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The recognition rate includes EU-regulated forms of protection (refugee status and subsidiary protection) and excludes national protection forms (for example based on humanitarian reasons, etc.). It is calculated by dividing the number of positive first instance decisions (granting refugee status or subsidiary protection) by the total number of decisions issued. Negative decisions comprise both rejections and decisions not granting EU-regulated forms of protection (refugee status and subsidiary protection).

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