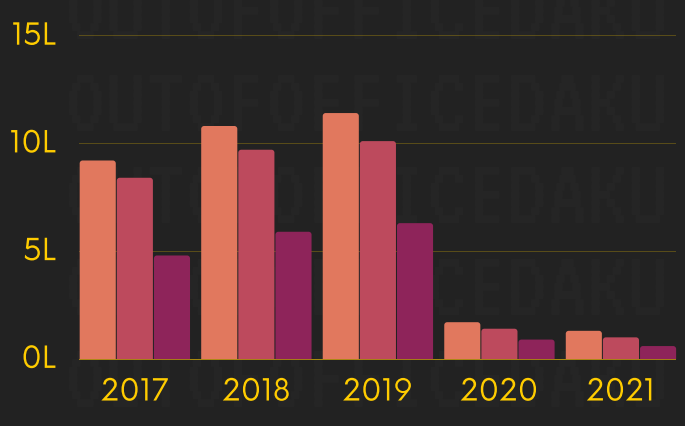
# Schengen Visa

## INDIA

## LAST 5 YEARS




OVER 11 LAKH INDIANS APPLIED FOR VISA IN 2019

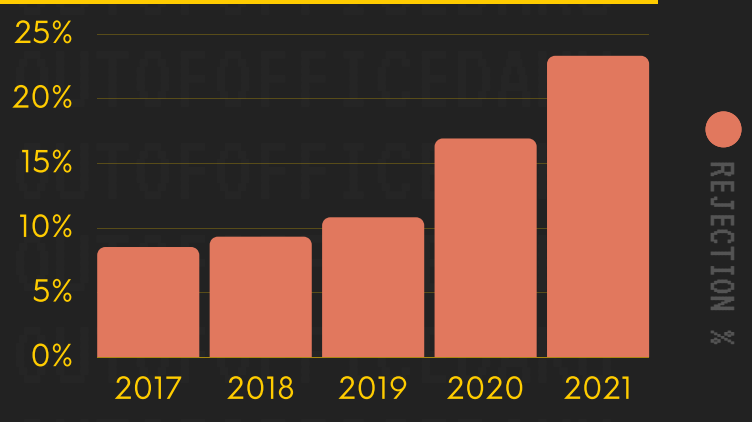
APPROX. 60% APPLICATIONS ARE GRANTED MULTIPLE ENTRY VISA

INDIANS SPENT ₹1051 CRORE ON VISA FEES IN 2019
(₹6K VISA FEES + ₹2.5K VFS CHARGES)

WHILE THE APPLICATIONS INCREASED SO DID THE VISA REJECTION %

FROM 2015 TO 2018 IT WAS <10%

FROM 10.3% IN 2019 REJECTIONS ROSE TO 23.30% IN 2021




## TOP 10 | PRE-COVID

| COUNTRIES WHERE INDIANS LOVE TO APPLY FOR VISA | | COUNTRIES WITH HIGHEST VISA ISSUANCE % | | COUNTRIES WITH HIGHEST VISA REJECTION % | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FRANCE | (2.34L) | SWITZERLAND | (94%) | FRANCE | (58%) |
| SWITZERLAND | (1.71L) | AUSTRIA | (94%) | LATVIA | (52%) |
| GERMANY | (1.69L) | FINLAND | (93%) | GERMANY | (44%) |
| ITALY | (1.18L) | LUXEMBOURG | (92%) | ITALY | (42%) |
| NETHERLANDS | (0.93L) | NORWAY | (92%) | MALTA | (39%) |
| SPAIN | (0.74L) | BELGIUM | (92%) | ESTONIA | (33%) |
| GREECE | (0.44L) | SWEDEN | (92%) | LITHUANIA | (33%) |
| AUSTRIA | (0.36L) | DENMARK | (91%) | POLAND | (32%) |
| CZECH REP. | (0.29L) | SPAIN | (91%) | PORTUGAL | (29%) |
| SWEDEN | (0.26L) | NETHERLANDS | (90%) | HUNGARY | (26%) |

## TOP 5 | CURRENT

| COUNTRIES WHERE INDIANS LOVE TO APPLY FOR VISA | | COUNTRIES WITH HIGHEST VISA ISSUANCE % | | COUNTRIES WITH HIGHEST VISA REJECTION % | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FRANCE | (38K) | SLOVAKIA | (98%) | SWEDEN | (42%) |
| GERMANY | (20K) | LUXEMBOURG | (98%) | CZECH REP. | (39%) |
| SWITZERLAND | (19K) | MALTA | (89%) | NORWAY | (35%) |
| SPAIN | (12K) | ESTONIA | (88%) | FRANCE | (31%) |
| NETHERLANDS | (10K) | SLOVENIA | (87%) | GREECE | (30%) |

## THE DIFFERENCES

REJECTION % ACROSS CONSULATES FOR THE SAME COUNTRY

| BELGIUM | HUNGARY | POLAND | SPAIN | PORTUGAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| MUMBAI 3% | MUMBAI 9% | MUMBAI 5% | MUMBAI 5% | GOA 11% |
| DELHI 15% | DELHI 18% | DELHI 28% | DELHI 12% | DELHI 18% |

FOR ABOVE DATA SAME % PATTERNS OBSERVED EVEN FOR 2021 DATA

| FRANCE | | ITALY | | GERMANY | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| BANGALORE | 8% | MUMBAI | 8% | KOLKATA | 3% |
| KOLKATA | 3% | KOLKATA | 12% | BANGALORE | 9% |
| MUMBAI | 12% | NEW DELHI | 22% | MUMBAI | 10% |
| PONDICHERY | 12% | | | CHENNAI | 10% |
| DELHI | 23% | | | DELHI | 12% |

L = LAKH APPLICATIONS

▲ LEAST APPLICATIONS + LOWEST REJECTION %

● LESSER APPLICATIONS BUT > REJECTION %

VISA DATA FOR 2019 | DATA FOR 2021 | DATA FOR 2019

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