

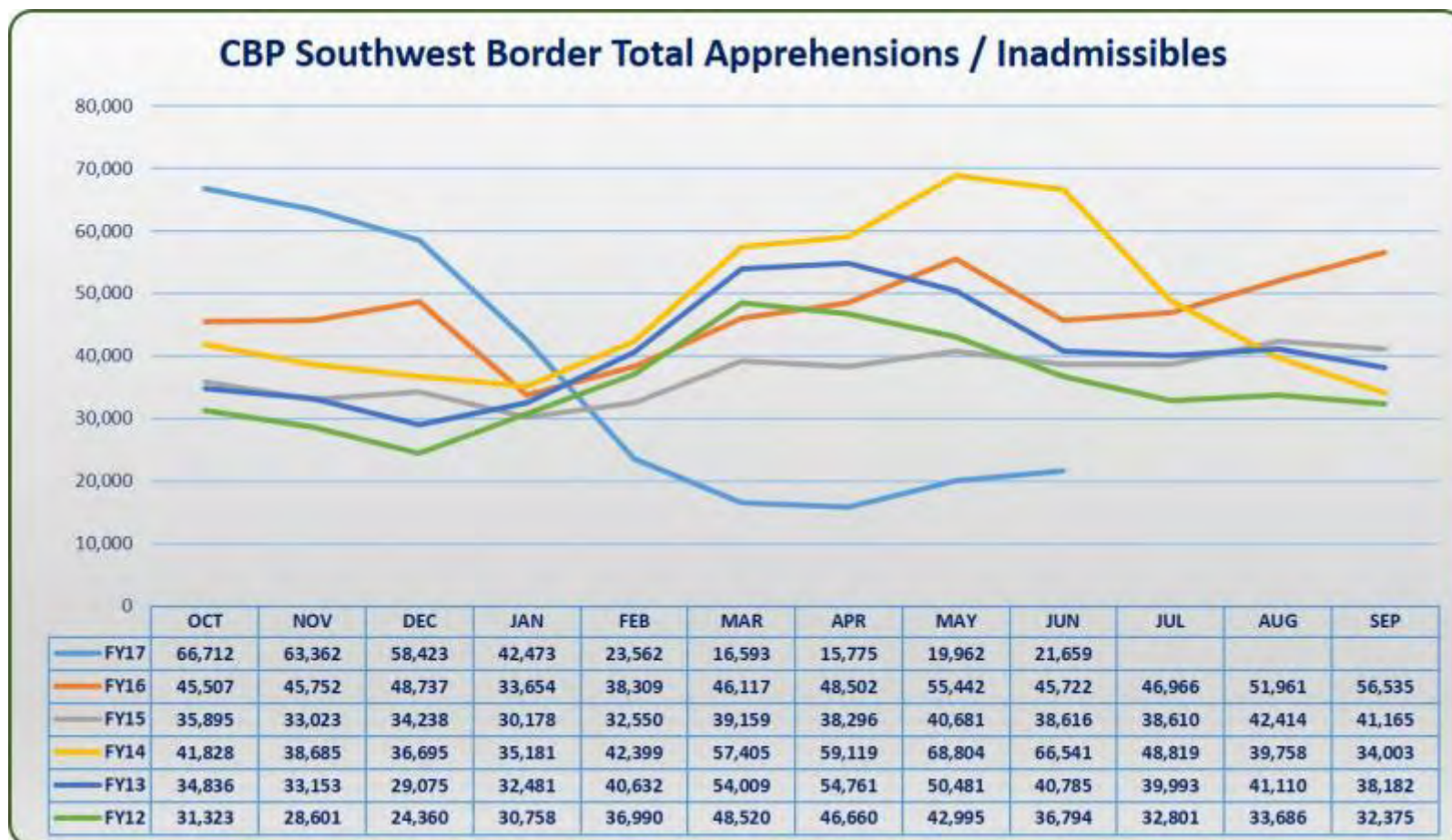


## U.S. Customs and Border Protection (/)

### Southwest Border Migration

U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) saw a nine percent increase in apprehensions and inadmissible persons at ports of entry along the Southwest Border in June.

However, these numbers represent a 53 percent decrease as compared to June of 2016, and year-to-date totals for FY 2017 are 19 percent lower than the same period in FY 2016.



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#### U.S. Border Patrol Apprehensions FY2017 YTD(October 1 - June 30)

| USBP                                 | Demographic  | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUNE   | Total   |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| Southwest Border                     | UAC          | 6,706  | 7,346  | 7,187  | 4,407  | 1,910  | 1,042  | 997    | 1,480  | 1,961  | 33,036  |
|                                      | Family Units | 13,115 | 15,588 | 16,139 | 9,300  | 3,123  | 1,126  | 1,118  | 1,580  | 2,322  | 63,411  |
| Southwest Border Total Apprehensions |              | 46,183 | 47,210 | 43,249 | 31,584 | 18,757 | 12,199 | 11,126 | 14,533 | 16,089 | 240,930 |

*\*Numbers are subject to change during agency reconciliation of individual records, these numbers reflect the current status and numbers as of 7/3/17.*

In June, a total of 16,089 individuals were apprehended between ports of entry on our Southwest Border, compared with 14,533 in May and 11,126 in April. In Fiscal Year (FY) 2016, USBP apprehended 408,870 individuals along our Southwest Border, compared to 331,333 in FY15, and 479,371 in FY14.

For breakdown by Sector, visit **USBP Southwest Border Apprehensions by Sector** (</newsroom/stats/usbp-sw-border-apprehensions>)

#### Office of Field Operations Inadmissibles FY2017 YTD(October 1 - June 30)

| Field Operations                                | Demographic  | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | JAN    | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUNE  | Total  |
|---|--------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| <b>Southwest<br/>Border</b>                     | UAC          | 1,831  | 1,438  | 963    | 591    | 264   | 121   | 139   | 212   | 250   | 5,809  |
|   | Family Units | 6,500  | 5,137  | 3,874  | 2,755  | 1,054 | 768   | 781   | 1,073 | 1,247 | 23,189 |
| <b>Southwest Border Total<br/>Inadmissibles</b> |              | 20,529 | 16,152 | 15,174 | 10,889 | 4,805 | 4,394 | 4,649 | 5,429 | 5,570 | 87,591 |

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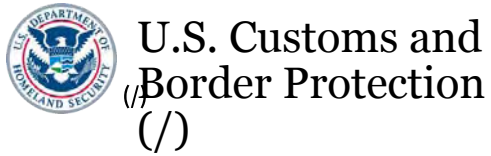
In June, a total of 5,570 people presenting themselves at ports of entry on the Southwest Border were deemed inadmissible compared to 5,429 in May and 4,649 in April. In Fiscal Year (FY) 2016, 150,825 were deemed inadmissible compared to 114,486 in FY15 and 90,601 in FY14.

OFO inadmissibility metrics include: individuals encountered at ports of entry who are seeking lawful admission into the United States but are determined to be inadmissible, individuals presenting themselves to seek humanitarian protection under our laws; and individuals who withdraw an application for admission and return to their countries of origin within a short timeframe.

For breakdown by Field Office, visit **Southwest Border Inadmissibles by Field Office** (</newsroom/stats/ofc-sw-border-inadmissibles>)

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## U.S. Border Patrol Southwest Border Apprehensions by Sector

### Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children (0-17 yr old) Apprehensions

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year 2017 YTD(October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017) compared to the same time period for Fiscal Year 2016.

| Unaccompanied Alien Children by Sector |               |               |                                |
|--|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Sector                                 | FY2016YTD     | FY2017YTD     | % Change<br>FY16YTD to FY17YTD |
| Big Bend                               | 827           | 543           | -34%                           |
| Del Rio                                | 2,030         | 1,149         | -43%                           |
| El Centro                              | 856           | 987           | 15%                            |
| El Paso                                | 2,581         | 3,029         | 17%                            |
| Laredo                                 | 2,228         | 1,480         | -34%                           |
| Rio Grande                             | 26,184        | 19,940        | -24%                           |
| San Diego                              | 1,148         | 1,124         | -2%                            |
| Tucson                                 | 5,052         | 2,766         | -45%                           |
| Yuma                                   | 2,294         | 2,018         | -12%                           |
| <b>USBP Southwest Border<br/>Total</b> | <b>43,200</b> | <b>33,036</b> | <b>-24%</b>                    |

### Southwest Border Family Unit\* Apprehensions

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year 2017 YTD(October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017) compared to the same time period for Fiscal Year 2016.

| Family Unit* Apprehensions by Sector   |               |               |                                |
|--|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Sector                                 | FY2016YTD     | FY2017YTD     | % Change<br>FY16YTD to FY17YTD |
| Big Bend                               | 815           | 712           | -13%                           |
| Del Rio                                | 2,554         | 2,077         | -19%                           |
| El Centro                              | 907           | 1,449         | 60%                            |
| El Paso                                | 3,178         | 7,690         | 142%                           |
| Laredo                                 | 1,261         | 722           | -43%                           |
| Rio Grande                             | 34,285        | 42,347        | 24%                            |
| San Diego                              | 1,747         | 2,546         | 46%                            |
| Tucson                                 | 2,283         | 1,600         | -30%                           |
| Yuma                                   | 4,113         | 4,268         | 4%                             |
| <b>USBP Southwest Border<br/>Total</b> | <b>51,143</b> | <b>63,411</b> | <b>24%</b>                     |

### Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions by Country

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Years 2010-2016, FY 2017 YTD(October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

#### Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions by Country

| Country     | FY 2016 | FY 2017 | FY 2018 | FY 2019 | FY 2020 |
|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| El Salvador | 5,990   | 16,404  | 9,389   | 17,512  | 8,228   |
| Guatemala   | 8,268   | 17,057  | 13,569  | 18,216  | 10,176  |
| Honduras    | 6,747   | 18,244  | 5,409   | 10,468  | 6,523   |
| Mexico      | 17,240  | 15,634  | 11,012  | 11,926  | 6,576   |

### Family Unit\* Apprehensions by Country

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Year 2016, FY 2017 YTD(October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Family Units* Apprehensions by Country |         |             |
|--|---------|-------------|
| Country                                | FY 2016 | FY 2017 YTD |
| El Salvador                            | 27,114  | 21,950      |
| Guatemala                              | 23,067  | 18,957      |
| Honduras                               | 20,226  | 18,677      |
| Mexico                                 | 3,481   | 1,846       |

**\*Note:** (Family Unit represents the number of individuals (either a child under 18 years old, parent or legal guardian) apprehended with a family member by the U.S. Border Patrol.)

### Southwest Family Unit Subject and Unaccompanied Alien Children Apprehensions Fiscal Year 2017 - By Month

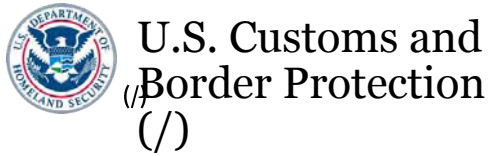
| <div> October November December January February March April May June </div> |             |             |                     |
|--|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
|  | FMUA        | UAC         | Total Apprehensions |
| Sector   | FY 2017 OCT | FY 2017 OCT | FY 2017 OCT         |
| Big Bend   | 138         | 86          | 697                 |

|                              | FMUA          | UAC          | Total Apprehensions |
|------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Sector                       | FY 2017 OCT   | FY 2017 OCT  | FY 2017 OCT         |
| Del Rio                      | 427           | 222          | 2,105               |
| El Centro                    | 278           | 197          | 2,439               |
| El Paso                      | 1,482         | 621          | 3,973               |
| Laredo                       | 133           | 282          | 3,350               |
| Rio Grande                   | 8,718         | 4,082        | 22,642              |
| San Diego                    | 435           | 179          | 2,935               |
| Tucson                       | 356           | 581          | 5,925               |
| Yuma                         | 1,148         | 456          | 2,117               |
| <b>USBP Southwest Border</b> |               |              |                     |
| <b>Total</b>                 | <b>13,115</b> | <b>6,706</b> | <b>46,183</b>       |

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## Southwest Border Inadmissibles by Field Office

### Southwest Border Unaccompanied Alien Children (0-17 yr old) Inadmissibles

Comparisons below reflect Fiscal Year 2017 YTD(October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017) compared to the same time period for Fiscal Year 2016.

| Unaccompanied Alien Children                |              |              |                                |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Field Offices                               | FY2016YTD    | FY2017YTD    | % Change<br>FY16YTD to FY17YTD |
| El Paso                                     | 1,741        | 2,058        | 18%                            |
| Laredo                                      | 1,690        | 1,928        | 18%                            |
| San Diego                                   | 2,081        | 848          | -59%                           |
| Tucson                                      | 1,178        | 975          | -17%                           |
| <b>Field Ops Southwest Border<br/>Total</b> | <b>6,690</b> | <b>5,809</b> | <b>-13%</b>                    |

### Southwest Border Family Unit Inadmissibles\*<sup>1</sup>

Numbers below reflect Fiscal Year 2017 YTD (October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Family Units  |            |            |                                |
|---------------|------------|------------|--------------------------------|
| Field Offices | FY2016 YTD | FY2017 YTD | % Change<br>FY16YTD to FY17YTD |



|  |               |               |                         |
|--|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| El Paso  | 2,351         | 5,265         | -58% <sup>1</sup>       |
| Laredo   | 3,288         | 8,902         | -54% <sup>1</sup>       |
| San Diego  | 5,190         | 4,407         | -75% <sup>1</sup>       |
| Tucson   | 1,017         | 4,615         | 12% <sup>1</sup>        |
| <b>Field Operations Southwest<br/>Border Total</b> | <b>11,846</b> | <b>23,189</b> | <b>-58%<sup>1</sup></b> |

<sup>1</sup> **Note:**Field Operations only started collecting Family Unit numbers as of March 2016. Percentage change totals reflect a comparison of February through May, 2016 to February through May of 2017.

#### Unaccompanied Alien Children Inadmissibles by Fiscal Year

Numbers below reflect totals for Fiscal Years 2015 and 2016, FY 2017 YTD (October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Unaccompanied Alien Children by Country |         |         |             |
|---|---------|---------|-------------|
| Country                                 | FY 2015 | FY 2016 | FY 2017 YTD |
| El Salvador                             | 454     | 2,553   | 1,550       |
| Guatemala                               | 1,378   | 3,961   | 2,184       |
| Honduras                                | 335     | 1591    | 958         |
| Mexico                                  | 1,713   | 2,169   | 916         |

#### Family Unit Inadmissibles by Fiscal Year\*<sup>1</sup>

Numbers below reflect the total for FY 2017 YTD (October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Family Unit by Country |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Country                | FY 2017 YTD |
| El Salvador            | 3,680       |
| Guatemala              | 4,335       |

| Family Unit by Country |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Country                | FY 2017 YTD |
| Honduras               | 3,033       |
| Mexico                 | 6,096       |

**\*Note:** (Family Unit represents the number of individuals (either a child under 18 years old, parent or legal guardian) deemed inadmissible with a family member by the Office of Field Operations.)

<sup>1</sup> **Note:**Field Operations only started collecting Family Unit numbers as of March 2016

### Cuban Inadmissibles

U.S. Customs and Border Protection maintains a robust posture regarding the enforcement of our immigration laws along the nation's borders and coastal areas. We continue to promote safe, legal and orderly migration from Cuba under our Migration Accords and deter dangerous and unlawful migration from Cuba.

\*Effective January 12, 2017, the United States ended the special parole policy, also known as the "wet-foot/dry-foot" policy, for Cuban migrants that has been in place since the mid-1990s. Since then, Cuban nationals who attempt to illegally enter the United States are subject to removal, consistent with our enforcement priorities. These actions are part of the ongoing normalization of relations between the governments of the United States and Cuba, and reflect a commitment to have a broader immigration policy in which we treat people from different countries consistently.

Numbers below reflect totals for Fiscal Years 2012-2016, FY 2017 YTD (October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Cuban Inadmissibles |        |        |        |        |        |            |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------|
| Field Office        | FY2012 | FY2013 | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY2016 | FY2017 YTD |
| El Paso             | 154    | 219    | 415    | 685    | 5,018  | 338        |
| Laredo              | 9,429  | 12,384 | 15,333 | 26,181 | 34,658 | 13,520     |
| San Diego           | 727    | 959    | 1,229  | 1,555  | 1,589  | 570        |
| Tucson              | 86     | 142    | 132    | 221    | 258    | 164        |

| Cuban Inadmissibles     |        |        |        |        |        |            |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------|
| Field Office            | FY2012 | FY2013 | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY2016 | FY2017 YTD |
| Southwest Border Totals | 10,396 | 13,704 | 17,109 | 28,642 | 41,523 | 14,592     |

### Haitian Inadmissibles

Recently, CBP has seen an increase in the number of Haitians arriving at border crossings with no status in the United States. In FY16, CBP officers at Ports of Entry at the Southwest Border saw 6,424 Haitian inadmissibles, which represented a significant increase as compared to FY15. The majority of Haitian inadmissibles are presenting themselves at the San Ysidro Port of Entry, which falls under the San Diego Field Office. In response to the influx, the Office of Field Operations deployed 100 additional officers to support ports of entry within the San Diego Field Office. OFO has also deployed 16 special personnel with Creole fluency to support the processing of Haitian nationals at the ports, has leveraged remote processing capabilities, streamlined administrative case processes with the collaboration of the Office of Chief Counsel, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement and U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, and continues to coordinate with the U.S. Border Patrol to support the overflow of Haitian inadmissibles in custody. After officers have processed individuals with no status to legally enter the U.S., Haitians are placed into the custody of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement for further disposition. Some, but not all Haitians arriving at ports of entry without legal status, are expressing credible fear of their return to Haiti.

Numbers below reflect totals for Fiscal Years 2012-2016, FY 2017 YTD (October 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017)

| Haitian Inadmissibles   |        |        |        |        |        |            |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------|
| Field Office            | FY2012 | FY2013 | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY2016 | FY2017 YTD |
| El Paso                 | 0      | 0      | 1      | 0      | 2      | 17         |
| Laredo                  | 1      | 1      | 6      | 1      | 6      | 160        |
| San Diego               | 821    | 921    | 477    | 333    | 6,377  | 8,021      |
| Tucson                  | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0      | 39     | 965        |
| Southwest Border Totals | 822    | 922    | 484    | 334    | 6,424  | 9,163      |

## Southwest Border Inadmissibles Fiscal Year 2017 - By Month

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|               | FMUA         | UAC          | Total Inadmissibles |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Field Offices | FY 2017 OCT  | FY 2017 OCT  | FY 2017 OCT         |
| El Paso       | 1,543        | 632          | 3,273               |
| Laredo        | 2,762        | 760          | 8,727               |
| San Diego     | 1,029        | 177          | 6,238               |
| Tucson        | 1,166        | 262          | 2,291               |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>6,500</b> | <b>1,831</b> | <b>20,529</b>       |

Cuban and Haitian inadmissibles\*

|               | Cubans       | Haitians     |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| Field Offices | FY 2017 OCT  | FY 2017 OCT  |
| El Paso       | 90           | 0            |
| Laredo        | 3,716        | 57           |
| San Diego     | 172          | 2,918        |
| Tucson        | 44           | 495          |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>4,022</b> | <b>3,470</b> |

\*Note: Cuban and Haitian inadmissibles are a subset of the Total Southwest Border Inadmissibles data above

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