

**Entries in the Register of Foreign Adoptions, 1991 – 2010, entered pursuant to Section 5 of the Adoption Act 1991 and in the Register of Intercountry Adoptions, 2010 – 2021 pursuant to Section 57(2)(b)(ii) of the Adoption Act 2019. (Applicants habitually resident in Ireland holding a valid Declaration of Eligibility & Suitability at the time of effecting the intercountry adoption).**

Country	No. of Entries*	Country	No. of Entries*	Country	No. of Entries*
Russia	1,631	Taiwan	22	Rwanda	2
Vietnam	920	Colombia	19	Scotland	2
Romania	808	England	18	Sri Lanka	2
China	432	Brazil	17	Uzbekistan	2
Ethiopia	308	Paraguay	7	Bolivia	1
Kazakhstan	151	Cambodia	4	Bosnia Herzegovina	1
Belarus	145	Philippines	4	Haiti	1
Thailand	135	South Africa	2	Hong Kong	1
United States of America	118	El Salvador	2	Malawi	1
Mexico	113	Jersey	2	Zimbabwe	1
Ukraine	100	Kenya	2	Moldova	1
Bulgaria	32	Lithuania	2	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,039</b>
India	25	Peru	2		
		Poland	3		

**Entries in the Register of Intercountry Adoptions, pursuant to Section 57(2)(b)(ii) of the Adoption Act 2010, for 2021 only (Applicants habitually resident in Ireland holding a valid Declaration of Eligibility & Suitability at the time of effecting the intercountry adoption).**

Country	No. Entered in the Register in 2021
Vietnam	8
Thailand	2
Philippines	0
USA	4
Poland	1
Moldova	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>