**Spain Asylum Applications**

1 Jan - 30 June 2020

**44,615** Asylum app. \(\Delta 20\%\)  
**4%** Recognition rate  
**57%** Protection rate\(^1\)

**117,975** Pending app. \(^2\)

**Most common nationalities of asylum applications**

- **Venezuela**: 14,752 (33%)  
- **Colombia**: 14,360 (32%)  
- **Honduras**: 2,811 (6%)  
- **Peru**: 2,544 (6%)  
- **Nicaragua**: 1,712 (4%)  
- **El Salvador**: 1,438 (3%)  
- **Cuba**: 652 (1%)  
- **Morocco**: 599 (1%)  

**Asylum applications by place of submission**

- **Border**: 3%  
- **CIE\(^3\)**: 1.4%  
- **Family reunification**: 0.1%  
- **In territory**: 95%

**Asylum applications per month**

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**Eligibility Commission proposals\(^4\)**: 41,999

- **Rejected**: 134  
- **Positive**: 117

**Number of asylum applications by gender/age\(^5\)**

- **Men**:  
  - 0-13: 267  
  - 14-17: 239  
  - 18-34: 195  
  - 35-64: 167  
  - 65+: 89

- **Women**:  
  - 0-13: 66  
  - 14-17: 58  
  - 18-34: 54  
  - 35-64: 58  
  - 65+: 36  

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**Source**: Unless otherwise indicated, provisional figures published by the Asylum and Refugee Office, Ministry of Interior, Spain.

\(^1\)Protection rate: includes refugee status, subsidiary protection, and persons granted authorization to stay for humanitarian reasons.

\(^2\)Eurostat: June 2020

\(^3\)CIE: Detention centre for foreigners (in Spanish: Centro de Internamiento de Extranjeros, CIE)

\(^4\)Decisions by the Interministerial Eligibility Commission recommended to the Minister of Interior.

\(^5\)Eurostat: June 2020
Asylum applications by province of registration

- **Madrid**: 20,236 (46%)
- **Valencia**: 7,854 (18%)
- **Barcelona**: 5,521 (12%)
- **Malaga**: 5,583 (12%)
- **Zaragoza**: 1,430 (3%)
- **Santa Cruz de Tenerife**: 1,089 (2%)
- **Melilla**: 978 (2%)
- **Murcia**: 979 (2%)
- **Biscay**: 867 (2%)
- **A Coruña**: 867 (2%)
- **Balearic Islands**: 879 (2%)
- **Seville**: 789 (2%)
- **Las Palmas**: 771 (2%)
- **Granada**: 637 (1%)
- **Other**: 7,854 (18%)