

Canada – Total entries of refugee claimants by top source countries

Source country*	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	Number									
Hungary	329	56	43	21	28	23	302	2,514	2,332	4,440
China, People's Republic of	2,107	1,798	1,968	1,694	1,589	1,439	1,661	1,556	1,615	1,874
Colombia	2,628	2,142	3,924	1,184	1,420	2,742	3,317	2,456	1,449	933
Pakistan	3,546	4,226	904	644	615	354	391	427	529	889
Namibia	8	10	16	8	--	13	11	29	310	847
Nigeria	664	639	558	581	674	743	771	783	873	699
Mexico	2,083	2,611	2,802	3,446	4,945	7,226	9,527	7,606	1,221	677
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	376	400	307	407	368	348	494	654	707	671
Sri Lanka	1,589	1,239	1,133	854	862	779	1,012	826	1,172	634
India	1,185	1,121	1,098	827	768	552	550	490	526	632
Haiti	238	197	174	377	756	3,698	4,909	1,595	1,113	533
El Salvador	286	199	185	175	270	335	660	564	562	470
United States	235	347	261	258	417	1,027	935	473	359	333
Turkey	1,044	404	256	263	264	148	233	239	298	329
Israel	545	542	427	280	492	385	332	338	201	173
Bangladesh	325	708	321	175	121	80	99	118	124	119
Peru	1,013	554	547	187	164	168	215	145	107	107
Guyana	580	636	281	236	276	118	128	94	62	49
Zimbabwe	123	58	90	685	581	226	379	222	51	42
Czech Republic	18	22	15	10	--	100	848	2,101	32	27
Argentina	665	198	94	45	46	36	38	40	28	21
Costa Rica	1,525	1,830	680	78	48	24	27	38	25	14
Top 10 source countries	17,385	16,950	14,041	10,699	12,702	18,945	24,190	20,655	11,573	12,296
Other countries	15,926	14,834	11,408	8,971	10,154	9,453	12,589	12,422	11,501	13,015
Total	33,311	31,784	25,449	19,670	22,856	28,398	36,779	33,077	23,074	25,311

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	Percentage distribution									
Hungary	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.8	7.6	10.1	17.5
China, People's Republic of	6.3	5.7	7.7	8.6	7.0	5.1	4.5	4.7	7.0	7.4
Colombia	7.9	6.7	15.4	6.0	6.2	9.7	9.0	7.4	6.3	3.7
Pakistan	10.6	13.3	3.6	3.3	2.7	1.2	1.1	1.3	2.3	3.5
Namibia	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	--	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.3	3.3
Nigeria	2.0	2.0	2.2	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.1	2.4	3.8	2.8
Mexico	6.3	8.2	11.0	17.5	21.6	25.4	25.9	23.0	5.3	2.7
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	1.1	1.3	1.2	2.1	1.6	1.2	1.3	2.0	3.1	2.7
Sri Lanka	4.8	3.9	4.5	4.3	3.8	2.7	2.8	2.5	5.1	2.5
India	3.6	3.5	4.3	4.2	3.4	1.9	1.5	1.5	2.3	2.5
Haiti	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.9	3.3	13.0	13.3	4.8	4.8	2.1
El Salvador	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.8	1.7	2.4	1.9
United States	0.7	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.8	3.6	2.5	1.4	1.6	1.3
Turkey	3.1	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.3
Israel	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.4	2.2	1.4	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.7
Bangladesh	1.0	2.2	1.3	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5
Peru	3.0	1.7	2.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4
Guyana	1.7	2.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Zimbabwe	0.4	0.2	0.4	3.5	2.5	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.2	0.2
Czech Republic	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	--	0.4	2.3	6.4	0.1	0.1
Argentina	2.0	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Costa Rica	4.6	5.8	2.7	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Top 10 source countries	52.2	53.3	55.2	54.4	55.6	66.7	65.8	62.4	50.2	48.6
Other countries	47.8	46.7	44.8	45.6	44.4	33.3	34.2	37.6	49.8	51.4
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

* For refugee claimants, source country refers to the principal country of alleged persecution