

15.3 Migration and Tourism Statistics

U.S. Citizens in Switzerland (excluding dual citizens)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
U.S. citizens registered with Swiss alien police	16,581	17,109	17,988	18,265	18,265	17,954	17,576	17,264
+/- over previous year	598	528	879	277	277	-250	-378	-312
-women's share (in %)	48.6	49.2	49.6	48.8	48.8	50.8	51.1	50.8
- men's share (in %)	51.4	50.8	50.4	49.6	49.6	49.2	48.8	49.2
U.S. citizens' share of the alien resident population	0.98%	0.99%	1.01%	1%	1%	0.92%	0.88%	0.85%
Residents (B-permit holders)	9,945	10,506	11,100	11,056	11,056	11,552	11,108	9,743
+/- over previous year	563	561	594	-44	-44	-484	-444	-365
Permanent residents (C-permit holders)	6,274	6,227	6,307	6,600	6,600	6,855	6,892	7,005
+/- over previous year	38	-47	80	293	293	165	37	113
Short-term residents (L-permit holders)	362	376	581	609	609	547	576	516
+/- over previous year	-3	14	205	28	28	69	29	-60

Swiss Citizens in the U.S.A	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Swiss citizens	20,935	20,670	20,424	20,405	20,486	20,495	20,652	20,751
+/- over previous year	-454	-265	-246	-19	81	90	157	99
Swiss-U.S. dual citizens	54,031	54,582	55,213	55,925	57,034	58,291	59,566	60,324
+/- over previous year	558	551	631	712	1,109	1,257	1,275	758
Total	74,966	75,252	75,637	75,330	77,520	78,696	80,218	81,075
+/- over previous year	104	286	385	693	693	693	1,522	857

Source: FOM (Federal Office for Migration)

U.S. Visas Issued to Swiss Citizens	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Immigrant visas	167	86	151	122	93	93	112	104
Nonimmigrant visas	11,492	10,211	13,371	11,049	12,297	9,650	10,053	11,656

Nonimmigrant Visas (issued by the U.S. Embassy, Berne) (Categories)	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
A Foreign officials	469	363	419	341	441	389	393	393
B Business and tourist visitors (B-1 and B-2)	10,374	9,265	11,707	10,782	13,528	9,923	10,041	11,041
C Transit	679	566	2,216	1,079	974	597	1,018	1,018
E Treaty investors and traders	172	221	178	241	236	299	244	244
F Students	3,916	4,069	4,418	4,468	5,098	4,039	3,916	3,916
G International organizations	1,346	1,559	1,376	1,311	1,448	1,197	1,293	1,293
H Temporary workers and trainees	473	501	538	428	505	373	469	469
I Journalists	106	95	114	116	110	239	108	108
J Exchange visitors (incl. trainees)	2,143	2,110	2,296	2,321	2,793	2,243	2,502	2,502
K Fiancé(e)s of U.S. citizens	30	25	30	33	31	35	52	52
L Intracompany transferees	1,082	1,277	1,180	1,488	1,727	1,508	1,548	1,584
M Vocational students	217	217	238	238	302	262	259	259

Source: U.S. Embassy, Berne

U.S. Social Security Payments to Switzerland	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Number of beneficiaries in Switzerland	7,713	7,827	7,815	7,917	8,053	8,060	9,314	n/a
Total amount transferred (thousands US\$, ca.)	30,474	37,849	38,154	39,014	39,124	36,230	36,593	n/a
Average monthly receipts per beneficiary	395	335	381	387	394	450	392	n/a

Source: U.S. Embassy, Berne