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Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Africa										
Algeria	539	663	335	590	732	559	565	693	431	421
Angola	27	29	33	28	21	44	27	16	28	30
Benin	10	15	33	43	37	35	35	28	64	67
Botswana	9	11	9	5	3	9	5	9	4	6
Burkina Faso	4	6	4	2	1	17	16	6	17	16
Burundi	13	16	12	7	7	2	9	1	7	24
Cameroon	347	389	629	510	883	467	478	601	682	622
Cape Verde	779	781	834	689	883	813	467	454	541	565
Central African Republic	1	4	0	1	5	2	4	3	4	2
Chad	1	8	5	2	5	6	21	9	3	4
Comoros	1	2	2	0	0	1	0	2	2	0
Congo, Republic of the	7	8	6	7	13	4	19	15	10	6
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	119	128	142	163	139	170	219	232	370	138
Cote d'Ivoire	82	136	130	127	154	176	216	144	254	236
Djibouti	17	16	14	12	7	12	9	3	10	9
Egypt	5,072	4,305	4,075	3,952	4,005	3,323	3,166	2,440	2,181	3,635
Equatorial Guinea	1	1	2	5	3	1	1	1	1	6
Eritrea	751	518	855	517	273	320	571	406	411	338
Ethiopia	4,266	4,173	4,336	3,225	4,229	2,844	4,661	4,176	4,969	4,849
Gabon	2	10	9	9	0	8	5	6	22	2
Gambia, The	52	56	31	29	68	67	65	64	56	66
Ghana	2,855	4,309	4,101	3,134	3,101	3,495	2,306	2,938	2,945	2,484
Guinea	57	39	33	59	68	66	72	48	61	74
Guinea-Bissau	1	6	2	9	2	2	9	3	3	3
Kenya	1,147	807	791	1,126	1,216	1,346	1,397	1,841	2,595	2,373
Lesotho	5	7	3	2	5	5	0	7	7	3
Liberia	630	796	1,144	1,112	928	882	637	826	699	943
Libya	118	99	78	124	83	108	102	69	112	61
Madagascar	18	23	15	15	10	21	20	19	23	19
Malawi	42	30	64	31	47	38	23	26	28	31
Mali	28	26	12	18	32	48	36	23	32	35
Mauritania	2	2	0	6	4	13	19	12	2	9
Mauritius	53	34	28	25	35	22	33	25	26	19
Morocco	1,116	861	1,751	1,781	2,864	2,774	3,802	1,648	2,532	2,217
Mozambique	17	25	32	25	33	18	26	21	19	19
Namibia	16	9	2	7	4	12	20	5	11	6
Niger	8	14	5	5	11	10	13	49	30	36
Nigeria	5,523	5,991	6,370	5,369	4,658	5,476	5,260	5,127	5,984	6,099
Rwanda	11	23	17	19	46	9	50	13	14	13
Sao Tome and Principe	2	2	1	2	2	3	1	0	2	2
Senegal	364	265	261	174	264	227	287	174	237	177
Seychelles	15	9	1	3	7	4	4	11	7	7
Sierra Leone	642	1,377	1,228	632	660	1,485	1,209	1,145	487	411
Somalia	478	454	373	412	470	783	536	337	217	169
South Africa	1,275	1,222	904	987	882	1,084	1,200	981	951	699
Sudan	721	1,073	778	970	1,536	1,289	1,082	782	762	382
Swaziland	7	7	7	3	2	3	3	3	11	6

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Africa - Continued										
Tanzania	511	430	316	268	342	309	241	264	319	195
Togo	45	77	110	255	210	354	468	598	1,458	1,346
Tunisia	117	134	87	130	114	132	113	123	90	110
Uganda	308	285	262	291	252	231	206	256	190	247
Zambia	136	124	137	148	114	111	132	105	122	121
Zimbabwe	146	167	105	76	109	124	122	148	120	105
Africa Total	28,514	30,002	30,514	27,141	29,579	29,364	29,988	26,936	30,163	29,463
Asia										
Afghanistan	675	718	619	617	855	741	722	427	339	420
Bahrain	41	39	39	32	34	53	47	38	39	62
Bangladesh	6,895	5,583	8,122	8,364	5,101	6,213	5,123	3,753	3,425	6,524
Bhutan	1	0	3	1	1	0	2	0	6	3
Brunei	3	16	4	9	9	7	8	8	11	10
Burma	1,077	1,068	985	1,337	1,099	1,160	1,031	888	583	806
Cambodia	1,018	1,093	1,243	1,181	1,158	1,668	1,575	1,740	1,299	1,795
China - mainland born	24,448	27,397	27,443	27,776	26,901	28,993	23,147	30,218	30,680	29,467
China - Taiwan born	5,678	8,180	6,757	6,394	4,793	5,634	5,565	5,545	4,523	4,506
East Timor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Hong Kong S.A.R.	6,306	5,051	3,877	3,881	3,817	3,261	3,416	3,917	2,689	2,939
India	26,403	29,381	28,104	25,292	23,606	24,201	28,041	24,974	26,672	27,647
Indonesia	493	470	469	741	849	1,050	779	773	694	574
Iran	5,210	6,320	5,913	5,458	4,898	5,485	5,982	5,128	3,556	4,605
Iraq	1,516	1,330	1,219	1,072	1,415	1,349	1,497	1,284	1,019	1,330
Israel	918	1,061	1,058	813	891	970	1,279	1,359	1,185	937
Japan	1,950	2,037	2,049	2,216	2,272	2,852	4,141	3,666	3,486	3,132
Jordan	2,757	3,177	3,224	2,279	2,925	3,062	3,489	2,982	2,397	2,378
Korea, North	134	133	82	75	97	116	123	113	91	83
Korea, South	10,272	9,089	8,290	8,431	8,518	6,905	6,412	6,802	5,340	5,613
Kuwait	392	514	426	402	555	607	561	380	317	401
Laos	268	282	324	265	264	227	192	247	190	208
Lebanon	2,340	2,665	2,423	2,460	2,151	2,520	2,860	2,133	1,887	1,999
Malaysia	404	350	362	400	606	520	526	475	485	446
Maldives	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
Mongolia	8	3	13	13	15	20	39	90	86	91
Nepal	186	232	255	321	295	230	506	731	1,972	2,014
Oman	12	15	11	13	6	18	20	9	15	4
Pakistan	8,618	8,834	9,900	10,314	12,830	10,256	11,835	6,617	6,421	6,350
Philippines	35,474	42,003	38,257	25,953	23,293	30,280	31,077	32,949	33,066	37,899
Qatar	20	20	18	21	29	27	45	17	21	53
Saudi Arabia	142	195	155	168	211	419	279	238	268	287
Singapore	159	179	147	152	202	168	297	272	208	188
Sri Lanka	599	646	727	725	661	540	784	756	863	544
Syria	1,422	1,815	1,469	1,694	1,303	1,622	1,932	1,312	1,065	1,172
Thailand	1,292	1,241	1,149	1,350	1,447	1,681	1,345	1,215	833	1,036

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Asia - Continued										
United Arab Emirates	135	178	216	211	198	264	269	239	232	375
Vietnam	12,777	11,095	16,317	11,017	14,454	17,813	18,634	18,722	14,467	18,312
Yemen	1,641	1,949	1,944	1,353	1,060	1,839	1,034	1,076	1,245	1,513
Asia Total	161,684	174,359	173,614	152,801	148,819	162,772	164,614	161,095	151,676	165,725
Europe										
Albania	1,164	3,866	4,553	4,341	4,285	3,998	4,120	2,711	2,817	3,092
Andorra	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Anguilla	14	30	10	18	20	15	50	10	13	11
Armenia	897	1,324	1,185	559	637	476	616	595	689	860
Aruba	11	5	8	6	7	10	5	4	14	8
Austria	245	185	209	200	205	190	227	196	139	171
Azerbaijan	254	280	200	260	233	265	260	294	278	325
Belarus	286	400	368	449	515	657	787	805	931	942
Belgium	216	257	221	165	237	247	280	251	215	198
Bermuda	49	71	51	41	42	27	39	50	58	49
Bosnia and Herzegovina	156	118	161	96	92	123	173	216	199	302
British Virgin Islands	9	16	23	10	18	22	21	15	19	12
Bulgaria	1,428	956	2,450	3,715	4,039	3,238	3,094	2,578	3,364	3,085
Cayman Islands	6	4	14	4	10	13	6	8	14	12
Croatia	360	274	207	150	208	154	174	163	170	138
Cyprus	96	83	75	67	63	75	61	64	42	44
Czech Republic	270	215	264	205	238	321	288	275	333	302
Denmark	300	269	193	204	218	225	256	222	166	166
Estonia	61	64	65	50	69	93	67	74	87	62
Falkland Islands	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Finland	223	275	186	166	188	169	166	164	116	150
France	963	944	810	917	1,087	1,040	1,457	1,146	981	836
French Guiana	7	5	0	1	3	3	1	6	1	2
French Polynesia	4	1	2	3	4	3	1	3	4	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	230	312	149	164	196	170	224	336	437	512
Germany	3,368	2,995	3,087	3,404	3,607	3,330	3,256	2,591	2,092	2,259
Gibraltar	1	1	0	0	2	4	2	4	3	1
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	3,817	3,664	3,329	2,884	3,130	3,910	5,547	4,832	3,668	3,461
Greece	662	610	554	497	423	407	418	361	310	273
Greenland	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0
Guadeloupe	27	23	28	18	33	18	32	16	11	24
Hungary	451	455	410	411	354	347	369	342	412	352
Iceland	79	115	71	65	47	71	57	52	51	51
Ireland	1,822	706	558	477	498	441	380	321	361	339
Italy	924	761	757	853	721	716	804	661	587	461
Kazakhstan	126	252	168	365	420	740	1,036	1,222	1,155	1,234

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Europe - Continued										
Kyrgyzstan	42	52	52	68	115	99	95	101	172	187
Latvia	165	185	231	201	191	180	193	225	168	184
Liechtenstein	0	4	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Lithuania	470	557	507	1,044	957	1,053	1,065	1,266	2,096	1,566
Luxembourg	4	16	11	4	7	10	12	15	8	0
Macau	390	356	228	207	250	57	124	265	170	172
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	520	658	640	616	511	602	660	584	486	525
Malta	65	33	40	50	39	13	26	24	24	16
Martinique	4	6	7	8	12	12	2	3	10	4
Moldova	209	254	163	247	313	368	319	292	347	474
Monaco	1	2	1	0	1	2	1	7	2	3
Montserrat	60	40	55	48	28	21	17	14	20	13
Netherlands	500	459	358	310	341	415	542	458	390	309
Netherlands Antilles	31	37	35	22	38	35	39	38	23	29
New Caledonia	1	2	1	3	0	1	3	4	1	0
Northern Ireland (DV only)	86	74	30	47	50	24	16	5	26	23
Norway	222	210	184	175	187	205	188	137	141	126
Poland	8,250	10,268	7,994	5,197	6,302	6,529	4,724	7,602	7,335	7,613
Portugal	1,645	1,061	976	952	631	475	460	381	340	283
Reunion	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
Romania	3,607	3,264	4,320	4,383	5,136	4,826	4,208	2,557	2,411	2,108
Russia	4,608	4,944	6,139	6,900	7,229	7,769	7,233	7,630	7,669	8,428
San Marino	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serbia and Montenegro	1,252	951	993	915	679	691	787	826	879	942
Slovakia	434	429	428	267	391	316	375	337	412	347
Slovenia	30	24	23	19	20	16	14	25	15	27
Spain	550	548	481	396	421	413	444	414	368	286
St. Helena	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sweden	532	531	454	417	494	487	551	448	412	408
Switzerland	426	481	638	486	452	428	430	340	289	245
Tajikistan	52	38	36	33	60	93	36	90	63	78
Turkey	2,121	2,323	2,351	2,210	1,423	1,409	1,604	1,741	1,969	1,869
Turkmenistan	10	30	27	50	37	38	33	28	48	65
Turks and Caicos Islands	10	11	8	8	4	4	3	4	2	5
Ukraine	2,198	2,328	2,075	3,125	4,224	4,910	4,570	5,567	4,471	4,963
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Uzbekistan	262	254	204	302	376	513	579	739	879	1,151
Europe Total	47,288	49,971	50,059	49,478	52,769	53,533	53,631	52,758	51,386	52,186
North America										
Antigua and Barbuda	232	185	251	193	318	203	212	173	177	235
Bahamas, The	173	139	115	98	99	101	84	92	76	123

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North America - Continued										
Barbados	423	413	360	422	346	293	229	275	258	263
Belize	392	370	407	228	310	355	276	242	156	161
Canada	4,145	3,924	2,988	2,620	2,643	2,850	4,937	4,394	3,311	2,131
Costa Rica	610	605	589	476	388	447	391	419	436	376
Cuba	6,040	2,569	2,999	2,812	4,710	4,675	3,554	2,911	2,662	3,256
Dominica	467	432	445	508	568	501	466	391	441	434
Dominican Republic	34,021	30,498	21,381	15,551	13,505	11,685	14,606	15,394	22,894	22,741
El Salvador	7,504	8,345	9,377	7,361	9,032	8,611	6,424	5,193	4,210	3,049
Grenada	378	350	383	428	407	286	257	256	268	260
Guatemala	4,031	3,729	3,565	3,798	4,098	4,146	3,786	4,661	4,412	5,619
Haiti	8,299	9,403	10,211	9,932	14,327	18,495	13,487	11,331	8,600	8,529
Honduras	3,723	2,253	4,455	3,662	2,762	3,049	3,007	2,420	2,208	2,095
Jamaica	13,022	13,217	12,374	9,810	11,654	9,923	8,404	8,789	9,063	8,169
Mexico	47,372	52,625	56,202	56,999	83,900	68,412	63,028	53,119	39,930	44,821
Nicaragua	1,231	1,310	1,391	913	1,083	1,006	928	878	955	1,013
Panama	1,667	1,693	1,333	1,106	1,275	1,036	697	664	451	442
Saint Kitts and Nevis	282	242	254	306	342	295	278	219	190	215
Saint Lucia	263	320	331	343	324	282	359	293	288	275
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	205	261	286	256	342	253	243	211	194	198
Trinidad and Tobago	3,314	3,268	2,925	2,438	2,329	3,177	2,498	2,136	2,117	2,112
North America Total	137,794	136,151	132,622	120,260	154,762	140,081	128,151	114,461	103,297	106,517
Oceania										
Australia	718	726	718	681	817	906	1,171	952	750	807
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	3
Fiji	1,444	1,378	1,366	1,680	1,371	1,189	1,092	943	867	1,245
Kiribati	1	4	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	9	11
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	2	2
Nauru	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	1
New Zealand	264	264	323	292	355	456	500	414	411	359
Niue	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	6	1	0	3	1	0	2	0
Papua New Guinea	5	15	8	5	6	14	8	14	15	3
Samoa	68	79	35	45	54	44	46	45	70	67
Solomon Islands	0	2	1	2	1	6	0	1	3	2
Tonga	274	180	141	122	197	144	107	88	60	115
Tuvalu	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	1	0	0	4	1	1	0	2	0	0
Oceania Total	2,780	2,648	2,601	2,835	2,802	2,771	2,927	2,469	2,194	2,615

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South America										
Argentina	572	679	460	379	511	643	797	927	867	556
Bolivia	700	589	624	673	772	694	636	536	623	512
Brazil	1,559	1,288	1,076	1,151	1,188	1,452	1,721	1,605	1,641	1,515
Chile	715	521	530	501	489	603	543	441	355	366
Colombia	7,009	6,582	6,792	6,375	6,049	6,216	5,364	6,859	6,477	5,593
Ecuador	5,197	4,971	4,911	4,604	7,128	4,680	5,471	5,987	4,319	4,270
Guyana	6,671	7,962	5,994	2,631	2,493	4,721	6,259	8,396	5,968	4,729
Paraguay	464	392	137	120	133	145	128	149	84	146
Peru	4,933	6,146	5,916	5,833	5,237	4,534	4,711	5,292	4,437	4,209
Suriname	90	75	68	49	38	110	102	88	103	64
Uruguay	154	131	154	121	92	108	127	119	139	149
Venezuela	911	973	847	732	801	1,094	910	1,039	1,039	787
South America Total	28,975	30,309	27,509	23,169	24,931	25,000	26,769	31,438	26,052	22,896
Grand Totals	407,035	423,440	416,919	375,684	413,662	413,521	406,080	389,157	364,768	379,402