

Worldwide NIV Workload by Visa Category FY 2015

Visa Category	Issued	Refused	Total Workload	Waived / Overcome
A1	10,909	2,129	13,038	1,944
A2	100,563	12,019	112,582	10,204
A3	1,113	576	1,689	406
B1	43,421	15,070	58,491	7,773
B1/B2	7,199,807	2,197,433	9,397,240	416,890
B2	63,387	77,239	140,626	6,440
BBBCC	1,166,668	377,198	1,543,866	37,343
BBBCV	37,208	4,558	41,766	810
C1	11,736	2,805	14,541	684
C1/D	280,664	19,438	300,102	14,180
C2	18	15	33	6
C3	9,786	420	10,206	261
CW1	3,103	1,624	4,727	1,520
CW2	634	362	996	359
D	6,339	817	7,156	449
E1	7,425	2,175	9,600	1,791
E2	41,162	10,970	52,132	7,796
E2C	127	89	216	81
E3	5,527	822	6,349	595
E3D	3,656	484	4,140	407
E3R	1,324	158	1,482	140
F1	644,233	212,018	856,251	70,185
F2	33,632	11,073	44,705	5,132
F3	63	12	75	4
G1	5,407	1,303	6,710	1,282
G2	16,313	2,520	18,833	1,964
G3	393	91	484	85
G4	21,792	1,994	23,786	1,677
G5	711	291	1,002	222
H1B	172,748	19,446	192,194	17,132
H1B1	1,051	116	1,167	71
H1C	0	1	1	1
H2A	108,144	12,408	120,552	3,005
H2B	69,684	9,188	78,872	3,066
H3	1,669	314	1,983	265
H4	124,484	10,248	134,732	8,689
I	14,447	2,016	16,463	1,173
J1	332,540	44,102	376,642	29,056
J2	42,289	8,287	50,576	7,524
K1	30,947	12,951**	43,898	6,995**
K2	4,391	51	4,442	22
K3	182	27	209	6
K4	39	7	46	0
L1	78,537	13,862	92,399	7,769
L2	86,067	10,845	96,912	7,933
M1	11,058	3,602	14,660	1,438
M2	404	162	566	84
M3	0	0	0	0

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N8	14	20	34	4
N9	4	13	17	1
NATO1	25	1	26	0
NATO2	5,445	196	5,641	101
NATO3	1	0	1	0
NATO4	248	13	261	12
NATO5	30	3	33	3
NATO6	498	10	508	8
NATO7	0	0	0	0
O1	13,865	2,870	16,735	2,601
O2	5,792	912	6,704	663
O3	4,023	742	4,765	694
P1	24,262	4,464	28,726	3,512
P2	97	21	118	18
P3	8,426	2,949	11,375	1,646
P4	1,193	235	1,428	181
Q1	1,901	262	2,163	168
R1	4,572	1,141	5,713	892
R2	1,684	548	2,232	476
S5	0	0	0	0
S6	0	0	0	0
S7	0	6	6	1
T2	111	38	149	33
T3	376	113	489	114
T4	10	19	29	17
T5	10	11	21	9
T6	1	1	2	0
TD	8,515	1,046	9,561	642
TN	13,093	1,889	14,982	1,044
U1	121	264	385	189
U2	126	124	250	97
U3	1,419	586	2,005	510
U4	42	89	131	65
U5	39	28	67	23
Grand Totals	10,891,745	3,121,950	14,013,695	698,583

****K-1 visas are more similar to an immigrant visa. As such, they are pre-processed in the immigrant operating system then moved to the nonimmigrant operating system once a case has been deemed eligible for visa issuance. The K-1 data previously published on this site reflected adjudications only taken after that transfer had been made – thus it provided data from only one operating system (the nonimmigrant visa system). This was consistent with the data for the other nonimmigrant visas, which are only processed in that system. The current K-1 data reflects processing actions which occurred in both operating systems.**