

## MACEDONIA



**Major countries of destination of migrants from Macedonia are**  
Austria, Germany, Italy, Switzerland, Turkey, and the United States.

*Note:* Countries are listed in alphabetical order.

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

**According to UN Population Division estimates, the foreign born represented 5.9 percent (121,291) of the total population of Macedonia in 2005.**

*Note:* Many long-term residents in Macedonia who are counted as “foreign born” today were born in other states of the former Federal Republic of Yugoslavia. Therefore, the number of foreign born in contemporary Macedonia may reflect the country’s changed geopolitical status rather than its immigration trends. The former Yugoslavia included the following states: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, and Slovenia.

*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](http://www.migrationdrc.org/research/typesofmigration/global_migrant_origin_database.html)

**Migration Information Source:**

More information about Macedonia: <http://migrationinformation.org/>

**Macedonia’s Resources:**

State Statistical Office: [http://www.stat.gov.mk/english/glavna\\_eng.asp](http://www.stat.gov.mk/english/glavna_eng.asp)