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Number of visa subclasses 491, 190 and 189 submitted and grant approved in the past 12 months, shown by month, nomination state and country of origin of the applicant.

Notes:

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (internal documents).

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) visas submitted under Global Talent are not included.

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas submitted under Global Talent are not included.

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Response By Month:

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189), Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) and Skilled Work Regional (subclass 491) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by month													
Visa Subclass	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
189 Skilled - Independent	993	822	598	518	471	475	542	514	642	692	518	1027	790
190 Skilled - Nominated	505	1248	923	662	614	771	1464	1617	2645	4097	2338	1288	1210
491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	426	870	708	590	589	983	1476	1571	2194	3048	1923	1658	1470

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189), Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) and Skilled Work Regional (subclass 491) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by month													
Visa Subclass	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
189 Skilled - Independent	685	290	363	206	126	370	1016	1059	1311	828	557	539	613
190 Skilled - Nominated	478	549	1093	1021	721	901	2052	1618	2755	2419	1141	817	977
491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	329	1145	969	802	623	709	1137	570	829	984	875	593	490

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Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas submitted under Global Talent are not included.

Data for nomination states is only available to 30/09/2021.

Intended residence is used instead of government sponsor for Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) as this subclass does not require a state sponsor.

Not specified values for intended residence represent applications where the applicant has not declared their intended residence at the time of lodging their application.

Not specified values for government sponsor data for Skilled Work Regional (Provisional) (subclass 491) indicates that the applicant was sponsored by an eligible relative.

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Response by Nomination State

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by intended residence state	
Intended Residence	Total
Australian Capital Territory	95
New South Wales	2190
Northern Territory	52
Queensland	1938
South Australia	169
Tasmania	33
Victoria	2379
Western Australia	1200
Not Specified	545

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by government sponsor state	
Government Sponsor	Total
Australian Capital Territory	1725
New South Wales	5201
Northern Territory	1002
Queensland	1470
South Australia	3111
Tasmania	1793
Victoria	3042
Western Australia	2037

Skilled Work Regional (Provisional) (subclass 491) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by government sponsor state	
Government Sponsor	Total
Australian Capital Territory	1645
New South Wales	2993
Northern Territory	1347
Queensland	1637
South Australia	4218
Tasmania	3483
Victoria	489
Western Australia	453
Not Specified	1238

Response by Grants

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by intended residence state	
Intended Residence	Total
Australian Capital Territory	47
New South Wales	1379
Northern Territory	13
Not Specified	4296
Queensland	377
South Australia	102
Tasmania	20
Victoria	1336
Western Australia	393

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by government sponsor state	
Government Sponsor	Total
Australian Capital Territory	1850
New South Wales	3937
Northern Territory	671
Queensland	1717
South Australia	2230
Tasmania	1604
Victoria	2608
Western Australia	1925

Skilled Work Regional (Provisional) (subclass 491) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by government sponsor state	
Government Sponsor	Total
Australian Capital Territory	562
New South Wales	1486
Northern Territory	529
Queensland	1685
South Australia	1743
Tasmania	1829
Victoria	750
Western Australia	207
Not Specified	1248

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Response by Country of Origin of Applicant

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Lodgements
Algeria	5
American Samoa	<5
Antigua and Barbuda	<5
Argentina	12
Austria	<5
Bangladesh	34
Barbados	<5
Belgium	<5
Bosnia and Herzegovina	<5
Botswana	<5
Brazil	51
Bulgaria	9
Cambodia	24
Canada	92
Chile	<5
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	183
Colombia	17
Congo, Dem Republic of The	<5
Congo, Republic of	<5
Cook Islands	<5
Croatia	8
Czechia	8
Denmark	<5
Egypt	18
Eritrea	<5
Estonia	<5
Ethiopia	8
Fiji	43
Finland	<5
France	19
French Polynesia	<5
Gabon	<5
Germany, Fed Republic of	29
Ghana	5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	49
Hungary	<5
India	279
Indonesia	29
Iran	39
Iraq	55
Ireland, Republic of	71
Israel	8
Italy	17
Japan	42
Jordan	9
Kenya	12
Korea, South	54
Kosovo	<5
Lao Peoples Dem Republic	<5
Latvia	<5
Lebanon	5
Libya	6
Lithuania	<5

Malaysia	84
Malta	<5
Mauritius	11
Mexico	<5
Mongolia	<5
Morocco	<5
Myanmar	9
Namibia	<5
Nepal	26
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	33
New Zealand	5,241
Nigeria	43
North Macedonia	18
Norway	<5
Pakistan	149
Palestinian Authority	<5
Panama	<5
Papua New Guinea	<5
Peru	<5
Philippines	127
Poland	16
Portugal	6
Reunion	<5
Romania	18
Russian Federation	61
Samoa	53
Saudi Arabia	<5
Serbia	14
Singapore	34
Solomon Islands	<5
Somalia	8
South Africa	125
Spain	<5
Sri Lanka	60
Sweden	8
Switzerland	9
Syrian Arab Republic	<5
Taiwan	118
Thailand	25
Tonga	32
Turkey	<5
Tuvalu	<5
Ukraine	<5
United Kingdom	710
United States of America	60
Uruguay	<5
Venezuela	<5
Vietnam	47
Yemen, Republic of	<5
Yugoslavia, Fed Republic of	<5
Zimbabwe	74
Not Specified	52

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Lodgements
Afghanistan	<5
Albania	<5
Algeria	<5
Argentina	23
Austria	<5
Azerbaijan	<5
Bangladesh	242
Belarus	10
Belgium	<5
Bhutan	224
Bosnia and Herzegovina	<5
Botswana	<5
Brazil	226
Brunei Darussalam	<5
Bulgaria	5

Cambodia	33
Canada	124
Chile	31
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	2,912
Colombia	131
Czechia	<5
Denmark	<5
Ecuador	15
Egypt	37
El Salvador	<5
Eritrea	<5
Estonia	<5
Ethiopia	13
Fiji	16
Finland	<5
France	25
Georgia	<5
Germany, Fed Republic of	23
Ghana	19
Greece	<5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	383
Hungary	<5
India	5,621
Indonesia	135
Iran	149
Iraq	10
Ireland, Republic of	189
Israel	8
Italy	48
Japan	47
Jordan	18
Kazakhstan	8
Kenya	179
Korea, South	256
Lao Peoples Dem Republic	<5
Latvia	<5
Lebanon	12
Libya	<5
Lithuania	<5
Luxembourg	<5
Macau (SAR of the PRC)	9
Malaysia	503
Malta	<5
Mauritius	34
Mexico	23
Moldova	<5
Mongolia	14
Montenegro	<5
Morocco	<5
Myanmar	77
Namibia	<5
Nepal	2,923
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	9
New Caledonia	<5
New Zealand	101
Niger	<5
Nigeria	267
North Macedonia	12
Norway	<5
Pakistan	675
Palestinian Authority	<5
Papua New Guinea	<5
Peru	<5
Philippines	1,067
Poland	17
Portugal	8
Republic of South Sudan	<5
Romania	5
Russian Federation	35
Rwanda	<5
Saudi Arabia	6
Serbia	<5
Seychelles	<5
Singapore	148

Slovakia	5
Slovenia	<5
Solomon Islands	<5
Somalia	<5
South Africa	111
Spain	16
Sri Lanka	357
Sudan	6
Suriname	<5
Sweden	5
Syrian Arab Republic	<5
Taiwan	173
Tanzania	<5
Thailand	22
Turkey	35
Uganda	7
Ukraine	15
United Kingdom	630
United States of America	95
Uruguay	<5
Uzbekistan	<5
Vanuatu	<5
Venezuela	24
Vietnam	493
Yemen, Republic of	5
Zambia	11
Zimbabwe	104
Not Specified	56

Skilled Work Regional (Provisional; subclass 491) visa applications lodged between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Lodgements
Afghanistan	<5
Albania	6
Algeria	<5
Argentina	25
Austria	<5
Bangladesh	280
Belgium	6
Bhutan	181
Bolivia	<5
Brazil	251
Bulgaria	5
Cambodia	15
Canada	34
Chile	<5
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,206
Colombia	173
Czechia	<5
Ecuador	<5
Egypt	41
El Salvador	<5
Ethiopia	7
Fiji	11
Finland	5
France	12
Germany, Fed Republic of	15
Ghana	16
Greece	<5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	156
Hungary	13
India	6,681
Indonesia	96
Iran	82
Iraq	<5
Ireland, Republic of	19
Israel	<5
Italy	39
Japan	16
Jordan	5
Kazakhstan	<5

Kenya	190
Korea, South	162
Lebanon	11
Luxembourg	<5
Macau (SAR of the PRC)	5
Malawi	<5
Malaysia	150
Mauritius	28
Mexico	<5
Mongolia	12
Montenegro	<5
Mozambique	<5
Myanmar	18
Namibia	<5
Nepal	3,619
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	8
New Caledonia	<5
New Zealand	28
Niger	<5
Nigeria	284
North Macedonia	5
Oman	<5
Pakistan	1,008
Palestinian Authority	<5
Papua New Guinea	<5
Peru	7
Philippines	688
Poland	16
Portugal	20
Romania	5
Russian Federation	20
Serbia	<5
Singapore	23
Slovakia	<5
Slovenia	<5
Solomon Islands	<5
South Africa	182
Spain	8
Sri Lanka	486
Sudan	8
Switzerland	<5
Taiwan	137
Thailand	13
Turkey	9
Uganda	<5
Ukraine	<5
United Kingdom	364
United States of America	32
Uruguay	<5
Venezuela	20
Vietnam	294
Yemen, Republic of	<5
Yugoslavia, Fed Republic of	<5
Zambia	5
Zimbabwe	107
Not Specified	70

Response by Grants

Skilled - Independent (subclass 189) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Grants
Afghanistan	<5
Argentina	5
Austria	<5
Bangladesh	63
Belgium	5
Bhutan	9
Botswana	<5
Brazil	29

Brunei Darussalam	<5
Cambodia	7
Canada	53
Chile	11
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	959
Colombia	11
Cook Islands	<5
Croatia	<5
Cuba	<5
Czechia	<5
Denmark	<5
Ecuador	<5
Egypt	12
Eritrea	<5
Estonia	<5
Ethiopia	<5
Fiji	13
Finland	<5
France	16
Germany, Fed Republic of	18
Greece	<5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	41
Hungary	<5
India	1,157
Indonesia	34
Iran	84
Iraq	8
Ireland, Republic of	47
Israel	<5
Italy	7
Japan	18
Jordan	5
Kazakhstan	<5
Kenya	40
Korea, South	36
Latvia	<5
Lebanon	<5
Malawi	<5
Malaysia	113
Mauritius	12
Mexico	7
Myanmar	8
Nepal	218
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	9
New Zealand	3,695
Nigeria	32
Niue	<5
North Macedonia	<5
Norway	<5
Pakistan	240
Palestinian Authority	<5
Peru	7
Philippines	153
Poland	10
Portugal	9
Romania	<5
Russian Federation	17
Serbia	<5
Singapore	43
Slovakia	<5
Somalia	<5
South Africa	53
Spain	6
Sri Lanka	111
Sudan	<5
Sweden	<5
Switzerland	6
Taiwan	24
Tanzania	<5
Thailand	30
Tonga	8
Tunisia	5
Turkey	8
Uganda	<5

Ukraine	10
United Arab Emirates	<5
United Kingdom	211
United States of America	38
Uruguay	<5
Venezuela	5
Vietnam	85
Yemen, Republic of	<5
Zimbabwe	28
Not Specified	<5

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Grants
Afghanistan	<5
Argentina	10
Austria	<5
Azerbaijan	<5
Bangladesh	214
Belarus	<5
Belgium	<5
Bhutan	163
Bosnia and Herzegovina	<5
Botswana	<5
Brazil	143
Brunei Darussalam	5
Bulgaria	<5
Cambodia	22
Cameroon	8
Canada	129
Chile	41
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	2,501
Colombia	111
Czechia	<5
Denmark	<5
Ecuador	12
Egypt	60
El Salvador	<5
Estonia	7
Ethiopia	10
Fiji	12
France	40
Germany, Fed Republic of	35
Ghana	29
Greece	<5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	221
Hungary	<5
India	4,915
Indonesia	107
Iran	230
Iraq	9
Ireland, Republic of	138
Israel	13
Italy	54
Japan	35
Jordan	14
Kenya	126
Korea, South	209
Lao Peoples Dem Republic	<5
Latvia	<5
Lebanon	17
Lithuania	<5
Macau (SAR of the PRC)	<5
Malawi	<5
Malaysia	510
Maldives	<5
Mauritius	34
Mexico	21
Moldova	<5
Mongolia	11
Montenegro	<5

Myanmar	55
Namibia	<5
Nepal	1,955
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	10
New Zealand	110
Nigeria	190
North Macedonia	12
Pakistan	685
Palestinian Authority	5
Papua New Guinea	<5
Peru	8
Philippines	869
Poland	28
Portugal	<5
Romania	5
Russian Federation	41
Rwanda	<5
Saudi Arabia	6
Serbia	<5
Seychelles	6
Singapore	147
Slovakia	7
Somalia	<5
South Africa	176
Spain	27
Sri Lanka	318
Sudan	<5
Sweden	6
Switzerland	<5
Syrian Arab Republic	<5
Taiwan	174
Tanzania	5
Thailand	24
Turkey	31
Uganda	<5
Ukraine	22
United Arab Emirates	<5
United Kingdom	631
United States of America	85
Uruguay	<5
Uzbekistan	5
Venezuela	16
Vietnam	485
Zambia	<5
Zimbabwe	107

Skilled Work Regional (Provisional; subclass 491) visa applications granted between 1 September 2020 and 30 September 2021 by applicant country of citizenship	
Citizenship Country	Grants
Argentina	12
Azerbaijan	<5
Bangladesh	161
Belgium	<5
Bhutan	71
Bolivia	<5
Botswana	<5
Brazil	126
Bulgaria	<5
Cambodia	13
Canada	30
Chile	<5
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	605
Colombia	93
Croatia	<5
Czechia	<5
Egypt	106
El Salvador	<5
Estonia	<5
Fiji	9
Finland	<5
France	7
Germany, Fed Republic of	24

Ghana	16
Greece	<5
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	157
Hungary	8
India	3,505
Indonesia	76
Iran	261
Ireland, Republic of	44
Israel	<5
Italy	34
Japan	17
Jordan	14
Kazakhstan	5
Kenya	132
Korea, South	155
Lebanon	13
Lithuania	<5
Macau (SAR of the PRC)	<5
Malawi	<5
Malaysia	165
Mauritius	28
Mexico	<5
Mongolia	8
Myanmar	13
Nepal	1,173
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	7
New Zealand	45
Nigeria	119
North Macedonia	10
Oman	<5
Pakistan	626
Palestinian Authority	7
Paraguay	<5
Peru	5
Philippines	698
Poland	5
Portugal	8
Russian Federation	15
Saudi Arabia	<5
Serbia	<5
Sierra Leone	<5
Singapore	46
Slovakia	<5
Slovenia	<5
Solomon Islands	<5
South Africa	188
Spain	<5
Sri Lanka	375
Sudan	7
Switzerland	<5
Taiwan	89
Thailand	13
Turkey	6
Uganda	11
Ukraine	5
United Kingdom	238
United States of America	18
Uruguay	<5
Venezuela	11
Vietnam	283
Yemen, Republic of	<5
Zambia	5
Zimbabwe	70
Not Specified	<5

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Number of Global Talent Independent (GTI) program visas submitted and grant approved in past 12 months, shown by month, nomination state and country of origin of the applicant.

Response:

Notes:
Reporting period is from 2 October 2020 to 8 October 2021.
Primary and secondary applicants
Nominating state data is not applicable.
The Department's current policy with immigration data is to mask numbers which are less than five as <5, noting we are reviewing the confidentiality method for the future.
As data is drawn from a dynamic environment, the information is correct at the time of publication and figures may differ slightly from previous or future reporting.

Visas lodged by month by nationality under the Global Talent Independent (GTI) program

Nationality	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21
Albania	<5	<5											
Argentina		5	<5	8		<5	5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	
Austria	<5	<5				<5	<5	<5		<5		<5	
Bangladesh	39	47	46	20	39	25	33	37	31	28	12	9	
Belarus	<5						<5			6			
Belgium	5	<5			5		11	<5	<5	5	<5	<5	
Bhutan							<5			<5			
Bosnia and Herzegovina							<5		<5				
Botswana		<5											
Brazil	<5	9	10	7	<5	<5	15	17	15	18	10	18	5
Bulgaria	<5						<5		<5	<5	<5		
Burkina Faso									<5				
Cambodia							<5						
Cameroon						<5			<5				
Canada	12	15	11	10	7	16	16	5	24	26	16	7	7
Chile	5	8	5	5	16	14	7	11	7	21	8	<5	<5
China, Peoples Republic of (exc	77	66	71	68	61	77	144	131	124	91	47	54	19
Colombia	<5	<5		<5	<5	5	6	5	<5	5		<5	<5
Costa Rica	<5						<5	5					
Cote d'Ivoire										<5			
Croatia									<5				
Cuba	<5												
Cyprus	<5			<5									
Czechia		<5			<5			<5	<5			<5	
Denmark		9	<5				11			<5		<5	
Dominica					<5								
Dominican Republic						<5				<5			
Ecuador		<5		<5								<5	<5
Egypt	15	9	10	<5		6	13	5	9	<5		<5	
Ethiopia	<5	<5	<5	5	<5	<5	16	13	31	10			
Fiji			<5		<5								
Finland	<5		7	<5			<5				<5	<5	
France	7	6	11	7	11	10	24	33	11	32	9	23	<5
Germany, Fed Republic of	18	7	17	6	11	10	12	14	23	20	9	9	9
Ghana							<5	10	<5	7	<5		5
Greece	<5	<5					<5		<5	<5			
Guatemala	<5												
Guinea			<5										
Honduras						<5							
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	78	103	81	124	128	180	175	141	142	149	99	106	33
Hungary							<5		<5	8	<5		7

India	131	98	88	79	120	87	111	75	101	89	73	89	50
Indonesia	<5				<5	10	<5	<5	5	<5	<5	6	
Iran	49	58	49	57	41	42	50	44	45	60	15	24	12
Iraq	<5		<5		<5	<5	5	<5		<5			
Ireland, Republic of	15	9	6	5	<5	<5	9	6	<5		5	5	
Israel	5		<5		10	16	12	<5	12	8	<5		
Italy	8	<5	<5	5	8	7	8	9	23	11	9	<5	<5
Jamaica			<5										
Japan		<5	<5	<5	6	8		<5	<5	5	<5	<5	<5
Jordan		5		<5	<5	9	6	<5	<5	<5			
Kazakhstan							<5		<5				
Kenya	<5			6		<5		<5	<5	11			
Korea, South	<5	<5			9	<5	9	5	18	20	<5	<5	<5
Latvia			<5							<5			
Lebanon		<5		<5			<5	<5				<5	
Libya							5						
Lithuania	<5	<5								<5		<5	
Luxembourg									<5				
Malawi				<5							5		
Malaysia	14	13	9	6	<5	<5	16	13	14	9	15	8	<5
Maldives								<5					
Mauritius							<5		<5	<5			
Mexico							<5	6			<5		<5
Moldova												<5	
Mongolia					<5					<5	5		
Morocco	<5						<5	<5	<5			<5	
Myanmar						<5	<5						
Nepal	<5	7	<5	8	15	10	13	13	25	6	<5	18	
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	<5	<5	9	8	6	10	16	<5	11	<5	7	5	<5
New Caledonia					<5								
New Zealand	8	<5	7	8	5		5	<5	8	6	6	6	7
Nigeria	11	16	19	<5	<5		5	11		<5		5	
North Macedonia							<5	<5					
Norway	<5					<5				<5			
Not Specified											<5	<5	<5
Oman	5												
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South Africa	33	26	41	35	25	25	33	26	16	30	22	12	6
Spain	6	5	5	<5	10	<5	12	7	7	7	14	13	<5
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United Kingdom	89	41	67	45	70	52	68	59	63	84	64	56	24
United States of America	23	39	45	27	33	67	50	70	53	53	38	52	20
Venezuela						<5	<5	<5	<5				
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Yemen, Republic of								5					
Zambia						<5							
Zimbabwe	6	17	9	<5				<5		<5			

Visas granted by month by nationality under the Global Talent Independent (GTI) program.

Nationality	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21
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Bangladesh	52	54	25	42	27	33	45	32	32	47	33	13	<5
Belarus				<5	<5		<5	<5					
Belgium	5	10	<5	5		5		9	<5	<5			
Bhutan								<5					
Bosnia and Herzegovina										<5	<5		
Botswana						<5							
Brazil	10	10	13	7	7	9	<5	12	10	13	15	<5	6
Bulgaria	<5						<5						
Cambodia							<5						
Cameroon					<5		<5			<5			
Canada	26	<5	15	7	20	14	15	19	6	20	12	8	15
Chile	12	<5		13	7	11	16	8	14	<5	<5	15	7
China, Peoples Republic of (exc	100	75	64	85	56	88	110	103	137	132	78	67	15
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Costa Rica	<5							<5		5			
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France	10	23	<5	10	6	5	16	15	12	27	18	15	6
Germany, Fed Republic of	17	22	11	11	9	10	12	18	9	14	14	6	<5
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Guyana	<5												

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Hungary								<5		<5	<5		
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Japan	5			5	<5	<5	6			6	<5		
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New Caledonia							<5						
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North Macedonia								<5	<5				
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Pakistan	16	47	19	14	12	25	34	18	19	16	25	6	5
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Singapore	6	<5	6	12	<5	10	22	9	13	8	8	5	6
Slovakia									<5				
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Spain	17	<5	8	9	<5	7	6	5	<5	6	8	11	<5
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