

GEORGIA

1951 Convention:	State party	Region (MDGs):	Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS)
1967 Protocol:	State party	Sub-region (MDGs):	Commonwealth of Independent States (Asia)
United Nations:	Asia	Other UN country groupings:	Not applicable
Bureau (UNHCR):	Europe		
Region (UNHCR):	Eastern Europe		

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

1. Population of concern to UNHCR, end of year

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Refugees*	-	-	100	95	162	20	5,180	7,620	7,901	4,192
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned refugees***	-	1,001	4,500	-	-	1,495	270	81	60	68
Internally displaced	260,000	280,000	272,359	272,359	273,386	277,006	278,533	272,101	264,221	261,583
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	-	-	588	284	-	-
Various/others	..	..	..	..	-	-	110	100	32	32
Total	..	..	..	..	273,548	278,521	284,681	280,186	272,214	265,875

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

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

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Arrivals</i>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	11	-	5,161	2,440	287	-
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Durable solutions</i>										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	311	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7
Naturalization	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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

Category	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
New applications	-	-	-	-	-	24	9	-	-	-
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Responsibility (2002): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<i>Refugees</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	8.1	11.9	12.3	6.5
Per 1,000 inhabitants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.5	1.5	0.8
Per 1,000 km ²	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.4	2.3	0.3	74.2	109.1	113.2	60.0
<i>Total population of concern to UNHCR</i>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	..	426.1	433.8	443.4	436.4	424.0	414.1
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	..	52.8	53.8	55.0	54.1	52.6	51.4
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	..	3,918.0	3,989.2	4,077.5	4,013.1	3,898.9	3,808.1

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

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

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

Sex	<5	5-17	18-59	60+>	Various	Total	<5 (%)	5-17 (%)	18-59 (%)	60+> (%)	F/M (%)
Female	6,383	30,016	79,047	25,482	289	141,217	5%	21%	56%	18%	55%
Male	6,992	29,828	61,178	15,823	274	114,095	6%	26%	54%	14%	45%
Total	13,375	59,844	140,225	41,305	563	255,312	5%	23%	55%	16%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	121,860
Dispersed/various	144,015
Total	265,875
Camps/centers	0%
Urban	46%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	4,192
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	-
Total	4,192
1951 Convention	100%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	4,174
Individually recognized	18
Other/unknown	-
Total	4,192
Prima facie (group)	100%
Individually recognized	0%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN GEORGIA -- MAIN ORIGIN

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

Origin*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Russian Federation	-	-	-	-	5	5	5,163	7,603	7,884	4,176

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

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

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

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM GEORGIA -- MAIN COUNTRIES OF ASYLUM

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

Asylum country*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Russian Federation	-	-	-	47,762	46,195	34,314	27,993	19,560	14,832	11,368
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,644
United States	-	-	84	185	261	354	598	753	889	967
Netherlands	10	37	85	323	433	518	588	637	669	702
France	-	-	43	56	81	116	163	229	339	416
Other	6,002	5,080	96	163	194	367	536	642	717	887
Total	6,012	5,117	308	48,489	47,164	35,669	29,878	21,821	17,446	16,984

* UNHCR estimates for most industrialized countries.

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

Asylum country	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	25	33	34	597	1,921
France	13	33	22	74	110	127	184	373	1,067	1,554
Germany	1,470	897	2,421	2,441	3,328	1,979	1,096	801	1,220	1,531
Switzerland	10	-	-	57	300	813	323	179	273	687
Czech Rep.	15	27	7	14	2	34	17	103	1,290	678
Other	275	1,549	727	559	740	1,244	2,025	2,508	1,894	1,986
Total	1,783	2,506	3,177	3,145	4,480	4,222	3,678	3,998	6,341	8,357

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

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Samegrelo	RUR	96,390
Tbilisi	URB	92,640
Imereti	RUR	16,520
Kutaisi	URB	14,560
Various	RUR	11,030

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

Location name	Type*	Total
Kartli	RUR	9,900
Poti	URB	7,480
Kvemo Kartli	RUR	6,650
Rustavi	URB	4,050
Duisi	RUR	2,720

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

F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR GEORGIA

