

Annex 9: Rejections at first instance in the EU+ by EU+ country and main citizenship, 2014-2018

	2018								
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	% chg. on last year	Share in EU+	Highest share	Sparkline
<b>Reporting country</b>						<b>Citizenship</b>			
Germany	56 715	108 370	197 180	262 565	<b>103 175</b>	↓ - 61	28%	Iraq (10%)	
France	53 685	57 280	58 730	78 380	<b>82 325</b>	↔ +5	22%	Albania (10%)	
Italy	14 600	41 730	54 470	46 440	<b>64 540</b>	↔ +39	18%	Nigeria (23%)	
Sweden	9 255	16 210	29 185	34 285	<b>20 690</b>	↘ -40	5.6%	Afghanistan (24%)	
Austria	2 230	6 050	12 045	19 960	<b>19 500</b>	↔ -2	5.3%	Afghanistan (42%)	
United Kingdom	15 695	24 115	20 980	19 270	<b>18 765</b>	↔ -3	5.1%	Iraq (12%)	
Greece	11 335	5 610	8 740	14 055	<b>17 130</b>	↔ +22	4.7%	Pakistan (36%)	
Belgium	12 290	8 945	9 915	11 460	<b>9 340</b>	↘ -18	2.5%	Afghanistan (20%)	
Spain	2 035	2 220	3 395	7 965	<b>8 980</b>	↔ +13	2.4%	Ukraine (29%)	
Netherlands	6 240	4 015	8 065	8 135	<b>6 665</b>	↘ -18	1.8%	Albania (8%)	
Poland	1 980	2 870	2 185	2 090	<b>2 360</b>	↔ +13	0.6%	Russia (57%)	
Finland	1 070	1 280	13 685	3 745	<b>2 035</b>	↘ -46	0.6%	Iraq (48%)	
Switzerland	6 390	7 840	9 395	1 610	<b>1 775</b>	↔ +10	0.5%	Eritrea (17%)	
Bulgaria	430	580	1 700	3 045	<b>1 370</b>	↘ -55	0.4%	Afghanistan (52%)	
Denmark	2 580	2 305	3 285	4 510	<b>1 315</b>	↘ -70.8	0.4%	Georgia (14%)	
Cyprus	310	480	675	1 205	<b>1 265</b>	↔ +5	0.3%	India (21%)	
Czech Republic	625	875	860	1 045	<b>1 230</b>	↔ +18	0.3%	Ukraine (26%)	
Malta	475	240	245	345	<b>855</b>	↗ +148	0.2%	Somalia (38%)	
Romania	845	840	490	820	<b>700</b>	↘ -14.6	0.2%	Iraq (38%)	
Norway	2 735	3 225	6 535	1 935	<b>655</b>	↘ -66	0.2%	Iran (10%)	
Hungary	4 935	2 915	4 675	2 880	<b>590</b>	↘ -80	0.2%	Iraq (43%)	
Portugal	115	180	270	455	<b>415</b>	↘ -9	0.1%	Congo (DR) (24%)	
Luxembourg	765	590	485	590	<b>390</b>	↘ -34	0.1%	Georgia (18%)	
Croatia	210	145	185	325	<b>300</b>	↘ -8	0.1%	Afghanistan (20%)	
Iceland	25	135	445	315	<b>275</b>	↘ -13	0.1%	Georgia (22%)	
Ireland	660	665	1 645	125	<b>170</b>	↔ +36	0.0%	Georgia (18%)	
Slovenia	50	85	95	90	<b>135</b>	↔ +50	0.0%	Algeria (48%)	
Lithuania	110	95	85	85	<b>135</b>	↔ +59	0.0%	Belarus (19%)	
Latvia	70	145	125	95	<b>95</b>	↔ +0	0.0%	Russia (21%)	
Estonia	35	100	60	60	<b>55</b>	↘ -8	0.0%	Russia (18%)	
Slovakia	110	50	45	30	<b>40</b>	↔ +33	0.0%	Vietnam (25%)	
Liechtenstein	10	25	35	15	<b>30</b>	↗ +100	0.0%	Serbia (50%)	
<b>Citizenship</b>						<b>Reporting country</b>			
Afghanistan	7 210	7 480	48 605	95 000	<b>31 105</b>	↘ -67	8%	Germany (29%)	
Nigeria	7 865	14 395	21 300	31 350	<b>27 585</b>	↘ -12	7.5%	Italy (55%)	
Iraq	3 320	4 095	38 565	43 230	<b>24 600</b>	↘ -43	6.7%	Germany (42%)	
Pakistan	11 850	14 150	27 135	35 010	<b>23 330</b>	↘ -33	6.4%	Italy (31%)	
Albania	12 610	41 025	41 895	27 735	<b>17 005</b>	↘ -39	4.6%	France (49%)	
Bangladesh	6 795	9 465	11 715	13 190	<b>14 975</b>	↔ +14	4.1%	Italy (51%)	
Georgia	6 135	5 375	6 445	8 685	<b>13 700</b>	↔ +58	3.7%	France (37%)	
Iran	3 630	3 040	9 920	18 515	<b>12 045</b>	↘ -35	3.3%	Germany (49%)	
Russia	9 860	10 275	13 675	17 170	<b>11 280</b>	↘ -34	3.1%	Germany (46%)	
Guinea	3 435	4 025	4 845	10 045	<b>10 470</b>	↔ +4	2.9%	France (39%)	
Côte d'Ivoire	1 770	2 735	4 245	6 525	<b>9 290</b>	↔ +42	2.5%	France (45%)	
Syria	3 780	5 565	8 440	8 450	<b>8 965</b>	↔ +6	2.4%	Germany (68%)	
Gambia, The	3 110	6 725	7 635	10 765	<b>8 245</b>	↘ -23	2.2%	Italy (56%)	
Ukraine	2 495	6 890	8 895	10 575	<b>7 940</b>	↘ -25	2.2%	Spain (33%)	
Turkey	3 715	2 640	2 855	9 815	<b>7 920</b>	↘ -19	2.2%	Germany (57%)	
Other	121 045	162 345	193 740	181 875	<b>138 855</b>	↘ -24	38%	France (31%)	
<b>EU+</b>	<b>208 625</b>	<b>300 225</b>	<b>449 910</b>	<b>527 935</b>	<b>367 310</b>	↘ -30		<b>Afghanistan (8%)</b>	