

Number of Service-wide Forms
By Quarter, Form Status, and Processing Time
Fiscal Year 2021, Quarter 1



U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration
Services

Category and Form Number	Description	1st Quarter					
		Forms Received	Completed			Pending	Processing Time
			Approved	Denied	Total		
TOTAL - ALL FORMS		1,727,194	1,330,094	164,983	1,498,658	6,380,926	N/A
Family Based							
I-129F	Petition for Alien Fiancé(e)	3,283	4,730	1,275	6,005	20,371	8.0
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	149,173	163,689	19,259	182,948	1,490,690	13.5
I-600 ¹	Petition to Classify Orphan as an Immediate Relative	206	287	41	328	532	N/A
I-601A	Application for Provisional Unlawful Presence Waiver	16,245	4,470	470	4,940	76,993	15.6
I-751	Petition to Remove Conditions on Residence	21,463	31,729	1,370	33,099	205,390	13.9
I-800 ²	Petition to Classify Convention Adoptee as an Immediate Relative	478	644	25	669	638	N/A
Employment Based							
I-129	Petition for a Nonimmigrant Worker	88,378	114,122	17,524	131,646	77,910	3.0
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Workers	26,032	25,166	2,667	27,833	47,096	7.4
I-526	Immigrant Petition by Alien Investor	D	1,004	119	1,123	13,746	32.4
I-765 ³	Application for Employment Authorization	470,736	353,629	35,835	389,464	728,090	31.0
I-829	Petition by Investor to Remove Conditions on Permanent Resident Status	205	641	41	682	9,894	3.2
I-924 ⁴	Application For Regional Center Designation Under the Immigrant Investor Program	D	19	12	31	157	39.0
I-924A	Annual Certification of Regional Center	184	-	-	-	1,612	N/A
Humanitarian							
I-589 ⁵	Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal	14,206	1,400	4,190	8,411	394,101	N/A
Legalization ⁶	Legalization/ SAW	D	D	D	D	215	N/A
I-730	Refugee/Asylee Relative Petition	2,411	1,207	144	1,351	26,113	16.3
I-817	Application for Family Unity Benefits	55	194	14	208	246	5.5
I-821	Application for Temporary Protected Status	1,129	606	129	735	3,347	7.9
I-821D	Consideration of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals	69,256	90,351	975	91,326	32,395	1.9
I-870 ⁷	Record of Determination/Credible Fear Worksheet	2,394	1,368	631	2,321	1,099	N/A
I-881 ⁸	App. for Susp. of Deport. or Spec. Rule Cancel. of Remov. (Sect. 203 of Public Law 105-100 (NACARA))	72	13	-	13	577	N/A
I-899 ⁹	Record of Determination/Reasonable Fear Worksheet	1,341	196	591	1,224	101	N/A
I-914 ¹⁰	Application for T Nonimmigrant Status	524	217	161	378	3,414	18.1
I-918 ¹¹	Petition for U Nonimmigrant Status	8,865	9,107	1,606	10,713	268,699	57.6
I-929	Petition for Qualifying Family Member of a U-1 Nonimmigrant	335	141	26	167	1,287	11.7
Lawful Permanent Residence							
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Family)	68,235	62,236	10,379	72,615	355,244	13.3
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Employment)	87,267	27,485	1,332	28,817	176,683	11.3
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Asylum)	9,768	3,140	249	3,389	71,340	13.0
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Refugee)	4,417	6,440	544	6,984	13,926	5.3
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Cuban)	5,823	4,510	391	4,901	23,637	7.2
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or Adjust Status (Other)	12,640	6,727	977	7,704	38,790	9.7
Citizenship and Nationality							
N-300	Application to File Declaration of Intention	-	-	-	-	-	N/A
N-336	Req. for a Hearing on a Decision in Natz. Proceedings (Under Sect. 336 of the INA)	886	694	393	1,087	6,492	N/A
N-400	Application for Naturalization (Military)	1,522	1,486	67	1,553	5,296	11.9
N-400	Application for Naturalization	238,294	136,332	15,029	151,361	1,015,055	
N-470	Application to Preserve Residence for Naturalization Purposes	-	-	-	-	D	N/A
N-565	Application for Replacement Naturalization/Citizenship Document	5,647	3,896	439	4,335	12,003	4.9
N-600 ¹²	Application for Certificate of Citizenship	12,381	10,431	1,032	11,463	40,838	5.8
N-644	Application for Posthumous Citizenship	-	-	-	-	-	N/A
N-648	Medical Certification for Disability Exceptions	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other							
I-90	Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card	151,704	136,908	17,949	154,857	341,708	4.3
I-102	Application for Replacement/Initial Nonimmigrant Arrival-Departure Document	565	426	168	594	2,621	7.9
I-131	Application for Travel Document	8,327	6,552	574	7,126	29,103	7.3
I-131	Application for Travel Document (Advance Parole)	145,390	50,578	10,257	60,835	219,568	3.5
I-131	Application for Travel Document (Parole-in-Place)	2,875	1,472	264	1,736	2,618	5.3
I-193	Application for Waiver of Passport and/or Visa	D	24	15	39	483	N/A
I-360	Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant	11,786	7,124	1,574	8,698	42,090	5.4
I-539	Application To Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	60,784	41,094	9,719	50,813	343,589	7.4
I-824	Application for Action on an Approved Application or Petition	1,768	1,795	291	2,086	5,636	5.0
Waivers ¹³	Waivers	14,901	12,731	3,723	16,454	215,523	7.9
I-290B	Notice of Appeal or Motion	5,218	3,079	2,510	5,589	13,965	4.3
Supplemental Processing							
DS-230 (IV) ¹⁴	Immigrant Visas	20,919	24,831		24,831	7,857	N/A
EOIR Adjustment ¹⁴	EOIR Adjustment	8,031	5,266	2,765	8,031	7,872	N/A

Table Key:

D Data withheld to protect applicants' privacy. Does not apply to Form N-644, Posthumous Naturalization.

N/A Not captured or calculated.

- Represents zero.

References:

¹ Includes I-600A, Application for Advance Processing of an Orphan Petition.

² Includes I-800A, Application for Determination of Suitability to Adopt a Child from a Convention Country.

³ I-765 Includes DACA Employment Authorization Documents.

⁴ I-924 approvals include regional center reaffirmations and I-924 denials include regional center terminations.

⁵ Data are for affirmatively filed I-589 asylum applications and do not include defensive asylum claims before a DOJ EOIR immigration court. For affirmative I-589s, the "denial" column includes cases where USCIS found the applicant not eligible on the merits of the claim and referred the applicant to an immigration judge. Previous reports did not include referrals in the denied counts. Administratively closed cases are not included in approvals or denials but are included in the total number of completions.

⁶ Includes the following applications for persons applying for benefits under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986: Forms I-687, I-700, I-698, I-690, I-694, and I-695.

⁷ Credible fear cases approved indicate fear established. Credible fear cases denied indicate fear not established. Administratively closed cases are not included in approvals or denials, but are included in total number of completions.

⁸ NACARA cases approved indicate a grant of suspension of deportation or special rule cancellation of removal and adjustment of status. Denied indicates USCIS found the applicant not eligible on the merits of the claim and referred the applicant to an immigration judge. Administratively closed and dismissed cases are not included in approvals or denials, but are included in total number of completions.

⁹ Reasonable fear cases approved indicate fear established. Reasonable fear cases denied indicate fear not established. Administratively closed cases are not included in approvals or denials, but are included in total number of completions.

¹⁰ Includes I-914A, Application for Family Member of T-1 Recipient.

¹¹ Includes I-918A, Petition for Qualifying Family Member of U-1 Recipient. Processing times shown are from receipt to date of waitlist.

¹² Includes N-600K, Application for Citizenship and Issuance of Certificate Under Section 322.

¹³ Includes the following applications filed to waive exclusionary grounds: Forms I-191, I-192, I-212, I-601, I-602, and I-612.

¹⁴ Immigrant Visa and EOIR Adjustment, among other forms, are not included in the "Total - All Forms" line.

Note(s):

1) Some applications or petitions approved or denied may have been received in previous reporting periods.

2) The report reflects the most up-to-date estimate available at the time the database is queried.

3) Forms received, completed (approved and denied), and pending counts may differ from counts reported in previously published reports due to processing delays and the time at which the data are queried, system updates, and post-adjudicative outcomes.

4) Forms Received are the number of new applications or petitions received and entered into a case-tracking system during the reporting period.

5) Approved are the number of applications or petitions approved during the reporting period.

6) Denied are the number of applications or petitions that were denied, terminated, withdrawn, or revoked during the reporting period. Outcomes included in this count will vary by benefit type as not all benefit types have all of these outcomes in every reporting period.

7) Completed are the number of applications or petitions approved or denied. Some benefit types include other outcomes, such as administrative closures, in the total number of completed cases. As such, approvals and denials will not sum to the total number of completions for all benefit types.

8) Pending is the number of applications or petitions awaiting a decision as of the end of the reporting period.

9) Processing times are defined as the number of months it took for an application, petition, or request to be processed from receipt to completion in a given time period. The number of months presented is the median which is the time it took to complete 50% of all the cases processed in the quarter.

10) Forms where a processing time is unavailable are shown with an N/A. Processing times may be unavailable for a variety of reasons such as forms pending a processing times calculation or forms where times cannot be calculated.

11) N-648 data is currently unavailable.

12) Credible and Reasonable Fear screenings (and their respective forms I-870 and I-899) do not confer an immigration benefit, rather they are intended to identify individuals with viable protection claims, which are then referred to the Immigration Courts for adjudication. Asylum Officers do not adjudicate the actual asylum applications during the screening process.

13) The federal fiscal year is from October 1st through September 30th.

14) Summing the six I-485 types results in the I-485 overall total for the reporting period.

Source(s):

All data except I-589, I-870, I-899 and I-881 - Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, Performance Reporting Tool (PRT), USCIS Electronic Immigration System (ELIS) and C3 I-589, I-870, I-899 and I-881 data were provided by the Directorate of Refugee, Asylum and International Operations (RAIO).