	15.5	13.0	6.2	4.5	3.4
Egypt	22.9	92.6	94.2	99.2	100.0	Moldova	1.3	1.3	0.2	0.2	1.8
El Salvador	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	Mongolia	-	-	-	-	0.6
Equatorial Guinea	-	-	0.0	0.0	-	Morocco	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1
Eritrea	36.4	23.4	14.2	14.6	6.0	Mozambique	5.5	7.2	9.5	5.5	6.0
Estonia	0.0	0.0	0.0	150.6	136.0	Myanmar	0.3	0.8	3.2	0.2	236.6
Ethiopia	161.9	133.2	130.3	116.0	101.2	Namibia	32.7	23.4	21.8	16.8	6.4
Finland	13.3	12.5	10.8	11.3	12.5	Nepal	131.0	132.4	134.6	136.3	538.6
France	166.2	166.8	153.7	152.2	149.9	Netherlands	230.5	206.5	185.6	155.3	139.4
Gabon	19.2	19.1	19.1	18.6	13.4	New Zealand	7.2	7.1	6.8	6.1	5.7

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Country or territory of asylum (residence)	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nicaragua	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	Spain	6.8	6.8	5.9	5.7	5.4
Niger	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	Sri Lanka	731.9	733.3	467.9	396.3	354.8
Nigeria	7.3	7.5	10.3	9.8	19.8	Sudan	354.4	352.0	160.8	845.9	1,048.3
Norway	50.1	50.4	46.1	45.0	44.0	Suriname	-	0.0	-	-	-
Occupied Palest. Territ.	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.0	Swaziland	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Oman	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Sweden	164.1	175.5	147.4	101.5	95.9
Pakistan	2,199.4	1,229.0	1,138.0	1,299.1	1,088.1	Switzerland	84.1	82.1	74.8	66.3	62.5
Panama	1.5	1.8	2.0	1.9	12.4	Syrian Arab Rep.	4.0	3.4	10.0	316.5	328.0
Papua New Guinea	5.3	5.3	8.2	8.0	10.0	Tajikistan	18.1	5.2	4.0	2.4	1.1
Paraguay	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	TFYR Macedonia	169.0	32.1	11.4	8.7	4.3
Peru	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	Thailand	111.1	113.7	121.7	122.2	149.4
Philippines	2.2	2.1	1.8	2.0	0.9	Timor-Leste	18.2	31.9	0.5	0.5	0.0
Poland	1.3	4.2	3.4	6.0	6.3	Togo	12.3	12.4	12.7	11.8	18.7
Portugal	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	Tunisia	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Qatar	0.1	0.1	0.1	6.1	0.1	Turkey	7.7	5.9	6.0	7.0	8.7
Rep. of Korea	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.6	Turkmenistan	14.5	13.7	13.5	13.3	12.0
Romania	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.7	Uganda	200.5	218.1	236.0	252.4	259.1
Russian Federation	1,139.6	971.9	805.6	664.6	483.0	Ukraine	9.7	17.7	89.0	84.9	76.9
Rwanda	58.2	71.1	62.9	67.6	59.4	United Arab Emirates	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
Sao Tome and Principe	0.0	-	-	-	-	United Kingdom	275.6	302.0	300.4	308.5	315.9
Saudi Arabia	245.5	245.4	240.9	240.7	310.9	United Rep. of Tanzania	670.2	689.5	649.9	602.3	549.1
Senegal	25.8	22.7	23.0	23.2	23.3	United States	911.7	880.4	804.4	681.8	549.1
Serbia and Montenegro	777.1	715.5	645.2	627.5	488.0	Uruguay	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Sierra Leone	103.1	139.7	94.6	91.8	60.4	Uzbekistan	40.9	46.0	45.7	44.9	44.5
Singapore	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)	0.4	51.1	28.5	30.5	206.3
Slovakia	3.6	5.0	5.1	3.3	3.1	Viet Nam	15.9	15.9	15.4	2.4	17.5
Slovenia	7.2	1.9	3.0	1.2	0.9	Yemen	72.0	85.6	62.6	67.7	82.7
Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	Zambia	284.7	247.7	226.9	174.0	155.9
Somalia	52.0	32.5	10.8	18.8	412.5	Zimbabwe	9.5	10.0	13.3	6.9	14.0
South Africa	30.0	75.8	110.6	142.9	169.8	Various/unknown	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
						Total	20,028.9	20,892.6	17,010.1	19,469.7	21,020.4

<b>A.3 Population of concern to UNHCR by region of origin, 2001-2005 (thousands)</b>					
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<b>A. UN major areas</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Africa	4,300.5	4,793.6	4,556.9	5,170.3	5,561.5
Asia	9,631.6	10,663.9	7,305.7	7,630.0	8,369.2
Europe	3,227.4	3,094.7	2,615.7	2,253.0	1,621.3
Latin America and the Caribbean	1,215.3	1,511.4	1,730.8	2,405.9	2,771.0
North America	0.3	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.1
Oceania	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.0	2.0
Stateless	263.8	259.6	223.9	1,473.0	2,397.9
Various/unknown	1,387.1	565.8	573.9	534.6	296.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.6</b>	<b>17,010.1</b>	<b>19,469.7</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>
<b>B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	6,576.8	7,504.7	4,578.1	5,058.6	5,779.0
East and Horn of Africa	1,521.2	1,494.4	1,332.3	2,143.6	2,729.0
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	1,320.0	1,463.5	1,380.4	1,325.6	1,319.9
West Africa	795.5	1,062.8	1,222.6	1,189.5	1,091.7
Southern Africa	701.9	748.4	489.5	354.8	314.3
The Americas	1,156.8	1,447.1	1,672.2	2,349.7	2,717.2
Asia and Pacific	1,873.1	1,904.7	1,607.7	1,526.2	1,518.0
Europe	4,432.7	4,441.4	3,929.5	3,514.2	2,857.1
Stateless	263.8	259.6	223.9	1,473.0	2,397.9
Various/unknown	1,387.1	565.8	573.9	534.6	296.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.6</b>	<b>17,010.1</b>	<b>19,469.7</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>
- Africa	4,338.6	4,769.1	4,424.8	5,013.4	5,454.8
<b>C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals</b>					
Region	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Developed regions	2,117.0	2,027.5	1,691.2	1,453.0	1,061.1
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	2,331.5	2,295.9	2,126.9	1,959.9	1,689.5
- CIS (Europe)	1,108.1	1,062.7	915.1	781.9	532.8
- CIS (Asia)	1,223.4	1,233.2	1,211.7	1,178.0	1,156.6
Developing regions	13,929.5	15,743.7	12,394.2	14,049.2	15,575.5
- Northern Africa	213.0	221.6	220.1	218.4	148.0
- Sub-Saharan Africa	4,371.0	4,802.2	4,458.2	5,047.1	5,488.8
- Latin America and the Caribbean	1,156.4	1,446.4	1,671.4	2,348.9	2,716.1
- Eastern Asia	159.5	180.5	176.6	177.3	166.9
- South Asia	6,296.6	7,222.3	4,101.6	4,437.2	3,986.0
- South-eastern Asia	707.5	699.8	680.3	674.9	714.0
- Western Asia	1,022.7	1,168.1	1,083.7	1,143.4	2,353.9
- Oceania	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.0	1.9
Stateless	263.8	259.6	223.9	1,473.0	2,397.9
Various/unknown	1,387.1	565.8	573.9	534.6	296.4
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	7,402.4	8,189.9	5,216.2	5,566.0	5,172.8
Small island developing states (SIDS)	149.9	119.8	53.2	50.8	55.5
Least developed countries (LDCs)	9,907.0	10,991.1	7,782.2	8,802.8	8,878.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,028.9</b>	<b>20,892.6</b>	<b>17,010.1</b>	<b>19,469.7</b>	<b>21,020.4</b>

**A.4 Population of concern to UNHCR by country/territory of origin, 2001-2005 (thousands)**

See Table I.1 for explanations and methods of estimation for selected industrialized countries.

Country or territory of origin	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Country or territory of origin	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Afghanistan	5,166.7	6,013.5	3,174.6	3,598.2	3,192.2	Ecuador	1.1	1.7	1.4	1.2	1.1
Albania	11.6	15.8	14.9	13.8	15.3	Egypt	6.1	8.3	7.8	7.6	8.6
Algeria	11.2	14.5	13.6	12.0	13.4	El Salvador	172.1	158.2	134.3	96.3	49.5
Andorra	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Equatorial Guinea	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.5
Angola	695.6	739.2	474.3	328.6	278.0	Eritrea	368.8	363.7	159.1	181.3	184.2
Antigua and Barbuda	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Estonia	0.6	1.2	1.2	1.0	0.9
Argentina	2.1	2.1	1.9	1.3	1.1	Ethiopia	82.1	70.5	73.5	76.3	81.8
Armenia	13.3	18.9	18.1	17.5	18.3	Fiji	2.6	2.6	2.1	1.8	1.8
Australia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Finland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Austria	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	France	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Azerbaijan	847.5	842.4	833.5	833.1	816.3	French Polynesia	-	-	0.0	-	0.0
Bahamas	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	Gabon	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Bahrain	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	Gambia	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	2.3
Bangladesh	9.0	10.6	13.8	15.1	17.5	Georgia	287.1	284.4	279.1	249.8	247.8
Barbados	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	Germany	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.1	0.1
Belarus	4.8	8.4	9.9	9.7	10.3	Ghana	15.7	16.8	17.5	16.4	20.8
Belgium	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	Gibraltar	-	0.0	0.0	-	-
Belize	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Greece	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Benin	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	Grenada	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3
Bermuda	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Guatemala	116.4	110.0	95.3	63.0	35.2
Bhutan	110.9	112.6	114.2	115.7	117.6	Guinea	5.9	7.2	7.0	7.3	9.1
Bolivia	0.3	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.6	Guinea-Bissau	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3
Bosnia and Herzegovina	988.6	892.4	683.7	559.7	300.9	Guyana	0.4	1.1	1.4	0.9	0.8
Botswana	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Haiti	29.2	29.9	25.9	25.5	27.1
Brazil	1.1	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.0	Holy See (the)	-	-	-	0.0	-
Brunei Darussalam	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Honduras	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
Bulgaria	3.6	4.6	3.9	3.4	5.5	Hong Kong SAR, China	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Burkina Faso	0.3	1.2	1.0	0.7	0.8	Hungary	5.1	6.6	4.4	3.3	3.8
Burundi	647.8	735.3	624.1	584.8	526.7	Iceland	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cambodia	35.1	33.9	31.9	18.6	18.7	India	21.3	25.4	25.2	25.1	28.5
Cameroon	4.9	8.1	9.6	11.4	14.0	Indonesia	13.6	15.2	39.9	49.9	39.2
Canada	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	Iraq	580.3	466.4	474.1	552.7	1,765.2
Cape Verde	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Ireland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cayman Islands	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Islamic Rep. of Iran	106.6	152.7	137.7	125.4	112.4
Central African Rep.	29.1	26.1	41.1	32.7	44.8	Israel	1.0	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.3
Chad	53.0	49.8	55.2	55.4	56.0	Italy	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
Chile	1.0	2.2	1.9	1.4	1.0	Jamaica	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8
China	137.2	157.3	153.7	154.4	143.5	Japan	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Colombia	753.6	1,052.7	1,331.6	2,095.3	2,540.1	Jordan	1.3	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.5
Comoros	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.6	Kazakhstan	3.7	7.2	7.5	6.8	4.9
Congo	29.2	35.6	37.7	36.3	33.0	Kenya	3.3	13.3	14.1	15.1	16.1
Costa Rica	0.8	1.8	1.6	0.5	0.3	Kiribati	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Côte d'Ivoire	1.7	125.4	91.6	74.0	62.7	Kuwait	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5
Croatia	336.6	316.0	257.5	235.9	132.2	Kyrgyzstan	1.1	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.5
Cuba	22.5	20.7	18.3	17.7	20.7	Lao People's Dem. Rep.	13.6	12.2	10.8	16.6	24.8
Cyprus	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Latvia	0.8	3.3	3.4	3.0	2.6
Czech Rep.	1.4	7.2	7.1	4.7	3.8	Lebanon	10.7	28.7	27.1	21.5	20.3
DPR of Korea	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	Lesotho	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	425.0	487.9	508.6	527.0	525.9	Liberia	449.6	612.0	912.2	931.5	806.0
Denmark	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	1.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.3
Djibouti	1.1	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.7	Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	Lithuania	0.5	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.6
Dominican Rep.	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	Luxembourg	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0

**A.4 Population of concern to UNHCR by country/territory of origin, 2001-2005 (thousands)**

See Table I.1 for explanations and methods of estimation for selected industrialized countries.

Country or territory of origin	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Country or territory of origin	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Macao SAR, China	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Serbia and Montenegro	571.8	706.6	664.6	597.4	547.8
Madagascar	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	Seychelles	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Malawi	0.0	0.2	1.5	3.0	4.0	Sierra Leone	280.5	224.9	110.8	76.2	46.6
Malaysia	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	Singapore	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Maldives	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Slovakia	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.8	1.0
Mali	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.4	Slovenia	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.2
Malta	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Solomon Islands	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Marshall Islands	-	0.0	-	-	-	Somalia	509.7	480.3	429.4	429.9	840.0
Mauritania	32.4	33.1	33.4	33.7	34.0	South Africa	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.4
Mauritius	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	Spain	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Mexico	24.1	32.5	28.1	20.6	14.9	Sri Lanka	860.9	871.4	592.8	513.3	467.0
Micronesia (Fed. States)	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Sudan	515.0	523.3	613.1	1,405.2	1,567.6
Moldova	6.9	12.7	12.1	12.6	12.6	Suriname	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Monaco	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Swaziland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mongolia	0.9	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.3	Sweden	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
Morocco	0.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	3.4	Switzerland	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mozambique	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	Syrian Arab Rep.	8.7	23.2	24.4	25.4	23.4
Myanmar	147.3	151.3	170.0	172.7	206.1	Tajikistan	58.9	64.9	59.4	57.0	54.9
Namibia	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.5	1.3	TfYR Macedonia	179.0	37.4	16.1	6.5	9.3
Nauru	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Thailand	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.7
Nepal	0.9	1.5	2.0	2.7	4.5	Tibetans	20.7	20.6	20.7	20.8	21.1
Netherlands	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	Timor-Leste	91.2	60.5	1.0	0.7	0.3
New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	0.0	Togo	6.3	13.2	16.4	16.4	67.6
New Zealand	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Tonga	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Nicaragua	17.6	14.0	10.9	8.1	5.9	Trinidad and Tobago	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3
Niger	0.9	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	Tunisia	1.8	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.5
Nigeria	10.2	32.4	39.1	37.5	43.6	Turkey	60.5	206.2	193.7	179.9	181.9
Niue	-	-	0.0	-	-	Turkmenistan	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0
Norway	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Turks and Caicos Islands	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Occupied Palest. Territ.	356.1	435.8	357.7	357.7	356.7	Tuvalu	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-
Oman	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Uganda	41.2	42.7	42.5	35.3	38.6
Pakistan	20.3	34.5	41.2	41.7	46.4	Ukraine	32.6	90.1	97.0	92.2	86.9
Palau	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	United Arab Emirates	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
Panama	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	United Kingdom	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Papua New Guinea	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	United Rep. of Tanzania	3.2	3.1	4.3	5.3	6.8
Paraguay	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	United States	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.9
Peru	9.3	10.0	8.4	6.9	6.5	Uruguay	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.2
Philippines	47.3	47.6	59.4	62.7	62.6	Uzbekistan	11.5	10.9	9.3	9.1	9.8
Poland	4.1	17.5	16.1	11.3	20.3	Vanuatu	0.0	-	-	-	-
Portugal	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)	0.8	1.3	2.6	4.0	5.4
Qatar	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Viet Nam	358.7	377.8	366.1	352.7	360.9
Rep. of Korea	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	Western Irian Jaya	0.3	-	0.4	-	-
Romania	8.9	11.1	10.6	7.3	12.6	Western Sahara	191.9	191.9	191.7	191.8	116.7
Russian Federation	1,063.8	951.5	796.1	667.4	423.0	Yemen	2.9	2.9	2.2	2.0	1.8
Rwanda	132.1	124.9	108.7	83.3	126.0	Zambia	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Zimbabwe	3.0	5.2	10.6	19.0	28.6
Saint Lucia	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	Stateless	263.8	259.6	223.9	1,473.0	2,397.9
Saint Vincent & the Gr.	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6	Various/unknown	1,387.1	565.8	573.9	534.6	296.4
Samoa	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	Total	20,028.9	20,892.6	17,010.1	19,469.7	21,020.4
San Marino	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0						
Sao Tome and Principe	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0						
Saudi Arabia	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2						
Senegal	12.3	12.9	9.2	9.9	10.5						

**A.5 Refugee population by region of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Africa	4,361.2	3,489.5	3,345.4	3,523.4	3,627.1	3,283.9	3,343.7	3,135.8	3,022.6	2,767.6
Asia	4,812.5	4,735.5	4,747.5	4,782.0	5,383.4	5,770.3	4,188.1	3,555.2	3,800.2	3,502.5
Europe	3,266.2	2,939.3	2,586.8	2,599.5	2,374.9	2,312.3	2,336.2	2,208.3	2,077.1	1,747.4
Latin America and the Caribbean	88.4	83.2	65.6	61.5	37.9	37.1	40.9	38.3	36.2	37.7
North America	745.5	689.0	653.3	644.5	635.2	645.1	615.1	585.6	562.3	526.5
Oceania	83.3	78.7	82.3	76.4	71.0	68.1	70.1	69.6	76.5	80.3
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	3,735.6	3,612.7	3,560.6	3,482.9	4,367.8	4,811.6	3,363.6	2,827.3	3,064.1	2,725.2
East and Horn of Africa	1,300.2	1,144.9	1,122.8	1,116.9	1,081.4	966.8	937.6	768.1	770.5	772.0
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	1,278.6	984.5	922.7	1,091.7	1,283.4	1,268.5	1,300.6	1,257.9	1,267.7	1,193.7
West Africa	1,394.0	980.5	919.3	883.3	753.5	492.3	522.2	531.2	465.1	377.2
Southern Africa	168.2	185.8	197.1	247.6	317.9	365.4	319.3	306.2	245.1	228.6
The Americas	833.9	772.2	718.9	706.0	673.1	682.2	656.0	623.9	598.4	564.3
Asia and Pacific	919.4	940.0	918.4	1,033.4	985.9	941.6	903.0	823.6	836.9	825.6
Europe	3,727.2	3,394.7	3,121.0	3,125.5	2,666.6	2,588.5	2,591.8	2,454.6	2,327.1	1,975.5
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0
- Africa	4,141.1	3,295.7	3,161.9	3,339.5	3,436.2	3,093.0	3,079.6	2,863.4	2,748.4	2,571.4

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Developed regions	3,807.2	3,460.6	3,183.7	3,234.9	3,049.3	3,002.1	3,000.4	2,844.7	2,705.1	2,341.4
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	785.5	747.2	708.6	655.7	417.3	392.1	361.3	339.9	330.6	296.5
- CIS (Europe)	280.8	242.3	134.8	83.0	29.7	21.7	18.7	13.5	5.1	4.7
- CIS (Asia)	504.7	504.9	573.9	572.7	387.6	370.4	342.6	326.4	325.5	291.8
Developing regions	8,764.4	7,807.6	7,588.5	7,796.6	8,662.9	8,722.7	7,232.3	6,408.2	6,539.2	6,024.1
- Northern Africa	204.3	186.3	183.5	183.7	190.6	190.5	263.6	271.9	273.8	195.5
- Sub-Saharan Africa	4,157.0	3,303.2	3,161.9	3,339.7	3,436.6	3,093.4	3,080.0	2,863.9	2,748.8	2,572.1
- Latin America and the Caribbean	88.4	83.2	65.6	61.5	37.9	37.1	40.9	38.3	36.2	37.7
- Eastern Asia	291.5	292.7	293.4	294.3	295.1	296.7	298.8	301.3	301.3	303.0
- South Asia	3,642.7	3,559.2	3,467.7	3,367.9	4,191.3	4,389.5	2,857.4	2,417.5	2,645.1	2,345.9
- South-eastern Asia	148.4	189.8	204.3	328.3	294.2	250.9	208.1	142.3	149.1	153.4
- Western Asia	219.9	184.1	203.7	214.5	211.5	459.7	478.6	365.6	377.3	406.3
- Oceania	12.2	9.0	8.4	6.7	5.9	4.9	4.9	7.5	7.6	10.0
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	1,599.7	1,433.1	1,471.1	1,543.6	1,354.5	1,287.7	1,251.5	1,333.8	1,400.0	1,331.3
Small island developing states (SIDS)	39.0	35.8	20.7	18.8	16.6	14.7	15.1	18.0	18.8	21.6
Least developed countries (LDCs)	3,699.5	2,943.6	2,868.5	3,037.7	3,065.7	2,693.2	2,759.4	2,476.2	2,404.6	2,266.8
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0

**A.6 Refugee population by country/territory of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Afghanistan	18.8	0.0	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Albania	4.9	0.0	22.3	3.9	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Algeria <sup>1</sup>	190.3	170.7	165.2	165.2	169.7	169.4	169.2	169.0	169.0	94.1
Angola	9.4	9.4	10.6	13.1	12.1	12.3	12.3	13.4	14.0	14.0
Argentina <sup>2</sup>	10.4	10.5	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.9	3.1
Armenia	219.0	219.0	310.0	296.2	280.6	264.3	247.6	239.3	235.2	219.6
Australia <sup>3</sup>	67.3	66.1	69.7	64.9	60.2	57.9	59.4	56.3	63.5	65.0
Austria <sup>4</sup>	89.1	84.4	80.3	82.1	15.5	14.4	14.1	16.1	17.8	21.2
Azerbaijan <sup>5</sup>	233.7	233.7	221.6	221.6	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	8.6	3.0
Bahamas	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-
Bahrain	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	30.7	21.6	22.3	22.2	21.6	22.2	22.0	19.8	20.4	21.1
Belarus <sup>6</sup>	30.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
Belgium <sup>7</sup>	36.1	36.1	15.5	16.8	18.8	12.3	12.6	12.6	13.5	15.3
Belize	8.5	8.4	3.5	2.9	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.6
Benin	6.0	2.9	2.9	3.7	4.3	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.8	30.3
Bolivia	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	40.0	40.0	65.6	38.2	32.7	28.0	22.5	22.2	10.6
Botswana	0.2	0.3	2.1	1.3	3.6	3.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1
Brazil	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.5
Bulgaria <sup>8</sup>	1.4	0.4	0.2	0.5	1.5	3.0	3.7	4.1	4.7	4.4
Burkina Faso	28.4	1.8	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Burundi	20.7	22.0	25.1	22.1	27.1	27.9	40.5	41.0	48.8	20.7
Cambodia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.1
Cameroon	46.4	47.1	47.8	49.2	43.7	41.2	58.3	58.6	58.9	52.0
Canada <sup>3</sup>	138.4	125.2	119.4	123.3	127.0	129.2	130.0	133.1	141.4	147.2
Central African Rep.	36.6	38.5	43.0	49.3	55.7	49.2	50.7	44.8	25.0	24.6
Chad	0.1	0.3	8.8	23.5	17.7	13.0	33.5	146.4	259.9	275.4
Chile	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8
China	290.1	291.5	292.3	293.3	294.1	295.3	297.3	299.4	299.4	301.0
Colombia	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Comores	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	0.0
Congo	20.5	20.7	27.2	39.9	123.2	119.1	109.2	91.4	68.5	66.1
Costa Rica	23.2	23.1	23.0	22.9	5.5	8.1	12.4	13.5	10.4	11.3
Côte d'Ivoire	327.7	208.5	151.2	138.4	120.7	126.2	44.7	76.0	72.1	41.6
Croatia	165.4	68.9	29.0	28.4	22.4	21.9	8.4	4.4	3.7	2.9
Cuba	1.7	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7
Cyprus	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7
Czech Rep.	2.3	1.7	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.8
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	676.0	297.5	240.2	285.3	332.5	362.0	333.0	234.0	199.3	204.3
Denmark <sup>9</sup>	66.4	68.1	69.0	69.0	71.0	73.3	73.6	69.9	65.3	44.4
Djibouti	25.1	23.6	23.6	23.3	23.2	23.2	21.7	27.0	18.0	10.5
Dominican Rep.	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.6	1.7	3.2	6.4	8.5	10.1
Egypt <sup>10</sup>	6.0	6.5	6.3	6.6	6.8	7.2	80.5	88.7	90.3	88.9
El Salvador	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0
Eritrea	2.1	2.6	2.5	3.0	2.0	2.3	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.4
Estonia	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Ethiopia	390.5	323.1	262.2	257.7	198.0	152.6	132.9	130.3	116.0	100.8
Fiji	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finland <sup>9</sup>	11.4	12.0	12.3	12.9	13.3	12.7	12.5	10.8	11.3	11.8
France	151.3	146.6	140.2	129.7	132.5	131.6	132.2	130.8	139.9	137.3
Gabon	0.8	0.9	1.1	15.1	18.0	15.6	13.5	14.0	13.8	8.5
Gambia	6.9	7.3	10.3	17.2	12.0	8.1	12.1	7.5	7.3	7.3



**A.6 Refugee population by country/territory of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Georgia	0.1	0.2	0.0	5.2	7.6	7.9	4.2	3.9	2.6	2.5
Germany <sup>11</sup>	1,266.0	1,049.0	949.2	975.5	906.0	903.0	980.0	960.4	876.6	700.0
Ghana	35.6	22.9	14.6	13.3	12.7	11.8	33.5	43.9	42.1	53.5
Greece <sup>8</sup>	5.8	5.5	6.1	6.3	6.7	6.9	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.4
Guatemala	1.6	1.5	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.4
Guinea	663.9	435.3	482.5	501.5	427.2	178.4	182.2	184.3	139.3	63.5
Guinea-Bissau	15.4	16.0	6.6	7.1	7.6	7.3	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.6
Guyana	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Hong Kong SAR, China	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.9
Hungary <sup>8</sup>	7.5	5.9	3.5	5.0	5.1	4.7	6.1	7.0	7.7	8.0
Iceland <sup>12</sup>	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
India	233.4	223.1	185.5	180.0	170.9	169.5	168.9	164.8	162.7	139.3
Indonesia	0.1	0.0	0.0	162.5	122.6	73.6	28.6	0.2	0.2	0.1
Iran (Islamic Rep. of)	2,030.4	1,982.6	1,931.3	1,835.7	1,868.0	1,868.0	1,306.6	984.9	1,046.0	974.3
Iraq <sup>13</sup>	113.0	104.0	104.0	128.9	127.8	128.1	134.2	46.7	46.1	50.2
Ireland <sup>12</sup>	0.1	0.4	0.6	2.8	2.5	3.6	5.4	6.0	6.5	7.1
Israel <sup>14</sup>	-	-	0.0	0.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	0.6	0.6
Italy <sup>4</sup>	64.7	66.6	5.5	6.0	6.8	8.6	10.1	12.8	15.7	20.7
Jamaica	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	5.3	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.8	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.0	1.9
Jordan	0.9	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0
Kazakhstan	15.6	15.6	8.3	14.8	20.6	19.5	20.6	15.8	15.8	7.3
Kenya	223.6	232.1	238.2	223.7	206.1	239.2	233.7	237.5	239.8	251.3
Kuwait	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.3	2.8	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Kyrgyzstan	16.7	15.3	14.6	10.8	10.6	9.3	7.7	5.6	3.8	2.6
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Lebanon	2.4	3.1	3.7	4.2	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.5	1.8	1.1
Lesotho	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
Liberia	120.1	126.9	96.3	96.3	69.3	54.8	65.0	34.0	15.2	10.2
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	7.7	8.5	10.6	10.5	11.5	11.7	11.7	11.9	12.2	12.2
Liechtenstein <sup>9</sup>	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Lithuania	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Luxembourg <sup>15</sup>	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8
Macao SAR, China	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-
Malawi	1.3	0.3	1.2	1.7	3.9	6.2	2.2	3.2	3.7	4.2
Malaysia <sup>16</sup>	5.3	5.3	50.6	50.5	50.5	50.5	50.6	7.4	24.9	33.7
Mali	18.2	12.6	13.6	8.3	8.4	8.4	9.1	10.0	11.3	11.2
Malta <sup>8</sup>	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.9	1.6	1.9
Mauritania	15.9	7.5	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6
Mauritius	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
Mexico	34.6	31.9	28.3	24.5	18.5	15.5	13.0	6.1	4.3	3.2
Moldova	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Morocco	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	0.2
Mozambique	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	2.0
Namibia	2.2	2.5	3.8	7.6	27.3	30.9	21.7	19.8	14.8	5.3
Nepal	126.8	129.2	126.1	127.9	129.2	130.9	132.4	123.7	124.9	126.4
Netherlands <sup>9</sup>	102.6	118.1	131.5	138.6	146.2	151.9	148.4	140.9	126.8	118.2
New Zealand <sup>3</sup>	3.8	3.6	4.1	4.8	4.9	5.3	5.8	5.8	5.4	5.3
Nicaragua	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Niger	25.8	7.4	3.7	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3

**A.6 Refugee population by country/territory of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Nigeria	8.5	9.1	6.8	6.9	7.3	7.2	7.4	9.2	8.4	9.0
Norway <sup>9</sup>	48.4	47.4	45.3	43.4	47.7	50.1	50.4	46.1	44.0	43.0
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0
Pakistan <sup>17</sup>	1,202.7	1,202.7	1,202.5	1,202.0	2,001.5	2,198.8	1,227.4	1,124.3	1,291.0	1,084.7
Panama	0.9	0.6	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.7
Papua New Guinea	10.2	8.2	8.2	6.7	5.9	4.9	4.9	7.5	7.6	10.0
Paraguay	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Peru	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8
Philippines	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Poland <sup>8</sup>	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.8	2.5	4.6
Portugal <sup>9</sup>	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
Qatar	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Rep. of Korea	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Romania <sup>8</sup>	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.2	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.6	2.1
Russian Federation	246.7	237.7	128.6	80.1	26.3	18.0	15.0	9.9	1.9	1.5
Rwanda	25.3	34.2	33.4	34.4	28.4	34.8	30.9	36.6	50.2	45.2
Saint Lucia	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia <sup>18</sup>	9.9	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.3	245.3	245.3	240.8	240.6	240.7
Senegal	65.0	57.2	60.8	21.5	20.8	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.8	20.7
Serbia and Montenegro	563.2	550.1	502.0	501.3	484.4	400.3	354.4	291.4	276.7	148.3
Sierra Leone	13.5	13.0	9.9	6.6	6.5	10.5	63.5	61.2	65.4	60.0
Singapore	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Slovakia <sup>8</sup>	1.4	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Slovenia	10.0	5.1	3.5	4.4	2.8	2.4	0.4	2.1	0.3	0.3
Solomon Islands	2.0	0.8	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Somalia	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5
South Africa	22.6	6.8	8.4	14.5	15.1	18.6	23.3	26.6	27.7	29.7
Spain <sup>9</sup>	5.7	5.5	5.9	6.7	7.0	6.8	6.8	5.9	5.7	5.4
Sri Lanka	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Sudan	393.9	374.4	391.5	391.0	414.9	349.2	328.2	138.2	141.6	147.3
Suriname	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
Sweden <sup>9</sup>	191.2	186.7	178.8	159.5	157.2	146.5	142.2	112.2	73.4	74.9
Switzerland	84.4	83.2	81.9	82.3	57.7	58.5	54.1	50.1	47.7	48.0
Syrian Arab Rep.	27.8	22.7	21.0	6.5	3.5	3.4	2.9	3.7	15.6	26.1
Tajikistan	1.2	2.2	3.6	4.5	15.4	15.3	3.4	3.3	1.8	1.0
TFYR Macedonia	5.1	3.5	1.7	21.2	9.1	4.4	2.8	0.2	1.0	1.3
Thailand	108.0	169.2	138.3	100.1	105.0	110.7	112.6	119.1	121.1	117.1
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Togo	12.6	12.7	11.8	12.1	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.4	11.3	9.3
Tunisia	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Turkey	8.2	2.4	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.5	3.3	2.5	3.0	2.4
Turkmenistan	15.6	15.8	14.6	18.5	14.2	14.0	13.7	13.5	13.3	12.0
Uganda	264.3	188.5	204.5	218.2	236.6	199.7	217.3	230.9	250.5	257.3
Ukraine	3.6	4.6	6.1	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.3
United Arab Emirates	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
United Kingdom <sup>9</sup>	98.6	107.9	121.7	148.9	186.2	233.4	260.7	276.5	298.8	303.2
United Rep. of Tanzania	498.7	570.4	543.9	622.2	680.9	646.9	689.4	649.8	602.1	548.8
United States <sup>3</sup>	607.0	563.8	534.0	521.1	508.2	515.9	485.2	452.5	420.9	379.3
Uruguay	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Uzbekistan	2.9	3.2	1.1	1.0	38.4	39.6	44.9	44.7	44.5	44.0
Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)	1.6	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4
Viet Nam	34.4	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.4	2.4	2.4
Yemen	53.5	41.0	61.4	60.5	60.5	69.5	82.8	61.9	66.4	81.9

**A.6 Refugee population by country/territory of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Zambia	131.1	165.1	168.6	206.4	250.9	284.2	246.8	226.7	173.9	155.7
Zimbabwe	0.6	0.8	1.7	2.1	4.1	8.7	9.4	12.7	6.9	13.9
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0

**Notes**

The following country notes serve primarily to explain changes in the population, which are not due to new arrivals or returns.

This table reflects the official sources for refugee statistics. Considering that only few industrialized countries maintain a refugee register, UNHCR has estimated the refugee population in a number of countries, based on recent refugee arrivals and recognition of asylum-seekers. Due to these differences in sources, definition and methods, Part C of the Annex provides a more solid basis for comparing the asylum and refugee experience between industrialized countries.

<sup>1</sup> According to the Government of Algeria, there are an estimated 165,000 Sahrawi refugees in the Tindouf camps.

<sup>2</sup> The decrease in the refugee population in 1998 is mainly due to a verification of records.

<sup>3</sup> UNHCR estimates, based on the arrival of refugees and asylum-seeker recognition over a 5-year period ending with the reporting year.

<sup>4</sup> UNHCR estimates, based on asylum-seeker recognition over a 10-year period ending with the reporting year. Official annual estimates of the population granted temporary protection have been included.

<sup>5</sup> The decrease in the refugee population in 2000 is due to the naturalization of some 188,000 ethnic-Azeri refugees from Armenia as well as a change in the statistical category of some 33,000 Uzbek citizens.

<sup>6</sup> The figure for 1996 includes asylum-seekers.

<sup>7</sup> UNHCR estimates 1998-2000, based on asylum-seeker recognition over a 10-year period ending with the reporting year. The data source and definition for the earlier years is unclear. They possibly include estimates from a central register.

<sup>8</sup> The 2004-2005 figure is a UNHCR estimate, based on the arrival of refugees and asylum-seeker recognition over a 10-year period ending with the reporting year. The data source and definition for the earlier years is unclear.

<sup>9</sup> UNHCR estimates, based on the arrival of refugees and asylum-seeker recognition over a 10-year period ending with the reporting year.

<sup>10</sup> The 2002-2005 figures include an estimated 70,000 Palestinian refugees residing in the country.

<sup>11</sup> Includes the categories "persons granted asylum and refugees recognized abroad", "quota refugees", "homeless foreigners", "family members of persons granted asylum", "civil war refugees from Bosnia and Herzegovina" and "de facto refugees" (Source: Central Aliens Register).

<sup>12</sup> UNHCR estimates since 1999, based on the arrival of refugees and asylum-seeker recognition over a 10-year period ending with the reporting year. The source and method of estimation prior to 1999 is unclear.

<sup>13</sup> The decrease in the refugee population in 2003 is primarily due to the de-registration of some 77,000 Palestinian refugees.

<sup>14</sup> Figure for 2003 refers to end-2002.

<sup>15</sup> Figures for 2002 and 2003 refer to end-2001.

<sup>16</sup> The increase in 1998 is due to the inclusion of some 45,000 Filipino refugees. The decrease in 2003 is due to a change in the statistical category of this group.

<sup>17</sup> UNHCR figures for Pakistan only include Afghans living in camps who are assisted by UNHCR. According to a 2005 Government census and subsequent voluntary repatriation during the year, there are an additional 1.5 million Afghans living outside camps, some of whom may be refugees. Those Afghans living outside camps receive no UNHCR assistance except UNHCR-facilitated voluntary repatriation.

<sup>18</sup> The 2001-2005 figures include some 240,000 Palestinians who were not reported previously.

**A.7 Refugee population by region of origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Africa	4,543.6	3,722.2	3,593.4	3,798.9	3,951.2	3,646.9	3,715.5	3,501.6	3,409.8	3,213.5
Asia	5,571.0	5,497.4	5,375.8	5,328.5	5,889.4	6,278.9	5,208.5	4,566.6	4,753.0	4,430.7
Europe	1,653.9	1,564.8	1,307.2	1,199.1	1,079.1	998.2	1,269.1	1,097.9	948.1	698.3
Latin America and the Caribbean	149.5	140.6	126.0	111.6	83.4	85.2	95.1	91.1	96.0	117.7
North America	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.8
Oceania	2.4	1.2	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.5
Stateless	23.7	23.3	7.1	11.8	6.4	7.2	14.5	13.9	14.0	12.3
Various/unknown	1,412.8	1,065.8	1,070.6	1,236.8	1,119.4	1,099.5	289.8	320.1	352.0	187.2
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	4,095.9	4,032.5	3,923.2	3,772.7	4,619.9	5,086.7	3,872.8	3,348.1	3,556.3	3,166.2
East and Horn of Africa	1,596.6	1,449.1	1,388.0	1,450.2	1,450.0	1,365.5	1,364.6	1,234.3	1,350.6	1,338.1
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	1,116.1	838.0	818.4	959.2	1,142.4	1,130.9	1,173.1	1,178.4	1,125.3	1,087.8
West Africa	1,291.9	890.4	818.9	826.1	712.4	465.5	516.5	531.0	474.9	410.1
Southern Africa	285.0	301.9	321.9	354.7	436.7	473.6	441.5	338.9	240.6	229.3
The Americas	149.7	140.7	126.1	111.7	83.6	85.4	95.5	91.6	96.5	118.5
Asia and Pacific	1,193.2	1,175.8	1,095.9	1,186.5	1,120.7	1,063.9	1,072.6	974.7	971.3	988.8
Europe	2,192.1	2,097.9	1,910.7	1,777.3	1,438.2	1,338.8	1,753.2	1,561.9	1,393.4	1,123.8
Stateless	23.7	23.3	7.1	11.8	6.4	7.2	14.5	13.9	14.0	12.3
Various/unknown	1,412.8	1,065.8	1,070.6	1,236.8	1,119.4	1,099.5	289.8	320.1	352.0	187.2
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0
- Africa	4,289.6	3,479.4	3,347.2	3,590.3	3,741.4	3,435.4	3,495.7	3,282.5	3,191.4	3,065.3

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Developed regions	1,467.9	1,355.0	1,126.9	1,154.7	1,014.5	919.2	1,076.2	888.8	731.0	491.0
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	911.4	900.9	876.4	683.5	443.8	436.1	564.0	565.3	562.7	534.5
- CIS (Europe)	186.2	209.9	180.4	44.5	64.8	79.3	193.4	209.5	217.7	208.2
- CIS (Asia)	725.3	691.0	696.0	639.1	379.0	356.8	370.7	355.8	344.9	326.3
Developing regions	9,541.2	8,670.4	8,399.8	8,600.4	9,545.4	9,654.8	8,649.6	7,804.7	7,915.3	7,437.0
- Northern Africa	170.8	172.5	176.0	178.7	180.0	181.6	189.7	188.6	187.4	116.6
- Sub-Saharan Africa	4,372.9	3,549.7	3,417.4	3,620.2	3,771.2	3,465.2	3,525.8	3,313.0	3,222.5	3,096.9
- Latin America and the Caribbean	149.5	140.6	126.0	111.6	83.4	85.2	95.1	91.1	96.0	117.7
- Eastern Asia	126.0	127.4	130.8	133.1	132.1	138.3	153.6	153.3	155.8	145.5
- South Asia	3,067.8	3,061.0	2,999.0	2,935.4	3,935.9	4,165.3	2,938.6	2,529.5	2,795.3	2,535.8
- South-eastern Asia	782.9	762.9	729.5	814.2	738.0	674.1	651.0	573.7	574.2	601.4
- Western Asia	869.0	855.1	820.5	806.7	704.4	944.3	1,094.6	954.3	882.6	821.6
- Oceania	2.4	1.2	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.5
Stateless	23.7	23.3	7.1	11.8	6.4	7.2	14.5	13.9	14.0	12.3
Various/unknown	1,412.8	1,065.8	1,070.6	1,236.8	1,119.4	1,099.5	289.8	320.1	352.0	187.2
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	4,670.8	4,287.8	4,197.4	4,106.4	4,917.2	5,102.9	3,838.1	3,414.5	3,633.3	3,383.1
Small island developing states (SIDS)	45.0	43.5	47.5	199.1	152.0	101.7	56.9	27.0	28.9	37.2
Least developed countries (LDCs)	7,448.0	6,621.6	6,404.5	6,644.4	7,739.1	7,613.5	6,280.0	5,641.2	5,842.4	5,491.3
Total	13,357.1	12,015.4	11,480.9	11,687.2	12,129.6	12,116.8	10,594.1	9,592.8	9,574.8	8,662.0

<b>A.8 Refugee population by origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)</b>										
The origin is listed if the number of refugees was 5,000 or more in at least one year.										
Origin*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Afghanistan	2,674.2	2,676.7	2,667.1	2,601.7	3,587.3	3,809.8	2,510.3	2,136.0	2,414.4	2,166.1
Albania	5.8	5.4	5.4	6.3	6.8	7.6	10.8	10.4	10.5	12.7
Algeria	2.2	3.4	5.7	7.2	8.0	8.4	12.1	11.7	10.7	12.0
Angola	249.7	267.7	319.4	353.5	433.8	470.6	435.4	329.6	228.8	215.8
Armenia	203.2	203.7	193.2	193.2	5.8	7.2	13.2	13.2	13.4	14.0
Azerbaijan	236.1	235.0	329.7	311.1	284.3	268.8	260.2	253.3	250.6	233.7
Bangladesh	58.0	44.4	4.7	4.5	5.4	5.5	5.8	5.6	5.7	7.3
Belarus	0.5	0.3	0.3	1.5	2.5	3.7	6.4	7.8	8.2	8.9
Bhutan	106.8	108.7	105.7	107.6	108.9	110.8	112.5	104.0	105.3	106.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	993.9	849.2	640.1	598.2	505.0	447.3	406.4	300.0	228.8	109.9
Burundi	428.7	519.1	502.6	527.4	568.1	554.0	574.6	531.6	485.8	438.7
Cambodia	62.2	103.2	76.6	38.3	36.9	34.8	33.5	31.4	18.1	17.8
Cameroon	2.1	2.3	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.7	5.2	6.2	7.6	9.1
Central African Rep.	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	28.7	25.4	35.4	31.1	42.9
Chad	58.4	55.0	61.3	58.8	55.0	46.3	47.3	52.3	52.7	48.4
Chile	12.8	9.8	7.0	1.5	0.9	0.8	1.7	1.6	1.2	0.9
China	105.8	106.7	109.4	112.0	111.0	117.4	132.1	132.4	134.7	124.1
Colombia	2.2	2.4	3.5	4.4	9.3	17.9	30.6	38.0	47.4	60.5
Congo	0.2	21.1	17.1	27.3	27.6	24.2	28.0	29.0	28.2	24.4
Côte d'Ivoire	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.9	23.7	33.6	23.7	18.3
Croatia	310.1	349.3	338.1	353.7	335.2	290.3	274.8	230.2	215.5	119.1
Cuba	25.5	24.9	23.6	23.3	20.1	19.0	18.0	16.1	15.7	19.0
Czech Rep.	1.0	0.7	1.9	1.2	0.8	1.2	7.0	6.7	4.5	3.6
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	158.8	174.0	158.8	256.0	371.7	392.1	421.4	453.5	462.2	430.9
Djibouti	18.1	8.1	3.2	1.9	1.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Egypt	1.2	1.7	2.6	3.5	4.0	4.7	6.4	5.7	5.4	6.3
El Salvador	19.6	17.1	12.6	12.4	7.8	7.2	6.6	5.7	4.5	4.3
Eritrea	332.2	319.1	346.8	347.1	376.9	333.2	318.2	124.1	131.1	144.1
Ethiopia	96.3	84.4	70.7	71.1	66.4	59.0	61.2	62.7	63.2	65.5
Georgia	48.5	47.2	35.7	29.9	21.8	17.5	17.0	12.5	6.6	7.3
Ghana	15.1	14.8	13.6	13.3	14.8	14.6	15.7	15.9	14.8	18.4
Guatemala	40.3	37.5	32.7	28.1	20.7	16.9	13.9	6.7	4.4	3.4
Guinea	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.5	2.0	3.4	3.9	4.8	5.8
Guinea-Bissau	0.9	0.9	8.9	3.2	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1
Haiti	15.1	15.5	13.5	8.8	7.6	7.2	7.7	7.5	9.2	13.5
India	7.6	8.9	9.7	9.8	11.4	11.6	14.3	13.7	13.3	16.3
Indonesia	11.4	8.8	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.9	16.2	27.9	34.4
Iraq	714.7	707.3	675.0	642.9	526.2	530.5	422.5	368.6	311.9	262.3
Islamic Rep. of Iran	104.1	94.0	90.0	86.9	88.3	92.5	138.4	122.5	115.2	99.4
Kazakhstan	40.2	40.8	20.5	9.1	2.5	2.8	6.3	6.6	6.1	4.3
Kenya	9.4	9.6	6.0	6.1	2.4	2.6	3.1	3.2	3.8	4.6
Kyrgyzstan	17.1	16.3	7.4	4.0	0.7	0.7	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.1
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	46.9	37.4	29.0	21.4	16.1	12.6	11.2	10.4	16.1	24.4
Lebanon	10.9	10.2	9.8	7.7	10.2	8.8	26.3	24.9	19.9	18.3
Liberia	784.0	493.3	365.4	294.7	266.9	244.6	275.4	353.3	335.5	231.1
Mali	55.2	18.0	3.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Mauritania	83.2	70.3	70.2	29.9	29.8	29.9	30.1	30.5	31.1	31.7
Moldova	5.8	5.1	2.8	2.4	2.7	3.7	10.1	11.1	11.9	12.1
Mozambique	34.7	33.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Myanmar	143.0	135.8	133.4	131.7	137.1	145.9	148.5	151.4	161.0	164.9
Nicaragua	22.8	22.5	21.4	20.6	5.1	4.4	4.1	4.0	1.8	1.5
Niger	10.4	2.8	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7
Nigeria	4.8	3.1	4.0	4.4	5.7	6.1	24.6	24.4	23.9	22.1
Occupied Palestinian Territory	80.2	76.8	77.5	100.6	110.6	349.2	428.8	350.6	350.6	349.7
Pakistan	7.5	6.0	6.9	8.0	10.1	12.3	23.2	24.4	25.9	29.9

<b>A.8 Refugee population by origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)</b>										
The origin is listed if the number of refugees was 5,000 or more in at least one year.										
Origin*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Peru	6.7	6.6	7.1	7.2	6.9	6.5	6.4	5.6	4.8	4.9
Philippines	0.6	0.5	45.6	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.6	0.4	0.4	0.5
Poland	12.9	7.3	1.9	1.2	0.9	3.2	16.7	15.2	10.7	19.6
Romania	11.9	9.0	10.9	8.6	7.3	6.1	8.8	8.4	5.9	11.5
Russian Federation	173.7	198.1	172.7	28.3	40.3	45.2	91.6	96.4	108.0	103.0
Rwanda	469.1	68.0	77.7	88.9	119.1	84.5	75.3	75.3	63.8	100.3
Senegal	17.6	17.2	9.7	11.6	11.1	8.6	12.1	8.4	8.3	8.7
Serbia and Montenegro	104.0	106.7	115.3	172.5	146.7	144.2	327.6	296.6	237.0	190.0
Sierra Leone	375.1	329.3	406.1	490.1	402.8	179.1	141.5	70.6	41.8	40.5
Somalia	637.0	608.1	558.0	524.6	475.7	440.1	432.3	402.3	389.3	395.6
Sri Lanka	109.6	122.3	115.0	116.7	124.2	122.4	133.2	122.0	114.0	108.1
Stateless	23.7	23.3	7.1	11.8	6.4	7.2	14.5	13.9	14.0	12.3
Sudan	475.3	364.6	390.0	485.5	494.4	490.0	508.9	606.2	730.7	693.6
Syrian Arab Rep.	8.6	8.7	8.1	6.7	5.9	4.9	18.9	20.8	21.4	16.4
Tajikistan	107.5	75.9	56.3	45.2	59.9	56.1	63.3	58.9	56.8	54.8
TFYR Macedonia	13.0	12.7	1.9	2.1	2.2	12.2	8.1	6.0	5.1	8.6
Tibetans	20.0	20.5	21.2	21.0	21.0	20.7	20.6	20.0	20.0	20.2
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	162.5	122.2	73.0	28.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
Togo	25.6	7.2	3.5	3.7	4.0	4.4	10.4	10.6	10.8	51.1
Turkey	50.4	47.3	45.0	44.0	47.2	47.1	193.7	185.1	174.6	170.6
Uganda	28.3	55.2	13.3	13.9	32.4	40.1	40.4	35.2	32.0	34.2
Ukraine	6.1	6.3	4.6	12.2	19.3	26.7	85.3	94.1	89.6	84.2
Uzbekistan	69.7	69.1	51.7	45.5	3.6	3.5	6.9	7.4	7.3	8.3
Viet Nam	518.3	476.8	435.4	405.4	370.8	353.2	373.7	363.2	349.8	358.3
Western Sahara**	166.3	166.1	166.0	165.9	165.8	165.9	165.9	165.7	165.7	90.7
Zimbabwe	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.3	4.0	7.2	9.6	11.3

**Note**

\* Includes UNHCR estimates of refugees by origin in industrialized countries. See also Annex A.6.

\*\* According to the Government of Algeria, there are an estimated 165,000 Sahrawi refugees in the Tindouf camps.

**A.9 Refugee population by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the number of refugees was 5,000 or more in at least one year.

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Afghanistan	Australia*	2.2	2.2	2.4	3.1	4.4	6.3	6.9	7.2	8.0	8.1
Afghanistan	Canada*	5.1	6.0	6.8	7.9	9.1	11.4	13.0	14.6	15.2	15.5
Afghanistan	Denmark*	1.0	1.3	1.5	2.3	3.5	4.8	5.8	6.4	6.4	6.4
Afghanistan	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.3	47.0	38.6	31.1
Afghanistan	India	18.6	17.5	16.1	14.5	12.8	12.0	11.4	10.3	9.8	9.7
Afghanistan	Islamic Rep. of Iran	1,414.7	1,411.8	1,400.7	1,325.7	1,482.0	1,482.0	1,104.9	834.7	952.8	920.2
Afghanistan	Netherlands*	7.8	12.0	16.0	20.3	23.6	26.0	26.0	26.4	25.9	25.1
Afghanistan	Pakistan**	1,200.0	1,200.0	1,200.0	1,200.0	2,000.0	2,197.8	1,226.6	1,123.6	1,290.4	1,084.2
Afghanistan	Tajikistan	1.2	2.2	3.6	4.5	15.4	15.3	3.4	3.3	1.8	1.0
Afghanistan	Turkmenistan	3.1	5.5	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.0	0.7
Afghanistan	United Kingdom*	1.3	1.9	3.5	4.6	5.7	15.1	20.3	21.7	22.5	22.5
Afghanistan	United States*	3.8	2.7	1.9	2.6	4.3	7.4	8.9	9.6	9.8	8.8
Afghanistan	Uzbekistan	2.8	3.1	1.1	1.0	8.3	9.6	5.7	5.5	5.2	4.7
Algeria	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.8	3.7	3.3	5.4
Angola	Congo	20.2	20.6	21.0	20.6	18.5	17.7	17.7	3.9	3.6	3.0
Angola	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	108.3	87.7	137.0	150.0	175.4	186.9	184.2	123.7	98.4	106.8
Angola	Namibia	2.1	2.2	2.8	7.6	27.3	30.9	21.6	17.8	12.6	4.7
Angola	South Africa	3.9	2.3	2.5	3.8	3.9	4.8	5.3	5.8	5.8	5.8
Angola	Zambia	109.6	147.2	149.8	163.1	198.2	218.2	188.4	158.9	88.8	75.5
Armenia	Azerbaijan	198.0	198.0	188.4	188.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Armenia	United States*	0.9	1.2	1.5	2.0	2.8	4.1	5.1	4.5	4.6	5.2
Azerbaijan	Armenia	200.0	200.0	310.0	296.2	280.6	264.3	247.5	239.3	235.1	219.3
Azerbaijan	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	8.3	9.2	6.7
Azerbaijan	Russian Federation	35.3	33.8	18.3	12.9	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0
Bangladesh	India	53.5	40.1	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-
Bhutan	Nepal	106.8	108.7	105.7	107.6	108.9	110.8	112.3	103.7	104.9	106.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Australia*	3.5	4.7	6.6	6.8	6.3	4.9	3.9	1.9	1.4	0.6
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Austria*	74.1	69.9	68.1	66.9	1.4	1.4	1.3	0.7	0.6	0.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Canada*	17.1	20.7	22.6	20.8	15.5	11.2	7.7	4.1	1.4	0.8
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Croatia	158.7	68.3	28.7	25.0	20.9	20.4	7.7	3.9	3.2	2.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Denmark*	25.6	27.0	27.2	27.3	27.5	26.1	27.9	25.4	22.2	4.6
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Germany	330.0	245.0	100.0	50.0	30.0	24.0	40.5	38.7	30.1	9.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Italy*	8.0	8.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Netherlands*	22.0	23.7	23.8	24.0	24.2	24.4	24.6	19.9	13.5	6.4
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Norway*	-	13.8	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.4	13.3	5.0	3.9	1.9
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Serbia and Montenegro	250.7	241.4	200.9	198.2	190.0	143.1	121.4	99.8	95.3	47.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Slovenia	8.3	4.6	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.4	0.4	2.0	0.2	0.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Sweden*	49.4	50.9	51.9	52.5	52.9	53.4	53.4	25.8	7.2	5.7
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Switzerland	5.1	10.4	5.9	7.3	8.0	8.0	7.7	6.9	6.6	6.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	TfYR Macedonia	5.1	3.5	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	United States*	31.7	53.1	82.1	97.5	106.4	108.8	92.3	61.8	39.4	20.4
Burundi	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	30.2	47.0	20.0	19.2	19.8	19.5	19.4	19.6	19.4	19.0
Burundi	Rwanda	9.6	6.9	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.6	1.8	4.7	3.7
Burundi	United Rep. of Tanzania	385.5	459.4	473.8	499.0	538.4	521.2	540.9	494.2	443.7	393.6
Cambodia	France	24.3	22.8	21.4	19.7	18.1	16.6	15.4	14.3	14.1	13.7
Cambodia	Thailand	-	62.2	36.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Cambodia	Viet Nam	34.4	15.0	15.0	15.0	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.4	2.4	2.4
Central African Rep.	Chad	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	20.0	33.9	29.7	41.2
Central African Rep.	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	0.0	-	-	-	26.5	2.9	0.2	0.1	0.1
Chad	Cameroon	44.6	44.1	44.6	44.6	42.3	39.3	39.3	39.3	39.3	39.3
Chad	Central African Rep.	5.5	3.9	7.5	3.5	3.3	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.7	0.8
Chad	Sudan	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	-	-	5.0	5.0	5.0
Chile	Sweden*	9.3	7.7	6.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
China	Canada*	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.9	2.7	3.8	5.7	8.1	10.0
China	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.3	6.9	6.9	3.9
China	India	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	94.3	77.2
China	United States*	2.5	3.5	5.4	7.5	11.1	17.1	23.7	21.3	19.0	26.1
Colombia	Canada*	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	1.1	2.3	4.1	6.7	9.4	13.5
Colombia	Costa Rica	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.5	3.1	7.3	8.3	8.8	9.5
Colombia	Ecuador	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.4	1.6	3.1	6.2	8.3	9.9

**A.9 Refugee population by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

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Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Colombia	United States*	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.9	2.6	6.7	11.1	11.6	14.9	20.0
Congo	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	20.2	15.0	11.8	5.1	2.9	7.2	6.6	5.3	5.2
Congo	Gabon	-	0.0	0.2	12.2	17.6	15.0	11.9	12.1	12.0	7.3
Côte d'Ivoire	Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	9.6	4.7	3.2
Côte d'Ivoire	Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	20.0	12.4	6.6
Croatia	Australia*	1.1	1.6	3.1	3.7	4.9	5.2	4.9	3.4	2.7	1.3
Croatia	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	40.0	30.0	39.6	24.9	23.6	22.0	19.5	19.2	7.5
Croatia	Italy*	8.5	8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Croatia	Serbia and Montenegro	297.1	293.2	296.6	298.5	289.9	245.3	228.7	189.7	180.1	100.7
Croatia	United States*	0.2	0.3	0.3	1.9	4.9	5.9	6.3	6.3	4.7	1.8
Cuba	United States*	21.9	21.3	19.9	19.2	15.7	14.4	13.0	11.3	11.8	15.0
Czech Rep.	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9	5.6	3.7	3.0
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Angola	9.3	9.3	10.4	12.8	11.8	11.9	11.9	13.0	13.5	13.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Burundi	20.0	20.0	23.1	20.8	25.8	26.7	39.8	40.6	48.4	20.4
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Canada*	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.7	3.1	4.0	4.4	4.7	5.1	5.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Central African Rep.	-	0.2	0.7	9.5	15.3	10.2	10.8	6.5	3.4	3.3
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Congo	-	0.0	0.3	12.4	97.6	92.8	83.5	81.0	58.8	56.4
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	France	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.0	4.9	5.5	6.3	6.8	7.7	8.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.4	7.1	6.7	6.3
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Rwanda	15.4	27.1	32.0	33.0	27.4	33.1	29.3	34.7	45.5	41.4
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	South Africa	2.5	0.1	0.1	4.1	4.5	5.0	7.2	8.9	9.5	10.6
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Uganda	28.6	14.2	5.4	8.0	9.0	7.6	8.8	11.7	15.0	20.6
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	United Kingdom*	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.7	2.8	3.4	4.3	5.4	6.0	6.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	United Rep. of Tanzania	55.2	74.3	58.3	98.5	110.4	117.5	140.3	150.2	153.5	150.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Zambia	14.2	13.0	12.2	36.4	45.1	56.1	49.2	58.4	66.2	61.2
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Zimbabwe	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	1.9	4.2	4.7	6.1	3.6	6.5
Djibouti	Ethiopia	18.0	8.0	3.0	1.5	1.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
El Salvador	Belize	5.8	5.7	2.3	1.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
Eritrea	Ethiopia	-	-	-	-	3.3	4.2	5.1	6.8	8.7	10.7
Eritrea	Sudan	328.3	315.0	342.3	342.1	367.7	324.5	305.3	108.3	110.9	116.7
Ethiopia	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.1	8.0	6.7	5.1
Ethiopia	Kenya	7.1	8.6	8.1	8.2	4.1	13.5	11.2	11.1	12.6	14.9
Ethiopia	Sudan	51.5	44.3	35.6	35.4	34.1	16.1	14.6	15.3	14.8	14.6
Ethiopia	Sweden*	7.6	6.4	5.0	3.3	2.1	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Ethiopia	United Kingdom*	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.4	4.9	5.1	3.3	2.2	2.5	2.7
Ethiopia	United States*	10.2	7.8	5.6	7.8	9.8	11.5	12.5	12.8	13.0	13.8
Georgia	Russian Federation	47.8	46.2	34.3	28.0	19.6	14.8	11.4	6.5	0.2	0.1
Ghana	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.4	1.5	7.1
Ghana	Togo	12.3	12.3	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.0	8.0
Guatemala	Mexico	32.6	30.1	26.6	22.1	16.0	13.0	10.6	4.1	2.4	1.2
Haiti	United States*	11.0	11.9	10.6	6.3	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.4	6.8	10.6
India	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.5	3.2	3.2	5.9
India	United States*	4.4	5.5	5.9	6.2	6.4	6.1	6.7	5.7	5.2	5.4
Indonesia	Malaysia	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.2	15.2	19.2
Indonesia	Papua New Guinea	10.2	8.2	8.2	6.7	5.9	4.9	4.9	7.5	7.6	10.0
Iraq	Australia*	9.7	9.0	9.8	10.4	10.5	10.5	11.9	12.2	11.5	10.9
Iraq	Canada*	8.2	8.0	6.6	6.0	5.8	6.0	5.7	5.4	5.4	4.8
Iraq	Denmark*	5.9	7.0	8.3	10.5	11.8	12.6	12.5	11.8	11.5	10.7
Iraq	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.7	73.5	68.1	52.9
Iraq	Islamic Rep. of Iran	579.2	570.8	530.6	510.0	386.0	386.0	201.7	150.2	93.2	54.0
Iraq	Netherlands*	14.0	18.4	24.4	24.9	25.3	26.0	26.2	28.6	27.6	26.6
Iraq	Norway*	-	1.6	2.3	4.8	8.1	8.2	8.3	7.8	8.3	8.5
Iraq	Saudi Arabia	9.7	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.1	0.7	0.4	0.4
Iraq	Sweden*	20.2	21.4	22.6	23.6	25.6	25.9	25.7	23.9	22.0	21.0
Iraq	Syrian Arab Rep.	26.8	21.1	19.4	3.4	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.4	14.4	24.9
Iraq	United Kingdom*	4.7	5.1	6.0	6.4	9.5	12.0	20.6	23.4	22.8	22.4
Iraq	United States*	20.6	25.4	22.3	19.4	19.3	19.1	12.0	10.5	8.6	6.0
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Canada*	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.4	6.3	7.5	7.2	6.8	6.5	5.7
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.5	47.1	39.9	24.0
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Iraq	34.2	29.4	29.0	26.5	23.9	23.7	20.3	10.2	9.5	13.4



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Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Netherlands*	9.4	10.2	10.4	10.1	9.9	9.8	8.6	7.9	6.6	5.6
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Sweden*	25.4	19.6	14.6	10.4	8.9	6.8	5.6	5.2	5.3	5.0
Islamic Rep. of Iran	United Kingdom*	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.4	3.4	4.1	5.4	6.9	8.0	9.0
Islamic Rep. of Iran	United States*	9.0	8.7	9.8	11.1	15.5	21.3	21.8	21.2	20.5	17.4
Kazakhstan	Russian Federation	39.8	40.2	19.6	7.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.3	-	-
Kenya	Ethiopia	8.7	8.7	4.9	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-
Kyrgyzstan	Russian Federation	17.1	16.3	7.4	3.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.0
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	France	14.4	13.7	12.7	11.7	10.4	9.3	8.7	7.9	7.9	7.7
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	United States*	26.7	20.4	13.4	7.0	3.4	1.2	0.2	0.2	6.2	14.7
Lebanon	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0	18.4	17.3	15.6
Lebanon	Sweden*	5.6	5.5	5.1	3.2	2.3	1.2	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5
Liberia	Côte d'Ivoire	327.3	207.0	148.9	135.6	117.7	122.8	43.0	74.2	70.4	39.9
Liberia	Ghana	15.2	17.1	12.6	10.4	9.5	8.9	28.3	42.5	40.9	38.7
Liberia	Guinea	415.0	243.0	183.0	129.1	117.1	82.8	119.3	149.6	127.3	54.8
Liberia	Nigeria	5.3	4.9	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	3.7	2.9	6.1
Liberia	Sierra Leone	13.5	13.0	9.9	6.6	6.5	10.5	63.5	61.2	65.4	60.0
Liberia	United States*	4.6	4.7	5.6	8.0	10.8	14.4	14.9	15.5	19.6	21.5
Mali	Algeria	15.1	3.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	-
Mali	Mauritania	15.9	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mali	Niger	24.0	7.1	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mauritania	Mali	16.8	11.1	11.6	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2
Mauritania	Senegal	64.0	56.2	55.1	20.0	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.8	19.7
Moldova	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4	5.6	5.5	5.5
Moldova	Russian Federation	5.1	4.5	2.2	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.0
Moldova	United States*	0.0	-	0.1	1.1	2.1	3.2	4.2	4.8	5.5	5.5
Mozambique	United Rep. of Tanzania	33.2	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Myanmar	Bangladesh	30.6	21.5	22.2	22.1	21.6	22.1	22.0	19.7	20.4	21.1
Myanmar	Malaysia	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	4.2	9.6	14.2
Myanmar	Thailand	104.0	105.2	101.7	99.7	104.6	110.3	112.2	118.8	120.8	116.5
Myanmar	United States*	0.8	1.1	1.5	2.1	3.0	5.3	5.6	4.8	5.3	6.8
Nicaragua	Costa Rica	18.0	17.8	17.7	17.5	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	0.6	0.6
Niger	Algeria	10.2	2.5	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	-	-
Nigeria	Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	17.0	16.7	9.7
Nigeria	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3	1.5	1.6	6.0
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Denmark*	6.2	5.7	4.7	-	4.9	2.9	2.2	1.8	1.5	1.1
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Egypt	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	0.1	70.2	70.2	70.2	70.3
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Iraq	62.6	62.6	62.6	90.0	90.0	90.0	100.0	22.7	22.7	22.7
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya*	3.3	5.8	7.3	7.6	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.8	8.9	8.9
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	240.0	240.0	240.0	240.0	240.0
Occupied Palestinian Territory	Yemen	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.4
Pakistan	Canada*	2.3	2.0	2.3	3.0	3.9	5.8	7.0	8.0	9.7	10.6
Pakistan	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.3	9.2	8.7	10.8
Philippines	Malaysia	-	-	45.1	45.1	45.1	45.1	45.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Poland	Canada*	5.7	1.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Poland	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.2	13.8	9.3	18.3
Romania	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3	4.1	3.1	8.5
Russian Federation	Austria*	-	-	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.9	4.2	6.4
Russian Federation	Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	8.4	2.8
Russian Federation	France	1.2	0.4	1.2	1.1	0.5	0.7	1.8	2.6	4.0	5.3
Russian Federation	Georgia	-	0.0	0.0	5.2	7.6	7.9	4.2	3.8	2.5	2.5
Russian Federation	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.3	45.6	45.0	41.7
Russian Federation	Kazakhstan	6.0	0.5	0.5	7.0	12.7	11.9	13.7	13.7	13.7	5.0
Russian Federation	United States*	156.8	188.1	162.7	8.0	11.9	16.3	18.5	19.0	15.9	18.8
Rwanda	Congo	-	0.0	5.2	6.5	6.7	6.7	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.5
Rwanda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	423.6	37.0	35.0	33.0	46.3	30.4	20.5	19.7	11.8	42.4
Rwanda	Kenya	5.5	5.8	8.7	2.9	2.7	3.3	2.5	2.5	1.5	2.4
Rwanda	Uganda	11.2	12.2	7.5	8.0	13.7	14.3	18.9	19.6	18.9	20.2
Rwanda	United Rep. of Tanzania	20.0	0.4	4.8	20.1	27.4	3.0	2.7	0.0	0.2	0.0
Rwanda	Zambia	1.9	2.1	4.0	4.2	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.8	5.8	5.7
Senegal	Gambia	2.5	1.7	3.6	5.1	4.2	0.9	4.2	0.5	0.5	0.5

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Senegal	Guinea-Bissau	15.0	15.3	5.9	6.2	6.6	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3
Serbia and Montenegro	Albania	4.0	0.0	22.3	3.9	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Serbia and Montenegro	Australia*	18.5	18.4	18.0	15.6	12.0	10.2	9.8	7.3	5.4	3.8
Serbia and Montenegro	Austria*	-	-	0.7	5.2	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.7	5.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	10.0	26.1	13.3	9.1	6.0	3.0	3.0	3.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Canada*	2.3	2.7	2.9	2.9	6.6	8.0	7.5	7.0	6.5	2.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Croatia	6.7	0.5	0.4	3.4	1.5	1.4	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4
Serbia and Montenegro	France	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.9	3.8	3.9	5.6	5.6	6.3	7.0
Serbia and Montenegro	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	183.2	169.0	142.7	99.8
Serbia and Montenegro	Italy*	21.9	22.6	0.2	1.1	1.1	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5
Serbia and Montenegro	Netherlands*	6.1	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.1	4.5	3.7	3.2
Serbia and Montenegro	Norway*	-	1.1	1.3	6.0	6.0	7.6	8.0	3.9	3.5	3.4
Serbia and Montenegro	Sweden*	22.5	25.4	26.5	26.3	27.5	28.0	28.7	27.9	11.8	12.0
Serbia and Montenegro	Switzerland	1.4	7.0	3.0	4.5	9.3	12.5	12.0	11.2	11.0	10.6
Serbia and Montenegro	TFYR Macedonia	-	-	0.9	21.0	8.9	4.3	2.8	0.2	1.0	1.2
Serbia and Montenegro	United Kingdom*	3.8	5.9	6.9	13.3	15.4	17.7	19.9	21.3	20.5	19.7
Serbia and Montenegro	United States*	1.7	1.9	1.7	15.7	16.1	16.3	16.1	16.8	1.7	3.9
Sierra Leone	Gambia	4.3	5.4	5.4	12.0	7.6	7.1	7.7	6.1	6.0	6.0
Sierra Leone	Guinea	248.8	192.2	297.2	370.6	310.0	95.5	60.6	25.0	7.2	5.4
Sierra Leone	Liberia	120.0	126.8	96.3	96.3	69.3	54.7	45.7	13.9	2.7	3.5
Sierra Leone	United States*	0.3	0.4	0.7	1.6	2.9	5.3	5.7	6.6	6.9	6.7
Somalia	Canada*	11.4	8.9	7.1	5.2	5.2	5.8	5.5	5.1	4.9	4.5
Somalia	Denmark*	6.4	8.1	9.0	9.6	10.0	9.5	9.6	8.6	7.8	6.6
Somalia	Djibouti	23.0	21.5	21.6	21.6	21.7	21.7	20.3	25.5	17.3	9.8
Somalia	Ethiopia	287.8	249.2	195.3	180.9	121.1	67.1	37.5	28.3	16.5	15.9
Somalia	Italy*	10.0	10.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.8
Somalia	Kenya	171.3	174.1	164.7	141.1	137.4	144.3	155.8	154.3	153.6	150.5
Somalia	Netherlands*	15.8	17.0	17.8	18.6	19.4	19.5	15.7	14.0	11.2	10.7
Somalia	Norway*	-	2.2	2.9	3.6	4.3	4.7	5.1	5.6	6.2	6.4
Somalia	South Africa	2.4	3.6	3.9	4.7	4.8	5.3	6.5	6.9	7.1	7.5
Somalia	Sweden*	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.3	5.6	4.5	4.3	2.9	3.5
Somalia	United Kingdom*	14.8	16.7	19.2	18.3	26.9	31.4	34.1	36.1	36.7	36.3
Somalia	United States*	18.2	22.6	24.4	27.9	34.0	33.8	28.7	25.4	31.1	34.2
Somalia	Yemen	43.9	37.4	57.4	55.2	56.5	67.5	80.8	59.2	63.5	78.6
Sri Lanka	Canada*	14.9	11.8	10.2	9.7	10.6	13.2	12.9	12.6	12.1	11.1
Sri Lanka	France	15.8	16.0	15.9	15.6	15.2	15.8	15.9	15.1	15.3	15.6
Sri Lanka	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.4	15.1	12.9	15.3
Sri Lanka	India	62.2	66.5	70.3	66.4	64.7	64.1	63.8	60.9	57.3	50.7
Sri Lanka	Switzerland	0.3	10.1	0.4	7.0	13.7	9.4	5.8	3.7	3.0	2.6
Sri Lanka	United Kingdom*	10.0	9.4	9.2	8.4	10.6	11.8	9.5	8.0	8.1	8.1
Stateless	Denmark*	0.1	0.1	0.4	5.4	0.1	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
Stateless	Germany	17.0	16.0	-	-	-	-	6.5	6.5	5.8	4.1
Sudan	Australia*	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.9	3.9	6.0	10.0	16.4	18.8
Sudan	Canada*	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	3.0	3.7	4.2	5.1	6.3	6.2
Sudan	Central African Rep.	30.7	32.5	34.0	35.5	36.2	36.3	37.4	36.5	19.5	20.0
Sudan	Chad	-	0.2	8.7	23.3	17.4	12.6	12.7	110.0	224.9	228.8
Sudan	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	96.5	61.2	31.1	68.0	72.9	75.0	75.8	45.1	45.2	11.7
Sudan	Egypt	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.6	2.8	4.7	7.6	14.2	14.9	13.4
Sudan	Ethiopia	75.7	56.9	58.6	70.3	71.7	80.9	90.0	94.9	90.5	73.9
Sudan	Kenya	33.5	37.4	48.2	64.3	55.6	69.8	57.8	63.2	67.6	76.6
Sudan	Uganda	223.7	160.4	189.8	200.6	212.2	176.8	188.2	198.3	214.7	212.9
Sudan	United States*	5.1	5.6	6.9	8.4	10.8	16.4	17.2	17.3	18.0	16.4
Syrian Arab Rep.	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.4	15.7	16.2	10.5
Tajikistan	Afghanistan	18.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tajikistan	Kazakhstan	6.0	0.4	5.6	5.4	5.0	4.1	3.5	1.5	1.4	1.4
Tajikistan	Kyrgyzstan	16.4	15.1	14.0	10.1	9.8	8.4	6.8	4.9	3.5	2.3
Tajikistan	Russian Federation	54.0	50.2	23.0	12.3	2.1	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.0	0.0
Tajikistan	Turkmenistan	12.2	10.0	13.5	17.0	12.7	12.4	12.3	12.1	12.1	11.2
Tajikistan	Uzbekistan	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	30.0	30.0	39.2	39.2	39.2	39.2
TFYR Macedonia	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2	3.2	3.0	6.5

**A.9 Refugee population by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the number of refugees was 5,000 or more in at least one year.

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
TfYR Macedonia	Italy*	11.3	11.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
TfYR Macedonia	Serbia and Montenegro	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	11.3	3.6	1.4	0.8	0.6
Tibetans	Nepal	20.0	20.5	20.4	20.3	20.3	20.1	20.1	20.0	20.0	20.2
Timor-Leste	Indonesia	-	-	-	162.5	122.2	73.0	28.1	-	-	-
Togo	Benin	4.7	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	26.6
Togo	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7	5.8	5.6	6.0
Togo	Ghana	20.3	5.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.5	14.1
Turkey	France	12.6	12.3	11.9	10.6	9.9	9.6	9.4	8.9	9.4	9.7
Turkey	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	149.0	140.7	128.4	122.9
Turkey	Iraq	15.0	10.9	11.3	11.2	12.6	13.1	13.7	13.1	13.4	13.3
Turkey	Switzerland	3.9	5.5	4.6	6.0	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.5
Turkey	United Kingdom*	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.0	7.1	7.3	6.9	7.7	8.6	9.1
Uganda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	17.3	44.3	2.0	3.2	13.0	20.8	23.0	19.0	19.0	19.0
Uganda	Kenya	5.4	5.5	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.8	4.4	4.4	0.9	2.8
Uganda	Sudan	-	-	-	-	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.0	7.9	7.9
Ukraine	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.5	57.3	57.7	56.3
Ukraine	United States*	0.8	1.2	1.4	10.1	17.2	24.1	29.0	33.7	28.5	24.3
Uzbekistan	Azerbaijan	35.7	35.7	33.2	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uzbekistan	Russian Federation	33.8	33.0	18.1	11.0	1.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0
Viet Nam	Australia*	8.1	7.1	4.7	2.4	1.7	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Viet Nam	Canada*	5.8	3.6	1.6	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Viet Nam	China	288.8	290.6	292.3	293.2	294.1	295.3	297.2	299.3	299.3	300.9
Viet Nam	France	19.2	17.9	15.7	14.1	12.9	11.8	10.8	9.3	9.1	8.8
Viet Nam	Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	26.9	25.4	21.0	30.8
Viet Nam	Japan	5.3	4.8	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.3
Viet Nam	United States*	174.6	137.8	105.7	78.4	49.0	35.1	30.5	21.3	12.4	10.2
Western Sahara	Algeria****	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	165.0	90.0
Zimbabwe	United Kingdom*	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	3.5	5.8	6.5	7.1

**Notes**

\* UNHCR estimates. See also Annex A.6.

\*\* UNHCR figures for Pakistan only include Afghans living in camps who are assisted by UNHCR. According to a 2005 Government census and subsequent voluntary repatriation during the year, there are an additional 1.5 million Afghans living outside camps, some of whom may be refugees. Those Afghans living outside camps receive no UNHCR assistance except UNHCR-facilitated voluntary repatriation.

\*\*\* Figure for 2005 refers to end-2004.

\*\*\*\* According to the Government of Algeria, there are an estimated 165,000 Sahrawi refugees in the Tindouf camps.

**B.1 Prima facie refugee arrivals by region of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Due to data limitations, refugee arrivals in industrialized countries are not included here. See Annexes B.14, B.15, C.8, C.9, C.16 and C.17.

Data between 1996-1997 might include individually recognized refugees. See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

\* Excluding Japan. \*\*\*Excluding Australia and New Zealand.

\*\* Including Albania, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Moldova, Russian Federation, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia, TFR Macedonia and Ukraine.

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Africa	438.2	383.9	459.4	411.0	444.4	188.4	278.4	277.0	202.7	109.0	3,192.2
Asia*	144.1	137.2	48.5	408.7	374.8	213.1	14.4	12.7	29.1	26.6	1,409.3
Europe**	1.7	6.9	33.3	865.7	2.5	94.8	0.0	0.1	-	-	1,005.0
Latin America and the Caribbean	1.3	0.9	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	2.9
North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oceania***	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
Various/unknown	0.1	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>533.1</b>	<b>541.3</b>	<b>1,685.4</b>	<b>822.4</b>	<b>496.3</b>	<b>292.8</b>	<b>289.8</b>	<b>231.8</b>	<b>135.6</b>	<b>5,614.2</b>

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

\* Excluding Canada and the United States. \*\* Excluding Australia, New Zealand, Japan.

\*\*\* Including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Russian Federation, Slovenia, Ukraine and Turkey.

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	124.3	30.0	22.6	109.6	371.8	212.1	13.4	12.3	28.9	24.6	949.5
East and Horn of Africa	64.6	30.6	28.4	61.3	137.3	47.6	30.3	17.1	20.4	24.0	461.6
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	328.7	255.1	120.9	265.1	231.5	87.7	96.5	142.5	167.6	45.7	1,741.3
West Africa	27.4	85.1	304.6	41.4	14.7	13.9	144.2	109.0	9.5	39.2	789.0
Southern Africa	14.8	10.0	5.2	42.8	59.8	39.3	7.3	8.3	4.9	0.1	192.6
The Americas*	1.3	0.9	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	2.9
Asia and Pacific**	23.1	110.1	26.2	285.0	1.6	0.8	1.0	0.0	-	1.5	449.3
Europe***	1.7	6.9	33.3	880.2	4.9	95.1	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	1,023.7
Various/unknown	0.1	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>533.1</b>	<b>541.3</b>	<b>1,685.4</b>	<b>822.4</b>	<b>496.3</b>	<b>292.8</b>	<b>289.8</b>	<b>231.8</b>	<b>135.6</b>	<b>5,614.2</b>
- Africa	435.5	380.9	459.1	410.6	443.4	188.3	278.4	277.0	202.4	109.0	3,184.5

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

\* Including Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia and TFR Macedonia.

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Developed regions*	0.2	0.1	32.5	865.7	2.5	94.7	-	0.1	-	-	995.6
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	5.3	11.8	6.1	12.0	19.2	1.2	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.9	57.4
- CIS (Europe)	1.5	6.8	0.9	0.0	-	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	-	9.4
- CIS (Asia)	3.8	5.0	5.2	12.0	19.2	1.1	-	0.4	0.5	0.9	48.0
Developing regions	580.4	517.1	502.7	807.7	800.7	400.4	292.7	289.3	231.3	134.6	4,557.0
- Northern Africa	2.6	3.0	0.2	0.4	1.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.3	-	7.5
- Sub-Saharan Africa	435.5	380.9	459.2	410.6	443.4	188.3	278.4	277.0	202.4	109.0	3,184.7
- Latin America and the Caribbean	1.3	0.9	-	-	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	2.9
- Eastern Asia	2.7	0.3	-	-	0.0	0.4	-	-	-	-	3.4
- South Asia	116.2	18.2	3.1	97.7	341.3	200.3	0.1	-	-	1.5	778.4
- South-eastern Asia	9.6	104.7	23.1	280.0	-	-	0.9	0.0	-	-	418.4
- Western Asia	11.8	9.0	17.1	19.0	14.3	11.4	13.4	12.3	28.6	24.2	161.0
- Oceania	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6
Various/unknown	0.1	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	77.7	33.1	56.4	459.0	119.1	62.2	61.3	145.5	187.1	70.3	1,271.6
Small island developing states (SIDS)	1.4	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	3.1
Least developed countries (LDCs)	402.4	361.8	447.1	345.6	345.6	160.6	241.4	236.7	213.9	110.1	2,865.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>533.1</b>	<b>541.3</b>	<b>1,685.4</b>	<b>822.4</b>	<b>496.3</b>	<b>292.8</b>	<b>289.8</b>	<b>231.8</b>	<b>135.6</b>	<b>5,614.2</b>

**B.2 Prima facie refugee arrivals by country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The country of asylum is listed if the total number of arrivals was 5,000 or more. Data between 1996-1997 might include individually recognized refugees. Refugee arrivals in industrialized countries are generally excluded. See Annexes B.14, B.15 and C for refugee arrivals in industrialized countries. War refugees from the former Yugoslavia in industrialized countries are not available as arrivals, but only as populations. See Annex A.9.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
United Rep. of Tanzania	222.4	188.7	43.3	141.6	99.5	32.7	47.2	13.4	1.5	1.8	792.1
Albania	0.0	0.0	22.3	435.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	457.6
Pakistan	40.7	13.2	-	92.7	77.6	199.9	-	-	-	-	424.0
Guinea	3.8	63.7	222.1	23.0	14.3	0.3	35.6	37.1	0.5	-	400.3
TfYR Macedonia	-	-	-	355.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	355.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	86.4	59.1	52.5	65.0	25.6	48.4	8.9	1.4	0.4	0.1	347.7
Islamic Rep. of Iran	65.0	-	-	-	262.1	-	-	-	-	-	327.1
Chad	-	0.1	8.5	14.5	0.1	-	20.0	111.0	130.9	32.4	317.5
Indonesia	0.0	0.0	-	280.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	280.0
Zambia	1.3	8.6	3.2	37.7	49.7	35.0	7.3	7.8	4.4	0.1	155.1
Uganda	35.4	2.4	10.5	13.1	18.5	10.2	12.4	7.4	15.6	23.9	149.5
Thailand	9.4	104.6	23.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	137.1
Kenya	12.5	15.2	10.6	36.7	4.5	27.1	15.2	6.8	4.6	-	133.4
Yemen	7.7	4.2	13.9	9.3	8.0	11.3	13.3	12.3	16.6	13.2	110.0
Liberia	-	10.0	57.4	-	-	-	19.2	15.8	5.5	-	107.9
Côte d'Ivoire	13.2	1.1	14.9	8.7	-	7.5	18.5	40.8	0.5	-	105.4
Congo	0.8	0.7	-	12.2	85.8	-	0.1	-	-	-	99.5
Sudan	-	1.0	-	-	94.8	-	-	-	-	-	95.8
Serbia and Montenegro	-	0.0	-	-	-	93.2	-	0.1	-	-	93.3
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	10.0	72.3	2.2	1.5	-	-	-	-	86.0
Ethiopia	14.0	10.0	7.2	11.2	18.4	9.6	0.7	2.6	-	-	73.7
Burundi	1.6	2.1	7.2	1.4	5.5	2.0	19.1	11.1	20.7	1.5	72.2
Sierra Leone	1.0	-	-	0.0	-	3.9	53.0	10.8	2.4	0.1	71.2
Rwanda	13.6	0.3	5.0	0.1	0.5	4.6	0.1	5.6	14.1	9.9	53.9
Central African Rep.	3.9	4.1	4.5	18.3	9.1	-	1.0	-	-	-	40.9
Benin	0.9	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	26.9
Syrian Arab Rep.	0.9	1.8	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	-	-	12.0	10.5	25.5
Ghana	3.3	3.5	0.1	-	-	0.1	-	4.4	-	13.6	25.0
India	7.9	5.0	-	5.0	1.6	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	20.1
Cameroon	0.8	0.3	0.9	0.6	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	19.6
Namibia	0.6	-	-	4.2	9.7	4.3	-	0.6	-	-	19.2
Gambia	0.6	4.0	3.8	8.4	0.1	2.0	-	0.1	0.1	0.0	19.1
Kazakhstan	-	0.3	5.2	6.8	5.6	0.8	-	-	-	-	18.7
Gabon	0.0	0.0	-	11.9	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	17.4
South Africa	11.5	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.6
Tajikistan	0.6	1.0	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	12.3
Turkey	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4
Georgia	-	0.0	-	5.2	2.4	0.3	-	0.4	-	-	8.3
Nepal	2.2	-	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	6.8
Israel	-	-	-	0.1	6.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	0.1	6.2
Eritrea	1.0	1.7	-	0.3	-	0.6	2.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	6.2
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	1.6	2.5	0.2	0.4	1.0	0.0	-	-	0.3	-	5.9
Russian Federation	-	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8
Senegal	0.1	0.2	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0

**B.3 Prima facie refugee outflows by origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the total refugee outflow was 5,000 or more. Data between 1996-1997 might include individually recognized refugees.

Refugee outflows to industrialized countries are generally excluded (see Annex C).

War refugees from the former Yugoslavia in industrialized countries are not available as outflows, but only as populations (see Annex A.9).

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Serbia and Montenegro	0.0	0.0	32.4	865.1	2.5	1.5	-	-	-	-	901.4
Afghanistan	43.7	16.8	0.4	92.8	347.9	199.9	-	-	-	-	701.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	69.4	65.9	31.3	136.2	127.6	32.7	38.6	30.0	38.1	15.6	585.4
Sudan	41.5	20.1	37.2	51.5	33.7	35.0	16.5	112.2	146.9	34.5	529.1
Burundi	146.3	135.6	29.5	64.2	80.3	15.7	28.8	8.1	4.2	6.1	518.7
Sierra Leone	2.0	75.1	279.3	22.2	14.5	0.2	0.7	0.0	-	0.0	394.0
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	280.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	280.0
Liberia	19.7	7.5	14.6	16.6	0.2	11.7	104.6	86.8	3.7	0.1	265.4
Angola	39.8	0.8	33.9	33.0	66.8	44.8	8.4	1.5	0.0	-	229.1
Somalia	18.9	9.6	14.2	31.1	10.1	21.3	24.1	14.8	19.1	13.6	176.9
Rwanda	87.5	4.2	9.4	2.0	13.9	6.5	5.8	0.4	0.5	1.5	131.6
Congo	0.0	32.9	8.6	60.9	5.5	0.0	4.4	0.0	-	0.0	112.3
Eritrea	1.0	0.1	-	0.0	98.1	0.9	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	100.2
Iraq	67.9	3.3	0.1	0.2	2.7	0.0	-	-	12.0	10.5	96.6
TfYR Macedonia	-	-	-	-	-	93.2	-	0.1	-	-	93.3
Myanmar	9.5	39.2	23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.7
Central African Rep.	-	0.0	-	-	-	26.5	20.1	13.0	0.5	11.5	71.6
Cambodia	0.0	65.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.6
Côte d'Ivoire	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	22.0	22.2	5.9	0.1	50.2
Togo	1.5	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.1	40.6
Uganda	4.8	27.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.9	0.0	-	-	-	33.0
Russian Federation	0.4	0.2	0.0	11.7	8.0	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	22.1
Nigeria	2.6	0.3	0.0	-	-	-	17.0	0.0	-	0.0	19.9
Sri Lanka	7.2	4.3	0.0	5.0	1.7	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	18.7
Croatia	0.0	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0
Tajikistan	1.1	1.6	5.2	0.3	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	8.5
Senegal	0.6	1.3	1.9	2.1	0.4	2.0	-	-	-	-	8.2
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0
Lebanon	-	0.0	0.0	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	5.9

**B.4 Prima facie refugee outflows by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the total refugee outflow was 5,000 or more. Data between 1996-1997 might include individually recognized refugees.

Refugee outflows to industrialized countries are generally excluded (see Annex C).

War refugees from the former Yugoslavia in industrialized countries are not available as outflows, but only as populations (see Annex A.9).

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	Total
Afghanistan	Islamic Rep. of Iran	-	-	-	-	259.5	-	-	-	-	-	259.5
Afghanistan	Pakistan	40.0	12.7	-	92.7	77.6	199.9	-	-	-	-	422.8
Afghanistan	Tajikistan	0.6	-	-	-	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	11.3
Angola	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	37.3	0.0	33.0	16.0	22.0	19.0	3.8	0.9	0.0	-	132.1
Angola	Namibia	0.5	-	-	4.2	9.7	4.3	-	0.6	-	-	19.1
Angola	Zambia	0.0	0.0	0.9	12.6	34.6	21.5	4.6	0.0	-	-	74.3
Burundi	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	0.0	11.0	-	-	-	0.1	0.0	0.1	-	11.2
Burundi	Rwanda	3.0	0.2	0.5	0.1	-	0.0	0.0	0.2	2.9	3.7	10.6
Burundi	United Rep. of Tanzania	143.0	133.5	17.6	63.9	80.1	15.1	28.5	7.6	1.1	1.3	491.6
Cambodia	Thailand	-	65.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.5
Central African Rep.	Chad	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	20.0	13.0	0.5	11.5	44.9
Central African Rep.	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	0.0	-	-	-	26.5	-	0.0	-	-	26.6
Congo	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	32.0	8.5	49.0	-	-	4.4	0.0	-	-	93.9
Congo	Gabon	-	0.0	-	11.9	5.5	-	-	-	-	-	17.4
Côte d'Ivoire	Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	6.4	0.0	-	8.6
Côte d'Ivoire	Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.2	15.8	5.5	-	40.5
Croatia	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Burundi	1.4	1.5	6.7	1.3	5.5	2.0	19.1	11.1	20.7	1.5	70.8
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Central African Rep.	-	2.1	-	18.3	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	29.5
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Congo	-	-	-	12.0	85.3	-	-	-	-	-	97.3
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Rwanda	10.4	0.1	4.5	0.0	0.5	4.6	0.1	5.4	11.3	6.2	43.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Uganda	16.3	-	0.7	2.3	1.0	-	-	0.8	1.6	7.7	30.3
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	United Rep. of Tanzania	39.2	54.9	19.2	76.2	11.9	14.5	16.9	5.6	0.2	0.2	238.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Zambia	1.0	5.9	0.1	25.1	14.2	11.6	2.4	7.2	4.3	-	71.8
Eritrea	Sudan	-	-	-	-	94.8	-	-	-	-	-	94.8
Iraq	Islamic Rep. of Iran	65.0	-	-	-	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	67.6
Iraq	Syrian Arab Rep.	0.5	1.1	-	0.2	0.0	0.0	-	-	12.0	10.5	24.4
Lebanon	Israel	-	-	-	-	5.9	-	-	-	-	-	5.9
Liberia	Côte d'Ivoire	13.1	-	14.5	8.6	-	7.5	18.5	40.8	0.5	-	103.5
Liberia	Ghana	1.7	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	4.4	-	-	9.0
Liberia	Guinea	2.8	4.3	-	8.0	-	0.3	32.9	30.7	0.5	-	79.4
Liberia	Sierra Leone	1.0	-	-	0.0	-	3.9	53.0	10.8	2.4	0.1	71.2
Myanmar	Thailand	9.4	39.0	23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.4
Nigeria	Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.0	-	-	-	17.0
Russian Federation	Georgia	-	-	-	5.2	2.4	0.3	-	0.4	-	-	8.3
Russian Federation	Kazakhstan	-	0.2	-	6.5	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	12.1
Rwanda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	41.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	-	41.7
Rwanda	Uganda	5.0	1.4	0.4	0.4	5.8	3.5	4.0	0.1	0.0	1.4	22.1
Rwanda	United Rep. of Tanzania	39.4	0.3	6.5	1.3	7.4	3.0	1.6	-	0.0	0.0	59.6
Senegal	Gambia	0.1	1.0	1.9	1.6	-	2.0	-	-	-	-	6.6
Serbia and Montenegro	Albania	0.0	0.0	22.3	435.0	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	457.6
Serbia and Montenegro	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	10.0	62.3	2.2	1.5	-	-	-	-	76.0
Serbia and Montenegro	TfYR Macedonia	-	-	-	355.0	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	355.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Turkey	-	-	-	9.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.4
Sierra Leone	Gambia	0.5	3.0	0.7	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.0
Sierra Leone	Guinea	0.9	59.4	220.0	15.0	14.3	-	0.6	0.0	-	-	310.2
Sierra Leone	Liberia	-	10.0	57.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.4
Somalia	Eritrea	0.9	1.6	-	0.3	-	0.5	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.1
Somalia	Kenya	6.2	5.9	0.0	21.3	0.9	9.4	9.5	2.2	2.4	-	57.8
Somalia	Yemen	7.1	-	13.9	9.3	8.0	11.1	13.3	12.3	16.6	13.2	105.0
Sri Lanka	India	7.2	4.3	-	5.0	1.6	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	18.6
Sudan	Central African Rep.	3.9	1.4	1.6	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	7.9

**B.4 Prima facie refugee outflows by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the total refugee outflow was 5,000 or more. Data between 1996-1997 might include individually recognized refugees.

Refugee outflows to industrialized countries are generally excluded (see Annex C).

War refugees from the former Yugoslavia in industrialized countries are not available as outflows, but only as populations (see Annex A.9).

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2005	Total
Sudan	Chad	-	0.0	8.5	14.5	-	-	-	98.0	130.4	20.9	272.4
Sudan	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	2.8	0.0	-	-	3.5	1.9	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	9.5
Sudan	Ethiopia	13.6	10.0	7.2	11.2	15.0	8.7	0.7	2.6	-	-	69.1
Sudan	Kenya	6.2	8.3	10.3	15.4	3.5	17.6	5.0	4.6	2.3	-	73.2
Sudan	Uganda	14.0	-	9.5	10.4	11.7	6.7	8.3	6.5	14.0	13.4	94.4
Tajikistan	Kazakhstan	-	0.0	5.2	0.2	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	5.4
TFYR Macedonia	Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	93.2	-	0.1	-	-	93.3
Timor-Leste	Indonesia	-	-	-	280.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	280.0
Togo	Benin	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5	25.5
Togo	Ghana	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13.6	15.1
Uganda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	4.7	27.0	-	-	0.1	0.9	-	-	-	-	32.7



**B.5 Voluntary repatriation of refugees by country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The country or territory of asylum is listed if the total number of returns was 5,000 or more. Data are based on departure and arrival records. Refugee returns from industrialized countries are generally not available, except for returns to the former Yugoslavia.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Pakistan	140.5	84.5	93.0	91.8	76.8	8.0	1,569.8	375.5	424.5	461.1	3,325.6
Islamic Rep. of Iran	106.7	12.4	29.6	181.7	219.2	19.7	377.4	319.9	646.2	344.9	2,257.8
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	882.6	243.6	51.7	108.3	36.3	28.1	49.7	104.2	46.3	47.4	1,598.1
United Rep. of Tanzania	510.0	110.8	70.0	12.4	8.7	32.7	74.8	84.8	89.2	81.5	1,074.8
Guinea	0.0	13.0	250.8	71.4	47.9	77.8	40.8	29.7	34.6	29.6	595.7
Albania	0.0	-	-	435.8	0.1	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	440.8
Germany	30.0	95.9	98.1	41.8	69.3	10.7	7.5	5.5	3.3	2.9	364.9
Ethiopia	-	50.0	47.9	23.0	48.3	50.7	29.9	9.2	9.6	4.1	272.7
Côte d'Ivoire	0.1	0.6	100.6	31.6	28.3	2.1	22.1	21.1	16.8	33.0	256.3
TFYR Macedonia	1.2	0.4	0.1	233.8	12.1	4.5	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	253.7
Serbia and Montenegro	1.1	6.4	39.9	13.6	21.4	100.4	42.9	14.9	8.2	4.8	253.6
Indonesia	4.9	0.0	0.0	127.5	47.8	18.2	31.9	-	0.5	0.0	230.8
Zambia	0.1	29.7	5.3	0.0	6.0	0.9	54.3	43.8	46.6	29.8	216.4
Liberia	0.0	1.8	78.8	3.5	7.5	15.0	34.6	19.5	21.0	0.0	181.7
Sudan	23.4	8.1	13.6	1.6	52.9	42.1	19.4	9.7	10.0	0.0	180.8
Burundi	128.2	3.6	5.1	4.3	0.4	0.0	0.5	0.6	11.5	1.5	155.8
Uganda	0.2	86.3	13.9	1.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	2.7	1.6	106.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	0.1	46.8	9.1	6.8	3.0	2.7	0.9	0.8	70.1
Ghana	51.0	9.7	3.0	0.4	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	2.0	1.2	67.4
Switzerland	1.8	3.9	4.8	15.9	26.9	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.0	59.7
Thailand	4.7	3.5	7.2	37.3	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	52.8
India	1.9	16.5	13.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	1.6	4.7	10.0	2.8	51.4
Rwanda	-	5.6	1.0	12.1	7.1	0.0	9.1	0.1	0.6	14.8	50.5
Croatia	22.9	5.2	2.9	2.8	3.4	3.4	4.5	2.5	0.5	0.4	48.5
Bangladesh	23.0	10.1	0.1	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.8	3.2	0.2	0.1	40.3
Mauritania	18.5	13.8	0.8	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	33.3
Algeria	2.2	2.4	24.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	-	29.3
Djibouti	4.2	0.2	1.3	0.3	2.8	0.2	2.1	0.2	8.4	7.7	27.5
Congo	-	1.8	1.0	0.8	1.4	2.4	0.0	7.9	1.2	8.1	24.7
Turkey	1.7	0.8	1.4	19.2	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	23.9
Sierra Leone	-	0.5	0.6	1.1	-	-	-	-	14.8	6.2	23.2
Tajikistan	0.0	-	10.8	-	-	-	11.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	22.8
Namibia	0.1	0.1	-	0.0	-	0.0	1.1	9.5	8.9	2.8	22.5
Burkina Faso	1.4	17.7	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.8
Benin	15.8	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.1	20.0
Hong Kong SAR, China	14.6	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-	19.3
Kenya	2.1	4.1	5.4	1.9	1.2	2.5	0.5	0.8	0.2	0.5	19.2
Senegal	1.8	5.0	6.0	4.2	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.5
Austria	4.0	4.0	0.8	4.1	1.6	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.2	0.3	17.4
Turkmenistan	7.1	2.0	2.5	2.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.0	15.5
Central African Rep.	1.2	3.7	0.9	2.4	0.4	0.6	1.3	0.4	2.0	2.2	15.1
Mexico	5.5	3.5	3.9	2.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-	15.1
Cameroon	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.0	2.3	3.1	-	0.2	0.4	7.4	15.0
Niger	1.9	1.2	4.0	6.2	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.4
Afghanistan	1.4	10.3	1.2	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	0.0	12.9
Slovenia	3.0	2.8	0.6	3.0	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.3	12.6
Norway	0.8	0.4	0.4	3.8	1.8	1.5	1.6	0.9	0.4	0.2	11.9
Iraq	3.6	1.2	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.0	1.2	3.8	0.9	0.1	11.8
Sweden	0.3	0.8	0.3	1.6	1.4	0.4	2.6	2.1	0.6	0.5	10.6
United Kingdom	0.2	0.3	0.0	1.4	1.7	0.9	1.8	1.2	0.4	0.7	8.8
Mali	0.2	5.7	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.2	0.1	-	7.1
Hungary	4.4	1.4	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	6.8
Denmark	0.7	0.3	0.2	1.3	1.2	0.4	0.9	0.5	0.1	0.1	5.8

**B.5 Voluntary repatriation of refugees by country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The country or territory of asylum is listed if the total number of returns was 5,000 or more. Data are based on departure and arrival records. Refugee returns from industrialized countries are generally not available, except for returns to the former Yugoslavia.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Saudi Arabia	0.0	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	4.5	0.5	0.1	5.8
Netherlands	0.1	0.0	0.2	2.9	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	5.7
Belgium	0.1	-	0.1	1.1	2.9	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	5.7
Yemen	0.3	0.6	1.7	1.9	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	1.1	1.9	0.9	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.4
Italy	0.5	0.1	0.2	3.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	5.3
Chad	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	5.2
United States	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.9	0.9	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.1	5.2

**B.6 Voluntary repatriation of refugees by region of origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

Figures are based on departure and arrival records. See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Africa	1,648.9	628.2	695.3	291.9	253.6	266.8	345.3	345.1	329.6	281.4	5,086.2
Asia	299.9	155.6	162.7	455.3	350.5	49.2	1,996.7	713.9	1,085.6	811.6	6,081.1
Europe	104.7	138.9	154.1	849.5	162.6	146.2	84.0	35.6	18.8	12.5	1,707.0
Latin America and the Caribbean	7.3	3.7	4.2	2.2	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	18.8
North America	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Various/unknown	15.8	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	16.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,076.6</b>	<b>926.6</b>	<b>1,016.4</b>	<b>1,599.1</b>	<b>767.5</b>	<b>462.4</b>	<b>2,426.0</b>	<b>1,094.9</b>	<b>1,434.3</b>	<b>1,105.6</b>	<b>12,909.5</b>

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	252.2	129.9	146.5	288.2	299.4	30.7	1,962.5	705.5	1,074.8	808.4	5,698.0
East and Horn of Africa	32.6	128.1	71.7	29.7	105.4	99.2	52.6	25.1	28.4	30.6	603.5
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	1,522.9	371.2	127.4	122.3	55.5	57.0	106.1	116.1	119.8	119.0	2,717.3
West Africa	89.6	64.2	467.4	118.5	84.2	97.4	98.0	70.9	91.2	77.9	1,259.4
Southern Africa	2.3	54.1	21.9	21.3	8.5	13.1	88.6	133.0	90.2	53.8	486.9
The Americas	7.3	3.7	4.2	2.2	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	18.8
Asia and Pacific	49.2	35.3	21.1	166.2	50.7	18.5	34.1	8.3	10.7	3.1	397.1
Europe	104.9	140.1	156.2	850.3	163.0	146.3	84.1	35.7	19.0	12.6	1,712.2
Various/unknown	15.8	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	16.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,076.6</b>	<b>926.6</b>	<b>1,016.4</b>	<b>1,599.1</b>	<b>767.5</b>	<b>462.4</b>	<b>2,426.0</b>	<b>1,094.9</b>	<b>1,434.3</b>	<b>1,105.6</b>	<b>12,909.5</b>
- Africa	1,647.4	617.6	688.4	291.9	253.6	266.8	345.3	345.1	329.6	281.4	5,067.0

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Developed regions	104.7	138.9	154.0	849.5	162.5	146.2	84.0	35.5	18.8	12.4	1,706.4
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	6.8	22.3	22.0	14.8	1.8	2.4	1.5	0.4	0.3	0.2	72.4
- CIS (Europe)	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.6
- CIS (Asia)	6.7	22.3	21.9	14.7	1.6	2.4	1.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	71.9
Developing regions	1,949.4	765.4	840.3	734.7	603.3	313.8	2,340.5	1,058.9	1,415.1	1,092.9	11,114.2
- Northern Africa	0.1	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
- Sub-Saharan Africa	1,648.8	628.2	695.3	291.9	253.6	266.8	345.3	345.1	329.6	281.4	5,086.1
- Latin America and the Caribbean	7.3	3.7	4.2	2.2	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.1	18.8
- Eastern Asia	0.0	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
- South Asia	162.3	103.0	120.6	253.1	292.6	26.1	1,960.6	654.7	890.5	754.9	5,218.5
- South-eastern Asia	49.1	18.7	7.5	166.2	50.7	18.5	32.6	3.2	0.7	0.4	347.6
- Western Asia	81.8	11.6	12.7	21.2	5.6	2.2	1.9	55.6	194.2	56.2	443.1
- Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Various/unknown	15.8	-	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	16.4
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	1,737.0	469.2	208.1	328.7	333.2	181.2	2,062.6	763.9	985.6	831.9	7,901.5
Small island developing states (SIDS)	0.4	-	0.0	133.2	49.4	18.2	31.9	0.0	0.4	0.0	233.6
Least developed countries (LDCs)	1,831.5	732.9	796.8	657.4	585.4	310.9	2,334.8	975.8	1,201.1	1,025.8	10,452.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,076.6</b>	<b>926.6</b>	<b>1,016.4</b>	<b>1,599.1</b>	<b>767.5</b>	<b>462.4</b>	<b>2,426.0</b>	<b>1,094.9</b>	<b>1,434.3</b>	<b>1,105.6</b>	<b>12,909.5</b>

**B.7 Voluntary repatriation of refugees by origin, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the total number of returns was 5,000 or more. Figures are based on departure and arrival records.

Refugee returns from industrialised countries are generally not available, except for returns to the former Yugoslavia.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Afghanistan	158.7	86.5	107.0	253.0	292.5	26.1	1,958.0	645.9	879.8	752.1	5,159.6
Rwanda	1,410.8	220.5	10.9	38.4	26.3	21.7	38.6	23.3	14.0	9.9	1,814.3
Serbia and Montenegro	3.7	1.9	0.0	807.1	124.7	25.6	14.2	9.4	8.1	5.8	1,000.7
Liberia	0.7	15.2	240.4	104.3	42.4	2.5	21.9	21.0	56.9	70.3	575.6
Burundi	108.1	90.8	23.8	12.2	6.8	27.9	53.3	82.4	90.3	68.2	563.9
Angola	0.5	54.0	21.8	20.0	8.5	13.1	87.5	133.0	90.2	53.8	482.5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	100.6	120.9	129.1	31.8	18.7	18.7	41.7	14.0	2.4	1.3	479.1
Sierra Leone	0.5	1.8	194.6	3.5	40.9	92.3	76.0	33.3	26.3	0.2	469.4
Iraq	81.5	10.4	12.1	20.7	3.7	2.0	1.3	55.4	194.0	56.2	437.3
Somalia	1.8	51.8	51.5	26.0	45.9	51.3	32.1	10.3	18.1	12.0	300.6
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	127.5	48.5	18.2	31.9	-	0.4	-	226.6
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	1.8	45.1	66.2	17.3	14.0	1.1	13.5	3.2	13.8	39.1	215.1
Eritrea	1.4	1.6	6.4	1.5	51.0	32.8	19.7	10.1	9.9	0.0	134.3
Croatia	0.4	16.2	24.9	10.6	19.0	11.9	17.3	9.9	7.5	5.3	122.8
TFYR Macedonia	-	-	-	-	-	90.0	10.8	2.2	0.7	-	103.7
Congo	0.0	12.2	25.3	52.3	5.7	0.7	0.6	1.8	1.0	0.3	99.8
Sudan	1.1	63.3	0.1	0.2	0.3	5.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	18.5	89.5
Mali	22.0	34.5	26.9	5.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	88.4
Togo	66.3	12.4	0.5	-	0.0	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	79.3
Ethiopia	28.0	10.0	12.8	1.9	2.9	9.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	65.4
Cambodia	0.4	3.4	7.2	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.1
Myanmar	23.1	10.1	0.1	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.8	3.2	0.2	0.1	40.3
Kazakhstan	-	10.0	15.5	9.7	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	35.2
Tajikistan	6.7	12.3	3.8	4.7	1.5	2.3	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.0	33.1
Viet Nam	25.4	4.9	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.2	30.7
Bangladesh	0.0	16.5	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0
Côte d'Ivoire	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	16.6	7.6	0.0	24.2
Sri Lanka	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.4	5.0	10.0	2.7	19.5
Mauritania	1.5	10.7	7.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.1
Chad	2.2	2.6	1.2	2.1	2.6	3.7	0.1	0.6	0.2	1.4	16.7
Guatemala	4.5	3.6	3.9	2.0	0.1	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-	14.1
Islamic Rep. of Iran	3.5	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.2	3.9	0.7	0.1	9.4
Uganda	0.3	1.3	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	4.4	0.1	0.0	8.2
Nigeria	0.1	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.4	7.4	8.0
Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	5.3	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	6.2
Central African Rep.	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	-	0.0	4.9	0.4	0.1	5.4
Kenya	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	4.9	-	-	0.1	0.0	-	5.0

**B.8 Voluntary repatriation of refugees by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005 (thousands)**

The origin is listed if the total number of returns was 5,000 or more. Figures are based on departure and arrival records.

Refugee returns from industrialised countries are generally not available, except for returns to the former Yugoslavia.

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Afghanistan	Islamic Rep. of Iran	14.5	2.0	14.0	161.1	215.6	18.0	376.2	269.4	454.5	289.6	1,815.0
Afghanistan	Pakistan	140.4	84.5	93.0	91.8	76.8	8.0	1,569.2	375.5	424.5	461.1	3,324.9
Afghanistan	Tajikistan	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	11.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	12.1
Angola	Congo	-	0.3	1.0	0.7	1.3	2.4	0.0	3.4	0.8	0.7	10.4
Angola	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	0.2	28.8	15.6	19.2	7.2	10.7	32.7	76.7	34.1	20.1	245.1
Angola	Namibia	0.0	0.1	-	-	-	0.0	1.1	9.4	8.8	2.7	22.2
Angola	Zambia	0.0	24.8	5.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	51.3	43.5	46.5	29.8	201.1
Bangladesh	India	-	16.5	13.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Austria	4.0	4.0	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.0	11.4
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Croatia	22.9	5.2	2.9	1.9	3.0	3.4	4.4	2.4	0.5	0.2	46.8
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Germany	30.0	95.9	98.1	23.5	6.9	1.5	2.2	0.8	0.3	0.2	259.3
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Serbia and Montenegro	0.8	0.2	20.0	3.7	5.5	7.8	21.2	5.4	0.9	0.3	65.8
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Slovenia	1.7	2.1	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.1	6.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Sweden	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.5	1.7	0.2	0.1	6.2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Switzerland	1.8	3.9	4.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	11.1
Burundi	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	105.7	24.5	8.0	0.8	0.2	0.2	2.1	2.1	0.9	1.0	145.5
Burundi	Rwanda	-	5.6	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	4.6	11.7
Burundi	United Rep. of Tanzania	2.3	60.7	14.8	11.3	6.5	27.6	50.9	79.9	89.0	62.3	405.5
Cambodia	Thailand	0.0	3.4	7.1	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.7
Chad	Cameroon	0.7	0.7	0.0	-	2.3	3.1	-	0.1	-	-	6.8
Chad	Central African Rep.	0.6	1.5	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.4	6.3
Congo	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	11.8	25.0	52.2	5.5	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.3	0.0	96.4
Côte d'Ivoire	Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	7.6	-	22.6
Croatia	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	0.1	1.1	1.5	1.3	3.0	2.5	0.9	0.8	11.2
Croatia	Serbia and Montenegro	0.4	6.2	19.8	9.5	15.9	10.6	14.3	7.3	6.6	4.5	95.1
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Burundi	0.8	-	3.6	3.6	0.3	-	-	-	11.2	1.4	20.9
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Central African Rep.	-	1.8	-	1.4	0.0	-	1.3	0.4	2.0	0.8	7.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Congo	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	0.0	2.5	0.0	7.3	9.8
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Rwanda	-	-	0.0	12.0	7.0	-	9.0	-	0.4	10.2	38.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Uganda	-	14.1	9.5	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	United Rep. of Tanzania	0.0	24.4	52.7	-	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.2	96.7
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Zambia	0.1	4.8	0.2	-	5.8	0.7	3.0	0.0	-	0.0	14.7
Eritrea	Sudan	-	0.7	5.1	1.2	51.0	32.7	19.2	9.4	9.9	0.0	129.2
Ethiopia	Djibouti	4.2	0.1	1.0	0.2	1.7	-	-	0.0	-	-	7.2
Ethiopia	Kenya	0.4	2.4	3.3	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.1	7.9
Ethiopia	Sudan	23.0	7.3	8.4	-	1.2	9.3	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	49.2
Guatemala	Mexico	4.4	3.5	3.9	2.0	0.1	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-	13.9
Iraq	Islamic Rep. of Iran	81.2	10.4	12.0	20.6	3.6	1.7	1.1	50.5	191.6	55.3	428.2
Iraq	Saudi Arabia	0.0	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	4.5	0.4	0.1	5.6
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Iraq	3.4	-	-	-	0.1	-	1.2	3.8	0.7	0.1	9.2
Kazakhstan	Tajikistan	-	-	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6
Liberia	Côte d'Ivoire	0.1	0.6	100.6	31.6	28.3	2.0	21.9	21.0	16.8	33.0	255.9
Liberia	Ghana	0.5	0.7	2.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	1.9	1.2	7.2
Liberia	Guinea	-	13.0	135.8	71.0	14.1	0.5	-	-	22.5	29.6	286.4
Liberia	Sierra Leone	-	0.5	0.6	1.1	-	-	-	-	14.8	6.2	23.2
Mali	Algeria	2.2	2.4	20.8	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.5
Mali	Burkina Faso	-	17.3	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.0
Mali	Mauritania	18.5	13.8	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.0
Mali	Niger	1.0	1.0	3.7	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7
Mauritania	Mali	-	5.7	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.6
Mauritania	Senegal	1.5	5.0	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5
Myanmar	Bangladesh	23.0	10.1	0.1	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.8	3.2	0.2	0.1	40.2
Nigeria	Cameroon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.4	7.4	7.8

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Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Rwanda	Burundi	127.5	3.6	1.5	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.1	134.9
Rwanda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	776.5	178.4	2.4	36.0	23.3	16.8	14.3	17.6	10.8	8.0	1,084.2
Rwanda	Uganda	0.2	8.8	4.4	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	1.6	18.4
Rwanda	United Rep. of Tanzania	506.1	25.7	2.6	1.0	2.2	4.7	23.8	4.7	0.0	0.0	570.8
Serbia and Montenegro	Albania	-	-	-	435.8	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	436.2
Serbia and Montenegro	Austria	-	-	-	3.5	1.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	6.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Belgium	-	-	-	1.1	2.9	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	5.4
Serbia and Montenegro	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	45.7	7.5	5.5	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	58.9
Serbia and Montenegro	Germany	-	-	-	18.3	62.4	9.3	5.3	4.6	3.0	2.5	105.4
Serbia and Montenegro	Hungary	3.6	1.2	-	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	5.5
Serbia and Montenegro	Norway	-	-	-	3.7	1.8	1.5	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.2	8.8
Serbia and Montenegro	Slovenia	-	0.7	-	2.8	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	5.1
Serbia and Montenegro	Switzerland	-	-	-	15.8	26.8	1.4	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.9	48.4
Serbia and Montenegro	TfYR Macedonia	-	-	-	233.4	12.1	4.5	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	251.5
Serbia and Montenegro	Turkey	-	-	0.0	19.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.1
Serbia and Montenegro	United Kingdom	-	-	-	1.4	1.7	0.9	1.8	0.8	0.3	0.3	7.3
Sierra Leone	Guinea	0.0	-	115.0	-	33.4	77.3	40.8	28.2	12.2	0.1	307.0
Sierra Leone	Liberia	-	1.8	78.8	3.5	7.5	15.0	34.6	4.5	13.4	-	159.1
Somalia	Djibouti	-	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.1	0.2	2.1	0.2	8.4	7.7	20.3
Somalia	Ethiopia	-	50.0	47.9	23.0	43.5	50.2	29.6	9.2	9.5	4.1	267.1
Somalia	Kenya	1.0	0.3	1.6	0.0	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.1	5.2
Somalia	Yemen	0.2	0.4	1.7	1.9	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.2
Sri Lanka	India	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.4	4.5	9.9	2.7	18.8
Sudan	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	0.3	-	-	0.0	-	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.2	18.3	
Sudan	Uganda	0.0	63.3	-	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	
Tajikistan	Afghanistan	1.4	10.3	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.8
Tajikistan	Kyrgyzstan	-	-	1.1	1.9	0.9	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.3
Tajikistan	Turkmenistan	5.3	2.0	2.5	2.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	12.9
TfYR Macedonia	Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	82.0	7.4	2.2	0.7	-	92.3
Timor-Leste	Indonesia	-	-	-	127.5	47.8	18.2	31.9	-	0.4	-	225.9
Togo	Benin	15.8	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.1	0.0	19.3
Togo	Ghana	50.5	9.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.0
Viet Nam	Hong Kong SAR, China	14.6	4.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	19.3

**B.9 UNHCR resettlement departures by region of asylum (departure), 1996-2005**

See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Africa	2,623	6,630	7,930	15,795	18,231	12,439	5,597	15,165	19,461	18,605	122,476
Asia	11,302	11,688	7,868	8,730	15,852	14,231	10,802	9,112	8,450	10,424	108,459
Europe	6,864	4,661	5,299	4,188	5,389	2,578	3,118	1,263	992	590	34,942
Latin America and the Caribbean	14	166	95	34	44	46	40	341	706	866	2,352
North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	20,803	23,145	21,192	28,747	39,516	29,294	19,557	25,881	29,609	30,485	268,229

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	6,110	8,283	6,332	7,754	13,787	10,501	7,006	7,127	7,190	6,014	80,104
East and Horn of Africa	2,032	5,262	4,580	9,311	11,115	7,468	2,645	7,993	7,268	9,223	66,897
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	45	53	351	265	411	744	424	782	1,051	1,462	5,588
West Africa	171	929	1,516	3,685	3,248	2,034	594	2,535	6,266	5,578	26,556
Southern Africa	135	180	100	43	400	224	198	341	766	1,047	3,434
The Americas	14	166	95	34	44	46	40	341	706	866	2,352
Asia and Pacific	3,916	2,037	1,255	1,607	2,625	2,698	2,508	2,329	2,935	4,100	26,010
Europe	8,380	6,235	6,963	6,048	7,886	5,579	6,142	4,433	3,427	2,195	57,288
Total	20,803	23,145	21,192	28,747	39,516	29,294	19,557	25,881	29,609	30,485	268,229
- Africa	2,383	6,424	6,547	13,304	15,174	10,470	3,861	11,651	15,351	17,310	102,475

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Developed regions	6,855	4,665	5,274	4,198	5,394	2,279	2,860	782	377	184	32,868
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	18	25	102	52	221	773	811	1,197	1,380	2,380	6,959
- CIS (Europe)	13	2	27	-	-	299	258	481	615	420	2,115
- CIS (Asia)	5	23	75	52	221	474	553	716	765	1,960	4,844
Developing regions	13,930	18,455	15,816	24,497	33,901	26,242	15,886	23,902	27,852	27,921	228,402
- Northern Africa	240	201	1,381	2,491	3,057	1,969	1,736	3,514	4,110	1,295	19,994
- Sub-Saharan Africa	2,383	6,429	6,549	13,304	15,174	10,470	3,861	11,651	15,351	17,310	102,482
- Latin America and the Caribbean	14	166	95	34	44	46	40	341	706	866	2,352
- Eastern Asia	303	485	169	74	21	4	34	135	109	48	1,382
- South Asia	680	957	1,930	2,984	5,792	5,267	3,801	2,968	1,905	1,220	27,504
- South-eastern Asia	3,275	984	254	659	1,293	1,139	1,637	1,430	2,389	3,846	16,906
- Western Asia	7,035	9,233	5,438	4,951	8,520	7,347	4,777	3,863	3,282	3,336	57,782
- Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	218	475	1,090	1,218	2,120	1,863	1,458	1,875	2,749	4,926	17,992
Small island developing states (SIDS)	42	173	127	90	155	81	32	29	38	38	805
Least developed countries (LDCs)	443	1,206	1,959	2,794	4,707	3,478	2,471	2,490	4,550	9,034	33,132
Total	20,803	23,145	21,192	28,747	39,516	29,294	19,557	25,881	29,609	30,485	268,229

**B.10 UNHCR resettlement departures by country of asylum, 1996-2005**

The country or territory of first asylum (departure) is listed if the total number of resettlement departures was 100 or more.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Kenya	1,900	4,654	3,736	7,948	9,383	5,835	1,905	7,301	5,643	6,819	55,124
Turkey	1,504	1,570	1,629	1,844	2,334	2,747	2,924	2,935	2,292	1,262	21,041
Serbia and Montenegro	1,976	2,678	4,662	3,324	4,433	1,391	894	485	251	37	20,131
Egypt	238	196	1,364	2,479	3,057	1,968	1,723	3,510	4,110	1,291	19,936
Pakistan	254	351	1,049	1,827	3,324	2,669	2,054	1,294	637	208	13,667
Thailand	3,194	941	245	514	1,248	974	307	452	1,584	2,510	11,969
Croatia	4,736	1,926	564	314	621	642	1,499	99	53	4	10,458
Saudi Arabia	3,593	4,285	471	57	347	8	45	31	2	1	8,840
Jordan	836	1,059	932	839	1,795	1,901	485	361	167	224	8,599
Côte d'Ivoire	8	410	22	1,161	-	83	1	1,646	4,476	437	8,244
India	306	542	803	835	1,290	1,531	830	746	423	155	7,461
Ghana	12	40	807	1,360	1,076	1,010	106	172	581	1,768	6,932
Syrian Arab Rep.	409	501	972	1,154	1,734	717	597	-	-	540	6,624
Islamic Rep. of Iran	88	43	48	293	1,162	1,038	910	910	831	820	6,143
Ethiopia	9	207	597	833	896	534	466	622	594	1,240	5,998
Iraq	514	1,623	1,140	816	413	752	314	-	47	22	5,641
Lebanon	86	118	178	172	1,522	904	310	480	714	566	5,050
United Rep. of Tanzania	19	22	246	166	333	534	247	495	814	1,195	4,071
Guinea	-	53	13	87	64	388	311	534	500	1,931	3,881
Uganda	37	34	136	254	443	538	-	-	508	1,006	2,956
Benin	95	64	314	695	1,321	168	34	33	54	26	2,804
Malaysia	14	-	-	95	31	78	102	496	553	672	2,041
Russian Federation	13	-	-	-	-	279	239	461	594	395	1,981
Cambodia	1	4	2	2	5	38	793	165	105	583	1,698
Sierra Leone	5	-	-	-	3	7	7	17	542	1,082	1,663
Zambia	86	45	31	23	280	107	83	157	452	310	1,574
Sudan	31	211	-	-	236	266	153	39	467	149	1,552
Hong Kong SAR, China	299	485	168	63	9	-	29	129	93	39	1,314
Yemen	12	17	47	40	169	157	51	45	58	704	1,300
Ecuador	3	-	2	20	10	-	4	154	443	511	1,147
Uzbekistan	1	19	8	27	118	-	185	124	129	475	1,086
Indonesia	8	8	4	22	8	42	433	314	142	75	1,056
Azerbaijan	-	4	25	14	92	214	78	203	142	221	993
Tajikistan	2	-	-	-	-	14	75	89	-	720	900
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	4	1	70	211	435	167	888
Senegal	21	161	86	94	271	76	8	-	-	126	843
Djibouti	55	126	92	248	126	144	25	2	4	-	822
Gambia	-	35	137	148	355	120	-	-	-	1	796
Costa Rica	-	4	-	-	-	-	5	162	228	280	679
Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	45	29	179	236	63	59	47	658
Turkmenistan	2	-	41	2	1	233	104	19	14	239	655
Albania	-	-	-	423	143	3	2	-	4	-	575
Malawi	-	-	5	-	-	1	40	53	196	216	511
Rwanda	-	-	5	5	-	90	57	133	122	96	508
TFYR Macedonia	-	-	-	-	82	48	229	127	10	7	503
Nigeria	10	-	-	55	5	162	60	78	31	38	439
Kuwait	46	42	51	10	108	117	16	2	-	2	394
Cuba	1	132	76	12	20	23	17	22	33	20	356
Cameroon	3	3	12	5	72	20	51	26	51	95	338
Gabon	-	-	3	-	-	3	47	68	22	130	273
South Africa	-	-	4	12	14	47	15	17	56	107	272
Eritrea	-	30	-	28	31	143	8	7	8	5	260
Mozambique	-	-	-	5	13	-	-	1	-	224	243
Malta	24	25	42	76	56	16	-	-	-	-	239



**B.10 UNHCR resettlement departures by country of asylum, 1996-2005**

The country or territory of first asylum (departure) is listed if the total number of resettlement departures was 100 or more.

Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	-	11	10	47	5	47	18	46	20	19	223
Namibia	1	132	-	-	-	15	13	2	-	55	218
Botswana	16	-	-	-	82	8	1	14	59	30	210
Burundi	26	4	15	17	59	15	6	14	20	22	198
Somalia	-	-	19	-	-	8	88	22	44	4	185
Burkina Faso	-	84	90	8	-	-	-	-	-	2	184
Congo	-	9	-	27	10	19	41	11	51	-	168
Kazakhstan	-	-	-	9	6	6	26	42	44	25	158
Liberia	7	-	25	53	28	-	1	22	9	11	156
Mali	-	15	-	2	51	-	15	7	9	54	153
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	25	-	113	151
Cyprus	12	-	9	2	71	34	7	4	-	9	148
Zimbabwe	11	-	-	-	-	6	-	39	-	89	145
Central African Rep.	-	7	71	2	4	31	8	15	2	-	140
Greece	94	17	-	6	19	-	-	-	-	-	136
Sri Lanka	6	14	26	12	9	7	1	15	8	32	130
Philippines	53	25	3	24	-	-	-	-	-	3	108
United Arab Emirates	23	18	9	11	18	2	14	5	2	4	106
Angola	3	-	1	-	3	9	13	58	3	16	106

**B.11 UNHCR resettlement departures by region of origin, 1996-2005**

See Annexes D.1, D.2 and D.4 for regional classifications.

**A. UN major areas**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Africa	2,668	6,759	8,179	15,418	19,812	12,937	5,906	15,453	20,111	19,843	127,086
Asia	11,311	11,593	7,722	8,255	14,221	13,935	10,678	8,931	8,017	9,222	103,885
Europe	6,741	4,622	5,214	4,108	5,299	2,260	2,833	854	419	280	32,630
Latin America and the Caribbean	3	5	11	24	24	9	22	318	674	844	1,934
North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stateless	4	6	3	-	29	6	6	1	15	21	91
Other/unknown	76	160	63	942	131	147	112	324	373	275	2,603
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,803</b>	<b>23,145</b>	<b>21,192</b>	<b>28,747</b>	<b>39,516</b>	<b>29,294</b>	<b>19,557</b>	<b>25,881</b>	<b>29,609</b>	<b>30,485</b>	<b>268,229</b>

**B. UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East	7,778	10,151	7,309	7,591	13,250	12,871	9,478	7,706	5,670	5,496	87,300
East and Horn of Africa	2,276	5,570	5,898	11,117	15,225	9,607	4,580	11,721	11,771	11,379	89,144
Central Africa and the Great Lakes	220	327	824	690	2,139	1,276	761	1,196	2,209	2,941	12,583
West Africa	142	712	1,378	3,536	2,112	1,944	535	2,497	6,095	5,375	24,326
Southern Africa	13	134	37	14	14	57	9	10	23	32	343
The Americas	3	5	11	24	24	9	22	318	674	844	1,934
Asia and Pacific	3,550	1,454	417	722	1,291	1,099	1,203	1,235	2,328	3,791	17,090
Europe	6,741	4,626	5,252	4,111	5,301	2,278	2,851	873	451	331	32,815
Stateless	4	6	3	-	29	6	6	1	15	21	91
Other/unknown	76	160	63	942	131	147	112	324	373	275	2,603
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,803</b>	<b>23,145</b>	<b>21,192</b>	<b>28,747</b>	<b>39,516</b>	<b>29,294</b>	<b>19,557</b>	<b>25,881</b>	<b>29,609</b>	<b>30,485</b>	<b>268,229</b>
- Africa	2,651	6,743	8,137	15,357	19,490	12,884	5,885	15,424	20,098	19,727	126,396

**C. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

Region	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Developed regions	6,741	4,618	5,214	4,108	5,299	2,238	2,817	761	359	91	32,246
Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)	4	9	61	27	11	38	64	156	125	405	900
- CIS (Europe)	-	4	-	-	-	22	16	93	60	189	384
- CIS (Asia)	4	5	61	27	11	16	48	63	65	216	516
Developing regions	13,978	18,352	15,851	23,670	34,046	26,865	16,558	24,639	28,737	29,693	232,389
- Northern Africa	17	16	40	60	128	33	15	29	13	28	379
- Sub-Saharan Africa	2,651	6,743	8,139	15,358	19,684	12,904	5,891	15,424	20,098	19,815	126,707
- Latin America and the Caribbean	3	5	11	24	24	9	22	318	674	844	1,934
- Eastern Asia	5	2	1	19	11	34	44	73	65	66	320
- South Asia	2,029	3,437	3,641	4,237	7,323	8,701	7,102	6,385	5,013	4,479	52,347
- South-eastern Asia	3,524	1,440	406	686	1,269	1,052	1,118	1,095	2,242	3,710	16,542
- Western Asia	5,749	6,709	3,613	3,286	5,607	4,132	2,366	1,315	632	751	34,160
- Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stateless	4	6	3	-	29	6	6	1	15	21	91
Other/unknown	76	160	63	942	131	147	112	324	373	275	2,603
Landlocked developing countries (LLDCs)	3,255	1,396	2,014	4,503	6,925	7,768	5,138	7,136	5,116	6,452	49,703
Small island developing states (SIDS)	-	-	-	6	16	3	11	4	4	3	47
Least developed countries (LDCs)	6,020	8,176	9,058	17,128	25,107	18,871	10,315	19,601	24,683	25,841	164,800
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,803</b>	<b>23,145</b>	<b>21,192</b>	<b>28,747</b>	<b>39,516</b>	<b>29,294</b>	<b>19,557</b>	<b>25,881</b>	<b>29,609</b>	<b>30,485</b>	<b>268,229</b>

**B.12 UNHCR resettlement departures by origin, 1996-2005**

The origin is listed if the total number of resettlement departures was 100 or more.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Somalia	1,987	4,603	3,757	5,807	7,908	1,990	1,224	3,314	4,872	5,860	41,322
Iraq	5,726	6,670	3,593	3,255	5,536	4,082	2,313	1,268	571	686	33,700
Sudan	212	659	1,809	3,180	5,303	5,402	2,710	5,157	5,045	3,244	32,721
Afghanistan	311	568	996	1,838	4,237	5,186	4,230	3,562	2,709	3,209	26,846
Islamic Rep. of Iran	1,696	2,857	2,635	2,380	3,073	3,502	2,830	2,673	2,191	1,223	25,060
Liberia	18	545	836	2,557	977	867	188	2,138	5,614	4,732	18,472
Bosnia and Herzegovina	6,616	3,549	1,908	971	1,308	737	1,575	148	97	11	16,920
Croatia	117	1,069	3,306	2,606	3,726	1,286	805	420	193	26	13,554
Ethiopia	58	166	302	2,090	1,738	1,976	488	3,031	1,491	1,526	12,866
Myanmar	327	528	234	480	1,164	868	246	679	1,905	2,894	9,325
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	174	76	177	207	1,274	667	314	649	1,292	1,355	6,185
Burundi	15	64	244	223	396	338	251	288	573	1,110	3,502
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	2,828	388	-	56	68	16	-	13	23	15	3,407
Sierra Leone	2	34	168	280	551	741	306	308	407	567	3,364
Viet Nam	367	518	165	103	22	51	802	166	96	598	2,888
Rwanda	31	164	358	210	429	206	101	131	200	299	2,129
Eritrea	14	127	-	4	252	193	150	194	340	710	1,984
Colombia	3	-	6	15	22	-	9	316	669	828	1,868
Serbia and Montenegro	8	-	-	531	260	215	436	193	69	54	1,766
Togo	19	48	14	98	537	268	37	29	68	32	1,150
Nigeria	87	48	306	572	39	59	3	18	-	6	1,138
Indonesia	-	-	-	46	3	64	40	185	168	159	665
Congo	-	-	1	23	10	58	81	109	113	114	509
Russian Federation	-	4	-	-	-	21	16	88	58	187	374
China	5	2	1	17	11	34	41	72	64	66	313
Mauritania	-	-	2	1	194	20	6	-	-	88	311
Uzbekistan	-	-	19	27	10	16	20	25	36	157	310
Angola	10	134	37	14	9	45	8	6	18	20	301
Cambodia	2	6	7	1	12	53	30	52	50	43	256
Algeria	11	4	25	35	106	16	14	20	5	14	250
Pakistan	1	-	-	2	2	-	1	83	92	32	213
Sri Lanka	21	10	10	16	11	11	40	59	20	8	206
Uganda	5	15	9	34	16	10	5	24	19	34	171
Chad	-	23	44	23	30	7	-	18	2	14	161
Syrian Arab Rep.	11	14	1	14	27	9	29	10	14	27	156
Azerbaijan	-	-	37	-	1	-	15	16	17	51	137
Occupied Palestinian Territory	1	14	9	11	11	7	18	25	7	13	116

**B.13 UNHCR resettlement departures by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005**

The origin is listed if the total number of resettlement departures was 500 or more.

Figures between 1 and 4 have been replaced with an asterisk.

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Afghanistan	Azerbaijan	-	-	*	*	75	154	55	118	59	113	577
Afghanistan	India	269	494	762	677	1,138	1,434	673	512	186	100	6,245
Afghanistan	Islamic Rep. of Iran	*	8	8	240	1,072	978	844	819	817	806	5,593
Afghanistan	Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	208	425	138	835
Afghanistan	Pakistan	31	30	209	830	1,613	2,042	1,933	1,224	554	144	8,610
Afghanistan	Russian Federation	*	-	-	-	-	170	126	268	348	261	1,175
Afghanistan	Tajikistan	*	-	-	-	-	14	75	89	-	714	894
Afghanistan	Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	220	104	10	*	187	525
Afghanistan	Uzbekistan	*	14	*	27	110	-	181	110	124	469	1,039
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Croatia	4,736	1,926	564	258	610	639	1,499	98	53	-	10,383
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Serbia and Montenegro	1,859	1,609	1,340	713	695	97	70	50	44	11	6,488
Burundi	United Rep. of Tanzania	*	6	153	103	207	187	115	149	387	795	2,103
Colombia	Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	162	228	280	675
Colombia	Ecuador	*	-	-	15	10	-	*	152	440	507	1,133
Croatia	Serbia and Montenegro	117	1,065	3,306	2,606	3,723	1,286	805	420	193	26	13,547
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Benin	-	*	-	19	716	9	9	6	6	-	766
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Kenya	30	24	57	75	154	157	71	88	56	74	786
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Uganda	*	*	40	36	107	67	-	-	257	303	815
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	United Rep. of Tanzania	10	*	*	*	115	219	93	175	228	147	991
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Zambia	84	34	27	14	56	67	37	117	342	258	1,036
Eritrea	Ethiopia	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	121	222	552	896
Eritrea	Sudan	14	125	-	-	161	116	100	-	68	58	642
Ethiopia	Kenya	16	40	213	1,879	1,540	1,612	231	2,906	924	733	10,094
Ethiopia	Sudan	17	86	-	-	75	143	53	39	398	91	902
Ethiopia	Yemen	-	*	5	11	14	7	10	-	-	623	671
Indonesia	Malaysia	-	-	-	46	*	64	40	176	168	159	656
Iraq	Indonesia	-	-	*	*	-	40	395	198	61	16	716
Iraq	Islamic Rep. of Iran	70	35	40	53	90	60	66	73	14	14	515
Iraq	Jordan	819	1,028	886	810	1,750	1,842	471	334	94	171	8,205
Iraq	Lebanon	77	95	168	169	1,042	653	257	321	245	309	3,336
Iraq	Pakistan	32	39	224	473	365	184	38	24	8	-	1,387
Iraq	Saudi Arabia	3,593	4,270	471	38	291	5	*	*	-	-	8,670
Iraq	Syrian Arab Rep.	398	465	887	902	1,411	577	522	-	-	133	5,295
Iraq	Turkey	564	615	765	666	323	474	482	236	124	15	4,264
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Iraq	514	1,616	1,140	816	413	752	314	-	47	22	5,634
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Pakistan	171	282	608	386	579	378	66	39	54	15	2,578
Islamic Rep. of Iran	Turkey	922	921	822	1,114	1,980	2,206	2,349	2,560	2,032	1,083	15,989
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	Thailand	2,828	388	-	56	66	16	-	13	23	15	3,405
Liberia	Côte d'Ivoire	*	406	18	1,148	-	83	-	1,625	4,299	411	7,992
Liberia	Ghana	-	36	803	1,326	925	582	19	34	245	1,221	5,191
Liberia	Guinea	-	41	5	31	-	92	120	412	496	1,928	3,125
Liberia	Sierra Leone	5	-	-	-	*	6	7	17	542	1,082	1,662
Myanmar	Malaysia	-	-	-	7	*	11	16	253	357	500	1,145
Myanmar	Thailand	326	525	231	445	1,117	821	172	263	1,446	2,386	7,732
Nigeria	Benin	74	28	295	556	35	58	*	13	-	*	1,062
Rwanda	Kenya	-	73	136	121	119	75	29	52	26	51	682
Serbia and Montenegro	Albania	-	-	-	423	137	*	*	-	*	-	568
Serbia and Montenegro	Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	-	45	21	166	206	59	56	44	597
Sierra Leone	Gambia	-	8	133	148	339	120	-	-	-	-	748
Sierra Leone	Ghana	*	-	*	*	45	206	62	109	311	518	1,255
Sierra Leone	Guinea	-	12	*	52	64	290	181	122	*	*	732
Somalia	Egypt	73	21	428	772	408	268	102	222	359	158	2,811
Somalia	Ethiopia	9	39	127	36	*	26	19	41	85	193	579

**B.13 UNHCR resettlement departures by origin and country of asylum, 1996-2005**

The origin is listed if the total number of resettlement departures was 500 or more.

Figures between 1 and 4 have been replaced with an asterisk.

Origin	Country or territory of asylum (residence)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Somalia	Kenya	1,804	4,374	2,952	4,613	6,292	1,242	960	2,863	4,063	4,659	33,822
Somalia	Pakistan	17	-	7	136	759	63	8	*	21	45	1,058
Somalia	Uganda	11	*	92	66	135	116	-	-	49	355	828
Sudan	Egypt	142	167	885	1,624	2,519	1,555	1,558	3,204	3,647	1,079	16,380
Sudan	Ethiopia	-	165	439	776	892	508	439	458	253	433	4,363
Sudan	Kenya	45	99	311	365	1,107	2,624	571	1,264	534	1,183	8,103
Sudan	Lebanon	-	*	*	-	375	132	35	129	321	188	1,182
Sudan	Uganda	7	29	-	128	109	284	-	-	138	244	939
Togo	Benin	14	35	*	76	522	56	13	5	37	15	774
Viet Nam	Cambodia	-	-	*	-	-	38	791	163	75	580	1,649
Viet Nam	Hong Kong SAR, China	298	482	160	51	6	-	-	*	-	-	998

**B.14 Resettlement arrivals in industrialized countries, 1996-2005**

Source: Governments.

Country of resettlement	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	11,100	7,816	12,558	8,398	7,330	6,659	9,172	11,855	15,967	11,654	102,509
Canada	10,937	10,369	9,645	9,779	13,518	12,245	10,389	10,761	10,521	10,400	108,564
Denmark	601	501	444	501	464	531	490	509	508	483	5,032
Finland	840	627	304	543	756	739	571	562	735	766	6,443
Iceland	30	17	23	75	24	23	-	24	-	31	247
Ireland	-	-	-	1,032	40	52	23	54	63	117	1,381
Italy	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Japan	151	157	132	5	135	40	-	-	-	-	620
Netherlands	475	187	524	11	204	223	155	173	323	419	2,694
New Zealand	780	527	677	1,135	699	749	674	653	825	741	7,460
Norway	788	1,343	1,124	3,942	1,481	1,269	1,216	1,633	842	749	14,387
Sweden	1,629	1,180	1,130	546	1,501	1,089	1,042	942	1,801	1,263	12,123
United Kingdom	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150	175	345
United States*	74,791	69,276	76,181	85,076	72,143	68,925	26,839	28,422	52,868	53,813	608,334
<b>Total</b>	<b>102,142</b>	<b>92,000</b>	<b>102,745</b>	<b>111,043</b>	<b>98,295</b>	<b>92,544</b>	<b>50,571</b>	<b>55,588</b>	<b>84,603</b>	<b>80,611</b>	<b>870,142</b>

**Note**

\* Refers to US Fiscal Year. Might include persons resettled for the purpose of family reunification.

**B.15 Resettlement arrivals in industrialized countries by origin, 1996-2005**

Source: Government statistics. See Annex B.14 for resettlement countries included and Annex D.1 for regional classification.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Bosnia and Herzegovina	18,983	26,343	36,474	26,108	20,515	15,519	5,192	587	256	73	150,050
Russian Federation	29,991	27,325	23,542	4,288	3,503	4,160	2,241	1,615	1,765	6,137	104,567
Somalia	7,254	5,673	3,965	4,993	6,663	5,505	768	2,458	14,167	11,112	62,558
Viet Nam	18,056	8,163	10,902	9,969	3,994	3,147	2,895	1,611	1,024	2,209	61,970
Sudan	907	1,129	2,382	3,283	5,842	8,090	4,502	8,438	12,233	6,936	53,742
Iraq	6,118	7,161	4,884	5,144	5,945	4,862	4,480	3,254	2,425	2,746	47,019
Afghanistan	1,712	1,879	1,973	3,270	5,549	7,829	6,222	6,023	5,180	5,684	45,321
Islamic Rep. of Iran	2,146	3,402	3,792	3,703	7,211	8,595	3,501	4,040	3,843	2,890	43,123
Serbia and Montenegro	3,522	2,104	3,703	18,470	6,480	3,233	1,348	887	473	132	40,352
Ukraine	10	12	34	8,569	7,180	6,948	5,020	5,072	3,484	2,899	39,228
Liberia	53	264	1,527	2,505	2,648	3,550	746	3,708	8,614	5,586	29,201
Cuba	3,502	2,918	1,618	2,022	3,184	2,947	1,905	307	2,959	6,369	27,731
Ethiopia	657	530	822	2,413	2,330	2,275	1,191	3,237	4,000	2,735	20,190
Croatia	997	1,625	3,292	3,662	5,098	2,086	873	296	121	43	18,093
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	2,211	1,002	5	19	64	22	18	13	6,055	8,523	17,932
Sierra Leone	13	60	202	743	1,430	2,647	730	1,897	2,085	1,412	11,219
Colombia	19	3	35	121	618	880	1,247	2,115	2,252	2,419	9,709
Myanmar	418	455	312	443	1,152	964	287	757	1,829	2,866	9,483
Moldova	-	-	-	1,019	1,022	1,056	1,014	621	1,711	1,017	7,460
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	193	116	155	211	1,690	740	547	920	1,417	1,427	7,416
Belarus	-	-	-	976	998	918	1	704	659	446	4,702
Burundi	63	92	115	337	454	381	419	433	831	1,124	4,249
Uzbekistan	-	2	15	852	691	692	408	198	455	446	3,759
Eritrea	169	107	186	194	337	413	166	479	551	784	3,386
Rwanda	195	163	258	268	455	225	204	280	455	407	2,910
Egypt	127	292	244	313	27	315	332	252	592	295	2,789
Azerbaijan	2	12	16	218	250	448	121	420	437	359	2,283
Indonesia	55	5	22	72	25	15	21	857	739	140	1,951
Kazakhstan	-	3	22	408	280	282	221	118	312	90	1,736
Pakistan	69	89	169	285	267	125	87	267	214	162	1,734
Sri Lanka	213	289	176	97	108	96	130	115	80	42	1,346
Nigeria	52	49	336	636	50	81	26	62	38	13	1,343
Kenya	98	84	92	95	11	25	27	19	569	296	1,316
Togo	30	47	37	112	521	310	43	60	76	74	1,310
Congo	-	-	3	42	23	82	86	274	460	220	1,190
Germany	141	104	243	654	2	6	-	3	-	1	1,154
Stateless	3	5	16	14	16	829	41	138	8	47	1,117
Cambodia	447	115	17	5	25	86	10	55	44	42	846
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	5	139	146	101	67	46	181	69	754
El Salvador	167	125	119	43	90	36	12	72	-	-	664
Other/unknown	3,549	253	1,035	4,328	1,401	2,023	3,422	2,880	2,009	2,339	23,239
<b>Total</b>	<b>102,142</b>	<b>92,000</b>	<b>102,745</b>	<b>111,043</b>	<b>98,295</b>	<b>92,544</b>	<b>50,571</b>	<b>55,588</b>	<b>84,603</b>	<b>80,611</b>	<b>870,142</b>
- Africa	9,921	8,829	10,597	16,409	22,698	25,040	9,896	22,686	46,752	33,491	206,319
- Asia	31,917	22,830	22,758	25,253	26,119	27,706	19,050	18,410	23,498	27,109	244,650
- Europe	53,929	57,706	67,408	64,109	44,981	34,141	15,802	9,911	8,565	10,807	367,359
- Latin Am. and Carib.	3,913	3,230	1,840	2,329	3,971	3,960	3,204	2,532	5,235	8,859	39,073
- Other/unknown	2,462	-	142	2,943	526	1,697	2,619	2,049	553	345	13,336

**B.16a Naturalization of refugees by country of asylum, 1998-2005**

\* The country of asylum is listed if the total number of naturalizations is 10 or more.

Country of asylum*	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
United States	74,264	128,738	114,999	86,921	80,600	60,688	69,661	58,861	674,732
Azerbaijan	-	-	188,400	1	-	-	-	-	188,401
Armenia	-	7,497	15,631	16,259	9,055	8,287	4,149	2,274	63,152
Serbia and Montenegro	42,000	-	-	-	1,841	-	2	-	43,843
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	28,097	-	-	28,097
Russian Federation	-	-	-	8,297	4,163	6,267	8,409	537	27,673
Mexico	643	2,661	8,434	3,133	1,598	1,122	1,432	1,156	20,179
Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	252	1,417	1,798	1,063	3,372	7,902
Croatia	-	1,340	2,569	1,118	163	220	50	11	5,471
Belize	480	647	1,589	109	63	187	129	108	3,312
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,204	2,204
Ireland	-	-	12	-	319	748	-	578	1,657
Ukraine	-	-	1	-	24	155	255	290	725
TfYR Macedonia	400	-	-	25	208	43	-	-	676
Slovenia	530	5	7	-	-	-	15	2	559
Czech Rep.	-	-	86	31	-	27	26	59	229
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	8	24	19	73	124
Slovakia	28	2	-	2	46	44	-	2	124
Hong Kong SAR, China	69	19	-	-	-	4	-	-	92
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	62	-	-	-	62
Panama	-	11	-	14	12	-	7	-	44
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-	16	21	3	40
Dominican Rep.	-	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	31
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	17
Romania	-	-	-	-	-	4	10	-	14
Greece	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	9	12
Colombia	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	6	11
Ecuador	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Other	4	6	10	2	3	-	11	8	44
<b>Total</b>	<b>118,428</b>	<b>140,926</b>	<b>331,772</b>	<b>116,165</b>	<b>99,584</b>	<b>107,731</b>	<b>85,278</b>	<b>69,553</b>	<b>1,069,437</b>

**Note**

A dash (-) indicates that the value is zero or not available.

**B.16b Naturalization of refugees by origin, 1998-2005**

\* The origin is listed if the total number of naturalizations is 1,000 or more.

Origin*	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Armenia	784	1,237	189,147	546	444	373	432	340	193,303
Viet Nam	18,592	33,925	31,292	24,500	19,377	12,703	13,594	10,063	164,046
Cuba	8,835	16,579	10,732	7,910	6,982	6,386	8,465	5,864	71,753
Russian Federation	10,930	18,623	15,693	8,854	8,129	3,376	3,184	2,580	71,369
Azerbaijan	377	8,460	16,618	17,298	10,001	8,786	4,822	2,675	69,037
Ukraine	6,488	12,193	13,899	9,325	9,019	5,423	5,147	4,264	65,758
Bosnia and Herzegovina	19,756	1,669	4,114	3,755	4,341	5,109	8,152	6,895	53,791
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	6,735	7,799	5,333	6,344	7,129	5,020	4,680	3,350	46,390
Timor-Leste	-	-	-	-	-	28,097	-	-	28,097
Croatia	22,686	18	82	93	1,737	332	794	796	26,538
Cambodia	4,561	5,850	3,597	2,327	2,072	2,221	2,618	2,411	25,657
Islamic Rep. of Iran	3,799	6,317	4,127	2,785	2,235	2,036	2,190	2,123	25,612
Guatemala	795	2,870	8,895	3,282	1,710	1,171	1,572	1,273	21,568
Georgia	34	136	272	5,001	3,713	4,948	6,491	244	20,839
Iraq	757	1,747	2,902	1,857	1,768	1,315	1,874	1,552	13,772
Uzbekistan	261	1,464	2,729	3,304	2,163	1,059	1,110	833	12,923
Afghanistan	1,528	2,097	1,754	1,318	923	1,940	1,050	1,275	11,885
Belarus	870	1,994	2,598	1,676	1,619	956	1,036	763	11,512
Somalia	257	832	1,004	1,014	1,702	2,024	2,193	2,321	11,347
Tajikistan	34	205	368	1,864	1,643	1,997	1,721	3,420	11,252
Ethiopia	1,229	1,683	1,459	1,034	1,134	807	845	952	9,143
Serbia and Montenegro	513	146	576	445	785	751	1,867	3,745	8,828
Nicaragua	999	2,164	1,333	874	785	639	531	397	7,722
Romania	1,518	1,822	1,469	967	724	487	444	280	7,711
Thailand	271	605	721	719	1,061	1,287	1,280	1,089	7,033
Moldova	558	1,188	1,300	833	654	503	560	420	6,016
Poland	914	1,440	1,178	693	606	408	383	276	5,898
China	802	1,027	907	745	706	449	438	468	5,542
El Salvador	525	755	1,374	257	216	296	212	250	3,885
Haiti	13	162	532	631	600	472	395	339	3,144
Kazakhstan	78	208	345	583	449	296	599	256	2,814
Eritrea	346	456	475	311	300	215	187	136	2,426
Sudan	42	97	229	367	428	285	411	567	2,426
India	32	87	216	462	347	186	320	435	2,085
Liberia	51	168	240	194	263	239	357	408	1,920
Albania	275	387	313	179	134	95	118	160	1,661
Syrian Arab Rep.	158	336	172	171	155	194	221	174	1,581
Peru	35	105	196	279	303	203	203	179	1,503
Latvia	150	297	314	240	184	93	147	72	1,497
Various/unknown	1,840	3,778	3,267	3,128	3,043	4,554	4,635	5,908	30,153
<b>Total</b>	<b>118,428</b>	<b>140,926</b>	<b>331,772</b>	<b>116,165</b>	<b>99,584</b>	<b>107,731</b>	<b>85,278</b>	<b>69,553</b>	<b>1,069,437</b>



**C.1 Asylum applications submitted at the first instance, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	9,758	9,312	8,156	9,451	13,065	12,366	5,863	4,295	3,201	3,204	78,671
Austria	6,991	6,719	13,805	20,096	18,284	30,135	39,354	32,359	24,634	22,461	214,838
Belgium	12,433	11,788	21,965	35,780	42,691	24,549	18,805	16,940	15,357	15,957	216,265
Bulgaria	302	429	833	1,331	1,755	2,428	2,888	1,549	1,127	822	13,464
Canada	26,120	22,584	23,838	29,393	34,252	44,038	39,498	31,937	25,750	20,786	298,196
Cyprus	101	92	225	789	651	1,766	951	4,411	9,859	7,745	26,590
Czech Rep.	2,211	2,109	4,085	7,220	8,788	18,094	8,484	11,396	5,459	4,160	72,006
Denmark	5,893	5,092	9,370	12,331	12,200	12,512	6,068	4,593	3,235	2,260	73,554
Estonia	-	-	23	21	3	12	9	14	14	11	107
Finland	711	973	1,272	3,106	3,170	1,651	3,443	3,221	3,861	3,574	24,982
France	17,405	21,416	22,375	30,907	38,747	54,291	58,971	59,768	58,545	49,733	412,158
Germany	116,367	104,353	98,644	95,113	78,564	88,287	71,127	50,563	35,607	28,914	767,539
Greece	1,643	4,376	2,953	1,528	3,083	5,499	5,664	8,178	4,469	9,050	46,443
Hungary	152	209	7,097	11,499	7,801	9,554	6,412	2,401	1,600	1,609	48,334
Iceland	4	6	19	17	24	52	117	80	76	88	483
Ireland	1,179	3,883	4,626	7,724	10,938	10,325	11,634	7,900	4,769	4,324	67,302
Italy	675	1,858	11,122	33,364	15,564	9,620	16,015	13,455	9,722	9,548	120,943
Japan	147	242	133	223	216	353	250	336	426	384	2,710
Latvia	-	-	58	19	4	14	30	5	7	20	157
Liechtenstein	-	-	228	515	11	112	96	102	74	53	1,191
Lithuania	-	320	163	133	199	256	294	183	167	118	1,833
Luxembourg	263	431	1,709	2,921	621	687	1,043	1,549	1,577	802	11,603
Malta	75	65	165	85	71	116	350	568	997	1,166	3,658
Netherlands	22,170	34,443	45,217	42,733	43,895	32,579	18,667	13,402	9,782	12,347	275,235
New Zealand	1,317	1,495	1,972	1,528	1,551	1,601	997	841	580	348	12,230
Norway	1,778	2,271	8,373	10,160	10,842	14,782	17,480	15,959	7,945	5,402	94,992
Poland	3,211	3,533	3,373	2,955	4,589	4,529	5,170	6,909	8,079	6,860	49,208
Portugal	270	297	365	307	224	234	245	88	113	114	2,257
Rep. of Korea	1	44	17	4	43	39	37	86	145	412	828
Romania	588	1,425	1,236	1,670	1,366	2,431	1,151	1,077	662	594	12,200
Slovakia	415	645	506	1,320	1,556	8,151	9,700	10,358	11,391	3,549	47,591
Slovenia	38	72	499	867	9,244	1,511	702	1,100	1,278	1,834	17,145
Spain	4,730	4,975	6,654	8,405	7,926	9,489	6,309	5,918	5,535	5,254	65,195
Sweden	5,753	9,662	12,844	11,231	16,303	23,515	33,016	31,348	23,161	17,530	184,363
Switzerland	18,001	23,982	41,302	46,068	17,611	20,633	26,125	20,806	14,248	10,061	238,837
Turkey	4,183	5,053	6,838	6,606	5,685	5,041	3,795	3,952	3,908	3,921	48,982
United Kingdom	37,000	41,500	58,500	91,200	98,900	91,600	103,080	60,050	40,620	30,840	653,290
United States	107,130	52,200	35,903	32,711	40,867	59,432	58,439	43,338	27,907	24,247	482,174
<b>Total</b>	<b>409,015</b>	<b>377,854</b>	<b>456,463</b>	<b>561,331</b>	<b>551,304</b>	<b>602,284</b>	<b>582,279</b>	<b>471,035</b>	<b>365,887</b>	<b>310,102</b>	<b>4,687,554</b>
- European Union (15)	233,483	251,766	311,421	396,746	391,110	394,973	393,441	309,329	240,990	212,709	3,135,968
- European Union (25)	239,686	258,811	327,615	421,654	424,016	438,976	425,543	346,674	279,841	239,781	3,402,597
- Western Europe	253,262	278,019	361,324	453,489	419,574	430,500	437,142	346,196	263,257	228,225	3,470,988
- Central Europe	6,917	8,422	17,629	26,862	35,099	46,698	34,507	34,790	29,596	19,428	259,948
- Southern Europe	7,494	11,663	21,484	44,478	27,519	26,724	29,534	32,618	30,695	32,877	265,086
- Europe	264,542	291,977	386,444	488,021	461,310	484,455	477,195	390,199	307,881	260,722	3,812,746
- North America	133,250	74,784	59,741	62,104	75,119	103,470	97,937	75,275	53,657	45,033	780,370
- Australia/New Z.	11,075	10,807	10,128	10,979	14,616	13,967	6,860	5,136	3,781	3,552	90,901

**C.2 Origin of asylum applicants in industrialized countries, 1996-2005**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. See Annex C.1 for asylum countries included and Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Serbia and Montenegro	39,484	49,423	99,174	122,694	46,337	28,418	33,600	27,616	24,084	24,573	495,403
Iraq	27,139	43,187	41,523	36,481	47,183	50,663	52,331	25,933	10,881	13,611	348,932
Turkey	38,923	33,546	22,209	20,367	29,576	32,278	30,201	25,423	16,178	12,348	261,049
Afghanistan	13,033	16,973	19,271	25,202	34,828	54,402	28,483	14,412	9,291	8,215	224,110
China	8,187	11,414	11,614	18,604	22,021	20,427	27,353	23,269	17,597	14,622	175,108
Russian Federation	5,981	6,678	7,669	9,756	16,050	19,659	20,587	35,206	30,483	22,926	174,995
Islamic Rep. of Iran	14,075	12,357	12,122	17,955	34,243	20,075	14,668	16,324	12,414	10,929	165,162
Somalia	10,301	11,639	15,135	17,954	14,157	14,570	13,541	17,704	9,619	7,692	132,312
Sri Lanka	17,130	18,056	15,530	16,133	16,849	14,820	10,641	5,724	5,524	5,642	126,049
India	13,041	11,112	8,042	9,514	12,606	14,837	14,994	14,131	11,770	7,272	117,319
Pakistan	9,776	10,042	8,739	10,995	12,604	11,182	11,828	13,908	10,911	8,139	108,124
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	9,147	9,854	8,005	8,310	9,253	10,743	13,529	11,856	9,374	7,719	97,790
Nigeria	7,030	6,067	6,526	5,374	8,256	10,314	14,200	14,186	12,344	8,571	92,868
Algeria	5,827	7,978	9,391	8,709	8,446	11,059	9,927	8,207	8,648	4,400	82,592
El Salvador	63,499	5,095	3,872	2,338	2,040	2,458	988	622	572	526	82,010
Bosnia and Herzegovina	6,627	8,313	10,254	6,729	11,420	10,787	8,199	5,583	5,418	4,382	77,712
Romania	10,438	11,151	9,181	9,178	9,665	7,946	7,750	4,412	4,040	2,673	76,434
Mexico	8,773	14,598	5,626	3,428	4,988	10,418	11,180	6,521	4,387	4,795	74,714
Armenia	7,350	6,550	5,816	9,458	8,683	8,793	8,312	6,646	5,245	5,118	71,971
Colombia	1,652	2,499	2,432	3,399	6,338	12,728	12,835	8,078	7,532	5,441	62,934
Georgia	3,144	4,480	4,205	3,671	3,998	6,341	8,392	8,502	8,948	7,151	58,832
Haiti	4,180	4,663	3,215	3,294	6,503	7,897	5,811	5,017	6,878	9,586	57,044
Bangladesh	4,398	4,902	4,197	5,424	6,410	6,114	5,958	7,662	6,662	4,847	56,574
Albania	1,938	9,176	7,878	6,661	7,866	6,085	5,674	4,348	3,274	2,384	55,284
Ukraine	2,755	3,385	2,428	4,773	7,019	10,666	7,455	5,814	5,300	3,801	53,396
Sierra Leone	1,317	3,423	4,306	7,416	8,449	10,432	6,075	2,924	1,691	1,202	47,235
Angola	2,572	2,103	2,253	4,739	5,587	8,551	7,435	4,695	2,780	2,024	42,739
Viet Nam	2,777	3,605	3,576	3,097	3,855	6,285	5,172	4,545	3,557	2,599	39,068
Syrian Arab Rep.	3,252	3,159	3,418	4,415	5,198	4,362	3,805	3,446	3,347	4,134	38,536
Moldova	1,680	1,408	1,125	2,669	3,732	5,249	5,745	5,571	5,738	4,823	37,740
Azerbaijan	1,231	1,750	3,201	6,325	4,325	4,053	4,334	4,143	4,273	3,375	37,010
Sudan	2,725	3,034	3,896	3,650	3,758	3,453	4,472	4,097	3,990	3,851	36,926
Stateless	3,731	3,806	3,765	4,350	4,230	2,328	2,741	3,749	3,637	2,872	35,209
Ethiopia	3,329	3,179	2,645	3,021	3,474	3,915	4,108	3,848	3,253	2,846	33,618
Bulgaria	4,062	4,377	1,998	2,070	3,051	3,319	4,117	2,584	2,855	3,219	31,652
Guinea	1,028	1,319	1,955	2,010	3,753	5,032	4,104	3,927	4,125	3,549	30,802
Cameroon	953	1,305	1,612	2,193	2,826	3,246	5,438	5,744	4,179	2,967	30,463
Slovakia	633	1,036	1,688	4,989	4,547	2,803	4,188	3,107	1,879	1,670	26,540
TfYR Macedonia	2,346	2,387	1,219	1,347	1,009	6,492	4,840	2,619	2,529	1,805	26,593
Mauritania	1,915	2,101	1,750	1,936	2,653	3,747	4,595	3,587	2,500	1,568	26,352
Other/unknown	69,968	57,548	57,628	95,440	86,773	95,830	105,792	95,355	68,183	60,228	792,745
<b>Total</b>	<b>437,347</b>	<b>418,678</b>	<b>440,089</b>	<b>536,068</b>	<b>534,559</b>	<b>572,777</b>	<b>555,398</b>	<b>471,045</b>	<b>365,890</b>	<b>310,095</b>	<b>4,641,946</b>
- Africa	65,847	71,483	77,786	87,914	99,071	121,985	133,841	125,568	96,356	77,835	957,686
- Asia	178,166	194,898	175,741	202,947	260,689	275,222	245,754	194,888	141,924	121,885	1,992,114
- Europe	81,297	105,174	154,022	181,440	124,404	116,697	115,083	105,364	90,642	76,157	1,150,280
- Latin Am. and Carib.	98,442	36,821	23,155	18,957	27,765	45,114	46,215	34,672	28,940	26,916	386,997
- Other/unknown	13,595	10,302	9,385	44,810	22,630	13,759	14,505	10,553	8,028	7,302	154,869

**C.3 Origin of asylum applicants in Europe, 1996-2005**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. See Annex C.1 for asylum countries included and Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Serbia and Montenegro	38,432	48,399	98,256	120,693	45,683	27,910	33,410	27,380	23,960	24,350	488,473
Iraq	23,710	37,113	36,109	32,562	42,698	46,773	50,309	24,963	9,458	11,977	315,672
Turkey	38,416	33,104	21,757	19,713	28,485	30,103	28,763	24,519	15,568	11,754	252,182
Afghanistan	12,493	16,339	18,601	23,678	32,690	50,964	28,017	14,018	8,577	7,480	212,857
Russian Federation	4,904	5,480	5,843	7,991	14,316	18,178	19,351	33,929	28,995	21,783	160,770
Islamic Rep. of Iran	10,162	8,465	8,300	12,215	27,925	13,579	10,337	11,691	8,954	7,895	119,523
Somalia	8,090	8,951	12,128	14,258	11,007	11,912	12,557	16,988	8,715	6,820	111,426
China	4,269	6,902	6,017	10,964	13,396	8,702	13,066	15,606	11,410	7,682	98,014
Sri Lanka	13,084	14,118	12,335	12,719	13,448	11,159	8,375	4,167	3,646	3,493	96,544
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	7,853	8,725	6,956	7,227	7,989	9,266	12,464	11,188	8,784	7,240	87,692
Nigeria	6,346	5,280	5,600	4,673	7,274	9,395	13,243	13,389	11,639	7,840	84,679
India	7,393	5,832	4,790	6,537	9,187	10,897	11,331	11,053	9,362	5,579	81,961
Algeria	5,212	6,851	8,185	7,959	7,919	10,394	9,711	8,082	8,558	4,343	77,214
Pakistan	7,836	8,258	6,593	8,110	8,885	7,244	7,162	8,566	8,299	6,532	77,485
Bosnia and Herzegovina	6,491	8,226	10,205	6,667	11,331	10,667	8,120	5,534	5,364	4,316	76,921
Romania	9,777	10,630	8,786	8,586	9,201	7,359	7,253	4,033	3,734	2,484	71,843
Armenia	6,956	6,086	5,346	8,609	6,863	6,598	6,944	5,645	4,472	4,514	62,033
Georgia	3,101	4,410	4,099	3,415	3,638	6,020	8,148	8,100	7,998	6,119	55,048
Ukraine	2,148	2,731	1,831	4,108	6,060	9,938	6,788	5,310	4,043	2,786	45,743
Bangladesh	3,043	3,954	3,408	4,775	5,688	5,327	5,253	4,582	3,680	3,955	43,665
Sierra Leone	1,300	3,263	4,001	6,994	7,824	9,448	5,340	2,523	1,437	1,108	43,238
Albania	1,488	7,880	6,650	5,367	6,224	3,830	3,844	3,069	2,445	1,696	42,493
Angola	2,535	2,058	2,150	4,323	4,934	7,911	7,196	4,572	2,721	1,988	40,388
Viet Nam	2,758	3,525	3,530	2,945	3,594	5,990	4,950	4,363	3,454	2,514	37,623
Moldova	1,589	1,348	1,091	2,604	3,630	5,159	5,617	5,472	5,578	4,666	36,754
Syrian Arab Rep.	3,099	3,017	3,275	4,222	5,003	4,093	3,603	3,196	2,633	2,835	34,976
Azerbaijan	1,191	1,722	3,167	6,034	3,812	3,368	3,891	3,860	4,146	3,287	34,478
Stateless	3,552	3,650	3,661	4,212	4,047	2,133	2,520	3,605	3,529	2,770	33,679
Sudan	2,148	2,288	3,304	2,898	2,795	2,412	3,800	3,741	3,800	3,652	30,838
Bulgaria	3,797	4,011	1,686	1,707	2,690	2,901	3,766	2,378	2,658	2,987	28,581
Slovakia	620	1,019	1,661	4,949	4,495	2,766	4,156	3,057	1,855	1,640	26,218
TfYR Macedonia	2,335	2,284	1,144	1,216	903	6,231	4,673	2,517	2,474	1,734	25,511
Guinea	956	1,143	1,726	1,753	3,199	4,045	3,093	3,127	3,292	2,860	25,194
Cameroon	781	1,017	1,294	1,731	2,193	2,545	4,032	3,988	2,865	2,197	22,643
Congo	286	724	1,079	2,271	2,559	3,353	3,719	3,010	2,067	1,626	20,694
Zimbabwe	121	64	82	248	1,053	2,250	8,107	4,277	2,816	1,602	20,620
Colombia	1,315	1,848	1,761	2,302	2,522	3,656	2,118	1,260	1,402	2,357	20,541
Eritrea	544	590	582	890	889	1,867	3,538	4,193	3,612	4,954	21,659
Ethiopia	2,241	2,066	1,548	1,715	1,814	2,203	2,608	2,615	1,958	1,870	20,638
Belarus	462	795	655	1,368	2,438	2,793	3,382	3,356	2,213	1,935	19,397
Other/unknown	35,756	33,473	34,680	70,110	57,928	56,802	61,048	54,927	41,943	39,836	486,503
<b>Total</b>	<b>288,590</b>	<b>327,639</b>	<b>363,872</b>	<b>455,318</b>	<b>438,229</b>	<b>448,141</b>	<b>445,603</b>	<b>381,849</b>	<b>294,114</b>	<b>249,056</b>	<b>3,692,411</b>
- Africa	55,576	58,890	63,885	73,012	81,744	99,598	116,889	111,326	84,556	67,492	812,968
- Asia	144,724	160,686	143,632	163,656	216,701	221,489	200,415	156,140	111,494	94,582	1,613,519
- Europe	76,389	97,781	146,878	172,062	115,198	105,139	107,029	99,391	84,703	71,275	1,075,845
- Latin Am. and Carib.	4,022	4,820	3,876	4,595	6,848	11,085	8,553	5,907	6,427	9,204	65,337
- Other/unknown	7,879	5,462	5,601	41,993	17,738	10,830	12,717	9,085	6,934	6,503	124,742

**C.4 Origin of asylum applicants in the European Union (15), 1996-2005**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. See Annex C.1 for asylum countries included and Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Serbia and Montenegro	32,001	40,994	71,185	83,445	36,558	22,906	26,926	21,823	20,646	21,435	377,919
Iraq	22,295	35,173	31,216	25,328	38,852	40,477	42,390	20,797	8,000	10,520	275,048
Turkey	36,918	31,466	19,797	17,629	25,472	27,254	26,178	22,124	13,653	10,469	230,960
Afghanistan	11,344	14,515	15,117	16,778	26,475	38,433	21,428	9,790	6,365	6,231	166,476
Russian Federation	4,595	5,132	5,380	7,010	11,576	13,941	12,473	18,134	16,271	13,120	107,632
Islamic Rep. of Iran	9,794	7,993	7,658	11,315	20,730	12,019	9,082	10,187	8,146	7,226	104,150
Somalia	6,892	7,397	10,425	12,292	9,401	9,836	10,081	14,341	6,532	5,345	92,542
China	4,214	6,847	5,909	10,505	12,797	7,973	10,084	13,030	9,493	6,750	87,602
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	7,111	7,845	6,383	6,637	7,407	8,625	11,658	10,505	8,314	6,850	81,335
Sri Lanka	10,060	10,694	9,072	9,858	11,615	9,975	7,652	3,660	3,241	3,164	78,991
Nigeria	6,069	4,983	5,120	4,316	6,888	8,838	11,622	12,429	10,769	7,238	78,272
Algeria	4,700	6,048	7,153	7,056	6,943	8,912	8,005	6,657	7,774	4,011	67,259
Pakistan	7,094	7,348	5,612	6,664	7,580	6,241	6,313	7,631	6,849	5,974	67,306
India	6,941	5,435	3,982	5,125	7,645	7,813	8,778	8,524	5,909	4,419	64,571
Romania	8,964	10,300	8,450	7,811	6,956	4,898	5,839	3,464	3,433	2,250	62,365
Bosnia and Herzegovina	5,126	6,059	7,959	4,594	9,660	8,486	5,723	4,069	4,807	3,649	60,132
Armenia	6,478	5,407	3,669	6,767	4,734	4,221	5,144	4,068	3,755	4,149	48,392
Georgia	3,000	4,074	3,235	2,970	3,181	4,092	6,267	5,948	5,595	5,195	43,557
Sierra Leone	1,242	3,020	3,480	6,012	7,040	8,237	4,825	2,313	1,273	1,031	38,473
Angola	2,045	1,785	1,743	3,746	4,533	7,263	6,338	4,012	2,508	1,846	35,819
Azerbaijan	1,149	1,654	3,068	5,845	3,543	2,998	3,537	3,544	3,887	3,113	32,338
Syrian Arab Rep.	2,972	2,849	3,028	3,781	4,683	3,776	3,218	2,803	2,316	2,503	31,929
Albania	1,144	4,708	2,874	3,905	5,790	3,400	3,393	2,677	2,043	1,416	31,350
Viet Nam	2,621	3,375	3,408	2,768	2,692	4,081	3,484	3,571	2,694	1,779	30,473
Stateless	3,487	3,533	3,497	3,964	3,832	1,816	1,928	2,827	2,359	2,038	29,281
Bangladesh	2,586	3,161	2,013	2,562	3,140	2,995	3,413	3,601	2,800	3,275	29,546
Ukraine	2,025	2,528	1,564	3,773	4,560	4,144	3,876	2,807	2,096	1,525	28,898
Moldova	1,517	1,228	990	2,374	2,657	2,229	4,138	4,361	4,389	4,085	27,968
Sudan	1,983	2,132	3,131	2,683	2,497	1,984	3,170	3,478	3,502	3,195	27,755
Guinea	808	928	1,375	1,359	2,732	3,337	2,318	2,386	2,844	2,617	20,704
Bulgaria	2,917	3,114	1,302	1,308	2,117	1,242	2,443	1,881	1,928	2,430	20,682
TfYR Macedonia	2,257	2,119	987	1,047	761	4,785	3,144	2,046	2,056	1,458	20,660
Zimbabwe	119	64	81	246	1,052	2,244	8,079	4,234	2,769	1,537	20,425
Slovakia	608	988	1,651	4,686	3,252	2,145	2,877	1,698	1,624	890	20,419
Cameroon	696	936	1,068	1,499	1,996	2,264	3,577	3,563	2,585	1,980	20,164
Congo	253	646	977	2,189	2,498	3,262	3,607	2,912	2,011	1,581	19,936
Colombia	1,288	1,724	1,117	2,095	2,457	3,574	2,056	1,215	1,351	2,306	19,183
Eritrea	518	552	443	692	741	1,633	2,963	3,718	3,221	4,362	18,843
Haiti	144	139	364	507	1,892	2,720	1,911	1,505	3,156	5,083	17,421
Rwanda	906	1,361	2,208	2,748	2,443	1,821	1,703	1,492	1,119	1,216	17,017
Other/unknown	34,443	31,420	27,953	65,552	52,987	48,599	54,971	49,505	36,907	33,448	435,785
<b>Total</b>	<b>261,324</b>	<b>291,674</b>	<b>295,644</b>	<b>371,441</b>	<b>374,365</b>	<b>365,489</b>	<b>366,612</b>	<b>309,330</b>	<b>240,990</b>	<b>212,709</b>	<b>3,089,578</b>
- Africa	50,336	52,847	56,404	64,647	74,122	89,035	103,114	99,296	75,977	60,981	726,759
- Asia	134,179	147,315	122,366	133,985	183,144	180,507	164,862	128,958	90,978	82,553	1,368,847
- Europe	65,520	82,469	109,139	127,406	93,434	75,179	78,934	68,067	62,141	54,481	816,770
- Latin Am. and Carib.	3,820	4,538	3,097	4,308	6,720	10,931	8,387	5,757	6,309	9,075	62,942
- Other/unknown	7,469	4,505	4,638	41,095	16,945	9,837	11,315	7,252	5,585	5,619	114,260

**C.5 Origin of asylum applicants in the European Union (25), 1996-2005**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. See Annex C.1 for asylum countries included and Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Serbia and Montenegro	32,131	41,138	75,985	90,076	38,075	23,806	27,265	22,211	21,317	22,368	394,372
Iraq	23,065	35,916	32,330	26,498	40,538	43,185	46,178	22,032	8,384	10,829	288,955
Turkey	37,025	31,562	19,997	17,928	26,824	27,897	26,549	22,840	14,328	11,065	236,015
Afghanistan	12,198	16,033	18,017	22,578	30,975	47,974	26,105	11,258	6,962	6,437	198,537
Russian Federation	4,710	5,248	5,519	7,411	13,579	16,525	17,125	31,692	28,140	21,181	151,130
Islamic Rep. of Iran	9,860	8,102	7,777	11,649	27,003	13,250	9,792	11,109	8,936	7,833	115,311
China	4,224	6,853	5,921	10,832	13,320	8,476	12,499	15,049	11,510	7,753	96,437
Somalia	7,130	7,497	10,572	12,399	9,586	10,283	10,574	14,775	7,081	5,616	95,513
Sri Lanka	10,706	11,676	10,219	11,113	12,388	10,324	7,831	3,760	3,827	4,004	85,848
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	7,152	7,871	6,415	6,691	7,436	8,657	11,684	10,591	8,397	6,935	81,829
India	7,183	5,610	4,594	6,336	8,994	10,547	11,027	10,675	9,671	5,769	80,406
Nigeria	6,087	5,042	5,389	4,529	7,032	9,056	11,866	12,576	10,935	7,506	80,018
Pakistan	7,274	7,709	6,036	7,399	8,178	6,815	6,694	8,676	9,318	6,939	75,038
Algeria	4,783	6,251	7,601	7,376	7,349	9,193	8,213	6,900	7,927	4,102	69,695
Romania	9,699	10,497	8,618	8,162	8,435	7,120	5,997	3,556	3,527	2,374	67,985
Bosnia and Herzegovina	5,147	6,149	8,080	4,993	9,758	8,541	5,767	4,123	4,949	3,968	61,475
Armenia	6,900	5,921	4,815	7,914	6,010	5,948	5,951	5,089	4,136	4,357	57,041
Georgia	3,043	4,105	3,282	3,018	3,383	5,555	7,167	7,338	7,927	6,572	51,390
Bangladesh	2,789	3,392	2,628	4,120	5,154	5,001	4,818	6,288	5,819	4,309	44,318
Ukraine	2,092	2,609	1,644	3,915	5,821	8,777	5,755	5,120	4,750	3,293	43,776
Sierra Leone	1,245	3,060	3,774	6,217	7,363	8,765	4,924	2,339	1,284	1,049	40,020
Viet Nam	2,629	3,401	3,436	2,870	3,531	5,894	4,825	4,275	3,357	2,441	36,659
Angola	2,058	1,790	1,754	3,763	4,552	7,298	6,347	4,023	2,512	1,849	35,946
Moldova	1,558	1,277	1,032	2,503	3,530	5,013	5,340	5,236	5,492	4,652	35,633
Syrian Arab Rep.	2,991	2,896	3,111	3,953	4,783	3,890	3,282	2,937	2,934	3,775	34,552
Azerbaijan	1,182	1,696	3,100	5,921	3,699	3,169	3,636	3,616	3,914	3,140	33,073
Albania	1,153	4,752	2,888	3,909	5,793	3,403	3,404	2,693	2,242	1,563	31,800
Stateless	3,533	3,569	3,546	4,036	3,883	1,904	2,102	3,007	2,447	2,156	30,183
Sudan	2,036	2,171	3,190	2,786	2,638	2,183	3,391	3,539	3,568	3,457	28,959
Slovakia	611	1,010	1,657	4,702	3,976	2,547	3,754	2,770	1,774	1,636	24,437
Bulgaria	3,767	3,884	1,518	1,636	2,622	1,727	2,619	1,979	2,019	2,569	24,340
TfYR Macedonia	2,273	2,157	1,007	1,067	826	5,105	3,241	2,153	2,173	1,588	21,590
Guinea	808	945	1,388	1,364	2,739	3,359	2,323	2,397	2,849	2,640	20,812
Cameroon	724	943	1,150	1,589	2,049	2,299	3,598	3,579	2,609	2,022	20,562
Zimbabwe	119	64	82	246	1,052	2,246	8,082	4,235	2,774	1,540	20,440
Congo	256	657	1,018	2,196	2,508	3,269	3,628	2,927	2,020	1,588	20,067
Colombia	1,288	1,724	1,118	2,095	2,457	3,575	2,057	1,217	1,354	2,308	19,193
Eritrea	519	553	444	693	752	1,653	3,065	3,757	3,324	4,618	19,378
Haiti	144	139	364	507	1,892	2,720	1,911	1,505	3,156	5,083	17,421
Liberia	3,050	2,037	708	500	507	434	2,670	4,509	2,144	1,106	17,665
Other/unknown	32,882	31,712	30,382	68,859	56,281	52,086	55,641	48,336	38,054	35,791	450,024
<b>Total</b>	<b>268,024</b>	<b>299,618</b>	<b>312,106</b>	<b>396,349</b>	<b>407,271</b>	<b>409,469</b>	<b>398,697</b>	<b>346,687</b>	<b>279,841</b>	<b>239,781</b>	<b>3,357,843</b>
- Africa	51,092	53,593	58,058	66,093	75,703	91,236	104,839	100,870	77,475	62,852	741,811
- Asia	137,929	152,291	131,075	148,613	205,469	207,080	185,084	145,459	110,617	94,168	1,517,785
- Europe	67,579	84,094	114,849	136,018	102,281	90,182	88,823	87,100	79,587	67,796	918,309
- Latin Am. and Carib.	3,828	4,541	3,103	4,319	6,742	10,943	8,403	5,792	6,337	9,089	63,097
- Other/unknown	7,596	5,099	5,021	41,306	17,076	10,028	11,548	7,466	5,825	5,876	116,841

**C.6 Origin of asylum applicants by country of asylum, 1996-2000**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. Figures between 1 and 4 have been replaced with an asterisk.

Origin	Country of asylum									
	Australia	Austria	Belgium	Canada	Czech R.	Denmark	France	Germany	Hungary	Ireland
Serbia and Montenegro	604	17,076	27,157	1,488	1,556	4,428	7,232	133,286	8,913	840
Iraq	3,594	9,388	1,559	1,491	1,159	8,309	1,334	52,821	2,272	333
Turkey	853	1,954	2,908	1,919	226	400	10,328	87,456	463	62
Afghanistan	2,080	8,367	1,675	2,092	5,094	5,099	771	25,856	5,909	45
China	5,473	201	194	7,547	464	211	15,407	7,390	328	35
Russian Federation	485	609	5,744	3,328	1,016	527	1,900	8,963	105	747
Islamic Rep. of Iran	1,351	8,010	3,664	5,379	157	1,102	979	20,994	209	35
Somalia	370	548	1,202	3,588	59	4,711	456	4,151	331	733
Sri Lanka	3,628	560	885	13,982	1,717	785	8,950	15,171	534	33
India	2,223	4,241	1,427	6,396	1,843	423	2,730	11,971	417	64
Pakistan	830	1,673	2,423	9,182	404	568	3,550	12,327	671	159
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	16	530	6,627	4,503	93	91	9,412	9,073	54	1,692
Nigeria	151	1,208	696	2,855	224	153	1,265	5,135	355	7,703
El Salvador	38	-	*	1,542	-	-	*	*	-	-
Algeria	313	782	2,001	3,274	385	135	5,582	9,401	693	1,155
Bosnia and Herzegovina	37	650	2,396	111	63	1,625	1,337	9,520	376	41
Mexico	8	-	*	5,517	-	-	8	*	-	*
Romania	46	265	5,622	2,181	1,513	138	13,002	4,022	203	6,895
Armenia	24	432	5,095	194	483	820	1,042	13,342	381	64
Colombia	793	97	367	2,113	-	15	366	432	-	*
Haiti	-	-	11	1,245	-	-	3,018	7	-	-
Albania	175	494	6,240	1,923	39	130	1,408	4,012	10	140
Georgia	45	92	3,061	419	145	299	868	9,645	36	113
Ukraine	306	287	3,454	1,791	1,368	162	1,253	4,934	70	533
Sierra Leone	38	814	1,655	220	35	37	975	5,330	513	482
Other/unknown	26,306	7,617	38,934	51,907	6,370	8,968	39,924	117,935	5,597	6,441
Total	49,787	65,895	125,004	136,187	24,413	39,136	133,099	573,178	28,440	28,348

  

Origin	Country of asylum									
	Italy	Netherl.	Norway	Poland	Spain	Sweden	Switzerl.	Turkey	UK <sup>1</sup>	USA <sup>1</sup>
Serbia and Montenegro	11,861	17,715	7,382	613	581	10,064	66,063	*	28,230	2,752
Iraq	11,769	28,795	6,520	763	709	15,532	5,542	14,607	12,610	3,406
Turkey	6,471	6,817	640	87	103	1,123	7,161	-	11,720	167
Afghanistan	708	25,512	562	2,305	162	1,379	1,454	265	13,685	965
China	8	5,200	41	46	54	208	356	33	11,315	17,178
Russian Federation	284	3,510	1,009	1,421	1,038	1,703	1,046	*	7,860	3,765
Islamic Rep. of Iran	474	8,523	1,199	52	1,020	2,963	1,365	12,790	8,845	3,673
Somalia	115	10,357	3,920	321	243	1,575	3,181	29	21,710	10,758
Sri Lanka	345	5,860	1,059	2,268	51	294	8,388	11	18,120	325
India	14	316	49	523	106	155	832	-	7,595	11,951
Pakistan	190	1,004	667	784	498	622	1,804	23	11,010	2,255
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	350	2,229	32	22	643	204	2,899	*	4,270	1,262
Nigeria	95	1,652	33	50	1,932	160	1,044	28	7,180	993
El Salvador	*	-	6	-	12	62	-	-	-	75,177
Algeria	148	2,846	225	127	3,630	285	2,457	64	5,710	546
Bosnia and Herzegovina	53	9,542	829	14	746	7,065	7,964	-	160	263
Mexico	-	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	-	31,863
Romania	556	407	968	1,168	4,938	225	598	-	6,210	406
Armenia	45	3,567	222	3,483	1,997	575	1,496	-	-	3,778
Colombia	61	107	226	*	2,272	648	839	-	4,265	3,666
Haiti	-	8	-	-	*	-	37	-	-	17,527
Albania	1,245	1,021	200	18	127	284	8,873	-	2,800	3,809
Georgia	71	1,381	149	178	763	124	1,672	-	-	370
Ukraine	34	897	195	175	833	356	575	-	1,545	1,383
Sierra Leone	335	4,424	69	20	2,140	78	1,601	7	4,170	1,232
Other/unknown	27,350	47,453	7,222	3,216	8,083	10,105	19,717	500	70,605	68,493
Total	62,583	189,145	33,424	17,655	32,686	55,793	146,964	28,365	259,615	267,963

**Note**  
<sup>1</sup> Number of cases.

**C.7 Origin of asylum applicants by country of asylum, 2001-2005**

Figures generally refer to first or new applications only. Figures between 1 and 4 have been replaced with an asterisk.

Origin	Country of asylum									
	Australia	Austria	Belgium	Canada	Czech R.	Denmark	France	Germany	Hungary	Ireland
Serbia and Montenegro	205	16,124	7,232	515	174	3,506	13,733	28,723	846	495
Iraq	2,220	8,483	2,402	1,029	684	4,067	1,388	34,535	3,424	418
Turkey	334	10,461	3,502	3,891	164	417	27,729	33,851	555	68
Afghanistan	2,416	23,643	1,699	1,234	455	6,057	1,182	11,711	7,188	306
China	4,847	2,749	1,079	10,926	2,294	303	17,933	7,476	503	526
Russian Federation	193	19,823	8,059	1,311	7,900	872	13,282	16,440	266	723
Islamic Rep. of Iran	863	3,122	4,069	2,187	39	862	706	10,444	545	366
Somalia	33	872	684	2,228	51	1,561	638	1,125	649	895
Sri Lanka	1,224	470	458	8,147	200	166	10,438	1,771	63	55
India	2,218	11,359	1,231	5,665	2,225	326	3,340	8,308	424	82
Pakistan	445	2,426	1,285	13,085	142	338	3,412	4,999	344	432
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	6	329	7,681	3,053	20	85	21,004	3,230	31	1,085
Nigeria	142	7,036	654	3,435	244	292	5,255	4,302	472	13,675
El Salvador	20	-	7	1,430	-	-	-	*	-	*
Algeria	27	1,000	3,647	867	365	273	14,819	6,047	265	446
Bosnia and Herzegovina	9	974	1,148	115	16	1,572	7,404	4,613	17	31
Mexico	*	*	-	13,085	-	*	-	9	-	-
Romania	69	620	2,149	1,095	2,084	121	1,438	519	160	4,387
Armenia	15	5,301	2,410	144	1,651	152	5,547	3,691	146	58
Colombia	178	51	290	11,831	*	12	647	298	*	5
Haiti	-	-	13	1,241	-	*	14,298	28	-	-
Albania	116	489	2,064	2,477	5	202	2,544	1,270	6	582
Georgia	10	6,728	1,563	298	2,542	149	6,698	5,185	727	614
Ukraine	179	1,785	1,059	1,350	10,759	150	3,511	1,961	131	966
Sierra Leone	15	507	1,075	216	15	50	2,112	2,074	347	317
Other/unknown	13,142	24,581	36,148	71,154	15,562	4,889	87,366	81,887	4,466	12,418
<b>Total</b>	<b>28,929</b>	<b>148,935</b>	<b>91,608</b>	<b>162,009</b>	<b>47,593</b>	<b>26,425</b>	<b>266,424</b>	<b>274,498</b>	<b>21,576</b>	<b>38,952</b>

Origin	Country of asylum									
	Italy	Netherl.	Norway	Poland	Spain	Sweden	Switzerl.	Turkey	UK <sup>1</sup>	USA <sup>1</sup>
Serbia and Montenegro	8,500	2,546	6,931	10	110	21,225	13,321	-	7,280	150
Iraq	4,706	8,485	4,734	341	393	18,138	4,926	4,309	29,035	1,803
Turkey	3,377	3,070	961	77	156	2,755	7,429	-	12,065	334
Afghanistan	666	6,763	4,964	1,324	127	3,269	1,430	1,260	22,175	509
China	57	2,179	340	106	55	588	940	194	13,745	29,695
Russian Federation	457	2,080	6,442	23,545	897	6,043	2,377	-	3,005	3,698
Islamic Rep. of Iran	479	3,744	2,156	36	126	3,571	1,375	12,727	17,035	2,791
Somalia	2,792	4,189	5,862	47	244	6,028	2,304	1,012	25,600	2,777
Sri Lanka	2,230	1,234	432	101	79	149	1,967	73	10,330	485
India	379	783	87	660	118	411	675	*	8,610	5,622
Pakistan	2,834	415	578	517	104	409	1,078	22	13,725	1,823
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	352	1,504	213	16	940	489	2,476	57	8,745	1,064
Nigeria	3,170	1,743	706	68	6,233	1,257	2,468	28	5,545	363
El Salvador	*	*	13	-	15	718	5	-	5	2,945
Algeria	42	761	1,153	36	2,660	1,279	3,350	31	3,860	183
Bosnia and Herzegovina	128	1,503	2,563	*	65	8,229	4,109	-	140	196
Mexico	*	*	*	-	9	*	-	-	5	24,178
Romania	3,326	161	708	330	522	1,393	1,542	-	3,900	730
Armenia	37	1,593	434	1,007	521	1,604	1,662	-	145	5,503
Colombia	345	620	39	-	6,629	248	242	-	1,300	23,777
Haiti	-	5	*	-	19	*	10	-	5	19,561
Albania	302	386	922	-	46	1,092	600	-	3,445	4,267
Georgia	135	916	766	255	309	1,728	2,844	-	510	771
Ukraine	247	489	1,963	487	337	1,775	730	-	1,340	1,049
Sierra Leone	941	4,661	125	19	1,178	276	1,303	12	3,915	2,209
Other/unknown	22,855	36,943	18,471	2,534	10,613	45,890	32,710	883	91,550	76,845
<b>Total</b>	<b>58,360</b>	<b>86,777</b>	<b>61,568</b>	<b>31,519</b>	<b>32,505</b>	<b>128,570</b>	<b>91,873</b>	<b>20,610</b>	<b>287,015</b>	<b>213,328</b>

<sup>2</sup> Number of cases (UK: 2000-2002 only).

**C.8 Recognition of asylum-seekers under the 1951 Convention at the first instance, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	1,380	1,009	2,492	1,211	4,050	3,364	1,234	261	346	577	15,924
Austria	716	639	500	3,434	1,002	1,152	1,073	2,084	5,208	4,650	20,458
Belgium	1,561	1,717	1,458	1,230	1,192	898	1,166	1,201	2,275	3,059	15,757
Bulgaria	145	127	87	180	267	385	75	19	17	8	1,310
Canada	9,541	10,031	12,884	12,954	13,989	13,336	15,161	17,682	16,005	12,061	133,644
Cyprus	12	8	45	27	39	36	92	180	65	41	545
Czech Rep.	162	96	78	52	88	75	101	187	140	251	1,230
Denmark	1,206	858	911	932	1,202	1,857	1,134	500	105	93	8,798
Estonia	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Finland	11	4	7	29	9	4	14	8	29	12	127
France	4,344	4,112	4,342	4,659	5,185	7,323	8,495	9,790	11,292	13,770	73,312
Germany	24,100	18,222	10,260	9,584	10,894	17,547	6,034	2,854	1,760	1,302	102,557
Greece	163	130	156	146	222	147	36	3	11	39	1,053
Hungary	66	27	361	313	197	174	104	178	158	97	1,675
Iceland	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ireland	36	209	128	160	211	456	893	345	430	455	3,323
Italy	172	348	1,026	809	1,649	2,102	1,121	726	780	907	9,640
Japan	1	1	16	16	22	24	14	6	9	29	138
Latvia	-	-	-	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	6
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	5	9	1	3	-	1	3	12	15	49
Luxembourg	6	1	43	-	17	89	-	62	82	97	397
Malta	85	32	50	51	28	39	20	49	49	34	437
Netherlands	3,133	3,441	1,067	628	896	244	198	393	480	964	11,444
New Zealand	89	102	126	291	235	467	440	166	91	88	2,095
Norway	6	14	66	181	97	292	332	577	457	567	2,589
Poland	120	139	51	45	52	284	253	219	305	312	1,780
Portugal	5	4	4	16	16	7	14	2	2	7	77
Rep. of Korea	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	12	18	9	42
Romania	78	80	175	253	85	83	36	42	100	54	986
Slovakia	128	65	49	27	10	18	20	11	15	25	368
Slovenia	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	17	19	14	53
Spain	243	156	208	294	381	314	165	227	174	238	2,400
Sweden	128	1,310	1,099	326	343	165	264	435	372	332	4,774
Switzerland	2,267	2,636	2,032	2,050	2,061	2,253	1,729	1,638	1,555	1,497	19,718
Turkey	1,636	1,522	2,229	1,907	2,716	2,869	2,885	2,343	1,690	1,368	21,165
United Kingdom	3,660	6,210	8,245	25,600	26,189	14,755	10,990	5,380	2,160	2,470	105,659
United States	13,532	10,129	9,939	13,241	16,693	20,487	18,998	11,657	10,278	9,554	134,508
<b>Total</b>	<b>68,732</b>	<b>63,384</b>	<b>60,145</b>	<b>80,651</b>	<b>90,046</b>	<b>91,249</b>	<b>73,094</b>	<b>59,257</b>	<b>56,489</b>	<b>54,996</b>	<b>698,043</b>
- European Union (15)	39,484	37,361	29,454	47,847	49,408	47,060	31,597	24,010	25,160	28,395	359,776
- European Union (25)	40,057	37,733	30,098	48,367	49,830	47,688	32,189	24,854	25,923	29,184	365,923
- Western Europe	41,757	40,011	31,552	50,078	51,566	49,605	33,658	26,225	27,172	30,459	382,083
- Central Europe	699	534	802	870	699	1,020	590	673	754	761	7,402
- Southern Europe	680	678	1,489	1,343	2,335	2,645	1,448	1,187	1,081	1,266	14,152
- Europe	44,189	42,112	34,687	52,938	55,057	53,570	37,246	29,473	29,742	32,678	411,692
- North America	23,073	20,160	22,823	26,195	30,682	33,823	34,159	29,339	26,283	21,615	268,152
- Australia/New Z.	1,469	1,111	2,618	1,502	4,285	3,831	1,674	427	437	665	18,019



**C.9 Asylum-seekers allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons at the first instance, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	994	772	1,766
Belgium	-	-	-	-	750	-	-	-	-	-	750
Bulgaria	13	2	7	380	421	1,185	646	411	257	78	3,400
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	1	92	123	236
Czech Rep.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	3,641	2,983	2,638	2,328	2,265	2,740	1,389	270	105	136	18,495
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3
Finland	334	277	382	467	458	809	577	486	771	585	5,146
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	2,082	2,768	2,537	1,945	1,363	2,395	1,016	1,174	785	446	16,511
Greece	66	94	287	407	175	148	64	25	22	49	1,337
Hungary	-	32	232	1,776	680	290	1,304	772	177	95	5,358
Iceland	-	4	11	4	2	1	1	7	-	-	30
Ireland	6	120	-	40	-	69	111	-	-	-	346
Italy	-	-	-	860	-	564	704	2,181	2,351	4,375	11,035
Japan	-	-	-	20	39	67	40	-	9	22	197
Latvia	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	6	-	-	10
Liechtenstein	-	-	194	-	-	8	25	12	-	1	240
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	32	66	45	223
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	42	353	-	149	307	574	1,425
Malta	-	-	32	22	1	24	101	268	560	484	1,492
Netherlands	6,642	6,323	10,245	6,022	5,968	5,161	3,359	4,228	4,057	7,854	59,859
New Zealand	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	610	550	1,564	2,609	2,856	4,036	2,958	2,962	3,020	1,913	23,078
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	832	1,832	2,688
Portugal	55	39	20	50	46	34	16	11	6	9	286
Rep. of Korea	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	14	21
Romania	-	-	101	368	86	38	15	27	44	14	693
Slovakia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovenia	-	-	26	9	11	24	2	20	20	12	124
Spain	193	218	555	738	382	266	73	142	197	123	2,887
Sweden	3,075	7,106	5,967	2,611	6,647	4,330	4,860	3,090	2,309	2,502	42,497
Switzerland	5,692	2,860	2,700	22,843	16,966	8,922	4,172	3,314	4,198	4,436	76,103
Turkey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	7,510	4,740	6,455	4,640	12,645	26,025	22,470	7,805	4,195	2,955	99,440
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>29,919</b>	<b>28,136</b>	<b>33,953</b>	<b>48,140</b>	<b>51,803</b>	<b>57,492</b>	<b>43,993</b>	<b>27,417</b>	<b>25,374</b>	<b>29,449</b>	<b>375,676</b>
- European Union (15)	23,604	24,668	29,086	20,108	30,741	42,894	34,639	19,561	16,099	20,380	261,780
- European Union (25)	23,604	24,720	29,376	21,916	31,433	43,235	36,129	20,684	17,846	22,971	271,914
- Western Europe	29,906	28,078	33,544	45,560	50,563	55,860	41,794	25,849	23,317	26,730	361,201
- Central Europe	13	34	366	2,533	1,198	1,537	1,967	1,254	1,330	2,031	12,263
- Southern Europe	314	371	894	2,077	604	1,036	958	2,628	3,228	5,163	17,273
- Europe	29,919	28,136	33,953	48,120	51,764	57,425	43,946	27,417	25,365	29,413	375,458
- North America	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Australia/New Z.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**C.10 Rejection of asylum applications at the first instance, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	6,245	14,171	7,978	6,603	8,358	7,698	7,761	4,732	2,723	2,804	69,073
Austria	8,032	7,286	3,491	3,573	4,787	3,840	4,285	4,951	5,138	5,498	50,881
Belgium	4,068	4,057	2,260	1,790	3,133	2,486	3,427	3,988	5,230	6,891	37,330
Bulgaria	28	57	106	194	509	633	770	1,036	335	386	4,054
Canada	7,037	9,107	10,321	9,378	10,134	9,551	11,053	17,994	19,180	11,846	115,601
Cyprus	61	41	70	222	223	291	762	1,445	2,816	3,129	9,060
Czech Rep.	24	1,428	584	1,140	1,736	6,032	5,154	7,838	4,671	2,636	31,243
Denmark	2,253	3,210	2,562	2,254	3,579	4,142	6,428	2,683	1,945	1,098	30,154
Estonia	-	-	6	3	3	3	20	14	8	12	69
Finland	120	166	148	231	832	646	1,078	1,152	733	251	5,357
France	17,859	20,055	18,063	19,492	25,093	35,730	43,880	59,818	61,760	47,088	348,838
Germany	126,652	101,886	85,651	76,734	60,274	54,279	77,124	61,721	37,896	26,958	709,175
Greece	1,646	2,122	3,461	1,163	1,573	1,017	9,278	4,523	3,731	4,536	33,050
Hungary	42	106	2,767	3,537	2,978	2,995	1,274	773	754	758	15,984
Iceland	-	1	4	1	25	13	51	59	32	79	265
Ireland	32	304	1,096	2,981	4,767	4,532	5,966	5,460	4,990	3,952	34,080
Italy	522	1,306	2,393	633	23,255	10,553	12,888	10,501	5,777	5,561	73,389
Japan	43	80	293	96	135	279	171	298	294	249	1,938
Latvia	-	-	43	27	3	14	16	5	6	5	119
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	36	20	88	31	45	220
Lithuania	-	54	104	80	79	145	24	39	42	14	581
Luxembourg	26	21	71	-	1,782	1,531	-	690	873	517	5,511
Malta	54	59	50	73	44	31	211	222	260	580	1,584
Netherlands	3,430	1,624	1,278	1,020	869	16,647	26,471	14,560	8,177	8,084	82,160
New Zealand	578	501	1,097	2,198	2,638	2,028	1,637	798	591	373	12,439
Norway	1,410	1,428	2,233	3,300	4,899	8,976	9,066	8,640	5,022	2,960	47,934
Poland	375	588	1,254	2,200	2,519	2,864	4,718	3,163	1,998	2,283	21,962
Portugal	167	205	57	205	32	7	129	9	43	46	900
Rep. of Korea	2	3	8	6	1	5	10	1	6	85	127
Romania	521	214	2,300	1,648	1,271	2,232	952	655	376	416	10,585
Slovakia	62	84	36	176	123	130	303	421	1,532	812	3,679
Slovenia	18	8	97	171	127	97	202	165	349	702	1,936
Spain	1,851	1,431	900	1,895	1,821	1,989	1,352	2,350	1,654	1,803	17,046
Sweden	3,104	5,150	6,504	5,593	8,983	10,644	18,496	22,560	27,876	15,867	124,777
Switzerland	14,232	13,433	11,664	27,143	24,759	12,470	13,500	14,739	10,080	6,965	148,985
Turkey	2,343	2,314	2,253	2,133	1,698	2,114	1,968	509	1,742	377	17,451
United Kingdom	33,804	29,580	22,075	11,926	62,956	86,522	54,150	54,365	41,700	23,750	420,828
United States	48,451	42,802	32,712	21,303	21,598	26,937	33,609	28,242	21,656	20,246	297,556
<b>Total</b>	<b>285,092</b>	<b>264,882</b>	<b>225,990</b>	<b>211,122</b>	<b>287,596</b>	<b>320,139</b>	<b>358,204</b>	<b>341,207</b>	<b>282,027</b>	<b>209,662</b>	<b>2,785,921</b>
- European Union (15)	203,566	178,403	150,010	129,490	203,736	234,565	264,952	249,331	207,523	151,900	1,973,476
- European Union (25)	204,202	180,771	155,021	137,119	211,571	247,167	277,636	263,416	219,959	162,831	2,059,693
- Western Europe	219,208	193,264	163,907	159,933	233,394	256,047	287,538	272,798	222,656	161,870	2,170,615
- Central Europe	1,070	2,485	7,144	9,066	9,263	14,983	13,373	14,051	10,015	7,993	89,443
- Southern Europe	4,301	5,164	6,931	4,191	26,948	13,888	24,620	19,050	14,281	15,655	135,029
- Europe	222,736	198,218	173,581	171,538	244,732	273,641	303,963	289,142	237,577	174,059	2,289,187
- North America	55,488	51,909	43,033	30,681	31,732	36,488	44,662	46,236	40,836	32,092	413,157
- Australia/New Z.	6,823	14,672	9,075	8,801	10,996	9,726	9,398	5,530	3,314	3,177	81,512

**C.11 Total number of asylum decisions at the first instance, 1996-2005**

Includes cases recognized (Annex C.8), allowed to remain (Annex C.9), rejected (Annex C.10) and otherwise closed.

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	8,677	15,662	10,470	8,064	12,865	11,514	9,358	5,299	3,158	3,450	88,517
Austria	8,748	8,363	9,500	18,254	20,514	26,494	29,881	36,315	26,670	19,661	204,400
Belgium	5,892	5,952	3,914	3,120	5,306	3,384	5,599	6,163	8,831	12,953	61,114
Bulgaria	318	274	435	1,514	1,981	2,240	3,289	1,994	975	950	13,970
Canada	21,803	24,943	29,413	27,929	28,808	28,317	32,466	42,477	40,408	27,212	303,776
Cyprus	80	83	123	680	362	405	1,160	2,035	5,610	5,814	16,352
Czech Rep.	186	2,442	2,807	8,235	5,665	12,838	12,342	13,758	7,995	4,351	70,619
Denmark	7,100	7,051	6,111	5,514	7,046	8,739	8,951	3,453	2,155	1,327	57,447
Estonia	-	-	7	18	7	7	22	18	11	12	102
Finland	744	742	876	2,725	3,637	2,165	3,334	3,320	2,079	2,084	21,706
France	22,203	24,167	22,405	24,151	30,278	43,053	52,375	69,608	73,052	60,858	422,150
Germany	194,556	170,801	101,669	93,094	79,466	79,713	91,378	70,129	45,874	32,860	959,540
Greece	1,875	2,346	3,904	1,716	1,970	1,624	10,147	4,686	4,387	10,499	43,154
Hungary	240	502	4,534	11,421	8,811	8,591	7,755	3,159	1,616	1,559	48,188
Iceland	-	6	16	6	30	43	112	90	70	84	457
Ireland	68	513	1,330	4,896	8,954	12,252	15,323	8,191	6,974	5,243	63,744
Italy	694	1,654	3,465	8,331	25,000	13,219	14,713	13,428	8,966	14,439	103,909
Japan	49	108	350	194	236	398	264	327	353	332	2,611
Latvia	-	-	43	32	5	15	20	12	6	12	145
Liechtenstein	-	-	219	-	-	58	171	147	97	62	754
Lithuania	-	59	253	180	275	238	160	305	211	83	1,764
Luxembourg	127	207	174	-	1,942	2,046	-	1,184	1,897	1,482	9,059
Malta	139	93	132	146	73	94	339	557	889	1,158	3,620
Netherlands	31,237	26,200	31,030	41,202	53,468	37,076	34,255	21,764	15,654	19,750	311,636
New Zealand	667	603	1,223	2,489	2,873	2,495	2,077	964	682	461	14,534
Norway	2,026	1,992	3,863	6,090	10,789	14,661	17,853	16,435	9,194	7,444	90,347
Poland	1,952	3,875	2,975	3,110	3,777	4,978	5,464	7,772	5,898	8,840	48,641
Portugal	263	249	248	468	253	178	188	97	54	62	2,060
Rep. of Korea	2	26	26	6	1	17	33	19	37	140	307
Romania	692	371	2,638	2,353	1,503	2,418	1,080	792	583	542	12,972
Slovakia	383	688	309	1,237	1,499	5,395	8,353	10,220	13,128	3,758	44,970
Slovenia	32	70	180	676	1,024	10,040	812	1,165	1,125	1,972	17,096
Spain	4,975	5,189	5,443	7,434	7,861	9,399	6,533	7,132	6,770	4,958	65,694
Sweden	6,779	10,767	11,446	9,308	17,049	16,707	26,767	29,850	34,227	21,317	184,217
Switzerland	20,710	23,612	24,579	47,264	38,307	21,963	25,185	27,200	19,157	12,695	260,672
Turkey	4,232	4,725	5,437	5,042	5,610	6,074	5,380	3,090	3,432	2,978	46,000
United Kingdom	49,350	48,535	42,905	45,845	132,939	155,900	103,450	80,370	55,390	33,210	747,894
United States	123,706	129,746	85,345	55,237	59,879	69,139	83,034	88,637	108,950	113,154	916,827
<b>Total</b>	<b>520,505</b>	<b>522,616</b>	<b>419,797</b>	<b>447,981</b>	<b>580,063</b>	<b>613,887</b>	<b>619,623</b>	<b>582,162</b>	<b>516,565</b>	<b>437,766</b>	<b>5,260,965</b>
- European Union (15)	334,611	312,736	244,420	266,058	395,683	411,949	402,894	355,690	292,980	240,703	3,257,724
- European Union (25)	337,623	320,548	255,783	291,793	417,181	454,550	439,321	394,691	329,469	268,262	3,509,221
- Western Europe	357,347	338,340	273,081	319,412	444,779	448,631	446,103	399,472	321,428	260,904	3,609,497
- Central Europe	3,803	8,222	13,878	28,546	24,260	46,500	39,095	38,860	31,320	21,972	256,456
- Southern Europe	8,026	9,614	13,315	18,775	35,519	24,919	33,080	27,935	26,676	36,930	234,789
- Europe	365,601	351,528	292,970	354,062	475,401	502,007	492,391	444,439	362,977	293,017	3,934,393
- North America	145,509	154,689	114,758	83,166	88,687	97,456	115,500	131,114	149,358	140,366	1,220,603
- Australia/New Z.	9,344	16,265	11,693	10,553	15,738	14,009	11,435	6,263	3,840	3,911	103,051

**C.12 Undecided asylum cases at the end of the year at the first instance, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Australia	10,945	4,615	3,164	4,772	4,921	5,743	2,223	793	4,145	1,145
Austria	-	2,512	5,500	11,084	9,945	15,187	29,494	33,564	38,262	40,710
Belgium	-	7,055	-	39,114	45,000	17,770	17,973	18,500	16,013	8,316
Bulgaria	1,303	1,357	1,718	1,542	1,316	1,540	1,140	756	920	805
Canada	21,803	28,537	23,293	24,726	30,176	45,804	52,761	41,575	26,978	20,552
Cyprus	23	32	134	210	499	1,860	2,043	5,045	9,341	11,297
Czech Rep.	930	597	1,878	1,377	4,625	9,874	6,013	3,651	1,115	924
Denmark	-	-	-	2,191	5,208	4,593	1,670	739	352	267
Estonia	-	-	17	22	15	20	7	3	9	8
Finland	-	960	1,390	1,770	1,300	591	-	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	-	-	34,551	34,588	22,900	11,600	11,700
Germany	48,136	34,851	36,027	40,339	43,791	56,110	38,494	20,403	11,200	6,852
Greece	-	-	-	-	2,379	6,224	1,744	5,237	5,316	3,867
Hungary	21	11	2,583	2,644	1,435	2,398	1,048	290	283	333
Iceland	-	-	3	14	8	17	22	13	14	18
Ireland	107	1,281	8,400	7,985	10,127	8,200	4,511	4,555	2,350	1,139
Italy	-	-	-	-	113	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	199	332	268	297	232	187	173	190	275	308
Latvia	-	-	15	3	2	1	7	-	1	9
Liechtenstein	-	-	9	-	-	107	137	92	68	60
Lithuania	-	261	93	57	66	84	218	132	28	55
Luxembourg	15	89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	-	-	-	15	13	35	11	32	141	149
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	25,506	22,298	9,353	8,411	8,741	7,285
New Zealand	-	-	-	-	2,118	1,424	449	345	253	139
Norway	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	1,872	1,087	1,250	1,095	-	-	2,559	1,521	3,532	1,627
Portugal	156	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rep. of Korea	8	26	17	4	46	68	72	139	247	519
Romania	1,514	1,299	731	45	-	33	35	312	210	264
Slovakia	112	69	197	328	387	3,152	4,508	4,661	2,916	2,707
Slovenia	11	13	332	607	8,834	305	195	132	323	185
Spain	-	-	-	3,300	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	7,857	10,800	17,600	23,630	23,943	12,430	9,029
Switzerland	16,380	17,612	35,063	34,773	15,137	14,603	16,184	10,534	6,251	4,585
Turkey	1,841	2,169	3,570	5,134	5,209	4,176	2,591	3,453	3,929	4,872
United Kingdom	57,405	51,795	64,770	125,100	94,500	42,200	41,300	23,900	9,700	5,500
United States	453,580	398,598	358,255	342,485	328,820	323,251	303,809	262,032	181,916	98,514
<b>Total</b>	<b>616,361</b>	<b>555,158</b>	<b>548,677</b>	<b>658,890</b>	<b>652,528</b>	<b>640,006</b>	<b>598,962</b>	<b>497,853</b>	<b>358,859</b>	<b>243,740</b>
- European Union (15)	105,819	98,543	116,087	238,740	248,669	225,324	202,757	162,152	115,964	94,665
- European Union (25)	108,788	100,613	122,586	245,098	264,545	243,053	219,366	177,619	133,653	111,959
- Western Europe	122,199	116,155	151,159	273,513	263,806	240,034	219,078	172,778	122,283	99,310
- Central Europe	5,763	4,433	8,689	7,638	16,597	17,302	15,498	11,323	9,299	6,845
- Southern Europe	179	32	134	3,525	3,004	8,119	3,798	10,314	14,798	15,313
- Europe	129,826	123,050	163,680	286,606	286,215	263,529	239,475	192,779	145,045	122,563
- North America	475,383	427,135	381,548	367,211	358,996	369,055	356,570	303,607	208,894	119,066
- Australia/New Z.	10,945	4,615	3,164	4,772	7,039	7,167	2,672	1,138	4,398	1,284

**C.13 Convention recognition rates\* at the first instance, 1996-2005**

\* Recognized (Annex C.8) divided by the total of recognized (Annex C.8), allowed to remain (Annex C.9) and rejected (Annex C.10) \* See Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	18.1	6.6	23.8	15.5	32.6	30.4	13.7	5.2	11.3	17.1	18.7
Austria	8.2	8.1	12.5	49.0	17.3	23.1	20.0	29.6	45.9	42.6	28.0
Belgium	27.7	29.7	39.2	40.7	23.5	26.5	25.4	23.1	30.3	30.7	29.3
Bulgaria	78.0	68.3	43.5	23.9	22.3	17.5	5.0	1.3	2.8	1.7	14.9
Canada	57.6	52.4	55.5	58.0	58.0	58.3	57.8	49.6	45.5	50.4	53.6
Cyprus	16.4	11.6	39.1	10.8	14.9	11.0	10.8	11.1	2.2	1.2	5.5
Czech Rep.	87.1	6.3	11.8	4.4	4.8	1.2	1.9	2.3	2.9	8.7	3.8
Denmark	17.0	12.2	14.9	16.9	17.1	21.2	12.7	14.5	4.9	7.0	15.3
Estonia	..	..	-	-	57.1	-	-	-	-	-	5.3
Finland	2.4	0.9	1.3	4.0	0.7	0.3	0.8	0.5	1.9	1.4	1.2
France	19.6	17.0	19.4	19.3	17.1	17.0	16.2	14.1	15.5	22.6	17.4
Germany	15.8	14.8	10.4	10.9	15.0	23.6	7.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	12.4
Greece	8.7	5.5	4.0	8.5	11.3	11.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.8	3.0
Hungary	61.1	16.4	10.7	5.6	5.1	5.0	3.9	10.3	14.5	10.2	7.3
Iceland	..	-	-	-	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	0.3
Ireland	48.6	33.0	10.5	5.0	4.2	9.0	12.8	5.9	7.9	10.3	8.8
Italy	24.8	21.0	30.0	35.1	6.6	15.9	7.6	5.4	8.8	8.4	10.2
Japan	2.3	1.2	5.2	12.1	11.2	6.5	6.2	2.0	2.9	9.7	6.1
Latvia	..	..	-	12.5	25.0	6.7	-	-	-	-	4.4
Liechtenstein	..	..	-	..	..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	..	8.5	8.0	1.2	3.7	-	1.0	4.1	10.0	20.3	5.7
Luxembourg	18.8	4.5	37.7	..	0.9	4.5	..	6.9	6.5	8.2	5.4
Malta	61.2	35.2	37.9	34.9	38.4	41.5	6.0	9.1	5.6	3.1	12.4
Netherlands	23.7	30.2	8.5	8.2	11.6	1.1	0.7	2.0	3.8	5.7	7.5
New Zealand	13.3	16.9	10.3	11.7	8.2	18.7	21.2	17.2	13.3	19.1	14.4
Norway	0.3	0.7	1.7	3.0	1.2	2.2	2.7	4.7	5.4	10.4	3.5
Poland	24.2	19.1	3.9	2.0	2.0	9.0	5.1	6.4	9.7	7.0	6.7
Portugal	2.2	1.6	4.9	5.9	17.0	14.6	8.8	9.1	3.9	11.3	6.1
Rep. of Korea	-	-	11.1	-	-	16.7	5.6	92.3	75.0	8.3	22.1
Romania	13.0	27.2	6.8	11.2	5.9	3.5	3.6	5.8	19.2	11.2	8.0
Slovakia	67.4	43.6	57.6	13.3	7.5	12.2	6.2	2.5	1.0	3.0	9.1
Slovenia	-	-	0.8	-	-	0.8	0.5	8.4	4.9	1.9	2.5
Spain	10.6	8.6	12.5	10.0	14.7	12.2	10.4	8.3	8.6	11.0	10.7
Sweden	2.0	9.7	8.1	3.8	2.1	1.1	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.8	2.8
Switzerland	10.2	13.9	12.4	3.9	4.7	9.5	8.9	8.3	9.8	11.6	8.1
Turkey	41.1	39.7	49.7	47.2	61.5	57.6	59.4	82.2	49.2	78.4	54.8
United Kingdom	8.1	15.3	22.4	60.7	25.7	11.6	12.5	8.0	4.5	8.5	16.9
United States	21.8	19.1	23.3	38.3	43.6	43.2	36.1	29.2	32.2	32.1	31.1
Total	17.9	17.8	18.8	23.7	21.0	19.5	15.4	13.8	15.5	18.7	18.1
- European Union (15)	14.8	15.5	14.1	24.2	17.4	14.5	9.5	8.2	10.1	14.2	13.9
- European Union (25)	15.0	15.5	14.0	23.3	17.0	14.1	9.3	8.0	9.8	13.6	13.6
- Western Europe	14.4	15.3	13.8	19.6	15.4	13.7	9.3	8.1	9.9	13.9	13.1
- Central Europe	39.2	17.5	9.6	7.0	6.3	5.8	3.7	4.2	6.2	7.1	6.8
- Southern Europe	12.8	10.9	16.0	17.6	7.8	15.1	5.4	5.2	5.8	5.7	8.5
- Europe	14.9	15.7	14.3	19.4	15.7	13.9	9.7	8.5	10.2	13.8	13.4
- North America	29.4	28.0	34.7	46.1	49.2	48.1	43.3	38.8	39.2	40.2	39.4
- Australia/New Z.	17.7	7.0	22.4	14.6	28.0	28.3	15.1	7.2	11.7	17.3	18.1

**C.14 Total recognition rates\* at the first instance, 1996-2005**

\* Recognized (Annex C.8) and allowed to remain (Annex C.9) divided by the total of recognized (Annex C.8), allowed to remain (Annex C.9) and rejected (Annex C.10) \* 100% See Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	18.1	6.6	23.8	15.5	32.6	30.4	13.7	5.2	11.3	17.1	18.7
Austria	8.2	8.1	12.5	49.0	17.3	23.1	20.0	29.6	54.7	49.7	30.4
Belgium	27.7	29.7	39.2	40.7	38.3	26.5	25.4	23.1	30.3	30.7	30.7
Bulgaria	84.9	69.4	47.0	74.3	57.5	71.3	48.4	29.3	45.0	18.2	53.7
Canada	57.6	52.4	55.5	58.0	58.0	58.3	57.8	49.6	45.5	50.4	53.6
Cyprus	16.4	40.6	39.1	10.8	14.9	11.0	10.8	11.1	5.3	5.0	7.9
Czech Rep.	87.1	6.3	11.8	4.4	4.8	1.2	1.9	2.3	2.9	8.7	3.8
Denmark	68.3	54.5	58.1	59.1	49.2	52.6	28.2	22.3	9.7	17.3	47.5
Estonia	..	..	-	-	57.1	50.0	-	-	-	-	9.2
Finland	74.2	62.9	72.4	68.2	36.0	55.7	35.4	30.0	52.2	70.4	49.6
France	19.6	17.0	19.4	19.3	17.1	17.0	16.2	14.1	15.5	22.6	17.4
Germany	17.1	17.1	13.0	13.1	16.9	26.9	8.4	6.1	6.3	6.1	14.4
Greece	12.2	9.5	11.3	32.2	20.2	22.5	1.1	0.6	0.9	1.9	6.7
Hungary	61.1	35.8	17.6	37.1	22.7	13.4	52.5	55.1	30.8	20.2	30.6
Iceland	..	80.0	73.3	80.0	10.7	7.1	1.9	10.6	-	-	10.5
Ireland	56.8	52.0	10.5	6.3	4.2	10.4	14.4	5.9	7.9	10.3	9.7
Italy	24.8	21.0	30.0	72.5	6.6	20.2	12.4	21.7	35.1	48.7	22.0
Japan	2.3	1.2	5.2	27.3	31.1	24.6	24.0	2.0	5.8	17.0	14.7
Latvia	..	..	-	15.6	25.0	6.7	15.8	54.5	-	-	11.9
Liechtenstein	..	..	100.0	..	..	18.2	55.6	12.0	-	2.2	52.2
Lithuania	..	8.5	8.0	1.2	3.7	-	77.1	47.3	65.0	81.1	31.9
Luxembourg	18.8	4.5	37.7	..	3.2	22.4	..	23.4	30.8	56.5	24.8
Malta	61.2	35.2	62.1	50.0	39.7	67.0	36.4	58.8	70.1	47.2	54.9
Netherlands	74.0	85.7	89.8	86.7	88.8	24.5	11.8	24.1	35.7	52.2	46.5
New Zealand	13.3	16.9	10.3	11.7	8.2	18.7	21.2	17.2	13.3	19.1	14.4
Norway	30.4	28.3	42.2	45.8	37.6	32.5	26.6	29.1	40.9	45.6	34.9
Poland	24.2	19.1	3.9	2.0	2.0	9.0	5.1	7.1	36.3	48.4	16.9
Portugal	26.4	17.3	29.6	24.4	66.0	85.4	18.9	59.1	15.7	25.8	28.7
Rep. of Korea	-	-	11.1	-	-	16.7	44.4	92.3	75.0	21.3	33.2
Romania	13.0	27.2	10.7	27.4	11.9	5.1	5.1	9.5	27.7	14.0	13.7
Slovakia	67.4	43.6	57.6	13.3	7.5	12.2	6.2	2.5	1.0	3.0	9.1
Slovenia	-	-	21.8	5.0	8.0	20.5	1.5	18.3	10.1	3.6	8.4
Spain	19.1	20.7	45.9	35.3	29.5	22.6	15.0	13.6	18.3	16.7	23.7
Sweden	50.8	62.0	52.1	34.4	43.8	29.7	21.7	13.5	8.8	15.2	27.5
Switzerland	35.9	29.0	28.9	47.8	43.5	47.3	30.4	25.1	36.3	46.0	39.1
Turkey	41.1	39.7	49.7	47.2	61.5	57.6	59.4	82.2	49.2	78.4	54.8
United Kingdom	24.8	27.0	40.0	71.7	38.2	32.0	38.2	19.5	13.2	18.6	32.8
United States	21.8	19.1	23.3	38.3	43.6	43.2	36.1	29.2	32.2	32.1	31.1
Total	25.7	25.7	29.4	37.9	33.0	31.7	24.6	20.3	22.5	28.7	27.8
- European Union (15)	23.7	25.8	28.1	34.4	28.2	27.7	20.0	14.9	16.6	24.3	24.0
- European Union (25)	23.8	25.7	27.7	33.9	27.8	26.9	19.7	14.7	16.6	24.3	23.6
- Western Europe	24.6	26.1	28.4	37.4	30.4	29.2	20.8	16.0	18.5	26.1	25.5
- Central Europe	40.0	18.6	14.1	27.3	17.0	14.6	16.1	12.1	17.2	25.9	18.0
- Southern Europe	18.8	16.9	25.6	44.9	9.8	21.0	8.9	16.7	23.2	29.1	18.9
- Europe	25.0	26.2	28.3	37.1	30.4	28.9	21.1	16.4	18.8	26.3	25.6
- North America	29.4	28.0	34.7	46.1	49.2	48.1	43.3	38.8	39.2	40.2	39.4
- Australia/New Z.	17.7	7.0	22.4	14.6	28.0	28.3	15.1	7.2	11.7	17.3	18.1

**C.15 Asylum applications submitted on appeal, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	3,720	9,488	6,227	5,659	6,514	5,747	5,514	3,689	2,918	3,149	52,625
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	1,479	3,506	4,237	5,016	6,893	21,131
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	938	2,435	3,409
Czech Rep.	-	-	-	1,329	1,411	3,004	2,288	14	17	-	8,063
France	13,622	13,600	13,487	15,691	20,124	26,140	31,502	44,201	51,707	38,563	268,637
Germany	32,826	47,347	44,785	43,206	39,084	30,019	20,344	17,285	14,545	13,994	303,435
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	383	602	985
Iceland	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	30	49
Ireland	-	-	-	3,370	3,700	4,192	5,297	5,294	5,073	4,227	31,153
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	184	221	226	210	183	1,024
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	80
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	5	201	169	-	-	375
New Zealand	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,086	508	461	317	2,372
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	2,300	2,268	1,096	687	1,422	7,773
Switzerland	7,730	8,831	10,108	12,193	14,823	11,315	13,514	18,159	13,381	8,783	118,837
United Kingdom*	24,210	22,300	16,210	8,405	48,110	76,575	54,770	48,300	36,480	27,225	362,585
United States	-	68,566	72,080	54,916	51,900	61,832	74,258	65,705	55,714	51,263	556,234
Total	82,108	170,132	162,897	144,769	185,685	222,872	214,769	208,919	187,530	159,086	1,738,767

**Note**

\* Includes judicial review.

**C.16 Recognition of asylum-seekers under the 1951 Convention on appeal, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	622	524	598	601	557	728	484	354	1,115	1,194	6,777
Belgium	116	151	241	250	189	259	165	183	99	671	2,324
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Czech Rep.	-	-	-	28	45	8	2	21	2	-	106
Denmark	233	118	191	173	125	163	133	224	173	74	1,607
Finland	2	4	1	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	15
France	861	836	1,172	1,297	1,844	2,380	2,255	3,377	4,574	8,375	26,971
Germany	-	-	1,060	677	552	5,172	475	282	307	1,162	9,687
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
Iceland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	-	4	40	351	395	478	1,097	856	737	101	4,059
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	4	6	17	29
Netherlands	5,673	3,189	1,289	879	912	644	618	734	304	3	14,245
New Zealand	75	46	37	64	60	35	68	71	117	122	695
Norway	-	73	42	-	4	-	-	-	51	62	232
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	12	26	26	10	23	97
Romania	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	31	-	51
Sweden	-	-	-	352	137	142	218	213	174	432	1,668
Switzerland	614	435	764	636	622	1,178	1,258	1,003	1,150	1,432	9,092
United Kingdom*	515	1,180	2,355	5,415	3,955	10,525	15,905	16,545	11,390	6,185	73,970
United States	5,146	5,355	6,030	6,589	7,307	7,817	8,667	10,909	10,870	10,212	78,902
Total	13,873	11,915	13,820	17,316	16,708	29,543	31,371	34,822	31,110	30,071	230,549

**Note**

\* Includes judicial review.

**C.17 Asylum-seekers allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons on appeal, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	13
Denmark	734	426	224	256	276	376	300	332	124	67	3,115
Finland	4	16	4	18	36	-	-	-	-	-	78
Germany	-	-	-	155	234	988	582	393	179	211	2,742
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
Iceland	-	-	-	-	6	-	9	-	-	-	15
Ireland	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	77	93
Netherlands	8,142	4,035	2,498	1,967	1,950	2,696	4,435	2,465	622	1,137	29,947
Norway	255	176	249	423	353	-	-	-	613	515	2,584
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	24	38
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	20	-	38
Sweden	-	-	-	1,762	1,918	2,208	2,109	1,776	1,460	2,628	13,861
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	180	1,650	975	365	215	135	3,520
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,135</b>	<b>4,653</b>	<b>3,002</b>	<b>4,581</b>	<b>4,953</b>	<b>7,918</b>	<b>8,410</b>	<b>5,365</b>	<b>3,247</b>	<b>4,813</b>	<b>56,077</b>

**Note**

This table does not include cantonal and other regulations in Switzerland under which some 54,500 persons were admitted since 1996.

**C.18 Rejection of asylum applications on appeal, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	3,096	4,595	6,083	5,322	4,984	4,650	5,287	5,703	2,924	1,983	44,627
Belgium	1,361	3,247	2,567	1,300	1,693	1,594	1,677	1,667	1,670	1,592	18,368
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	224	1,221	1,445
Czech Rep.	-	-	-	730	784	1,001	1,375	1,301	25	-	5,216
Denmark	1,981	1,713	1,403	1,243	1,628	2,062	2,678	2,571	1,660	784	17,723
Finland	-	-	-	-	170	-	-	-	-	-	170
France	15,812	12,614	11,616	12,458	16,240	19,710	21,661	26,125	27,849	38,187	202,272
Germany	-	-	44,427	3,497	1,566	1,123	1,721	1,281	703	494	54,812
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	299	361	660
Iceland	-	-	-	1	13	6	-	-	-	22	42
Ireland	-	-	222	660	2,457	2,008	3,797	3,985	5,601	299	19,029
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	95	231	184	155	162	827
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	40
Netherlands	30,740	12,153	9,762	12,689	14,037	324	25,388	6,377	2,258	838	114,566
New Zealand	428	432	431	344	591	528	529	499	456	373	4,611
Norway	913	1,364	1,056	3,140	4,434	-	-	-	6,765	5,468	23,140
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	1,879	1,835	851	635	376	5,576
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	181	-	-	181
Sweden	-	-	-	-	3,110	5,594	9,970	12,290	14,686	27,928	73,578
Switzerland	4,416	4,807	4,553	4,918	5,479	5,079	5,118	6,132	6,624	4,783	51,909
United Kingdom*	10,785	18,145	21,195	11,160	16,485	41,630	50,605	66,815	47,650	28,400	312,870
United States	-	21,738	20,218	18,167	16,027	15,028	18,386	22,407	20,922	19,257	172,150
<b>Total</b>	<b>69,532</b>	<b>80,808</b>	<b>123,533</b>	<b>75,629</b>	<b>89,698</b>	<b>102,311</b>	<b>150,258</b>	<b>158,409</b>	<b>141,106</b>	<b>132,528</b>	<b>1,123,812</b>

**Note**

\* Includes judicial review.



**C.19 Total number of asylum decisions on appeal, 1996-2005**

Includes cases recognized (Annex C.16), allowed to remain (Annex C.17), rejected (Annex C.18) and otherwise closed.

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	4,478	5,721	7,450	6,950	6,087	5,882	6,286	6,525	4,271	3,351	57,001
Belgium	1,553	3,548	2,980	1,620	1,917	2,055	2,116	2,192	2,140	3,269	23,390
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	288	1,352	1,640
Czech Rep.	-	-	-	616	1,289	1,695	2,360	1,562	108	4	7,634
Denmark	2,948	2,257	1,818	1,672	2,029	2,601	3,111	3,127	1,957	925	22,445
Finland	6	20	5	22	218	-	-	-	-	-	271
France	16,673	13,450	12,788	13,755	18,084	22,090	23,916	29,502	37,065	56,147	243,470
Germany	-	-	45,722	40,465	26,036	27,480	38,750	23,756	16,087	15,242	233,538
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	308	492	800
Iceland	-	-	-	1	19	13	9	-	-	22	64
Ireland	-	4	40	1,056	3,542	3,472	5,551	5,031	6,582	741	26,019
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	122	264	219	184	268	1,057
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	5	185	46	-	-	236
Netherlands	52,834	22,936	16,788	19,713	23,354	33,550	34,991	12,479	4,703	6,317	227,665
New Zealand	503	478	468	408	651	563	597	570	646	552	5,436
Norway	1,168	1,613	1,347	3,563	4,791	-	-	-	7,429	6,045	25,956
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	1,938	1,937	915	739	603	6,132
Romania	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	219	51	-	270
Sweden	-	-	-	2,114	5,356	8,335	12,973	14,734	17,486	32,269	93,267
Switzerland	7,574	8,259	8,628	11,154	13,127	12,596	12,794	15,834	15,095	11,322	116,383
United Kingdom*	14,710	22,335	26,540	20,590	22,650	56,980	72,105	87,795	62,070	38,740	424,515
United States	5,146	65,042	74,403	63,817	50,176	45,245	53,188	65,848	64,326	59,316	546,507
Total	107,609	145,663	198,977	187,516	179,326	224,622	271,133	270,354	241,535	236,977	2,063,712

**Note**

\* Includes judicial review.

**C.20 Undecided asylum cases at the end of the year on appeal, 1996-2005**

See Table VI.2 for explanatory notes and Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Australia	4,295	8,062	6,839	5,548	5,975	5,840	5,068	2,228	877	677
Belgium	-	2,529	-	-	1,240	661	2,060	4,104	6,983	10,597
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	37	687	1,770
Czech Rep.	-	-	114	294	406	1,715	1,643	95	4	-
Denmark	-	-	-	437	995	1,206	3,048	1,292	488	242
Germany*	270,402	253,198	238,881	207,054	160,575	136,118	125,506	107,680	74,951	64,772
Greece	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000	2,000	5,000
Hungary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	485	241	351
Iceland	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	11
Ireland	-	-	710	1,782	1,921	2,710	2,456	2,836	1,346	1,275
Japan	-	-	-	-	79	141	143	238	221	225
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-
Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	34	-	-
Netherlands*	-	-	-	-	58,961	56,253	48,806	36,261	19,711	7,379
New Zealand	347	145	158	258	219	493	871	683	493	257
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,671	11,333	15,613	6,673
Switzerland	7,516	8,117	9,597	10,636	12,332	11,051	11,771	14,096	12,382	9,843
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,000
United States	44,080	62,024	68,542	58,511	57,215	72,613	91,374	89,844	79,057	71,229
Total	326,640	334,075	324,843	284,521	299,918	288,881	302,434	273,246	215,057	187,301

**Note**

\* Includes applications pending at courts.

**C.21 Convention recognition rates\* on appeal, 1996-2005**

\* Recognized (Annex C.16) divided by the total of recognized (Annex C.16), allowed to remain (Annex C.17) and rejected (Annex C.18) \* 100%.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	16.7	10.2	9.0	10.1	10.1	13.5	8.4	5.8	27.6	37.6	13.2
Belgium	7.9	4.4	8.6	16.1	10.0	14.0	9.0	9.9	5.6	29.7	11.2
Cyprus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	0.2	0.1
Czech Rep.	..	..	..	3.7	5.4	0.8	0.1	1.6	7.4	..	2.0
Denmark	7.9	5.2	10.5	10.3	6.2	6.3	4.3	7.2	8.8	8.0	7.2
Finland	33.3	20.0	20.0	18.2	1.9	..	..	..	..	..	5.7
France	5.2	6.2	9.2	9.4	10.2	10.8	9.4	11.4	14.1	18.0	11.8
Germany	..	..	2.3	15.6	23.5	71.0	17.1	14.4	25.8	62.2	14.4
Hungary	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	1.1	0.6
Iceland	..	..	..	-	-	-	-	..	..	-	-
Ireland	..	100.0	13.8	34.7	13.8	19.2	22.4	17.7	11.6	25.3	17.6
Japan	..	..	..	..	..	2.1	-	2.0	3.7	6.6	3.1
Malta	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	..	..	-
Netherlands	12.7	16.5	9.5	5.7	5.4	17.6	2.0	7.7	9.5	0.2	9.0
New Zealand	14.9	9.6	7.9	15.7	9.2	6.2	11.4	12.5	20.4	24.6	13.1
Norway	-	4.5	3.1	-	0.1	..	..	..	0.7	1.0	0.9
Poland	..	..	..	..	..	0.6	1.4	3.0	1.5	5.4	1.7
Romania	100.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100.0
Spain	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9.1	60.8	..	18.9
Sweden	..	..	..	16.7	2.7	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.1	1.4	1.9
Switzerland	12.2	8.3	14.4	11.5	10.2	18.8	19.7	14.1	14.8	23.0	14.9
United Kingdom	4.6	6.1	10.0	32.7	19.2	19.6	23.6	19.8	19.2	17.8	18.9
United States	100.0	19.8	23.0	26.6	31.3	34.2	32.0	32.7	34.2	34.7	31.4
Total	15.0	12.2	9.8	17.8	15.0	21.1	16.5	17.5	17.7	18.0	16.3

**C.22 Total recognition rates\* on appeal, 1996-2005**

\* Recognized (Annex C.16) and allowed to remain (Annex C.17) divided by the total of recognized (Annex C.16), allowed to remain (Annex C.17) and rejected (Annex C.18) \* 100%.

Country of asylum	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Australia	16.7	10.2	9.0	10.1	10.1	13.5	8.4	5.8	27.6	37.6	13.2
Belgium	7.9	4.4	8.6	16.1	10.0	14.0	9.0	9.9	5.6	29.7	11.2
Cyprus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	1.2	1.0
Czech Rep.	..	..	..	3.7	5.4	0.8	0.1	1.6	7.4	..	2.0
Denmark	32.8	24.1	22.8	25.7	19.8	20.7	13.9	17.8	15.2	15.2	21.0
Finland	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	19.0	..	..	..	..	..	35.4
France	5.2	6.2	9.2	9.4	10.2	10.8	9.4	11.4	14.1	18.0	11.8
Germany	..	..	2.3	19.2	33.4	84.6	38.0	34.5	40.9	73.5	18.5
Hungary	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	2.7	1.5
Iceland	..	..	..	-	31.6	-	100.0	..	..	-	26.3
Ireland	..	100.0	23.2	34.7	13.8	19.2	22.4	17.7	11.6	25.3	17.7
Japan	..	..	..	..	..	2.1	-	9.8	3.7	36.7	12.9
Malta	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-	..	..	-
Netherlands	31.0	37.3	28.0	18.3	16.9	91.2	16.6	33.4	29.1	57.6	27.8
New Zealand	14.9	9.6	7.9	15.7	9.2	6.2	11.4	12.5	20.4	24.6	13.1
Norway	21.8	15.4	21.6	11.9	7.5	..	..	..	8.9	9.5	10.8
Poland	..	..	..	..	..	0.6	1.4	3.0	3.6	11.1	2.4
Romania	100.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100.0
Spain	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17.4	100.0	..	33.0
Sweden	..	..	..	100.0	39.8	29.6	18.9	13.9	10.0	9.9	17.4
Switzerland	12.2	8.3	14.4	11.5	10.2	18.8	19.7	14.1	14.8	23.0	14.9
United Kingdom	4.6	6.1	10.0	32.7	20.1	22.6	25.0	20.2	19.6	18.2	19.9
United States	100.0	19.8	23.0	26.6	31.3	34.2	32.0	32.7	34.2	34.7	31.4
Total	24.9	17.0	12.0	22.5	19.5	26.8	20.9	20.2	19.6	20.8	20.3

**C.23 Asylum-seekers allowed to stay by origin, 1996-2005**

Includes asylum-seekers granted refugee status and allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons at first instance and appeal/review procedures.

See also Annexes C.8, C.9, C.16 and C.17.

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Total
Iraq	20,435	21,173	18,098	12,726	21,506	23,136	23,260	10,331	5,006	6,677	162,348
Serbia and Montenegro	8,598	9,355	7,266	39,024	13,723	16,487	10,051	7,090	6,446	5,996	124,036
Afghanistan	7,745	8,859	9,281	9,608	10,996	28,934	9,374	6,360	5,086	4,104	100,347
Somalia	11,735	7,970	8,590	6,583	15,289	9,479	9,523	7,886	7,662	6,605	91,322
Sri Lanka	6,774	4,927	6,330	7,773	16,330	13,645	10,471	5,667	3,464	3,585	78,966
Turkey	8,757	6,217	5,679	6,611	6,452	5,889	6,350	6,627	5,384	4,514	62,480
Islamic Rep. of Iran	7,060	5,471	5,336	5,389	6,591	6,969	7,789	6,248	5,491	4,853	61,197
China	1,434	1,295	2,803	3,172	5,216	6,212	7,770	5,220	4,025	4,887	42,034
Russian Federation	1,191	1,197	1,389	1,532	2,196	3,106	3,586	5,501	10,279	11,492	41,469
Bosnia and Herzegovina	8,225	5,227	3,108	1,625	2,720	2,674	2,846	2,304	2,725	1,969	33,423
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	2,154	1,884	2,481	3,196	3,114	3,284	4,037	4,164	3,547	3,931	31,792
Colombia	197	258	527	817	2,655	4,313	5,129	5,717	5,997	5,356	30,966
Pakistan	1,169	880	1,290	1,908	3,251	2,978	2,663	2,992	2,607	1,759	21,497
Ethiopia	1,567	869	1,248	1,827	2,656	2,200	2,196	1,936	2,112	2,096	18,707
Angola	894	891	653	1,250	2,095	2,019	3,063	2,282	1,978	1,534	16,659
Sudan	1,036	1,243	1,639	1,191	1,816	1,479	1,713	1,274	1,523	2,016	14,930
Haiti	1,504	688	616	451	974	1,568	1,563	2,028	2,404	3,125	14,921
India	2,432	1,172	1,181	1,257	1,802	1,843	1,909	1,449	1,034	834	14,913
Albania	435	601	927	1,076	1,304	1,550	1,738	1,855	1,759	1,488	12,733
Rwanda	615	875	1,317	1,675	1,651	1,535	1,391	1,052	1,139	1,131	12,381
Eritrea	151	111	172	307	788	941	1,289	1,372	2,062	4,952	12,145
Sierra Leone	301	161	426	1,333	1,808	3,664	2,105	789	584	486	11,657
Armenia	793	538	550	645	1,375	1,637	1,459	1,347	1,218	2,046	11,608
Algeria	925	1,132	2,055	1,845	1,089	770	853	939	628	784	11,020
Zimbabwe	1	7	9	7	85	315	5,258	2,912	1,282	950	10,826
Burundi	591	434	493	478	512	1,112	1,329	1,411	1,132	1,406	8,898
Bangladesh	788	518	551	780	904	640	784	1,174	1,191	1,351	8,681
Syrian Arab Rep.	963	695	866	724	748	916	923	690	851	1,217	8,593
Azerbaijan	320	381	505	931	779	971	956	862	1,019	1,757	8,481
Liberia	1,124	707	695	718	758	847	768	797	1,240	612	8,266
Nigeria	491	478	771	1,213	823	609	716	859	1,127	1,085	8,172
Congo	43	61	301	578	714	1,068	1,407	1,334	1,187	1,368	8,061
Cameroon	189	145	392	396	574	615	1,303	1,487	1,455	1,220	7,776
Mauritania	639	265	539	446	383	435	716	1,367	1,489	1,151	7,430
Stateless	531	533	879	715	588	528	728	969	954	996	7,421
Ukraine	574	414	486	452	733	598	612	680	624	579	5,752
Guinea	96	119	271	259	505	566	792	790	976	1,294	5,668
Georgia	407	203	233	311	419	410	409	714	1,048	1,499	5,653
Myanmar	258	195	357	472	611	1,629	563	475	427	518	5,505
Peru	651	441	611	631	628	399	327	558	583	357	5,186
Other/unknown	16,939	15,604	14,213	15,839	18,728	13,685	14,251	18,727	18,333	17,241	163,560
<b>Total</b>	<b>120,732</b>	<b>104,194</b>	<b>105,134</b>	<b>137,771</b>	<b>155,889</b>	<b>171,655</b>	<b>153,970</b>	<b>128,236</b>	<b>119,078</b>	<b>120,821</b>	<b>1,317,480</b>
- Africa	24,301	19,016	25,001	27,874	38,651	34,178	42,270	37,389	36,178	37,699	322,557
- Asia	62,164	55,122	56,010	55,650	80,032	98,885	77,765	53,527	41,472	43,801	624,428
- Europe	20,473	18,852	16,263	45,725	22,655	26,535	21,449	19,636	23,941	23,264	238,793
- Latin Am. and Carib.	5,775	3,167	4,609	4,793	6,480	7,999	8,816	11,280	12,642	12,364	77,925
- Other/unknown	8,019	8,037	3,251	3,729	8,071	4,058	3,670	6,404	4,845	3,693	53,777

**Notes**

- Due to a lack of data by origin, recognitions on appeal or review are not included for the following asylum countries (years): Belgium (1996-1997), Denmark (1996-1998), Finland (1996-1998, 2001-2005), France (1996-2002), Norway (1996-1997, 2001-2003), Poland (1995-2000), Sweden (1999), Switzerland (1996-2005) and the United Kingdom (1996-2001).

- Recognition under the UNHCR mandate is included for Hungary (1996-1998).

- United Kingdom: includes recognition under the backlog clearance programme (1999-2000) but excludes judicial review and re-opened applications.

**C.24 Asylum applications and total admissions in industrialized countries, 1996-2005**

See Annex D.5 for regional classification.

Country of asylum or resettlement	New asylum claims submitted <sup>1</sup>	1951 Convention refugee status <sup>2</sup>	Allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons <sup>3</sup>	Arrival of resettled refugees <sup>4</sup>	Temporary protection; Other <sup>5</sup>	Total admissions <sup>6</sup>	New asylum claims submitted per 1,000 inhabitants		Total admissions per 1,000 inhabitants	
							Total	Rank	Total	Rank
Australia	78,671	22,701	-	102,509	-	125,210	3.9	23	6.2	8
Austria <sup>7</sup>	214,838	20,458	1,766	-	13,024	35,248	26.2	4	4.3	12
Belgium	216,265	18,081	750	-	-	18,831	20.8	6	1.8	18
Bulgaria	13,464	1,310	3,400	-	-	4,710	1.7	26	0.6	24
Canada	298,196	133,644	-	108,564	-	242,208	9.2	14	7.5	6
Cyprus <sup>8</sup>	27,655	547	249	-	-	796	33.1	2	1.0	22
Czech Rep.	72,006	1,336	-	-	-	1,336	7.0	18	0.1	27
Denmark <sup>9</sup>	73,554	10,405	21,610	5,032	7,574	44,621	13.5	11	8.2	5
Estonia	107	4	3	-	-	7	0.1	35	0.0	37
Finland	24,982	142	5,224	6,443	-	11,809	4.8	21	2.2	16
France	412,158	100,283	-	-	-	100,283	6.8	19	1.7	19
Germany <sup>10</sup>	767,539	112,244	19,253	-	330,000	461,497	9.3	13	5.6	9
Greece	46,443	1,053	1,337	-	-	2,390	4.2	22	0.2	26
Hungary <sup>11</sup>	50,475	1,679	5,364	-	1,011	8,054	5.0	20	0.8	23
Iceland	483	1	45	247	-	293	1.6	27	1.0	21
Ireland <sup>12</sup>	67,302	7,382	373	1,381	102	9,238	16.2	10	2.2	17
Italy <sup>13</sup>	120,943	9,640	11,035	-	61,386	82,061	2.1	25	1.4	20
Japan	2,710	167	290	620	-	1,077	0.0	37	0.0	35
Latvia	157	6	10	-	-	16	0.1	36	0.0	36
Liechtenstein <sup>14</sup>	1,191	-	240	-	63	303	34.5	1	8.8	3
Lithuania	1,833	49	223	-	-	272	0.5	33	0.1	31
Luxembourg	11,603	397	1,425	-	-	1,822	25.0	5	3.9	13
Malta <sup>15</sup>	3,658	437	1,492	-	10	1,939	9.1	15	4.8	10
Netherlands	275,235	25,689	89,806	2,694	-	118,189	16.9	9	7.3	7
New Zealand	12,230	2,790	-	7,460	-	10,250	3.0	24	2.5	15
Norway <sup>16</sup>	94,992	2,821	25,662	14,387	5,170	48,040	20.6	7	10.4	2
Poland	49,208	1,877	2,726	-	-	4,603	1.3	30	0.1	29
Portugal	2,257	77	286	-	-	363	0.2	34	0.0	34
Rep. of Korea	828	42	21	-	-	63	0.0	38	0.0	38
Romania	12,200	1,002	693	-	-	1,695	0.6	32	0.1	32
Slovakia	47,591	368	-	-	-	368	8.8	16	0.1	33
Slovenia	17,145	53	124	-	-	177	8.7	17	0.1	30
Spain	65,195	2,451	2,925	-	-	5,376	1.5	29	0.1	28
Sweden	184,363	6,442	56,358	12,123	-	74,923	20.4	8	8.3	4
Switzerland <sup>17</sup>	238,837	28,810	76,103	-	54,460	159,373	32.9	3	22.0	1
Turkey	48,982	21,165	-	-	-	21,165	0.7	31	0.3	25
United Kingdom	653,291	179,629	102,958	345	-	282,932	10.9	12	4.7	11
United States <sup>18</sup>	482,174	213,410	-	608,334	-	821,744	1.6	28	2.8	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,690,761</b>	<b>928,592</b>	<b>431,751</b>	<b>870,139</b>	<b>472,800</b>	<b>2,703,282</b>	<b>4.2</b>		<b>2.4</b>	
- European Union (15)	3,135,968	494,373	315,106	28,018	412,086	1,249,583	8.1		3.2	
- European Union (25)	3,405,803	500,729	325,297	28,018	413,107	1,267,151	7.4		2.8	
- Western Europe	3,470,988	526,004	417,111	42,405	471,779	1,457,299	8.7		3.7	
- Central Europe	262,089	7,625	12,307	-	1,011	20,943	2.7		0.2	
- Southern Europe	266,151	14,205	17,324	-	61,396	92,925	2.1		0.7	
- Europe	3,815,952	555,838	431,440	42,652	472,800	1,502,730	6.6		2.6	
- North America	780,370	347,054	-	716,898	-	1,063,952	2.4		3.2	
- Australia/New Z.	90,901	25,491	-	109,969	-	135,460	3.8		5.6	

**Notes**<sup>1</sup> See Annex C.1. <sup>2</sup> See Annexes C.8 and C.16. <sup>3</sup> See Annexes C.9 and C.17. <sup>4</sup> See Annex B.14. These four columns concern annual arrivals.<sup>5</sup> The figures included in this column concern both annual arrivals and population estimates (stocks). A second major difference with the previous three columns is that temporary protection has ended for most refugees and that many of these refugees have returned.<sup>6</sup> Number of persons granted refugee or humanitarian status, refugees admitted under resettlement programmes and refugees provided temporary protection.

Due to the temporary nature of some forms of protection (e.g. humanitarian status, temporary protection), not all those who are admitted stay indefinitely.

<sup>7</sup> Column 6 includes temporary protection for Bosnians in 1996 (11,431) and Kosovars in 1999 (1,593), but excludes aliens permits granted to Bosnians in 1996 (62,700).<sup>8</sup> Columns 2 to 4 include asylum applications lodged (1,090), refugees recognized (307) and humanitarian status granted (46) under the UNHCR mandate during 2002-2005.<sup>9</sup> Column 6 includes refugees recognized at embassies (418), persons granted a special humanitarian residence permit (1,073), persons admitted for exceptional reasons (1,166) and Bosnians, Kosovars and Serbs granted temporary protection (4,917).<sup>10</sup> Column 6 refers to temporary protection granted to Bosnians in 1996.<sup>11</sup> Column 2 includes asylum applications lodged under the UNHCR mandate (1,681) during 1996-1998. Column 6 refers to refugees recognized under the UNHCR mandate during 1996-1998 (315) and persons granted subsidiary protection outside the asylum procedure (696) during 2004-2005.<sup>12</sup> Column 6 refers to persons granted temporary leave to remain (TLR) outside the asylum procedure in 2000 and 2003.<sup>13</sup> Column 6 refers to persons from the former Yugoslavia and Somalia granted temporary protection during 1996-1997.<sup>14</sup> Column 6 refers to Bosnians granted temporary protection outside the asylum procedure in 2001.<sup>15</sup> Column 6 refers to refugees recognized under the UNHCR mandate during 2002.<sup>16</sup> Column 6 refers to Bosnians (1,184), Iraqis (2,019) and Kosovars (1,967) granted temporary protection during 1996-2000.<sup>17</sup> Column 6 refers to persons granted temporary protection under special cantonal and other regulations.<sup>18</sup> Column 2 and 3 refer to number of cases.

**D.1 UN major areas**

(Source: United Nations Population Division, United Nations Statistics Division, New York.)

<b>Africa</b>	<b>Asia</b>	<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>Europe</b>
Algeria	Afghanistan	Antigua and Barbuda	Albania
Angola	Armenia	Argentina	Andorra
Benin	Azerbaijan	Bahamas	Austria
Botswana	Bahrain	Barbados	Belarus
Burkina Faso	Bangladesh	Belize	Belgium
Burundi	Bhutan	Bolivia	Bosnia and Herzegovina
Cameroon	Brunei Darussalam	Brazil	Bulgaria
Cape Verde	Cambodia	Cayman Islands	Croatia
Central African Rep.	China	Chile	Czech Rep.
Chad	Cyprus	Colombia	Denmark
Comoros	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	Costa Rica	Estonia
Congo	Georgia	Cuba	Faeroe Islands
Côte d'Ivoire	Hong Kong SAR, China	Dominica	Finland
Dem. Rep. of the Congo	India	Dominican Rep.	France
Djibouti	Indonesia	Ecuador	Germany
Egypt	Iraq	El Salvador	Greece
Equatorial Guinea	Islamic Rep. of Iran	French Guiana	Hungary
Eritrea	Israel	Grenada	Iceland
Ethiopia	Japan	Guatemala	Ireland
Gabon	Jordan	Guyana	Italy
Gambia	Kazakhstan	Haiti	Latvia
Ghana	Kuwait	Honduras	Liechtenstein
Guinea	Kyrgyzstan	Jamaica	Lithuania
Guinea-Bissau	Lao People's Dem. Rep.	Mexico	Luxembourg
Kenya	Lebanon	Nicaragua	Malta
Lesotho	Macao SAR, China	Panama	Moldova
Liberia	Malaysia	Paraguay	Monaco
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Maldives	Peru	Netherlands
Madagascar	Mongolia	Puerto Rico	Norway
Malawi	Myanmar	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Poland
Mali	Nepal	Saint Lucia	Portugal
Mauritania	Occupied Palestinian Territory	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Romania
Mauritius	Oman	Suriname	Russian Federation
Morocco	Pakistan	Trinidad and Tobago	San Marino
Mozambique	Philippines	Turks and Caicos Islands	Serbia and Montenegro
Namibia	Qatar	Uruguay	Slovakia
Niger	Rep. of Korea	Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)	Slovenia
Nigeria	Saudi Arabia		Spain
Rwanda	Singapore	<b>Oceania</b>	Sweden
Sao Tome and Principe	Sri Lanka	Australia	Switzerland
Senegal	Syrian Arab Rep.	Fiji	TfYR Macedonia
Seychelles	Tajikistan	Kiribati	Ukraine
Sierra Leone	Thailand	Micronesia (Federated States of)	United Kingdom
Somalia	Timor-Leste	Nauru	
South Africa	Turkey	New Zealand	
Sudan	Turkmenistan	Palau	
Swaziland	United Arab Emirates	Papua New Guinea	
Togo	Uzbekistan	Samoa	
Tunisia	Viet Nam	Solomon Islands	
Uganda	Yemen	Tonga	
United Rep. of Tanzania		Tuvalu	
Western Sahara	<b>North America</b>	Vanuatu	
Zambia	Bermuda		
Zimbabwe	Canada		
	United States		

**D.2 UNHCR Regional Bureaux/Operations**

(Source: UNHCR)

**Central Asia, South West Asia, North Africa and the Middle East (CASWANAME)**

Afghanistan  
Algeria  
Bahrain  
Egypt  
Iraq  
Islamic Rep. of Iran  
Israel  
Jordan  
Kazakhstan  
Kuwait  
Kyrgyzstan  
Lebanon  
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya  
Mauritania  
Morocco  
Occupied Palestinian Territory  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Qatar  
Saudi Arabia  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
Tajikistan  
Tunisia  
Turkmenistan  
United Arab Emirates  
Uzbekistan  
Western Sahara  
Yemen

**West Africa (WA)**

Benin  
Burkina Faso  
Cameroon  
Cape Verde  
Côte d'Ivoire  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Liberia  
Mali  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Togo

**East and Horn of Africa (EHA)**

Djibouti  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
Kenya  
Somalia  
Sudan  
Uganda

**Central Africa and the Great Lakes (CA-GL)**

Burundi  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Congo  
Dem. Rep. of the Congo  
Equatorial Guinea  
Gabon  
Rwanda  
Sao Tome and Principe  
United Rep. of Tanzania

**Southern Africa (SAO)**

Angola  
Botswana  
Comoros  
Lesotho  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Mauritius  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Seychelles  
South Africa  
Swaziland  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**The Americas (RBAC)**

Antigua and Barbuda  
Argentina  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Belize  
Bermuda  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Canada  
Cayman Islands  
Chile  
Colombia  
Costa Rica  
Cuba  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Ecuador  
El Salvador  
French Guiana  
Grenada  
Guatemala  
Guyana  
Haiti  
Honduras  
Jamaica  
Mexico  
Nicaragua  
Panama

**The Americas (continued)**

Paraguay  
Peru  
Puerto Rico  
Saint Kitts and Nevis  
Saint Lucia  
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines  
Suriname  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Turks and Caicos Islands  
United States  
Uruguay  
Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)

**Asia and Pacific (RBAP)**

Australia  
Bangladesh  
Bhutan  
Brunei Darussalam  
Cambodia  
China  
Dem. People's Rep. of Korea  
Fiji  
Hong Kong SAR, China  
India  
Indonesia  
Japan  
Kiribati  
Lao People's Dem. Rep.  
Macao SAR, China  
Malaysia  
Maldives  
Micronesia (Federated States of)  
Mongolia  
Myanmar  
Nauru  
Nepal  
New Zealand  
Palau  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines  
Rep. of Korea  
Samoa  
Singapore  
Solomon Islands  
Sri Lanka  
Thailand  
Timor-Leste  
Tonga  
Tuvalu  
Vanuatu  
Viet Nam

**Europe (RBE)**

Albania  
Andorra  
Armenia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Belgium  
Bosnia and Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Faeroe Islands  
Finland  
France  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Russian Federation  
San Marino  
Serbia and Montenegro  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
TfYR Macedonia  
Turkey  
Ukraine  
United Kingdom

**D.3 UNHCR regions**

(Source: UNHCR, Global Report 2005, Geneva.)

**West Africa**

Benin  
Burkina Faso  
Cameroon  
Cape Verde  
Côte d'Ivoire  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Guinea  
Guinea-Bissau  
Liberia  
Mali  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Senegal  
Sierra Leone  
Togo

**East and Horn of Africa**

Djibouti  
Eritrea  
Ethiopia  
Kenya  
Somalia  
Sudan  
Uganda

**Central Africa and Great Lakes**

Burundi  
Central African Rep.  
Chad  
Congo  
Dem. Rep. of the Congo  
Equatorial Guinea  
Gabon  
Rwanda  
Sao Tome and Principe  
United Rep. of Tanzania

**Southern Africa**

Angola  
Botswana  
Comoros  
Lesotho  
Madagascar  
Malawi  
Mauritius  
Mozambique  
Namibia  
Seychelles  
South Africa  
Swaziland  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

**North Africa**

Algeria  
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya  
Mauritania  
Morocco  
Tunisia  
Western Sahara

**Central Asia**

Kazakhstan  
Kyrgyzstan  
Tajikistan  
Turkmenistan  
Uzbekistan

**East Asia and the Pacific**

Australia  
Cambodia  
China  
Dem. People's Rep. of Korea  
Fiji  
Hong Kong SAR, China  
Indonesia  
Japan  
Lao People's Dem. Rep.  
Macao SAR, China  
Malaysia  
Mongolia  
New Zealand  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines  
Rep. of Korea  
Singapore  
Solomon Islands  
Thailand  
Timor-Leste  
Viet Nam

**South-West Asia**

Afghanistan  
Islamic Rep. of Iran  
Pakistan

**South Asia**

Bangladesh  
Bhutan  
India  
Maldives  
Myanmar  
Nepal  
Sri Lanka

**The Middle East**

Bahrain  
Egypt  
Iraq  
Israel  
Jordan  
Kuwait  
Lebanon  
Occupied Palestinian Territory  
Oman  
Qatar  
Saudi Arabia  
Syrian Arab Rep.  
United Arab Emirates  
Yemen

**North America and the Caribbean**

Antigua and Barbuda  
Bahamas  
Barbados  
Canada  
Cuba  
Dominica  
Dominican Rep.  
Grenada  
Haiti  
Jamaica  
Saint Kitts and Nevis  
Saint Lucia  
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines  
Trinidad and Tobago  
United States

**Central America and Mexico**

Belize  
Costa Rica  
El Salvador  
Guatemala  
Honduras  
Mexico  
Nicaragua

**Northern South America**

Colombia  
Ecuador  
French Guiana  
Guyana  
Panama  
Peru  
Suriname  
Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)

**Southern South America**

Argentina  
Bolivia  
Brazil  
Chile  
Paraguay  
Uruguay

**Central Europe and the Baltic States**

Bulgaria  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Estonia  
Hungary  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Poland  
Romania  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Turkey

**Eastern Europe**

Armenia  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Georgia  
Moldova  
Russian Federation  
Ukraine

**South-Eastern Europe**

Albania  
Bosnia and Herzegovina  
Croatia  
Serbia and Montenegro  
TfYR Macedonia

**Western Europe**

Austria  
Belgium  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
San Marino  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom

**D.4. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals**

<b>Developed regions</b>	<b>Developing regions</b>	<b>Developing regions (cont.)</b>	<b>Developing regions (cont.)</b>
Albania	<b>Northern Africa</b>	<b>Eastern Asia</b>	<b>Latin America and the Caribbean (cont.)</b>
Andorra	Algeria	China	Costa Rica
Australia	Egypt	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	Cuba
Austria	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	Hong Kong SAR, China	Dominica
Belgium	Morocco	Macao SAR, China	Dominican Republic
Bermuda	Tunisia	Mongolia	Ecuador
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Western Sahara	Rep. of Korea	El Salvador
Bulgaria			Falkland Islands (Malvinas)
Canada	<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>	<b>South Asia</b>	French Guiana
Croatia	Angola	Afghanistan	Grenada
Czech Republic	Benin	Bangladesh	Guadeloupe
Denmark	Botswana	Bhutan	Guatemala
Estonia	Burkina Faso	India	Guyana
Faeroe Islands	Burundi	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Haiti
Finland	Cameroon	Maldives	Honduras
France	Cape Verde	Nepal	Jamaica
Germany	Central African Rep.	Pakistan	Martinique
Greece	Chad	Sri Lanka	Mexico
Hungary	Comoros		Montserrat
Iceland	Congo	<b>Western Asia</b>	Netherlands Antilles
Ireland	Côte d'Ivoire	Bahrain	Nicaragua
Italy	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Cyprus	Panama
Japan	Djibouti	Iraq	Paraguay
Latvia	Equatorial Guinea	Israel	Peru
Liechtenstein	Eritrea	Jordan	Puerto Rico
Lithuania	Ethiopia	Kuwait	Saint Kitts and Nevis
Luxembourg	Gabon	Lebanon	Saint Lucia
Malta	Gambia	Occupied Palestinian Territory	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Monaco	Ghana	Oman	Suriname
Netherlands	Guinea	Qatar	Trinidad and Tobago
New Zealand	Guinea-Bissau	Saudi Arabia	Turks and Caicos Islands
Norway	Kenya	Syrian Arab Republic	Uruguay
Poland	Lesotho	Turkey	US Virgin Islands
Portugal	Liberia	United Arab Emirates	Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)
Romania	Madagascar	Yemen	
San Marino	Malawi		<b>Oceania</b>
Serbia and Montenegro	Mali	<b>South-eastern Asia</b>	American Samoa
Slovakia	Mauritania	Brunei Darussalam	Cook Islands
Slovenia	Mauritius	Cambodia	Fiji
Spain	Mayotte	Indonesia	French Polynesia
Sweden	Mozambique	Lao People's Dem. Rep.	Guam
Switzerland	Namibia	Malaysia	Kiribati
TfYR Macedonia	Niger	Myanmar	Marshall Islands
United Kingdom	Nigeria	Philippines	Micronesia (Federated States of)
United States	Réunion	Singapore	Nauru
	Rwanda	Thailand	New Caledonia
<b>Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)</b>	Sao Tome and Principe	Timor-Leste	Niue
<b>CIS (Asia)</b>	Senegal	Viet Nam	Northern Mariana Islands
Armenia	Seychelles		Palau
Azerbaijan	Sierra Leone	<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	Papua New Guinea
Georgia	Somalia	Anguilla	Samoa
Kazakhstan	South Africa	Antigua and Barbuda	Solomon Islands
Kyrgyzstan	Sudan	Argentina	Tokelau
Tajikistan	Swaziland	Aruba	Tonga
Turkmenistan	Togo	Bahamas	Tuvalu
Uzbekistan	United Rep. of Tanzania	Barbados	Vanuatu
	Uganda	Belize	
<b>CIS (Europe)</b>	Zambia	Bolivia	
Belarus	Zimbabwe	Brazil	
Moldova		British Virgin Islands	
Russian Federation		Cayman Islands	
Ukraine		Chile	
		Colombia	



**D.4. Regional classification - Millennium Development Goals (continued)****Least Developed Countries (LDC)**

Afghanistan  
 Angola  
 Bangladesh  
 Benin  
 Bhutan  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burundi  
 Cambodia  
 Cape Verde  
 Central African Republic  
 Chad  
 Comoros  
 Dem. Rep. of the Congo  
 Djibouti  
 Equatorial Guinea  
 Eritrea  
 Ethiopia  
 Gambia  
 Guinea  
 Guinea Bissau  
 Haiti  
 Kiribati  
 Lao People's Dem. Rep.  
 Lesotho  
 Liberia  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Maldives  
 Mali  
 Mauritania  
 Mozambique  
 Myanmar  
 Nepal  
 Niger  
 Rwanda  
 Samoa  
 Sao Tome and Principe  
 Senegal  
 Sierra Leone  
 Solomon Islands  
 Somalia  
 Sudan  
 Timor-Leste  
 Togo  
 Tuvalu  
 Uganda  
 United Republic of Tanzania  
 Vanuatu  
 Yemen  
 Zambia

**Landlocked Developing Countries (LLDC)**

Afghanistan  
 Armenia  
 Azerbaijan  
 Bhutan  
 Bolivia  
 Botswana  
 Burkina Faso  
 Burundi  
 Central African Republic  
 Chad  
 Ethiopia  
 Kazakhstan  
 Kyrgyzstan  
 Lao People's Dem. Rep.  
 Lesotho  
 Malawi  
 Mali  
 Mongolia  
 Nepal  
 Niger  
 Paraguay  
 Rwanda  
 Swaziland  
 Tajikistan  
 TFR Macedonia  
 Turkmenistan  
 Uganda  
 Uzbekistan  
 Zambia  
 Zimbabwe

**Small Island Developing States (SIDS)**

Antigua and Barbuda  
 Aruba  
 Bahamas  
 Bahrain  
 Barbados  
 Belize  
 Cape Verde  
 Comoros  
 Cook Islands  
 Cuba  
 Cyprus  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Republic  
 Fiji  
 Grenada  
 Guinea-Bissau  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Jamaica  
 Kiribati  
 Maldives  
 Malta  
 Marshall Islands  
 Mauritius  
 Micronesia (Federated States of)  
 Nauru  
 Netherlands Antilles  
 Niue  
 Palau  
 Papua New Guinea  
 Saint Kitts and Nevis  
 Saint Lucia  
 Samoa  
 Sao Tome and Principe  
 Seychelles  
 Singapore  
 Solomon Islands  
 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines  
 Suriname  
 Timor-Leste  
 Tokelau  
 Tonga  
 Trinidad and Tobago  
 Tuvalu  
 US Virgin Islands  
 Vanuatu

**D.5 Industrialized countries****Industrialized countries****All**

Australia  
Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Canada  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Japan  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Netherlands  
New Zealand  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Rep. of Korea  
Romania  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom  
United States

**Industrialized countries (regions)****Europe**

Austria  
Belgium  
Bulgaria  
Cyprus  
Czech Rep.  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
Ireland  
Italy  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Luxembourg  
Malta  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal  
Romania  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Turkey  
United Kingdom

**Central Europe**

Bulgaria  
Czech Rep.  
Hungary  
Poland  
Romania  
Slovakia  
Slovenia

**Industrialized countries (regions)****Western Europe**

Austria  
Belgium  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Liechtenstein  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
Norway  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
United Kingdom

**Southern Europe**

Cyprus  
Greece  
Italy  
Malta  
Portugal  
Spain

**European Union (15)**

Austria  
Belgium  
Denmark  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Ireland  
Italy  
Luxembourg  
Netherlands  
Portugal  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom

**Industrialized countries (regions)****European Union (25)**

Austria  
Belgium  
Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Ireland  
Italy  
Latvia  
Luxembourg  
Lithuania  
Malta  
Netherlands  
Poland  
Portugal  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom

**North America**

Canada  
United States

## D.6 UNHCR country/territory codes

Code	Country/territory name	Code	Country/territory name	Code	Country/territory name
AFG	Afghanistan	GNB	Guinea-Bissau	NRU	Nauru
ALB	Albania	GRE	Greece	NZL	New Zealand
ALG	Algeria	GRN	Grenada	OMN	Oman
AND	Andorra	GUA	Guatemala	PAK	Pakistan
ANG	Angola	GUI	Guinea	PAN	Panama
ANT	Antigua and Barbuda	GUY	Guyana	PAR	Paraguay
ARE	Egypt	HAI	Haiti	PER	Peru
ARG	Argentina	HKG	Hong Kong SAR, China	PHI	Philippines
ARM	Armenia	HON	Honduras	PLW	Palau
AUL	Australia	HRV	Croatia	PNG	Papua New Guinea
AUS	Austria	HUN	Hungary	POL	Poland
AZE	Azerbaijan	ICE	Iceland	POR	Portugal
BAH	Bahrain	ICO	Côte d'Ivoire	PUE	Puerto Rico
BAR	Barbados	IND	India	QAT	Qatar
BDI	Burundi	INS	Indonesia	ROM	Romania
BEL	Belgium	IRE	Ireland	RSA	South Africa
BEN	Benin	IRN	Islamic Rep. of Iran	RUS	Russian Federation
BGD	Bangladesh	IRQ	Iraq	RWA	Rwanda
BHS	Bahamas	ISR	Israel	SAL	El Salvador
BHU	Bhutan	ITA	Italy	SAU	Saudi Arabia
BKF	Burkina Faso	JAM	Jamaica	SEN	Senegal
BLR	Belarus	JOR	Jordan	SEY	Seychelles
BOL	Bolivia	JPN	Japan	SIN	Singapore
BOT	Botswana	KAZ	Kazakhstan	SLE	Sierra Leone
BRA	Brazil	KEN	Kenya	SMA	San Marino
BRU	Brunei Darussalam	KGZ	Kyrgyzstan	SOL	Solomon Islands
BSN	Bosnia and Herzegovina	KIR	Kiribati	SOM	Somalia
BUL	Bulgaria	KOR	Rep. of Korea	SPA	Spain
BZE	Belize	KRN	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	SRV	Viet Nam
CAM	Cambodia	KUW	Kuwait	STK	Saint Kitts and Nevis
CAN	Canada	LAO	Lao People's Dem. Rep.	STP	Sao Tome and Principe
CAR	Central African Republic	LBR	Liberia	SUD	Sudan
CHD	Chad	LBY	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	SUR	Suriname
CHI	China	LCA	Saint Lucia	SVK	Slovakia
CHL	Chile	LEB	Lebanon	SVN	Slovenia
CMR	Cameroon	LES	Lesotho	SWA	Swaziland
COB	Congo	LIE	Liechtenstein	SWE	Sweden
COD	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	LKA	Sri Lanka	SWI	Switzerland
COI	Comoros	LTU	Lithuania	SYR	Syrian Arab Republic
COL	Colombia	LUX	Luxembourg	TAN	United Rep. of Tanzania
COS	Costa Rica	LVA	Latvia	THA	Thailand
CUB	Cuba	MAC	Macao SAR, China	TJK	Tajikistan
CVI	Cape Verde	MAD	Madagascar	TKM	Turkmenistan
CYP	Cyprus	MAU	Mauritania	TMP	Timor-Leste
CZE	Czech Republic	MCD	TfYR of Macedonia	TOG	Togo
DEN	Denmark	MCO	Monaco	TON	Tonga
DJB	Djibouti	MDA	Moldova	TRT	Trinidad and Tobago
DMA	Dominica	MDV	Maldives (the)	TUN	Tunisia
DOM	Dominican Republic	MEX	Mexico	TUR	Turkey
ECU	Ecuador	MLI	Mali	TUV	Tuvalu
EGU	Equatorial Guinea	MLS	Malaysia	UAE	United Arab Emirates
ERT	Eritrea	MLW	Malawi	UGA	Uganda
EST	Estonia	MNG	Mongolia	UKR	Ukraine
ETH	Ethiopia	MOR	Morocco	URU	Uruguay
FIJ	Fiji	MOZ	Mozambique	USA	United States
FIN	Finland	MTA	Malta	UZB	Uzbekistan
FPO	French Polynesia	MTS	Mauritius	VAN	Vanuatu
FRA	France	MYA	Myanmar	VCT	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
GAB	Gabon	NAM	Namibia	VEN	Venezuela (Boliv. Rep. of)
GAM	Gambia	NEP	Nepal	WES	Samoa
GAZ	Occupied Palestinian Territory	NET	Netherlands	WSH	Western Sahara
GBR	United Kingdom	NGR	Niger	YEM	Yemen
GEO	Georgia	NIC	Nicaragua	YUG	Serbia and Montenegro
GFR	Germany	NIG	Nigeria	ZAM	Zambia
GHA	Ghana	NOR	Norway	ZIM	Zimbabwe
		VAR	Various	STA	Stateless