

REP. OF MOLDOVA

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

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*	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	68	159	173
Asylum-seekers**	-	-	-	-	-	150	223	198	113	87
Returned refugees***	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	1,278	1,278	8,080	8,080	1,000	1,000
Returned IDPs	-	-	-	-	-	-
Various/others	-	-	-	-	3	2
Total	1,278	1,428	8,311	8,346	1,275	1,262

* 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
<u>Arrivals</u>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	116	17
Individually recognized*	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	61	144	45
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Durable solutions</u>										
Voluntary repatriation**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	7
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	9
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	-	-	-	-	-	133	283	335	251	105
1951 Convention status	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	61	144	45
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
<u>Refugees</u>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.5
Per 1,000 inhabitants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Per 1,000 km ²	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	2.0	4.7	5.1
<u>Total population of concern to UNHCR</u>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	..	..	..	3.4	3.8	21.9	22.0	3.4	3.3
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	..	..	..	0.3	0.3	1.9	2.0	0.3	0.3
Per 1,000 km ²	..	..	..	..	37.9	42.4	246.6	247.6	37.8	37.4

* 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	20	36	50	5	500	611	18%	32%	45%	5%	48%
Male	19	24	102	4	500	649	13%	16%	68%	3%	52%
Total	39	60	152	9	1,000	1,260	15%	23%	58%	3%	100%

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	260
Dispersed/numerous	1,002
Total	1,262
Camps/centers	0%
Urban	21%

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	-
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	173
Other/unknown*	-
Total	173
1951 Convention	0%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	132
Individually recognized	41
Other/unknown	-
Total	173
Prima facie (group)	76%
Individually recognized	24%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN REP. OF MOLDOVA -- 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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	136	154

* 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
Data not available	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM REP. OF MOLDOVA -- 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
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,370
United States	-	-	15	40	-	78	1,100	2,128	3,194	4,213
Canada	-	445	499	570	609	429	223	234	252	141
France	-	-	1	3	-	21	36	52	86	100
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18	79
Other	13	14	5,216	4,532	2,226	1,048	242	187	202	-
Total	458	529	5,829	5,141	2,754	2,407	2,657	3,737	10,105	-

* 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
France	-	8	20	71	105	213	917	988	808	1,033
United Kingdom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	820
Austria	-	-	-	-	7	22	43	106	166	819
Czech Rep.	2	9	7	8	30	33	125	784	2,459	724
Ireland	17	-	7	8	43	32	275	388	549	536
Other	1,205	956	1,285	1,593	1,223	825	1,336	1,467	1,267	1,761
Total	1,224	973	1,319	1,680	1,408	1,125	2,696	3,733	5,249	5,693

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

Data generally not available for industrialized countries

Location name	Type*	Total
Various	RUR	1,000
Various	URB	260

Location name	Type*	Total
Gender	Gender	100
Gender and age	Gender and age	21

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

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F. HOST COUNTRY INDICATORS FOR REP. OF MOLDOVA

