

EUDO – CITIZENSHIP: statistics on the acquisition of citizenship in the NETHERLANDS

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1) Source(s) of statistics

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organisation	Immigration and Naturalisation Service
national name	Immigratie- en Naturalisatiedienst (IND)
web address	http://www.ind.nl/
postal address	Immigratie- en Naturalisatiedienst Afdeling Voorlichting Postbus 3211 2280 GE Rijswijk Netherlands
phone number	+31 20 8893045
fax number	
e-mail	https://www.ind.nl/en/algemeen/contact/informatielijn/emailformulier.asp

2) Available statistics

tab	availability	source
total acquisitions	1985-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?VW=D&DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=0&D3=a&HD=091218-1216&HDR=G2&STB=T,G1
mode of acquisition	1985-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?VW=D&DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=0&D3=a&HD=091218-1216&HDR=G2&STB=T,G1
citizenship of origin	1996-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=a&D3=a&VW=T
country of birth	1985-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?VW=D&DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=0&D3=a&HD=091218-1216&HDR=G2&STB=T,G1
region of residence	-	

sex	1985-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?VW=D&DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=0&D3=a&HD=091218-1216&HDR=G2&STB=T,G1
age	1985-2008	http://statline.cbs.nl/StatWeb/publication/?VW=D&DM=SLNL&PA=37199NED&D1=a&D2=0&D3=a&HD=091218-1216&HDR=G2&STB=T,G1
positive / negative decisions	2001-2008	http://www.ind.nl/nl/Images/2008_openbaar_Trendrapportage%20Naturalisatie%202001-2007%20-%20Juli%202008_tcm5-182501.pdf “Trendrapportage Naturalisatie” 2008, p. 24 and http://www.ind.nl/nl/images/2009%20trendrapportage%20naturalisatie%202001-2008_tcm5-182501.pdf “Trendrapportage Naturalisatie” 2009, p. 25.

3) Notes

General:

- Different total numbers of acquisitions on positive / negative decisions are due to different counting methodologies of the CBS and the IND

Yearly totals of citizenship acquisition:

- Totals are constituted by the yearly totals provided by the CBS

Statistics on citizenship acquisition by citizenship of origin:

- “Yugoslavia (former)” is broken down by Bosnia, Yugoslavia, Kosovo, Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovenia
- “Soviet Union (former)” is broken down by Armenia, Azerbaijan, Estonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Russia, Soviet Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Belarus
- “Czechoslovakia (former)” is broken down by Slovakia, Czech Republic, Czechoslovakia
- Category “Europe, unknown” includes the Vatican
- Category “Stateless” covers stateless and persons whose citizenship is unknown

Statistics on citizenship acquisition by country of birth:

- numbers exclusively cover declarations

Statistics on citizenship acquisition by age:

- numbers have been merged; source breaks down as:
 - 1) “Naturalisations - adults”: 0-19; 20-25; 25-30; 30-35; 35-40; 40-45; 45-50; 50-55; 55-60; 60-65; 65 years and older
 - 2) “Naturalisations - minors”: 0-5; 5-10; 10-15; 15 years and older

- 3) "Options": 0-5; 5-10; 10-15; 15-20; 20 years and older
4) "Adoptions": 0-5; 5-10; 10 years and older
- Category "Minors" includes persons aged 0-19 years "Naturalisations - adults"; persons of all age groups "Naturalisations - minors"; persons aged 0-19 years "Options"; persons of all age categories "Adoptions"
 - Category "Adults" includes persons 20 years and older "Naturalisations - adults"; persons 20 years and older "Options"

Statistics on citizenship acquisition by applications and grants:

- Category "Others" includes the causes retraction, no response, deceased, leaving of the country
- Data excludes minors

4) Data collection

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