

AUSTRIA

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*	89,116	84,394	80,300	82,081	15,492	14,390	14,130	16,109	17,795	21,230
Asylum-seekers	-	2,512	5,500	11,084	9,945	15,187	29,494	33,564	38,262	40,710
Returned refugees**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internally displaced	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Returned IDPs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stateless persons	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	524	500
Others of concern	..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	..	86,906	85,800	93,165	25,437	29,577	43,624	49,673	56,581	62,440

* 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
<u>Arrivals</u>										
Prima facie/group basis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Individually recognized*	716	639	500	5,027	1,002	1,152	1,073	2,084	6,202	5,422
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Durable solutions</u>										
Voluntary repatriation**	4,000	4,000	794	4,117	1,643	516	1,035	778	230	330
Resettlement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Naturalization	627	432	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* 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	2002	2003	2004	2005
New applications	6,991	6,719	13,805	20,096	18,284	30,135	39,354	32,359	24,634	22,461
1951 Convention status	716	639	500	3,434	1,002	1,152	1,073	2,084	5,208	4,650
Allowed/humanitarian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	994	772

Responsibility (2005): Government

4. Indicators of host country capacity and contributions

Indicator*	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<u>Refugees</u>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6
Per 1,000 inhabitants	10.9	10.3	9.8	10.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.6
Per 1,000 km ²	1,064.7	1,008.3	959.4	980.7	185.1	171.9	168.8	192.5	212.6	253.6
<u>Total population of concern to UNHCR</u>										
Per 1 USD GDP/capita	..	2.4	2.4	2.6	0.7	0.8	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.7
Per 1,000 inhabitants	..	10.6	10.5	11.4	3.1	3.6	5.3	6.1	6.9	7.6
Per 1,000 km ²	..	1,038.3	1,025.1	1,113.1	303.9	353.4	521.2	593.5	676.0	746.0

* 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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

2. Population of concern--location*

Type	Total
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-
Dispersed/various	-
Total	-
Camps/centers	-
Urban	-

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

3. Refugee population--legal basis

Type	Total
1951 UN Convention	20,458
1969 OAU Convention	-
UNHCR Mandate	-
Other/unknown*	772
Total	21,230
1951 Convention	96%

* Including allowed to remain for humanitarian reasons.

4. Refugee population--recognition

Type	Total
Prima facie (group)	-
Individually recognized	21,230
Other/unknown	-
Total	21,230
Prima facie (group)	0%
Individually recognized	100%

C. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS IN AUSTRIA -- 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
Russian Federation	-	-	180	182	201	186	150	911	4,152	6,438
Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	705	5,237	3,931	4,099	4,138	4,265	4,715	5,091
Afghanistan	-	-	322	401	679	1,049	1,270	1,595	2,482	2,991
Islamic Rep. of Iran	-	-	1,561	1,533	1,480	1,251	1,076	1,112	1,445	1,589
Iraq	-	-	1,820	1,851	1,902	1,769	1,151	1,141	1,429	1,224

* 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	1,025	1,084	6,647	6,834	1,486	1,637	4,723	2,526	2,835	4,403
Russian Federation	102	37	59	120	291	366	2,221	6,709	6,172	4,355
India	201	253	472	874	2,441	1,802	3,366	2,822	1,839	1,530
Moldova	-	7	22	43	106	166	819	1,178	1,346	1,210
Turkey	477	340	210	335	592	1,868	3,561	2,854	1,114	1,064

D. REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS FROM AUSTRIA -- 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	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	53	44	62
Other	52	55	60	48	35	29	18	13	3	4
Total	52	55	60	48	35	29	72	66	47	66

* 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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	11	-	-	20	-	-	-

E. POPULATION OF CONCERN IN AUSTRIA -- 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 AUSTRIA

