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Returns and Return Policies

# GAPs DATA REPOSITORY on RETURN: Guideline, data samples and codebook

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**List of abbreviations**

AIDA	Asylum Information Database
AVRR	Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration
EC	European Commission
ECRE	European Council on Refugees and Exiles
EU	European Union
ICMPD	International Centre for Migration Policy Development
IOM	International Organization for Migration
NCCR	National Center of Competence in Research
NGO	Nongovernmental Organisation
REAG/GARP	Reintegration and Emigration Programme for Asylum Seekers in Germany/Government Assisted Repatriation Program
REDCap	Research Electronic Data Capture
TCN	Third Country National
UNHCR	United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
WP	Work Package

## Executive Summary

The GAPs Data Repository provides an overview of available qualitative and quantitative data on national return regimes by structuring them into five main categories: profile, legislation, infrastructure, international cooperation and descriptive statistics. Each category, particularly statistics, includes several sub-categories. These categories are identified by consulting the literature review, existing datasets on migration, and insights from expertise/empirical data collection of 14 countries. The categories and sub-categories are chosen according to their relevance in understanding the return and readmission policies and practices, data accessibility, reliability, clarity as well as comparability. Data collection is carried out by national experts, entries are realized through REDCap Software ensuring a secure web connection with authentication and data logging. These enable systematic organisation, storage, and retrieval of data during and after the project.

Data Repository presents unified compact data that is easily accessible and user-friendly to the beneficiaries by gathering all relevant quantitative, qualitative and visual data. Usage of REDCAP software enables filtering the data by different variables. The data repository will be useful to researchers and practitioners who seek getting an overview of countries' return related information and possibly conducting comparative empirical analysis.

The whole data captured in REDCap has been stored by the Uppsala University on its own servers. The Gaps Data Repository in this format allows users to export any and/or all data from the Project, when granted full data export privileges. Data may be exported in various ways and formats, including Microsoft Excel, SAS, Stata, R, or SPSS for analysis (see [REDCap Technical Overview](#)). All available data or a specific record can also be converted into a public report accessible to anyone with a unique URL, without the need to log in to REDCap or obtain permission to access the GAPs Project Data Repository. Although public reports do not allow data input or modification, they do allow searching through the data contained in the report. Public reports can be used to share information with stakeholders or external partners without a need to give them access to the Project or setting up a personal account.

*For viewing the entire data set or to contribute data entries please contact GAPs coordinators. The repository will also be transferred to a web interface to enable further queries and data mining.*

## The GAPs Project

GAPs is a Horizon Europe project that aims to conduct a comprehensive multidisciplinary study on the drivers of return policies and the barriers and enablers of international cooperation on return migration. The overall aim of the project is to examine the disconnects and discrepancies between expectations of return policies and their actual outcomes by de-centring the dominant, one-sided understanding of “return policymaking.” To this end, GAPs:

- examine the shortcomings of EU’s return governance;
- analyse enablers and barriers to international cooperation, and
- explore the perspectives of migrants themselves to understand their knowledge, aspirations and experiences with return policies.

GAPs combines its decentring approach with three innovative concepts:

- a focus on return migration infrastructures, which allows the project to analyse governance fissures;
- an analysis of return migration diplomacy to understand how relations between EU Member States and with third countries hinder cooperation on return; and
- a trajectory approach that uses a socio-spatial and temporal lens to understand migrant agency.

GAPs is an interdisciplinary 3-year project (2023-2026), co-coordinated by Uppsala University and the Bonn International Centre for Conflict Studies with 17 partners in 12 countries on 4 continents. GAPs' fieldwork has been conducted in 12 countries: Sweden, Nigeria, Germany, Morocco, the Netherlands, Afghanistan, Poland, Georgia, Turkey, Tunisia, Greece and Iraq.

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## 1. Gaps in Return Data

One of the objectives set in the Global Compact for Safe, Regular and Orderly Migration is to “collect and utilize accurate and disaggregated data as a basis for evidence-based policies”.<sup>1</sup> As noted by Younes Ahouga, the quantification of migration through digital technology and data consistently garnered widespread support from states.<sup>2</sup> However, quantitative and qualitative data on migrants’ return and readmission are challenging to access, often inadequate and patchy at the national and sub-national levels. This is partially related to the fact that the legal and institutional complexity prevents the collection of coherent data on returns that could lead to a common understanding of the facts and figures of national return regimes (see WP2 country reports such as [Germany](#) and [Greece](#) reports).

It is often underlined that the public, the media and policymakers must rely on high quality data for informed public debate and policy designs. Scholars also need help in their analysis and comparisons across cases and time. Also, even at the European Union (EU) level, there are issues with quantitative return data (descriptive statistics) presented by the EU’s statistics agency, Eurostat. Arjen Leerkes and Marieke Van Houte note that “while Eurostat is dedicated to providing standardized data, several experts have indicated that there could still be differences in how countries construct and report data”. For example, the Eurostat data do not give precise information on return rates. Still, they can only be used to provide a rough estimate of them” (p. 326).<sup>3</sup> Similarly, Philip Stutz and Florian Trauner report that the EU’s Eurostat data on return is “problematic” because of data quality and reliability, structural problems about data collection and sharing of member states, technical issues such as backlogs, different calculation methods, and interpretations.<sup>4</sup> Also, available datasets often cover EU countries; they do not give us an idea of returns happening beyond Europe.

Regarding qualitative data, existing data is rich but fragmentary. For example, prominent scholar Jean Pierre Cassarino created an inventory of bilateral agreements and arrangements linked to readmission. The inventory provides cross-country data about the cooperation aspect and insights into the expansion of the EU’s readmission system and its drivers.<sup>5</sup> The Asylum Information Database (AIDA), managed by the European Council on Refugees and Exiles (ECRE), provides information on asylum procedures, reception conditions, and international protection across 23 countries. As a part of country reports, there is well-structured data about detention legislation and practices.<sup>6</sup> DEMIG policy dataset tracks 6,500 migration policy changes (both immigration and emigration) in 45 countries, most of them enacted in the 1945-2013 period. Among many indicators in the DEMIG, one policy area it looks at is exit; as policy tools it focusses on detention; expulsion; reintegration/return programs; readmission agreements; expulsion. The dataset also makes differentiations on

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<sup>1</sup> United Nations (2019). Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration. Resolution adopted by the General Assembly on 19 December 2018, A/RES/73/195, p.6, <https://undocs.org/Home/Mobile?FinalSymbol=A%2FRES%2F73%2F195&Language=E&DeviceType=Desktop&LangRequested=False>.

<sup>2</sup> Younes, A. (2023). Datafication and Return Migration: The Case of the International Organization for Migration. GAPs Blog, August 18, 2023, <https://www.returnmigration.eu/gapsblog/datafication-and-return-migration-the-case-of-the-international-organization-for-migration>.

<sup>3</sup> Leerkes, A. & Van Houte, M. (2020). Beyond the deportation regime: differential state interests and capacities in dealing with (non-) deportability in Europe, *Citizenship Studies*, 24(3): 319-338.

<sup>4</sup> Stutz, P., & Trauner, F. (2022). The EU’s ‘return rate’ with third countries: Why EU readmission agreements do not make much difference. *International Migration*, 60(3): 154-172.

<sup>5</sup> See <https://www.jeanpierrecassarino.com/datasets/ra/>.

<sup>6</sup> See <https://asylumineurope.org/>.



target groups such as irregular migrants, refugees, asylum seekers and other vulnerable people.<sup>7</sup> The IMPIC dataset includes information on the degree of restrictiveness of immigration policies in 33 OECD countries for the period 1980–2010. Covering only legal regulations and thereby excluding information on implementation, this dataset covers four policy fields reflecting the main reasons why states accept immigrants, which are labor migration, family reunification, asylum/refugees and co-ethnics.<sup>8</sup>

Qualitative and quantitative data landscape improvements are necessary for informed discussions and decision-making. Comprehensiveness is of utmost importance. Hence, it is ideal to overview various components of return and readmission, including policy/legislation, infrastructure, statistics, and international cooperation at the same repository. Multiple actors, such as activists, lawyers, NGOs, and parliamentarians, play some role in documenting or requesting data from national authorities.<sup>9</sup> However, these attempts often need to be more active or more extensive in scale, usually during the given project cycle. Researchers might be expected to strengthen the data landscape further, better structure the existing data, combine and verify small-scale data collection initiatives, collaborate with national experts to complete missing data and improve the data quality. More situational awareness is necessary to understand better cases, identify patterns, and test assumptions and evaluations in crucial issues such as ‘return effectiveness’, ‘efficiency’, and ‘transparency’.

Against this background, the GAPs Data Repository provides an overview of national return regimes by breaking down the concept into component pieces called categories. For systematic collection and user-friendly presentation of this overview, we structure the return and readmission policy concept into a framework of 5 main categories: profile, legislation, infrastructure, international cooperation and descriptive statistics. Each category, particularly statistics, includes several sub-categories. These categories are identified by consulting the literature review, existing datasets on migration, and insights from expertise/empirical data collection of 14 countries. The categories and subcategories are chosen according to their relevance in understanding the return and readmission field, data accessibility, reliability, clarity, and potential for communication. Comparability across cases is also one criterion in determining the subcategories. Coverage, type, data source, and year are common variables for all data categories to enable reliability testing.

The repository results from long-standing research and identifying gaps in researching the topic and drawing comparisons. It was populated with the contribution of national experts. These enable systematic organisation, storage, and retrieval of data during and after the project. The data repository will feed into developing composite governance indicators in the further steps and conducting comparative empirical analysis. It will also be transferred to a web interface to enable queries and data mining like in other policy<sup>10</sup> or migration<sup>11</sup> databases examples.

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<sup>7</sup> DEMIG Policy data, see <https://www.migrationinstitute.org/data/demig-data/demig-policy-1>

<sup>8</sup> For details see <https://www.migrationdataportal.org/blog/impic-new-and-more-comprehensive-way-measure-immigration-policies>

<sup>9</sup> See Mielke, K., Sahin-Mencütek, Z., & Wolf, D. (2024). Legal and Policy Infrastructures of Returns in Germany - Country Dossier (WP2) (Versiyon v1). GAPs: De-centring the Study of Migrant Returns and Readmission Policies in Europe and Beyond. <https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.10671530>

<sup>10</sup> See [Climate Policy Database](#).

<sup>11</sup> See [CLIMB Policy Database](#), [United Nations Network on Migration](#); [Research landscape of forced migration and refugee studies in Germany - FFVT](#).

## 2. Overview of Data Repository

### 2.1 Objectives

Addressing the data gap issue regarding return and readmission topics in European Union (EU) member states and non-EU countries is one of the objectives of the GAPs Project. To fulfil this objective, the GAPs Project partners have curated a data repository that systematically presents the data on returns.

The Data Repository aims to systematically organize, store, and retrieve data for use during the project. It provides unified compact data that is easily accessible and user-friendly to the beneficiaries by gathering all relevant data. So, a data repository is interested in capturing a broadening array of data (quantitative, qualitative and visual). This may enable conducting comparative empirical analysis and investigating different sub-themes and topics of study.

Potential data set users are expected to be within the higher education research community, policymakers, and practitioners who need compact and structured overviews of the country's cases or themes related to return migration topics.

### 2.2 Data Types and Selection

Country experts in the GAPs consortium select and interpret national data and data sources for archiving and plan the final transition or termination of data collection in the future. Data repository combines data from multiple sources, including externally available databases, census/national data (particularly on return statistics), structuring and evaluating observations from collected sources (e.g. legislations, policies), inputting of administrative documents, observation data, and open-ended question responses—secondary data from available databases, collection of reports, and country expertise.

### 2.3 Scope

The GAPs data repository consists of the following three main data collection instruments with sub-instruments:

Record ID	Country Profile		Qualitative Data			Statistical Data							
	Identification: Project Countries	Executive Summary	Policy/Legislation Mapping	Return Infrastructure	International Cooperation	Stock of Irregular Migrants	Asylum Applications	Entry Refusals and Pushbacks	Dublin Returns	TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave	Returns by type	Returns by citizenship	Alternative/Various Return Categories (National)

#### 1) Country Profile

- a. Identification: Project Countries
- b. Executive Summary

#### 2) Qualitative Data

- a. Policy/Legislation Mapping
- b. Return Infrastructure
- c. International Cooperation

#### 3) Statistical Data

- a. Stock of Irregular Migrants
- b. Asylum Applications
- c. Entry Refusals and Pushbacks
- d. Dublin Returns
- e. TCNs/Foreign Nationals Ordered to Leave
- f. Returns by Type

- g. Returns by Citizenship
- h. Alternative/Various Categories (National)
- i. Readmitted Citizens

## 2.4 Coverage

**Universe:** All ‘coerced’ return-related policies, statistics, and issues between 2010/15 and 2023. Data may be updated in 2024-2025 as well.

**Unit of Analysis:** Country

**Geographic Coverage:** 14 countries (including EU and non-EU countries)

**EU countries:** Germany, Sweden, Greece, Poland, Netherlands

**Non-EU countries:** Turkey, Iraq, Jordan, Afghanistan, Nigeria, Morocco, Tunisia, Canada, United Kingdom

## 2.5 Data Quality Assurance

Study data were collected and managed using REDCap electronic data capture tools hosted at Uppsala University.<sup>12,13</sup> REDCap (Research Electronic Data Capture) is a secure web application for building and managing online surveys and databases.

REDCap’s data quality rules ensure data quality during the Project. REDCap provides the Data Quality module where we can write rules to identify possible issues with our data. We use field validation, branching/skip logic, and Missing Data Codes to improve and protect data quality during data entry. We automatically identify and resolve discrepancies through the rule logic we set up.

### NOTE: Some fields are required!

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- Specify under which title the data has been collected.
- Data references (source name, date)
- Source URL

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<sup>12</sup> PA Harris, R Taylor, R Thielke, J Payne, N Gonzalez, JG. Conde, Research electronic data capture (REDCap) – [A metadata-driven methodology and workflow process for providing translational research informatics support](#), *J Biomed Inform.* 2009 Apr; 42(2):377-81.

<sup>13</sup> PA Harris, R Taylor, BL Minor, V Elliott, M Fernandez, L O’Neal, L McLeod, G Delacqua, F Delacqua, J Kirby, SN Duda, REDCap Consortium, [The REDCap consortium: Building an international community of software partners](#), *J Biomed Inform.* 2019 May 9 [doi: 10.1016/j.jbi.2019.103208]

**NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE.**

Year	# asylum applications	Source URL	# people under TPS
2015	Two hundred		
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2017	<input type="text"/>		
2018	<input type="text"/>		
2019	<input type="text"/>		
2020	<input type="text"/>		

Alert ✕

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Also, at the end of each form or instrument, the data entry person is asked to indicate the completeness of the data entry. The status of the record's data form completeness is denoted with a colour: **red** – incomplete; **yellow** – unverified; **green** – complete.

**Form Status**

Complete?

This allows checking the status of all the existing data records.

**GAPs Data Repository** PID 3659

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**Record Status Dashboard (all records)**

Displayed below is a table listing all existing records/responses and their status for every data collection instrument (and if longitudinal, for every event). You may click any of the colored buttons in the table to open a new tab/window in your browser to view that record on that particular data collection instrument. Please note that if your form-level user privileges are restricted for certain data collection instruments, you will only be able to view those instruments, and if you belong to a Data Access Group, you will only be able to view records that belong to your group.

**Legend for status icons:**

- Incomplete ? Incomplete (no data saved)
- Unverified ● Many statuses (all same)
- Complete ● Many statuses (mixed)

Dashboard displayed: [Default dashboard]

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Displaying record Page 1 of 1: "1661-1" through "1700-1" of 14 records ALL (14) records per page

Displaying: [Instrument status only](#) | [Lock status only](#) | [All status types](#)

Record ID	Country Profile		Qualitative Data			Statistical Data								
	Identification: Project Countries	Executive Summary	Policy/Legislation Mapping	Return Infrastructure	International Cooperation	Stock of Irregular Migrants	Asylum Applications	Entry Refusals and Pushbacks	Dublin Returns	TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave	Returns by type	Returns by citizenship	Alternative/Various Return Categories (National)	Readmitted Citizens
<a href="#">1661-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1664-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1667-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1670-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1673-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1676-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	●+	○
<a href="#">1679-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
<a href="#">1682-1</a>	●	○	●+	●+	●+	○	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	●
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<a href="#">1688-2</a>	●	○	●+	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1691-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	○	●	○	○	○	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1694-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1697-1</a>	●	○	●+	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●
<a href="#">1700-1</a>	●	●	●+	●+	●+	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●+	●

## 2.6 Archiving and Preservation

REDCap allows inputting data or building an online database over a secure web connection with authentication and data logging. After several trials, the GAPs Team decided to create the database using the REDCap software. This is mainly because REDCap is a secure solution for collecting, storing and processing personal data that is in line with the EU's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

REDCap has a built-in audit trail that automatically logs all user activity and all pages viewed by every user, including contextual information (e.g. the project or record being accessed). Whether the activity is entering data, exporting data, modifying a field, running a report, or adding/changing a user, among a plethora of other activities, REDCap logs all actions. Users who have been given privileges to view the Logging page can view the logging record within a project. The Logging page allows such users to view or export the entire audit trail for that project and filter the audit trail in various ways based on the type of activity and user. The built-in audit trail in REDCap allows administrators to determine all the activities and all the data viewed or modified by any given user.

To help protect and secure the data stored in REDCap's back-end database, the software application employs various methods to protect against malicious users who may attempt to identify and exploit any security vulnerabilities in the system. Such methods (as well as audit trails briefly mentioned above) are described in technical detail in [REDCap Technical Overview](#).

## 2.7 Roles and Responsibilities in Data Curation

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	Umutcan Yüksel	TUR

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### 3. Guideline and Data Categories

This section describes the information to be gathered and the nature and scale of the generated or collected data. It also provides examples and differentiates between categories for EU and non-EU countries if there is a risk of confusion. Subsections are divided in line with the sections asked in the REDCap data collection instruments at the data curation stage.

Variable formats differ according to the data categories. For statistics, they are often numeric, while other instruments are more character-based. The data source is inserted as a link for replicability and reliability for almost every category. The list of main categories is as follows. The Data Dictionary Codebook, generated by REDCAP, is presented as Annex 1 for the whole content.

#	Variable / Field Name	Field Label <i>Field Note</i>	Field Attributes (Field Type, Validation, Choices, Calculations, etc.)
	Instrument: <b>Identification: Project Countries</b>	(identification_project_countries)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Executive Summary</b>	(executive_summary)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Policy/Legislation Mapping</b>	(policylegislation_mapping)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Return Infrastructure</b>	(return_infrastructure)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>International Cooperation</b>	(international_cooperation)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Stock of Irregular Migrants</b>	(stock_of_irregular_migrants)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Asylum Applications</b>	(asylum_applications)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Entry Refusals and Pushbacks</b>	(entry_refusals_and_pushbacks)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Dublin Returns</b>	(dublin_returns)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave</b>	(tcnsforeign_nationals_ordered_to_leave)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Returns by type</b>	(returns_by_type)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Returns by citizenship</b>	(returns_by_citizenship)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Alternative/Various Return Categories (National)</b>	(alternativevarious_return_categories_national)	Expand
	Instrument: <b>Readmitted Citizens</b>	(readmitted_citizens)	Expand

**Note about Definitions:** Some definitions of categories are borrowed from Eurostat’s Enforcement of Immigration Legislation technical guideline. However, the GAPS consortium does not agree with some definitions used in Eurostat and national sources, particularly the definition of “voluntary return” (because there is an obligation to return). Still, we use the term to avoid confusion with data drawn from data sources (Eurostat and national statistics). GAPS will use their conceptualisation for other deliverables (see D1.1) but follow the common statistical categories in developing the data repository. For a discussion on the conceptual complexity around returns, see GAPS [conceptual and theoretical framework paper](#) and country specific definitions see country reports of [Germany](#) and [Greece](#). The following section introduces the concepts and definitions underlying the categories. It also discloses data sources used and gives an insight into the methodology applied.

### 3.1 Country Profile

The Basic Information section of Country Profile includes a unique identifier for each record in the database (the record identifiers has been automatically sequentially- generated) and some identifying information about the country for which the requested data is collected and about the responsible project partner/person filling the data as shown below.

Event: <b>Country Profile</b>	
<b>Record ID</b>	1682-1
<b>Name of the Country for which the data is inserted.</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="v"/> <small>Please enter the Country name that the Project Partner inserts the data for.</small>
<b>Is the country an EU member?</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="radio"/> EU member country <input type="radio"/> non-EU country <small>Please indicate whether the country that you insert the data for is a member of the EU or not. <input type="button" value="reset"/></small>
<b>Project Partner Institution</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="v"/> <small>Please select the Institution of the Project Partner inserting the data</small>
<b>Who is the responsible person(s) filling the data?</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="text"/> <small>Name of the person inserting the data (you can type more than one person name. Please add ; between names.)</small>
<b>Email address of the responsible person(s)</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="text"/> <small>If more than one person, please add ; between email addresses.</small>

The second (sub-)instrument of Country Profile includes the attached documents that the Project Partners provide as the introductory part of the selected country (1) to have an executive summary of country profile on return policies, a kind of overview, and (2) to visualize some basics such as the timeline of return policies, identification of national return system and actors. For requested documents from the Project Countries see the screenshot below.

Event: <b>Country Profile</b>		
<b>Record ID</b>	1682-2	
The documents you will provide below will help us <b>to visualize all the data</b> we have as a fact sheet, <b>a kind of overview</b> , with the most relevant information about the return policy as the introduction page of the selected country.		
Requested Files	Explanation	Sample documents
<b>1. Executive Summaries</b>	You can make use of the different resources at your disposal. For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>country profiles on GAPs website</li> <li>country dossiers prepared for WP2 for EU countries</li> <li><u>For non-EU countries</u>, if relevant WP4's macro part.</li> </ul>	
<b>2. Timeline of Return Policies</b>	see the sample	<a href="#">Timeline example, Germany.docx</a>
<b>3. Flow Chart/ Diagram of the National Return System</b>	a diagram visualizing the procedures applied when a migrant or rejected asylum seekers given "order to leave"	
<b>4. Diagram picturing the actors/institutions executing and/or involved in return process</b>	a diagram illustrating the actors/institutions who ( <i>national/international/civil</i> ) are usually involved in the operation of returns	<a href="#">DIAGRAM sample, Germany.docx</a>
<b>Upload each document in the relevant field below.</b>		



The public link for full access to the basic information related documents uploaded by the selected countries are available on:

[https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_executivesummary\\_timeline\\_diagram](https://redcap.link/GAPs_executivesummary_timeline_diagram)

Number of results returned: 11 Live filters: [Data Access Group] Page speed was boosted using Rapid Retrieval

Data Access Group <small>redcap_data_access_group</small>	1. Executive Summary <small>exec_summary</small>	2. Timeline of Return Policies <small>timeline_ret_pol</small>	3. Flow Chart: National Return System <small>flowchart_return</small>	4. Diagram: Actors in Return <small>diagram_actor_ret</small>
Afghanistan	<a href="#">Return &amp; Reintegra...nistan.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Time-Line of Retur...licies.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Flow Chart.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Diagram- Actors In Return.pdf</a>
Poland	<a href="#">Executive summary.docx</a>	<a href="#">TIMELINE OF RETURN...ND(1).xlsx</a>	<a href="#">Diagram WP3.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Diagram WP3.pdf</a>
Sweden	<a href="#">Executive Summary_...licies.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Timeline of the Re...Sweden.png</a>		<a href="#">Diagram - Actors in Return.jpg</a>
Tunisia	<a href="#">Tunisian excutive Summary.docx</a>	<a href="#">Hanen Final.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Hanen-4 (2).docx</a>	<a href="#">Return actors in Tunisia.png</a>
Turkey	<a href="#">Executive_Summary.docx</a>	<a href="#">Turkey Return Poli...meline.pdf</a>	<a href="#">National Return System.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Actors Technologie...System.pdf</a>
United Kingdom	<a href="#">Executive Summary...00-1).xlsx</a>			
Canada	<a href="#">Executive Summary_Canada.docx</a>			
Germany	<a href="#">Executive Summary.docx</a>	<a href="#">Timeline events EU...010124.pdf</a>	<a href="#">stages of German a...cedure.pdf</a>	<a href="#">German actor landscape.pdf</a>
Greece	<a href="#">Executive Summary.docx</a>	<a href="#">Timeline of Return...icies.docx</a>	<a href="#">Return Procedures...wchart.jpg</a>	<a href="#">Diagram Actors in Return.docx</a>
Morocco	<a href="#">GAPS WP1_Executive...Policy.pdf</a>	<a href="#">GAPS WP1_Timeline...Policy.pdf</a>	<a href="#">GAPS WP1_Flow char...orocco.pdf</a>	<a href="#">GAPS WP1_Diagram...orocco.pdf</a>
Netherlands	<a href="#">Summary return in...lands.docx</a>	<a href="#">Timeline Dutch ret...icies.docx</a>	<a href="#">Removal process Th...lands.docx</a>	<a href="#">Actors of return m...lands.docx</a>

## 3.2 Policy Legislation Mapping

Laws governing return regulations for each country are systematically collected. They are structured around the Data Categories below. The data is mainly a secondary data, including official government documents, gazettes, national laws and legal provisions, policy documents, official reports, official data, and independent evaluation *if available*.

List of variables in this category include:

- 1) Title of the policy legislation in English
- 2) Title in the original language
- 3) Policy area (*see explanation below*)
- 4) Date/announced year
- 5) Active period
- 6) Description of policy or short overview
- 7) Key terms for search function
- 8) Level of legislation (*see explanation below*)
- 9) Type of legislation or administrative action (*see explanation below*)
- 10) Target group of the immigrant category (*see explanation below*)
- 11) If the policy is origin country or nationality specific, country name (e.g. Iraq) or nationality name (e.g. Palestinians) is indicated
- 12) Department or Agencies or National Law Enforcement mentioned in the Policy/Legislation (*optional*)
- 13) Web Links to Source in English
- 14) Web links to Source in Original Language
- 15) Additional Notes or Importance of Regulation for the Topic (*optional*)

All variables are technically defined in the Redcap generated codebook available at Annex. Some variables are specifically defined in the following pages, further explanations are included if needed.

For the entire data (via publicly available report) and/or samples including actual data collected on policy legislation of Project Partner countries, see the Section 4 below.

### 3.2.1. Policy area

**Definition:** It is categorising return related legislation according to its focus or scope. Legislations could be related to pre-return stage such as asylum procedures, irregularity residence criteria and pre-removal detentions. They could also be about procedures during return, such as forced or assisted returns or mass expulsions.

**Policy Type/Area**

\* must provide value

- assisted return
- border management
- coerced/enforced return
- general/asylum
- irregularity
- mass expulsion
- pre-removal detention
- pushback
- residence
- voluntary return
- other

### 3.2.2. Level of legislation

**Definition:** Categorizing the legislation/policy according to the administrative level, which is binding.

**For example,** if it is an Asylum or a foreigner's Law, it is national. If it is a signing of a readmission agreement, it is bilateral. If the Refugee Compact approves it, it is multilateral. It is federal if the policy is only about certain regions or federal states like North Rhein Westfalia.

### 3.2.3. Type of legislation

**Definition:** How the legislation is officially identified: Act, Agreement, Decree, Guidelines, Law, Order.

**Act:** General regulation adopted by an executive body (government or minister). Prescribes how a parliamentary law is to be implemented in all details. It is lower in the hierarchy than parliamentary laws.

**Agreement:** A promise between at least two contracting parties (Private law or international law contract).

**Decree:** A legal act issued by an authority, government or head of state, usually in the form of an ordinance or order with the force of law.

**Guidelines:** In administrative law, guidelines are internal administrative regulations. Although they are ranked in the same order as regulations, they are not legal norms as they have an effect only within the administration and do not have any external effect vis-à-vis the citizen. Therefore, as a rule, they do not require a legal basis.

**Law:** General legal norm adopted by the legislature in an orderly procedure. It usually applies to a large number of circumstances and people.

Order: “Every direction or mandate of a judge or a court which is not a judgment or legal opinion (although both may include an order) directing that something be done or that there is a prohibition against some act. This can range from an order that a case be tried on a certain date to an order that a convicted defendant be executed at the state prison.” (retrieved from [law dictionary](#))

### 3.2.4. Target group or immigrant category

Which migrant group(s) is the subject of regulation or new policies/legislations: family of irregular migrant, general/asylum, irregular migrant/, refugees (including those under temporary protection), rejected asylum seeker, stateless.

<b>Target Group or Immigrant Category</b> <small>* must provide value</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> family of irregular migrant <input type="checkbox"/> general/asylum <input type="checkbox"/> irregular migrant <input type="checkbox"/> refugees <input type="checkbox"/> rejected asylum seeker <input type="checkbox"/> stateless
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### 3.3 Infrastructure

This section maps the programs and projects launched by state agencies or international organisations to enable the return of people to their country of origin or who migrate to a country willing to receive them.

List of variables in this category include:

- 1) Title of the return implementation programs and projects
- 2) Policy Type/Area (*see explanation below*)
- 3) Actors involved in each program (*see explanation below*)
- 4) Short summary (*see explanation below*)
- 5) Area or scale of Implementation (*see explanation below*)
- 6) Duration
- 7) Target Group (*see explanation below*)
- 8) Target Origin country/region (*see explanation below*)
- 9) Digital infrastructures/technologies. (*see explanation below*)
- 10) Material infrastructure (*see explanation below*)
- 11) Notes about Budget (optional)
- 12) Official website of the program
- 13) Evaluation of Programs

All variables are technically defined in the Redcap generated codebook available at Annex. Some variables are specifically defined in the following pages, further explanations are included if needed.

#### 3.3.1. Policy type/area

**Definition:** Categorizing the programs/projects according to their focus or scope.

**Policy Type/Area**

\* must provide value

- assisted return
- border management
- forced return
- irregularity
- mass expulsion
- pre-removal detention

**For example,** IOM's AVR program in X country addresses the policy area of assisted return, or Germany's REAG/GARP is on reintegration. The program can address more than one category.

### 3.3.2. Actors involved in each program

**Definition:** Listing the Actors involved in each program (*e.g. supra-state and state bodies, NGOs, multinational organizations, commercial actors, and civil society*). These include IOM, EU institutions and bodies, ministries, return counselling, officers escorting, etc.

### 3.3.3. Summary

**Definition:** Short overview of a project or program. It could be good to add a formal/legal basis of the program if it is mentioned in the description. A direct link to the program description is acceptable.

### 3.3.4. Area or scale of implementation

**Definition:** Whether the program is designed by the central government (ministries), EU or only specific to some federal governments.

Accordingly, the area or scale of implementation could be *global, national, federal* or *local*. Duration refers since when has the program been present? If the program is extended or expanded, please note it down.

### 3.3.6. Target group/ origin country/region

**Definition:** Which migrant group(s) is the subject of regulation or new policies/legislations: Family of irregular migrant, general/asylum, irregular migrant/, refugees (including those under temporary protection), rejected asylum seeker, or stateless. Which origin countries are targeted for the program. Response options are all, listing specific and exceptions.

### 3.3.7. Digital infrastructures/technologies

**Definition:** The return program may use databases or technologies at different stages, including asylum return decision-making, return decision, surveillance, etc., like EURODAC, which enables Dublin returns.

The information about software, datasets, or technology usage might be mentioned on the website of the relevant ministry or can be found in secondary reports/articles addressing digital technologies in the asylum field. This piece of information can be traced. For example, German BAMF's usage of software cases is found in the [Migration Data Portal](#).

### 3.3.8. Material infrastructures

**Definition:** Usage of materials in programs such as removal centres; airlines commissioned to operate the (commercial, collective) flights; federal officials deployed as escort personnel on the respective flight.

### 3.4 International Cooperation

Instruments such as agreements, arrangements, partnerships governing the cooperation on returns and readmission are systematically collected.

List of variables in this category include:

- 1) Type of Bilateral Agreements and Negotiations (*see explanation below*)
- 2) Title
- 3) Signatory State/Target Third Country
- 4) Source URL
- 5) Links to media coverage (if there is any)
- 6) Explanatory/Additional Notes (optional)

Types of instruments are taken as the main variable and divided into 5 items:

**Type of Bilateral Agreements and Negotiations**

\* must provide value

- Standard readmission agreement
- Bilateral implementing protocols to EU readmission agreements
- Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiation
- Non-standard readmission arrangement
- Migration/mobility partnership including a provision on the readmission/removal

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NOTE: For a useful dataset on Readmission Agreements, please see: <https://www.jeanpierrecassarino.com/datasets/ra/>

#### 3.4.1. Standard readmission agreements

**Definition:** Readmission agreement refers to an international agreement between the reporting country and the country of return (of the third country national returned) under which the readmission procedure is set out. “Readmission agreements are binding bilateral or multilateral agreements between States that establish and facilitate the bases, procedures and modalities for one State to promptly and in an orderly manner return non-nationals who do not or no longer fulfil the conditions for entry or stay on its territory” (for details, see [IOM](#)).

#### 3.4.2. Bilateral implementing protocols for EU readmission agreements

**Definition:** Member States may draw up more detailed bilateral implementing protocols under EU readmission agreements.

#### 3.4.3. Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiations

**Definition:** Inter-governmental diplomatic talks or European Commission talks with a third country to agree on the conditions of readmission agreements.

#### 3.4.4. Non-standard readmission arrangements

**Definition:** These are non-binding readmission arrangements, the contents of which are more flexible. They include “commitments to improve cooperation in return procedures, with specific attention being paid to joint efforts on the issuance of travel documents, the

reintegration of returned migrants, and the regular evaluation of implementation” (Migration Policy, 2021). These may also be entitled differently, such as deals, arrangements, partnerships, operational procedures, working procedures, joint ways forward on migration issues and joint declaration in their title. The content of these arrangements may remain confidential as well. These non-standard arrangements are often developed to cooperate for prevention of irregular migration. The arrangements may have articles on readmission, return to the origin, transit or the processing of asylum claims in a designated ‘safe country’. The arrangements can be called deals and statements. A well-known example is the Turkey-EU deal.

### **3.4.5. Migration/mobility partnerships, including a provision on the readmission/removal of irregular foreigners**

**Definition:** Migration partnership refers to the migrant-receiving country’s bilateral and multilateral partnerships with other states (often origin or transit ones) in migration.

**Further Explanation:** Migration partnerships form the framework for various policy instruments on migration, such as agreements and projects. They can be formalised in a memorandum of understanding (MoU) or as partnerships. They are often non-binding and flexible in content. They include several themes such as readmission, return assistance, visa policy and the prevention of human trafficking, as well as other issues such as migration and development. Seeking partnerships is often anchored in the national laws of the destination country. They are involved by several authorities, including internal affairs, Development and Cooperation, foreign affairs, and semi-state actors (like ICMPD). International or bilateral trade agreements may also contain return/readmission provisions. The provisions in the agreement aim to facilitate the global mobility of natural persons. The trade agreements may ask signing parties for their Commitment to the readmission of their nationals (see [NCCR](#)).



### 3.5 Statistics

Descriptive statistics about returns are put together in this category. It has main 9 subcategories.

- 1) Stock of Irregular Migrants
- 2) Asylum Applications
- 3) Entry Refusals and Pushbacks
- 4) Dublin returns
- 5) TCNs/foreign national ordered to leave
- 6) Returns by type
- 7) Returns by citizenship
- 8) Alternative/various Return categories
- 9) Readmitted citizens

These subcategories are explained below with data sources and critical variables. All Technical variables for each subcategory can be found in Redcap generated Codebook at Annex.

**Note on covered period:** The statistics are often on an annual basis. In EU countries, the annual statistics are disseminated in March of each year for the previous reference year, depending on data availability. The quarterly data is disseminated each year in March, June, September and December for the last quarter reference, depending on availability.

**Source of data:** Statistics on enforcement of immigration legislation are based entirely on administrative sources. EU Member States are responsible for sending the statistics on enforcement of immigration legislation to Eurostat. Eurostat provides Technical Guidelines to the Member States describing the procedures and the quality requirements for the statistics collected.

For EU countries, the statistical data is accessible in the Eurostat database. Greece, Germany, Netherlands, Poland, and Sweden are reported to comply with the Eurostat guidelines. Hence, these countries can draw the data from Eurostat confidentially. In non-EU countries, the primary data source is publicly available data provided/published by ministries or directorates. UNHCR, IOM and World Bank also collect data on returns to and from these countries. Other sources include parliamentary questionnaires, online newsletters, and reports by human rights organisations. In some country cases, no national laws or practices allow researchers to access statistical information through official institutions. Partners rely on secondary data and their relationships with state departments to request data (following the rule of ‘no harm’). Some countries (especially non-EU states) can have different types of national data collected under other titles rather than data on “return”. This could be under a different title, e.g., “deportation”, “removal”, or “repatriation”.

When national statistics do not fit the previous categories, alternatives are also included in the data repository, as seen below.

**Multiple or Conflicting Data**

Do you have alternative national data or any other conflicting data different from the primary data inserted above?  Yes  No reset

\* must provide value

**IF SO, please upload it as an excel file in an appropriate format:**

- If you have multiple data, please try to compile them in one excel table.
- Please include the required details, e.g. the date intervals, numbers, references, and notes etc.

[Upload file](#)

\* must provide value

**Missing values:** For missing values, the data entry person is asked to insert a special value "-1" for numeric values, and to insert a special value "n/a" for alphabetic values (e.g. a web source) to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. This also helps to clarify that the data entry person did not leave these cells blank unintentionally.

**Data entry:**

\* Below you will find separate URL fields. If the data has been compiled from different sources for one in the corresponding field.

**Note:** If the data is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL.

**NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE.**

Year	# Readmitted Citizens	Source URL
2015	-1	n/a
2016	1317	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2017	53	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2018	130	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2019	133	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2020	148	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2021	125	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2022	639	https://morocco.iom.int/sites/g
2023	-1	n/a
2024	-1	n/a
2025	-1	n/a

**Reference(s):**

source name, date (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023)

### 3.5.1. Stock of irregular migrants/TCNs found to be illegally present

\* The term TCN is used for EU member states.

Third country nationals (TCN) refer to any person who is not a citizen of the Union within the meaning of Article 17 (1) of the Treaty, including stateless persons (see Art. 2.1 (i) of the [Council Regulation \(EC\) no 862/2007](#)).

\* The term foreign nationals is used for non-EU states to indicate migrants arriving there.

**For EU countries**, this is officially called "third country nationals found to be illegally present". Third-country nationals who are detected by Member States' authorities and have been determined to be illegally present under national laws relating to immigration (see Art. 2.1 (r) and 5.1(b) of the [Council Regulation \(EC\) no 862/2007](#)). This category relates to persons who have been found to have entered illegally (for example, by avoiding immigration controls or by employing a fraudulent document) and those who may have entered legitimately but have subsequently remained on an illegal basis (for example, by overstaying their permission to remain or by taking unauthorised employment).

Only persons who are apprehended or otherwise come to the attention of national immigration authorities are recorded in these statistics. These are not intended to measure the total number of persons present in the country on an unauthorized basis.

**For non-EU countries**, these might have been officially called numbers of irregular migrants, illegal migrants, or apprehended migrants. The exact numbers or the proxies about the stock of irregular migrants can be accessed through monthly/annual formal reports/statistics about migrants who are apprehended or come to the attention of national immigration authorities. The numbers are also found (during press releases or speeches) in the web sources of relevant directorates and ministries or border enforcement.

### 3.5.2. Asylum applications

A number of persons have applied for international protection or having been included in such application as a family member during the reference period.

Specific groups under the Temporary Protection Status are also included in this section:

- Do you have any specific group under Temporary Protection Status (TPS) (e.g. Ukrainians, Syrians), which is not included the official data of asylum seekers?

Yes  No

If so, which refugee groups does the TPS data cover?:

If relevant, please also insert number of those under TPS within the table below.

### 3.5.3. Entry refusals and pushbacks

#### Entry refusals:

Number of refusals during entries to the X country (of those not having valid visa or residence permit or having entry ban) at the border crossing points. This data can be counted by refusals at each crossing point (by land, sea or airport refusals).

**For EU:** Third-country nationals formally refused permission to enter the territory of a Member State (see Art. 2.1 (q) and 5.1(a) of the [Council Regulation \(EC\) no 862/2007](#)). The external border is defined in the Schengen Borders Code ([Council Regulation \(EC\) No 562/2006](#), more details on Article 2.2).

**For countries not in the Schengen area,** the external border is the same as the international border. The grounds for refusal refer to Annex V part B of the Schengen Border Code, which is an administrative document in use in most of the Member States.

Data is published at the EU level and national level (data on Germany, Greece, Spain, and the UK seems available; see [legislation](#)).

#### **Pushbacks:**

**Definition:** Pushbacks, defined as states' and supra-states practices of (1) moving migrants, who are at or near the border, away from their territories, (2) by force and (3) before they officially enter that territory, which implies that they are obstructing access to the applicable legal and procedural frameworks of that territory (see definition at [WP4 conceptual framework 2023-07-20.docx \(sharepoint.com\)](#)).

**Explanation:** There is often no official data on pushbacks. Unofficial data from NGOs or watchdogs is added here by showing the data source.

#### **3.5.4. Dublin Returns**

**Definition:** Third-country nationals found to be illegally present who are subjected to the transfer from one Member State to another under the mechanism established by the Dublin Regulation ([Council Regulation \(EC\) No 343/2003](#) and (EC) No 1560/2003).

**Explanation:** Each country will record Dublin returns that it issues, not accept returnees coming through Dublin regulation (e.g., Greece will note the total number of Dublin returns from Greece to other European countries). This can be added if data is distributed by the actual implemented Dublin returns or to decisions for returns and by country of return.

#### **3.5.5. TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave**

##### **Definition:**

**For EU countries,** third-country nationals found to be illegally present who are subject to an administrative or judicial decision or act stating that their stay is illegal and imposing an obligation to leave the territory of the Member State (see Art. 7.1 (a) of the [Regulation](#)).

**Return decision/ order to leave/ order to expulsion:** An administrative or judicial decision or act stating or declaring the stay of a TCN to be illegal and imposing or stating an obligation to return.

**For non-EU countries:** Foreigners found to be illegally present who are subject to a decision ordering them to leave the territory of the X state.

**Note:** The categories included here are based on available Eurostat data. Still, the categories could be the case for non-EU countries. The Project Countries are asked to insert the available data in any category below.

Please indicate for which of the following categories you have data:  
\* must provide value

- Total number of TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave
- Number of return decisions issued for irregular migrants
- Number of return decisions issued upon negative asylum applications
- Number of TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave
- Number of third country unaccompanied minors returned following an order to leave
- Number of TCNs/foreign nationals who have left to the territory by citizenship

### ***#Total***

There may be only total numbers or divided by category.

### ***# Return decisions issued for irregular migrants***

This category could be the case for EU or non-EU states. For the latter category, many foreigners who would have sought asylum practically do not have access to asylum applications or avoid it due to onward migration aims (e.g. Afghans in Turkey). When these migrants are apprehended during their entry, stay, working, or exiting, return/deportation/order to leave decisions may be imposed on them.

### ***# Return decisions issued upon negative asylum applications***

After or during the (the first or second) instance of a negative asylum decision (rejection), third-country nationals are given a return decision. This variable asks the number of return decisions regardless of whether they are implemented or not.

### ***# TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave***

**For EU countries:** Third-country nationals who have, in fact, left the territory of the Member State, following an administrative or judicial decision or act stating that their stay is illegal and imposing an obligation to leave the territory (see Art. 7.1 (b) of the [Council Regulation \(EC\) no 862/2007](#)). On a voluntary basis, Member States provide Eurostat with a subcategory related to third-country nationals returned to a third country only. Persons who left the territory within the year may have been subject to an obligation to leave in a previous year. As such, the number of persons who actually left the territory may be greater than those who were subject to an obligation to leave in the same year.

The EIL (Enforcement of immigration legislation data) statistics based on [Council Regulation \(EC\) no 862/2007](#) include forced returns and assisted voluntary returns. Unassisted voluntary returns are included where these are reliably recorded.

**For non-EU countries:** Foreign nationals who left the country after issued a return/deportation/removal decision order or an entry ban. A removal decision shall be issued either upon instructions of the Migration authority of the country or another administrative body (e.g. governorates) or administrative or other courts. If this is the case in which the data collector does not know whether returnees are issued or not a decision, the number of deportations/removals in general can be recorded.

### ***# Third country unaccompanied minors returned following an order to leave***

Minor means a third-country national or stateless person under the age of 18 years.

The **return of a minor** who arrives on the territory of an EU Member unaccompanied by the adult responsible for them by law or by the practice of the EU Member State concerned, and for as long as they are not effectively taken into the care of such a person **or** who is left unaccompanied after they have entered the territory of the EU Member State ([Directive 2011/95/EU](#)).

### **3.5.6. TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave, by type of return**

<b># TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave, by TYPE OF RETURN</b>				
<b>Year</b>	<b># 'voluntary' return</b>	<b># enforced return</b>	<b># assisted return</b>	<b># Total</b>
<b>2015</b>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<b>2016</b>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

#### **# Voluntary Return (voluntary departure)**

Voluntary Return refers to the situation in which the third-country national has voluntarily complied with the obligation to return (i.e. no enforcement procedure had to be launched), and this departure is confirmed, for example, by information received from the border authority or consular authorities in the country of origin or other authorities such as IOM or any other organisations implementing a program to assist migrants in returning to a third country (definition based on Art 3.8 [Directive 115/2008/EC](#)).

#### **# Enforced Return (removal)**

Enforced return or removal refers to the situation in which the third-country national is subject to the enforcement of the obligation to return (the enforcement procedure has been launched) (definition based on Art 3.5 and 3.8 [Directive 115/2008/EC](#)).

#### **# Assisted Return**

Assisted Return refers to the situation in which the third-country national was assisted to return by logistical, financial and other material assistance. They benefit from a national or EU MS cooperative program to encourage return and provide reintegration assistance. The TCN received (i) in-kind assistance before departure (e.g. purchase of plane tickets) and (ii) in-cash allowances at the point of departure/upon arrival, and (iii) in-kind or in-cash reintegration assistance. Please note that beneficiaries of assisted return programs are mostly TCNs who voluntarily return, but some may have been returned by force. The definition is based on Art 3.8 [Directive 115/2008/EC](#) and [Asylum and Migration Glossary 2.0](#).

#### # Total

The total number may be larger than the sum of the three categories because of Other concluded returns, which refers to the situation in which one can reasonably presume that the third country national was returned based on some assumptions (some information is missing, and the information from the border authority does not confirm the departure).

### 3.5.7. Spontaneous returns of refugees

This refers to the number of people recorded as having left the country without receiving any support and assistance from the national authorities. This is often the case for refugees or those under temporary protection status. This category is not about “those given return decision/order”.

Example: Syrians return from Turkey, Iraq, Jordan or Ukrainians return from Poland. These people are not issued any return decision; they are legal there, or maybe irregular but not apprehended, but decided to return without assisting with the authorities (or very limitedly get in touch with authorities to give back their ‘temporary protection IDs’. The numbers may be available in the UNHCR’s reporting on specific displacement emergencies (e.g. Syrian emergency, Ukrainian emergency, etc.), or host states’ national authorities can mention numbers by saying that in 2020, X numbers of Syrians voluntarily returned”.

### 3.5.8. Returns by citizenship

It is expected to insert the number of TCNs/foreign nationals who have left the territory by citizenship. The top ten countries for each year are specifically asked, but others in total.

### 3.5.9. Alternative/various return categories (national)

Any related alternative national category/type of official (annual) data on return under different titles (e.g. "deportation", "removal", "repatriation").

Some countries (especially non-EU states) can have **different types of national data** collected under other titles rather than data on "return". The data could be collected under a different title, e.g., "deportation", "removal", or "repatriation". When national statistics do not fit with the previous categories, alternatives can be noted in this section.

In such a case, the data entry person is asked to indicate the specific category they fill in this section (as shown in the official data).

The screenshot shows a form with a light green header. The header contains the question: "Do you have any different types of national data collected under different titles, rather than data on 'return'?" with radio buttons for "Yes" (selected) and "No". Below the question is a red asterisk and the text "\* must provide value". To the right of the question is a help icon (H) and a speech bubble icon. Below the question is a note: "Countries that have data collected under different categories related to 'return' will continue to fill in this form ONLY..". Below the header is a grey box with the instruction: "Please indicate the title of the specific category for which you are filling this section:" followed by a text input field.

NOTE: This is a **repeating** form. If multiple data in different relevant categories/types are included in the partner country's national data, this form can be filled out separately for each.

### 3.5.10. Readmitted citizens

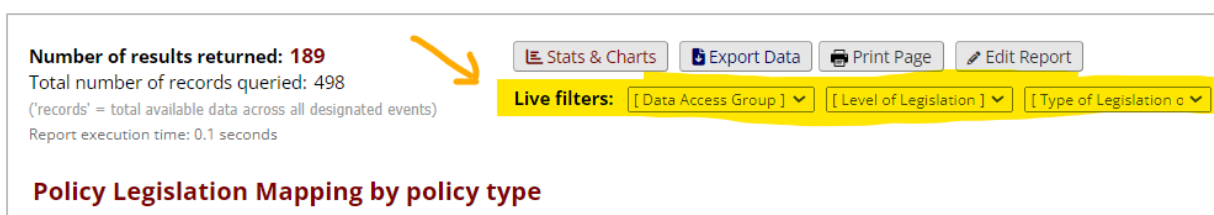
Several citizens whose readmission is accepted by the citizenship country, hence citizens of a state who have been readmitted into it. For example, if Iraq accepts deportees from Germany or all EU countries, the X number of readmitted people who have Iraqi citizenship for a year will be recorded. Statistics may be based on total numbers or by returning state or EU-non-EU.



## 4. Selected Examples

This section includes examples of actual data collected. The whole data captured in REDCap has been stored by the Uppsala University on its own servers. The Gaps Data Repository in this format allows users to export any and/or all data from the Project, when granted full data export privileges. Data may be exported in various ways and formats, including Microsoft Excel, SAS, Stata, R, or SPSS for analysis (see [REDCap Technical Overview](#)).

All available data or a specific record can also be converted into a public report accessible to anyone with a unique URL, without the need to log in to REDCap or obtain permission to access the GAPs Project Data Repository. Although public reports do not allow data input or modification, they do allow searching through the data contained in the report. Public reports can be used to share information with stakeholders or external partners without a need to give them access to the Project or setting up a personal account.



The screenshot displays a report interface with the following elements:

- Number of results returned: 189**
- Total number of records queried: 498
- (records = total available data across all designated events)
- Report execution time: 0.1 seconds
- Navigation buttons: Stats & Charts, Export Data, Print Page, Edit Report
- Live filters: [Data Access Group], [Level of Legislation], [Type of Legislation c]
- Report title: **Policy Legislation Mapping by policy type**

An orange arrow points to the 'Export Data' button.

As mentioned beforehand, the entire data set will also be transferred to a web interface to enable further queries and data mining. As an initial open access option, this section below is just to display the sample generated reports and to exemplify some available data stored in GAPs Data Repository through the screenshots. The custom reports below were generated by filtering the specific categories, fields, countries, or records using a vast array of filtering tools in order to exemplify the existing data stored in the entire Data Repository. Appendixes and all other attached original files stored in the Data Repository are omitted from the custom reports. Meaningful and comparable variables are filtered below. Detailed and privileged access to the entire dataset will be available on request before being embedded in a web interface.

## List of data examples:

This section provides selected report links which are publicly viewable by anyone with the public link as well as screen shoots from some sections.

### 4.1 Country Profile

RedCap enables to download country profile data such as executive summary, timeline of return policies, as below.

**1. Executive Summary** [Executive Summary.docx \(0.02 MB\)](#)  
\* must provide value [Upload new version](#) or [Remove file](#) or [Send-It](#)

**Executive Summary, Greece**

Greece has a long history of (formal, informal and irregular) return migration policies and practices that have taken different forms depending on the political and socioeconomic context, including forced returns, deportations, push backs, spontaneous returns, and assisted voluntary returns. Since 2015, a number of developments foregrounded specific return procedures and practices, such as the EU-Turkey Statement and the increasing number of land and sea pushbacks (as reported/evidenced especially after the events in the Greek-Turkish border region of Evros in 2020). More recently, further institutionalisation of returns can be observed with the establishment of the Directorate of Returns and Withdrawals in 2020 and the position of a National Coordinator of Returns in late 2023 within the Ministry of Migration and Asylum (MMA).

The analysis of the legal and institutional framework governing returns in Greece highlights a number of gaps in terms of legal certainty, consistency and guaranties. The legal framework is characterised by ambiguity, mainly due to preceding legal arrangements on 'administrative expulsion' that remain in force. Particularly, Law 3907/2011 which transposed the Return Directive 2008/115/EC into the Greek legislation and determines the operation of returns, coexists with Law 3386/2005 concerning the administrative expulsions of Third Country Nationals. An additional complexity also arises as regards the multiple national, supranational and international actors involved in returns.

While the responsibility to design and implement migration policy as a whole lies with the MMA, the police authorities also have wide legal competences in return migration governance, especially in what concerns administrative expulsions, return decisions, detention and the management of the detention system. Existing legal safeguards against return, as for example those applying to minors, pregnant women, crime victims etc., are implemented under the proviso that a TCN is not considered dangerous for national security reasons, something which is again decided by the police.

As a result, a number of inconsistencies emerge, including the fact that the respective state administration is often able to bypass the procedures of the Directive and apply the deportation procedures. This is the case, for example, with expulsion decisions issued against TCNs illegally entering Greece at the borders even if the TCNs subsequently apply for international protection and

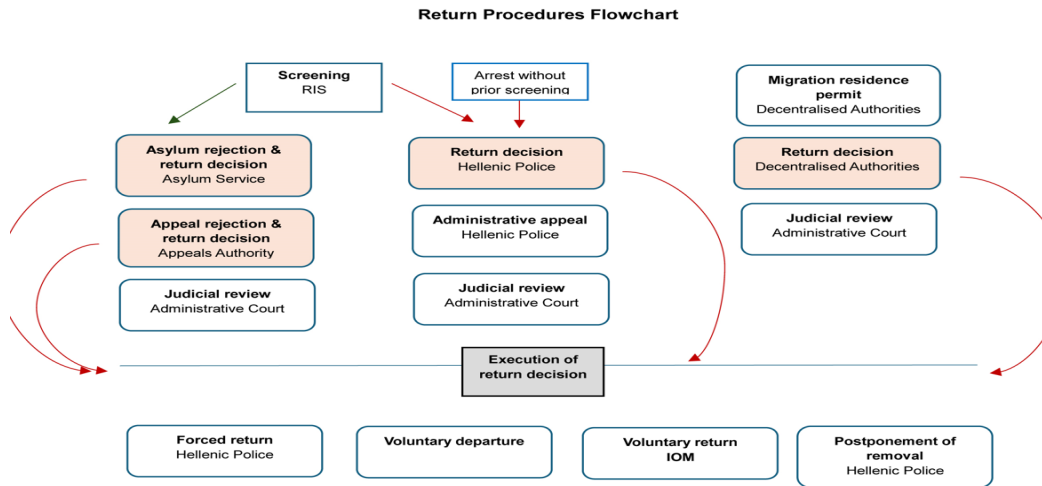
Existing legal inconsistencies are accompanied by poor data availability on returns. Data inconsistencies exist among different data categories (e.g. between administrative procedures and actual enforcement of returns), different data sources and different terms used. These observations may partly point to shifts in systems of recording and reporting on data over the years, alongside (in)consistency between statistical and legal categories and (lack of) convergence with EU terminology.

Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration program run by IOM provides the ground for a more humane approach to return migration, even if the context in which it operates is one of coercion, as it also addresses migrants who have been issued with a return decision and even detainees. Nevertheless, it remains underfunded if compared to other types of forced removals, a choice that reveals the political priorities of the authorities in current return and – more generally – migration issues.

**2. Timeline of Return Policies** [Timeline events EU\\_German... 10124.pdf \(0.12 MB\)](#)  
\* must provide value [Upload new version](#) or [Remove file](#) or [Send-It](#)

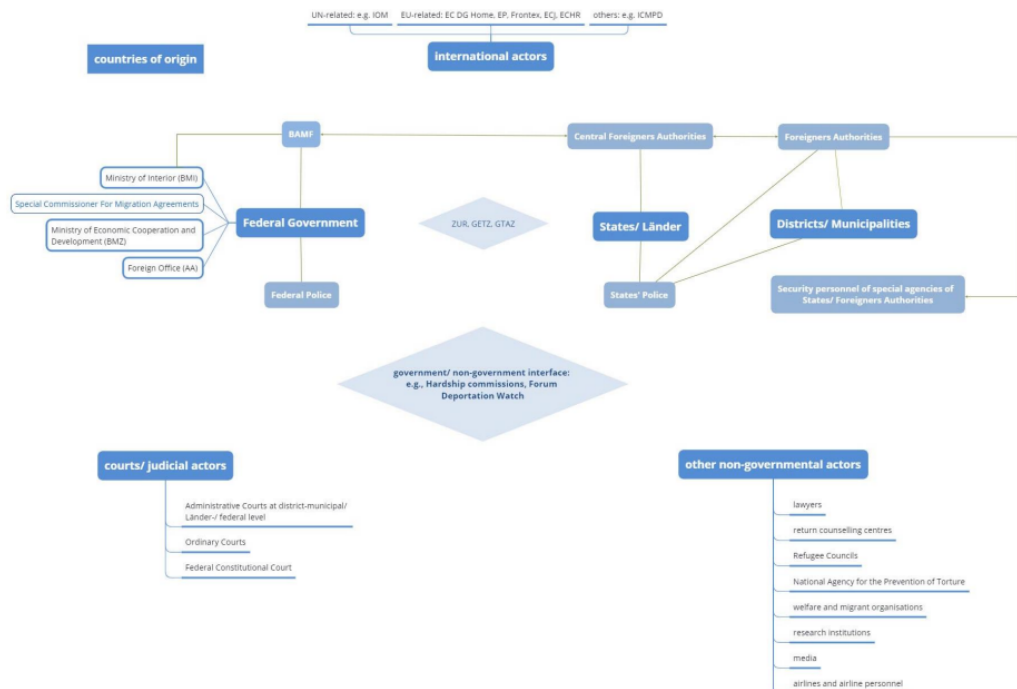
2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
European Migration Agenda Migration Summit in Valletta, Malta EU hotspots approach Launch of the EU Integrated Return Management System (IRMS)	UN 2030 Agenda enters into force EU Commission first proposed New Pact but no agreement (putative) closure of Balkan Route EU-Turkey refugee agreement Schengen Borders Code	EU Return Manual adopted together with the EU Action Plan Act to improve the enforcement of the obligation to leave the country more than 200 baseless control raids by Bavarian police in migrant shelters (permitted by integration Act) Measures on return and reintegration come into force: "Perspektive Heimat", "Startthiefenplus", Joint Return Support Center (ZUR), Information on return and reintegration support when applying for asylum	Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration and Global Compact for Refugees counseling centers open in Nigeria and Iraq Masterplan Migration introduced (BMI), preceded by a government crisis. Third law amending the Asylum Act	New Regulation on Family Reunification Act Second Act to improve the enforcement of the obligation to leave the country ('Law of orderly return', with toleration [Duldung] 'light') The Gambia and Pakistan included in the "Perspektive Heimat" programme	EU Commission's Migration and Asylum Package: New Framework for long-Term Migration Management and Normalization of Migration OVG basic decision that migrant shelters are protection spaces in accordance with Article 13 of the Basic Law (GG), prohibiting arbitrary raids counseling centers open in Pakistan and Egypt	European Commission presents strategy on voluntary return and reintegration new Law on the Central Register of Foreigners (Ausländerzentralregister, AZR); extending access and type of stored data; new Regular Needs Assessment Act Coalition agreement of the new "Ampel" government promises a paradigm shift toward a "modern immigration country", incl. a "repatriation offensive" / concerted effort on return.	Decision to activate Directive 2001/55/EC (mass influx and temporary protection) by the Council of the EU Emergency aid and one-time payment law with changes in residence and social law for war refugees from Ukraine as of 01.06.2022 BAMF-measures to accelerate decision-making for protection applications counseling center opens in The Gambia	EU Commission policy document: Towards an operational strategy for more effective returns New Pact on Migration and Asylum agreed betw. MS and EU Parliament on 20 Dec., incl. Regulation addressing situations of crisis and force majeure EU-migration agreement with Tunisia closed (July 2023), undone (Oct 2023), partly revived again (Dec 2023) ** ECJ-ruling on possibility of refugee status revocation for criminals who are potential threats for security (three cases BE, AU, NL), 6.7.23 Appointment of the new special representative for migration agreements First migration package Law to speed up asylum court proceedings and asylum procedures 45 politically motivated attacks on asylum seekers' accommodation registered Jan-March 2023 (more than twice in comparison 1st qu. 2022) Agreement on new Repatriation Improvement Law and declaration of Georgia and
			EU and international Germany Return					

**3. Flow Chart: National Return System** [Return Procedures Flowchart.jpg \(0.76 MB\)](#)  
[Upload new version](#) or [Remove file](#) or [Send-It](#)



**4. Diagram: Actors in Return** [German actor landscape.pdf \(0.18 MB\)](#)  
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German actor landscape: Migration return governance



## 4.2 Policy Legislation

### 4.2.1. Policy Legislation by country and by policy type

Below is a (partial) screenshot of a country sample of Germany, filtered by specific policy type (national) and specific legislation type (law) to illustrate any specific records on policy legislation you may find.

For full existing report publicly available see:

[https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_PolicyLegislation\\_bypolicytype](https://redcap.link/GAPs_PolicyLegislation_bypolicytype)

Number of results returned: 34

Live filters: Germany National Law Reset

Policy Legislation Mapping by policy type

Data Access Group	Policy Type/Area	Title of the Policy/Legislation in English	Title in the Original Language	Date/Announced Year	Active: present	Active Period: start date	Active Period: end date	Description of Policy or Short Overview	Level of Legislation	Type of Legislation or Administrative Action	Target Group or Immigrant Category	Specify the country name or nationality	Dep: Agen Nati Info men Polic (OPT de)
Germany													
Germany													
Germany	general/asylum (4)	Asylum Act	Asylgesetz	01-08-1982	(1)			regulates the legal requirements for the protection of asylum seekers in Germany as well as the asylum procedure and process law.	National (3)	Law (5)	general/asylum (2)		Fede Migr.
Germany	border management (2)	Act to classify further states as safe countries of origin and to facilitate access to the labor market for asylum seekers and tolerated foreigners	Gesetz zur Einstufung weiterer Staaten als sichere Herkunftsstaaten und zur Erleichterung des Arbeitsmarktzugangs für Asylbewerber und geduldete Ausländer	31-10-2014	(1)			This law classified Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ghana, Macedonia, Senegal and Serbia as safe countries of origin	National (3)	Law (5)	refugees, rejected asylum seeker (4, 5)	Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ghana, Macedonia, Senegal and Serbia	
Germany	coerced/enforced return (3)	Act on the Acceleration of Asylum Procedures (Asylum Package I)	Asylverfahrensbeschleunigungsg	20-10-2015	(1)			Declared Albania, Kosovo and Montenegro safe countries	National (3)	Law (5)	rejected asylum seeker (5)	Albania, Kosovo and Montenegro	
Germany	border management, general/asylum (2, 4)	Integration Act	Integrationsgesetz	31-07-2016	(1)			complete recast of sec. 29 (unzulässige Anträge) inadmissible applications Summary of possible reasons leading to the inadmissibility of an asylum application (1) Dublin, (2) asylum in another EU state, (3) safe third country, (4) other third non EU country willing to readmit and (5) subsequent or secondary application	National (3)	Law (5)	refugees (4)		BAM

### 4. 2.2. Policy Legislation by target group: Irregular Migrants

Below is a (partial) screenshot of a country sample of Sweden, filtered by target group (irregular migrants) to illustrate a specific record on policy legislation filtered by any sub-category.

For full existing report on policy legislation publicly available see:

[https://redcap.link/GAPs.PolicyLegislationbytargetgroup\\_irregularmig](https://redcap.link/GAPs.PolicyLegislationbytargetgroup_irregularmig)

Number of results returned: 28  
 Total number of records queried: 498  
 (records = total available data across all designated events)  
 Report execution time: 0 seconds

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Live filters: Sweden | Level of Legislation | Type of Legislation | Reset

#### Policy Legislation by target group: Irregular Migrant

Data Access Group	Title of the Policy/Legislation in English	Title in the Original Language	Policy Type/Area	Date/Announced Year	Active: present	Description of Policy or Short Overview	Key terms for search function	Level of Legislation	Type of Legislation or Administrative Action	Target Group or Immigrant Category	Is this policy/legislation specific to a origin country or nationality?
Sweden											
Sweden	The Aliens Act (SFS 2005:716)	Utlänningslag (SFS 2005:716)	assisted return, border management, coerced/enforced return, general/asylum, pre-removal detention, other (1, 2, 3, 4, 7, xx)	29-09-2005	(1)	The Aliens Act is the primary piece of legislation regulating migration to Sweden. This Act includes definitions, general regulations, and conditions that must be met for foreigners to be allowed entry, residence, and employment in Sweden. It also encompasses regulations on detention, the enforcement of decisions regarding residence permits, the appeals process, and so on.	Travel documents, Asylum, Residence permits, Deportation, Expulsion, Detention, Alternatives to detention, Procedural matters, Family reunification	National (3)	Act (1)	family of irregular migrant, general/asylum, irregular migrant, refugees, rejected asylum seeker (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)	No (0)
Sweden	The Aliens Ordinance (SFS 2006:97)	Utlänningsförordning (SFS 2006:97)	border management, coerced/enforced return, general/asylum (2, 3, 4)	23-02-2006	(1)	The Aliens Ordinance contains supplementary and, in some cases, more detailed regulations that complement the Aliens Act	Travel documents, deportation, expulsion	National (3)	Decree (3)	general/asylum, irregular migrant, refugees, rejected asylum seeker (2, 3, 4, 5)	No (0)
Sweden	Act (2022:700) on special control of certain foreigners	Lag (2022:700) om särskild kontroll av vissa utlänningar	pre-removal detention, other (7, xx)	02-06-2022	(1)	The Act specifies the conditions under which a foreign national can be expelled on grounds of national security or if there is reasonable suspicion that they will engage in or participate in terrorist activities. It applies exclusively to individuals currently in Sweden who are not subject to deportation or expulsion under the provisions of the Aliens Act.	Expulsion, procedural matters, national security, terrorism	National (3)	Act (1)	general/asylum, refugees, rejected asylum seeker (2, 4, 5)	No (0)

### 4.3 Return Infrastructure

#### 4.3.1 Return Infrastructure by policy area

Below is a (partial) screenshot of a country sample of Greece out of the entire dataset on return infrastructure, filtered by policy area.

For the entire report on return infrastructure publicly available see: [https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_returninfrastructure by policyarea](https://redcap.link/GAPs_returninfrastructure_by_policyarea)

Number of results returned: 5  
 Total number of records queried: 498  
 (records = total available data across all designated events)  
 Report execution time: 0 seconds

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Live filters: Greece | [Is the country an EU member?]

Return Infrastructure by policy area

Data Access Group	Policy Type/Area	TITLE of the return implementation programs and projects	ACTORS involved in each program	Short summary	Area or scale of Implementation	Duration	Target Group	Target Origin country/region	Specific	Exceptions	Digital infrastructures/technologies (like databases, AI usage etc. - URODCC enables Dublin returns)	Material infrastructure (removal centers, vehicles aviation)	Notes about Budget (OPTIONAL)	Official website of the program
Greece														
Greece	assisted return (1)	Implementation of Assisted Voluntary Returns and Reintegration Measures as well as Operation of Accommodation Center for Applicants of Voluntary Return (DM AVR, OCAVRR)	International Organization for Migration (IOM); Ministry of Migration & Asylum; Ministry of Protection; Embassies; Airlines; Athens International Airport; Authorities;	Through the project "Implementation of Assisted Voluntary Returns and Reintegration Measures as well as Operation of Accommodation Center for Applicants of Voluntary Return" IOM is expected to assist in the voluntary return of 17,000 third-country nationals to their countries of origin, to provide in kind reintegration assistance to 1,700 returnees and to accommodate 1,700 assisted voluntary return applicants in the Open Centre.	Global, National (1, 3)	Renewed from 01-09-2023 until 30-06-2025. Implemented through different funding schemes since 2010 (AVR) & 2015 (OCAVRR)	Migrants subject to - and willing to - voluntarily return	All, Exceptions: (exceptions) (1, 3)		Exceptions according to the EU, the Greek law and IOM mandate. Particularly, IOM does not implement voluntary returns to Albania and Northern Macedonia. Also, IOM does not support voluntary returns to the Syrian Arab Republic, Afghanistan and Ukraine at this stage.	AVRR & OCAVRR databases; security/surveillance systems	informative leaflets; video; brochures; advertisements; IOM headquarters in Athens; Accommodation Center for Applicants of Voluntary Return in Athens; IOM vehicle;	Funding: Home Affairs Funds - with the co-funding by the European Union. Budget: 32.000.000 € (from 01-09-2023 until 30-06-2025)	<a href="https://greece.iom.int/implementation/assisted-voluntary-returns-and-reintegration-measures-usa/">https://greece.iom.int/implementation/assisted-voluntary-returns-and-reintegration-measures-usa/</a>
Greece	forced return, irregularity, pre-removal detention (3, 4, 6)	Forced returns of irregular third-country nationals, implemented by the Hellenic Police, and projects related to the operation of the Pre-Departure (Detention) Centers, run by the Hellenic Police.	Hellenic Police (Ministry of Citizen Protection); Ministry of Migration & Asylum; Airlines; Airport; Authorities; Greek Ombudsman for monitoring the processes; Civil society actors for the provision of health care and medical treatment; Reinforcement of Police Services with personnel for providing guarding and operation services in Pre-Departure Detention Centers; funded by AMIS with Hellenic Police as the beneficiary, was approved on 29/10/2023, with Union	Forced returns of irregular third-country nationals, implemented by the Hellenic Police, funded by the contribution of AMIS. Project Approval Date: 14/04/2016. Projects related to the operation of the Pre-Departure (Detention) Centers run by the Hellenic Police. For example, the project "Improvement of Living Conditions in the Pre-Departure Centers", funded by AMIS, with Hellenic Police as the beneficiary was approved on 13/10/2016, with Union contribution of 59,548,925.99 €. Furthermore, the project "Reinforcement of Police Services with personnel for providing guarding and operation services in Pre-Departure Detention Centers", funded by AMIS with Hellenic Police as the beneficiary, was approved on 29/10/2023, with Union	National (3)	n/a	migrants subject to the forced execution of return decision; detention may also concern asylum seekers	All, Exceptions: (exceptions) (1, 3)	Exceptions according to the EU lists and the Greek legal & institutional framework.	Police databases; security/surveillance systems	police vehicles; police departments; airports; detention centers; fences; cameras;	Budget of the project "The application of Forced Returns of Irregular Third Country Nationals" (funded by the contribution of AMIS; approval date: 14/04/2016): 12,152,217.84 € The project "Improvement of Living Conditions in the Pre-Departure Centers", funded by AMIS, with Hellenic Police as the beneficiary was approved on 13/10/2016, with Union contribution of 59,548,925.99 €. The project "Reinforcement of Police Services with personnel for providing guarding and operation services in Pre-Departure Detention Centers", funded by AMIS, with Hellenic Police as the beneficiary was approved on 29/10/2023, with Union contribution of	n/a	



### 4.4 International Cooperation

The dataset on international cooperation is partially illustrated by a screenshot below. For the entire report publicly available see:

[https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_IntCooperation\\_by\\_agreement\\_type](https://redcap.link/GAPs_IntCooperation_by_agreement_type)

Number of results returned: 250  
 Total number of records queried: 498  
 (\*records = total available data across all designated events)  
 Report execution time: 0.1 seconds

Stats & Charts | Export Data | Print Page | Edit Report

Live filters: [Type of Bilateral Agr] [Data Access Group] [Is the country an EU]

#### International Cooperation

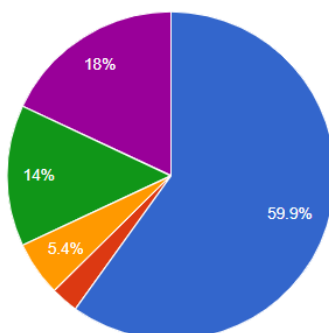
Data Access Group	Type of Bilateral Agreements and Negotiations	Title	Signatory State/ Target Third Country	Signature	Entry into force	Official start date for negotiation:	Source URL
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Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Albania on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation	Albania	14-04-2005	01-05-2006		<a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A22005A0517%2802%28">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=celex%3A22005A0517%2802%28</a>
Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Armenia on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation	Armenia	19-04-2013	01-01-2014		<a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22013A1031(02)">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22013A1031(02)</a>
Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Poland and the Federal Government of the Republic of Austria on the reception of persons staying without permission	Austria	10-06-2002	30-05-2005		<a href="https://isao.sejm.gov.pl/isao.nsf/DocDetails.xsp?id=WDU20060510373">https://isao.sejm.gov.pl/isao.nsf/DocDetails.xsp?id=WDU20060510373</a>
Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Azerbaijan on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation	Azerbaijan	28-02-2014	01-09-2014		<a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22014A0430%2801%29">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22014A0430%2801%29</a>
Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Belarus on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation	Belarus	08-01-2020	01-07-2020		<a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22020A0609%2801%29">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22020A0609%2801%29</a>
Poland	Standard readmission agreement (1)	Agreement between the European Community and Bosnia and Herzegovina on the readmission of persons residing without authorisation - Joint	Bosnia and Herzegovina	18-09-2007	01-01-2008		<a href="https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22007A1219%2804%29">https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A22007A1219%2804%29</a>

A visual on the entire data related to international cooperation, illustrating the types of bilateral agreements and negotiations made by the Project Countries:

Type of Bilateral Agreements and Negotiations (intl\_coop\_type) Refresh Plot | View as Pie Chart

Total Count (N)	Missing*	Unique
222	0 (0.0%)	5

Counts/frequency: Standard readmission agreement (133, 59.9%), Bilateral implementing protocols to EU readmission agreements (6, 2.7%), Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiation (12, 5.4%), Non-standard readmission arrangement (31, 14.0%), Migration/mobility partnership including a provision on the readmission/removal (40, 18.0%)



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### 4.5 Statistics

The dataset stored in GAPs Data Repository on statistical data is partially illustrated by some selected examples below.

#### 4.5.1 Stock of Irregular Migrants/No. of TCNs found to be illegally present 2015-2022

The publicly available report below (illustrated also by a screenshot) is the shortened version of the entire dataset on this category with selected variables. For the report publicly available see: [https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_stock\\_irrmigrants\\_2015\\_2022](https://redcap.link/GAPs_stock_irrmigrants_2015_2022)

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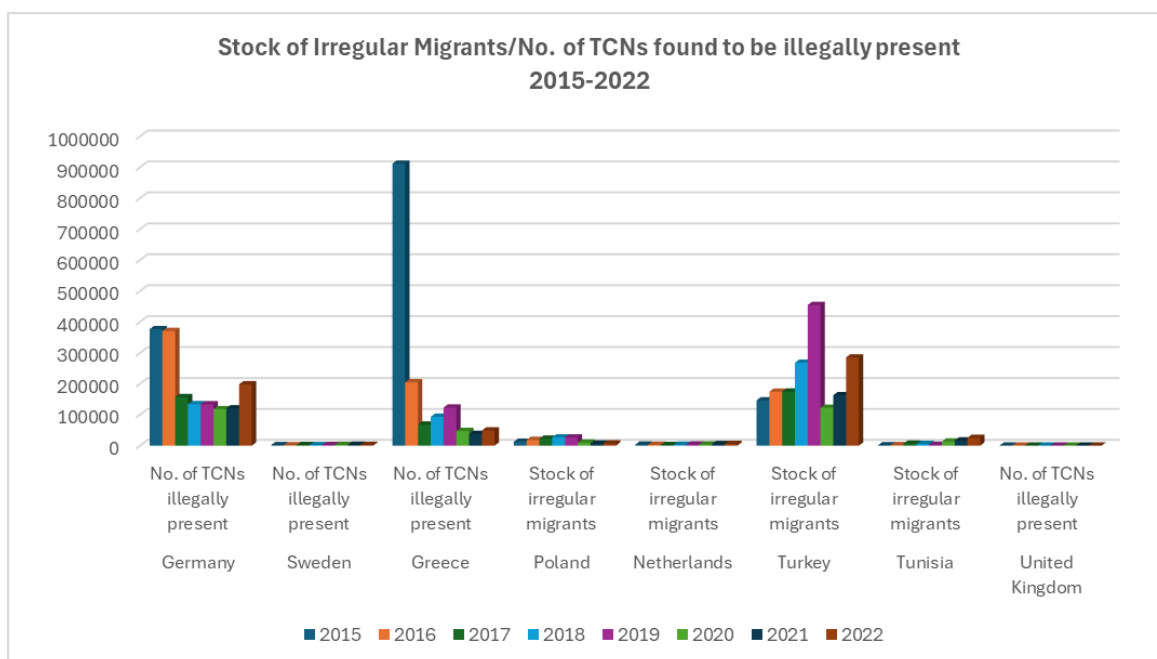
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**Stock of Irregular Migrants 2015-2022**

Search

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Germany										
Germany										
Germany	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present (2)	376435	370555	156710	134125	133525	117930	120285	198310	Eurostat, 2023
Sweden										
Sweden										
Sweden	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present (2)	1445	1210	2145	1720	2170	2615	2635	2455	Eurostat, 2023
Greece										
Greece										
Greece	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present (2)	911470	204820	68110	93365	123025	47295	38015	49060	Eurostat, 2023, Accessed: 23-12-2023
Poland										
Poland										
Poland	Stock of irregular migrants (1)	12557	18493	22558	26547	26625	9823	6812	7166	Border Guard
Netherlands										
Netherlands										
Netherlands	Stock of irregular migrants (1)	3150	2760	2120	2790	3565	3640	5010	5510	Eurostat 2023
Turkey										
Turkey										
Turkey	Stock of irregular migrants (1)	146485	174466	174752	268003	454662	122302	162996	285027	Presidency of Migration Management, 2023
Tunisia										
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Tunisia	Stock of irregular migrants (1)	1061	1368	6520	5299	2799	13185	16725	25260	FRONTEX, 2023
Canada										
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Canada	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present (2)	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
United Kingdom										
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United Kingdom	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present (2)	70.020	59.895	54.910	27.830	22.275	17.100	36.813	54.702	Eurostat, 2023; GOV.UK Home Office 2023

An example of exported file in Excel format and illustration of the data with a chart:



### 4.5.2 Dublin returns

The partial data below illustrates the number of persons transferred from one Member State to another under the mechanism established by the Dublin Regulation. The source URLs were omitted from the screenshot only to visualize actual numbers. For the full report available, where all variables are publicly available, see: [https://redcap.link/GAPs.data\\_DublinReturns](https://redcap.link/GAPs.data_DublinReturns)

Number of results returned: 6 Live filters: [ Data Access Group ]

**Dublin returns**

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Germany	3597	3968	7102	9209	8423	2953	2656	4158	Deutscher Bundestag, 2015 et seq
Sweden	6465	10316	2821	2113	2178	1319	806	1248	Swedish Migration Agency, Planeringsavdelningen/Norrköping, Enheten för statistik och analys, email Correspondence with Philip Engman, statistician, in September and November 2023 (on file with the authors).
Greece	847	890	4467	5447	2546	1825	1549	1037	Eurostat, 2023, Accessed: 23-12-2023
Poland	21	9	16	80	55	30	120	95	The Office for Foreigners
Netherlands	-1	-1	-1	1850	2420	1280	970	1520	(DT&V 2023)
United Kingdom	3,492	4,239	5,712	5,510	3,258	8,502	-1	-1	UK Home Office, 2023

### 4.5.3 Return by type 2015-2022

The original entire data on “return by type” stored in Gaps Data Repository consists of 3 sub-categories which are voluntary return, enforced return and assisted return, as detailed in above section 3.5.6. The detailed entire dataset can be reached via the publicly available report link, see: [https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_return\\_by\\_type](https://redcap.link/GAPs_return_by_type)

Below is only a partial data illustrated by a screenshot out of the entire dataset.

Number of results returned: 43  
 Total number of records queried: 498  
(Records = total available data across all designated events)  
 Report execution time: 0.1 seconds

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Returns by type 2015-2022

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Sweden	7676	7146	6365	Swedish Migration Agency, Planeringsavdelningen/Norrköping, Enheten för statistik och analys, email Correspondence with Philip Engman, statistician, in September and November 2023 (on file with the authors).	n/a	139	162	156	196	134	218	130
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Greece	-1	995	1390	Eurostat, 2023, Accessed: 23-12-2023	<a href="https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/databrowser/via_w/MIGR_FIRTN1_custom_9116731/defaulttable?lang=en">https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/databrowser/via_w/MIGR_FIRTN1_custom_9116731/defaulttable?lang=en</a>	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	3145
Poland												
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Poland	169	110	100	Border Guard	n/a							
Netherlands												
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Netherlands						-1	-1	-1	2650	2760	1650	1630

### 4.5.3 Alternative National Return Data

The screenshot below illustrates the inserted data by the Project countries who have national data gathered in different categories related to return, i.e. Germany and Netherlands. Germany has the national data under the category of “Deportation (Zurückschiebung)” and the Netherlands has the national data under the category of “Independent returns without supervision (zelfstandig vertrokken zonder toezicht)”.

For the entire report publicly available see:

[https://redcap.link/GAPs\\_alternative\\_national\\_returndata\\_Germany\\_Netherlands](https://redcap.link/GAPs_alternative_national_returndata_Germany_Netherlands)

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Total number of records queried: 498  
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Alternative National Return Data: Germany and Netherlands

Search

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Netherlands												
Netherlands	Independent returns without supervision (Zelfstandig vertrokken zonder toezicht)	-1	-1	-1	8620	9660	6880	5600	4310	4950		

## **5. Annex: Technical Data Dictionary Codebook by REDCap**

See Technical Data Dictionary Notebook at the end of the report.

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## Data Dictionary Codebook

## GAPs Data Repository (PID: 3659)

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33	[ department_agency ]	Department or Agencies or National Law Enforcement mentioned in the Policy/Legislation (Optional)	text																		
34	[ web_link_eng ]	Source URL in English <i>Please insert the web link(s) in English. If it is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL.</i>	text, Required																		
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36	[ add_note_pol_leg_yn ]	Do you have an additional note? <i>If you have an additional note or anything to refer to the importance of legislation/policy for organizing returns, please indicate.</i>	yesno <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No														
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40	[ infra_pol_type ]	Policy Type/Area <i>Categorizing the programs/projects according to its focus or scope, e.g. assisted return, forced return, reintegration, etc.</i>	checkbox, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>infra_pol_type__1</td> <td>assisted return</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>infra_pol_type__2</td> <td>border management</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>infra_pol_type__3</td> <td>forced return</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>infra_pol_type__4</td> <td>irregularity</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>infra_pol_type__5</td> <td>mass expulsion</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>infra_pol_type__6</td> <td>pre-removal detention</td> </tr> </table>	1	infra_pol_type__1	assisted return	2	infra_pol_type__2	border management	3	infra_pol_type__3	forced return	4	infra_pol_type__4	irregularity	5	infra_pol_type__5	mass expulsion	6	infra_pol_type__6	pre-removal detention
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41	[ infra_actors ]	ACTORS involved in each program <i>Listing the Actors involved in each program (e.g. supra-state and, state bodies, NGOs, multinational organizations, commercial actors, civil society). These can be IOM, EU institutions and bodies, ministries, return counseling, officers escorting, etc.</i>	notes, Required																		
42	[ infra_summary ]	Short summary	notes, Required																		

		Short overview of the project or program. It could be good to add formal/legal basis of the program, if it is mentioned in the program description. A direct link to the program description is acceptable.																
43	[ area_scale_infra_imple ]	<p><b>Area or scale of Implementation</b></p> <p>Whether the program is designed by central government (ministries), EU or only specific to some federal governments. Accordingly, area or scale of implementation could be global, national, federal or local.</p>	<p>checkbox, Required</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>area_scale_infra_imple__1</td> <td>Global</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>area_scale_infra_imple__2</td> <td>EU</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>area_scale_infra_imple__3</td> <td>National</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>area_scale_infra_imple__4</td> <td>Federal</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>area_scale_infra_imple__5</td> <td>Local</td> </tr> </table>	1	area_scale_infra_imple__1	Global	2	area_scale_infra_imple__2	EU	3	area_scale_infra_imple__3	National	4	area_scale_infra_imple__4	Federal	5	area_scale_infra_imple__5	Local
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44	[ infra_duration ]	<p><b>Duration</b></p> <p>Since when the program is present. If the program is extended or expanded, please note it down.</p>	text, Required															
45	[ infra_target_group ]	<p><b>Target Group</b></p> <p>Which migrant group(s) is the subject of regulation or new policies/legislations.</p>	text, Required															
46	[ inf_target_origin_country ]	<p><b>Target Origin country/region</b></p> <p>For 2 and 3, please write the country names down.</p>	<p>checkbox, Required</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>inf_target_origin_country__1</td> <td>All</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>inf_target_origin_country__2</td> <td>Specific: {specific1}</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>inf_target_origin_country__3</td> <td>Exception {exception1}</td> </tr> </table>	1	inf_target_origin_country__1	All	2	inf_target_origin_country__2	Specific: {specific1}	3	inf_target_origin_country__3	Exception {exception1}						
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47	[ specific1 ]	Specific	text															
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49	[ digit_infra ]	<p>Digital infrastructures/technologies (like databases, AI usage etc.) The return program may use some databases or technologies at the different stages including asylum return decision making, return decision, surveillance, etc., like EURODAC enables Dublin returns.</p> <p>The information about software, dataset, or technology usage might be mentioned in the website of the relevant ministry or can be found at secondary reports/articles addressing digital technologies in asylum field. This piece of information can be traced.</p>	text															
50	[ material_infra ]	<p><b>Material infrastructure (removal centers, vehicles aviation)</b></p> <p>Usage of materials in the programs such as removal centers; airlines commissioned to operate the (commercial; collective) flights; federal officials deployed as escort personnel on the respective flight.</p>	notes															
51	[ infra_note_budget ]	<p><b>Notes about Budget (OPTIONAL)</b></p> <p>It should be as a note format, often this info is very partial, but still accessible specifically in some parliamentary questionnaires.</p>	notes															
52	[ infra_official_website ]	<p><b>Official website of the program</b></p> <p>Please insert the link to the website of the program. If it is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL.</p>	text, Required															
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**Instrument: International Cooperation (international\_cooperation)**

55	[ intl_coop_type ]	<p>Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: Please find the definitions for each type of cooperation below: Standard readmission agreements Readmission agreement refers to the situation where an international agreement exists between the reporting country and the country of return (of the third country national returned) under which the readmission procedure is set out. "Readmission agreements are binding bilateral or multilateral agreements between States that establish and facilitate the bases, procedures and modalities for one State to promptly and in an orderly manner return non-nationals who do not or no longer fulfil the conditions for entry or stay on its territory" (for details, see IOM). Bilateral implementing protocols to EU readmission agreements Member States may draw up a more detailed bilateral implementing protocol under EU readmission agreements. Example: See a detailed list at European Migration Network Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiations Definition: Inter-governmental diplomatic talks or European Commission talks with third country to agree on the conditions of readmission agreements. Example: EU has ongoing negotiations with Morocco (since 2000), Algeria, China, Tunisia (2014), Jordan (2015), Nigeria (2016). Example: Germany has ongoing removal negotiations with Egypt. Non-standard readmission arrangements Definition: These are non-binding readmission arrangements, the contents of which are more flexible. They include "commitments to improve cooperation in return procedures, with specific attention being paid to joint efforts on the issuance of travel documents, the reintegration of returned migrants, and the regular evaluation of implementation" (Migration Policy, 2021). Further Explanation: These may be also entitled differently such as deals, arrangements, partnerships, or operational procedures, working procedures, joint ways forward on migration issues and joint declaration in their title. The content of these arrangements may remain confidential as well. These non-standard arrangements are often developed to cooperate for prevention of irregular migration. The arrangements may have articles on readmission, return to the origin, transit or the processing of asylum claims in designated 'safe country.' The arrangements can be called as deals and statements. Well-known example is Turkey-EU deal. Example-EU: EU had readmission arrangements with Afghanistan (2016), Bangladesh (2017), Guinea (2017), Côte d'Ivoire (2018), Ethiopia (2018) and Gambia (2018). Example-bilateral: On 24 May 2023, the UK and Albanian governments agreed a technical arrangement to facilitate the removal of Albanians who are in the UK prisons (retrieved from Home Office) Migration/mobility partnerships including a provision on the readmission/removal of irregular foreigners Definition: Migration partnership refers to the migrant receiving country's bilateral and multilateral partnerships with other states (often origin or transit ones) in the area of migration. Further Explanation: Migration partnerships form the framework for various instruments of policy on migration, such as agreements and projects. They can be formalized in a memorandum of understanding (MoU) or as partnerships. They are often non-binding and flexible in content. They include several themes such as readmission, return assistance, visa policy and the prevention of human</i></p>	radio, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Standard readmission agreement</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>Bilateral implementing protocols to EU readmission agreements</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiation</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>Non-standard readmission arrangement</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>Migration/mobility partnership including a provision on the readmission/removal</td> </tr> </table>	1	Standard readmission agreement	2	Bilateral implementing protocols to EU readmission agreements	3	Ongoing standard readmission agreement negotiation	4	Non-standard readmission arrangement	5	Migration/mobility partnership including a provision on the readmission/removal
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		<p>trafficking as well as other issues such as the migration and development. Seeking for partnerships is often anchored in national laws of destination country. They are involved by several authorities including internal affairs, Development and Cooperation, foreign affairs as well as semi-state actors (like ICMPD). International or bilateral trade agreements may also contain return/readmission provisions. The provisions in the agreement have the objective of facilitating the international mobility of natural persons. The trade agreements may ask signing parties for their Commitment on the readmission of the own nationals (see NCCR). Example: Memorandum of Understanding between the Swiss Federal Council and the Government of the Federal Republic of Nigeria on the establishment of a migration partnership(14 February 2011) Example: Memorandum of Understanding zwischen dem Schweizerischen Bundesrat und der Regierung der Tunesischen Republik zum Aufbau einer Migrationspartnerschaft(10 August 2012) NOTE: This is a REPEATING form. For multiple data entry, please fill out this form separately for each relevant return infrastructure program/project.</p> <p>Type of Bilateral Agreements and Negotiations</p> <p>NOTE: For a useful dataset on Readmission Agreements, please see: <a href="https://www.jeanpierrecassarino.com/datasets/ra/">https://www.jeanpierrecassarino.com/datasets/ra/</a></p>	
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63	[ intl_coop_link_media_cover ]	Links to media coverage (if there is any)	text						
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66	[ specif_irr_mig_category ]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: You are expected to insert number of refusals during entries to the X country (of those not having valid visa or residence permit or having entry ban) at the border crossing points. This data can be counted by refusals at each crossing point (by land, sea or airport refusals). For EU: Third country nationals formally refused permission to enter the territory of a Member State. The external border is defined as in the Schengen Borders Code. For countries not in the Schengen area: The external border is the same as the international border.</i>  Specify under which title the data has been collected.  <i>*Third Country Nationals (TCN) refers to a person who does not have the nationality of one of the EU member states, nor the nationality of one of the countries associated with the EU (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland). For the non-EU countries, TCNs corresponds to "foreign nationals" subject to the removal.</i>	radio, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Stock of irregular migrants</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>Number of TCNs found to be illegally present</td> </tr> </table>	1	Stock of irregular migrants	2	Number of TCNs found to be illegally present		
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67	[ embed_stock_irr ]	Section Header: <i>Data Entry Section * Below you will find separate URL fields. If the data has been compiled from different sources for different years, please add each one in the corresponding field. Note: If it is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL.</i>  NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. Year # Irregular migrants/ TCNs illegally present Source URL 2015 {stock_irr_mig_2015} {url_2015} 2016 {stock_irr_mig_2016} {url_2016} 2017 {stock_irr_mig_2017} {url_2017} 2018 {stock_irr_mig_2018} {url_2018} 2019 {stock_irr_mig_2019} {url_2019} 2020 {stock_irr_mig_2020} {url_2020} 2021 {stock_irr_mig_2021} {url_2021} 2022 {stock_irr_mig_2022} {url_2022} 2023 {stock_irr_mig_2023} {url_2023} 2024 {stock_irr_mig_2024} {url_2024} 2025 {stock_irr_mig_2025} {url_2025} Reference(s): source name, date {data_source} (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023)	descriptive						
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94	[ q_for_conflicting_data ]	Section Header: <i>Multiple or Conflicting Data</i> Do you have alternative national data or any other conflicting data different from the primary data inserted above?	yesno, Required <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No
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**Instrument: Asylum Applications (asylum\_applications)**

112	[ tps_yes_no ]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: You are expected to insert number of persons having applied for international protection or having been included in such application as a family member during the reference period. Data Entry: Note: Below you will find separate URL fields. If the data has been compiled from different sources for different years, please add each one in the corresponding field. If it is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL. Do you have any specific group under Temporary Protection Status (TPS) (e.g. Ukrainians, Syrians), which is not included the official data of asylum seekers? {tps_yes_no} If so, which refugee groups does the TPS data cover?: {tps_groups} If relevant, please also insert number of those under TPS within the table below.</i>  Any specific group under TPS?	yesno, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table> Custom alignment: RH	1	Yes	0	No
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Instrument: <b>Entry Refusals and Pushbacks</b> (entry_refusals_and_pushbacks)							
161	[ <a href="#">pushback_yes_no</a> ]	<p>Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE Data on TCNs/foreign nationals* refused entry at the border: You are expected to insert number of refusals during entries to the X country (of those not having valid visa or residence permit or having entry ban) at the border crossing points. This data can be counted by refusals at each crossing point (by land, sea or airport refusals). For EU: Third country nationals formally refused permission to enter the territory of a Member State. The external border is defined as in the Schengen Borders Code. For countries not in the Schengen area: The external border is the same as the international border. * Third Country Nationals (TCN) refers to a person who does not have the nationality of one of the EU member states, nor the nationality of one of the countries associated with the EU (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland). For the non-EU countries, TCNs corresponds to "foreign nationals" subject to the removal. Data on Pushbacks: Definition*: Pushbacks, defined as states and supra-states practices of; moving migrants, who are at or near the border, away from their territories by force before they officially enter that territory, which implies that they are obstructing access to the applicable legal and procedural frameworks of that territory. * See definition at WP4 conceptual framework 2023-07-20.docx (sharepoint.com) Explanatory Note: There is often no official data on pushbacks. UNOFFICIAL data from NGOs or watchdogs is also ACCEPTABLE; please indicate the data source.</i></p> <p>Do you have any data (official or unofficial) on pushbacks?</p>	<p>yesno, Required</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table> <p>Custom alignment: RH</p>	1	Yes	0	No
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**Instrument: TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave (tcnsforeign\_nationals\_ordered\_to\_leave)**

255	[order_check]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE The categories included here are based on available Eurostat data. Still, the categories could be the case for non-EU countries. If available in any category, please insert the data. TCNs/foreign nationals* ordered to leave For EU countries: Third country nationals found to be illegally present who are subject to an administrative or judicial decision or act stating that their stay is illegal and imposing an obligation to leave the territory of the Member State (see Art. 7.1 (a) of the Regulation). Return decision/ order to leave/ order to expulsion: An administrative or judicial decision or act, stating or declaring the stay of a TCN to be illegal and imposing or stating an obligation to return. For non-EU countries: Foreigners found to be illegally present who are subject to decision ordering them to leave the territory of the X state. Return decisions issued for IRREGULAR migrants This category could be the case for EU or non-EU states. For the latter category, as many foreigners who would have sought asylum practically do not have access to asylum application or avoid it due to onward migration aims (e.g. Afghans in Turkey). When these migrants are apprehended during their entry, stay, working, or exiting, return/deportation/order to leave decision may be imposed on them. Return decisions issues upon NEGATIVE ASYLUM applications Data may be published at the EU level and national level, see Eurostat. TCNs/foreign nationals returned FOLLOWING an order to leave For EU countries: TCNs who have in fact left the territory of the Member State, following an administrative or judicial decision or act stating that their stay is illegal and imposing an obligation to leave the territory (see Art. 7.1 (b) of the Council Regulation (EC) no 862/2007). For non-EU countries: Foreign nationals who left the country after issued a return/deportation/removal decision order or an entry ban. A removal decision shall be issued either upon instructions of the Migration authority of the country, or another administrative body (e.g. governorates) or administrative or others courts. If this is the case in which the data collector does not know whether returnees are issued or not a decision, the number of deportations/removals in general can be recorded. Third country unaccompanied MINORS returned following an order to leave Minor means a third-country national or stateless person under the age of 18 years. The return of a minor who arrives on the territory of an EU Member unaccompanied by the adult responsible for them by law or by the practice of the EU Member State concerned, and for as long as they are not effectively taken into the care of such a person or who is left unaccompanied after they have entered the territory of the EU Member State (Directive 2011/95/EU). * Third Country Nationals (TCN) refers to a</i>	checkbox, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>order_check__1</td> <td>Total number of TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>order_check__2</td> <td>Number of return decisions issued for irregular migrants</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>order_check__3</td> <td>Number of return decisions issued upon negative asylum applications</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>order_check__4</td> <td>Number of TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>order_check__5</td> <td>Number of third country unaccompanied minors returned following an order to leave</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>order_check__6</td> <td>Number of TCNs/foreign nationals who have left to the territory by citizenship</td> </tr> </table>	1	order_check__1	Total number of TCNs/foreign nationals ordered to leave	2	order_check__2	Number of return decisions issued for irregular migrants	3	order_check__3	Number of return decisions issued upon negative asylum applications	4	order_check__4	Number of TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave	5	order_check__5	Number of third country unaccompanied minors returned following an order to leave	6	order_check__6	Number of TCNs/foreign nationals who have left to the territory by citizenship
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338	[ <a href="#">embed_return_type</a> ]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave, by type of return</i> <i>Voluntary Return (voluntary departure) Voluntary Return refers to the situation in which the third-country national (TCN) has voluntarily complied with the obligation to return (i.e. no enforcement procedure had to be launched) and this departure is confirmed, for example, by information received from the border authority or consular authorities in the country of origin or other authorities such as IOM or any other organisations implementing a program to assist</i>	descriptive						

migrants to return to a third country (definition based on Art 3.8 Directive 115/2008/EC). Enforced return (removal) Enforced return (removal) refers to the situation in which TCN is subject to the enforcement of the obligation to return (the enforcement procedure has been launched) (definition based on Art 3.5 and 3.8 Directive 115/2008/EC). Note: GAPS consortium uses the term of coerced returns to refer enforced returns. Assisted Return Assisted Return refers to the situation in which TCN was assisted to return by logistical, financial and/or other material assistance. He/she is the beneficiary of a national or EU MS cooperative program to encourage return and to provide reintegration assistance. The TCN received an (i) in-kind assistance prior to departure (e.g. purchase of plane tickets) and/or (ii) in-cash allowances at the point of departure/upon arrival and/or (iii) in-kind or in-cash reintegration assistance. Please note that beneficiaries of assisted return programs are mostly TCN who voluntarily return but some may also have been returned by force Definition based on Art 3.8 Directive 115/2008/EC and Asylum and Migration Glossary 2.0. Total Total number may be larger than the sum of three categories because of Other concluded return which refers to the situation in which one can reasonably presume that the third country national was returned based on some assumptions (some information are missing and the departure is not confirmed by the information from the border authority). NOTE: GAPS consortium do NOT agree with some definition used in Eurostat and national sources, particularly the definition of "voluntary return" (because there is an obligation to return), but we use the term to avoid possible confusions with data drawn from data sources (Eurostat and national statistics). GAPs will use its own conceptualization for other WPs but not for the development of data repository.

NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. # TCNs/foreign nationals returned following an order to leave, by TYPE OF RETURN Year # 'voluntary' return # enforced return # assisted return # Total 2015 {vol\_ret\_15} {enf\_ret\_15} {asst\_ret\_15} {ret\_type\_t\_15} 2016 {vol\_ret\_16} {enf\_ret\_16} {asst\_ret\_16} {ret\_type\_t\_16} 2017 {vol\_ret\_17} {enf\_ret\_17} {asst\_ret\_17} {ret\_type\_t\_17} 2018 {vol\_ret\_18} {enf\_ret\_18} {asst\_ret\_18} {ret\_type\_t\_18} 2019 {vol\_ret\_19} {enf\_ret\_19} {asst\_ret\_19} {ret\_type\_t\_19} 2020 {vol\_ret\_20} {enf\_ret\_20} {asst\_ret\_20} {ret\_type\_t\_20} 2021 {vol\_ret\_21} {enf\_ret\_21} {asst\_ret\_21} {ret\_type\_t\_21} 2022 {vol\_ret\_22} {enf\_ret\_22} {asst\_ret\_22} {ret\_type\_t\_22} 2023 {vol\_ret\_23} {enf\_ret\_23} {asst\_ret\_23} {ret\_type\_t\_23} 2024 {vol\_ret\_24} {enf\_ret\_24} {asst\_ret\_24} {ret\_type\_t\_24} 2025 {vol\_ret\_25} {enf\_ret\_25} {asst\_ret\_25} {ret\_type\_t\_25} Reference: souce name, date (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023) {src\_vol\_ret} {src\_enf\_ret} {src\_asst\_ret} {src\_ret\_type\_t} Source URL {url\_vol\_ret} {url\_enf\_ret} {url\_asst\_ret} {url\_ret\_type\_t} If it is not a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL. Appendix Please upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.) {apx\_vol\_ret} {apx\_enf\_ret} {apx\_asst\_ret} {apx\_ret\_type\_t}

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392	[ src_ret_type_t ]	Reference for # total	text				
393	[ url_ret_type_t ]	URL for # total	text, Required				
394	[ apx_ret_type_t ]	Appendix for # total <i>Please upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.)</i>	file				
395	[ note_ret_type ]	Notes for returns by type (if necessary)	notes				
396	[ spontan_data_y_n ]	Section Header: <i>SPONTANEOUS RETURNS of Refugees: This category is NOT about "those given return decision/order". It refers to the number of the people who are recorded as having left the country without receiving any support and assistance from the national authorities. This is often the case for refugees or those under temporary protection status. Example: Syrians returns from Turkey, Iraq, Jordan or Ukrainians return from Poland. These people are not issued any return decision, they are legal there, or maybe irregular but not apprehended, but decided to return without assisting with the authorities (or very limitedly get in touch with authorities to give back their 'temporary protection IDs'). The numbers may be available at the UNHCR's reporting on specific displacement emergencies (e.g. Syrian emergency, Ukrainian emergency etc.) or numbers can be mentioned by host states' national authorities, by saying that in 2020, X numbers of Syrians voluntarily returned.</i>  Do you have any data on spontaneous returns?	yesno, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No
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		{spontan_ret_2023} {spontan_nat23} 2024 {spontan_ret_2024} {spontan_nat24} 2025 {spontan_ret_2025} {spontan_nat25} Reference(s): source name, date {src_spontan_ret} (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023) Source URL {url_spontan_ret} If it is not a web source, please insert "n/a" for not available URL.	
398	[ <a href="#">spontan_ret_2015</a> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [spontan_data_y_n] = '1'	# of spontaneous returns	text (number, Min: -1), Required
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422	[ <b>appx_spontan_ret</b> ] Show the field ONLY if: [spontan_data_y_n] = '1'	Appendix for Spontaneous Returns <i>if available, please upload the data by NATIONALITY with an Excel TABLE as appendix.</i>	file				
423	[ <b>note_spontan_ret</b> ] Show the field ONLY if: [spontan_data_y_n] = '1'	Notes for Spontaneous Returns (if necessary)	notes				
424	[ <b>conflict_data_ret_type</b> ]	Section Header: <i>Multiple or Conflicting Data</i> Do you have alternative national data or any other conflicting data different from the primary	yesno, Required <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20px; text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="width: 50px;">Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No
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		data on the returns by type (including spontaneous one) that you inserted above?							
425	[ <a href="#">conflict_file_readmit_2</a> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_type] = '1'	IF SO, please upload it as an excel file in an appropriate format: If you have multiple data, please try to compile them in one excel table. Please include the required details, e.g. the date intervals, numbers, references, and notes etc.	file, Required						
426	[ <a href="#">conflict_ret_type_url</a> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_type] = '1'	Source URL <i>Also, insert the URL here for the data you have indicated and uploaded above. If not from a web source, insert "n/a".</i>	text, Required						
427	[ <a href="#">appx_conflict_spontanon</a> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_type] = '1'	Appendix for multiple data <i>You may also upload the original file (e.g. excel, pdf). This can either be a raw data in excel sheet or a report you extracted the data from.</i>	file						
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**Instrument: Returns by citizenship (returns\_by\_citizenship)**

430	[ <a href="#">citizenship_year_check</a> ]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: You are expected to insert the number of TCNs/foreign nationals* who have left to the territory by citizenship. * Third Country Nationals (TCN) refers to a person who does not have the nationality of one of the EU member states, nor the nationality of one of the countries associated with the EU (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland). For the non-EU countries, TCNs corresponds to "foreign nationals" subject to the removal.</i>  Please indicate for which years you have data:	checkbox, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__1</td> <td>2015</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__2</td> <td>2016</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__3</td> <td>2017</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__4</td> <td>2018</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__5</td> <td>2019</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__6</td> <td>2020</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__7</td> <td>2021</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__8</td> <td>2022</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__9</td> <td>2023</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__10</td> <td>2024</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11</td> <td>citizenship_year_check__11</td> <td>2025</td> </tr> </table>	1	citizenship_year_check__1	2015	2	citizenship_year_check__2	2016	3	citizenship_year_check__3	2017	4	citizenship_year_check__4	2018	5	citizenship_year_check__5	2019	6	citizenship_year_check__6	2020	7	citizenship_year_check__7	2021	8	citizenship_year_check__8	2022	9	citizenship_year_check__9	2023	10	citizenship_year_check__10	2024	11	citizenship_year_check__11	2025
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<p>431</p>	<p>[ <a href="#">embed_ret_citizenship</a> ]</p>	<p>NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. TCNs/foreign nationals who have left the territory by TYPE OF CITIZENSHIP YEAR CITIZEN (Top 10 Countries) Write the names of the top 10 countries below for each year Others (#total) c1 c2 c3 c4 c5 c6 c7 c8 c9 c10 2015 {c1_15} {c2_15} {c3_15} {c4_15} {c5_15} {c6_15} {c7_15} {c8_15} {c9_15} {c10_15} #2015 {n1_15} {n2_15} {n3_15} {n4_15} {n5_15} {n6_15} {n7_15} {n8_15} {n9_15} {n10_15} {ot_15} 2016 {c1_16} {c2_16} {c3_16} {c4_16} {c5_16} {c6_16} {c7_16} {c8_16} {c9_16} {c10_16} #2016 {n1_16} {n2_16} {n3_16} {n4_16} {n5_16} {n6_16} {n7_16} {n8_16} {n9_16} {n10_16} {ot_16} 2017 {c1_17} {c2_17} {c3_17} {c4_17} {c5_17} {c6_17} {c7_17} {c8_17} {c9_17} {c10_17} #2017 {n1_17} {n2_17} {n3_17} {n4_17} {n5_17} {n6_17} {n7_17} {n8_17} {n9_17} {n10_17} {ot_17} 2018 {c1_18} {c2_18} {c3_18} {c4_18} {c5_18} {c6_18} {c7_18} {c8_18} {c9_18} {c10_18} #2018 {n1_18} {n2_18} {n3_18} {n4_18} {n5_18} {n6_18} {n7_18} {n8_18} {n9_18} {n10_18} {ot_18} 2019 {c1_19} {c2_19} {c3_19} {c4_19} {c5_19} {c6_19} {c7_19} {c8_19} {c9_19} {c10_19} #2019 {n1_19} {n2_19} {n3_19} {n4_19} {n5_19} {n6_19} {n7_19} {n8_19} {n9_19} {n10_19} {ot_19} 2020 {c1_20} {c2_20} {c3_20} {c4_20} {c5_20} {c6_20} {c7_20} {c8_20} {c9_20} {c10_20} #2020 {n1_20} {n2_20} {n3_20} {n4_20} {n5_20} {n6_20} {n7_20} {n8_20} {n9_20} {n10_20} {ot_20} 2021 {c1_21} {c2_21} {c3_21} {c4_21} {c5_21} {c6_21} {c7_21} {c8_21} {c9_21} {c10_21} #2021 {n1_21} {n2_21} {n3_21} {n4_21} {n5_21} {n6_21} {n7_21} {n8_21} {n9_21} {n10_21} {ot_21} 2022 {c1_22} {c2_22} {c3_22} {c4_22} {c5_22} {c6_22} {c7_22} {c8_22} {c9_22} {c10_22} #2022 {n1_22} {n2_22} {n3_22} {n4_22} {n5_22} {n6_22} {n7_22} {n8_22} {n9_22} {n10_22} {ot_22} 2023 {c1_23} {c2_23} {c3_23} {c4_23} {c5_23} {c6_23} {c7_23} {c8_23} {c9_23} {c10_23} #2023 {n1_23} {n2_23} {n3_23} {n4_23} {n5_23} {n6_23} {n7_23} {n8_23} {n9_23} {n10_23} {ot_23} 2024 {c1_24} {c2_24} {c3_24} {c4_24} {c5_24} {c6_24} {c7_24} {c8_24} {c9_24} {c10_24} #2024 {n1_24} {n2_24} {n3_24} {n4_24} {n5_24} {n6_24} {n7_24} {n8_24} {n9_24} {n10_24} {ot_24} 2025 {c1_25} {c2_25} {c3_25} {c4_25} {c5_25} {c6_25} {c7_25} {c8_25} {c9_25} {c10_25} #2025 {n1_25} {n2_25} {n3_25} {n4_25} {n5_25} {n6_25} {n7_25} {n8_25} {n9_25} {n10_25} {ot_25} Source: name, date {src_ret_citizenship} (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2021) Source URL(s): {url_ret_citizenship} Appendix: {appx_ret_ctznship} Upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.)</p>	<p>descriptive</p>
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491	[n8_17] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (3)] = '1'	2017 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
492	[n9_17] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (3)] = '1'	2017 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
493	[n10_17] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (3)] = '1'	2017 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
494	[ot_17] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (3)] = '1'	2017 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
495	[c1_18] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	Section Header: 2018 2018: Country Name 1	text, Required
496	[c2_18] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 2	text, Required
497	[c3_18] Show the field ONLY if:	2018: Country Name 3	text, Required

	[citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'		
498	[ c4_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 4	text, Required
499	[ c5_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 5	text, Required
500	[ c6_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 6	text, Required
501	[ c7_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 7	text, Required
502	[ c8_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 8	text, Required
503	[ c9_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 9	text, Required
504	[ c10_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018: Country Name 10	text, Required
505	[ n1_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
506	[ n2_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required

507	[ n3_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
508	[ n4_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
509	[ n5_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
510	[ n6_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
511	[ n7_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required
512	[ n8_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
513	[ n9_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
514	[ n10_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
515	[ ot_18 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(4)] = '1'	2018 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
516	[ c1_19 ]	Section Header: 2019 2019: Country Name 1	text, Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'		
517	[ c2_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 2	text, Required
518	[ c3_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 3	text, Required
519	[ c4_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 4	text, Required
520	[ c5_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 5	text, Required
521	[ c6_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 6	text, Required
522	[ c7_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 7	text, Required
523	[ c8_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 8	text, Required
524	[ c9_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(5)] = '1'	2019: Country Name 9	text, Required
525	[ c10_19 ] Show the field ONLY if:	2019: Country Name 10	text, Required

	[citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'		
526	[n1_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
527	[n2_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
528	[n3_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
529	[n4_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
530	[n5_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
531	[n6_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
532	[n7_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required
533	[n8_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
534	[n9_19] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required



535	[ n10_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
536	[ ot_19 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (5)] = '1'	2019 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
537	[ c1_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	Section Header: 2020 2020: Country Name 1	text, Required
538	[ c2_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 2	text, Required
539	[ c3_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 3	text, Required
540	[ c4_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 4	text, Required
541	[ c5_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 5	text, Required
542	[ c6_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 6	text, Required
543	[ c7_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 7	text, Required
544	[ c8_20 ]	2020: Country Name 8	text, Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'		
545	[c9_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 9	text, Required
546	[c10_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020: Country Name 10	text, Required
547	[n1_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
548	[n2_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
549	[n3_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
550	[n4_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
551	[n5_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
552	[n6_20] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
553	[n7_20] Show the field ONLY if:	2020 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required

	[citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'		
554	[ n8_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
555	[ n9_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
556	[ n10_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
557	[ ot_20 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (6)] = '1'	2020 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
558	[ c1_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	Section Header: 2021 2021: Country Name 1	text, Required
559	[ c2_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 2	text, Required
560	[ c3_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 3	text, Required
561	[ c4_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 4	text, Required
562	[ c5_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 5	text, Required

563	[ c6_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 6	text, Required
564	[ c7_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 7	text, Required
565	[ c8_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 8	text, Required
566	[ c9_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 9	text, Required
567	[ c10_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021: Country Name 10	text, Required
568	[ n1_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
569	[ n2_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
570	[ n3_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
571	[ n4_21 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
572	[ n5_21 ]	2021 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'		
573	[n6_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
574	[n7_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required
575	[n8_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
576	[n9_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
577	[n10_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
578	[ot_21] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (7)] = '1'	2021 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
579	[c1_22] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	Section Header: 2022 2022: Country Name 1	text, Required
580	[c2_22] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 2	text, Required
581	[c3_22] Show the field ONLY if:	2022: Country Name 3	text, Required

	[citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'		
582	[ c4_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 4	text, Required
583	[ c5_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 5	text, Required
584	[ c6_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 6	text, Required
585	[ c7_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 7	text, Required
586	[ c8_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 8	text, Required
587	[ c9_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 9	text, Required
588	[ c10_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022: Country Name 10	text, Required
589	[ n1_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
590	[ n2_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required

591	[ n3_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
592	[ n4_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
593	[ n5_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
594	[ n6_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
595	[ n7_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required
596	[ n8_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
597	[ n9_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
598	[ n10_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
599	[ ot_22 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (8)] = '1'	2022 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
600	[ c1_23 ]	Section Header: 2023 2023: Country Name 1	text, Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'		
601	[ c2_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 2	text, Required
602	[ c3_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 3	text, Required
603	[ c4_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 4	text, Required
604	[ c5_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 5	text, Required
605	[ c6_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 6	text, Required
606	[ c7_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 7	text, Required
607	[ c8_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 8	text, Required
608	[ c9_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023: Country Name 9	text, Required
609	[ c10_23 ] Show the field ONLY if:	2023: Country Name 10	text, Required



	[citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'		
610	[n1_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
611	[n2_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
612	[n3_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
613	[n4_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
614	[n5_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
615	[n6_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
616	[n7_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required
617	[n8_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
618	[n9_23] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required

619	[ n10_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
620	[ ot_23 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (9)] = '1'	2023 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
621	[ c1_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	Section Header: 2024 2024: Country Name 1	text, Required
622	[ c2_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 2	text, Required
623	[ c3_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 3	text, Required
624	[ c4_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 4	text, Required
625	[ c5_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 5	text, Required
626	[ c6_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 6	text, Required
627	[ c7_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 7	text, Required
628	[ c8_24 ]	2024: Country Name 8	text, Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'		
629	[c9_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 9	text, Required
630	[c10_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024: Country Name 10	text, Required
631	[n1_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
632	[n2_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
633	[n3_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
634	[n4_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
635	[n5_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required
636	[n6_24] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required
637	[n7_24] Show the field ONLY if:	2024 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required

	[citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'		
638	[ n8_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required
639	[ n9_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required
640	[ n10_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required
641	[ ot_24 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (10)] = '1'	2024 Others: Total#	text (number), Required
642	[ c1_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (11)] = '1'	Section Header: 2025 2025: Country Name 1	text, Required
643	[ c2_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 2	text, Required
644	[ c3_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 3	text, Required
645	[ c4_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 4	text, Required
646	[ c5_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check (11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 5	text, Required

647	[ c6_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 6	text, Required
648	[ c7_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 7	text, Required
649	[ c8_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 8	text, Required
650	[ c9_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 9	text, Required
651	[ c10_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025: Country Name 10	text, Required
652	[ n1_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 1	text (number, Min: -1), Required
653	[ n2_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 2	text (number, Min: -1), Required
654	[ n3_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 3	text (number, Min: -1), Required
655	[ n4_25 ] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 4	text (number, Min: -1), Required
656	[ n5_25 ]	2025 Data: Country 5	text (number, Min: -1), Required

	Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'						
657	[n6_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 6	text (number, Min: -1), Required				
658	[n7_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 7	text (number, Min: -1), Required				
659	[n8_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 8	text (number, Min: -1), Required				
660	[n9_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 9	text (number, Min: -1), Required				
661	[n10_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Data: Country 10	text (number, Min: -1), Required				
662	[ot_25] Show the field ONLY if: [citizenship_year_check(11)] = '1'	2025 Others: Total#	text (number), Required				
663	[note_ret_ctznship]	Section Header: <i>Notes</i> Additional Notes (if necessary)	notes				
664	[src_ret_citizenship]	Section Header: <i>Sources</i> Source	text, Required				
665	[url_ret_citizenship]	Source URL	text, Required				
666	[appx_ret_ctznship]	Appendix (for Returns by Type of Citizenship) <i>Upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.)</i>	file				
667	[conflict_data_ret_ctzn_y_n]	Section Header: <i>Multiple or Conflicting Data</i> Do you have alternative national data or any other conflicting data different from the primary data that you inserted above?	yesno, Required <table border="1" style="display: inline-table;"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No
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668	[conflict_file_ctznship]	IF SO, please upload it as an excel file in an appropriate format: If you have multiple data, please try to compile them in one excel table.	file, Required				

	Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_ctzn_y_n] = '1'	Please include the required details, e.g. the date intervals, numbers, references, and notes etc.							
669	[ <b>conflict_ret_type_url_2</b> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_ctzn_y_n] = '1'	Source URL <i>Also, insert the URL here for the data you have indicated and uploaded above. If not from a web source, insert "n/a".</i>	text, Required						
670	[ <b>appx_conflict_spontan_2</b> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_ctzn_y_n] = '1'	Appendix for multiple data <i>You may also upload the original file (e.g. excel, pdf). This can either be a raw data in excel sheet or a report you extracted the data from.</i>	file						
671	[ <b>note_conflict_spontan_2</b> ]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_ret_ctzn_y_n] = '1'	Notes for multiple data (optional)	notes						
672	[ <b>returns_by_citizenship_complete</b> ]	Section Header: <i>Form Status</i>  Complete?	dropdown <table border="1"> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>Incomplete</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Unverified</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>Complete</td> </tr> </table>	0	Incomplete	1	Unverified	2	Complete
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**Instrument: Alternative/Various Return Categories (National)**  
(alternativevarious\_return\_categories\_national)

673	[ <b>altern_y_n</b> ]	Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: You are expected to insert any related alternative national category/type of official (annual) data on return, under different title (e.g. "deportation", "removal", "repatriation"). This is NOT for the conflicting and/or national data. Some countries (especially non-EU states) can have different types of national data collected under different titles, rather than data on "return". The data could be collected under a different title e.g., "deportation", "removal", "repatriation". When national statistics do not fit with the previous categories, alternatives can be noted here below. In such case, please indicate the specific category for which you fill in this column (as it is indicated in the official data, you are referring to). NOTE: This is a REPEATING form. If there are multiple data you have in different relevant categories/types included in your national data, you can fill out this form separately for each of them.</i>  Do you have any different types of national data collected under different titles, rather than data on "return"?  <i>Countries that have data collected under different categories related to "return" will continue to fill in this form ONLY..</i>	yesno, Required <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>	1	Yes	0	No
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674	[ <b>altern_category_title</b> ]  Show the field ONLY if: f:	Please indicate for which category specifically you are filling this section:  <i>Write down the data title as it is written in the official data, you are referring to.</i>	text, Required				

	[altern_y_n] = '1'						
675	[altern_data_entry] Show the field ONLY if: [altern_y_n] = '1'	Please indicate the title of the specific category for which you are filling this section: {altern_category_title} NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. Year # data 2015 {altern_15} 2016 {altern_16} 2017 {altern_17} 2018 {altern_18} 2019 {altern_19} 2020 {altern_20} 2021 {altern_21} 2022 {altern_22} 2023 {altern_23} 2024 {altern_24} 2025 {altern_25} Reference(s): source name, date {data_src_altern} (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023) Source URL: If taken from an online source, please insert the web link of the data. If not, insert "n/a". {url_altern_data} Appendix Upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.) {apx_altern}	descriptive				
676	[altern_15]	Alternative data entry	text (number, Min: -1)				
677	[altern_16]	Alternative data entry	text (number, Min: -1)				
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687	[data_src_altern] Show the field ONLY if: [altern_y_n] = '1'	Reference	text, Required				
688	[url_altern_data] Show the field ONLY if: [altern_y_n] = '1'	URL <i>if taken from an online source, please insert the web link of the data.</i>	text, Required				
689	[apx_altern] Show the field ONLY if: [altern_y_n] = '1'	Appendix <i>Upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.)</i>	file				
690	[add_notes_altern] Show the field ONLY if: [altern_y_n] = '1'	Additional Notes (optional)	notes				
691	[alternativevarious_return_categories_national_complete]	Section Header: <i>Form Status</i> Complete?	dropdown <table border="1"> <tr> <td>0</td> <td>Incomplete</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Unverified</td> </tr> </table>	0	Incomplete	1	Unverified
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**Instrument: Readmitted Citizens (readmitted\_citizens)**

692	[ data_readmit_cit ]	<p>Section Header: <i>A SHORT GUIDE: You are expected to insert number of citizens whose readmission are accepted by the citizenship country, hence citizens of a state who have been readmitted into it. For example: Iraq accepted deportees from Germany or from all EU countries, the X number of readmitted people who have Iraqi citizenship for a year will be recorded. Statistics may be based on total numbers or by returning state or EU-non-EU. Data entry: * Below you will find separate URL fields. If the data has been compiled from different sources for different years, please add each one in the corresponding field. Note: If the data is not from a web source, please insert "n/a" for NOT available URL.</i></p> <p>NOTICE: For missing data for any year below, please add a special value "-1" to indicate NOT AVAILABLE. Year # Readmitted Citizens Source URL 2015 {readmit_2015} {url_readmit_15} 2016 {readmit_2016} {url_readmit_16} 2017 {readmit_2017} {url_readmit_17} 2018 {readmit_2018} {url_readmit_18} 2019 {readmit_2019} {url_readmit_19} 2020 {readmit_2020} {url_readmit_20} 2021 {readmit_2021} {url_readmit_21} 2022 {readmit_2022} {url_readmit_22} 2023 {readmit_2023} {url_readmit_23} 2024 {readmit_2024} {url_readmit_24} 2025 {readmit_2025} {url_readmit_25} Reference(s): source name, date {src_readmit_cit} (e.g. Eurostat, 2020; DGMM, 2023) Appendix {appx_readmit_cit} Upload the original data file (excel, pdf etc.). If there is specific information about returning country, please upload the detailed data file.</p>	descriptive
693	[ add_note_readmit_cit ]	Additional NOTES (OPTIONAL)	notes
694	[ readmit_2015 ]	# Readmitted citizens	text (number, Min: -1)
695	[ readmit_2016 ]	# Readmitted citizens	text (number, Min: -1)
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704	[ readmit_2025 ]	# Readmitted citizens	text (number, Min: -1)
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716	[src_readmit_cit]	Reference for Readmitted citizens	text, Required						
717	[appx_readmit_cit]	Appendix for Readmitted citizens	text						
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722	[note_conflict_readmit]  Show the field ONLY if: [conflict_data_readmit] = '1'	Notes (OPTIONAL)	notes						
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