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AFGHANISTAN	300	146	0	43	11	14	60
ALBANIA	1102	329	0	325	24	47	242
ALGERIA	145	53	0	68	4	8	31
ANGOLA	20	7	0	5	2	4	4
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
ARGENTINA	138	6	0	27	38	20	32
ARMENIA	493	87	0	114	71	58	118
AUSTRALIA	4	1	0	0	0	0	2
AUSTRIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
AZERBAIJAN	152	31	0	17	29	5	19
BAHAMAS	10	0	0	1	3	1	1
BAHRAIN	22	0	0	13	0	1	11
BANGLADESH	769	115	0	391	158	223	297
BARBADOS	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
BELGIUM	8	0	0	3	0	0	0
BELIZE	13	4	0	5	4	16	12
BENIN	7	0	0	6	3	2	3
BHUTAN	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
BOLIVIA	39	0	0	12	5	10	31
BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA	23	8	0	7	0	2	13
BRAZIL	157	13	0	39	13	29	76
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	4	0	0	0	0	0	2
BRUNEI	2	0	0	2	0	0	0

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BUKINA FASO	18	3	0	7	1	2	3
BULGARIA	196	50	0	102	21	39	78
BURMA (MYANMAR)	152	73	0	40	15	10	23
BURUNDI	85	6	0	34	16	2	22
BYELORUSSIA (BELARUS)	50	20	0	18	0	8	26
CAMBODIA	102	6	0	29	2	10	32
CAMEROON	185	54	0	71	1	10	40
CANADA	22	2	0	8	1	3	9
CAPE VERDE	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAYMAN ISLANDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	4	2	0	2	0	1	0
CHAD	16	4	0	4	1	0	2
CHILE	55	0	0	16	1	14	11
CHINA	7073	2130	60	2700	417	383	1625
COLOMBIA	603	87	0	251	81	59	211
COMORO ISLANDS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
CONGO	269	72	0	71	9	8	39
COSTA RICA	23	0	0	6	4	4	4
CROATIA	31	4	0	6	5	10	22
CUBA	1513	132	0	228	14	369	502
CYPRUS	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
CZECH REPUBLIC	8	1	0	6	0	0	4
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	13	0	0	12	1	1	10

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DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONG	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
DENMARK	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
DJIBOUTI	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
DOMINICA	8	0	0	0	1	3	2
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	31	0	0	13	1	10	12
ECUADOR	85	13	0	36	31	68	62
EGYPT	407	178	0	128	27	45	92
EL SALVADOR	5046	106	0	2059	1060	1216	2058
EQUATORIAL GUINEA	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
ERITREA	104	42	0	27	2	3	28
ESTONIA	10	7	0	10	0	2	4
ETHIOPIA	528	214	0	180	14	25	125
FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONES	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIJI	312	21	0	36	5	13	55
FINLAND	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE	14	0	0	7	0	4	6
GABON	2	0	0	3	1	1	1
GAMBIA	98	30	1	49	21	16	41
GAZA STRIP	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
GEORGIA	107	58	0	33	7	6	25
GERMANY	35	3	0	12	0	3	7
GHANA	174	14	0	112	29	53	79
GIBRALTAR	1	0	0	1	0	0	0

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GREECE	1	0	0	2	1	0	4
GRENADA	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
GUATEMALA	7097	184	0	2441	2003	993	3080
GUINEA	127	19	0	86	8	10	35
GUINEA BISSAU	11	0	0	3	0	0	4
GUYANA	69	1	0	26	4	12	34
HAITI	3259	202	0	1235	227	271	653
HEARD AND MCDONALD ISLANDS	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
HONDURAS	1001	26	0	238	218	249	962
HONG KONG	10	0	0	4	0	0	5
HUNGARY	24	6	0	10	1	16	20
INDIA	2757	410	0	1031	302	234	807
INDONESIA	426	42	0	23	6	20	46
IRAN	698	229	0	154	58	73	183
IRAQ	198	76	0	53	3	19	63
IRELAND	3	0	0	1	1	1	0
ISRAEL	64	10	0	28	12	22	44
ITALY	8	0	0	1	0	6	4
IVORY COAST (COTE D'IVOIRE)	66	9	0	36	11	20	32
JAMAICA	53	2	0	20	11	29	41
JAPAN	4	0	0	1	0	3	5
JORDAN	155	28	3	43	37	31	73
KAMPUCHEA	106	32	0	39	5	9	20

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KAZAKHSTAN	71	24	0	19	3	2	15
KENYA	101	28	0	28	4	13	21
KIRGHIZIA (KYRGYZSTAN)	17	6	0	5	4	0	3
KOSOVO	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
KUWAIT	29	13	0	20	2	7	12
LAOS	312	18	0	86	13	36	125
LATVIA	28	5	0	18	0	5	16
LEBANON	250	35	0	51	44	55	132
LESOTHO	3	0	0	0	0	0	2
LIBERIA	443	104	0	93	33	22	335
LIBYA	10	5	0	2	0	0	2
LITHUANIA	27	3	0	18	3	3	16
MACAU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
MACEDONIA	75	12	0	39	10	19	21
MADAGASCAR	3	2	0	0	1	0	4
MALAWI	1	0	0	2	0	0	0
MALAYSIA	27	3	0	6	0	10	5
MALDIVES	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
MALI	60	11	0	31	14	23	37
MALTA	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
MAURITANIA	761	181	0	405	74	34	114
MAURITIUS	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
MEXICO	4941	43	0	902	1218	3780	1601

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MOLDAVIA (MOLDOVA)	28	3	0	5	0	5	16
MONGOLIA	10	0	0	1	0	0	0
MOROCCO	19	2	0	5	1	0	6
MOZAMBIQUE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
NAURU	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
NEPAL	133	40	0	42	2	8	17
NETHERLANDS	1	0	0	1	0	2	4
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
NEW CALEDONIA	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
NICARAGUA	236	13	0	99	28	1070	1662
NIGER	23	2	0	8	2	4	7
NIGERIA	575	105	0	267	49	108	239
NIUE	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
NO NATIONALITY	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
NORTH KOREA	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
NORWAY	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
OMAN	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
PAKISTAN	1010	155	0	343	162	109	381
PANAMA	197	2	0	9	61	8	49
PARAGUAY	18	1	0	4	3	0	11
PERU	1393	276	0	554	174	231	457
PHILIPPINES	790	26	0	189	126	190	294

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POLAND	73	1	0	22	7	47	53
PORTUGAL	11	0	0	6	6	12	11
QATAR	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
ROMANIA	201	37	1	111	26	90	204
RUSSIA	1005	323	0	273	47	121	379
RWANDA	56	16	0	17	8	5	10
SAUDI ARABIA	13	3	0	3	0	1	6
SENEGAL	80	13	0	50	10	24	28
SERBIA MONTENEGRO	97	42	0	30	2	1	13
SEYCHELLES	2	1	0	1	1	0	1
SIERRA LEONE	259	49	0	38	16	13	98
SINGAPORE	4	1	0	0	1	0	0
SLOVAK REPUBLIC	15	5	0	10	0	1	4
SLOVENIA	8	2	0	4	1	1	3
SOMALIA	1430	381	0	424	109	18	249
SOUTH AFRICA	55	5	0	25	2	5	13
SOUTH KOREA	41	1	0	1	1	3	12
SOVIET UNION	6	1	0	4	0	0	2
SPAIN	15	0	0	6	1	3	3
SRI LANKA	408	175	0	94	26	46	102
ST. KITTS, WEST INDIES	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
ST. LUCIA	5	2	0	0	2	2	1
ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINE	0	0	0	0	1	4	1

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STATELESS - ALIEN UNABLE TO NA	43	22	0	22	9	7	6
SUDAN	162	68	0	62	7	8	50
SURINAME	45	7	0	30	14	11	27
SWEDEN	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
SWITZERLAND	2	0	0	1	0	1	0
SYRIA	98	7	0	48	15	19	37
TAIWAN	12	1	0	4	3	11	4
TAJIKISTAN (TADZHIK)	7	4	0	2	1	0	2
TANZANIA	11	2	0	1	3	1	3
THAILAND	53	0	0	11	12	8	19
THE REPUBLIC OF PALAU	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
TOGO	67	23	0	14	2	6	13
TONGA	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	48	0	0	16	9	11	25
TUNISIA	14	1	0	2	0	3	6
TURKEY	55	8	0	19	7	13	21
TURKMENISTAN	9	6	0	2	0	1	2
TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
UGANDA	103	26	0	59	5	9	19
UKRAINE	350	140	0	161	22	54	194
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	4	2	0	3	0	0	2
UNITED KINGDOM	50	12	0	8	2	8	46
UNKNOWN NATIONALITY	2	0	0	1	0	0	0



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URUGUAY	3	0	0	4	1	4	2
UZBEKISTAN	52	19	0	20	1	4	20
VENEZUELA	46	2	0	30	4	18	25
VIETNAM	484	18	0	159	4	57	180
WESTERN SAHARA	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
WESTERN SAMOA	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
YEMEN	100	7	0	36	11	12	42
YUGOSLAVIA	647	322	0	154	26	110	208
ZAIRE	77	65	1	35	2	6	30
ZAMBIA	9	3	0	2	0	1	6
ZIMBABWE	7	0	0	8	0	0	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>54,916</b>	<b>8,355</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>18,169</b>	<b>7,524</b>	<b>11,401</b>	<b>20,142</b>