

First-Time Students, by year of student first visa/permit decision.

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Data for period: Date first student visa approved between 1 July 2009 and 31 August 2019

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| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | Number of Clients | +/- Previous Financial Year |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| 2009/10 | 38,338 | . |
| 2010/11 | 38,557 | 219 |
| 2011/12 | 34,413 | -4,144 |
| 2012/13 | 31,418 | -2,995 |
| 2013/14 | 39,125 | 7,707 |
| 2014/15 | 47,937 | 8,812 |
| 2015/16 | 49,743 | 1,806 |
| 2016/17 | 48,134 | -1,609 |
| 2017/18 | 46,656 | -1,478 |
| 2018/19 | 46,270 | -386 |
| 2019/20 to date | 8,538 | -37,732 |
| Total | 429,129 | . |

First-Time Students, by nationality and financial year/month of first student visa/permit decision.

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| | | Nationality Top 10 | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|----------------|---------------------|-------|-------|-------------|--------------------------|-------|-------------|---------|--------|--------------|----------|--------|
| | | Other nationalities | India | China | South Korea | United States of America | Japan | Philippines | Germany | Brazil | South Africa | Thailand | |
| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2009/10 | 2009-07 | 1,274 | 546 | 469 | 368 | 99 | 123 | 95 | 263 | 278 | 99 | 89 | 3,703 |
| | 2009-08 | 752 | 423 | 494 | 397 | 26 | 110 | 88 | 64 | 30 | 52 | 55 | 2,491 |
| | 2009-09 | 892 | 342 | 485 | 591 | 35 | 81 | 83 | 68 | 40 | 41 | 90 | 2,748 |
| | 2009-10 | 692 | 289 | 356 | 374 | 45 | 35 | 62 | 69 | 27 | 55 | 34 | 2,038 |
| | 2009-11 | 843 | 288 | 452 | 279 | 141 | 108 | 69 | 271 | 33 | 47 | 73 | 2,604 |
| | 2009-12 | 1,204 | 600 | 476 | 360 | 449 | 665 | 73 | 402 | 54 | 32 | 92 | 4,407 |
| | 2010-01 | 1,393 | 666 | 327 | 318 | 636 | 161 | 67 | 191 | 219 | 40 | 102 | 4,120 |
| | 2010-02 | 1,186 | 682 | 290 | 565 | 167 | 202 | 70 | 123 | 129 | 62 | 131 | 3,607 |
| | 2010-03 | 682 | 424 | 248 | 504 | 47 | 303 | 71 | 121 | 50 | 49 | 230 | 2,729 |
| | 2010-04 | 595 | 346 | 306 | 296 | 94 | 79 | 77 | 143 | 43 | 39 | 67 | 2,085 |
| | 2010-05 | 763 | 504 | 451 | 354 | 229 | 129 | 108 | 390 | 32 | 34 | 72 | 3,066 |
| | 2010-06 | 1,330 | 763 | 555 | 393 | 449 | 164 | 111 | 737 | 99 | 49 | 90 | 4,740 |
| | Total | 11,606 | 5,873 | 4,909 | 4,799 | 2,417 | 2,160 | 974 | 2,842 | 1,034 | 599 | 1,125 | 38,338 |
| 2010/11 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2010-07 | 1,516 | 779 | 712 | 490 | 112 | 194 | 150 | 175 | 217 | 34 | 106 | 4,485 |
| | 2010-08 | 786 | 746 | 467 | 334 | 46 | 131 | 108 | 75 | 35 | 36 | 65 | 2,829 |
| | 2010-09 | 701 | 634 | 478 | 255 | 22 | 61 | 103 | 45 | 27 | 33 | 51 | 2,410 |
| | 2010-10 | 574 | 496 | 329 | 186 | 44 | 32 | 82 | 19 | 21 | 39 | 27 | 1,849 |
| | 2010-11 | 916 | 537 | 581 | 355 | 131 | 147 | 121 | 241 | 39 | 35 | 57 | 3,160 |
| | 2010-12 | 1,086 | 495 | 531 | 263 | 379 | 395 | 84 | 278 | 74 | 39 | 75 | 3,699 |
| | 2011-01 | 1,576 | 669 | 552 | 281 | 646 | 115 | 107 | 310 | 235 | 24 | 129 | 4,644 |
| | 2011-02 | 1,067 | 759 | 371 | 439 | 174 | 187 | 98 | 82 | 64 | 40 | 82 | 3,363 |
| | 2011-03 | 822 | 503 | 441 | 485 | 60 | 289 | 62 | 103 | 61 | 51 | 113 | 2,990 |
| | 2011-04 | 558 | 322 | 433 | 301 | 86 | 147 | 76 | 69 | 34 | 36 | 78 | 2,140 |
| | 2011-05 | 821 | 410 | 501 | 240 | 302 | 70 | 142 | 208 | 45 | 44 | 72 | 2,855 |
| 2011-06 | 1,234 | 535 | 655 | 259 | 410 | 121 | 159 | 574 | 73 | 49 | 64 | 4,133 | |
| | Total | 11,657 | 6,885 | 6,051 | 3,888 | 2,412 | 1,889 | 1,292 | 2,179 | 925 | 460 | 919 | 38,557 |
| 2011/12 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2011-07 | 920 | 606 | 544 | 245 | 65 | 134 | 135 | 185 | 190 | 32 | 69 | 3,125 |
| | 2011-08 | 713 | 430 | 543 | 228 | 45 | 139 | 89 | 40 | 39 | 28 | 54 | 2,348 |
| | 2011-09 | 713 | 392 | 639 | 236 | 33 | 93 | 84 | 35 | 24 | 31 | 45 | 2,325 |
| | 2011-10 | 605 | 262 | 542 | 163 | 21 | 40 | 78 | 56 | 23 | 29 | 32 | 1,851 |
| | 2011-11 | 799 | 480 | 557 | 134 | 126 | 208 | 85 | 126 | 22 | 27 | 34 | 2,598 |
| | 2011-12 | 953 | 464 | 666 | 189 | 430 | 372 | 120 | 181 | 67 | 22 | 47 | 3,511 |
| | 2012-01 | 1,406 | 719 | 428 | 256 | 592 | 95 | 173 | 263 | 170 | 33 | 89 | 4,224 |
| | 2012-02 | 992 | 638 | 480 | 365 | 123 | 197 | 122 | 57 | 62 | 43 | 64 | 3,143 |
| | 2012-03 | 730 | 492 | 508 | 370 | 42 | 369 | 179 | 73 | 50 | 46 | 102 | 2,961 |
| | 2012-04 | 521 | 341 | 377 | 197 | 76 | 110 | 54 | 129 | 33 | 28 | 61 | 1,927 |
| | 2012-05 | 859 | 350 | 620 | 221 | 313 | 107 | 67 | 344 | 48 | 39 | 70 | 3,038 |
| | 2012-06 | 1,098 | 373 | 603 | 121 | 326 | 121 | 79 | 433 | 107 | 27 | 74 | 3,362 |
| | Total | 10,309 | 5,547 | 6,507 | 2,725 | 2,192 | 1,985 | 1,265 | 1,922 | 835 | 385 | 741 | 34,413 |

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| | | Other nationalities | India | China | South Korea | United States of America | Japan | Philippines | Germany | Brazil | South Africa | Thailand | | |
| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012/13 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2012-07 | 789 | 387 | 490 | 160 | 72 | 152 | 59 | 74 | 78 | 31 | 46 | 2,338 | |
| | 2012-08 | 680 | 376 | 615 | 156 | 49 | 96 | 58 | 40 | 26 | 28 | 51 | 2,175 | |
| | 2012-09 | 592 | 380 | 452 | 132 | 34 | 44 | 53 | 29 | 25 | 32 | 30 | 1,803 | |
| | 2012-10 | 576 | 332 | 432 | 181 | 37 | 45 | 67 | 74 | 29 | 29 | 35 | 1,837 | |
| | 2012-11 | 726 | 363 | 472 | 168 | 108 | 257 | 91 | 206 | 21 | 44 | 52 | 2,508 | |
| | 2012-12 | 845 | 316 | 565 | 175 | 275 | 409 | 52 | 245 | 64 | 24 | 60 | 3,030 | |
| | 2013-01 | 1,340 | 660 | 547 | 186 | 564 | 131 | 81 | 160 | 464 | 24 | 92 | 4,249 | |
| | 2013-02 | 894 | 651 | 352 | 195 | 157 | 203 | 73 | 37 | 36 | 29 | 74 | 2,701 | |
| | 2013-03 | 594 | 354 | 362 | 221 | 51 | 230 | 61 | 62 | 27 | 23 | 108 | 2,093 | |
| | 2013-04 | 495 | 507 | 300 | 185 | 72 | 115 | 83 | 108 | 18 | 37 | 118 | 2,038 | |
| | 2013-05 | 921 | 351 | 604 | 228 | 378 | 105 | 80 | 209 | 41 | 59 | 78 | 3,054 | |
| | 2013-06 | 1,149 | 378 | 688 | 141 | 374 | 133 | 77 | 470 | 84 | 26 | 72 | 3,592 | |
| | Total | | 9,601 | 5,055 | 5,879 | 2,128 | 2,171 | 1,920 | 835 | 1,714 | 913 | 386 | 816 | 31,418 |
| 2013/14 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2013-07 | 888 | 492 | 640 | 148 | 74 | 172 | 122 | 72 | 72 | 53 | 91 | 2,824 | |
| | 2013-08 | 590 | 393 | 622 | 141 | 60 | 97 | 81 | 32 | 25 | 23 | 41 | 2,105 | |
| | 2013-09 | 507 | 387 | 565 | 130 | 18 | 51 | 84 | 41 | 21 | 24 | 39 | 1,867 | |
| | 2013-10 | 596 | 535 | 530 | 157 | 54 | 70 | 113 | 85 | 26 | 52 | 49 | 2,267 | |
| | 2013-11 | 713 | 512 | 510 | 171 | 117 | 314 | 87 | 188 | 23 | 60 | 50 | 2,745 | |
| | 2013-12 | 1,103 | 478 | 773 | 147 | 349 | 349 | 97 | 298 | 95 | 38 | 79 | 3,806 | |
| | 2014-01 | 1,425 | 1,104 | 780 | 197 | 516 | 156 | 127 | 110 | 362 | 48 | 91 | 4,916 | |
| | 2014-02 | 914 | 1,006 | 388 | 242 | 107 | 237 | 131 | 29 | 68 | 40 | 165 | 3,327 | |
| | 2014-03 | 706 | 895 | 486 | 236 | 39 | 253 | 152 | 77 | 73 | 36 | 169 | 3,122 | |
| | 2014-04 | 676 | 809 | 529 | 165 | 54 | 121 | 105 | 120 | 67 | 46 | 162 | 2,854 | |
| | 2014-05 | 1,045 | 987 | 727 | 182 | 465 | 83 | 147 | 269 | 68 | 41 | 97 | 4,111 | |
| | 2014-06 | 1,492 | 1,234 | 907 | 141 | 335 | 124 | 173 | 442 | 178 | 59 | 96 | 5,181 | |
| | Total | | 10,655 | 8,832 | 7,457 | 2,057 | 2,188 | 2,027 | 1,419 | 1,763 | 1,078 | 520 | 1,129 | 39,125 |
| 2014/15 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2014-07 | 1,014 | 1,474 | 888 | 142 | 88 | 216 | 167 | 42 | 275 | 69 | 113 | 4,488 | |
| | 2014-08 | 786 | 931 | 756 | 158 | 40 | 97 | 126 | 29 | 81 | 38 | 57 | 3,099 | |
| | 2014-09 | 819 | 1,118 | 767 | 182 | 27 | 75 | 150 | 55 | 59 | 34 | 47 | 3,333 | |
| | 2014-10 | 713 | 1,039 | 511 | 134 | 69 | 59 | 191 | 89 | 59 | 45 | 49 | 2,958 | |
| | 2014-11 | 884 | 946 | 684 | 202 | 124 | 244 | 183 | 156 | 55 | 37 | 33 | 3,548 | |
| | 2014-12 | 1,114 | 1,142 | 905 | 186 | 292 | 414 | 129 | 288 | 73 | 43 | 78 | 4,664 | |
| | 2015-01 | 1,450 | 1,756 | 815 | 200 | 771 | 204 | 161 | 95 | 304 | 47 | 93 | 5,896 | |
| | 2015-02 | 1,004 | 1,314 | 503 | 230 | 133 | 174 | 221 | 51 | 131 | 56 | 165 | 3,982 | |
| | 2015-03 | 755 | 620 | 544 | 207 | 36 | 340 | 257 | 69 | 90 | 69 | 145 | 3,132 | |
| | 2015-04 | 718 | 656 | 672 | 133 | 87 | 106 | 201 | 90 | 86 | 49 | 77 | 2,875 | |
| 2015-05 | 1,127 | 919 | 823 | 192 | 475 | 78 | 275 | 164 | 97 | 54 | 88 | 4,292 | | |

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| | | Other nationalities | India | China | South Korea | United States of America | Japan | Philippines | Germany | Brazil | South Africa | Thailand | |
| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2014/15 | 2015-06 | 1,458 | 1,333 | 1,051 | 208 | 345 | 133 | 312 | 455 | 203 | 64 | 108 | 5,670 |
| | Total | 11,842 | 13,248 | 8,919 | 2,174 | 2,487 | 2,140 | 2,373 | 1,583 | 1,513 | 605 | 1,053 | 47,937 |
| 2015/16 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2015-07 | 990 | 1,707 | 1,100 | 154 | 69 | 184 | 321 | 66 | 213 | 57 | 99 | 4,960 |
| | 2015-08 | 724 | 1,093 | 856 | 166 | 48 | 171 | 223 | 22 | 78 | 56 | 52 | 3,489 |
| | 2015-09 | 862 | 1,330 | 790 | 181 | 50 | 57 | 456 | 48 | 115 | 92 | 69 | 4,050 |
| | 2015-10 | 852 | 1,009 | 689 | 158 | 57 | 65 | 528 | 78 | 94 | 70 | 36 | 3,636 |
| | 2015-11 | 961 | 808 | 789 | 177 | 206 | 185 | 185 | 140 | 116 | 74 | 90 | 3,731 |
| | 2015-12 | 1,278 | 783 | 989 | 241 | 525 | 546 | 142 | 309 | 175 | 59 | 111 | 5,158 |
| | 2016-01 | 1,331 | 985 | 846 | 198 | 525 | 206 | 168 | 138 | 242 | 78 | 92 | 4,809 |
| | 2016-02 | 1,250 | 1,048 | 525 | 224 | 100 | 253 | 177 | 42 | 127 | 97 | 95 | 3,938 |
| | 2016-03 | 797 | 769 | 685 | 210 | 37 | 286 | 179 | 61 | 115 | 116 | 124 | 3,379 |
| | 2016-04 | 748 | 622 | 576 | 215 | 120 | 127 | 161 | 81 | 85 | 113 | 112 | 2,960 |
| | 2016-05 | 1,315 | 629 | 1,047 | 259 | 477 | 121 | 186 | 238 | 153 | 118 | 105 | 4,648 |
| | 2016-06 | 1,500 | 637 | 1,162 | 177 | 287 | 171 | 226 | 424 | 184 | 110 | 107 | 4,985 |
| Total | | 12,608 | 11,420 | 10,054 | 2,360 | 2,501 | 2,372 | 2,952 | 1,647 | 1,697 | 1,040 | 1,092 | 49,743 |
| 2016/17 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2016-07 | 1,004 | 572 | 943 | 151 | 46 | 207 | 174 | 92 | 191 | 108 | 103 | 3,591 |
| | 2016-08 | 930 | 642 | 1,011 | 162 | 48 | 134 | 214 | 36 | 95 | 125 | 70 | 3,467 |
| | 2016-09 | 892 | 732 | 970 | 200 | 20 | 58 | 184 | 27 | 134 | 151 | 81 | 3,449 |
| | 2016-10 | 785 | 509 | 764 | 135 | 65 | 57 | 183 | 51 | 108 | 128 | 59 | 2,844 |
| | 2016-11 | 987 | 502 | 869 | 236 | 88 | 350 | 188 | 157 | 89 | 234 | 91 | 3,791 |
| | 2016-12 | 1,259 | 579 | 996 | 256 | 540 | 424 | 163 | 386 | 138 | 128 | 73 | 4,942 |
| | 2017-01 | 1,760 | 855 | 769 | 209 | 693 | 135 | 185 | 99 | 339 | 123 | 121 | 5,288 |
| | 2017-02 | 1,218 | 861 | 753 | 231 | 181 | 311 | 188 | 74 | 149 | 127 | 86 | 4,179 |
| | 2017-03 | 1,039 | 667 | 832 | 233 | 68 | 291 | 223 | 58 | 193 | 104 | 144 | 3,852 |
| | 2017-04 | 874 | 469 | 508 | 144 | 134 | 138 | 206 | 94 | 108 | 74 | 78 | 2,827 |
| | 2017-05 | 1,493 | 660 | 1,051 | 206 | 508 | 80 | 269 | 265 | 126 | 143 | 117 | 4,918 |
| | 2017-06 | 1,618 | 688 | 1,054 | 183 | 300 | 178 | 236 | 278 | 210 | 123 | 118 | 4,986 |
| Total | | 13,859 | 7,736 | 10,520 | 2,346 | 2,691 | 2,363 | 2,413 | 1,617 | 1,880 | 1,568 | 1,141 | 48,134 |
| 2017/18 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2017-07 | 1,074 | 790 | 905 | 136 | 75 | 210 | 266 | 69 | 148 | 129 | 92 | 3,894 |
| | 2017-08 | 991 | 445 | 929 | 190 | 56 | 100 | 265 | 25 | 125 | 127 | 111 | 3,364 |
| | 2017-09 | 821 | 607 | 739 | 131 | 34 | 56 | 179 | 45 | 104 | 131 | 65 | 2,912 |
| | 2017-10 | 818 | 556 | 506 | 118 | 93 | 51 | 142 | 54 | 152 | 158 | 49 | 2,697 |
| | 2017-11 | 1,080 | 586 | 751 | 243 | 251 | 373 | 208 | 195 | 152 | 180 | 115 | 4,134 |
| | 2017-12 | 1,313 | 506 | 716 | 228 | 513 | 314 | 147 | 229 | 176 | 116 | 92 | 4,350 |
| | 2018-01 | 1,881 | 1,092 | 731 | 247 | 577 | 169 | 182 | 159 | 344 | 148 | 112 | 5,642 |
| | 2018-02 | 1,066 | 985 | 518 | 196 | 65 | 223 | 177 | 41 | 191 | 120 | 134 | 3,716 |
| 2018-03 | | 906 | 421 | 666 | 209 | 38 | 323 | 169 | 68 | 163 | 107 | 134 | 3,204 |

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| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2017/18 | 2018-04 | 980 | 435 | 494 | 157 | 160 | 163 | 126 | 107 | 140 | 135 | 100 | 2,997 |
| | 2018-05 | 1,405 | 764 | 792 | 154 | 530 | 72 | 261 | 296 | 144 | 154 | 134 | 4,706 |
| | 2018-06 | 1,722 | 739 | 844 | 198 | 309 | 127 | 249 | 361 | 230 | 141 | 120 | 5,040 |
| | Total | 14,057 | 7,926 | 8,591 | 2,207 | 2,701 | 2,181 | 2,371 | 1,649 | 2,069 | 1,646 | 1,258 | 46,656 |
| 2018/19 | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2018-07 | 1,180 | 894 | 798 | 104 | 69 | 296 | 241 | 50 | 159 | 188 | 93 | 4,072 |
| | 2018-08 | 943 | 567 | 725 | 144 | 39 | 108 | 206 | 36 | 128 | 201 | 99 | 3,196 |
| | 2018-09 | 857 | 401 | 570 | 113 | 54 | 50 | 177 | 38 | 98 | 120 | 80 | 2,558 |
| | 2018-10 | 952 | 497 | 521 | 129 | 87 | 78 | 205 | 85 | 79 | 243 | 73 | 2,949 |
| | 2018-11 | 1,157 | 671 | 817 | 276 | 203 | 320 | 228 | 181 | 135 | 252 | 77 | 4,317 |
| | 2018-12 | 1,268 | 415 | 700 | 235 | 506 | 407 | 117 | 270 | 103 | 308 | 49 | 4,378 |
| | 2019-01 | 1,401 | 895 | 774 | 224 | 616 | 220 | 213 | 99 | 200 | 315 | 108 | 5,065 |
| | 2019-02 | 1,194 | 646 | 466 | 193 | 69 | 243 | 224 | 38 | 258 | 232 | 173 | 3,736 |
| | 2019-03 | 894 | 617 | 550 | 190 | 59 | 311 | 216 | 63 | 139 | 167 | 137 | 3,343 |
| | 2019-04 | 911 | 556 | 695 | 133 | 103 | 119 | 181 | 119 | 104 | 267 | 95 | 3,283 |
| | 2019-05 | 1,131 | 547 | 951 | 149 | 451 | 63 | 244 | 231 | 151 | 352 | 63 | 4,333 |
| | 2019-06 | 1,591 | 936 | 741 | 131 | 365 | 190 | 173 | 321 | 180 | 326 | 86 | 5,040 |
| Total | 13,479 | 7,642 | 8,308 | 2,021 | 2,621 | 2,405 | 2,425 | 1,531 | 1,734 | 2,971 | 1,133 | 46,270 | |
| 2019/20 to date | Month Decision | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2019-07 | 1,392 | 1,367 | 777 | 138 | 104 | 276 | 232 | 54 | 121 | 382 | 107 | 4,950 |
| | 2019-08 | 953 | 864 | 708 | 125 | 49 | 107 | 189 | 32 | 115 | 338 | 108 | 3,588 |
| | Total | 2,345 | 2,231 | 1,485 | 263 | 153 | 383 | 421 | 86 | 236 | 720 | 215 | 8,538 |
| Total | | 122,018 | 82,395 | 78,680 | 26,968 | 24,534 | 21,825 | 18,740 | 18,533 | 13,914 | 10,900 | 10,622 | 429,129 |

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| | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 to date | |
| | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | |
| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| (not recorded) | 5 | 5 | 6 | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 19 |
| Afghanistan | 7 | 6 | 19 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 75 |
| Albania | . | . | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | . | 22 |
| Algeria | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | . | 16 |
| American Samoa | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 16 |
| Andorra | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 2 | 3 | . | 2 | . | 9 |
| Antigua & Barbuda | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Argentina | 71 | 87 | 79 | 77 | 84 | 109 | 210 | 260 | 309 | 232 | 45 | 1,563 |
| Armenia | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 9 | 3 | . | 2 | . | . | 16 |
| Australia | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Austria | 122 | 119 | 121 | 103 | 108 | 136 | 142 | 148 | 138 | 119 | 11 | 1,267 |
| Azerbaijan | 3 | 1 | 1 | . | . | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | . | 15 |
| Bahamas | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 5 |
| Bahrain | 8 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | . | 37 |
| Bangladesh | 71 | 82 | 85 | 65 | 192 | 287 | 227 | 124 | 94 | 88 | 15 | 1,330 |
| Barbados | 1 | . | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | . | . | 15 |
| Belarus | 1 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 18 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 80 |
| Belgium | 44 | 61 | 55 | 43 | 59 | 56 | 62 | 50 | 56 | 48 | 13 | 547 |
| Belize | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 2 | . | . | 3 |
| Bermuda | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Bhutan | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 17 | 2 | 63 |
| Bolivia | 2 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 27 | 29 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 114 |
| Bosnia & Herzegovina | . | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | . | 16 |
| Botswana | 16 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 3 | . | 61 |
| Brazil | 1,034 | 925 | 835 | 913 | 1,078 | 1,513 | 1,697 | 1,880 | 2,069 | 1,734 | 236 | 13,914 |
| Brunei Darussalam | 16 | 16 | 28 | 14 | 19 | 25 | 16 | 11 | 20 | 20 | 1 | 186 |
| Bulgaria | 11 | 7 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 17 | 12 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 97 |
| Burundi | . | . | 4 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 5 |
| Cambodia | 75 | 72 | 101 | 90 | 104 | 139 | 172 | 203 | 172 | 179 | 41 | 1,348 |
| Cameroon | . | . | . | . | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 14 |
| Canada | 400 | 378 | 336 | 294 | 303 | 266 | 279 | 358 | 352 | 335 | 28 | 3,329 |
| Chad | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Chile | 314 | 232 | 262 | 226 | 495 | 379 | 523 | 644 | 603 | 587 | 90 | 4,355 |
| China | 4,909 | 6,051 | 6,507 | 5,879 | 7,457 | 8,919 | 10,054 | 10,520 | 8,591 | 8,308 | 1,485 | 78,680 |
| Colombia | 253 | 354 | 283 | 248 | 403 | 710 | 704 | 918 | 851 | 825 | 172 | 5,721 |
| Congo | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 3 |
| Costa Rica | 11 | 7 | 9 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 68 |
| Croatia | 1 | 3 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 14 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 66 |
| Cuba | 1 | . | . | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | . | 1 | . | 16 |
| Cyprus | . | 2 | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 14 |
| Czech Republic | 41 | 37 | 38 | 36 | 37 | 46 | 64 | 44 | 53 | 71 | 12 | 479 |
| Democratic Republic of Congo | . | . | . | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Denmark | 137 | 199 | 145 | 207 | 174 | 172 | 196 | 186 | 178 | 160 | 18 | 1,772 |

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| | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | |
| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Dominica | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 2 | 2 | . | 3 | . | 8 |
| Dominican Republic | . | . | . | 2 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | . | 15 |
| Ecuador | 7 | 9 | . | 6 | 8 | 6 | 18 | 31 | 35 | 54 | 9 | 183 |
| Egypt | 16 | 24 | 19 | 15 | 14 | 16 | 38 | 22 | 55 | 47 | 9 | 275 |
| El Salvador | 3 | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | . | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 20 |
| Eritrea | 2 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 5 |
| Estonia | 2 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 44 |
| Ethiopia | 2 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 63 |
| Federated States of Micronesia | . | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| Fiji | 1,040 | 679 | 558 | 615 | 669 | 671 | 750 | 778 | 660 | 680 | 93 | 7,193 |
| Finland | 65 | 74 | 72 | 64 | 63 | 42 | 65 | 53 | 43 | 62 | 3 | 606 |
| France | 417 | 366 | 400 | 384 | 419 | 411 | 410 | 469 | 465 | 469 | 75 | 4,285 |
| French Polynesia | 4 | 4 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 9 |
| Gambia | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Georgia | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | 3 | 1 | 3 | . | 11 |
| Germany | 2,842 | 2,179 | 1,922 | 1,714 | 1,763 | 1,583 | 1,647 | 1,617 | 1,649 | 1,531 | 86 | 18,533 |
| Ghana | 7 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 18 | 19 | 39 | 23 | 16 | 23 | 3 | 175 |
| Great Britain | 881 | 836 | 814 | 863 | 909 | 948 | 794 | 909 | 857 | 939 | 149 | 8,899 |
| Greece | 9 | 4 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 87 |
| Grenada | . | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 5 |
| Guatemala | 6 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 39 |
| Guinea | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Guyana | 1 | 2 | . | . | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | . | 16 |
| Haiti | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 3 |
| Honduras | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | . | 12 |
| Hong Kong | 329 | 333 | 287 | 300 | 282 | 321 | 319 | 348 | 389 | 383 | 56 | 3,347 |
| Hungary | 36 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 21 | 20 | 17 | 49 | 31 | 34 | 8 | 283 |
| Iceland | 11 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 14 | 6 | 16 | . | 121 |
| India | 5,873 | 6,885 | 5,547 | 5,055 | 8,832 | 13,248 | 11,420 | 7,736 | 7,926 | 7,642 | 2,231 | 82,395 |
| Indonesia | 229 | 244 | 271 | 322 | 349 | 389 | 480 | 610 | 455 | 495 | 69 | 3,913 |
| Iran | 126 | 133 | 186 | 129 | 139 | 113 | 135 | 117 | 159 | 125 | 29 | 1,391 |
| Iraq | 5 | 10 | 9 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 13 | 3 | 15 | 7 | 5 | 81 |
| Ireland | 52 | 51 | 73 | 73 | 87 | 63 | 53 | 62 | 70 | 74 | 5 | 663 |
| Israel | 27 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 29 | 43 | 29 | 41 | 32 | 30 | 19 | 304 |
| Italy | 250 | 285 | 184 | 212 | 220 | 212 | 218 | 316 | 330 | 307 | 13 | 2,547 |
| Ivory Coast | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Jamaica | 3 | 3 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 53 |
| Japan | 2,160 | 1,889 | 1,985 | 1,920 | 2,027 | 2,140 | 2,372 | 2,363 | 2,181 | 2,405 | 383 | 21,825 |
| Jordan | 52 | 36 | 23 | 16 | 29 | 37 | 30 | 22 | 28 | 25 | 7 | 305 |
| Kazakhstan | 48 | 31 | 24 | 39 | 37 | 36 | 49 | 70 | 65 | 46 | 10 | 455 |
| Kenya | 29 | 23 | 49 | 22 | 39 | 50 | 56 | 44 | 21 | 17 | 5 | 355 |
| Kiribati | 44 | 57 | 46 | 43 | 39 | 45 | 49 | 35 | 42 | 45 | 6 | 451 |
| Kosovo - Republic of | . | . | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | 6 |

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| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | | |
| Kosovo - UN Mission in | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Kuwait | 37 | 107 | 86 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 16 | 3 | 311 | |
| Kyrgyzstan | 1 | 4 | 2 | . | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | . | 23 | |
| Laos | 46 | 34 | 49 | 66 | 55 | 65 | 61 | 70 | 72 | 81 | 9 | 608 | |
| Latvia | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 61 | |
| Lebanon | 6 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 60 | |
| Lesotho | . | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 4 | |
| Liberia | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | 2 | . | 5 | |
| Libya | . | 12 | 5 | 13 | 15 | 4 | . | 4 | 2 | 5 | . | 60 | |
| Liechtenstein | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | 2 | 4 | . | 1 | . | . | 9 | |
| Lithuania | 4 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 5 | . | 54 | |
| Luxembourg | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6 | . | 28 | |
| Macau | 14 | 14 | 14 | 17 | 15 | 26 | 40 | 25 | 35 | 23 | 12 | 235 | |
| Macedonia | 7 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 89 | |
| Madagascar | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 | |
| Malawi | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | . | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | . | 32 | |
| Malaysia | 901 | 877 | 592 | 494 | 491 | 580 | 754 | 763 | 830 | 451 | 50 | 6,783 | |
| Maldives | 25 | 23 | 11 | 8 | 8 | 16 | 11 | 17 | 20 | 10 | . | 149 | |
| Mali | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | |
| Malta | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 7 | |
| Marshall Islands | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 3 | |
| Mauritius | 26 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 23 | 23 | 41 | 20 | 31 | 10 | 211 | |
| Mexico | 139 | 137 | 151 | 100 | 158 | 166 | 153 | 169 | 253 | 202 | 27 | 1,655 | |
| Moldova | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | . | 1 | 20 | |
| Monaco | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 2 | |
| Mongolia | 8 | 11 | 8 | 16 | 10 | 10 | 6 | 15 | 24 | 20 | 5 | 133 | |
| Morocco | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | . | 26 | |
| Mozambique | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | |
| Myanmar | 19 | 25 | 33 | 36 | 42 | 52 | 49 | 69 | 85 | 103 | 19 | 532 | |
| Namibia | 3 | 2 | 7 | . | . | . | . | 8 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 42 | |
| Nauru | 1 | 2 | 10 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 5 | . | 61 | |
| Nepal | 102 | 179 | 129 | 172 | 303 | 503 | 460 | 363 | 618 | 635 | 157 | 3,621 | |
| Netherlands | 120 | 129 | 148 | 119 | 120 | 120 | 132 | 181 | 173 | 174 | 15 | 1,431 | |
| New Caledonia | 8 | . | 1 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 13 | |
| New Zealand | 34 | 21 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | 82 | |
| Nicaragua | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 5 | |
| Nigeria | 16 | 22 | 25 | 25 | 35 | 67 | 51 | 56 | 48 | 56 | 12 | 413 | |
| North Korea | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | |
| Norway | 143 | 183 | 193 | 224 | 209 | 165 | 161 | 164 | 154 | 165 | 10 | 1,771 | |
| Oman | 52 | 52 | 35 | 43 | 39 | 45 | 37 | 102 | 64 | 91 | 2 | 562 | |
| Pakistan | 175 | 148 | 158 | 105 | 120 | 116 | 161 | 124 | 167 | 136 | 26 | 1,436 | |
| Palau | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | 6 | |
| Palestine | 12 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 69 | |

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| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Panama | 4 | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | . | 24 |
| Papua New Guinea | 98 | 126 | 127 | 120 | 113 | 122 | 127 | 101 | 131 | 128 | 17 | 1,210 |
| Paraguay | 18 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 7 | 6 | 15 | 19 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 114 |
| Peru | 17 | 14 | 19 | 12 | 17 | 33 | 25 | 44 | 50 | 56 | 5 | 292 |
| Philippines | 974 | 1,292 | 1,265 | 835 | 1,419 | 2,373 | 2,952 | 2,413 | 2,371 | 2,425 | 421 | 18,740 |
| Poland | 23 | 23 | 7 | 10 | 28 | 28 | 28 | 38 | 38 | 28 | 1 | 252 |
| Portugal | 35 | 20 | 22 | 14 | 29 | 27 | 24 | 14 | 25 | 30 | 2 | 242 |
| Qatar | 15 | 4 | . | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | . | 39 |
| Romania | 10 | 14 | 20 | 18 | 18 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 3 | 145 |
| Russia | 269 | 274 | 307 | 291 | 304 | 346 | 354 | 432 | 439 | 302 | 68 | 3,386 |
| Rwanda | . | . | . | . | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | . | 15 |
| Samoa | 242 | 226 | 160 | 119 | 110 | 145 | 136 | 109 | 114 | 125 | 14 | 1,500 |
| San Marino | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 |
| Saudi Arabia | 917 | 1,132 | 672 | 501 | 563 | 493 | 326 | 260 | 425 | 453 | 104 | 5,846 |
| Senegal | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 |
| Serbia | 5 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 8 | 23 | 23 | 21 | 36 | 37 | 1 | 179 |
| Seychelles | 6 | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 3 | . | 2 | . | 1 | 17 |
| Sierra Leone | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | . | . | 1 | . | 4 |
| Singapore | 98 | 142 | 146 | 159 | 155 | 213 | 177 | 200 | 197 | 227 | 35 | 1,749 |
| Slovakia | 17 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 10 | 17 | 25 | 24 | 20 | 24 | . | 160 |
| Slovenia | 6 | 6 | 3 | . | 6 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 49 |
| Solomon Islands | 40 | 66 | 60 | 43 | 45 | 43 | 48 | 40 | 49 | 52 | 12 | 498 |
| Somalia | . | . | 5 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 6 |
| South Africa | 599 | 460 | 385 | 386 | 520 | 605 | 1,040 | 1,568 | 1,646 | 2,971 | 720 | 10,900 |
| South Korea | 4,799 | 3,888 | 2,725 | 2,128 | 2,057 | 2,174 | 2,360 | 2,346 | 2,207 | 2,021 | 263 | 26,968 |
| South Pacific commission | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Spain | 158 | 124 | 130 | 112 | 116 | 138 | 143 | 215 | 206 | 221 | 28 | 1,591 |
| Sri Lanka | 300 | 370 | 526 | 377 | 390 | 457 | 649 | 683 | 708 | 618 | 218 | 5,296 |
| St Lucia | 2 | . | 2 | 3 | 2 | . | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 19 |
| St Vincent and the Grenadines | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 3 | 2 | . | . | 8 |
| Stateless | . | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 6 |
| Sudan | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | . | . | 2 | 4 | 8 | . | 5 | 26 |
| Suriname | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 2 |
| Swaziland | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | 3 |
| Sweden | 156 | 178 | 166 | 162 | 126 | 123 | 137 | 158 | 156 | 141 | 9 | 1,512 |
| Switzerland | 216 | 182 | 191 | 166 | 194 | 196 | 245 | 272 | 231 | 215 | 35 | 2,143 |
| Syria | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 3 | . | 48 |
| Taiwan | 421 | 345 | 272 | 268 | 279 | 292 | 326 | 313 | 289 | 246 | 51 | 3,102 |
| Tajikistan | 1 | 1 | . | 2 | . | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | 9 |
| Tanzania | 5 | 11 | 8 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 79 |
| Thailand | 1,125 | 919 | 741 | 816 | 1,129 | 1,053 | 1,092 | 1,141 | 1,258 | 1,133 | 215 | 10,622 |
| Timor Leste | 20 | 26 | 28 | 34 | 25 | 29 | 27 | 35 | 32 | 29 | 10 | 295 |
| Tonga | 232 | 204 | 184 | 176 | 209 | 274 | 203 | 244 | 208 | 246 | 26 | 2,206 |

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| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 4 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 35 |
| Tunisia | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | . | 15 |
| Turkmenistan | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 4 |
| Turkey | 79 | 106 | 42 | 43 | 45 | 35 | 29 | 18 | 29 | 20 | 7 | 453 |
| Tuvalu | 26 | 9 | 12 | 22 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 27 | 27 | 16 | 2 | 196 |
| Uganda | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 35 |
| Ukraine | 20 | 25 | 22 | 28 | 29 | 51 | 35 | 39 | 43 | 45 | 10 | 347 |
| United Arab Emirates | 16 | 33 | 10 | 3 | . | 4 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 1 | . | 85 |
| United Nations | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 |
| United States of America | 2,417 | 2,412 | 2,192 | 2,171 | 2,188 | 2,487 | 2,501 | 2,691 | 2,701 | 2,621 | 153 | 24,534 |
| Unknown | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Uruguay | 12 | 17 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 18 | 24 | 50 | 47 | 42 | 12 | 247 |
| Uzbekistan | 5 | 3 | 11 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 18 | 14 | 10 | 6 | . | 94 |
| Vanuatu | 40 | 44 | 55 | 50 | 37 | 35 | 51 | 37 | 35 | 34 | 5 | 423 |
| Venezuela | 18 | 27 | 16 | 19 | 17 | 19 | 22 | 27 | 9 | 2 | . | 176 |
| Vietnam | 731 | 798 | 548 | 546 | 509 | 600 | 761 | 936 | 989 | 1,082 | 204 | 7,704 |
| Yemen | 5 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 44 |
| Yugoslavia | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Zambia | 19 | 7 | 15 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 4 | 2 | . | 84 |
| Zimbabwe | 42 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 20 | 37 | 29 | 57 | 38 | 57 | 23 | 365 |
| Total | 38,338 | 38,557 | 34,413 | 31,418 | 39,125 | 47,937 | 49,743 | 48,134 | 46,656 | 46,270 | 8,538 | 429,129 |

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| India | 5,873 | 6,885 | 5,547 | 5,055 | 8,832 | 13,248 | 11,420 | 7,736 | 7,926 | 7,642 | 2,231 | 82,395 |
| China | 4,909 | 6,051 | 6,507 | 5,879 | 7,457 | 8,919 | 10,054 | 10,520 | 8,591 | 8,308 | 1,485 | 78,680 |
| South Korea | 4,799 | 3,888 | 2,725 | 2,128 | 2,057 | 2,174 | 2,360 | 2,346 | 2,207 | 2,021 | 263 | 26,968 |
| United States of America | 2,417 | 2,412 | 2,192 | 2,171 | 2,188 | 2,487 | 2,501 | 2,691 | 2,701 | 2,621 | 153 | 24,534 |
| Japan | 2,160 | 1,889 | 1,985 | 1,920 | 2,027 | 2,140 | 2,372 | 2,363 | 2,181 | 2,405 | 383 | 21,825 |
| Philippines | 974 | 1,292 | 1,265 | 835 | 1,419 | 2,373 | 2,952 | 2,413 | 2,371 | 2,425 | 421 | 18,740 |
| Germany | 2,842 | 2,179 | 1,922 | 1,714 | 1,763 | 1,583 | 1,647 | 1,617 | 1,649 | 1,531 | 86 | 18,533 |
| Brazil | 1,034 | 925 | 835 | 913 | 1,078 | 1,513 | 1,697 | 1,880 | 2,069 | 1,734 | 236 | 13,914 |
| South Africa | 599 | 460 | 385 | 386 | 520 | 605 | 1,040 | 1,568 | 1,646 | 2,971 | 720 | 10,900 |
| Thailand | 1,125 | 919 | 741 | 816 | 1,129 | 1,053 | 1,092 | 1,141 | 1,258 | 1,133 | 215 | 10,622 |
| Great Britain | 881 | 836 | 814 | 863 | 909 | 948 | 794 | 909 | 857 | 939 | 149 | 8,899 |
| Vietnam | 731 | 798 | 548 | 546 | 509 | 600 | 761 | 936 | 989 | 1,082 | 204 | 7,704 |
| Fiji | 1,040 | 679 | 558 | 615 | 669 | 671 | 750 | 778 | 660 | 680 | 93 | 7,193 |
| Malaysia | 901 | 877 | 592 | 494 | 491 | 580 | 754 | 763 | 830 | 451 | 50 | 6,783 |
| Saudi Arabia | 917 | 1,132 | 672 | 501 | 563 | 493 | 326 | 260 | 425 | 453 | 104 | 5,846 |
| Colombia | 253 | 354 | 283 | 248 | 403 | 710 | 704 | 918 | 851 | 825 | 172 | 5,721 |
| Sri Lanka | 300 | 370 | 526 | 377 | 390 | 457 | 649 | 683 | 708 | 618 | 218 | 5,296 |
| Chile | 314 | 232 | 262 | 226 | 495 | 379 | 523 | 644 | 603 | 587 | 90 | 4,355 |
| France | 417 | 366 | 400 | 384 | 419 | 411 | 410 | 469 | 465 | 469 | 75 | 4,285 |
| Indonesia | 229 | 244 | 271 | 322 | 349 | 389 | 480 | 610 | 455 | 495 | 69 | 3,913 |
| Nepal | 102 | 179 | 129 | 172 | 303 | 503 | 460 | 363 | 618 | 635 | 157 | 3,621 |
| Russia | 269 | 274 | 307 | 291 | 304 | 346 | 354 | 432 | 439 | 302 | 68 | 3,386 |
| Hong Kong | 329 | 333 | 287 | 300 | 282 | 321 | 319 | 348 | 389 | 383 | 56 | 3,347 |
| Canada | 400 | 378 | 336 | 294 | 303 | 266 | 279 | 358 | 352 | 335 | 28 | 3,329 |
| Taiwan | 421 | 345 | 272 | 268 | 279 | 292 | 326 | 313 | 289 | 246 | 51 | 3,102 |
| Italy | 250 | 285 | 184 | 212 | 220 | 212 | 218 | 316 | 330 | 307 | 13 | 2,547 |
| Tonga | 232 | 204 | 184 | 176 | 209 | 274 | 203 | 244 | 208 | 246 | 26 | 2,206 |
| Switzerland | 216 | 182 | 191 | 166 | 194 | 196 | 245 | 272 | 231 | 215 | 35 | 2,143 |
| Denmark | 137 | 199 | 145 | 207 | 174 | 172 | 196 | 186 | 178 | 160 | 18 | 1,772 |
| Norway | 143 | 183 | 193 | 224 | 209 | 165 | 161 | 164 | 154 | 165 | 10 | 1,771 |
| Singapore | 98 | 142 | 146 | 159 | 155 | 213 | 177 | 200 | 197 | 227 | 35 | 1,749 |
| Mexico | 139 | 137 | 151 | 100 | 158 | 166 | 153 | 169 | 253 | 202 | 27 | 1,655 |
| Spain | 158 | 124 | 130 | 112 | 116 | 138 | 143 | 215 | 206 | 221 | 28 | 1,591 |
| Argentina | 71 | 87 | 79 | 77 | 84 | 109 | 210 | 260 | 309 | 232 | 45 | 1,563 |
| Sweden | 156 | 178 | 166 | 162 | 126 | 123 | 137 | 158 | 156 | 141 | 9 | 1,512 |
| Samoa | 242 | 226 | 160 | 119 | 110 | 145 | 136 | 109 | 114 | 125 | 14 | 1,500 |
| Pakistan | 175 | 148 | 158 | 105 | 120 | 116 | 161 | 124 | 167 | 136 | 26 | 1,436 |
| Netherlands | 120 | 129 | 148 | 119 | 120 | 120 | 132 | 181 | 173 | 174 | 15 | 1,431 |
| Iran | 126 | 133 | 186 | 129 | 139 | 113 | 135 | 117 | 159 | 125 | 29 | 1,391 |
| Cambodia | 75 | 72 | 101 | 90 | 104 | 139 | 172 | 203 | 172 | 179 | 41 | 1,348 |
| Bangladesh | 71 | 82 | 85 | 65 | 192 | 287 | 227 | 124 | 94 | 88 | 15 | 1,330 |
| Austria | 122 | 119 | 121 | 103 | 108 | 136 | 142 | 148 | 138 | 119 | 11 | 1,267 |
| Papua New Guinea | 98 | 126 | 127 | 120 | 113 | 122 | 127 | 101 | 131 | 128 | 17 | 1,210 |

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| Nationality | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ireland | 52 | 51 | 73 | 73 | 87 | 63 | 53 | 62 | 70 | 74 | 5 | 663 |
| Laos | 46 | 34 | 49 | 66 | 55 | 65 | 61 | 70 | 72 | 81 | 9 | 608 |
| Finland | 65 | 74 | 72 | 64 | 63 | 42 | 65 | 53 | 43 | 62 | 3 | 606 |
| Oman | 52 | 52 | 35 | 43 | 39 | 45 | 37 | 102 | 64 | 91 | 2 | 562 |
| Belgium | 44 | 61 | 55 | 43 | 59 | 56 | 62 | 50 | 56 | 48 | 13 | 547 |
| Myanmar | 19 | 25 | 33 | 36 | 42 | 52 | 49 | 69 | 85 | 103 | 19 | 532 |
| Solomon Islands | 40 | 66 | 60 | 43 | 45 | 43 | 48 | 40 | 49 | 52 | 12 | 498 |
| Czech Republic | 41 | 37 | 38 | 36 | 37 | 46 | 64 | 44 | 53 | 71 | 12 | 479 |
| Kazakhstan | 48 | 31 | 24 | 39 | 37 | 36 | 49 | 70 | 65 | 46 | 10 | 455 |
| Turkey | 79 | 106 | 42 | 43 | 45 | 35 | 29 | 18 | 29 | 20 | 7 | 453 |
| Kiribati | 44 | 57 | 46 | 43 | 39 | 45 | 49 | 35 | 42 | 45 | 6 | 451 |
| Vanuatu | 40 | 44 | 55 | 50 | 37 | 35 | 51 | 37 | 35 | 34 | 5 | 423 |
| Nigeria | 16 | 22 | 25 | 25 | 35 | 67 | 51 | 56 | 48 | 56 | 12 | 413 |
| Zimbabwe | 42 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 20 | 37 | 29 | 57 | 38 | 57 | 23 | 365 |
| Kenya | 29 | 23 | 49 | 22 | 39 | 50 | 56 | 44 | 21 | 17 | 5 | 355 |
| Ukraine | 20 | 25 | 22 | 28 | 29 | 51 | 35 | 39 | 43 | 45 | 10 | 347 |
| Kuwait | 37 | 107 | 86 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 16 | 3 | 311 |
| Jordan | 52 | 36 | 23 | 16 | 29 | 37 | 30 | 22 | 28 | 25 | 7 | 305 |
| Israel | 27 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 29 | 43 | 29 | 41 | 32 | 30 | 19 | 304 |
| Timor Leste | 20 | 26 | 28 | 34 | 25 | 29 | 27 | 35 | 32 | 29 | 10 | 295 |
| Peru | 17 | 14 | 19 | 12 | 17 | 33 | 25 | 44 | 50 | 56 | 5 | 292 |
| Hungary | 36 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 21 | 20 | 17 | 49 | 31 | 34 | 8 | 283 |
| Egypt | 16 | 24 | 19 | 15 | 14 | 16 | 38 | 22 | 55 | 47 | 9 | 275 |
| Poland | 23 | 23 | 7 | 10 | 28 | 28 | 28 | 38 | 38 | 28 | 1 | 252 |
| Uruguay | 12 | 17 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 18 | 24 | 50 | 47 | 42 | 12 | 247 |
| Portugal | 35 | 20 | 22 | 14 | 29 | 27 | 24 | 14 | 25 | 30 | 2 | 242 |
| Macau | 14 | 14 | 14 | 17 | 15 | 26 | 40 | 25 | 35 | 23 | 12 | 235 |
| Mauritius | 26 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 23 | 23 | 41 | 20 | 31 | 10 | 211 |
| Tuvalu | 26 | 9 | 12 | 22 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 27 | 27 | 16 | 2 | 196 |
| Brunei Darussalam | 16 | 16 | 28 | 14 | 19 | 25 | 16 | 11 | 20 | 20 | 1 | 186 |
| Ecuador | 7 | 9 | . | 6 | 8 | 6 | 18 | 31 | 35 | 54 | 9 | 183 |
| Serbia | 5 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 8 | 23 | 23 | 21 | 36 | 37 | 1 | 179 |
| Venezuela | 18 | 27 | 16 | 19 | 17 | 19 | 22 | 27 | 9 | 2 | . | 176 |
| Ghana | 7 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 18 | 19 | 39 | 23 | 16 | 23 | 3 | 175 |
| Slovakia | 17 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 10 | 17 | 25 | 24 | 20 | 24 | . | 160 |
| Maldives | 25 | 23 | 11 | 8 | 8 | 16 | 11 | 17 | 20 | 10 | . | 149 |
| Romania | 10 | 14 | 20 | 18 | 18 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 3 | 145 |
| Mongolia | 8 | 11 | 8 | 16 | 10 | 10 | 6 | 15 | 24 | 20 | 5 | 133 |
| Iceland | 11 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 14 | 6 | 16 | . | 121 |
| Bolivia | 2 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 27 | 29 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 114 |
| Paraguay | 18 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 7 | 6 | 15 | 19 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 114 |
| Bulgaria | 11 | 7 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 17 | 12 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 97 |
| Uzbekistan | 5 | 3 | 11 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 18 | 14 | 10 | 6 | . | 94 |

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|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 to date | |
| | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | |
| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Macedonia | 7 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 89 |
| Greece | 9 | 4 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 87 |
| United Arab Emirates | 16 | 33 | 10 | 3 | . | 4 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 1 | . | 85 |
| Zambia | 19 | 7 | 15 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 4 | 2 | . | 84 |
| New Zealand | 34 | 21 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | 82 |
| Iraq | 5 | 10 | 9 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 13 | 3 | 15 | 7 | 5 | 81 |
| Belarus | 1 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 18 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 80 |
| Tanzania | 5 | 11 | 8 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 79 |
| Afghanistan | 7 | 6 | 19 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 75 |
| Palestine | 12 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 69 |
| Costa Rica | 11 | 7 | 9 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 68 |
| Croatia | 1 | 3 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 14 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 66 |
| Bhutan | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 17 | 2 | 63 |
| Ethiopia | 2 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 63 |
| Botswana | 16 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 3 | . | 61 |
| Latvia | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 61 |
| Nauru | 1 | 2 | 10 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 5 | . | 61 |
| Lebanon | 6 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 60 |
| Libya | . | 12 | 5 | 13 | 15 | 4 | . | 4 | 2 | 5 | . | 60 |
| Lithuania | 4 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 5 | . | 54 |
| Jamaica | 3 | 3 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 53 |
| Slovenia | 6 | 6 | 3 | . | 6 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 49 |
| Syria | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 3 | . | 48 |
| Estonia | 2 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 44 |
| Yemen | 5 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 44 |
| Namibia | 3 | 2 | 7 | . | . | . | . | 8 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 42 |
| Guatemala | 6 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 39 |
| Qatar | 15 | 4 | . | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | . | 39 |
| Bahrain | 8 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | . | 37 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 4 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 35 |
| Uganda | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 35 |
| Malawi | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | . | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | . | 32 |
| Luxembourg | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 6 | . | 28 |
| Morocco | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | . | 26 |
| Sudan | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | . | . | 2 | 4 | 8 | . | 5 | 26 |
| Panama | 4 | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 5 | . | 24 |
| Kyrgyzstan | 1 | 4 | 2 | . | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | . | 23 |
| Albania | . | . | 1 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | . | 22 |
| El Salvador | 3 | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | . | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 20 |
| Moldova | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | . | 1 | 20 |
| (not recorded) | 5 | 5 | 6 | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 19 |
| St Lucia | 2 | . | 2 | 3 | 2 | . | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 19 |
| Seychelles | 6 | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 3 | . | 2 | . | 1 | 17 |

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|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|-------|
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| | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | |
| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Algeria | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 2 | . | 16 |
| American Samoa | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 16 |
| Armenia | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 9 | 3 | . | 2 | . | . | 16 |
| Bosnia & Herzegovina | . | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | . | 16 |
| Cuba | 1 | . | . | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | . | 1 | . | 16 |
| Guyana | 1 | 2 | . | . | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1 | . | 16 |
| Azerbaijan | 3 | 1 | 1 | . | . | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | . | 15 |
| Barbados | 1 | . | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | . | . | 15 |
| Dominican Republic | . | . | . | 2 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | . | 15 |
| Rwanda | . | . | . | . | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | . | 15 |
| Tunisia | 1 | 2 | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | . | 15 |
| Cameroon | . | . | . | . | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 14 |
| Cyprus | . | 2 | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 14 |
| New Caledonia | 8 | . | 1 | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 13 |
| Federated States of Micronesia | . | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| Honduras | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | . | 12 |
| Georgia | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | 3 | 1 | 3 | . | 11 |
| Andorra | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | 2 | 3 | . | 2 | . | 9 |
| French Polynesia | 4 | 4 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 9 |
| Liechtenstein | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | 2 | 4 | . | 1 | . | . | 9 |
| Tajikistan | 1 | 1 | . | 2 | . | 1 | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | 9 |
| Dominica | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 2 | 2 | . | 3 | . | 8 |
| St Vincent and the Grenadines | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 3 | 2 | . | . | 8 |
| Malta | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 3 | 1 | . | 1 | 7 |
| Kosovo - Republic of | . | . | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | 2 | . | 1 | . | 6 |
| Palau | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | 6 |
| Somalia | . | . | 5 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 6 |
| Stateless | . | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 6 |
| Bahamas | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 5 |
| Burundi | . | . | 4 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 5 |
| Eritrea | 2 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | 5 |
| Grenada | . | . | . | . | 2 | 1 | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 5 |
| Liberia | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | 2 | . | 5 |
| Nicaragua | 1 | 1 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 5 |
| Lesotho | . | . | 3 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 4 |
| Sierra Leone | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 | . | . | 1 | . | 4 |
| Turkmenistan | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 4 |
| Belize | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 2 | . | . | 3 |
| Congo | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 3 |
| Haiti | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 3 |
| Marshall Islands | . | 1 | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 3 |
| Swaziland | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 1 | . | 3 |
| Chad | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 2 |

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| | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 to date | |
| | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | Decision Type | |
| | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | Approved | |
| Democratic Republic of Congo | . | . | . | . | . | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Gambia | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Madagascar | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 |
| Monaco | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 2 |
| Senegal | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 | . | . | 2 |
| Suriname | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 1 | . | 2 |
| United Nations | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | 2 |
| Antigua & Barbuda | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Australia | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Bermuda | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Guinea | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Ivory Coast | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Kosovo - UN Mission in | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Mali | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | 1 |
| Mozambique | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| North Korea | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| San Marino | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | . | 1 |
| South Pacific commission | . | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Unknown | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Yugoslavia | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1 |
| Total | 38,338 | 38,557 | 34,413 | 31,418 | 39,125 | 47,937 | 49,743 | 48,134 | 46,656 | 46,270 | 8,538 | 429,129 |

Students converting to residence status, by year of first student visa/permit decision.

Data for period: Date first student visa approved between 1 July 2009 and 31 August 2019

Report prepared: 4 September 2019

Description: This worksheet summarises international students who proceeded to apply and be approved for residence. Only the first residence approval is counted. Year of residence approval is greater than or equal to year of student approval.

| | Resident Approved? | | Total |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| | No resident application approved | Resident application approved | |
| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | | | |
| 2009/10 | 27,396 | 10,942 | 38,338 |
| 2010/11 | 26,865 | 11,692 | 38,557 |
| 2011/12 | 24,226 | 10,187 | 34,413 |
| 2012/13 | 23,381 | 8,037 | 31,418 |
| 2013/14 | 30,426 | 8,699 | 39,125 |
| 2014/15 | 39,833 | 8,104 | 47,937 |
| 2015/16 | 43,474 | 6,269 | 49,743 |
| 2016/17 | 43,979 | 4,155 | 48,134 |
| 2017/18 | 44,621 | 2,035 | 46,656 |
| 2018/19 | 45,496 | 774 | 46,270 |
| 2019/20 to date | 8,522 | 16 | 8,538 |
| Total | 358,219 | 70,910 | 429,129 |

Students converting to work visas/permits status, by year of first student visa/permit decision.

Data for period: Date first student visa approved between 1 July 2009 and 31 August 2019

Report prepared: 4 September 2019

Description: This worksheet summarises international students who proceeded to apply and be approved for a work visa/permit. Only the first work approval is counted.

| | Work Approved? | | Total |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| | No work application approved | Work application approved | |
| FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | | | |
| 2009/10 | 26,564 | 11,774 | 38,338 |
| 2010/11 | 24,724 | 13,833 | 38,557 |
| 2011/12 | 21,772 | 12,641 | 34,413 |
| 2012/13 | 20,861 | 10,557 | 31,418 |
| 2013/14 | 23,778 | 15,347 | 39,125 |
| 2014/15 | 26,921 | 21,016 | 47,937 |
| 2015/16 | 30,644 | 19,099 | 49,743 |
| 2016/17 | 34,545 | 13,589 | 48,134 |
| 2017/18 | 37,153 | 9,503 | 46,656 |
| 2018/19 | 44,810 | 1,460 | 46,270 |
| 2019/20 to date | 8,528 | 10 | 8,538 |
| Total | 300,300 | 128,829 | 429,129 |

Student Type versus Application Criteria

Report prepared: 4 September 2019

| | | FY (Jul-Jun) Decided | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------|---------|
| | | 2009/10 | 2010/11 | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | 2013/14 | 2014/15 | 2015/16 | 2016/17 | 2017/18 | 2018/19 | 2019/20 to date | |
| Application Criteria | Student Type | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Child of NZ cit/res | Dependant | . | . | . | . | . | . | 149 | 164 | 168 | 138 | 23 | 642 |
| Dependant of Entrepreneur | Dependant | . | . | . | . | . | . | 45 | 90 | 35 | 21 | 3 | 194 |
| Dependant of a Diplomat | Dependant | 2 | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 3 |
| Dependant of a Worker - SMC | Dependant | 228 | 318 | 206 | 44 | 9 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 805 |
| Dependent of a Worker | Dependant | 4,281 | 3,683 | 3,630 | 3,752 | 4,298 | 4,992 | 6,150 | 7,508 | 7,887 | 9,966 | 2,286 | 58,433 |
| Dependents of Long term Business | Dependant | 198 | 209 | 295 | 284 | 452 | 189 | 60 | . | . | . | . | 1,687 |
| Dependents of Military Personnel | Dependant | . | . | 11 | 9 | 4 | 11 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 60 |
| Diplomatic dependent | Dependant | . | 2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 2 |
| Distance Education | Fee Paying | 1 | . | 1 | . | . | . | . | . | 1 | 2 | . | 5 |
| English language studies | Fee Paying | 5,263 | 6,003 | 4,081 | 2,695 | 3,281 | 4,449 | 6,176 | 9,286 | 10,469 | 9,247 | 1,850 | 62,800 |
| Exchange Student | Scholarship | 1,546 | 1,434 | 1,374 | 1,377 | 1,508 | 1,829 | 1,818 | 1,741 | 1,696 | 1,623 | 51 | 15,997 |
| Fee scholarship | Scholarship | 57 | 53 | 27 | 5 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 142 |
| Fee scholarship only | Scholarship | 3 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 3 |
| Full fee paying | Fee Paying | 25,870 | 25,998 | 23,875 | 22,175 | 28,660 | 35,231 | 34,275 | 28,245 | 25,418 | 23,393 | 3,802 | 276,942 |
| Full scholarship holder | Scholarship | 6 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 6 |
| Label-less Replace | Other | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 6 | 112 | 32 | 4 | 154 |
| Pathway | Fee Paying | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | 1,008 | 404 | 1,412 |
| Reconsideration | Other | 4 | 6 | 19 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 16 | 16 | 12 | 21 | 4 | 117 |
| Scholarship holder | Scholarship | 464 | 467 | 555 | 788 | 661 | 1,003 | 869 | 901 | 717 | 703 | 94 | 7,222 |
| Section 61 | Other | 366 | 354 | 304 | 221 | 206 | 195 | 165 | 165 | 130 | 109 | 15 | 2,230 |
| Variation of Conditions | Other | 46 | 23 | 18 | 18 | 11 | 26 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 2 | . | 166 |
| Vocational Air NZ trainee | Other | 1 | 4 | 16 | 38 | 23 | . | . | . | . | . | . | 82 |
| Vocational religious trainee | Other | 2 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 5 | . | . | . | 3 | . | 25 |
| Total | | 38,338 | 38,557 | 34,413 | 31,418 | 39,125 | 47,937 | 49,743 | 48,134 | 46,656 | 46,270 | 8,538 | 429,129 |