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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

DATA SETS STORED



EACH SQUARE REPRESENTS 100,000 DATA SETS

7.1M

FINGERPRINT DATA SETS

6.8M

ASYLUM APPLICATION

0.2M

IRREGULAR BORDER-CROSSING

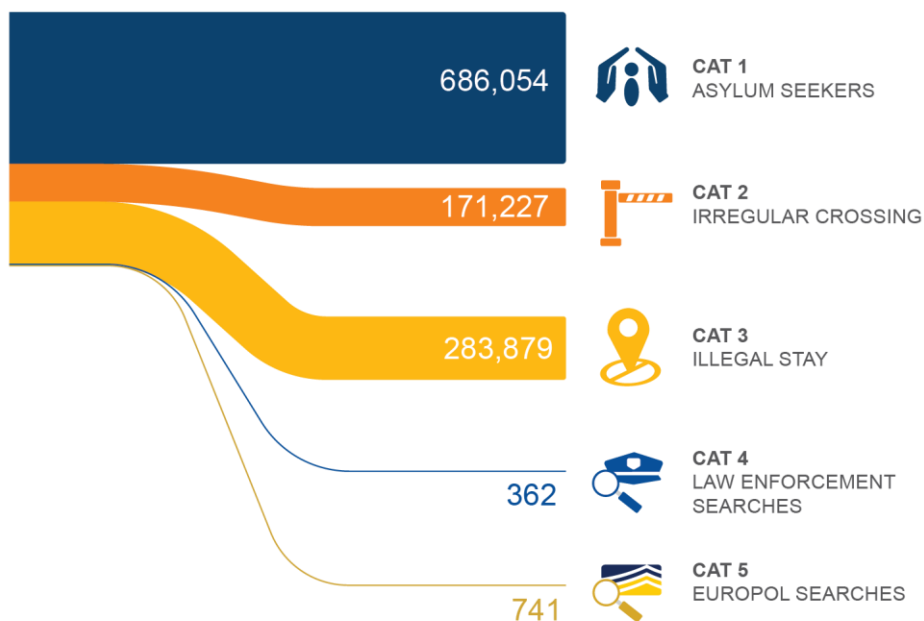
-7.8%

COMPARED TO 2024

DATA SETS TRANSMITTED

1.14M

-18.0%
COMPARED TO 2024



FOREIGN HITS



210,471
CAT 1 - CAT 1

MULTIPLE ASYLUM APPLICATIONS



67,478
CAT 1 - CAT 2

ASYLUM APPLICATION VS PRIOR
IRREGULAR CROSSING



130,296
CAT 3 - CAT 1

ILLEGAL STAY VS PRIOR ASYLUM
APPLICATION

Introduction

The European Asylum Dactyloscopy Database (Eurodac), is the European Union database for the **storage and comparison of digitalised fingerprints** of third-country nationals and stateless persons applying for international protection, as established by Regulation (EU) 603/2013 ⁽¹⁾ (Eurodac Regulation).

Operational since 2003, it facilitates the implementation of the **Dublin III Regulation**, determining which Member State is responsible for examining an application. This is done by **comparing the fingerprints** of applicants against fingerprint datasets already stored in Eurodac to see if the applicant has previously sought asylum in another Member State or has been apprehended irregularly crossing external Schengen borders.

Reporting obligations

The ***Eurodac 2025 Annual Statistics*** report compiles a detailed breakdown of the data for the main five Eurodac categories. Figures reported also include **hits**, the positive matches that are generated when comparing fingerprint searches made in the Eurodac database, either by designated **law enforcement authorities** or **asylum and immigration authorities**.

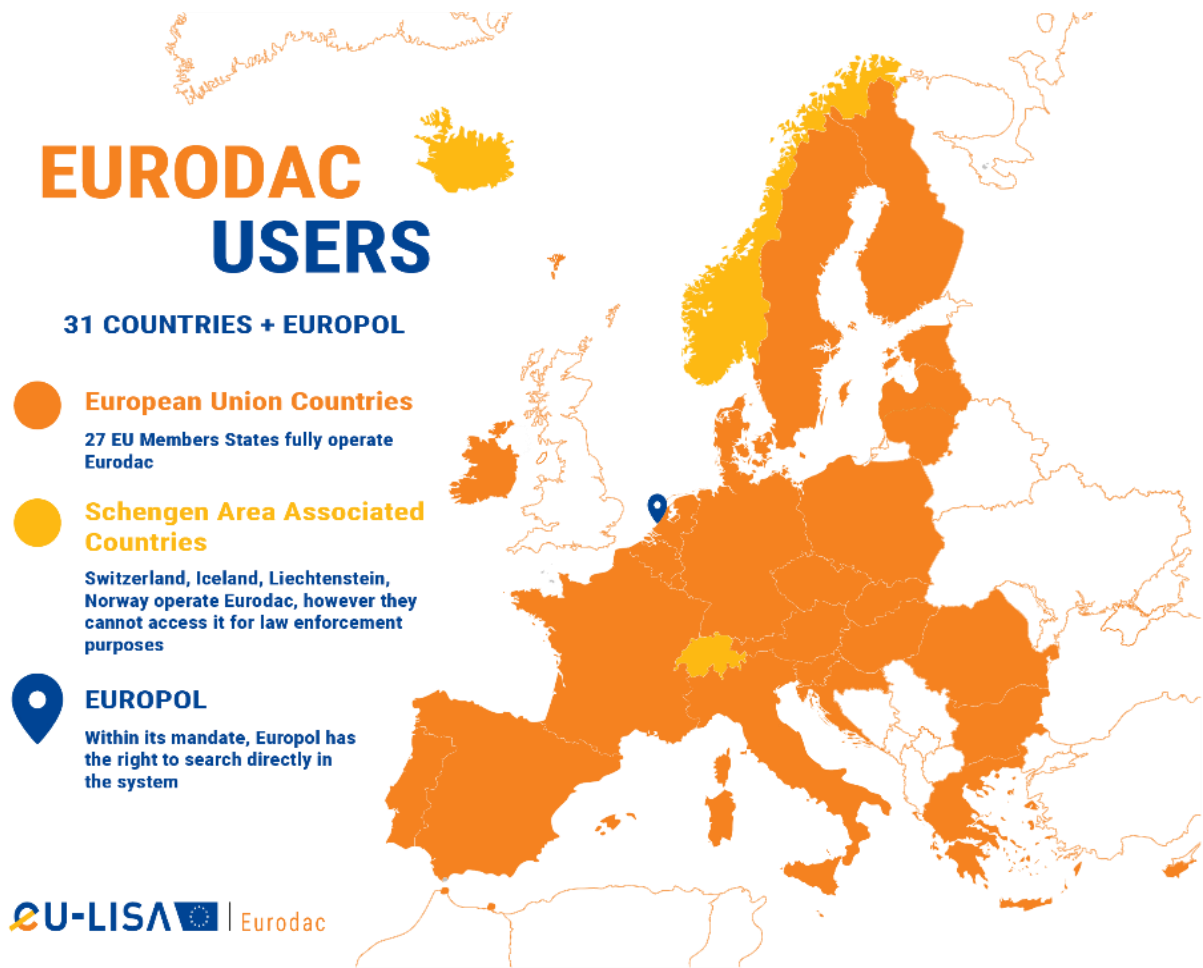
This report has been prepared by the European Union Agency for the Operational Management of Large-Scale IT Systems in the Area of Freedom, Security and Justice (eu-LISA) as the EU agency responsible for the operational management of the system and is produced in compliance with Article 8(2) of the Eurodac Regulation.

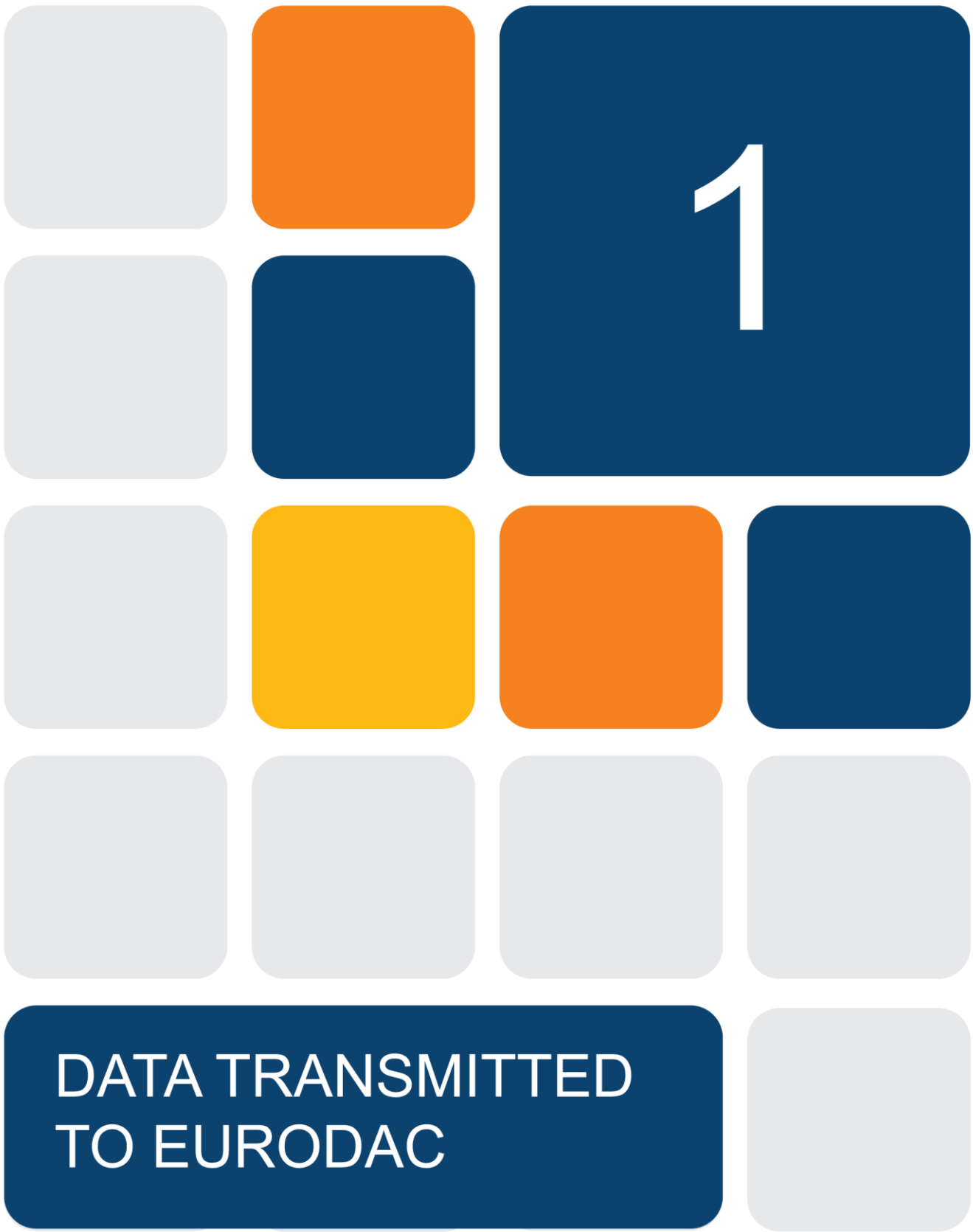
Besides reporting on statistics, eu-LISA also publishes **annual reports** on the activities of the Eurodac Central System, including its technical functioning and security, pursuant to Article 40(1) of the Eurodac Regulation ⁽²⁾, and the **annual list of authorities** which have access to Eurodac for asylum purposes, complying with Article 27(2) of the Eurodac Regulation.

⁽¹⁾ [Regulation \(EU\) No 603/2013](#) of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on the establishment of 'Eurodac' for the comparison of fingerprints for the effective application of Regulation (EU) No 604/2013 establishing the criteria and mechanisms for determining the Member State responsible for examining an application for international protection lodged in one of the Member States by a third-country national or a stateless person and on requests for the comparison with Eurodac data by Member States' law enforcement authorities and Europol for law enforcement purposes, and amending Regulation (EU) No 1077/2011 establishing a European agency for the operational management of large-scale IT systems in the area of freedom, security and justice (OJ L 180, 29.6.2013, p. 1, ELI: <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2013/603/oj>).

⁽²⁾ Eurodac reports can be found on the [eu-LISA website](#).

Figure 1. Eurodac users in 2025 – 31 countries and Europol





1. Data transmitted to Eurodac

Data sets transmitted by Member States authorities to the Eurodac Central System are **fingerprint data**, either for **storage** or **search** purposes. In accordance with Article 8(1) of the Eurodac Regulation, transmitted data falls under one of the **five main categories** below:

- **Fingerprint data sets transmitted by Member State asylum and immigration authorities**



Category 1 – application for international protection

Fingerprint data sets of third-country nationals (TCNs) or stateless persons, aged 14 or older, who register an **application for international protection** (asylum) in a Member State. They are transmitted for search and **stored for 10 years**.



Category 2 – irregular crossing of Schengen borders

Fingerprint data sets of TCNs or stateless persons, aged 14 or older, apprehended after **irregular crossing** of an external border of the Schengen area. They are transmitted and **stored for 18 months**.



Category 3 – found staying illegally in the Schengen area

Fingerprint data sets of TCNs or stateless persons, aged 14 or older, found **illegally staying** in a Member State. They are transmitted for **search purposes only, not stored**, and this transmission is not mandatory.

- **Fingerprint data sets transmitted for law enforcement purposes** (since 20 July 2015)



Category 4 – searches by Member State law enforcement authorities

Requests for comparative fingerprint searches by designated **EU Member State law enforcement authorities**, for the purpose of prevention, detection or investigation of terrorist/serious criminal offences.



Category 5 – searches by Europol

Requests by **Europol** for comparative fingerprint searches, for the purpose of prevention, detection or investigation of terrorist/serious criminal offences.

Only **Category 1** and **Category 2** fingerprint data sets are **stored for future searches**. Those are stored with the attributes listed in Figure 2 as per Articles 11 and 14 of the Eurodac Regulation.

Figure 2. Overview of data recorded in Eurodac marking information about international protection status

	▪ Fingerprint data		▪ Sex
	▪ Member State of origin		
	▪ Place of the application		▪ Other relevant dates under Dublin process
	▪ Date of the application		▪ Operator user ID
	▪ Date of fingerprinting		▪ Reference number

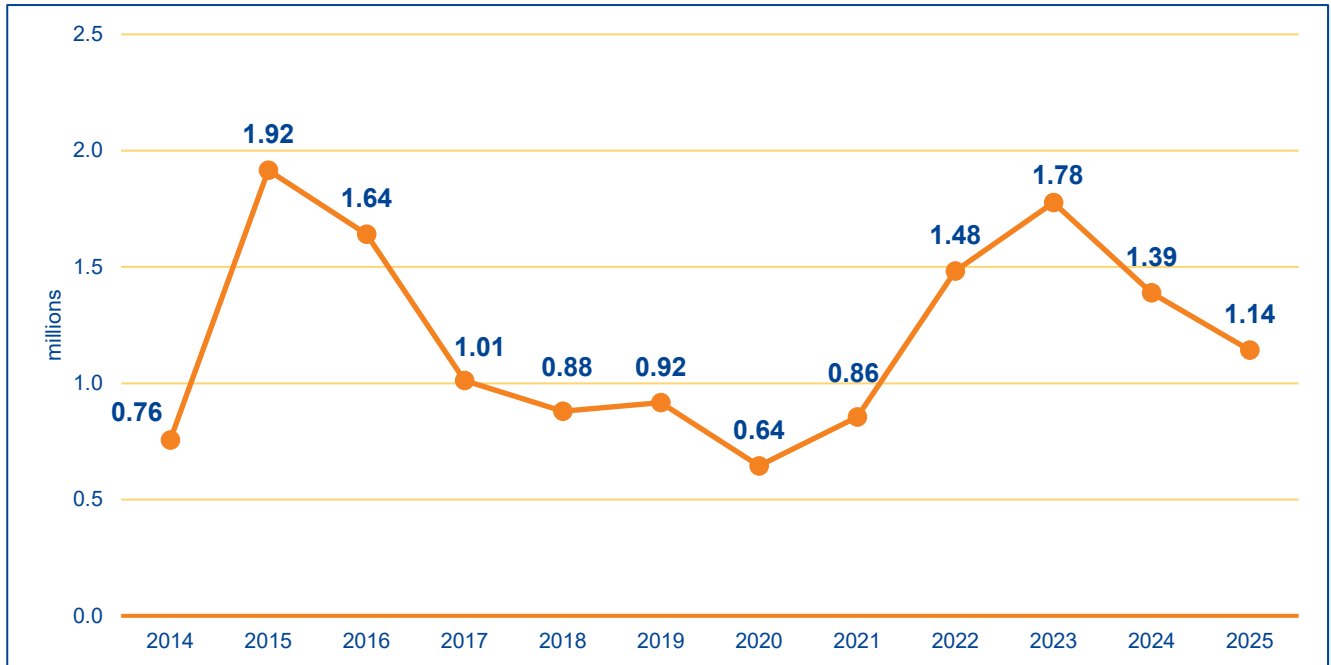
At the end of 2025, the Eurodac Central System **stored 7.1 million fingerprint data sets**, of which **6.8 million corresponded to asylum applications** and **0.2 million to irregular border-crossings**.

Overview of data transmitted to Eurodac, 2014–2025

In 2025, a total of **1,142,263** fingerprint data sets from the five main data categories were transmitted to the Eurodac Central System by Member States and Europol.

Figure 3 illustrates the annual volumes of data sets transmitted to the Eurodac Central System from 2014 until 2025 ⁽³⁾. For a detailed breakdown, please refer to **Table 1** in the Statistical Annex.

Figure 3. Fingerprint data sets transmitted to the Eurodac Central System, 2014–2025



Looking at the historical trend, in 2015, Eurodac observed a record of nearly 2 million data transmissions, in conjunction with the migration crisis. This level steadily declined in the following years and remained under 1 million between 2018 and 2021, with the lowest annual volume being observed in 2020 when travel restrictions were imposed across Europe in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

In 2025, there was an **18 % decrease** in data transmissions compared to 2024, reaching a volume of **1,142,263** data sets transmitted by 31 December 2025.

⁽³⁾ Since July 2015, comparative law enforcement searches, under Categories 4 and 5, have been performed by designated Member State law enforcement authorities and Europol.

Data transmitted to Eurodac in 2025, by category

The majority of transmissions were recorded in the Eurodac Central System under Category 1, relating to *asylum applications* (**686,054**), **60 %** of the total.

The next category in terms of number of transmissions was Category 3, relating to *irregular stay* (**283,879**), **25 %** of the total. Category 2, *irregular crossing*, accounts for **15 %** of total transmissions (**171,227**).

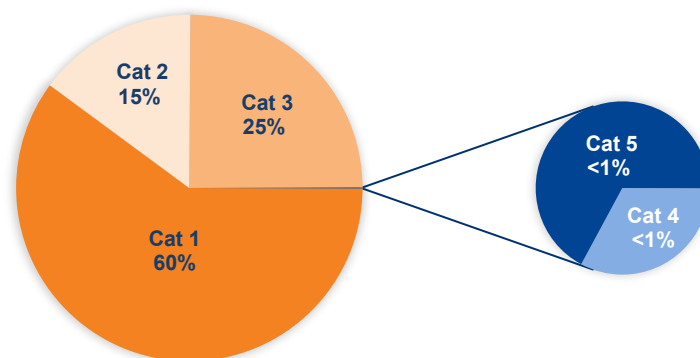
Lastly, in terms of data set transmissions for law enforcement purposes, Category 4 (**362**) – *searches by law enforcement national authorities* – and Category 5 (**741**) – *searches by Europol*, the number is significantly low, **less than 1 %** of the total.

Figures 4a and 4b provide an overview of all data transmissions in 2025, by category. For a detailed breakdown by Member State, please refer to **Tables 1 and 2** in the Statistical Annex.

Figure 4a. Data sets transmitted to the Eurodac Central System in 2025, by category

Category	Data sets transmitted	Change compared to 2024
Category 1 – asylum seekers	686,054	– 17%
Category 2 – irregular crossing	171,227	– 19%
Category 3 – illegal stay	283,879	– 17%
Category 4 – law enforcement national searches	362	– 57%
Category 5 – Europol searches	741	– 34%
Total	1,142,263	– 18%

Figure 4b. Data sets transmitted to the Eurodac Central System in 2025, by category



Rejected data sets



If the fingerprint data sets transmitted for storage are not of **appropriate quality**, the Eurodac Central System will reject them, and the Member State must resubmit the data in a quality that allows for comparison.

During 2025, the system rejected **27,481** data sets due to quality, **3 %** of the total number of transmitted data sets. This percentage is lower than in 2024 (when it was 3.4 %).

For a detailed breakdown by Member State, please refer to **Table 5** in the Statistical Annex.

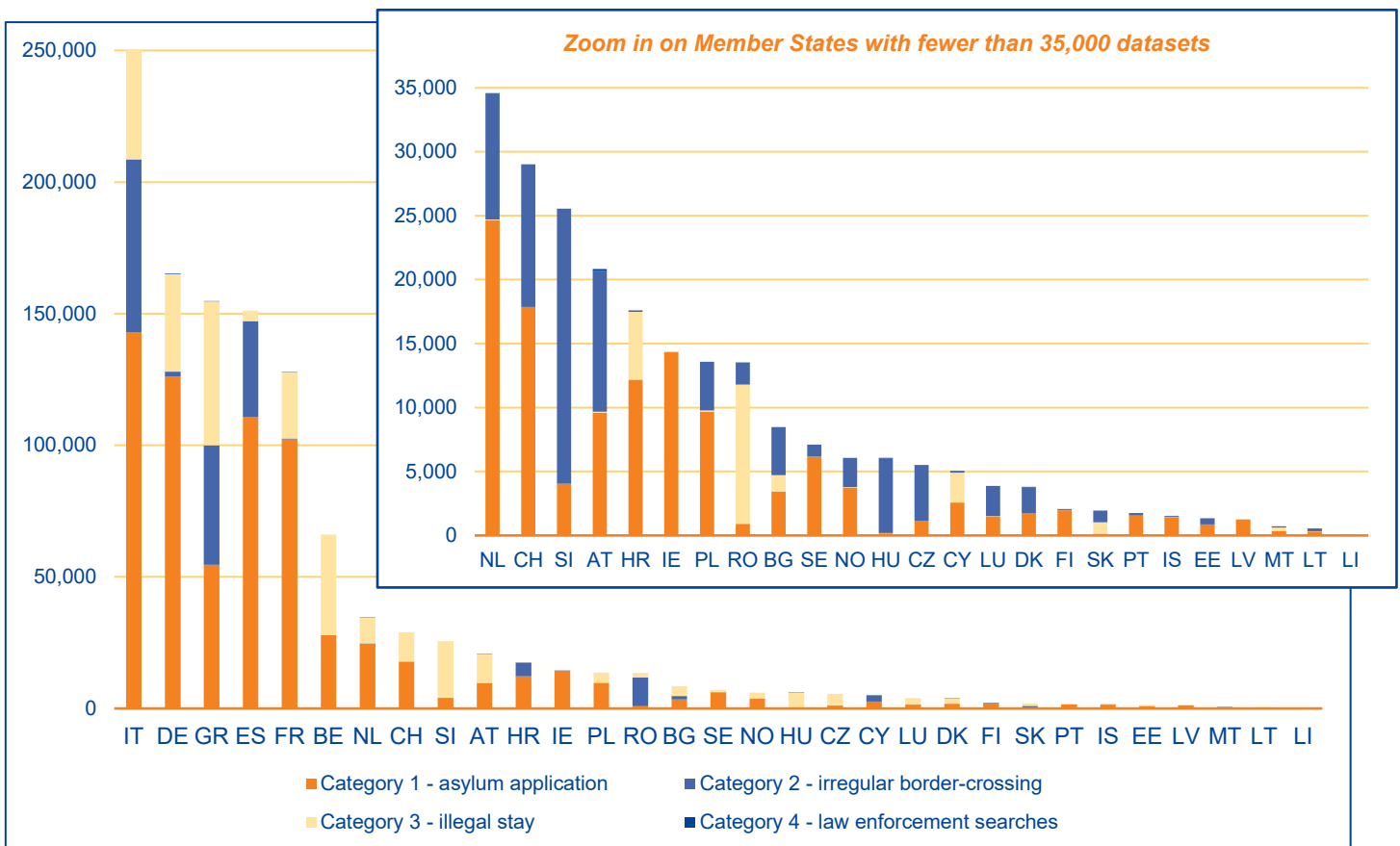
Fingerprint data sets transmitted to Eurodac by Member States

This section provides an overview of the data sets transmitted to Eurodac by Member States in Categories 1 to 4 in 2025. The five Member States that submitted the largest volume of data sets were **Italy**, **Germany**, **Greece**, **Spain** and **France**. They each submitted more than 100,000 data sets, and, together, accounted for **74 %** of all data set transmissions to Eurodac:

- **Italy**: 21% of the total, with **250,443** data sets,
- **Germany**: 14% of the total, with **165,220** data sets,
- **Greece**: 13% of the total, with **154,650** data sets,
- **Spain**: 13% of the total, with **151,153** data sets,
- **France**: 11% of the total, with **127,840** data sets.

At the other end of the spectrum, the lowest number of data sets transmissions was from Liechtenstein, with a total of **48** datasets.

Figure 5. Fingerprint data sets transmitted by Member States in 2025, Categories 1 to 4



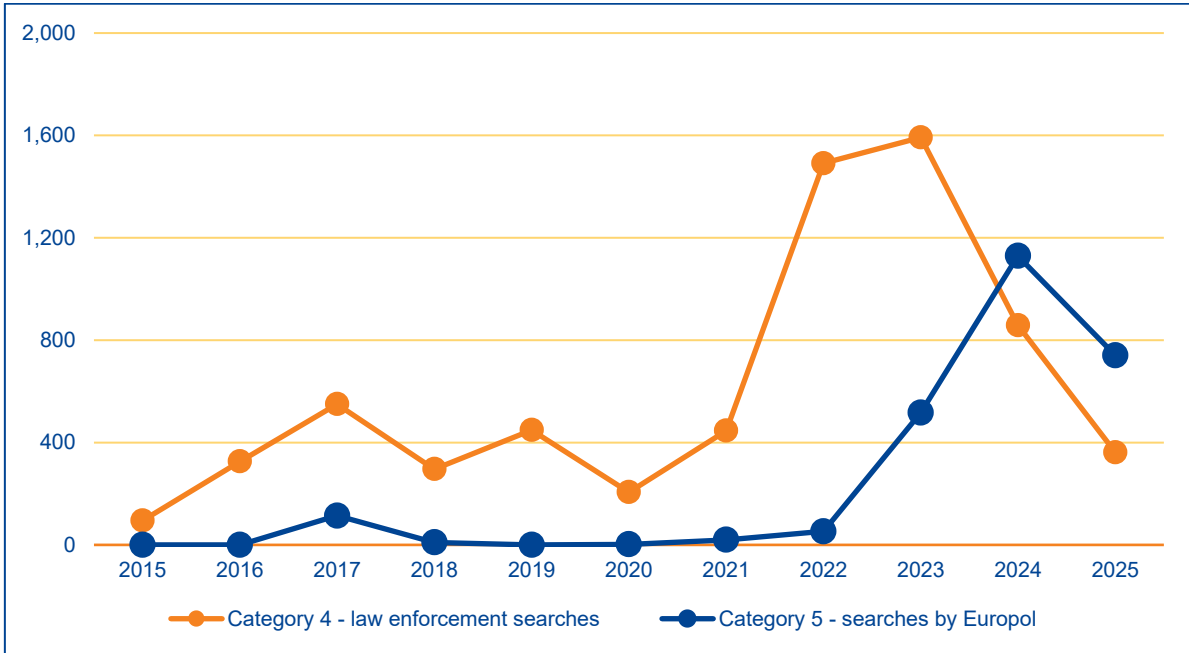
For a full breakdown of data sets transmitted by Member State per category, please refer to **Table 2** in the Statistical Annex.

Comparative fingerprint searches for law enforcement purposes

As of July 2025, designated Member State law enforcement authorities and Europol can request permission to conduct comparative fingerprint searches in very precise cases. These are registered respectively as Category 4 and Category 5.

For 2025, the total for these two categories accounted for **0.09 % of annual traffic**, with **1,103** data sets transmitted. Category 4 – **362 data sets transmitted**. Category 5 – **741 data sets transmitted**.

Figure 6. Searches for law enforcement purposes in 2025, Categories 4 and 5



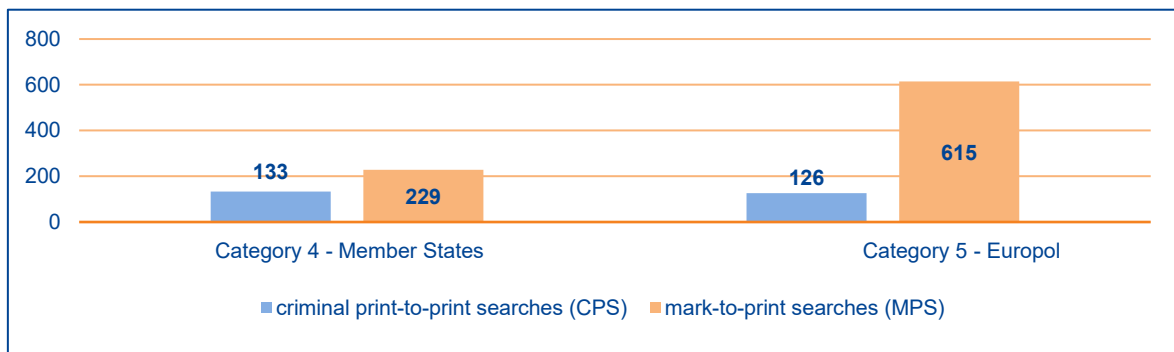
Criminal print-to-print vs mark-to-print searches

Searches for law enforcement purposes are performed as either:

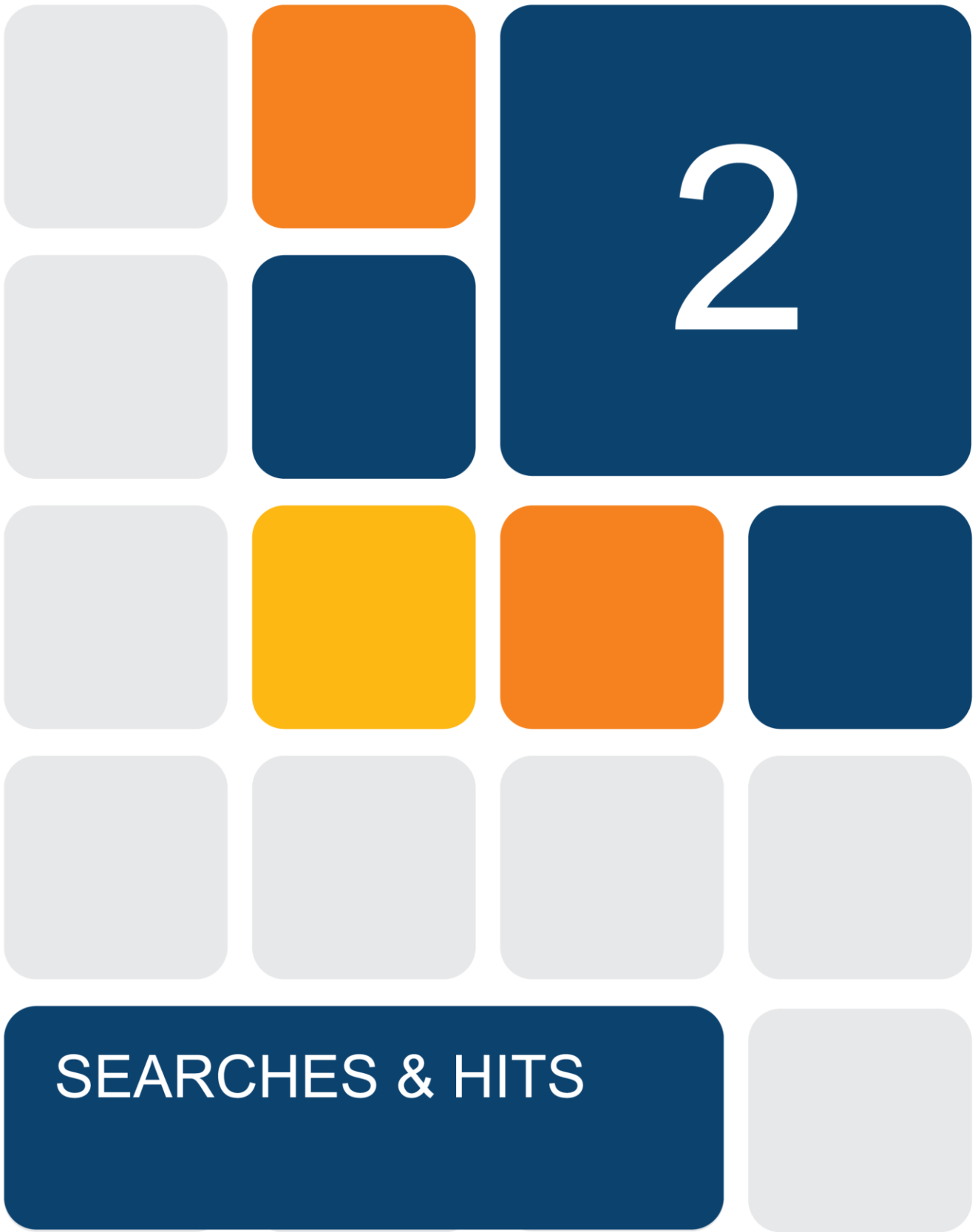
- **criminal print-to-print searches (CPS)**: full set of fingerprints taken directly from the person, resulting in a 'hit / no hit' outcome.
- **mark-to-print searches (MPS)**: latent fingerprints, i.e. found on surfaces or objects, resulting in a list of best-matching candidates.

Figure 7 showcases comparative fingerprint searches for law enforcement purposes in 2025.

Figure 7. Law enforcement searches by Member States (Category 4) and Europol (Category 5)



For a more detailed breakdown of data transmitted for law enforcement purposes, please refer to **Tables 3 and 4** in the Statistical Annex.



2. Searches and hits in Eurodac

Additionally, eu-LISA reports on the positive matches, known as **hits** ⁽⁴⁾, generated when comparing fingerprint searches made in the Eurodac Central System by designated authorities.

Eurodac search results

When users perform comparative fingerprint searches in the Central System, the returned result will be either a '**hit**' (match) or a '**no hit**' (no match). A '**hit**' means that a **corresponding match** has been found in Eurodac Central System, i.e. that a matching set of fingerprints already exists in the database, under one or both of the **two categories** stored:

- **Category 1** – *application for international protection,*
- **Category 2** – *irregular border-crossing.*

Comparative fingerprint searches are registered in Eurodac, under **four categories** ⁽⁵⁾:

- **Category 1** – *application for international protection,*
- **Category 3** – *found illegally staying in the Schengen area,*
- **Category 4** – *CPS – searches by Member State law enforcement authorities,*
- **Category 5** – *CPS – searches by Europol.*

These searches can result in **hits against** either **Category 1** and/or **Category 2 data sets**, which are the only data sets stored in Eurodac.

⁽⁴⁾ As per [Article 2\(1\)\(d\)](#) of the Eurodac Regulation, a '**hit**' refers to a match or matches established by the Eurodac central system when comparing stored fingerprint data with those transmitted for comparison by designated authorities.

⁽⁵⁾ Please note that Category 2 datasets (irregular border-crossing) are not used for comparative searches, those data sets are transmitted to the Eurodac Central System for storage only, to enable future comparative searches.

2.1. Category 1 hits against Category 1 data sets – multiple asylum applications

Most data sets transmitted to Eurodac are related to **asylum applications, Category 1**. In 2025, Category 1 data sets represented **60 %** of the total number of transmissions, **686,054**.

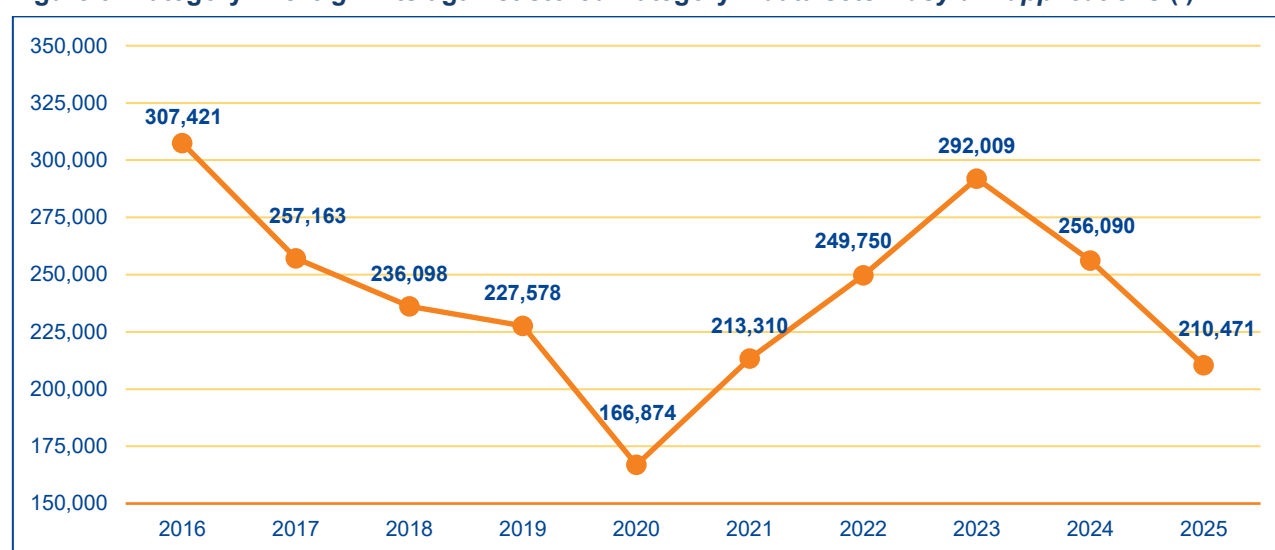
Category 1 data sets are available in the system for the **10-year retention period**. When the Central System receives a new Category 1 data set, the system **automatically checks** it against Category 1 and Category 2 data sets that are already stored in Eurodac.

Category 1 checks against Category 1 data sets determine whether the person lodging an asylum application has **already applied for international protection** in any of the Member States in the past 10 years.

For the 2025 reporting period, the total number of Category 1 hits against Category 1 data sets was **335,843**, with **125,372 local hits** ⁽⁶⁾ and **210,471 foreign hits** ⁽⁷⁾ reported.

Figure 9 illustrates the trend for this category of foreign hits since 2016.

Figure 9. Category 1 foreign hits against stored Category 1 data sets – asylum applications ⁽⁸⁾



For a more detailed overview by Member State, please refer to **Table 9** in the Statistical Annex.

⁽⁶⁾ Local hit – stored data set was originally transmitted by that **same Member State**.

⁽⁷⁾ Foreign hit – stored data set was originally transmitted by **another Member State**.

⁽⁸⁾ Since Member States have the option to filter out 'local hits' from returned search results, those might not be represented in aggregate statistics.

2.2. Category 1 hits against Category 2 data sets – asylum application vs prior irregular crossing

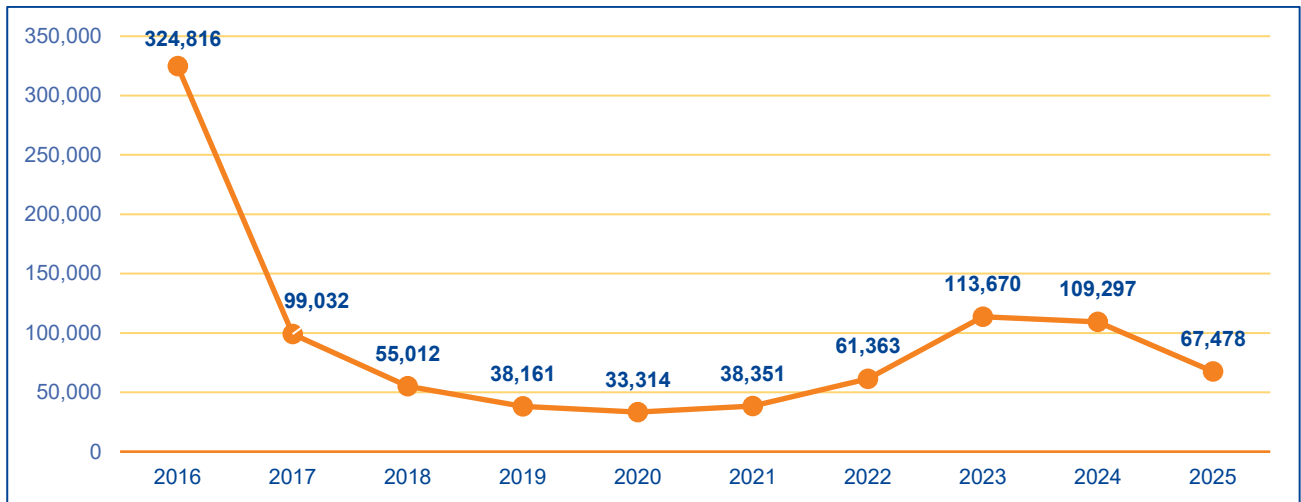
When the Central System receives a new Category 1 data set, the system **automatically checks** it against Category 1 and Category 2 data sets that are already stored in Eurodac.

Comparing Category 1 data sets against Category 2 data sets indicates whether a person who has lodged an application for international protection has been apprehended in connection with irregular crossing of Schengen borders **in the past 18 months**.

For the 2025 reporting period, the total number of Category 1 hits against Category 2 data sets was **172,120**, with **104,642 local hits** and **67,478 foreign hits** reported.

Figure 10 shows the evolution of Category 1 hits against Category 2 data sets.

Figure 10. Category 1 foreign hits against stored Category 2 data sets – irregular crossings



For a more detailed overview by Member State, please refer to **Table 10** in the Statistical Annex.

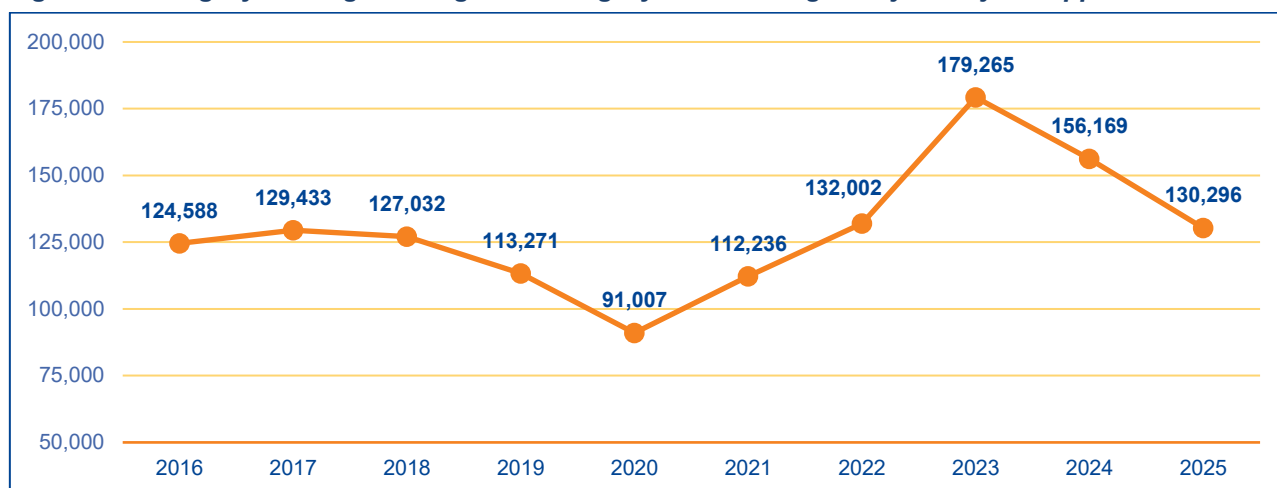
2.3. Category 3 hits against Category 1 data sets – *illegal stay vs prior asylum application*

This comparison indicates whether a person **found staying illegally** within the territory of a Member State has **applied for international protection** in one of the Member States **in the past 10 years**. Thus, foreign hits are used as proxy indicators for **secondary movements**.

For the 2025 reporting period, the total number of Category 3 hits against Category 1 data sets was **185,604**, with **55,308 local hits** and **130,296 foreign hits** reported.

Figure 11 shows Category 3 foreign hits against stored Category 1 data sets.

Figure 11. Category 3 foreign hits against Category 1 data – *illegal stay vs asylum applications*



For a more detailed overview by Member State, please refer to **Table 11** in the Statistical Annex.

2.4. Marked, unmarked and blocked fingerprint data sets – Categories 1 and 2

- **Marked data sets – *international protection granted***

When an asylum seeker has been **granted international protection** status, their fingerprints are marked in Eurodac. They remain available for **law enforcement searches** for a limited period of **3 years** after marking and are then automatically blocked. After the **10-year retention period**, the data are automatically deleted.

- **Blocked data sets – *unavailable for law enforcement searches***

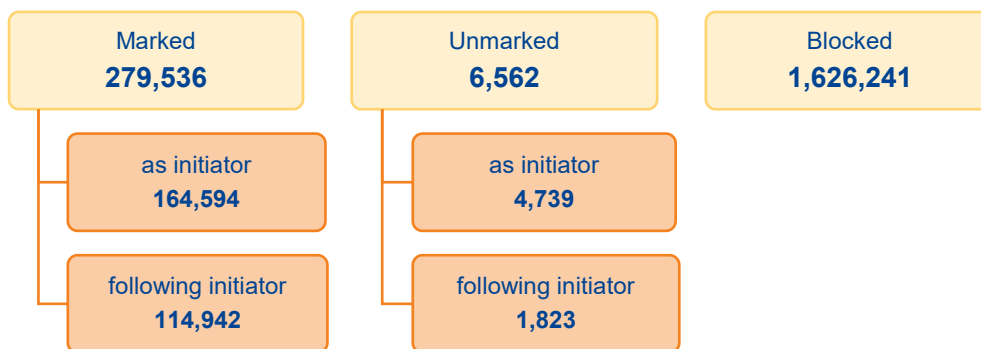
Three years after the marking, the data sets are blocked and therefore no longer available for law enforcement searches. Once blocked, law enforcement searches matching blocked data sets will return a negative result.

- **Unmarked data sets – *international protection status lost***

If the status of international protection has been revoked, has ended, or the renewal has been denied, the data set is made available again for comparative searches, and the initial marking is deleted (data are unmarked).

Member States have to mark all data sets connected to the data that have been marked. This is called mark following the initiator. Unmarking works in the same manner.

The graph below showcases the volumes of marked, unmarked and blocked data sets for the 2025 period.



For a detailed breakdown by Member State in 2025, please refer to **Tables 6-8** in the Statistical Annex.

Hits against marked data sets

- **Category 1 hits against marked Category 1 – international protection granted**

These hits indicate that a person that had been granted international protection subsequently reapplied in the same (local hit) or another (foreign hit) Member State.

- **Category 1 hits against marked Category 2 – asylum application vs irregular crossing**

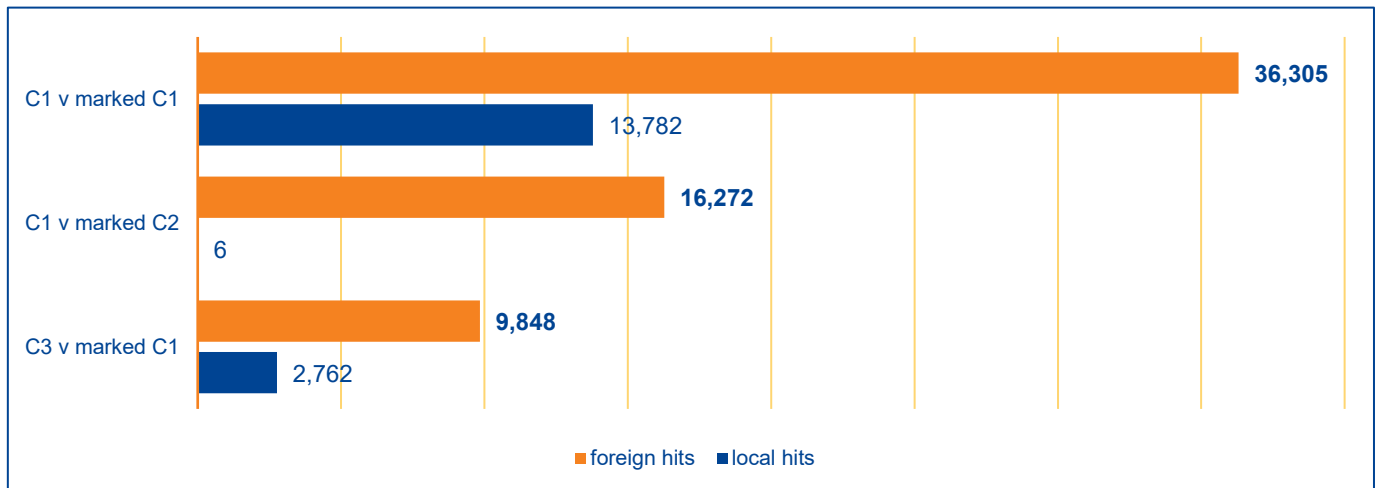
These hits occur when the person seeking asylum (Category 1) had already been granted international protection after apprehension for irregular crossing of Schengen borders (marked Category 2). Hits can be in the same Member State (local hit) or in another (foreign hit).

- **Category 3 hits against marked Category 1 – illegal stay vs prior asylum application**

These hits indicate that a person that had been granted international protection was subsequently found to be staying illegally within the same (local hit) or another (foreign hit) Member State.

Figure 13 showcases the hits against marked data sets in 2025, and the high foreign hits share indicates that there is a significant number of secondary movements of persons that, having been granted international protection in a given Member State, are irregularly moving to other Member States.

Figure 13. Hits against marked data sets in 2025



For a detailed breakdown by Member State, please refer to **Tables 12, 13 and 14** in the Statistical Annex.

2.5. Category 4 hits against Category 1 and 2 data sets – Member State law enforcement searches

Since July 2015, designated Member State law enforcement authorities can request to conduct **comparative fingerprint searches** in precise cases. This is allowed only **under strict conditions** for the purposes of preventing, detecting or investigating terrorist or other serious criminal offences.

They are **recorded under Category 4** and a ‘hit’ means that the person sought by law enforcement authorities has a record in Eurodac, because they have either applied for international protection in the last 10 years (Category 1), or they have been apprehended irregularly crossing Schengen borders in the last 18 months (Category 2).

For the 2025 period, **362** searches were performed under Category 4, by **nine** Member States.

These searches resulted in a total of **35** hits in five Member States: **Austria, Germany, Denmark, Hungary** and **the Netherlands**. The majority of the hits were registered by Hungary (**16**), followed by Germany (**12**). There was only **1** local hit, for Germany.

For a more detailed breakdown by Member State, please refer to **Table 15** in the Statistical Annex.

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3.1. Data transmitted to Eurodac

Table 1. Fingerprint data sets transmitted to Eurodac from 2014 to 2025

	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3	Category 4	Category 5	Total	% change
	<i>asylum applications</i>	<i>irregular border-crossing</i>	<i>illegal stay</i>	<i>Member State law enforcement searches</i>	<i>Europol searches</i>		
2014	505,221	106,980	144,167	<i>as of July 2015</i>	<i>as of July 2015</i>	756,368	
2015	1,198,111	422,825	294,807	95	0	1,915,838	+ 153 %
2016	1,018,074	370,418	252,559	326	0	1,641,377	- 14 %
2017	633,324	160,816	217,661	550	114	1,012,465	- 38 %
2018	551,253	103,333	224,180	296	10	879,072	- 13 %
2019	592,691	111,761	211,635	449	0	916,536	+ 4 %
2020	401,590	82,285	160,843	206	2	644,926	- 30 %
2021	510,696	132,356	211,960	446	20	855,478	+ 33 %
2022	950,768	192,121	337,382	1,491	53	1,481,815	+ 73 %
2023	1,024,923	302,137	447,745	1,592	517	1,776,914	+ 20 %
2024	829,308	212,776	344,436	858	1,129	1,388,507	- 22 %
2025	686,054	171,227	283,879	362	741	1,142,263	- 18 %

Table 2. Fingerprint data sets transmitted to Eurodac by Member States and Europol in 2025, by category

Member State	Cat 1	Cat 2	Cat 3	Cat 4	Cat 5	Total
AT / Austria	9,604	74	11,035	114		20,827
BE / Belgium	27,965	0	38,151	0		66,116
BG / Bulgaria	3,434	1,285	3,768	0		8,487
CH / Switzerland *	17,876	0	11,144	0		29,020
CY / Cyprus	2,582	2,335	115	8		5,040
CZ / Czechia	1,143	5	4,362	0		5,510
DE / Germany	126,082	1,841	37,088	209		165,220
DK / Denmark	1,765	0	2,006	13		3,784
EE / Estonia	853	4	485	0		1,342
ES / Spain	110,652	36,538	3,963	0		151,153
FI / Finland	1,963	2	72	2		2,039
FR / France	102,206	415	25,211	8		127,840
GR / Greece	54,643	45,366	54,640	1		154,650
HR / Croatia	12,191	5,290	116	0		17,597
HU / Hungary	172	22	5,849	6		6,049
IE / Ireland	14,341	2	0	0		14,343
IS / Iceland *	1,454	6	77	0		1,537
IT / Italy	142,796	65,800	41,847	0		250,443
LI / Liechtenstein *	39	0	9	0		48
LT / Lithuania	322	7	228	0		557
LU / Luxembourg	1,496	10	2,373	0		3,879
LV / Latvia	1,236	0	4	0		1,240
MT / Malta	371	247	104	0		722
NL / Netherlands	24,668	34	9,844	1		34,547
NO / Norway *	3,740	33	2,284	0		6,057
PL / Poland	9,669	99	3,811	0		13,579
PT / Portugal	1,562	0	199	0		1,761
RO / Romania	903	10,892	1,744	0		13,539
SE / Sweden	6,160	7	934	0		7,101
SI / Slovenia	4,032	3	21,506	0		25,541
SK / Slovakia	134	910	910	0		1,954
Europol					741	741
Total	686,054	171,227	283,879	362	741	1,142,263

Category 4 and 5 – law enforcement searches

Searches performed by designated Member State law enforcement authorities and by Europol can be either:

- a) criminal print-to-print searches (CPS)
- b) mark-to-print searches (MPS)

Table 3. Searches by Member State law enforcement authorities (Category 4)

Member State	Cat 4 CPS	Cat 4 MPS	Total
AT / Austria	83	31	114
CY / Cyprus	1	7	8
DE / Germany	22	187	209
DK / Denmark	12	1	13
FI / Finland	0	2	2
FR / France	8	0	8
GR / Greece	1	0	1
HU / Hungary	5	1	6
NL / Netherlands	1	0	1
Total	133	229	362

Table 4. Searches by Europol (Category 5)

	Cat 5 CPS	Cat 5 MPS	Total
Europol	126	615	741
Total	126	615	741

* Schengen Associated Countries

3.2. Rejected, marked, unmarked, and blocked data sets in 2025

Table 5. Rejected data sets per Member State in 2025

Member State	rejected data sets
AT / Austria	307
BE / Belgium	295
BG / Bulgaria	86
CH / Switzerland	179
CY / Cyprus	105
CZ / Czechia	34
DE / Germany	5,146
DK / Denmark	52
EE / Estonia	54
ES / Spain	8,486
FI / Finland	141
FR / France	7,278
GR / Greece	1,427
HR / Croatia	314
HU / Hungary	13
IE / Ireland	317
IS / Iceland	59
IT / Italy	1,554
LI / Liechtenstein	0
LT / Lithuania	5
LU / Luxembourg	28
LV / Latvia	22
MT / Malta	19
NL / Netherlands	785
NO / Norway	123
PL / Poland	248
PT / Portugal	57
RO / Romania	95
SE / Sweden	218
SI / Slovenia	9
SK / Slovakia	25
Total	27,481

Table 6. Marked data sets per Member State in 2025

Member State	Number of markings		Total
	as initiator	following initiator	
AT	4,512	5,957	10,469
BE	26,423	4,238	30,661
BG	1,639	2,740	4,379
CH	3,843	2,492	6,335
CY	415	720	1,135
CZ	160	55	215
DE	36,725	3,1874	68,599
DK	258	373	631
EE	578	0	578
ES	16,833	7,684	24,517
FI	1,435	428	1863
FR	44,762	9,841	54,603
GR	19,299	27,637	46,936
HR	7	4,332	4,339
HU	0	348	348
IE	0	1,962	1,962
IS	0	57	57
IT	39	5,739	5,778
LI	0	13	13
LT	118	143	261
LU	525	143	668
LV	133	110	243
MT	93	268	361
NL	0	3,601	3,601
NO	515	513	1,028
PL	4,172	560	4,732
PT	0	0	0
RO	272	839	1,111
SE	1,765	1,752	3,517
SI	26	482	508
SK	47	41	88
Total	164,594	114,942	279,536

Table 7. Unmarked data sets per Member State in 2025

Member State	Number of markings		Total
	as initiator	following initiator	
AT	1,419	147	1,566
BE	15	68	83
BG	25	86	111
CH	1,316	108	1,424
CY	4	2	6
CZ	1	1	2
DE	1,180	461	1,641
DK	9	20	29
EE	0	0	0
ES	6	10	16
FI	20	12	32
FR	400	124	524
GR	122	310	432
HR	1	52	53
HU	0	144	144
IE	0	24	24
IS	0	5	5
IT	0	79	79
LI	0	2	2
LT	5	0	5
LU	2	7	9
LV	1	0	1
MT	46	3	49
NL	0	60	60
NO	9	12	21
PL	11	13	24
PT	0	0	0
RO	2	17	19
SE	127	38	165
SI	1	17	18
SK	17	1	18
Total	4,739	1,823	6,562

Table 8. Blocked data sets per Member State in 2025*

Member State	blocked for law enforcement
AT	91,326
BE	48,466
BG	26,280
CY	8,890
CZ	1,564
DE	778,055
DK	8,257
EE	1,944
ES	40,811
FI	8,859
FR	264,101
GR	190,763
HR	6,931
HU	11,936
IE	12,402
IT	29,342
LT	1,684
LU	4,334
LV	964
MT	2,782
NL	21,750
PL	17,543
PT	562
RO	10,634
SE	31,813
SI	3,840
SK	408
Total	1,626,241

* Schengen Associated Countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland) are not included because fingerprint data sets are not accessible by default for law enforcement searches because the law enforcement elements of the Eurodac Regulation do not apply to them.

3.3. Member State hits against fingerprint data sets stored in the Central System

Category 1 hits against Category 1 data sets – multiple asylum applications

These hits indicate that the person applying for asylum *has already submitted an application for international protection* in the preceding 10 years.

Table 9. Category 1 hits against Category 1 data sets – multiple asylum applications, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL
AT / Austria	2,805	239	308	437	19	16	1347	50	5	28	28	409	830	355	142	8	7	193	6	6	39	12	4	460	27	49	7	53	91	60	8	2,805	5,243	8,048
BE / Belgium	1,009	10,387	638	658	96	22	4,006	82	1	169	55	2,988	3,356	842	49	16	34	839	3	14	107	20	25	1,154	80	165	38	194	339	113	11	10,387	17,123	27,510
BG / Bulgaria	24	19	110	13	1	1	100	2	0	1	4	12	43	10	1	0	2	5	0	2	1	3	0	26	4	1	0	5	14	1	0	110	295	405
CH / Switzerland*	506	305	327	1,094	51	8	2,672	74	0	181	37	1,085	2,418	694	41	20	16	873	5	8	124	14	6	969	38	57	24	47	162	281	3	1,094	11,046	12,140
CY / Cyprus	0	1	0	1	100	0	11	2	0	2	0	2	4	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	100	37	137
CZ / Czechia	22	6	2	8	0	296	99	4	1	1	0	21	4	2	3	2	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	12	5	4	0	7	11	0	4	296	224	520
DE / Germany	3,235	2,231	2,763	3,246	605	133	51,390	496	24	574	353	5,562	24,511	6,544	754	65	41	2,759	29	109	229	263	45	3,383	450	1,028	141	504	1,987	867	27	51,390	62,958	114,348
DK / Denmark	52	62	20	111	4	1	428	138	1	14	51	104	191	29	3	8	3	63	2	1	17	23	2	169	57	10	3	12	232	8	1	138	1,682	1,820
EE / Estonia	2	0	0	0	0	1	12	1	28	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	3	5	0	0	0	11	0	0	28	42	70
ES / Spain	58	143	7	138	5	4	677	23	5	557	48	3,436	70	80	7	10	303	579	0	5	13	4	14	173	59	10	41	13	87	20	0	557	6,032	6,589
FI / Finland	26	20	6	43	21	1	197	35	3	4	710	50	217	15	5	1	12	60	2	3	5	8	0	45	30	4	1	5	103	2	0	710	924	1,634
FR / France	2,322	3,400	1,195	1,548	231	63	8,307	171	12	819	189	28,239	4,723	2,856	168	39	52	3,681	6	73	166	141	126	1,375	177	412	174	517	1,094	301	22	28,239	34,360	62,599
GR / Greece	37	21	36	19	69	0	328	22	0	21	18	124	7,822	20	16	3	3	68	0	4	1	1	0	30	15	5	0	67	39	3	0	7,822	970	8,792
HR / Croatia	112	50	510	50	21	1	530	6	5	4	8	192	2,292	196	7	2	0	135	0	1	1	3	0	32	4	62	6	14	25	71	0	196	4,144	4,340
HU / Hungary	16	1	1	0	0	1	12	0	0	2	0	5	10	3	7	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	7	65	72
IE / Ireland	422	454	181	145	79	7	1,066	79	2	123	86	984	930	115	19	1,719	36	289	0	5	11	11	33	184	34	41	20	77	289	17	3	1,719	5,742	7,461
IS / Iceland*	4	3	1	7	1	0	27	3	1	6	2	13	24	2	0	1	34	20	1	0	1	0	0	9	15	2	1	2	12	1	0	34	159	193
IT / Italy	3,247	1,689	1,533	953	133	31	5,135	127	2	312	149	5,474	3,563	3,620	192	29	24	11,354	3	29	64	46	142	661	66	166	46	516	698	1,852	31	11,354	30,533	41,887
LI / Liechtenstein*	4	3	1	19	0	0	30	4	0	3	2	6	6	0	0	0	4	2	1	0	4	0	0	16	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	1	110	111
LT / Lithuania	2	3	1	5	0	3	29	2	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	45	1	4	0	4	4	11	0	0	14	1	0	45	94	139
LU / Luxembourg	51	90	11	151	1	1	370	18	0	23	6	182	74	21	5	9	1	88	4	0	60	2	2	221	9	10	5	5	26	9	0	60	1,395	1,455
LV / Latvia	4	1	1	3	2	0	20	1	0	1	3	4	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	17	0	4	0	2	4	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	72	76
MT / Malta	3	1	13	2	1	0	20	0	0	0	1	4	14	0	0	1	0	10	0	1	1	0	48	6	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	48	86	134
NL / Netherlands	659	1,209	272	1,568	60	28	5,451	192	0	226	75	1,640	4,548	593	33	33	25	1,212	11	30	183	38	36	4,622	121	103	41	65	283	214	7	4,622	18,956	23,578
NO / Norway*	42	30	24	48	8	1	239	92	1	5	20	73	267	43	5	3	10	41	0	7	5	3	4	74	642	12	4	4	126	2	3	642	1,196	1,838
PL / Poland	27	35	2	24	3	7	253	13	1	6	9	45	27	15	4	0	4	12	0	14	2	10	0	52	21	1,048	2	7	27	3	2	1,048	627	1,675
PT / Portugal	19	36	2	42	1	2	216	11	0	38	4	206	13	59	2	3	1	75	0	0	10	1	6	82	8	3	40	1	21	5	0	40	867	907
RO / Romania	10	2	50	8	38	4	65	1	0	2	3	13	43	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	1	11	16	10	0	0	39	8	0	1	39	293	332
SE / Sweden	67	42	21	101	13	6	522	182	4	12	59	123	221	56	19	5	11	81	0	8	9	10	1	136	75	17	2	10	1,641	14	0	1,641	1,827	3,468
SI / Slovenia	113	27	996	119	4	1	219	10	0	9	4	38	589	926	10	0	2	46	2	0	15	2	0	102	5	1	2	6	20	157	2	157	3,270	3,427
SK / Slovakia	16	3	2	2	1	4	21	2	0	0	2	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	11	8	5	1	1	8	0	39	39	99	138
TOTAL	14,916	20,513	9,034	10,563	1,568	643	83,799	1,843	96	3,143	1,928	51,047	56,811	17,099	1,497	1,978	630	22,506	75	384	1,074	624	505	14,032	1,982	3,229	600	2,173	7,383	4,004	164	125,372	210,471	335,843

Category 1 hits against Category 2 data sets – asylum applications vs irregular crossings

These hits indicate that the person applying for asylum has been apprehended for irregular crossing of Schengen borders in the past 18 months.

Table 10. Category 1 hits against Category 2 data sets – asylum applications vs irregular crossings, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL
AT / Austria	8	0	54	0	4	0	3	0	0	42	0	0	551	121	0	0	0	250	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	2	8	1,032	1,040
BE / Belgium	0	0	41	0	18	0	10	0	0	288	0	16	1,752	290	0	0	0	1,929	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	8	1	0	3	0	4,360	4,360
BG / Bulgaria	0	0	1,156	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	1,156	52	1,208
CH / Switzerland*	0	0	82	0	10	0	10	0	0	767	0	5	1,825	248	0	0	0	3,555	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6,505	6,505
CY / Cyprus	0	0	0	0	2,242	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,242	0	2,242
CZ / Czechia	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	5	6
DE / Germany	1	0	329	0	70	0	569	0	0	1,847	0	25	16,579	2,372	0	0	0	4,517	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	22	0	49	0	2	7	569	25,826	26,395
DK / Denmark	0	0	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	9	0	0	109	10	0	0	0	101	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	240	240
EE / Estonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2
ES / Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,379	0	2	6	19	0	0	0	87	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	15,379	115	15,494
FI / Finland	0	0	0	0	9	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	163	5	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	202	202
FR / France	2	0	82	0	7	0	12	0	0	2,897	0	289	2,532	664	0	0	0	5,681	0	1	3	0	15	0	0	2	0	79	1	1	4	289	11,983	12,272
GR / Greece	1	0	4	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,922	7	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46,922	36	46,958
HR / Croatia	2	0	163	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,685	3,225	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	3,225	1,863	5,088
HU / Hungary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	8
IE / Ireland	2	0	7	0	11	0	1	2	0	89	0	7	388	16	0	2	0	90	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	2	621	623
IS / Iceland*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	1	3	42	45
IT / Italy	3	0	204	0	14	0	6	0	0	711	0	6	1,640	1,145	2	0	0	34,683	0	0	0	0	39	0	0	9	0	46	0	1	4	34,683	3,830	38,513
LI / Liechtenstein*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
LT / Lithuania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
LU / Luxembourg	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	36	9	0	0	0	225	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	3	317	320
LV / Latvia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
MT / Malta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	100	13	113
NL / Netherlands	0	0	16	0	8	0	18	0	0	731	0	5	3,082	294	0	0	0	4,111	0	0	1	0	10	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	8,279	8,281
NO / Norway*	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	230	8	0	0	0	195	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	28	0	0	2	1	473	474
PL / Poland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	18	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	55	0	0	2	15	79	94
PT / Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	0	1	21	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	74
RO / Romania	0	0	18	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	29	67	96
SE / Sweden	0	0	5	0	6	0	4	0	0	9	0	1	150	17	0	0	0	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	264	266	
SI / Slovenia	0	0	428	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	353	390	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	1,184	1,185
SK / Slovakia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	5
TOTAL	19	0	2,593	0	2,433	1	640	2	0	22,877	0	356	78,112	8,874	6	2	4	55,539	0	6	7	0	173	7	1	52	0	374	5	5	32	104,642	67,478	172,120

Category 3 hits against Category 1 data sets – *illegal stay vs prior asylum application*

These hits indicate that the person found illegally staying within the Schengen area *has submitted an asylum application* in the preceding 10 years.

Table 11. Category 3 hits against Category 1 data sets – *illegal stay vs prior asylum application*, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL	
AT / Austria	1,616	97	294	419	8	14	1172	54	0	58	30	392	824	191	69	11	6	560	4	1	30	2	3	341	24	28	5	59	81	88	9	1,616	4,874	6,490	
BE / Belgium	1,581	13,111	468	3,151	38	9	7,843	402	2	771	58	2,808	931	973	99	49	21	1,491	10	13	429	17	23	5,835	107	150	60	198	535	584	25	13,111	28,681	41,792	
BG / Bulgaria	31	21	349	14	1	2	148	2	0	3	2	16	100	17	3	0	0	10	0	2	1	1	1	18	2	1	0	5	13	4	0	349	418	767	
CH / Switzerland*	680	291	155	4,300	6	8	3,179	254	1	237	19	1,134	323	350	48	28	11	1,064	17	6	133	4	8	1,662	40	27	18	58	188	307	4	4,300	10,260	14,560	
CY / Cyprus	1	1	0	0	80	0	10	1	0	0	0	7	2	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	80	37	117	
CZ / Czechia	62	19	4	23	2	330	215	2	3	13	1	63	77	34	18	1	4	22	0	1	2	2	1	27	8	7	0	13	8	4	5	330	641	971	
DE / Germany	1,130	686	535	1,318	33	36	9,214	211	7	286	106	1,675	4,533	1,155	108	34	15	1,279	8	37	96	152	19	1,399	136	261	45	130	510	238	18	9,214	16,196	25,410	
DK / Denmark	25	48	11	59	2	1	353	574	1	16	31	90	127	12	7	6	4	58	0	1	2	2	1	88	55	6	1	5	282	6	0	574	1,300	1,874	
EE / Estonia	3	2	0	0	0	0	13	1	24	13	4	8	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	0	15	0	2	1	2	0	0	6	0	0	24	77	101	
ES / Spain	2	7	0	23	0	0	81	0	0	948	2	136	5	0	1	2	9	20	1	0	0	0	0	16	15	0	4	1	5	1	0	948	331	1,279	
FI / Finland	0	1	1	2	2	0	14	4	0	3	10	5	9	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	0	0	1	18	0	0	10	73	83	
FR / France	1,392	703	483	1,463	22	8	3,889	148	2	342	78	7,852	1,250	588	157	22	9	2,755	6	18	107	18	26	1,487	42	75	45	200	252	437	11	7,852	16,035	23,887	
GR / Greece	36	19	36	22	69	0	325	21	0	15	18	120	7,720	23	12	2	3	68	0	5	1	1	1	26	15	5	1	69	38	3	0	7,720	954	8,674	
HR / Croatia	12	1	6	5	1	0	31	1	0	3	0	10	27	37	6	0	0	10	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	1	0	2	0	10	0	37	133	170	
HU / Hungary	106	31	63	29	2	3	474	10	0	1	2	166	157	104	203	9	5	60	0	0	4	0	1	45	9	8	2	24	16	9	0	203	1,340	1,543	
IE / Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IS / Iceland*	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	11	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	16	27	
IT / Italy	2,230	1,576	1,411	1,294	52	9	4,060	144	0	202	109	4,173	2,398	2,575	139	55	10	4,973	14	13	64	23	50	977	61	75	34	315	507	1,307	15	4,973	23,892	28,865	
LI / Liechtenstein*	1	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	13	
LT / Lithuania	9	1	6	2	1	0	21	0	2	0	5	4	3	6	0	0	0	4	0	8	0	1	0	1	1	4	2	0	7	2	0	8	82	90	
LU / Luxembourg	117	118	18	350	1	4	668	40	0	52	6	313	81	31	5	6	5	168	3	0	113	0	0	455	22	7	6	13	38	37	3	113	2,567	2,680	
LV / Latvia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	
MT / Malta	1	2	4	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	5	7	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	45	1	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	45	43	88	
NL / Netherlands	252	352	71	434	9	8	1,536	64	0	137	15	454	260	104	21	19	4	294	1	1	60	2	7	2,255	15	21	10	20	109	64	0	2,255	4,344	6,599	
NO / Norway*	37	33	25	52	5	0	258	79	0	7	15	58	153	25	14	6	5	41	0	5	7	2	3	77	430	7	3	12	146	2	2	430	1,079	1,509	
PL / Poland	19	22	15	24	4	5	299	12	1	9	3	72	69	18	2	6	2	40	0	10	4	42	1	45	8	404	2	5	34	3	0	404	776	1,180	
PT / Portugal	14	1	0	14	0	0	45	4	0	5	0	34	8	1	0	3	0	22	0	0	1	0	1	32	1	0	40	0	2	1	0	40	189	229	
RO / Romania	23	10	22	7	4	1	112	4	0	3	0	21	11	3	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	11	3	4	0	174	9	0	3	174	259	433	
SE / Sweden	13	13	3	20	1	3	108	63	0	6	23	31	27	5	0	1	0	45	0	0	1	1	3	37	17	1	2	2	273	2	0	273	428	701	
SI / Slovenia	251	81	1,930	220	40	6	682	16	0	17	17	259	5,124	6,008	17	2	1	180	4	1	20	3	1	162	15	7	4	41	37	201	2	201	15,148	15,349	
SK / Slovakia	15	1	2	1	1	8	31	2	0	1	3	13	2	1	0	2	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	10	2	4	1	0	5	1	9	9	112	121	
TOTAL	9,659	17,248	5,912	13,250	384	455	34,794	2,115	43	3,148	557	19,924	24,230	12,262	933	268	126	13,189	72	124	1,079	288	197	15,024	1,042	1,107	286	1,348	3,122	3,312	106	55,308	130,296	185,604	

3.4. Member State hits against *marked* fingerprint data sets stored – *international protection granted*

Category 1 hits against *marked* Category 1 data sets – *multiple asylum applications*

These hits indicate that the person applying for asylum *has already been granted international protection* in the preceding 10 years.

Table 12. Category 1 hits against *marked* Category 1 data sets – *multiple asylum applications*, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL
AT / Austria	1,058	3	18	27	4		121	9		2	1	47	312	4	108		2	8			1			14	4	3		8	15	4	3	1,058	718	1,776
BE / Belgium	25	817	30	56	29		630	17	1	42	6	177	2,040	5	3	5	17	15		3	10	1	3	72	10	10	1	19	43	3	1	817	3,274	4,091
BG / Bulgaria	1	1	1	2			9						3					2						1					1		1	20	21	
CH / Switzerland*	34	32	13	144	14	2	262	13		18	8	127	1,279	8	5	2	7	27			6	3		49	11	1	2	6	24	4	1	144	1,958	2,102
CY / Cyprus		1			1							2	1																		1	4	5	
CZ / Czechia	3					19	4	1				2	1		1									1							19	15	34	
DE / Germany	163	285	180	321	56	3	10,418	69	2	152	46	402	15,550	91	109	5	11	80		7	11	30	5	159	60	42	3	88	228	57	4	10,418	18,219	28,637
DK / Denmark	10	14	8	18	1		82	14		5	2	27	97			5	1	4	2		4		2	24	7			2	24	1	1	14	341	355
EE / Estonia									4															1								4	1	5
ES / Spain		6		1	3		19	1		9		35	22	3	1			6						3		4		1	2			9	107	116
FI / Finland	2	4	1	6	5		24	2			16	5	115		1	1	1	2						1	3			1	4			16	178	194
FR / France	59	137	28	141	39	1	788	24		87	11	762	2,186	28	12	8	12	68		8	11	40	18	104	24	16		37	62	5		762	3,954	4,716
GR / Greece	2	3		3			33	3		1		6	50	1	2			1						3		1		2				50	61	111
HR / Croatia	2	3	1	8	3		37					14	20	2											1	4						2	93	95
HU / Hungary															0																	0	0	0
IE / Ireland	46	69	15	27	20		280	13		67	15	148	617	3	2	65	11	24			3	5	13	24	5	5		21	61			65	1,494	1,559
IS / Iceland*	1			1	1		7		1			3	16					2							2	2		1	1			3	39	42
IT / Italy	41	24	20	28	6	1	178	4		6	8	253	148	12	29		1	39			1	3		11	6	1		2	20	7		39	810	849
LI / Liechtenstein*			1	5			3					3	5											1								0	18	18
LT / Lithuania																					0											0	0	0
LU / Luxembourg	4	9	1	11			26	1			1	13	10		1	3		1						14	4				2			8	101	109
LV / Latvia																							0									0	0	0
MT / Malta			1										1											0								0	2	2
NL / Netherlands	55	293	22	81	22	2	850	41		10	6	171	2,555	3	12	7	12	41	1		13	4	4	267	34	6		9	39	4		267	4,297	4,564
NO / Norway*	6	8	8	10	4		56	18	1		1	19	90				2	8					2	13	10	2		1	14			10	264	274
PL / Poland	1						5	1	1	1		1	1							1				1		16		1				16	14	30
PT / Portugal						2	4			1		8	2					1						1			0					0	19	19
RO / Romania			1				2																	1			0					0	4	4
SE / Sweden	9	4	4	12	1		60	24	1	2	3	12	104	1	2		5	2		2		2		10	5	1			54	1		54	267	321
SI / Slovenia	2			1			10			1			11	4										4						4		4	33	37
SK / Slovakia																														1		1	0	1
TOTAL	1,524	1,713	353	903	209	30	13,908	255	11	404	124	2,237	25,236	165	288	101	86	330	3	21	70	88	47	778	187	114	6	199	593	91	13	13,782	36,305	50,087

Category 1 hits against marked Category 2 data sets – asylum application vs irregular crossings

These hits indicate that the person applying for asylum *has already been granted international protection* after having been apprehended for irregular crossing of Schengen borders in the past 18 months.

Table 13. Category 1 hits against marked Category 2 data sets – asylum application vs irregular crossing, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL		
AT / Austria	0												185	1																			0	186	186	
BE / Belgium		0	1		3								1,059	2				1																0	1,066	1,066
BG / Bulgaria			0										1																					0	1	1
CH / Switzerland*				0									1,004	1				1																0	1,006	1,006
CY / Cyprus					0																													0	0	0
CZ / Czechia						0																												0	0	0
DE / Germany			2		2		0			4			10,201	10				5																0	10,224	10,224
DK / Denmark								0					53																					0	53	53
EE / Estonia									0																									0	0	0
ES / Spain										0			2																					0	2	2
FI / Finland											0		83																					0	83	83
FR / France										6		0	1,376	6				2											1					0	1,391	1,391
GR / Greece													3																					3	0	3
HR / Croatia													7	3																				3	7	10
HU / Hungary															0																			0	0	0
IE / Ireland					2								277			0																		0	279	279
IS / Iceland*													7				0																	0	7	7
IT / Italy													25	2				0																0	27	27
LI / Liechtenstein*																			0															0	0	0
LT / Lithuania																				0														0	0	0
LU / Luxembourg													3									0												0	3	3
LV / Latvia																							0											0	1	1
MT / Malta													1											0										0	0	0
NL / Netherlands					3								1,789	1				1							0									0	1,794	1,794
NO / Norway*													59						1								0							0	60	60
PL / Poland																											0							0	0	0
PT / Portugal																												0						0	0	0
RO / Romania																													0					0	0	0
SE / Sweden													77																	0				0	77	77
SI / Slovenia																																0		0	0	0
SK / Slovakia													4	1																			0	5	5	
TOTAL	0	0	3	0	10	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	16,216	27	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	16,272	16,278	

Category 3 hits against marked Category 1 data sets – illegal stay vs prior asylum application

These hits indicate that the person found illegally staying within the Schengen area *has already been granted international protection* in one of the Member States in the preceding 10 years.

Table 14. Category 3 hits against marked Category 1 data sets – illegal stay vs prior asylum application, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GR	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT	RO	SE	SI	SK	local hits	foreign hits	TOTAL	
AT / Austria	142	11	15	31	2		162	4			2	74	169	4	22			12			5			33	11	3		7	4	2		142	573	715	
BE / Belgium	31	718	17	36	1		329	16		36	4	185	411	8	6	4	4	32			4	1	2	82	7	2		3	20			718	1,241	1,959	
BG / Bulgaria	6	2	9	1			35					2	13	2	1			4					1	3					1			9	71	80	
CH / Switzerland*	35	9	8	231	1		131	14		8		88	77	15	2		1	27			6			37	3	3	1	3	16	4	1	231	490	721	
CY / Cyprus					5		2					4	1																		5	7	12		
CZ / Czechia	7	1				12	13		3			7	6		2			1						2	1				2	1		12	46	58	
DE / Germany	91	79	44	111	5	1	823	35		20	12	168	2,865	13	14	2	6	27	1		6	2	1	81	19	18		14	51	9	1	823	3,696	4,519	
DK / Denmark	8	18	1	7	1		70	115		1	1	19	74		3	3	2	3				1		19	5				34	1		115	271	386	
EE / Estonia									0																	1			1			0	2	2	
ES / Spain		4					38			44		4	2			2		1						3				1	1			44	56	100	
FI / Finland			1				2				1	1	1					1										1				1	7	8	
FR / France	56	70	25	46	4		354	14		16	12	387	402	12	8	2	2	46		1	5	1	2	50	7	3		11	37	3	2	387	1,191	1,578	
GR / Greece	2			4			41	1		1		7	61	1	1			1	1					3		1		2				61	66	127	
HR / Croatia	1	1	1				10					4	4	0	5													1				0	27	27	
HU / Hungary	18		5	8			68	2				11	13		41									10	2	1			3			41	141	182	
IE / Ireland																0																0	0	0	
IS / Iceland*												1	1				1															1	2	3	
IT / Italy	53	25	28	65	2	1	145	12		5	1	259	103	9	20			31			5	1		15	13	4		6	20	8	1	31	801	832	
LI / Liechtenstein*																			0													0	0	0	
LT / Lithuania												1	3	3						0									1			0	8	8	
LU / Luxembourg	8	6		10			29	4				24	14			4	7				8			13	12	1		3	6			8	141	149	
LV / Latvia																							0										0	0	0
MT / Malta	1		1				1					1	2											2								2	6	8	
NL / Netherlands	17	33	12	13	3		160	8		8		59	102	1	5	7		15					2	48	3	4		2	13	2		48	469	517	
NO / Norway*	7	13	9	12	4		73	20		2	1	11	59		3		1	3			3			22	52	3		5	18			52	269	321	
PL / Poland			1	1			17	2			1	4	3	1		1	1	1	1							2	5					5	37	42	
PT / Portugal							2					2																0					0	4	4
RO / Romania	1	3	2	3			5					1	3		2													10	3			10	23	33	
SE / Sweden	1	3	1				15	7			3	4	13											2	1			2	12			12	52	64	
SI / Slovenia	5	2	5	5	3		41			1		9	56	10				1						5						4		4	143	147	
SK / Slovakia							4			1		1	2																		0		0	8	8
TOTAL	490	998	185	584	31	14	2,570	254	3	143	38	1,338	4,460	79	135	25	17	212	2	3	42	6	10	428	138	49	1	71	243	36	5	2,762	9,848	12,610	

3.5. Member State law enforcement searches and hits

Category 4 hits against Category 1 and Category 2 data sets

The first column lists Member States that have used Eurodac to perform Category 4 comparative law enforcement searches that resulted in hits against fingerprint data sets stored under Category 1 (*asylum applications*) or Category 2 (*irregular crossings*) submitted by Member States listed at the top of the table.

Table 15. Category 4 hits – Member State law enforcement searches – against Category 1 (*asylum applications*) and Category 2 (*irregular crossings*) data sets, per Member State in 2025

Member State	AT	BG	DK	ES	FR	HR	HU	IT	LT	NL	local hits	foreign hits	Total
AT / Austria	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	5
DE / Germany	2	0	0	2	1	1	0	4	0	1	0	12	12
DK / Denmark	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
HU / Hungary	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	16	16
NL / Netherlands	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	4	2	1	2	4	3	1	7	2	1	1	34	35

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