

## ITALY

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

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

## 1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Refugees*	64,711	66,620	5,473	6,024	6,849	8,571	10,060	12,841	15,674	20,675
Asylum-seekers	-	-	-	-	113	-	-	-	-	-
Returned refugees**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	886	886
Others of concern	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Total</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>66,620</b>	<b>5,473</b>	<b>6,024</b>	<b>6,962</b>	<b>8,571</b>	<b>10,060</b>	<b>12,841</b>	<b>16,560</b>	<b>21,561</b>

\* UNHCR estimate. \*\* Based on country of asylum and origin reports.

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>Arrivals</b>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	172	348	1,026	1,669	1,649	2,666	1,825	2,907	3,131	5,282
Resettlement	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Durable solutions</b>										
Voluntary repatriation**	463	100	167	3,929	331	60	151	49	40	54
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Naturalization	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

Category	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	Responsibility (2005): Government				2005
							2002	2003	2004	2005	
New applications	675	1,858	11,122	33,364	15,564	9,620	16,015	13,455	9,722	9,548	
1951 Convention status	172	348	1,026	809	1,649	2,102	1,121	726	780	907	
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	860	-	564	704	2,181	2,351	4,375	

## 4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<b>Refugees</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	2.2	2.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	214.9	221.2	18.2	20.0	22.7	28.5	33.4	42.6	52.1	68.7
<b>Total population of concern to UNHCR</b>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	2.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4
Per 1,000 km <sup>2</sup>	..	221.2	18.2	20.0	23.1	28.5	33.4	42.6	55.0	71.6

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

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

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

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

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

## 2. Population of concern--location\*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-
Dispersed/various	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-

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

## 3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	9,640
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	11,035
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,675</b>
1951 Convention	47%

\* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

## 4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	20,675
Other/unknown	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,675</b>
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

## C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN ITALY -- MAIN ORIGIN

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

Origin*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Eritrea	-	1	1	3	16	40	94	177	785	2,705
Serbia and Montenegro	21,864	22,602	173	1,101	1,101	1,942	2,227	2,230	2,302	2,475
Turkey	50	64	387	533	755	1,122	1,303	1,374	1,407	1,473
Iraq	502	439	627	773	923	1,138	1,281	1,282	1,334	1,354
Ethiopia	481	401	309	205	201	259	284	333	478	1,065

\* UNHCR estimates

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

Origin	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Serbia and Montenegro	15	21	4,557	4,851	2,417	1,526	1,769	1,510	1,991	1,704
Eritrea	-	-	-	13	33	276	927	1,230	831	1,313
Sudan	34	32	21	10	40	97	867	641	486	637
Côte d'Ivoire	-	-	-	-	6	14	93	348	183	586
Ethiopia	75	40	52	73	68	156	209	245	333	547

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

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

Asylum country*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	191	179	180	204
Other	112	112	79	52	48	34	33	28	12	13
Total	112	112	79	52	48	34	224	207	192	217

\* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

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

Asylum country	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	12	19	21	21	38	31	54	43	26	21
Total	12	19	21	21	38	31	54	43	26	21

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

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total	Location name	Type*	Total

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

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## F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR ITALY

