

## Monthly figures IND October 2024

### First asylum applications

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 5.010        | 4.140    | 3.850    | 3.260        | 2.700    | 3.060  | 2.880  | 2.830  | 2.050  | 2.610  | 2.640  | 2.930     | 2.740   |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 2.130        | 2.030    | 2.210    | 2.910        | 3.210    | 2.810  | 2.650  | 2.540  | 3.370  | 2.300  | 1.540  | 1.480     | 2.070   |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 1.900        | 1.900    | 1.900    | 2.820        | 2.820    | 2.820  | 2.820  | 2.820  | 2.820  | 2.820  | 2.820  | 2.820     | 2.820   |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 38.780       | 40.890   | 42.530   | 42.880       | 42.360   | 42.620 | 42.850 | 43.150 | 41.820 | 42.140 | 43.240 | 44.700    | 45.370  |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 4.860        | 4.160    | 3.760    | 3.140        | 2.840    | 2.960  | 2.870  | 2.700  | 2.010  | 2.510  | 2.520  | 2.860     | 2.640   |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 14.050       | 16.270   | 17.530   | 17.640       | 17.350   | 16.410 | 14.520 | 13.590 | 12.890 | 11.910 | 11.720 | 11.350    | 11.220  |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 16.180       | 16.150   | 15.820   | 16.100       | 15.740   | 16.850 | 19.080 | 20.350 | 20.360 | 20.690 | 21.450 | 22.220    | 22.410  |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 3.690        | 4.320    | 5.420    | 5.990        | 6.430    | 6.390  | 6.390  | 6.500  | 6.560  | 7.020  | 7.550  | 8.270     | 9.100   |

The above table shows the total number of first asylum applications in the Dublin procedure (track 1), Save country procedure (track 2) and General Asylum Process and Extended Asylum Process (track 4).

### Dublin procedure (Track 1)

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May   | June  | July  | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 530          | 600      | 540      | 570          | 390      | 430   | 360   | 440   | 300   | 360   | 450    | 550       | 280     |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 460          | 450      | 420      | 480          | 490      | 440   | 560   | 380   | 250   | 360   | 420    | 390       | 400     |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 200          | 200      | 200      | 260          | 260      | 260   | 260   | 260   | 260   | 260   | 260    | 260       | 260     |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 1.620        | 1.770    | 1.890    | 1.980        | 1.870    | 1.860 | 1.660 | 1.720 | 1.770 | 1.770 | 1.800  | 1.970     | 1.840   |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 510          | 600      | 530      | 550          | 420      | 420   | 370   | 430   | 300   | 350   | 440    | 550       | 270     |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 1.050        | 1.110    | 1.300    | 1.350        | 1.370    | 1.360 | 1.230 | 1.220 | 1.370 | 1.270 | 1.250  | 1.290     | 1.420   |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 50           | 50       | 60       | 60           | 70       | 60    | 50    | 60    | 80    | 130   | 90     | 110       | 140     |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 10           | 10       | 10       | 10           | 20       | 20    | 20    | 20    | 20    | 20    | 20     | 20        | 20      |

### Save country procedure (Track 2)

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-----|------|------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 100          | 130      | 110      | 80           | 90       | 70    | 80    | 130 | 70   | 70   | 80     | 70        | 30      |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 80           | 100      | 80       | 110          | 120      | 130   | 100   | 100 | 110  | 70   | 70     | 120       | 70      |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 150          | 150      | 150      | 180          | 180      | 180   | 180   | 180 | 180  | 180  | 180    | 180       | 180     |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 310          | 350      | 380      | 350          | 320      | 260   | 240   | 270 | 230  | 230  | 240    | 190       | 150     |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 80           | 120      | 100      | 70           | 80       | 50    | 60    | 110 | 60   | 60   | 60     | 50        | 20      |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 140          | 130      | 180      | 170          | 130      | 120   | 100   | 90  | 110  | 110  | 110    | 80        | 70      |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 70           | 80       | 80       | 90           | 80       | 60    | 60    | 60  | 50   | 60   | 50     | 40        | 40      |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 20           | 20       | 20       | 20           | 30       | 30    | 20    | 10  | 10   | 10   | 10     | 10        | 20      |

### General and extended asylum process (Track 4)

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 5.050        | 3.980    | 3.660    | 3.740        | 2.820    | 3.170  | 2.950  | 2.960  | 2.850  | 2.840  | 3.660  | 3.160     | 3.910   |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 2.190        | 2.070    | 2.070    | 2.920        | 3.660    | 3.100  | 2.610  | 2.790  | 3.810  | 3.190  | 1.710  | 2.230     | 2.500   |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 1.850        | 1.850    | 1.850    | 3.030        | 3.030    | 3.030  | 3.030  | 3.030  | 3.030  | 3.030  | 3.030  | 3.030     | 3.030   |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 43.750       | 45.660   | 47.250   | 48.070       | 47.230   | 47.300 | 47.640 | 47.810 | 46.850 | 46.500 | 48.450 | 49.380    | 50.780  |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 4.780        | 3.890    | 3.570    | 3.600        | 2.940    | 2.950  | 2.890  | 2.710  | 2.750  | 2.720  | 3.440  | 3.020     | 3.620   |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 15.530       | 17.370   | 17.730   | 17.680       | 17.540   | 16.710 | 14.930 | 14.050 | 13.170 | 12.120 | 12.040 | 11.990    | 11.860  |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 18.530       | 18.870   | 19.240   | 19.430       | 18.860   | 19.770 | 21.900 | 22.950 | 22.780 | 23.010 | 23.710 | 24.090    | 24.220  |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 4.910        | 5.540    | 6.710    | 7.360        | 7.890    | 7.870  | 7.920  | 8.100  | 8.150  | 8.650  | 9.270  | 10.280    | 11.090  |

The above table shows the total number of first asylum

It does not include Dublin procedures (track 1) and asylum applications by people from safe countries of origin or with an asylum status in another EU member state (track

### Persons journeying in connection with family reunification with an asylum residence permit holder

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 2.390        | 2.510    | 1.290    | 2.850        | 3.310    | 3.390  | 2.860  | 2.500  | 2.330  | 2.900  | 2.910  | 2.800     | 2.500   |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 1.010        | 1.590    | 870      | 1.170        | 970      | 980    | 990    | 1.080  | 1.220  | 1.450  | 1.230  | 1.270     | 1.710   |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 620          | 620      | 620      | 1.140        | 1.140    | 1.140  | 1.140  | 1.140  | 1.140  | 2.060  | 2.060  | 2.060     | 2.060   |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 25.580       | 26.490   | 26.910   | 28.590       | 30.940   | 33.350 | 35.230 | 36.640 | 37.760 | 39.210 | 40.890 | 42.420    | 43.210  |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 1.080        | 1.380    | 470      | 1.240        | 2.390    | 2.130  | 1.670  | 1.060  | 580    | 510    | 30     | 170       | 1.140   |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 9.720        | 10.470   | 10.740   | 10.250       | 10.320   | 12.060 | 13.040 | 13.920 | 14.780 | 15.400 | 15.320 | 14.770    | 12.820  |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 12.160       | 11.450   | 11.680   | 12.540       | 13.070   | 13.540 | 14.670 | 15.290 | 15.680 | 16.500 | 18.490 | 19.830    | 20.630  |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 2.620        | 3.200    | 4.030    | 4.560        | 5.150    | 5.620  | 5.850  | 6.380  | 6.720  | 6.800  | 7.060  | 7.650     | 8.630   |

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### Family reunification (Article 8 of the Convention on Human Rights (8 ECHR))

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 1.040        | 1.000    | 520      | 1.490        | 1.380    | 1.320  | 1.230  | 1.010  | 1.390  | 1.590  | 1.650  | 1.790     | 1.820   |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 360          | 410      | 370      | 430          | 430      | 430    | 480    | 450    | 510    | 620    | 500    | 500       | 650     |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 300          | 300      | 300      | 280          | 280      | 280    | 280    | 280    | 280    | 280    | 280    | 280       | 280     |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 12.850       | 13.440   | 13.590   | 14.650       | 15.600   | 16.490 | 17.240 | 17.800 | 18.680 | 19.650 | 20.790 | 22.080    | 23.240  |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 220          | 370      | 30       | 450          | 860      | 820    | 530    | 250    | 320    | 420    | 50     | 70        | 620     |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 3.730        | 3.910    | 4.230    | 4.500        | 4.550    | 5.040  | 5.630  | 6.000  | 6.350  | 6.810  | 7.450  | 7.790     | 7.660   |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 6.810        | 6.780    | 6.640    | 6.550        | 6.680    | 6.730  | 7.010  | 6.910  | 6.900  | 7.190  | 7.870  | 8.800     | 9.380   |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 2.090        | 2.390    | 2.690    | 3.150        | 3.510    | 3.900  | 4.070  | 4.640  | 5.100  | 5.240  | 5.420  | 5.420     | 5.590   |

\*The above table shows the number of applications for asylum family reunification, not including applications based on Article 8 of the Convention on Human Rights (8 ECHR).

### Total of family reunification

|                          | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>      | 3.430        | 3.510    | 1.810    | 4.340        | 4.700    | 4.710  | 4.090  | 3.510  | 3.720  | 4.500  | 4.550  | 4.590     | 4.310   |
| <b>Decisions</b>         | 1.370        | 2.000    | 1.240    | 1.600        | 1.410    | 1.400  | 1.470  | 1.530  | 1.740  | 2.070  | 1.730  | 1.770     | 2.360   |
| <b>Assignment of IND</b> | 920          | 920      | 920      | 1.420        | 1.420    | 1.420  | 1.420  | 1.420  | 1.420  | 2.320  | 2.320  | 2.320     | 2.320   |
| <b>Backlog</b>           | 38.430       | 39.930   | 40.500   | 43.240       | 46.530   | 49.840 | 52.460 | 54.440 | 56.430 | 58.850 | 61.680 | 64.500    | 66.460  |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>     | 1.310        | 1.740    | 500      | 1.690        | 3.250    | 2.950  | 2.200  | 1.310  | 900    | 920    | 80     | 240       | 1.760   |
| <i>1 - 6 months</i>      | 13.450       | 14.370   | 14.970   | 14.750       | 14.870   | 17.100 | 18.670 | 19.920 | 21.130 | 22.210 | 22.770 | 22.560    | 20.470  |
| <i>6 - 15 months</i>     | 18.960       | 18.230   | 18.320   | 19.090       | 19.750   | 20.270 | 21.690 | 22.200 | 22.580 | 23.690 | 26.350 | 28.630    | 30.010  |
| <i>Above 15 months</i>   | 4.710        | 5.590    | 6.720    | 7.710        | 8.660    | 9.520  | 9.920  | 11.020 | 11.820 | 12.040 | 12.480 | 13.070    | 14.210  |

### Residence permits for family and relatives

|                       | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May   | June  | July  | August | September | October |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>   | 3.260        | 3.120    | 3.020    | 3.240        | 3.370    | 3.310 | 3.300 | 3.260 | 3.250 | 3.700 | 3.080  | 3.100     | 3.470   |
| <b>Decisions</b>      | 3.570        | 3.610    | 2.710    | 3.290        | 3.610    | 3.340 | 2.740 | 3.190 | 3.340 | 3.640 | 3.200  | 2.770     | 3.420   |
| <b>Backlog</b>        | 6.370        | 5.870    | 6.180    | 6.140        | 5.900    | 5.870 | 6.430 | 6.510 | 6.420 | 6.480 | 6.370  | 6.690     | 6.740   |
| <i>Up to 3 months</i> | 4.140        | 3.810    | 4.090    | 3.990        | 3.870    | 3.950 | 4.580 | 4.600 | 4.380 | 4.500 | 4.310  | 4.580     | 4.580   |
| <i>3 - 6 months</i>   | 1.520        | 1.410    | 1.400    | 1.410        | 1.340    | 1.250 | 1.220 | 1.300 | 1.360 | 1.420 | 1.420  | 1.450     | 1.470   |
| <i>Above 6 months</i> | 710          | 650      | 690      | 730          | 690      | 660   | 630   | 610   | 670   | 570   | 640    | 670       | 700     |

### Resident permits for highly-skilled migrants and talent

|                       | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May   | June  | July  | August | September | October |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>   | 1.980        | 2.170    | 1.850    | 1.770        | 1.730    | 1.720 | 1.860 | 1.780 | 1.890 | 2.280 | 1.920  | 1.710     | 1.790   |
| <b>Decisions</b>      | 1.910        | 2.190    | 1.880    | 2.020        | 1.920    | 1.660 | 1.660 | 1.560 | 2.130 | 2.200 | 2.130  | 1.580     | 2.030   |
| <b>Backlog</b>        | 1.980        | 1.960    | 1.930    | 1.680        | 1.500    | 1.560 | 1.770 | 1.980 | 1.740 | 1.830 | 1.620  | 1.740     | 1.500   |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>  | 850          | 930      | 720      | 680          | 630      | 680   | 890   | 1.030 | 800   | 930   | 730    | 880       | 710     |
| <i>1 - 3 months</i>   | 770          | 680      | 820      | 610          | 480      | 540   | 590   | 700   | 710   | 680   | 670    | 670       | 620     |
| <i>Above 3 months</i> | 360          | 350      | 390      | 400          | 390      | 340   | 290   | 260   | 240   | 230   | 220    | 200       | 170     |

### Residence permits for study

|                       | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May   | June  | July  | August | September | October |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>   | 390          | 2.410    | 1.650    | 160          | 80       | 70    | 170   | 3.940 | 7.310 | 5.180 | 550    | 130       | 360     |
| <b>Decisions</b>      | 290          | 1.550    | 2.550    | 230          | 120      | 70    | 140   | 2.580 | 7.040 | 6.570 | 870    | 150       | 240     |
| <b>Backlog</b>        | 260          | 1.120    | 220      | 160          | 120      | 110   | 140   | 1.500 | 1.770 | 380   | 70     | 40        | 170     |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>  | 130          | 990      | 80       | 30           | 20       | 10    | 40    | 1.410 | 1.670 | 370   | 50     | 30        | 160     |
| <i>1 - 3 months</i>   | -            | 20       | 30       | 10           | -        | -     | -     | -     | 10    | 10    | 10     | 10        | -       |
| <i>Above 3 months</i> | 130          | 120      | 120      | 120          | 100      | 100   | 90    | 90    | 90    | -     | -      | -         | -       |

### Residence permits for labour migration

|                       | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March | April | May   | June  | July  | August | September | October |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>   | 370          | 450      | 550      | 640          | 440      | 720   | 600   | 680   | 630   | 930   | 480    | 420       | 500     |
| <b>Decisions</b>      | 490          | 520      | 340      | 510          | 580      | 510   | 580   | 590   | 440   | 630   | 490    | 720       | 630     |
| <b>Backlog</b>        | 1.220        | 1.160    | 1.370    | 1.500        | 1.360    | 1.570 | 1.590 | 1.670 | 1.860 | 2.150 | 2.140  | 1.840     | 1.700   |
| <i>Up to 1 month</i>  | 310          | 390      | 480      | 530          | 410      | 660   | 460   | 530   | 510   | 490   | 400    | 350       | 440     |
| <i>1 - 3 months</i>   | 530          | 400      | 470      | 550          | 560      | 480   | 710   | 680   | 790   | 1.080 | 1.090  | 700       | 560     |
| <i>Above 3 months</i> | 380          | 370      | 420      | 420          | 390      | 440   | 420   | 460   | 560   | 590   | 650    | 780       | 700     |

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### Naturalisation

|                        | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|------------------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Applications</b>    | 4.530        | 4.500    | 4.140    | 5.140        | 4.850    | 4.430  | 4.480  | 3.750  | 3.850  | 5.030  | 3.800  | 4.080     | 5.700   |
| <b>Decisions</b>       | 4.870        | 4.870    | 4.250    | 3.840        | 4.750    | 5.190  | 3.410  | 5.470  | 5.010  | 2.470  | 70     | 9.890     | 5.210   |
| <b>Backlog</b>         | 17.930       | 17.570   | 17.460   | 18.760       | 18.860   | 18.100 | 19.170 | 17.450 | 16.300 | 18.850 | 22.590 | 16.780    | 17.270  |
| <i>Up to 6 month</i>   | 16.100       | 15.820   | 15.830   | 17.160       | 17.360   | 16.820 | 17.970 | 16.440 | 15.340 | 17.860 | 21.170 | 15.850    | 16.430  |
| <i>6-12 months</i>     | 1.370        | 1.300    | 1.190    | 1.140        | 1.040    | 840    | 770    | 640    | 610    | 650    | 1.040  | 610       | 560     |
| <i>Above 12 months</i> | 460          | 450      | 430      | 450          | 460      | 440    | 430    | 370    | 350    | 350    | 380    | 320       | 290     |

### Issue of residence documents and taking of biometrics

|  | October 2023 | November | December | January 2024 | February | March  | April  | May    | June   | July   | August | September | October |
|--|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| <b>Number of appointments-residence documents</b>                                  | 30.200       | 32.870   | 25.070   | 26.530       | 25.860   | 25.560 | 25.590 | 23.870 | 21.240 | 24.360 | 25.410 | 26.340    | 29.250  |
| <b>First possibility for an appointment to collect a residence document (days)</b> | 7            | 4        | 6        | 4            | 6        | 5      | 3      | 5      | 4      | 4      | 5      | 5         | 5       |
| <b>Number of appointments biometrics</b>   | 19.070       | 17.990   | 14.000   | 16.260       | 16.530   | 16.610 | 15.700 | 15.540 | 14.830 | 16.930 | 17.740 | 18.600    | 22.460  |
| <b>First possibility for an appointment to have biometrics taken (days)</b>        | 6            | 5        | 5        | 3            | 5        | 4      | 3      | 4      | 4      | 5      | 5      | 5         | 5       |