

SQ Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status**

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	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
FY 2024*	5,433	17,509	22,942
FY 2023	6,723	20,595	27,318
FY 2022	2,758	9,196	11,954
FY 2021	2,227	7,962	10,189
FY 2020	1,829	6,134	7,963
FY 2019	2,416	7,640	10,056
FY 2018	1,801	6,025	7,826
FY 2017	4,677	13,713	18,390
FY 2016	4,283	10,100	14,383
FY 2015	2,636	5,299	7,935
FY 2014	3,876	6,805	10,681
FY 2013	1,992	3,116	5,108
FY 2012	1,724	2,320	4,044
FY 2011	320	392	712
FY 2010	947	1,103	2,050
FY 2009	1,680	1,736	3,416
FY 2008	371	334	705
GRAND TOTAL	45,693	119,979	142,730
<u>FY 2024*</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	5,412	17,230	22,642
AFGH (CQ)¹	0	0	0
IRAQ	21	78	99
OTHER†	0	201	201
OTHER† (CQ)¹	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	5,433	17,509	22,942
<u>FY 2023</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	6,660	20,108	26,768
AFGH (CQ)¹	0	0	0
IRAQ	63	161	224
OTHER†	0	326	326

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OTHER† (CQ)¹	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	6,723	20,595	27,318
<u>FY 2022</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	2,641	8,611	11,252
AFGH (CQ)¹	53	197	250
IRAQ	64	177	241
OTHER†	0	210	210
OTHER† (CQ)¹	0	1	1
GRAND TOTAL	2,758	9,196	11,954
<u>FY 2021</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	1,952	6,839	8,791
AFGH (CQ)¹	260	1,042	1,302
IRAQ	15	43	58
OTHER†	0	35	35
OTHER† (CQ)¹	0	3	3
GRAND TOTAL	2,227	7,962	10,189
<u>FY 2020</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	1,799	6,024	7,823
IRAQ	30	68	98
OTHER†	0	42	42
GRAND TOTAL	1,829	6,134	7,963
<u>FY 2019</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	2,347	7,394	9,741
IRAQ	69	179	248
OTHER†	0	67	67
GRAND TOTAL	2,416	7,640	10,056

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FY 2018

<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	1,649	5,585	7,234
IRAQ	152	372	524
OTHER†	0	68	68
GRAND TOTAL	1,801	6,025	7,826

FY 2017

<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	4,120	12,050	16,170
IRAQ	557	1,577	2,134
OTHER†	0	86	86
GRAND TOTAL	4,677	13,713	18,390

FY 2016

<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	3,626	8,460	12,086
IRAQ	657	1,593	2,250
OTHER†	0	47	47
GRAND TOTAL	4,283	10,100	14,383

FY 2015

<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	2,301	4,411	6,712
IRAQ	335	845	1,180
OTHER†	0	43	43
GRAND TOTAL	2,636	5,299	7,935

FY 2014

<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	3,441	5,666	9,107
IRAQ	435	1,075	1,510
OTHER†	0	64	64

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GRAND TOTAL	3,876	6,805	10,681
<u>FY 2013</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	652	846	1,498
IRAQ	1,340	2,215	3,555
OTHER†	0	55	55
GRAND TOTAL	1,992	3,116	5,108
<u>FY 2012</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	63	62	125
IRAQ	1,661	2,209	3,870
OTHER†	0	49	49
GRAND TOTAL	1,724	2,320	4,044
<u>FY 2011</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	3	28	31
IRAQ	317	352	669
OTHER†	0	12	12
GRAND TOTAL	320	392	712
<u>FY 2010</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	7	36	43
IRAQ	940	1,051	1,991
OTHER†	0	16	16
GRAND TOTAL	947	1,103	2,050
<u>FY 2009</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	262	366	628
IRAQ	1,418	1,347	2,765

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OTHER†	0	23	23
GRAND TOTAL	1,680	1,736	3,416
<u>FY 2008</u>			
<u>Chargeability</u>	<u>PRINCIPALS</u>	<u>DEPENDENTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
AFGH	199	195	394
IRAQ	172	125	297
OTHER†	0	14	14
GRAND TOTAL	371	334	705
*Preliminary data which is subject to some change. Data from October 1, 2023 through March 31, 2024.			
**Figures include adjustments data from USCIS offices as well as Dept. of State issuance data. Only Principal Applicants are counted against the category-specific limit(s).			
† Immigrant Visa Statistics are normally tracked by country of birth. The SI and SQ programs requires that all principals be nationals of either Afghanistan or Iraq. These data reflect derivatives of Afghan or Iraqi nationals born in a third country.			
¹ Conditional SQ Visa Category (CQ) - Certain Afghan special immigrant visa (SIV) applicants who were physically present in Afghanistan and had completed all steps of the Afghan SIV application process except for the panel physician exam, and were deemed eligible, were issued CQ visas pursuant to a medical exam waiver authorized by the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Homeland Security in August 2021. The SQ visa category is for Iraqis and Afghans employed by or on behalf of the U.S. government, or by the International Security Assistance Force or its successor, and Iraqi and Afghan SI cases converted under Section 1244.			