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Africa										
Angola, Luanda	43	38	66	58	85	101	28	79	341	322
Benin, Cotonou	306	275	422	424	460	512	179	351	629	545
Burkina Faso, Ouagadougou	206	288	333	314	323	287	103	280	307	342
Cabo Verde, Praia	813	1,033	1,817	2,035	1,488	1,417	672	581	858	1,320
Cameroon, Yaounde	2,103	2,861	3,587	2,971	3,268	3,021	1,480	2,978	4,286	3,818
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the, Kinshasa	2,813	3,029	3,356	3,237	3,660	3,791	846	1,133	1,827	1,421
Congo, Rep. of the, Brazzaville	80	83	62	78	31	27	14	7	64	6
Cote d'Ivoire, Abidjan	609	641	954	1,040	849	982	358	927	962	985
Djibouti, Djibouti	103	2,089	8,117	4,215	758	2,738	3,470	4,209	4,691	4,552
Eritrea, Asmara	-	9	27	14	31	36	84	0	0	1
Ethiopia, Addis Ababa	7,678	6,670	11,607	10,390	8,809	6,027	2,889	2,636	4,522	4,009
Gabon, Libreville	28	44	39	53	40	36	23	40	35	71
Ghana, Accra	4,269	3,573	4,992	6,789	6,815	6,075	2,378	2,113	3,042	4,296
Kenya, Nairobi	4,869	4,225	4,435	5,682	5,335	4,743	2,686	2,238	4,941	2,977
Liberia, Monrovia	2,859	2,750	2,923	2,944	2,527	2,102	672	765	1,114	1,333
Madagascar, Antananarivo	26	32	53	18	40	39	25	32	43	34
Malawi, Lilongwe	17	26	27	36	47	37	21	73	78	122
Niger, Niamey	69	77	97	112	113	75	55	122	78	0
Nigeria, Lagos	7,201	6,092	9,020	6,297	8,018	6,521	3,546	4,762	4,219	5,626
Rwanda, Kigali	-	-	368	351	486	522	216	387	1,152	1,433
Senegal, Dakar	1,649	2,028	2,697	2,779	2,941	3,419	1,414	1,720	2,574	2,910
Sierra Leone, Freetown	980	1,023	1,092	1,535	1,133	938	288	1,468	1,842	1,865
South Africa, Johannesburg	901	1,006	1,123	1,203	1,174	1,043	776	764	2,009	1,614
Sudan, Khartoum	-	227	2,015	1,547	2,132	1,754	632	508	832	365
Tanzania, Dar es Salaam	153	229	269	256	290	245	110	300	302	354
Togo, Lome	1,154	1,257	1,554	1,139	1,434	1,405	790	979	1,838	1,849
Uganda, Kampala	235	272	237	92	55	64	30	32	63	50
Zambia, Lusaka	116	151	146	128	164	103	79	187	187	214
Zimbabwe, Harare	142	179	231	193	215	167	103	485	523	452
Africa Total	39,422	40,207	61,666	55,930	52,721	48,227	23,967	30,156	43,359	42,886
East Asia and Pacific										
Australia, Sydney	1,080	1,406	1,374	1,240	1,497	1,200	720	839	1,151	1,263
Burma, Rangoon	846	1,003	1,222	1,210	1,197	1,311	571	502	961	2,119
Cambodia, Phnom Penh	1,766	1,247	2,523	3,386	2,616	1,891	888	1,550	2,864	1,867
China, Guangzhou	35,347	38,171	41,255	34,437	29,110	27,036	11,820	19,368	21,132	18,739
Fiji, Suva	741	852	688	693	714	607	390	505	1,113	951
Hong Kong S.A.R., Hong Kong	1,599	1,836	2,132	1,931	1,847	1,610	1,152	1,264	1,982	1,530
Indonesia, Jakarta	412	541	629	510	541	554	333	688	463	540

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Japan, Tokyo	1,466	1,671	1,777	1,608	1,667	1,537	1,077	1,574	1,876	1,652
Naha	248	258	332	301	312	339	236	298	266	266
Korea, Seoul	3,961	4,128	5,500	4,918	5,051	5,267	3,181	3,047	4,978	4,471
Laos, Vientiane	151	203	277	287	341	325	136	2	451	409
Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur	419	566	1,654	1,166	798	1,327	1,007	545	559	530
Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar	185	187	288	229	291	292	176	343	350	317
New Zealand, Auckland	436	469	428	357	449	442	257	381	333	363
Papua New Guinea, Port Moresby	4	8	3	2	8	11	2	6	46	24
Philippines, Manila	30,612	35,429	33,890	29,195	30,879	25,770	8,982	12,579	21,301	30,491
Singapore, Singapore	304	396	474	446	480	435	327	649	703	573
Thailand, Bangkok	1,011	1,353	1,525	1,376	1,575	1,393	616	1,222	1,903	1,853
Vietnam, Hanoi ¹	0	86	97	105	52	68	51	39	43	22
Ho Chi Minh City	24,025	26,833	32,438	28,346	28,080	32,318	19,969	10,122	22,156	31,111
Taipei ²	1,484	1,475	1,923	1,576	2,375	2,136	1,118	1,869	1,768	1,700
East Asia and Pacific Total	106,097	118,118	130,429	113,319	109,880	105,869	53,009	57,392	86,399	100,791
Europe and Eurasia										
Albania, Tirana	3,110	4,341	4,438	4,623	4,616	4,545	2,656	1,614	4,977	4,233
Armenia, Yerevan	3,315	3,568	3,937	3,935	3,074	2,528	1,626	1,864	4,835	5,744
Austria, Vienna	154	159	141	140	151	117	118	200	529	408
Belgium, Brussels	182	229	225	223	214	216	146	233	218	252
Bermuda, Hamilton	58	57	66	63	46	43	36	86	77	65
Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo	191	331	335	339	287	210	165	203	223	152
Bulgaria, Sofia	1,596	1,492	1,393	1,095	987	783	433	477	625	465
Croatia, Zagreb	65	73	91	73	83	65	55	94	46	37
Cyprus, Nicosia	49	72	70	48	46	55	36	54	85	69
Czech Republic, Prague	155	168	166	115	168	153	96	159	255	183
Denmark, Copenhagen	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-
Estonia, Tallinn	42	55	45	41	50	39	21	59	62	59
Finland, Helsinki	102	111	132	102	107	107	36	130	112	156
France, Paris	1,053	1,367	1,328	1,237	1,295	1,136	784	977	1,470	1,519
Georgia, Tbilisi	805	1,249	1,126	1,621	1,776	1,965	892	816	2,738	1,886
Germany, Frankfurt	2,314	2,285	2,106	1,899	1,851	1,590	1,313	1,584	4,469	5,137
Great Britain and Northern Ireland, London	3,858	4,099	4,231	3,816	3,870	3,898	2,299	2,956	4,755	4,399
Greece, Athens	507	542	668	595	560	484	225	242	369	356
Hungary, Budapest	225	268	231	220	282	225	121	217	267	216
Iceland, Reykjavik	27	29	40	19	23	15	18	39	31	32
Ireland, Dublin	258	335	289	219	346	298	167	305	435	392
Italy, Naples	1,215	1,299	1,286	1,218	1,155	1,160	756	1,036	1,676	1,291
Kosovo, Pristina	-	-	-	-	570	815	402	516	798	872

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Latvia, Riga	188	277	182	154	169	130	63	144	218	115
Lithuania, Vilnius	220	268	224	185	272	244	106	175	221	175
Moldova, Chisinau	1,370	1,781	1,507	1,566	832	881	386	599	822	738
Netherlands, Amsterdam	261	373	354	271	350	335	181	272	300	522
North Macedonia, Skopje	942	1,318	1,354	1,421	884	647	225	469	750	522
Poland, Warsaw	2,599	3,179	2,842	2,770	2,839	2,593	1,055	1,855	5,355	6,035
Portugal, Lisbon	4	3	5	9	4	20	1	1	-	1
Romania, Bucharest	982	1,150	1,023	865	746	795	388	702	816	708
Russia, Moscow	3,566	4,071	3,529	3,681	4,270	4,625	1,837	409	77	19
Serbia, Belgrade	545	711	777	776	683	709	425	495	626	659
Slovakia, Bratislava	62	77	81	76	94	58	40	59	85	72
Slovenia, Ljubljana	10	16	25	18	33	11	18	33	16	37
Spain, Madrid	808	936	883	801	901	782	536	907	1,287	1,136
Sweden, Stockholm	450	531	608	575	585	432	346	268	804	689
Switzerland, Bern	194	272	190	189	229	213	168	267	222	267
Turkey, Ankara	4,020	4,940	4,834	4,966	3,313	3,018	3,538	2,587	5,778	5,969
Ukraine, Kyiv	4,122	4,145	5,068	4,751	5,358	4,427	2,611	2,912	2,068	0
Europe and Eurasia Total	39,624	46,177	45,830	44,716	43,121	40,367	24,326	26,015	48,497	45,587
Near East										
Algeria, Algiers	1,319	1,773	4,354	1,670	1,993	2,163	1,020	1,867	2,713	4,554
Bahrain, Manama	80	78	99	135	138	235	112	270	237	282
Egypt, Cairo	7,525	6,991	8,206	6,919	6,670	6,528	3,140	2,019	4,697	6,168
Iraq, Baghdad	1,699	1,567	3,000	3,368	1,819	1,443	404	29	264	521
Israel, Jerusalem	2,172	2,015	2,309	1,859	1,968	1,826	978	1,577	2,225	2,053
Jordan, Amman	4,078	3,347	6,083	5,803	3,465	3,402	3,097	2,179	4,436	6,768
Kuwait, Kuwait	350	456	521	504	602	792	449	994	923	767
Lebanon, Beirut	2,414	1,881	2,000	1,970	1,782	1,540	1,289	1,547	2,457	1,807
Morocco, Casablanca	2,410	2,756	3,531	2,864	2,536	2,690	1,867	3,511	3,937	4,618
Oman, Muscat	82	134	170	152	197	277	174	515	545	609
Qatar, Doha	360	386	593	455	526	506	354	1,170	6,681	9,922
Saudi Arabia, Riyadh	1,110	1,305	1,979	1,738	1,778	1,836	995	1,394	3,305	2,477
Tunisia, Tunis	303	407	516	594	324	396	321	460	814	711
United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi	4,327	4,416	4,808	4,306	2,827	3,330	3,022	3,195	8,713	4,797
Yemen, Sanaa	2,803	372	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Near East Total	31,032	27,884	38,169	32,337	26,625	26,964	17,222	20,727	41,947	46,054
South and Central Asia										
Afghanistan, Kabul	10,205	7,502	13,892	18,453	8,703	10,851	8,579	8,982	-	-
Bangladesh, Dhaka	11,898	13,878	17,211	12,766	15,179	12,573	6,162	5,311	9,074	15,257

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India, New Delhi	9,019	10,229	11,661	10,340	8,007	1,449	259	433	826	444
Mumbai	15,138	18,825	18,950	16,112	19,008	21,080	10,559	7,338	23,263	30,806
Kazakhstan, Almaty	911	1,240	885	1,074	1,356	1,645	632	991	1,772	2,589
Kyrgyzstan, Bishkek	-	-	-	300	528	469	182	585	1,601	2,180
Nepal, Kathmandu	4,996	5,661	6,483	6,446	6,021	5,239	3,521	5,260	7,610	7,108
Pakistan, Islamabad	13,898	14,017	15,008	11,975	10,939	8,338	5,098	6,739	8,665	13,671
Sri Lanka, Colombo	685	666	876	683	793	718	483	702	1,372	1,282
Tajikistan, Dushanbe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,829
Turkmenistan, Ashgabat	126	104	88	111	167	173	75	250	563	456
Uzbekistan, Tashkent	3,590	3,198	3,274	3,999	2,802	1,494	504	419	4,798	4,195
South and Central Asia Total	70,466	75,320	88,328	82,259	73,503	64,029	36,054	37,010	59,544	79,817
Western Hemisphere										
Argentina, Buenos Aires	496	614	685	497	638	623	308	636	1,047	978
Bahamas, Nassau	206	257	281	348	313	289	145	527	304	381
Barbados, Bridgetown	1,496	1,597	1,722	1,789	1,944	1,614	724	1,554	1,424	1,420
Belize, Belmopan	242	311	361	276	283	306	163	329	222	268
Bolivia, La Paz	597	746	732	556	662	518	273	644	681	616
Brazil, Rio de Janeiro	1,605	2,479	3,287	3,502	4,458	3,506	1,617	2,327	6,732	5,378
Canada, Montreal	3,666	5,108	5,379	5,524	4,417	4,327	1,922	3,270	5,706	6,258
Chile, Santiago	246	389	315	323	429	376	266	655	568	454
Colombia, Bogota	6,403	7,351	7,548	6,812	10,475	6,489	2,933	6,041	11,478	9,256
Costa Rica, San Jose	458	710	745	800	866	729	435	638	848	674
Cuba, Havana	5,992	6,201	9,072	9,752	29	-	-	-	2,097	28,143
Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo	37,146	45,069	54,376	49,575	51,289	38,203	19,327	17,908	33,320	55,218
Ecuador, Guayaquil	6,254	6,984	6,830	6,503	7,395	5,881	2,367	5,131	6,415	5,509
El Salvador, San Salvador	11,259	12,465	14,434	15,621	16,606	10,583	5,330	7,787	15,670	8,633
Guatemala, Guatemala	4,703	5,699	6,580	6,668	9,484	5,477	2,306	2,703	7,259	5,314
Guyana, Georgetown	4,567	4,561	4,779	4,096	7,672	11,202	5,381	5,382	22,320	14,170
Haiti, Port-au-Prince	10,596	13,049	18,581	16,419	15,002	5,991	2,295	3,556	4,699	10,071
Honduras, Tegucigalpa	3,585	4,728	7,411	5,136	7,167	6,003	2,206	3,156	7,563	3,785
Jamaica, Kingston	10,239	10,822	15,549	14,336	13,303	10,353	4,974	4,190	9,955	11,824
Mexico, Mexico City	3,906	341	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	14
Ciudad Juarez	57,764	82,323	89,645	86,876	79,678	54,780	29,242	40,784	66,858	68,957
Nicaragua, Managua	1,559	2,099	2,070	2,075	1,972	2,248	1,077	3,199	1,974	1,813
Panama, Panama	424	466	430	471	536	449	190	537	465	528
Paraguay, Asuncion	79	118	120	110	138	98	36	110	102	120
Peru, Lima	4,067	5,406	5,906	4,942	5,693	4,711	1,879	1,713	4,403	6,628
Trinidad and Tobago, Port of Spain	1,133	1,320	1,397	1,285	1,417	1,242	479	803	1,430	1,309
Uruguay, Montevideo	90	111	105	132	142	126	73	189	159	122
Venezuela, Caracas	1,955	2,442	2,582	2,917	3,072	842	-	-	-	-

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Western Hemisphere Total	180,733	223,766	260,922	247,341	245,080	176,966	85,948	113,769	213,702	247,841
Grand Totals	467,374	531,472	625,344	575,902	550,930	462,422	240,526	285,069	493,448	562,976

NOTE: A hyphen (-) appearing in a fiscal year indicates that the office did not provide immigrant visa services during that fiscal year. A zero indicates that while authorized to process immigrant visa applications, the office reported no issuances during the fiscal year.

¹ Immigrant visa services are provided for certain special immigrants and adopted children only.

² The Taipei office of the American Institute in Taiwan, although an unofficial instrumentality, has been authorized to process visa applications for residents of Taiwan.

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