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Nationalities of the World in 2016

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The External Value Ranking

	Nationality	Value 2016	Change in value 2015-2016	Change in value 2012-2016
1	France	99.5	+2.6	+2.0
2	Sweden	97.1	-0.5	+0.3
3	Finland	96.9	-1.5	-0.7
4	Denmark	96.6	-0.8	-0.2
5	Norway	96.4	-0.5	+0.2
6	Italy	96.0	+0.7	+0.0
7	Germany	95.2	-0.2	-0.7
8	Iceland	95.1	-0.7	+0.2
9	Spain	94.8	-0.5	-1.1
10	Belgium	94.5	-1.0	-1.8
11	Netherlands	94.4	-1.0	-1.8
12	Luxembourg	94.3	-1.8	-2.8
13	Portugal	94.0	-1.6	-2.2
13	Ireland	94.0	-2.9	-1.9
14	Greece	93.7	-1.3	-1.4
14	Austria	93.7	-1.6	-2.0
15	UK	93.5	-2.0	-2.3
16	Hungary	93.0	-1.9	-0.1
17	Czech Republic	92.8	-2.0	+0.7
17	Switzerland	92.8	-2.3	-2.7
18	Liechtenstein	92.3	-2.3	-2.9
19	Latvia	92.1	-1.8	+0.3
19	Lithuania	92.1	-1.6	+0.0
19	Slovakia	92.1	-2.6	-0.9
20	Estonia	91.9	-1.8	+0.2
21	Malta	91.6	-2.2	-1.8
22	Poland	91.0	-0.5	+1.1
22	Slovenia	91.0	-3.4	-1.7
23	Cyprus	90.1	+0.1	+1.4
24	Bulgaria	88.7	+0.9	+22.9
24	Romania	88.7	+1.2	+22.6
25	British overseas territories (Gibraltar)	84.6	n/a	n/a
26	Croatia	80.3	+17.0	+46.3
27	US	57.6	+10.1	+9.0
28	Chile	54.6	+1.7	+6.9
29	Brazil	53.7	+5.2	+7.7
30	Argentina	53.6	+2.7	+6.0
31	Channel Islands	51.5	n/a	n/a
31	Isle of Man	51.5	n/a	n/a
32	New Zealand	51.0	+1.9	+0.5
33	Australia	50.6	+3.1	+1.3
34	Japan	50.3	+1.3	-0.6
34	Singapore	50.3	+0.9	+0.1
35	Uruguay	49.6	+2.8	+5.8

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35	Korea (Republic of)	49.6	+1.4	+2.1
36	Canada	49.4	+2.5	+2.1
37	San Marino	48.3	+2.1	+0.7
38	Monaco	48.2	+3.5	+1.7
39	Malaysia	47.1	+3.7	+3.2
40	Andorra	47.0	+2.2	+0.7
41	Paraguay	46.6	+2.9	+4.9
42	Hong Kong, China (SAR)	44.1	+3.0	+3.2
42	Brunei Darussalam	44.1	+1.5	+0.0
43	Israel	42.7	+3.7	+2.5
44	Peru	42.6	+10.6	+13.4
45	British Nationals (Overseas)	41.7	n/a	n/a
45	Barbados	41.7	+5.0	+3.0
46	British overseas territories	41.1	n/a	n/a
47	Mexico	41.0	+5.7	+5.0
47	UAE	41.0	+13.8	+15.0
48	Bahamas	40.3	-0.5	+1.2
49	Seychelles	40.0	+5.6	+6.6
50	Antigua and Barbuda	39.7	+6.0	+4.8
50	St. Kitts and Nevis	39.7	+5.8	+3.9
51	Colombia	39.5	+13.5	+24.1
52	Costa Rica	39.4	+5.3	+4.8
53	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	38.9	+2.8	+3.7
54	Trinidad and Tobago	38.5	+13.7	+13.5
55	Mauritius	38.1	+3.6	+4.3
56	Chinese Taipei (Taiwan)	37.9	+1.4	+7.7
57	Panama	37.4	+4.4	+5.1
58	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	37.2	+15.5	+13.4
59	St. Lucia	37.1	+14.7	+13.4
60	Macao	36.0	+2.7	+5.6
61	British protected persons	35.9	n/a	n/a
62	British subjects	35.8	n/a	n/a
63	Honduras	35.7	+4.5	+3.8
64	El Salvador	35.5	+5.1	+2.0
64	Grenada	35.5	+14.6	+14.7
65	Guatemala	35.2	+4.1	+2.8
66	Commonwealth of Dominica	35.0	+14.3	+13.9
67	Russian Federation	34.6	+3.5	+7.9
68	Serbia	33.7	+4.1	+4.3
68	British Overseas citizenship	33.7	n/a	n/a
69	Nicaragua	32.0	+3.2	+3.2
70	Ecuador	31.9	+3.2	+13.1
71	Montenegro	31.7	+5.2	+3.5
72	Macedonia	31.4	+3.0	+4.2
73	Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	30.7	+1.9	+5.2
74	Bosnia and Herzegovina	30.5	+4.7	+5.3
75	Moldova	30.1	+3.1	+10.0

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76	Gambia	29.7	-0.7	-0.2
77	Albania	29.1	+4.9	+4.5
77	Turkey	29.1	+3.1	+5.0
78	Kuwait	29.0	+2.0	+2.0
79	Cape Verde	28.4	-0.5	+0.4
79	Qatar	28.4	+1.7	+2.5
80	South Africa	27.9	+4.5	+3.5
81	Ghana	27.7	-0.8	-0.2
82	Benin	27.4	-1.7	-0.2
83	Belize	26.9	+5.9	+5.7
83	Bahrain	26.9	+2.0	+1.4
84	Sierra Leone	26.8	-2.4	-1.8
85	Burkina Faso	26.4	-0.6	+0.7
86	Oman	26.2	+1.6	+1.8
87	Senegal	26.1	-1.4	+0.1
87	Togo	26.1	-0.6	+0.5
88	Côte d'Ivoire	26.0	-1.2	+0.1
89	Niger	25.9	-0.9	+0.8
90	Mali	25.7	-1.2	-0.1
91	Saudi Arabia	25.4	+1.6	+1.7
92	Guinea-Bissau	25.0	-0.7	-0.1
93	Guinea	24.9	-2.2	-1.4
94	Kazakhstan	24.6	+2.4	+4.4
95	Belarus	24.0	+1.3	+1.2
96	Timor-Leste	23.9	+12.1	+13.8
97	Liberia	23.5	-2.2	-0.9
97	Nigeria	23.5	-1.6	-0.5
98	Guyana	23.4	+2.6	+5.4
99	Ukraine	23.3	+0.6	+0.7
100	Suriname	22.9	+3.2	+4.4
101	Maldives	21.8	+1.8	+1.8
102	Armenia	21.5	+6.9	+4.6
103	Botswana	21.4	+4.8	+3.8
103	Jamaica	21.4	+2.2	+2.7
104	Papua New Guinea	20.7	+2.9	+4.2
105	Thailand	20.6	+2.5	+3.0
106	Kyrgyzstan	20.2	+4.8	+2.2
107	Namibia	19.4	+3.0	+3.7
108	Azerbaijan	19.0	+2.1	-0.7
109	Georgia	18.9	+1.4	+2.1
110	Lesotho	18.4	+1.1	+2.2
111	Swaziland	18.2	+2.1	+3.0
112	Malawi	18.0	+2.4	+2.9
113	Kenya	17.8	+2.1	+3.1
114	Israeli Laissez-passer	17.7	n/a	n/a
115	Tajikistan	17.6	+2.0	-0.5
115	Uzbekistan	17.6	+1.7	-0.4

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116	Zambia	17.4	+2.4	+3.0
117	Cuba	17.3	+3.1	+3.5
117	Tanzania (United Republic of)	17.3	+2.6	+3.2
118	Tunisia	16.9	+0.8	+0.7
119	Philippines	16.4	+0.9	+1.5
119	Dominican Republic	16.4	+3.0	+2.2
120	Uganda	16.2	+2.0	+2.9
121	Zimbabwe	16.0	+2.3	+3.1
121	Bhutan	16.0	+3.5	+4.9
122	Indonesia	15.3	+1.4	+2.2
123	(Non-Citizen) Latvia	15.1	+3.9	+3.5
123	Mongolia	15.1	+3.1	+4.7
124	India	15.0	+2.0	+1.5
125	Morocco	14.8	+1.5	+2.4
126	Sao Tome and Principe	14.7	+3.0	+4.2
127	Mozambique	14.4	+3.1	+4.5
128	China	14.3	+4.1	+5.2
129	Turkmenistan	14.2	+3.0	+2.0
130	Mauritania	14.1	+1.8	+2.4
131	Algeria	13.7	+3.2	+3.1
132	Haiti	13.5	+1.7	+3.0
132	Gabon	13.5	+2.9	+3.8
133	Rwanda	13.4	+3.1	+4.5
134	Madagascar	13.3	+2.3	+3.2
135	Chad	13.2	+2.7	+3.9
136	Cambodia	12.9	+0.5	+2.6
137	Comoros	12.7	+2.9	+4.0
138	Egypt	12.6	+1.6	+2.9
139	Lao People's Democratic Republic	12.3	+0.4	+1.6
140	Vietnam	12.0	+0.4	+1.3
140	Central African Republic	12.0	+1.4	+1.8
141	Angola	11.9	+2.6	+4.3
142	Equatorial Guinea	11.8	+2.3	+3.4
143	Nepal	11.7	+1.0	+1.5
143	Cameroon	11.7	+1.6	+3.3
144	Burundi	11.5	+2.3	+3.6
145	Jordan	11.4	+1.1	+1.9
146	Republic of the Congo	11.1	+1.4	+2.3
147	Lebanon	11.0	+2.0	+1.9
148	Myanmar	10.6	+0.5	+2.3
148	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	10.6	+1.6	+2.1
148	Djibouti	10.6	+1.2	+2.6
149	Congo (Democratic Republic of the)	10.3	+1.6	+2.7
149	South Sudan	10.3	n/a	n/a
150	Kosovo	10.0	+1.0	+1.3
150	Sri Lanka	10.0	+1.5	+1.5
150	Bangladesh	10.0	+1.1	+1.5

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151	Ethiopia	9.8	+1.1	+2.1
152	Palestinian Territory	9.6	+1.7	+2.2
153	Sudan	9.4	+1.1	+2.3
154	Yemen	9.2	-0.7	0.0
154	Eritrea	9.2	+0.9	+2.1
154	Libya	9.2	+0.5	+0.2
155	Iraq	8.1	+1.2	+0.3
156	Syrian Arab Republic	7.6	-0.3	-0.9
157	Pakistan	7.2	+0.5	+0.5
158	Afghanistan	6.3	+0.3	+1.2

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