

## ASYLUM STATISTICS JULY 2018

SURVEY		
APPLICATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION	July 2018	2018
Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection *	1.812	9.978
Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection	305	2.807
Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection	2.117	12.785
<b>DECISIONS</b>		
<b>Intermediary decisions</b>		
Number of persons for whom a further assessment (border) was decided + number of persons whose subsequent application was declared admissible	63	613
<b>Final decisions</b>		
Number of persons who received a decision granting refugee status	457	5.806
Number of persons who received a decision granting subsidiary protection status	131	1.226
Number of persons whose application was declared inadmissible	249	2.143
Number of persons whose application was considered manifestly unfounded	73	403
Number of persons who received a decision refusing refugee status and refusing subsidiary protection status	388	3.512
<b>Number of persons whose status was ended or revoked</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>138</b>
<b>Total number of persons who received a decision regarding their application for international protection</b>	<b>1.368</b>	<b>13.841</b>
<b>CASELOAD</b>		
	End of July 2018	
	4.612 cases	

\* This category contains both the applications filed at the border and those filed on the territory, as well as applications filed by persons who came to Belgium through resettlement (3 persons in July).

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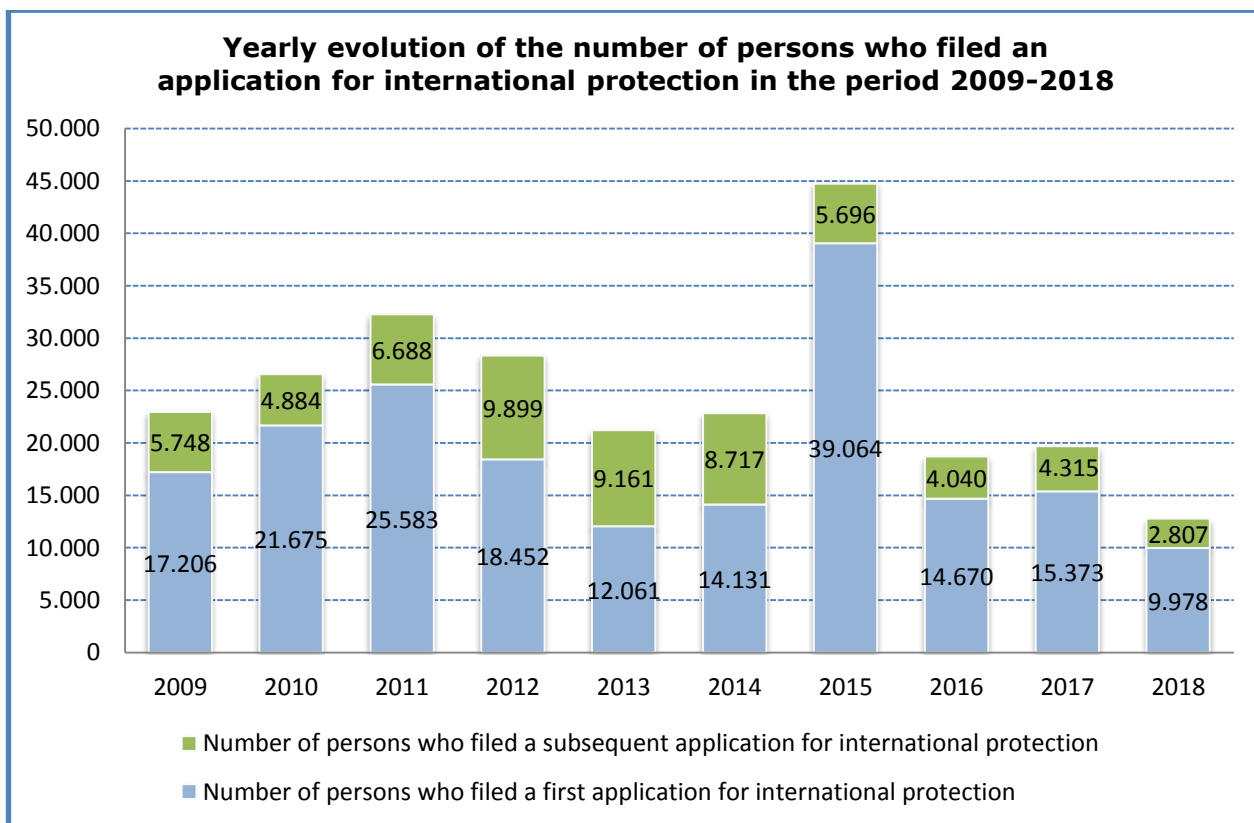
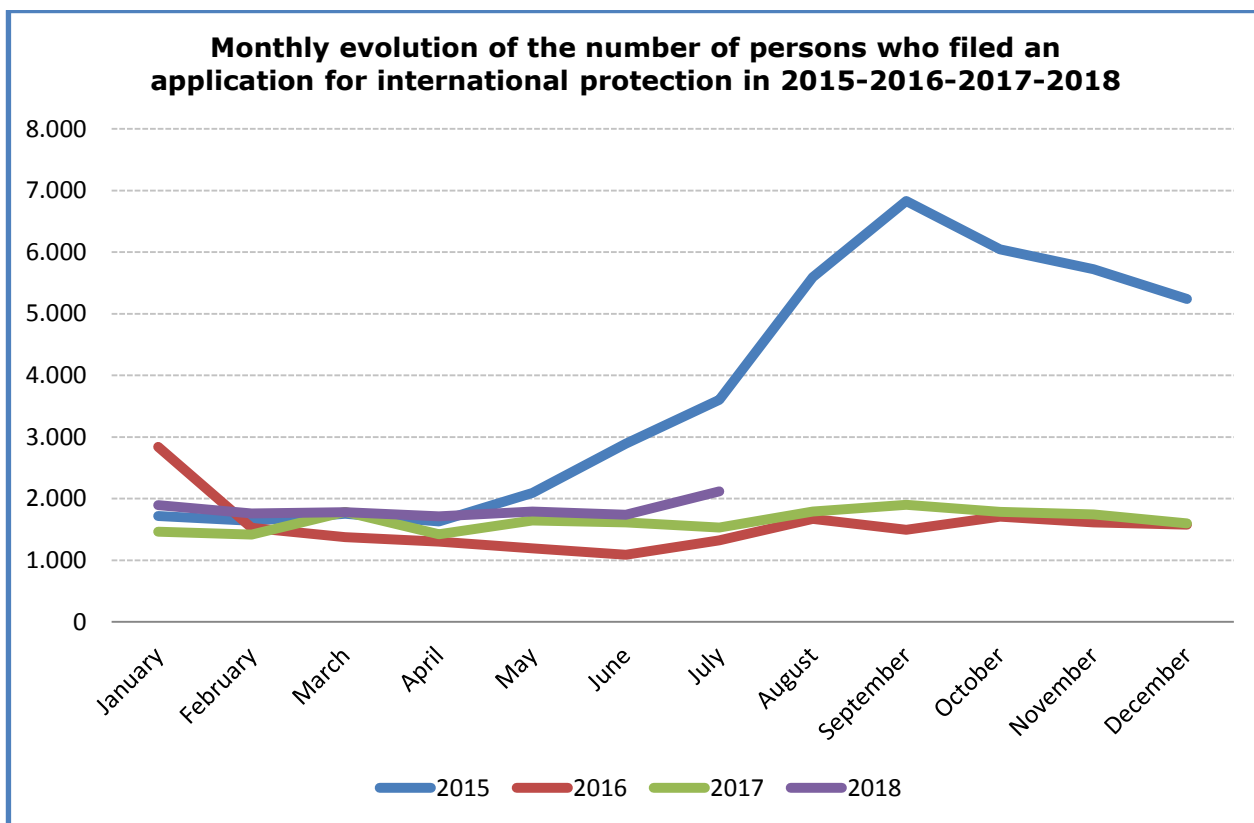
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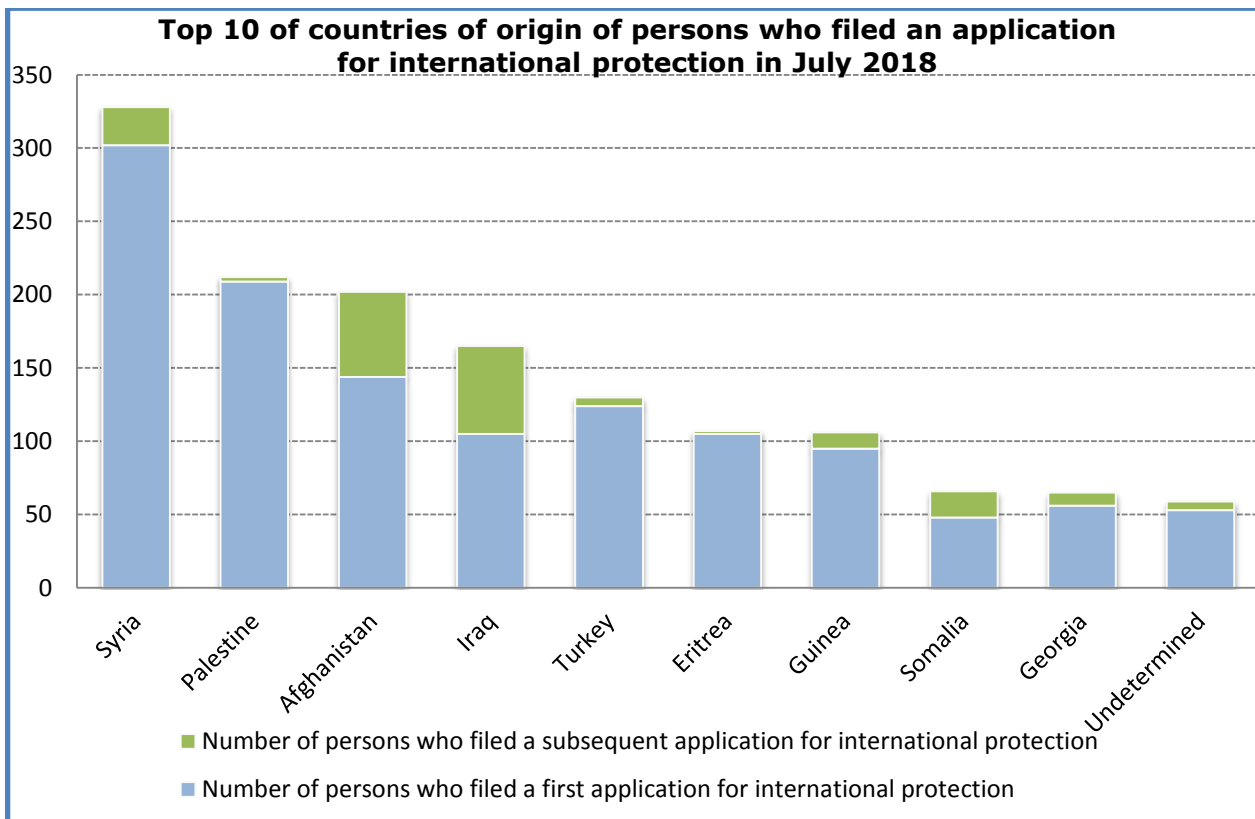
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**I. APPLICATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION** (Source: Immigration Office)

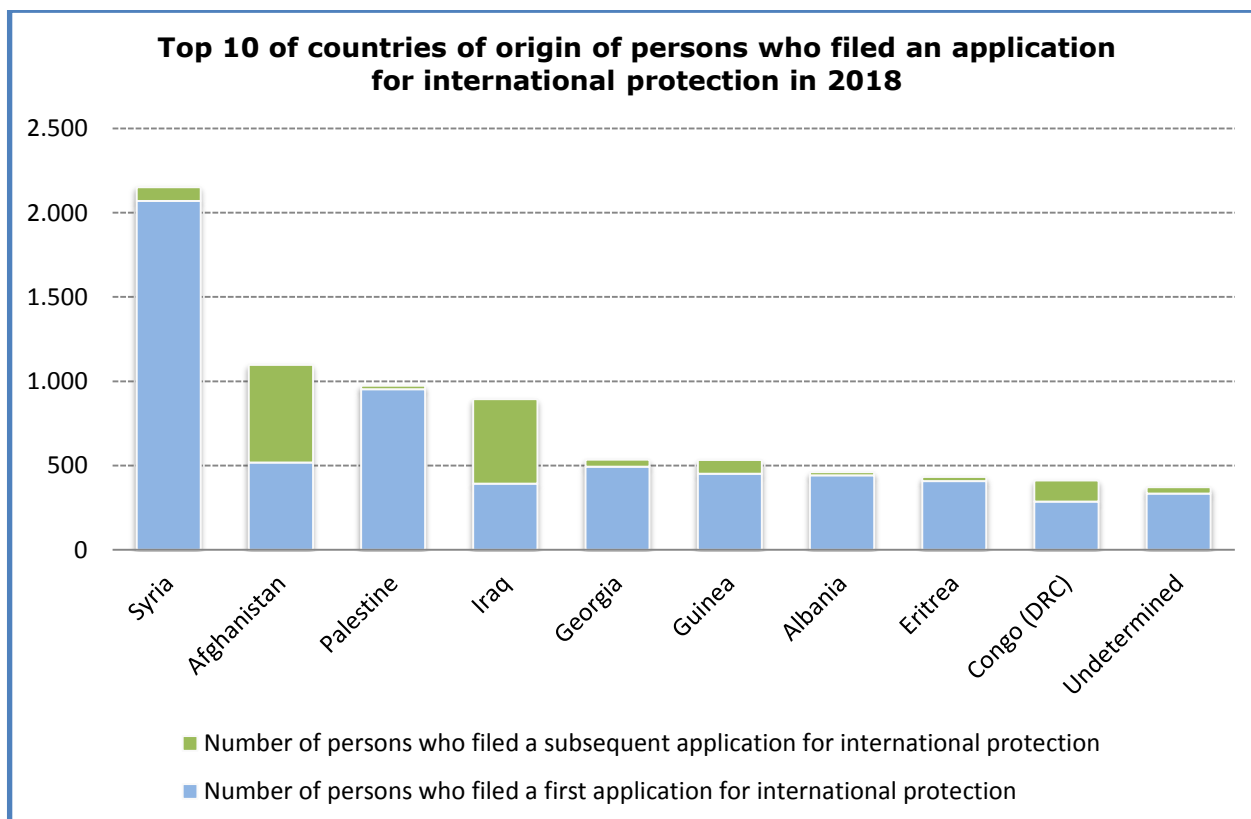
<b>Number of persons who who filed an application for international protection in 2015,2016, 2017 and 2018</b>							
	<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection 2015</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection 2015</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection 2015</b>		<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection 2016</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection 2016</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection 2016</b>
January	1.717	1.213	504	January	2.842	2.396	446
February	1.642	1.072	570	February	1.523	1.313	210
March	1.755	1.171	584	March	1.374	1.016	358
April	1.627	1.117	510	April	1.300	1.033	267
May	2.094	1.615	479	May	1.193	836	357
June	2.894	2.326	568	June	1.089	790	299
July	3.601	3.137	464	July	1.322	1.084	238
August	5.595	5.166	429	August	1.673	1.254	419
September	6.830	6.360	470	September	1.496	1.176	320
October	6.043	5.532	511	October	1.705	1.330	375
November	5.724	5.528	196	November	1.614	1.261	353
December	5.238	4.827	411	December	1.579	1.181	398
<b>Total</b>	<b>44.760</b>	<b>39.064</b>	<b>5.696</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>18.710</b>	<b>14.670</b>	<b>4.040</b>
	<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection 2017</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection 2017</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection 2017</b>		<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection 2018</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection 2018</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection 2018</b>
January	1.461	1.151	310	January	1.893	1.458	435
February	1.416	1.081	335	February	1.757	1.369	388
March	1.784	1.377	407	March	1.779	1.344	435
April	1.424	1.084	340	April	1.711	1.323	388
May	1.643	1.290	353	May	1.791	1.320	471
June	1.614	1.267	347	June	1.737	1.352	385
July	1.529	1.172	357	July	2.117	1.812	305
August	1.790	1.437	353	August			
September	1.898	1.553	345	September			
October	1.787	1.357	430	October			
November	1.742	1.377	365	November			
December	1.600	1.227	373	December			
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.688</b>	<b>15.373</b>	<b>4.315</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>12.785</b>	<b>9.978</b>	<b>2.807</b>



<b>Top 10 of countries of origin of persons who who filed an application for international protection in July 2018</b>			
<b>Country of origin</b>	<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection</b>
1 Syria	328	302	26
2 Palestine	212	209	3
3 Afghanistan	202	144	58
4 Iraq	165	105	60
5 Turkey	130	124	6
6 Eritrea	107	105	2
7 Guinea	106	95	11
8 Somalia	66	48	18
9 Georgia	65	56	9
10 Undetermined	59	53	6
Other countries	677	571	106
<b>Total July 2018</b>	<b>2.117</b>	<b>1.812</b>	<b>305</b>



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<b>Country of origin</b>	<b>Total number of persons who filed an application for international protection</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a first application for international protection</b>	<b>Number of persons who filed a subsequent application for international protection</b>
1 Syria	2.152	2.070	82
2 Afghanistan	1.098	519	579
3 Palestine	975	953	22
4 Iraq	895	393	502
5 Georgia	536	494	42
6 Guinea	533	451	82
7 Albania	461	442	19
8 Eritrea	433	408	25
9 Congo (DRC)	412	286	126
10 Undetermined	373	334	39
Other countries	4.917	3.628	1.289
<b>Total 2018</b>	<b>12.785</b>	<b>9.978</b>	<b>2.807</b>



II. **DECISIONS** (Source: CGRS)

Number of persons who received a decision regarding their application for international protection													
Decisions	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Tot
<b>Intermediary decisions</b>													
Number of persons for whom a further assessment (border) was decided + number of persons whose subsequent application was declared admissible	68	110	118	92	70	92	63						613
<b>Final decisions</b>													
Number of persons who received a decision granting refugee status	617	691	901	866	1.278	996	457						5.806
Number of persons who received a decision granting subsidiary protection status	145	158	193	221	166	212	131						1.226
Number of persons whose application was declared inadmissible	309	278	450	248	258	351	249						2.143
Number of persons whose application was considered manifestly unfounded	56	52	23	55	90	54	73						403
Number of persons who received a decision refusing refugee status and refusing subsidiary protection status	433	460	800	410	484	537	388						3.512
<b>Number of persons whose status was ended or revoked</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>						<b>138</b>
<b>Total number of persons who received a decision regarding their application for international protection</b>	<b>1.644</b>	<b>1.773</b>	<b>2.517</b>	<b>1.913</b>	<b>2.370</b>	<b>2.256</b>	<b>1.368</b>						<b>13.841</b>

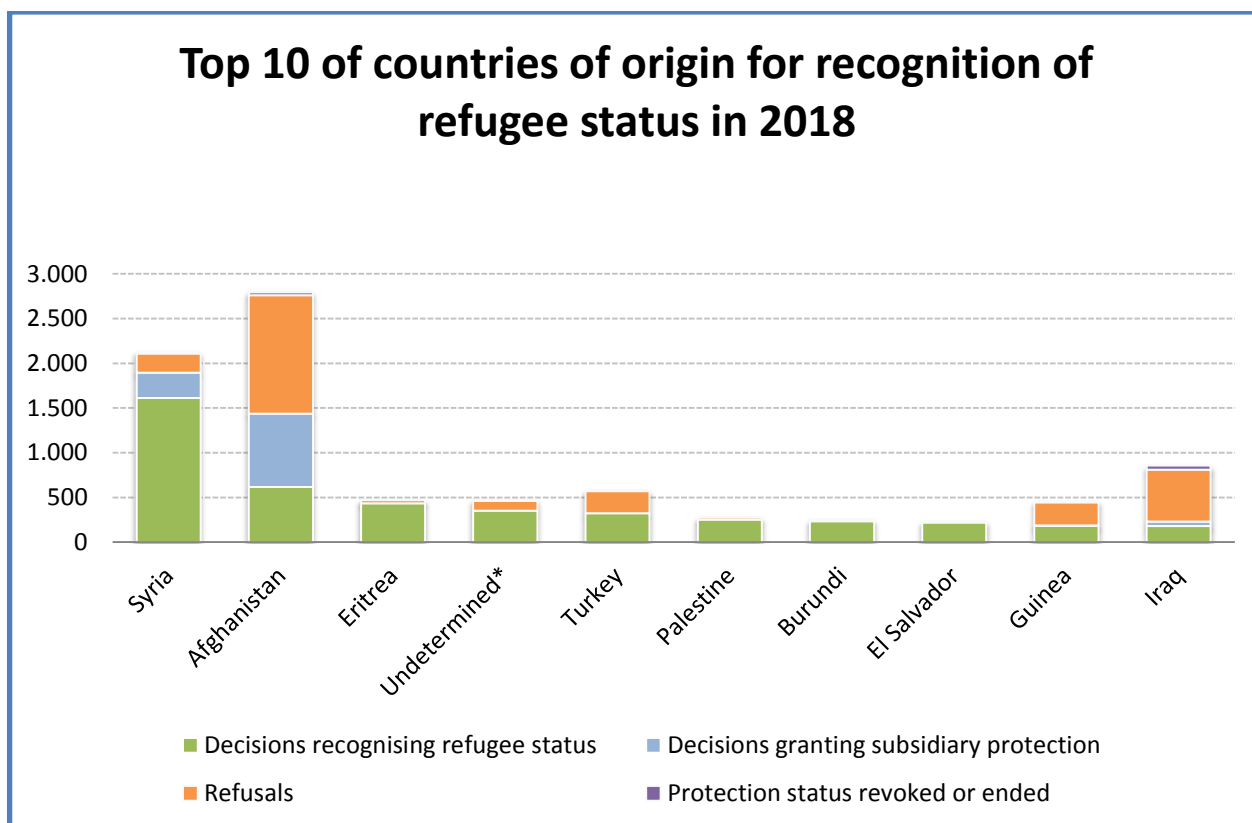
Number of decisions (cases)													
Decisions	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Tot
<b>Intermediary decisions</b>													
further assessment (border) + subsequent application declared admissible	55	85	94	70	61	73	52						490
<b>Final decisions</b>													
Recognition of refugee status (RS)	455	467	638	616	850	726	335						4.087
Granting of subsidiary protection status (SP)	129	133	182	167	132	170	104						1.017
Application declared inadmissible	254	235	364	201	219	299	221						1.793
Application considered manifestly unfounded	48	40	20	41	63	41	52						305
Refusal of refugee status and refusal of subsidiary protection status	362	385	660	348	421	458	336						2.970
<b>Protection status revoked or ended</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>						<b>130</b>
<b>Total number of decisions</b>	<b>1.317</b>	<b>1.366</b>	<b>1.990</b>	<b>1.464</b>	<b>1.767</b>	<b>1.781</b>	<b>1.107</b>						<b>10.792</b>

### Top 10 of countries of origin for recognition of refugee status in 2018

Country of origin	Decisions recognising refugee status	Decisions granting subsidiary protection	Protection status revoked or ended	Refusals	Total number of final decisions *
1 Syria	1.611	285	6	214	2.116
2 Afghanistan	616	819	34	1.325	2.794
3 Eritrea	435	0	1	35	471
4 Undetermined*	353	0	3	112	468
5 Turkey	325	0	6	245	576
6 Palestine	251	0	0	26	277
7 Burundi	236	0	0	15	251
8 El Salvador	220	0	0	10	230
9 Guinea	185	3	7	258	453
10 Iraq	180	52	46	579	857
Other countries	1.394	67	35	3.239	4.735
<b>Total 2018</b>	<b>5.806</b>	<b>1.226</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>6.058</b>	<b>13.228</b>

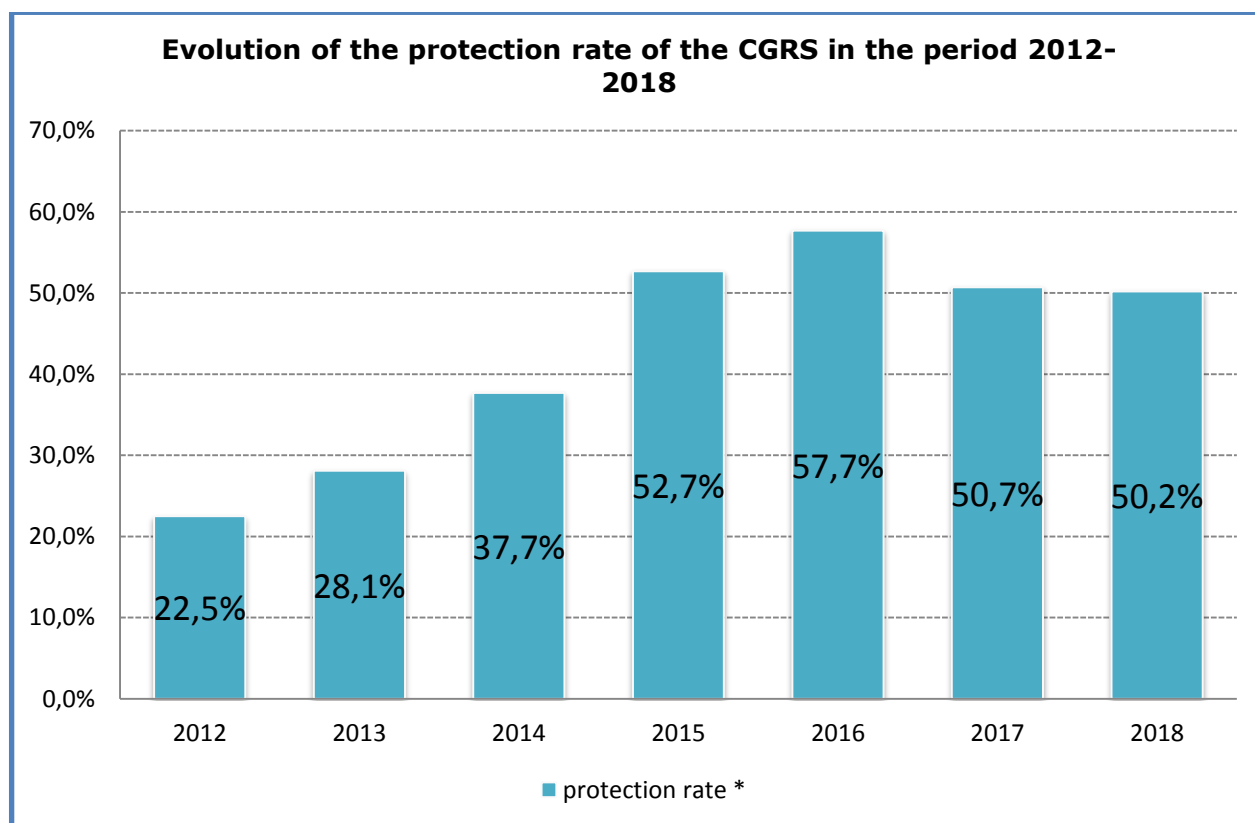
\* The decisions 'further assessment (border) and subsequent application declared admissible' are a kind of intermediary decision and are therefore **not included** in the final decisions.

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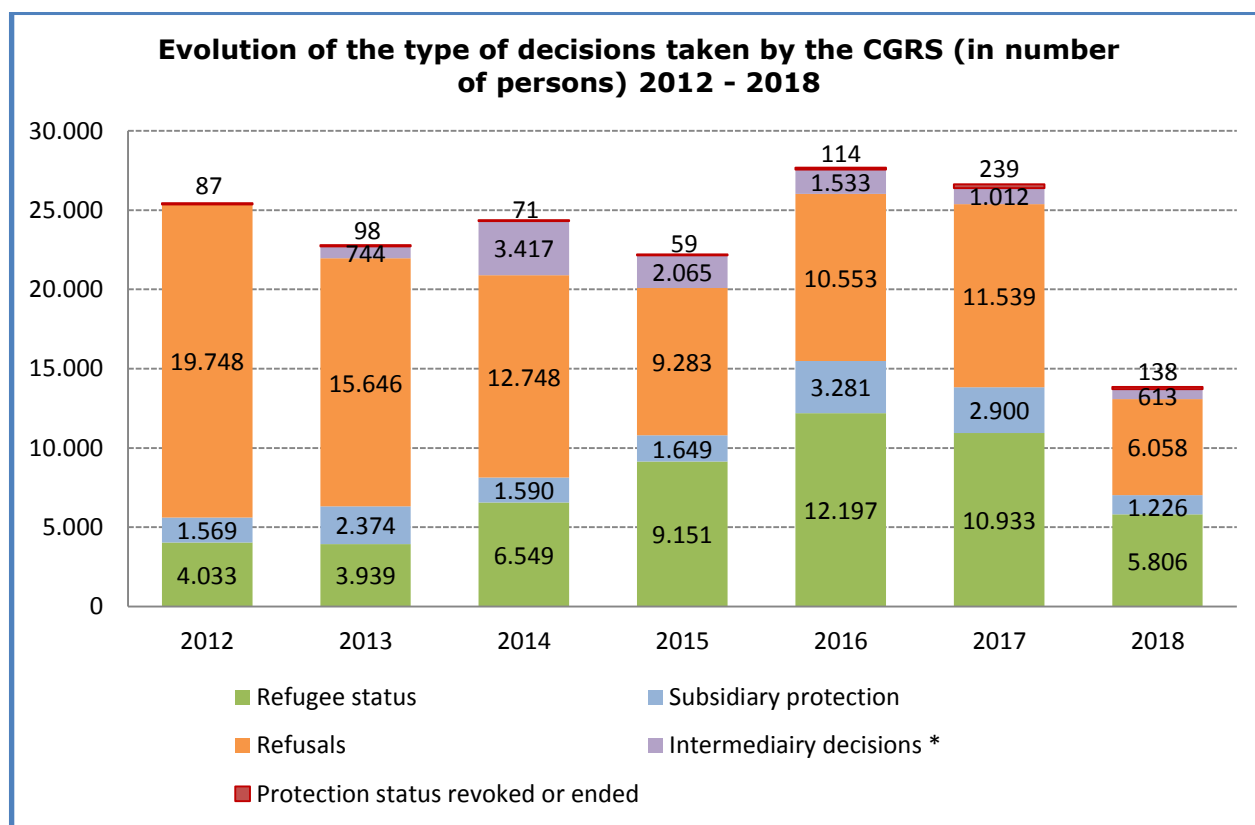


\* 'Undetermined' includes persons whose nationality could not be ascertained, stateless persons,...





\* The protection rate is the percentage of applications leading to recognition of refugee status or granting of subsidiary protection status compared to the total number of final decisions (- the number of files where the protection status was revoked or ended).



\* 'Intermediary decisions' are the decisions 'further assessment (border) and subsequent application declared admissible.'

### III. CASELOAD (Source: CGRS)

At the end of July 2018, the total caseload of the CGRS amounted to **4,612** asylum dossiers (5,812 persons). As a normal caseload corresponds to **4,200** dossiers, the actual backlog amounts to **412** dossiers.

