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|  | **2014** | **2015** | **2016** |
|  | **Ordered to leave** | **Returned to Third Country** | **Return rate[[1]](#footnote-1)** | **Ordered to leave** | **Returned to Third Country** | **Return rate** | **Ordered to leave** | **Returned to Third Country** | **Return rate** |
| **European Union (28 countries)** | 470,080 | 196,280 | 41.75% | 533,395 | 196,190 | 36.78% | 493,790 | 226,150 | 45.80% |
| **Belgium** | 35,245 | 5,575 | 15.82% | 31,045 | 5,550 | 17.88% | 33,020 | 6,920 | 20.96% |
| **Bulgaria** | 12,870 | 1,155 | 8.97% | 20,810 | 540 | 2.59% | 14,120 | 1,105 | 7.83% |
| **Czech Republic** | 2,460 | 320 | 13.01% | 4,510 | 330 | 7.32% | 3,760 | 390 | 10.37% |
| **Denmark** | 2,905 | 1,400 | 48.19% | 3,925 | 1,040 | 26.50% | 3,050 | 930 | 30.49% |
| **Germany (until 1990 former territory of the FRG)** | 34,255 | 21,895 | 63.92% | 54,080 | 53,640 | 99.19% | 70,005 | 74,080 | 105.82% |
| **Estonia** | 475 | 445 | 93.68% | 590 | 40 | 6.78% | 505 | 380 | 75.25% |
| **Ireland** | 970 | 345 | 35.57% | 875 | 205 | 23.43% | 1,355 | 245 | 18.08% |
| **Greece** | 73,670 | 27,055 | 36.72% | 104,575 | 14,390 | 13.76% | 33,790 | 19,055 | 56.39% |
| **Spain** | 42,150 | 15,150 | 35.94% | 33,495 | 12,235 | 36.53% | 27,845 | 9,530 | 34.23% |
| **France** | 86,955 | 19,525 | 22.45% | 79,950 | 12,195 | 15.25% | 81,000 | 10,930 | 13.49% |
| **Croatia** | 3,120 | 2,245 | 71.96% | 3,910 | 1,405 | 35.93% | 4,730 | 1,720 | 36.36% |
| **Italy** | 25,300 | 5,310 | 20.99% | 27,305 | 4,670 | 17.10% | 32,365 | 5,715 | 17.66% |
| **Cyprus** | 3,525 | 2,990 | 84.82% | 2,250 | 1,840 | 81.78% | 1,575 | 1,035 | 65.71% |
| **Latvia** | 1,555 | 1,550 | 99.68% | 1,190 | 1,030 | 86.55% | 1,450 | 1,355 | 93.45% |
| **Lithuania** | 2,245 | 1,930 | 85.97% | 1,870 | 1,685 | 90.11% | 1,740 | 1,545 | 88.79% |
| **Luxembourg** | 775 | 605 | 78.06% | 700 | 720 | 102.86% | 655 | 405 | 61.83% |
| **Hungary** | 5,885 | 4,345 | 73.83% | 11,750 | 5,755 | 48.98% | 10,765 | 780 | 7.25% |
| **Malta** | 990 | 495 | 50.00% | 575 | 465 | 80.87% | 415 | 420 | 101.20% |
| **Netherlands** | 33,735 | 7,995 | 23.70% | 23,765 | 8,380 | 35.26% | 32,950 | 11,215 | 34.04% |
| **Austria** | : | 2,480 | : | 9,910 | : | : | 11,850 | 5,895 | 49.75% |
| **Poland** | 10,160 | 9,280 | 91.34% | 13,635 | 12,750 | 93.51% | 20,010 | 18,530 | 92.60% |
| **Portugal** | 3,845 | 820 | 21.33% | 5,080 | 565 | 11.12% | 6,200 | 0 | 0.00% |
| **Romania** | 2,030 | 2,085 | 102.71% | 1,930 | 1,995 | 103.37% | 2,070 | 1,865 | 90.10% |
| **Slovenia** | 1,025 | 840 | 81.95% | 1,025 | 155 | 15.12% | 1,375 | 205 | 14.91% |
| **Slovakia** | 925 | 695 | 75.14% | 1,575 | 970 | 61.59% | 1,735 | 1,390 | 80.12% |
| **Finland** | 3,360 | 3,195 | 95.09% | 4,905 | 2,980 | 60.75% | 17,975 | 5,610 | 31.21% |
| **Sweden** | 14,280 | 6,630 | 46.43% | 18,150 | 9,695 | 53.42% | 17,585 | 10,160 | 57.78% |
| **United Kingdom** | 65,365 | 49,920 | 76.37% | 70,020 | 40,965 | 58.50% | 59,895 | 34,740 | 58.00% |
| **Iceland** | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| **Liechtenstein** | 15 | 15 | 100.00% | 15 | 0 | 0.00% | 15 | 5 | 33.33% |
| **Norway** | 13,305 | 5,365 | 40.32% | 13,705 | 3,540 | 25.83% | : | : | : |
| **Switzerland** | 3,335 | : | : | 3,730 | 0 | 0.00% | : | : | : |

1. The return rate is the ratio between the number of persons issued with a return decision and the number of persons effectively returned (irrespective of whether they returned voluntarily or forced). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)