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**- Andorra -**

Andorra acceded to the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2022. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Andorra covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol. In 2014, Law No. 40 amended the Criminal Code introducing the offences of trafficking in persons for the purpose of organ removal, trafficking in persons for the purpose of slavery or servitude, and trafficking in persons for the purpose of sexual exploitation (now Article 252.1 of the Criminal Code).

According to national authorities, there have been no cases of trafficking in persons detected, prosecuted, or convicted during the reporting period (2019-2023), and no victims identified.

Source: Ministerio de Justicia e Interior- Gobierno de Andorra.

## - Austria -

Austria ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2005. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Austria – Articles 104a and 217 of the Penal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	48	56	37

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	69	70	50

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	176	146	149

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total in first instance	13	10	<5
Men	...	...	<5
Women	...	...	...
Boys	...	...	...
Girls	...	...	...

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

## Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Convicted in first instance	13	10	0
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	<5	0
Central and South-Eastern Europe	85	42	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	<5	<5	0
Western and Southern Europe	23	28	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5	11	0
South America	...	...	0
East Asia and the Pacific	...	<5	0
South Asia	<5	...	0

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Victims

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	394	450	148
Men	58	...	104
Women	326	...	0
Boys	<5	...	0
Girls	9	...	0
Unknown male	0	0	<5
Unknown female	0	0	323

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Victims by form of exploitation

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	<5	<5
Women	210	172*

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Note: the age disaggregation of the women victims in 2023 is unknown.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	49	87
Women	141	113*

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

\*Note: the age disaggregation of the women victims in 2023 is unknown.

**Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other forms of exploitation, by sex, 2022**

Variable	2022	2023
Men	15	15
Women	33	38

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Other forms of exploitation include forced begging, forced criminality or mixed forms of exploitation.

**Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	0	0	5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	25	25	14
Central and South-Eastern Europe	153	134	94
North Africa and the Middle East	11	35	99
Western and Southern Europe	10	13	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	118	116	115
South America	17	26	32
East Asia and the Pacific	35	60	37
Central America and the Caribbean	<5	<5	<5
South Asia	5	10	5
North America	...	<5	<5
Unknown	0	0	20

Source: National authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Belgium -

Belgium ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2004. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Belgium – Article 433 quinquies of the Penal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Cases	318	247

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2022**

Variable	2022
Brought into formal contact	78

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Prosecuted	1,131	499

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Total	114	114

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

In 2022, 65 persons were convicted for trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation. 25 were convicted for trafficking for forced labour, and 5 for trafficking for other purposes of exploitation. The remaining convictions were not specified by form of exploitation.

#### **Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021**

Citizenship	2021
Convicted	114
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	25
North Africa and the Middle East	<5
Western and Southern Europe	60
Sub-Saharan Africa	9
South America	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	<5
South Asia	<5

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".



## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Total	145	231
Men	91	176
Women	47	40
Boys	6	11
Girls	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## *Victims by form of exploitation*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex, 2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2022</b>
Men	6
Women	31

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### **Citizenship of victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2022**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2022</b>
Own country citizenship	0
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	<5
Other Western and Southern Europe	6
Sub-Saharan Africa	8
South America	14
East Asia and the Pacific	<5
Central America and the Caribbean	0
South Asia	0

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex, 2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2022</b>
Men	168
Women	10

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".



### Citizenship of victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2022

Variable	2022
Own country citizenship	0
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	36
Other Western and Southern Europe	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	19
South America	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	69
Central America and the Caribbean	0
South Asia	40

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, by sex, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	13
Women	<5

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenship of victims of trafficking in persons for other forms of exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Own country citizenship	0
North Africa and the Middle East	6
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5
South America	<5
South Asia	<5

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022

Citizenship	2021	2022
Own country citizenship	5	0
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	17	17
Central and South-Eastern Europe	21	11
North Africa and the Middle East	24	43
Other Western and Southern Europe	5	9
Sub-Saharan Africa	25	28
South America	15	17
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	70
Central America and the Caribbean	<5	<5
South Asia	<5	32

Source: National authorities of Belgium to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Cyprus -

Cyprus ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2003. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Cyprus – Articles 5, 6, 7, 8, 10 and 11 of the Law 60(I)/2014 on the Prevention, Fighting against Trafficking in and Exploitation of Human Beings and Protection of Victims – cover all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	13	16	10

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	23	21	8

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	19	5	13
Men	11	5	9
Women	6	0	<5
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

Less than 5 of convicted persons in 2023 were own country nationals. The remaining persons were citizens in South Asia, East Asia and the Pacific or South-Eastern and Central Europe.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	21	16	33
Men	6	<5	19
Women	10	10	8
Boys	<5	0	<5
Girls	<5	<5	<5

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

**Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Victims	21	16	33
For sexual exploitation	11	<5	7
For forced labour	7	...	18
For removal of organs	...	...	...
For other purposes	<5	14	8

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

In 2023, all victims of sexual exploitation were women, all victims of forced labour were men.

**Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	...	<5	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	8	8
North Africa and the Middle East	6	<5	<5
Western and Southern Europe	...	...	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5	<5	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	...	...	<5
South Asia	<5	<5	17

Source National authorities of Cyprus to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Denmark -

Denmark ratified the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime in 2003. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Denmark - Article 262a of the Criminal Code - covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2022-2023**

Variable	2022	2023
Cases	17	46

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	<5	11	10

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	<5	5	<5

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	0	<5	<5
Men	0	<5	<5
Women	0	<5	<5
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

The citizenship of persons convicted of trafficking in persons in 2021-2023 remains unknown.

## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Total	80	73	112
Men	33	19	33
Women	41	47	75
Other adults*	<5	<5	<5
Boys	<5	5	<5
Girls	<5	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Victims identified as "Transgender".

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Total	80	73	112
For sexual exploitation	33	38	58
For forced labour	19	12	23
For removal of organs	0	0	0
For other purposes**	28	23	31

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

\*\*Other purposes included trafficking for forced criminality.

## *Victims by form of exploitation*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex, 2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2023</b>
Men	<5
Other adults*	<5
Women	55

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Note: the age disaggregation of the women victims in 2023 is unknown.

\*Victims identified as "Transgender".

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex, 2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2023</b>
Men	14
Women	9

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

\*Note: the age disaggregation of the women victims in 2023 is unknown.

**Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other forms of exploitation, by sex, 2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2023</b>
Men	19
Women	12

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

**Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Own country nationals	<5	0	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	5	9
Central and South-Eastern Europe	9	13	13
North Africa and the Middle East	12	11	12
Western and Southern Europe	0	<5	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	25	19	33
South America	<5	<5	8
East Asia and the Pacific	24	14	29
South Asia	6	<5	<5
North America	0	<5	0
Central America and the Caribbean	<5	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Denmark to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Finland -

Finland accepted the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2006. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Finland – Chapter 25, Section 3 and 3a, as well as Chapter 34a, article 1 of the Criminal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	129	152	149

Source: National authorities of Finland to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	40	92	530

Source: National authorities of Finland to EUROSTAT.

No prosecutions or convictions were reported by national authorities in 2022 or 2023.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	143	239	224
Men	34	115	120
Women	71	84	84
Boys	20	5	<5
Girls	16	15	7
Unknown men	0	13	7
Unknown women	...	7	<5

Source: National authorities of Finland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	143	239	224
For sexual exploitation	68	...	...
For forced labour	105	...	...
For removal of organs	0	...	...
For other purposes	70	...	...

Source: National authorities of Finland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

All forms of exploitation in 2022 and 2023 remain unknown.



### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	31	11	8
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	15	23	9
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	26	0
North Africa and the Middle East	38	24	21
Western and Southern Europe (2021 including own nationals)	<5	8	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	25	14	12
East Asia and the Pacific	7	111	142
South Asia	5	7	10
North America	<5	<5	0
South America	0	0	<5
Unknown but outside of the EU	0	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Finland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - France -

France ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2002. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in France – Article 32 of the Loi sur la Sécurité intérieure (2003) and the Article 225-4-1 of the Code pénal – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	1,479	1,436	1,609

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	2,126	1,953	1,980

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Prosecuted	1,988	1,773
Men	...	1,303
Women	...	304
Boys	...	67
Girls	...	54
Age unknown	...	45

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

There is no data provided for prosecution numbers within 2023.

#### **Number of persons convicted for trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2022**

Variable	2022
Total	1,041
Men	771
Women	200
Boys	22
Girls	23
Age unknown	25

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

There is no data provided for conviction numbers within 2023.

## Number of persons convicted for trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation and gender, 2022

Variable	For sexual exploitation	For forced labour	For other purposes
Total	811	185	45
Men	604	143	24
Women	158	25	17
Boys	21	0	<5
Girls	23	0	0
Unknown sex or age	5	17	<5

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Citizenship of persons convicted for trafficking in persons, 2022

Variable	2022
Total	1,041
Own country nationals	602
Central and South-Eastern Europe	86
North Africa and the Middle East	16
East Asia and the Pacific	30
Sub-Saharan Africa	17
Unknown but outside the EU	205
Unknown but within the EU	42
Unknown	43

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

## Victims

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	1,811	2,027	2,143
Men	394	550	730
Women	927	985	1,014
Boys	99	118	40
Girls	391	374	359

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	1,811	2,027	2,143
For sexual exploitation	1,044	992	1,034
For forced labour	506	793	743
For removal of organs	...	...	0
For other purposes	25	45	29
For unknown purposes	0	197	337

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes include trafficking for forced begging, as well as unspecified purposes.  
The category of forced labour includes enslavement.

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	992	1,034
Men	26	30
Women	666	704
Boys	7	10
Girls	293	290

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

## Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	560	599
South America	184	181
Central and South-Eastern Europe	69	33
East Asia and the Pacific	51	60
Western and Southern Europe	578	13
Sub-Saharan Africa	14	19
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	14	26
Central America and the Caribbean	31	58
North Africa and the Middle East	0	9
Unknown	51	41

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	793	743
Men	436	508
Women	233	197
Boys	86	15
Girls	38	23

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	256	252
South Asia	78	83
North Africa and the Middle East	182	155
North America	12	0
South America	24	11
Central and South-Eastern Europe	18	22
East Asia and the Pacific	10	20
Western and Southern Europe	14	11
Sub-Saharan Africa	83	85
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	42	30
Central America and the Caribbean	30	32
Unknown	48	53

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	45	29
Men	0	0
Women	10	17
Boys	17	0
Girls	18	12

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

Other purposes include trafficking for forced begging, as well as unspecified purposes.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	13	0
Western and Southern Europe	0	15
North Africa and the Middle East	6	...
Central and South-Eastern Europe	20	8
Central America and the Caribbean	0	9
Unknown	10	8

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	197	337
Men	88	192
Women	76	96
Boys	0	15
Girls	25	34

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	37	58
North Africa and the Middle East	41	120
South America	5	10
Central and South-Eastern Europe	6	13
East Asia and the Pacific	7	16
Sub-Saharan Africa	46	30
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	7	19
South Asia	0	9
Unknown	43	60

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	910	866	927
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	19	136	67
Central and South-Eastern Europe	124	113	82
North Africa and the Middle East	116	150	252
Other Western and Southern Europe	33	66	31
Sub-Saharan Africa	95	138	111
South America	137	213	206
East Asia and the Pacific	68	58	99
Central America and the Caribbean	20	22	83
South Asia	73	42	91
North America	...	12	0
Unknown	0	0	117

Source: National authorities of France to EUROSTAT.



## - Germany -

Germany ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2006. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Germany covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Cases	510	505

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Brought into formal contact	661	719

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Total	173	160
Men	142	131
Women	28	25
Boys (0-17)	<5	<5
Girls (0-17)	0	0

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2022**

Variable	2022
For sexual exploitation	135
For forced labour	10
For other purposes	<5
For unknown forms of exploitation	11

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022

Citizenship	2021	2022
Convicted	173	160
Own country nationals	109	98
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	34	37
North Africa and the Middle East	8	9
Other Western and Southern Europe	5	8
Sub-Saharan Africa	7	<5
South America	<5	...
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	<5
South Asia	...	<5

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Victims

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2022

Variable	2021	2022
Total	800	1672
Men	74	505
Women	407	589
Other adults	<5	7
Unknown age (women)	22	88
Unknown age (men)	19	283
Boys	68	36
Girls	197	157
Other child	<5	0
Unknown adult	0	<5
Unknown child	<5	0
Unknown	5	5

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2022

Form of exploitation	2021	2022
Victims	800	1,672
For sexual exploitation	457	605
For forced labour	28	1,019
For removal of organs	...	...
For other purposes	315	48

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Other purposes include forced criminality, forced begging or forced marriage.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	12
Women	391
Boys	33
Girls	143
Other gender	7
Unknown age	19

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Own country nationals	233
South Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	192
Sub-Saharan Africa	29
South America	5
East Asia and the Pacific	105
Western and Southern Europe	11
North Africa and the Middle East	5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	9
Unknown	12

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by age and gender, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	462
Women	192
Boys	<5
Girls	<5
Unknown age of men	283
Unknown age of women	70
Other gender	6

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Own country nationals	<5
South Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	272
South America	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	5
Western and Southern Europe	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	9
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	347
Unknown	372
Stateless	<5

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes of exploitation, by age and gender, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	31
Women	6
Boys	<5
Girls	10

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes of exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Own country nationals	<5
South Asia	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	37
East Asia and the Pacific	<5
Western and Southern Europe	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022

Citizenship	2021	2022
Own country nationals	264	237
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	33	358
Central and South-Eastern Europe	320	501
North Africa and the Middle East	19	14
Other Western and Southern Europe	13	16
Sub-Saharan Africa	13	29
South America	10	9
East Asia and the Pacific	82	113
South Asia	5	9
Stateless	<5	<5
Unknown	40	384

Source: National authorities of Germany to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Greece -

Greece ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children on 11 January 2011. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Greece- Article 323A of the Penal Code- covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	20	26	37

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	60	65	143

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	108	206	579

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	181	221	190
Men	52	135	127
Women	16	21	20
Boys	0	52	37
Girls	0	<5	<5
Unknown	0	<5	5
Unknown age (men)	112	0	0

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons by form of exploitation, 2022-2023**

Variable	2022	2023
For sexual exploitation	103	163
For forced labour	<5	15
For other purposes	106	12
For sexual exploitation and another form of exploitation	8	0

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Total	157	358	533
Men	22	39	44
Women	100	250	389
Other adults*	0	<5	0
Boys	24	26	40
Girls	11	41	60
Other children*	0	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

\*Victims identified as “Trans woman”.

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Victims	157	358	533
For sexual exploitation	70	187	251
For forced labour	44	103	170
For removal of organs	0	<5	5
For other purposes**	43	66	107

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

\*\*Other purposes include trafficking for forced criminality, forced begging, and mixed exploitation including sexual and labour exploitation.

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex and age, 2022-2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Men	10	6
Women	167	222
Boys	5	<5
Girls	5	22

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.



### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	9	10
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	5
South Asia	6	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	160	156
Central America and the Caribbean	<5	0
North Africa and the Middle East	<5	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	<5
South America	0	69

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex and age, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	27	32
Women	51	108
Boys	13	22
Girls	12	8

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Central and South-Eastern Europe	0	9
South Asia	26	22
Sub-Saharan Africa	68	117
North Africa and the Middle East	8	7
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	0	16
Stateless	<5	...

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for the removal of organs, by sex and age, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	0	0
Women	<5	5
Boys	0	0
Girls	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

All victims trafficked for the removal of organs in 2022 were from Sub-Saharan Africa.  
In 2023, victims trafficked for the removal of organs were own country nationals of Greece, from Central and South-Eastern Europe, Eastern Europe and Central Asia, and North Africa and the Middle East.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, by sex and age, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	<5	6
Women	31	54
Other*	<5	0
Boys	8	17
Girls	23	30

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Victims identified as "Trans woman".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Own country nationals	14	27
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	5
South Asia	5	6
South America	0	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	41	66
North Africa and the Middle East	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Total	157	358	533
Own country nationals	9	23	38
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	<5	20
Central and South-Eastern Europe	17	7	20
North Africa and the Middle East	10	10	14
Other Western and Southern Europe	0	0	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	106	273	335
East Asia and the Pacific	0	0	0
Central America and the Caribbean	0	<5	0
South America	0	0	70
South Asia	13	37	19
Stateless	0	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Greece to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

**- Holy See -**

The Holy See acceded to the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime in 2012, but it is not a party to the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children.

There were no offences, prosecutions, convictions or victims recorded by national authorities in the Holy See for 2019-2023.

Source: The Corps of the Gendarmes of the Vatican City State.

## - Ireland -

Ireland ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2010. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Ireland covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol. Trafficking offences are prosecuted under the Human Trafficking Act 2008, amended in 2013. Criminal Law (Sexual Offences) Act of 2017, and Sexual Offences (Jurisdiction) Act 1996, presents specific provisions for cases of trafficking in persons for the purpose of sexual exploitation. The Child Trafficking and Pornography Act 1998 specifically criminalizes child trafficking. The Illegal Immigrants (Trafficking) Act 2000 is also used to prosecute cases of trafficking in persons.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	44	42	53

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	6	7	<5

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2022-2023**

Variable	2022	2023
Men	<5	<5
Women	5	0
Boys	0	0
Girls	0	0

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

In 2022, 8 men were brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of or arrested for or cautioned for forced labour.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	6	<5	6

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	5	<5	<5
Men	<5	0	0
Women	<5	<5	<5
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Convicted	5	<5	<5
Western and Southern Europe	0	...	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5	<5	0
South America	<5	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Victims

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	44	42	53
Men	16	14	10
Women	28	23	38
Boys	0	<5	<5
Girls	0	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	44	42	53
For sexual exploitation	25	24	28
For forced labour	19	15	16
For removal of organs	0	<5	0
For other purposes	0	<5	9

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes include trafficking for forced criminality.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for sexual exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	<5	0
Women	19	26
Boys	0	0
Girls	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for forced labour, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Men	11	8
Women	<5	8
Boys	<5	0
Girls	0	0

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	0	<5	0
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	0	<5	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	9	9	12
North Africa and the Middle East	0	<5	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	26	25	27
South America	<5	0	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	0	<5	<5
Central America and the Caribbean	0	0	<5
South Asia	<5	<5	<5
Western and Southern Europe	0	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Ireland to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Italy -

Italy ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2006. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Italy - Articles 600, 601, 602 of the Penal Code- covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	1,751	1,227	970

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	4,134	3,120	2,720

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

In 2022, 222 people were convicted for trafficking in persons.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2022-2023**

Variable	2022	2023
Total	222	228
Men	171	183
Women	51	45
Boys	0	0
Girls	0	0

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	757	2,146	2,050
Men	258	672	664
Women	234	1,328	1,205
Boys	96	36	54
Girls	168	33	37
Other*	...	77	90
Unknown	<5	...	0

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Victims identified as "Transsexuals".



### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	757	2,144	2,050
For sexual exploitation	430	600	563
For forced labour	213	449	432
For removal of organs	0	0	0
For other purposes**	122	379	592
Unknown	0	0	442

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

\*\*Other purposes include trafficking for forced begging, forced criminality, mixed exploitation or remains unspecified.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	7
Women	482
Boys	<5
Girls	6
Other*	67

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Victims identified as "Transsexuals".

### Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	451
Central and South-Eastern Europe	11
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
South America	84
South Asia	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	10
Central America and the Caribbean	<5

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	349
Women	72
Boys	10
Girls	0
Other*	<5

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*Victims identified as "Transsexuals".

### Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	107
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	6
South America	10
South Asia	158
North Africa and the Middle East	130
East Asia and the Pacific	12
Central America and the Caribbean	<5

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other forms of exploitation, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	167
Women	390
Boys	19
Girls	21
Other*	16

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

\*Victims identified as "Transsexuals".

### Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other forms of exploitation, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	378
Central and South-Eastern Europe	12
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	7
South America	31
South Asia	80
North Africa and the Middle East	98
Central America and the Caribbean	<5

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	141
Women	261
Boys	24
Girls	10
Other*	6

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

\*Victims identified as “Transsexuals”.

### Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	286
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
Western and Southern Europe	<5
South America	14
South Asia	92
North Africa and the Middle East	39
East Asia and the Pacific	<5

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	<5	<5	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	39	16	23
Central and South-Eastern Europe	77	58	29
North Africa and the Middle East	38	224	278
Western and Southern Europe	373	0	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	94	1381	1209
South America	12	109	141
East Asia and the Pacific	15	38	23
Central America and the Caribbean	<5	<5	7
South Asia	87	313	336
Unknown	0	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Italy to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

**- Liechtenstein -**

Liechtenstein ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2008. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Liechtenstein – Article 104a of the Criminal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

*Investigations and suspects*

**Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2020-2023**

Variable	2020	2021	2022	2023
Cases	0	<5	0	<5

Source: National Police

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

There were no reported persons brought into formal contact, prosecuted or convicted for trafficking in persons in Liechtenstein between 2020-2023.

## - Luxembourg -

Luxembourg ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2009. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Luxembourg- Articles 382-1 to 382-3 of the Penal Code- covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Cases	46	26

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Brought into formal contact	18	26

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Prosecuted	<5	9

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Total	<5	<5
Men	<5	<5
Women	<5	<5
Boys	0	0
Girls	0	0

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Citizenship	2021	2022
Convicted	<5	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	...	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	...	...
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Total	50	77
Men	31	11
Women	6	49
Boys	8	0
Girls	<5	0
Unknown age men	<5	9
Unknown age women	<5	8

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2022**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Victims	50	77
For sexual exploitation	<5	50
For forced labour	34	23
For removal of organs	0	0
For other purposes (forced begging)	12	0
Unknown	0	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for sexual exploitation, 2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2022</b>
Men	<5
Women	45
Unknown age women	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### **Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for sexual exploitation, 2022**

<b>Citizenships</b>	<b>2022</b>
South America	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	41
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
Western and Southern Europe	<5
Unknown but outside of the EU	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for forced labour, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	10
Women	<5
Unknown age men	6
Unknown age women	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenship of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for forced labour, 2022

Citizenship	2022
South America	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	13
North Africa and the Middle East	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5
Unknown but outside of the EU	<5

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

In 2022, less than five women and men were trafficked for other or unknown purposes of exploitation. The citizenships of these victims included Eastern European and Central Asian, North African and Middle Eastern or remained unknown.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022

Citizenship	2021	2022
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	9	43
Central and South-Eastern Europe	20	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	<5	<5
Western and Southern Europe	<5	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	2	<5
South America	5	8
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	12
Central America and the Caribbean	0	...
South Asia	6	...

Source: National authorities of Luxembourg to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".



## - Malta -

Malta ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2003. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Malta- Articles 248A to 248G of the Criminal Code- covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	0	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	0	6	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	0	6	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	<5	0	<5
Men	<5	0	<5
Women	<5	0	<5
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Convicted	<5	0	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	...	<5
Western and Southern Europe	...	...	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	...	...	<5

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Total	<5	22	6
Men	0	<5	0
Women	<5	19	6
Other adults	0	...	0
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0
Other children	0	...	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Victims	<5	22	6
For sexual exploitation	<5	9	6
For forced labour	<5	8	0
For removal of organs	0	...	0
For other or mixed purposes	<5	5	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

In 2023, 6 women were detected as victims of sexual exploitation.

### **Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Central and South-Eastern Europe	...	<5	0
North Africa and the Middle East	...	<5	0
Western and Southern Europe	<5	<5	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	...	<5	0
South America	<5	7	5
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	7	0
South Asia	...	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Malta to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Norway -

Norway ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2003. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Norway – sections 257-258 of the Penal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2019-2022**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022
Cases	36	39	29	32

Source: Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2019-2022**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022
Brought into formal contact	11	<5	NA*	38

Source: Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

\*Data not available.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2020, 2022**

Variable	2019	2020	2022
Total	5	<5	0
Men	<5	0	0
Women	<5	<5	0
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source: Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2019-2022**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total	241	254	86	86
Men	66	74	...	...
Women	172	180	...	...
Boys	<5	0	...	...
Girls	<5	0	...	...

Source: Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

**Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2019-2022**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Victims	241	254	86	86
For sexual exploitation	142	139	...	...
For forced labour	80	96	...	...
For removal of organs	0	<5	...	...
For other purposes	16	15	...	...

Source: Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Portugal -

Portugal ratified the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2004. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Portugal – Article 160 of the Criminal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	80	89	92

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	36	50	53

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	190	246	410
Men	111	145	281
Women	39	48	54
Boys	16	7	46
Girls	8	9	10
Unknown	0	37	19

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023**

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	190	245	410
For sexual exploitation	8	12	7
For forced labour	153	190	339
For removal of organs	...	...	0
For other purposes	12	36	15
For unknown purposes	...	...	43

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Other purposes include trafficking for adoption, forced criminality, forced begging, mixed exploitation of labour and sexual exploitation, slavery like practices, or is unknown.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	<5
Women	5
Boys	0
Girls	0
Unknown age	<5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for sexual exploitation, 2023

Variable	2023
South Asia	<5
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
South America	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	259
Women	30
Boys	37
Girls	<5
Men Unknown age	11

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for forced labour, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	22
South Asia	102
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	8
Sub-Saharan Africa	29
South America	71
Central and South-Eastern Europe	5
North Africa and the Middle East	33
East Asia and the Pacific	48
Central America and the Caribbean	13
Western and Southern Europe	2
Unknown	6

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	<5
Women	6
Boys	<5
Girls	6
Unknown sex or age	<5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for other purposes, 2023

Variable	2023
South Asia	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5
Western and Southern Europe	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	7
Unknown	<5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, by sex and age, 2023

Variable	2023
Men	18
Women	13
Boys	8
Girls	<5
Unknown sex or age	5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons for unknown forms of exploitation, 2023

Variable	2023
Own country nationals	<5
South Asia	8
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5
Sub-Saharan Africa	20
South America	12
Western and Southern Europe	1
Unknown	<5

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	22	22	26
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	17	16	11
Central and South-Eastern Europe	21	12	15
North Africa and the Middle East	74	32	31
Western and Southern Europe	<5	<5	4
Sub-Saharan Africa	25	24	56
South America	9	36	113
East Asia and the Pacific	...	15	48
South Asia	23	87	73
Central America and the Caribbean	0	0	13
North America	0	0	12
Unknown	...	<5	10

Source: National authorities of Portugal to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".



## - Spain -

Spain ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2002. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Spain covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Cases	74	100	153

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	244	233	441

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2022-2023**

Variable	2022	2023
Men	125	236
Women	101	204
Boys	6	0
Girls	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	163	125	120

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2023**

Variable	2021	2022	2023
Total	188	229	497
Men	23	75	143
Women	161	139	348
Boys	0	9	<5
Girls	<5	6	5

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2023

Form of exploitation	2021	2022	2023
Victims	188	229	497
For sexual exploitation	135	129	289
For forced labour	50	89	194
For removal of organs	0	0	0
For other purposes	<5	11	14

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes include trafficking for forced criminality, forced marriage, or mixed forms of exploitation including trafficking for sexual and labour exploitation, sexual exploitation and forced criminality or forced marriage.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for sexual exploitation, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	129	289
Men	5	7
Women	120	281
Boys	0	0
Girls	<5	<5

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for forced labour, 2022-2023

Variable	2022	2023
Total	89	194
Men	67	133
Women	18	60
Boys	<5	<5
Girls	<5	0

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2021-2023

Citizenship	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals	5	10	17
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	<5	12	28
Central and South-Eastern Europe	23	13	35
North Africa and the Middle East	9	47	30
Western and Southern Europe	0	0	16
Sub-Saharan Africa	6	<5	9
South America	54	108	314
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	7	9
Central America and the Caribbean	34	18	16
South Asia	...	9	11
North America	...	...	0

Source: National authorities of Spain to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Sweden -

Sweden ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2004. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Sweden – Article 1a, Chapter 4 of the Swedish Criminal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Cases	276	196	140	196	228

Source: The Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	51	73	63	44	35

Source: The Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Men	42	53	46	29	24
Women	9	19	16	15	11
Boys	...	...	...	...	0
Girls	...	...	...	...	0
Children – unknown gender	<5	<5	<5	<5	0

Source: The Swedish Police Authority and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2019-2021, 2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2023
Prosecuted	6	18	13	<5

Source: The Swedish Police Authority and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2021, 2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2023
Total	6	18	13	<5
Men	5	13	8	<5
Women	<5	5	5	0
Children – unknown gender	...	...	<5	0

Source: The Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

## Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2022

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022
Total	<5	8	<5	<5
Men	<5	5	<5	<5
Women	0	<5	<5	0
Boys	0	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0	0

Source: The Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and national authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

There were no convictions of trafficking in persons recorded in 2023.

## Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2019-2022

Citizenship	2019	2020	2021	2022
Convicted	<5	8	<5	<5
Own country nationals	<5	0	0	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	7	<5	...
North Africa and the Middle East	...	<5	...	...
Western and Southern Europe	0	...	...	<5

Source: The Swedish Police Authority.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Victims

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2019-2023

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	269	206	134	171	474
Men	0	0	39	67	103
Women	0	0	55	68	108
Boys	0	0	12	16	16
Girls	0	0	22	13	6
Unknown	269	206	6	7	<5

Source: The Swedish National Council for Crime Prevention and the Police authorities to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

The total number of victims in 2023 differs from the total number of adult females, men and child victims.

Source: The Swedish Police Authority.

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2019-2023

Form of exploitation	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Victims	269	206	134	171	237
For sexual exploitation	<5	<5	...	61	178
For forced labour	0	0	...	21	35
For removal of organs	0	0	...	...	0
For other purposes	0	<5	...	79	24

Source: The Swedish Police Authority and the Swedish Gender Equality Agency to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes include trafficking for forced begging or remain unspecified.

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2019-2023

Citizenship	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Own country national	<5	0	0	<5	12
Central and South-Eastern Europe	<5	8	<5	...	35
East Asia and the Pacific	0	0	0	0	20
Sub-Saharan Africa	0	0	0	0	39
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	0	0	0	0	12
South America	0	0	0	0	14
Other	0	0	0	0	116

Source: The Swedish Police Authority and the Swedish Gender Equality Agency to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## - Switzerland -

Switzerland ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2006. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Switzerland – Article 182 of the Criminal Code – covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Cases	99	67	71	63	74

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS).

\*2023 data refers to data provided by national authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Brought into formal contact	59	95	64	50	56

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS).

\*2023 data refers to data provided by national authorities to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022**	2023
Total	10	8	13	NA	14
Men	7	<5	8	NA	10
Women	<5	<5	5	NA	<5
Boys	0	0	0	NA	0
Girls	0	0	0	NA	0

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS).

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*2023 data refers to data provided by national authorities to EUROSTAT.

\*\* No data available for 2022.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	83	51	62	37	60
Men	35	8	27	6	13
Women	43	43	27	29	38
Boys	0	<5	<5	0	7
Girls	5	<5	6	<5	<5

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS).

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

\*2023 data refers to data provided by national authorities to EUROSTAT.

**Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2020-2023**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Victims	51	62	37	60
For sexual exploitation	43	29	27	41
For forced labour	12	33	10	19
For removal of organs	0	0	0	0
For other purposes	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS).

\*2023 data refers to data provided by national authorities to EUROSTAT.

**Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2019-2022**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Own country nationals	<5	<5	<5	<5
Foreign nationals	82	50	58	35

Source: FSO - Police crime statistics (PCS)

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

The citizenships of foreign nationals are not identified.



## - Netherlands (Kingdom of the) -

The Netherlands accepted the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2005. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in the Netherlands- Article 173 of the Penal Code- covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Cases	635	165

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022**

Variable	2021	2022
Brought into formal contact	212	255

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2022**

Variable	2022
Men	176
Women	46
Boys	<5
Girls	<5
Unknown	31

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

#### **Number of persons brought into formal contact with the police and/or criminal justice system because they have been suspected of, arrested for or cautioned for trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2022**

Variable	2022
Sexual exploitation	176
Forced labour	<5
Removal of organs	...
Other purposes	18
Unknown	31

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes of exploitation include criminal activities and unspecified forms of trafficking in persons.

### Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2021-2022

Variable	2021	2022
Prosecuted	221	209

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

### Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Total	208
Men	153
Women	46
Boys	<5
Girls	<5
Unknown	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Sexual exploitation	160
Forced labour	...
Removal of organs	...
Other/Unknown purposes	48

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

### Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2021-2022

Variable	2021	2022
Total	83	62
Men	69	52
Women	11	10
Boys	<5	0
Girls	0	0

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2022

Variable	2022
Sexual exploitation	52
Forced labour	...
Removal of organs	...
Unknown form of exploitation	10

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

## Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2022

Citizenship	2022
Own country nationals	47
Foreign nationals	62

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

## Victims

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2021-2022

Variable	2021	2022
Total	791	814
Men	253	295
Women	436	444
Boys	9	13
Girls	71	56
Sex unknown	13	5
Age unknown	9	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Note: Among minors reported in 2022, the gender is unknown of 1 of them, the same applies to 4 of the adults. In addition, of 1 man, the age is unknown.

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2021-2022

Form of exploitation	2021	2022
Victims	791	814
For sexual exploitation	392	393
For forced labour	326	348
For removal of organs	0	0
For other purposes*	95	106
For unknown purposes	33	16

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Other purposes include trafficking for forced crime and forced begging. Multiple forms of exploitation may apply to 1 victim.

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for sexual exploitation, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	52
Women	295
Boys	<5
Girls	44
Unknown sex	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for forced labour, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	217
Women	126
Boys	0
Girls	<5
Unknown sex	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for other purposes of exploitation, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	35
Women	50
Boys	12
Girls	8
Unknown age	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other purposes include trafficking for forced criminality and forced begging.

### Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, for unknown purposes of exploitation, by sex and age, 2022

Variable	2022
Men	<5
Women	7
Boys	0
Girls	<5
Unknown age	<5
Unknown sex	<5

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2022

Citizenship	2022
Own country nationals	209
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	67
Central and South-Eastern Europe	199
North Africa and the Middle East	19
Western and Southern Europe	30
Sub-Saharan Africa	139
South America	48
East Asia and the Pacific	53
Central America and the Caribbean	5
South Asia	10
Unknown	35

Source: National authorities of Netherlands (Kingdom of the) to EUROSTAT.

## - The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland -

The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2006. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol. In England and Wales, trafficking in persons is prosecuted under the Modern Slavery Act of 2015.

### *Investigations*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2020-2023**

Variable	2020	2021	2022	2023
Cases	8,595	9,456	10,415	8,317

Source: United Kingdom Official Police Statistics.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2020-2023**

Variable	2020	2021	2022	2023
Prosecuted	267	466	405	410

Source: United Kingdom Crown Prosecution Service.

#### **Number of persons convicted for trafficking in persons, 2020-2023**

Variable	2020	2021	2022	2023
Convictions	197	332	282	311

Source: United Kingdom Crown Prosecution Service.

The citizenships of those convicted for trafficking in persons is unknown.

### *Victims*

#### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2019-2023**

Variable	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	10,627	10,582	12,700	16,921	17,004
Men	3,608	3,532	4,804	6,870	6,273
Women	2,252	1,517	1,592	1,976	2,344
Other adults*	...	<5	5	<5	5
Boys	3,470	3,903	4,296	5,595	5,918
Girls	1,075	1,087	1,143	1,398	1,507
Other children*	<5	24	8	11	7

Source: National Referral Mechanism Statistics.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2019-2023

Form of exploitation	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Victims	10,627	10,582	12,700	16,921	17,004
For sexual exploitation	2,207	1,234	1,266	1,644	1,679
For forced labour	3,797	2,238	3,122	5,134	4,652
For removal of organs	<5	5	<5	6	5
For other purposes	1,529	3,754	4,336	4,894	5,015

Source: National Referral Mechanism Statistics.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

Other purposes include trafficking for forced criminality and domestic exploitation.

## Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2019-2023

Citizenship	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Own country nationals (2019 included in Western and Southern Europe)	...	3,556	3,942	4,172	4,299
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	168	0	0	0	0
Central and South-Eastern Europe	2,446	2,234	3,035	5,022	4,452
North Africa and the Middle East	749	689	808	1,332	1,466
Western and Southern Europe (2019 includes own country nationals)	2,975	0	0	0	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	1,430	777	1,147	1,537	2,134
South America	38	0	0	68	83
East Asia and the Pacific	908	991	1,250	1,024	1,515
Central America and the Caribbean	58	0	47	0	0
South Asia	898	571	541	865	1,339
North America	8	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	79	57	0	0

Source: National Referral Mechanism Statistics.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as “<5”.

## - Türkiye -

Türkiye ratified the UN Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children in 2003. The current legislation on trafficking in persons in Türkiye - Articles 80, 91, 227 and 229 of the Penal Code - covers all forms of trafficking indicated in the UN Trafficking in Persons Protocol.

### *Investigations and suspects*

#### **Number of offences of trafficking in persons, 2019-2021**

Variable	2019	2020	2021
Cases	80	42	102

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

#### **Number of persons prosecuted for trafficking in persons, 2019-2021**

Variable	2019	2020	2021
Prosecuted	227	349	285

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

#### **Number of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, by sex and age group, 2019-2021**

Variable	2019	2020	2021
Total	48	30	72
Men	37	21	61
Women	11	9	11
Boys	0	0	0
Girls	0	0	0

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

#### **Citizenships of persons convicted of trafficking in persons, 2019-2021**

Citizenship	2019	2020	2021
Convicted	48	30	72
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	10	<5	<5
Central and South-Eastern Europe	...	...	<5
North Africa and the Middle East	8	<5	<5
Own country nationals	29	25	29
Western and Southern Europe	0	0	37
East Asia and the Pacific	<5	...	...

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

## *Victims*

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by sex and age, 2019-2022**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Total	217	281	402	343
Men	12	<5	31	37
Women	175	116	253	234
Boys	8	58	50	25
Girls	22	104	68	47

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

### **Number of detected victims of trafficking in persons, by form of exploitation, 2019-2022**

<b>Form of exploitation</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
victims	217	281	402	343
For sexual exploitation	146	159	200	160
For forced labour	55	73	111	106
For removal of organs	0	<5	...	<5
For other purposes	16	48	91	75

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".

Other forms of exploitation included forced marriages, forced begging and child soldiers.

### **Citizenships of detected victims of trafficking in persons, 2019-2022**

<b>Citizenship</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	126	89	131	129
Central and South-Eastern Europe	...	<5	...	...
North Africa and the Middle East	68	168	185	140
Own country nationals	2	11	42	33
Western and Southern Europe	0	0	0	0
Sub-Saharan Africa	<5	11	10	23
South America	<5	...	<5	<5
East Asia and the Pacific	11	<5	13	12
South Asia	<5	...	8	<5

Source: Presidency of Migration Management.

Note: due to privacy concerns, figures below five are presented as "<5".