

**ADJUSTED REFUSAL RATE - B-VISAS ONLY
BY NATIONALITY
FISCAL YEAR 2006**

COUNTRY	ADJUSTED REFUSAL RATE
Afghanistan	39.8%
Albania	54.5%
Algeria	20.2%
Andorra	25.0%
Angola	11.1%
Anguilla	30.4%
Antigua and Barbuda	19.1%
Argentina	6.7%
Armenia	58.7%
Aruba	100.0%
Australia	17.8%
Austria	15.8%
Azerbaijan	22.2%
Bahrain	6.3%
Bangladesh	47.2%
Barbados	6.3%
Belarus	26.5%
Belgium	10.7%
Belize	21.7%
Benin	31.9%
Bermuda	65.2%
Bhutan	57.0%
Bolivia	31.4%
Bosnia-Herzegovina	21.3%
Botswana	16.9%
Brazil	13.2%
British Indian Ocean Territory	100.0%
British Virgin Islands	27.9%
Brunei	10.0%
Bulgaria	17.5%
Burkina Faso	33.2%
Burma	44.9%
Burundi	32.9%
Cambodia	58.3%
Cameroon	45.8%
Canada	25.5%
Cape Verde	38.0%
Cayman Islands	6.0%
Central African Republic	34.3%
Chad	32.1%
Chile	7.5%
China - Mainland	24.5%
Colombia	33.3%
Comoros	21.6%

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Congo (Brazzaville)	29.0%
Congo (Kinshasa)	44.2%
Costa Rica	24.1%
Cote D'Ivoire	51.3%
Croatia	4.9%
Cuba	61.3%
Cyprus	2.2%
Czech Republic	9.4%
Denmark	9.0%
Djibouti	33.7%
Dominica	33.0%
Dominican Republic	33.8%
East Timor	0.0%
Ecuador	35.5%
Egypt	32.9%
El Salvador	61.0%
Equatorial Guinea	17.2%
Eritrea	49.0%
Estonia	7.1%
Ethiopia	43.1%
Federated States of Micronesia	100.0%
Fiji	31.0%
Finland	12.9%
France	1.4%
Gabon	26.2%
Georgia	48.2%
Germany	8.7%
Ghana	66.1%
Gibraltar	40.0%
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	13.7%
Greece	2.2%
Grenada	27.4%
Guatemala	52.3%
Guinea	52.9%
Guinea - Bissau	44.5%
Guyana	60.3%
Haiti	32.7%
Honduras	38.0%
Hong Kong (BNO HK Passport)	3.1%
Hong Kong S. A. R.	4.2%
Hungary	12.7%
Iceland	16.0%
India	19.5%
Indonesia	35.1%

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Iran	45.1%
Iraq	56.1%
Ireland	17.4%
Israel	4.2%
Italy	2.4%
Jamaica	35.9%
Japan	12.8%
Jerusalem	100.0%
Jordan	43.3%
Kazakhstan	12.5%
Kenya	33.9%
Kiribati	18.2%
Kuwait	4.0%
Kyrgyzstan	29.4%
Laos	74.2%
Latvia	21.6%
Lebanon	26.9%
Lesotho	26.5%
Liberia	39.4%
Libya	43.8%
Liechtenstein	5.9%
Lithuania	27.7%
Luxembourg	-0.8% ¹
Macau	8.0%
Macedonia	40.9%
Madagascar	9.6%
Malawi	35.1%
Malaysia	11.4%
Maldives	16.3%
Mali	42.7%
Malta	2.8%
Mauritania	56.5%
Mauritius	10.0%
Mexico ²	9.7%
Moldova	34.2%
Monaco	14.3%
Mongolia	49.9%
Montserrat	27.3%
Morocco	31.2%
Mozambique	15.9%
Namibia	6.5%
Nauru	9.5%
Nepal	55.3%

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Netherlands	10.6%
Netherlands Antilles	25.0%
New Zealand	12.5%
Nicaragua	48.0%
Niger	51.9%
Nigeria	54.0%
Norway	4.9%
Oman	5.2%
Pakistan	31.3%
Palestinian Authority Travel Document	47.0%
Panama	15.9%
Papua New Guinea	9.0%
Paraguay	26.3%
Peoples Republic of Korea - North Korea	26.9%
Peru	48.6%
Philippines	37.7%
Pitcairn Islands	28.6%
Poland	26.2%
Portugal	10.0%
Qatar	4.1%
Republic of Palau	78.6%
Republic of the Marshall Islands	14.7%
Romania	34.1%
Russia	15.3%
Rwanda	41.1%
Samoa	22.1%
San Marino	25.0%
Sao Tome and Principe	10.0%
Saudi Arabia	11.3%
Senegal	59.4%
Serbia and Montenegro ³	24.3%
Seychelles	12.3%
Sierra Leone	49.5%
Singapore	8.5%
Slovakia	16.0%
Slovenia	4.4%
Solomon Islands	14.3%
Somalia	55.4%
South Africa	5.2%
South Korea	3.6%
Spain	6.2%
Sri Lanka	22.3%
St. Helena	0.0%

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St. Kitts and Nevis	22.6%
St. Lucia	30.5%
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	25.5%
Sudan	40.5%
Suriname	18.7%
Swaziland	11.4%
Sweden	8.0%
Switzerland	7.0%
Syria	36.7%
Taiwan	3.1%
Tajikistan	31.2%
Tanzania	22.2%
Thailand	12.9%
The Bahamas	5.0%
The Gambia	65.5%
Togo	57.5%
Tonga	40.8%
Trinidad and Tobago	19.8%
Tunisia	20.2%
Turkey	15.4%
Turkmenistan	48.7%
Turks and Caicos Islands	8.4%
Tuvalu	8.0%
Uganda	43.3%
Ukraine	38.7%
United Arab Emirates	9.8%
United Nations Laissez-Passer	0.0%
United State of America	0.0%
Unknown Nationality or Stateless	41.3%
Uruguay	12.6%
Uzbekistan	60.1%
Vanuatu	30.0%
Vatican City	0.0%
Venezuela	13.8%
Vietnam	40.9%
Wallis and Futuna Islands	50.0%
Western Sahara	0.0%
Yemen	60.2%
Zaire	0.0%
Zambia	39.8%
Zimbabwe	40.1%

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¹ Negative refusal rates result from more refusals being overcome in a given year than refusals made in that year. This can occur because applicants who were initially refused in one fiscal year can overcome that refusal and be issued a visa in a subsequent year. For an explanation of how refusal rates are calculated, please see: http://www.travel.state.gov/pdf/refusalratelanguage.pdf	
² Does not include Border Crossing Card applications	
³ Serbia And Montenegro - Bearers of Serbia and Montenegro Passports.	