

Net Backlog
By Form Type
As of September 30, 2023



U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration
Services

Category and Form Number	Description	Net Backlog (rounded) ¹
TOTAL	Total Net backlog	4,279,000
Family-Based		
I-129F	Petition for Alien Fiancé(e)	25,100
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	391,000
I-600 ²	Petition to Classify Orphan as an Immediate Relative	200
I-601A	Application for Provisional Unlawful Presence Waiver	123,000
I-751	Petition to Remove Conditions on Residence	175,500
I-800 ³	Petition to Classify Convention Adoptee as an Immediate Relative	-
Employment-Based		
I-129	Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker	16,400
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Workers	15,900
I-526	Immigrant Petition by Alien Investor	3,400
I-765	Application for Employment Authorization (Asylum)	-
I-765	Application for Employment Authorization (Adjustment Of Status)	87,700
I-765	Application for Employment Authorization (DACA)	-
I-765	Application for Employment Authorization (All Other)	300,000
I-829	Petition by Investor to Remove Conditions on Permanent Resident Status	9,100
I-924 ⁴	Application For Regional Center Designation Under the Immigrant Investor Program	-
Humanitarian		
I-589 ⁵	Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal	763,400
Legalization ⁵	Legalization/ SAW	300
I-730	Refugee/Asylee Relative Petition	3,400
I-817	Application for Family Unity Benefits	100
I-821	Application for Temporary Protected Status	265,000
I-821D	Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals	94,700
I-870	Record of Determination/Credible Fear Worksheet	3,500
I-881	App. for Susp. of Deport. or Spec. Rule Cancel. of Removal (Sect. 203 of Public Law 105-100 (NACARA))	600
I-899	Record of Determination/Reasonable Fear Worksheet	-
I-914 ⁷	Application for T Nonimmigrant Status	7,600
I-918 ⁸	Petition for U Nonimmigrant Status	214,800
I-929	Petition for Qualifying Family Member of a U-1 Nonimmigrant	1,600
Lawful Permanent Residence		
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Family)	342,600
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Employment)	73,200
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Asylum)	36,900
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Refugee)	16,000
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Cuban)	32,800
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Other)	38,300
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Indo-Chinese)	-
Citizenship and Nationality		
N-300	Application to File Declaration of Intention	-
N-336	Req. for a Hearing on a Decision in Natz. Proceedings (Under Sect. 336 of the INA)	1,400
N-400	Application for Naturalization (Military)	400
N-400	Application for Naturalization	41,900
N-470	Application to Preserve Residence for Naturalization Purposes	-
N-565	Application for Replacement Naturalization/Citizenship Document	-
N-600 ⁹	Application for Certificate of Citizenship	26,800
N-644	Application for Posthumous Citizenship	-
N-648	Medical Certification for Disability Exceptions	-
Other		
I-90	Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card	414,400
I-102	Application for Replacement/Initial Nonimmigrant Arrival-Departure Document	800
I-131	Application for Travel Document	65,500
I-131	Application for Travel Document (Advance Parole)	265,200
I-131	Application for Travel Document (Parole-in-Place)	600
I-131	Application for Travel Document (DACA)	800
I-360	Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant	68,900
I-539	Application To Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	3,300
I-824	Application for Action on an Approved Application or Petition	17,600
Waivers ¹⁰	Waivers	275,600
Supplemental Processing		
DS-230 (IV)	Immigrant Visas	30,800
EOIR Adjustment	EOIR Adjustment	22,500

Table Key:

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References:

¹ Net Backlog is Gross Backlog minus any customer induced delays (i.e. RFE, intent to deny, etc.) and visa unavailable cases. Gross Backlog is the number of cases pending within the government's control that exceed acceptable pending.

² Includes I-600A, Application for Advance Processing of an Orphan Petition.

³ Includes I-800A, Application for Determination of Suitability to Adopt a Child from a Convention Country.

⁴ Includes I-924A.

⁵ Data are for affirmatively filed I-589 asylum applications and do not include defensive asylum claims before a DOJ EOIR immigration court.

⁶ Includes the following applications for persons applying for benefits under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986: Forms I-687, I-700, I-698, I-690, I-694, and I-695.

⁷ Includes I-914A, Application for Family Member of T-1 Recipient.

⁸ Includes I-918A, Petition for Qualifying Family Member of U-1 Recipient.

⁹ Includes N-600K, Application for Citizenship and Issuance of Certificate Under Section 322.

¹⁰ Includes the following applications filed to waive exclusionary grounds: Forms I-191, I-192, I-212, I-601, I-602, and I-612.

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Notes:

1) The report reflects the most up-to-date estimate available at the time the database is queried.

2) Summing the seven I-485 types results in the overall total for the I-485 form for the reporting period.

3) Credible Fear and Reasonable Fear screenings (and their respective forms I-870 and I-899) do not confer an immigration benefit, rather they are intended to identify individuals with viable protection claims, which are then referred to the Immigration Courts for adjudication.

Asylum Officers do not adjudicate the actual asylum applications during the screening process.

4) For a complete list of USCIS forms and descriptions, visit <https://www.uscis.gov/forms>

5) Data is rounded to the nearest hundred. Data may not sum exactly to the total due to rounding.

6) This report is produced in response to direction set forth in the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2022, Joint Explanatory Statement (H. R. 2471 / P.L. 117-103).

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Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Office of Performance and Quality

NPR (National Performance Report) queried 11/2023, TRK #13225

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All Forms Frontlog ¹	0

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