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icon for recognition rates in international protection

The recognition rate refers to the number of positive outcomes as a percentage of the total number of decisions on applications for international protection. For reporting in the Asylum Report, positive decisions calculated in the recognition rate include EU-harmonised statuses only (e.g. refugee and subsidiary protection). At times, the recognition rate which includes national forms of protection may be presented for countries where there is a considerable difference with the recognition rate of EU-harmonised statuses.<sup>xiv</sup>

The recognition rate for specific nationalities of applicants can indicate which citizenships are granted protection more frequently and which are rejected.

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icon for differences in recognition rates across different nationalities

4.14.1.3. Differences in recognition rates for specific nationalities across receiving countries

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Footnotes

<sup>xiv</sup> Persons granted authorisation stay for humanitarian reasons are defined by Eurostat:  
[https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php?title=Glossary:Asylum\\_decision](https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php?title=Glossary:Asylum_decision)

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