

POLAND



Major countries of destination of migrants from Poland are Belarus, Canada, France, Germany, the Russian Federation, and the United States.

Note: Countries are listed in alphabetical order.

Source: [Composite Matrix, the Development Research Centre on Migration, Globalisation and Poverty.](#)

Top Five Countries of Origin of the Foreign-Born Population Living in Poland in 2001

Countries of birth	Number	Percent of total foreign-born population
Ukraine	309,131	39.9
Belarus	104,463	13.5
Germany	101,633	13.1
Lithuania	79,769	10.3
Russian Federation	54,226	7.0
All other countries	126,060	16.2
TOTAL	775,282	100.0

Source: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development. <http://www.oecd.org/country/poland>.

The data are provided by the [Development Research Centre on Migration, Globalisation and Poverty.](#)

According to UN Population Division estimates, the foreign born represented 1.8 percent (702,808) of the total population of Poland in 2005.

Source: [UN Population Division. 2006. Trends in Total Migrant Stock: The 2005 Revision. POP/DB/MIG/Rev.2005.](#)

For more data details, go to the Development Research Centre on Migration, Globalisation and Poverty:

http://www.migrationdrc.org/research/typesofmigration/global_migrant_origin_database.html

Migration Information Source:

Poland country resource page: <http://www.migrationinformation.org/Resources/poland.cfm>

Poland's Resources:

Central Statistical Office: <http://www.stat.gov.pl/english/index.htm>