



# »»» LUXEMBOURG 2020 Asylum Trends

	2018	2019	2020	2020		
				% change from 2019	Share of EU+ (Rank)	Top country of origin (proportion)
<b>Asylum applicants</b>	2 335	2 270	<b>1 345</b>	-41%	0.3% (22 <sup>nd</sup> )	Syria (27%)
<b>Pending cases</b> at end of year	1 525	1 790	<b>1 890</b>	+6%	0.2% (18 <sup>th</sup> )	Syria (19%)
Applications by <b>unaccompanied minors</b>	35	35	<b>50</b>	+43%	0.4% (20 <sup>th</sup> )	Afghanistan (40%)
<b>Decisions</b> at first instance	1 410	1 180	<b>1 165</b>	-1%	0.2% (19 <sup>th</sup> )	Eritrea (36%)
<b>Refugee status</b> granted at first instance	950	635	<b>720</b>	+13%	0.6% (13 <sup>th</sup> )	Eritrea (58%)
<b>Subsidiary protection</b> at first instance	60	35	<b>30</b>	-14%	0.1% (23 <sup>rd</sup> )	Venezuela (33%)
<b>Humanitarian protection</b> granted at first instance	No data	No data	<b>No data</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Rejections</b> at first instance	400	510	<b>415</b>	-19%	0.1% (20 <sup>th</sup> )	Afghanistan (20%)
<b>Resettled persons</b> from third countries	0	35	<b>15</b>	-57%	0.1% (13 <sup>th</sup> )	Somalia (67%)

**Recognition Rate 64%**

- EU+ includes EU27, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland.
- Data accurate as at 28 April 2021.
- Recognition rates present the percentage of positive decisions (including authorisations to stay under national law for humanitarian reasons) out of all decisions at first instance.