

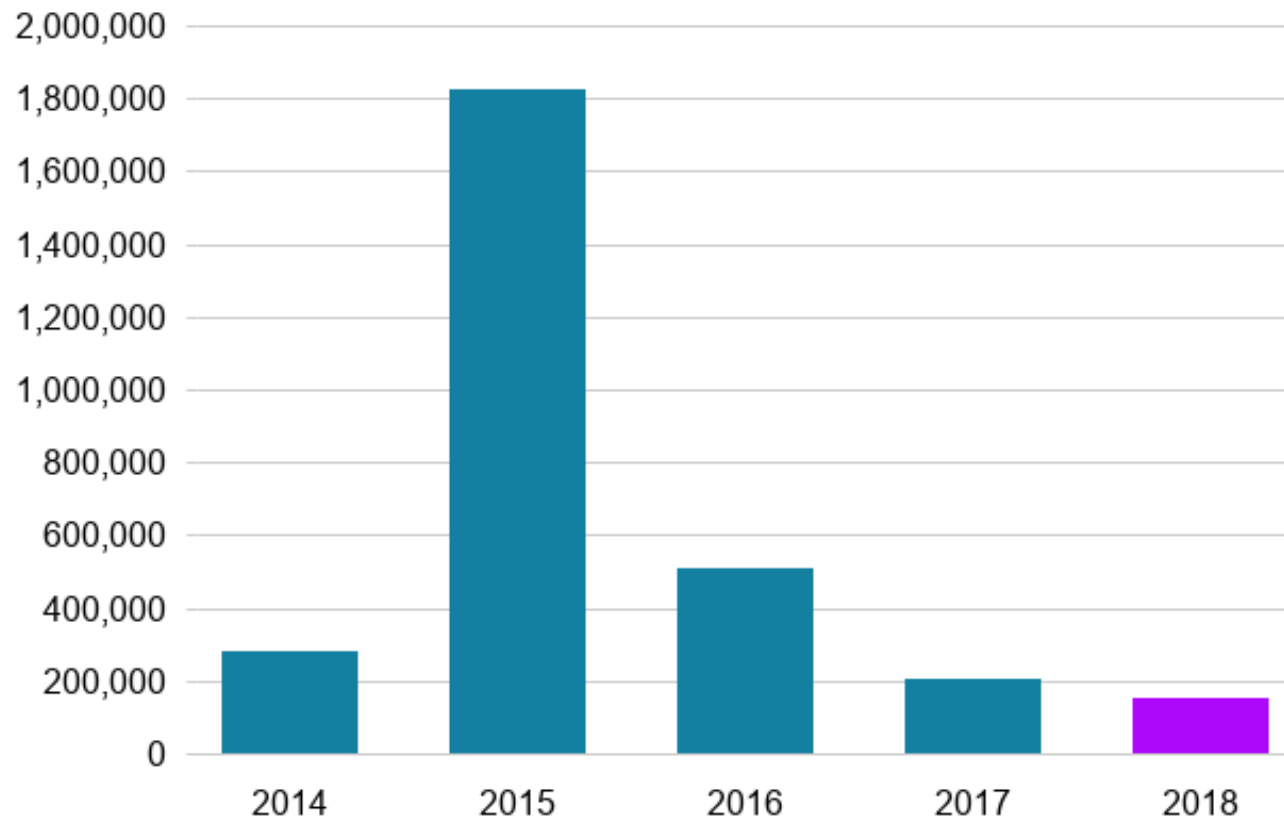
PROTECTING REFUGEE RIGHTS IN THE EUROPEAN UNION: DEVELOPMENT AND CHALLENGES



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European migrant crisis 2015

Illegal border crossings into the EU



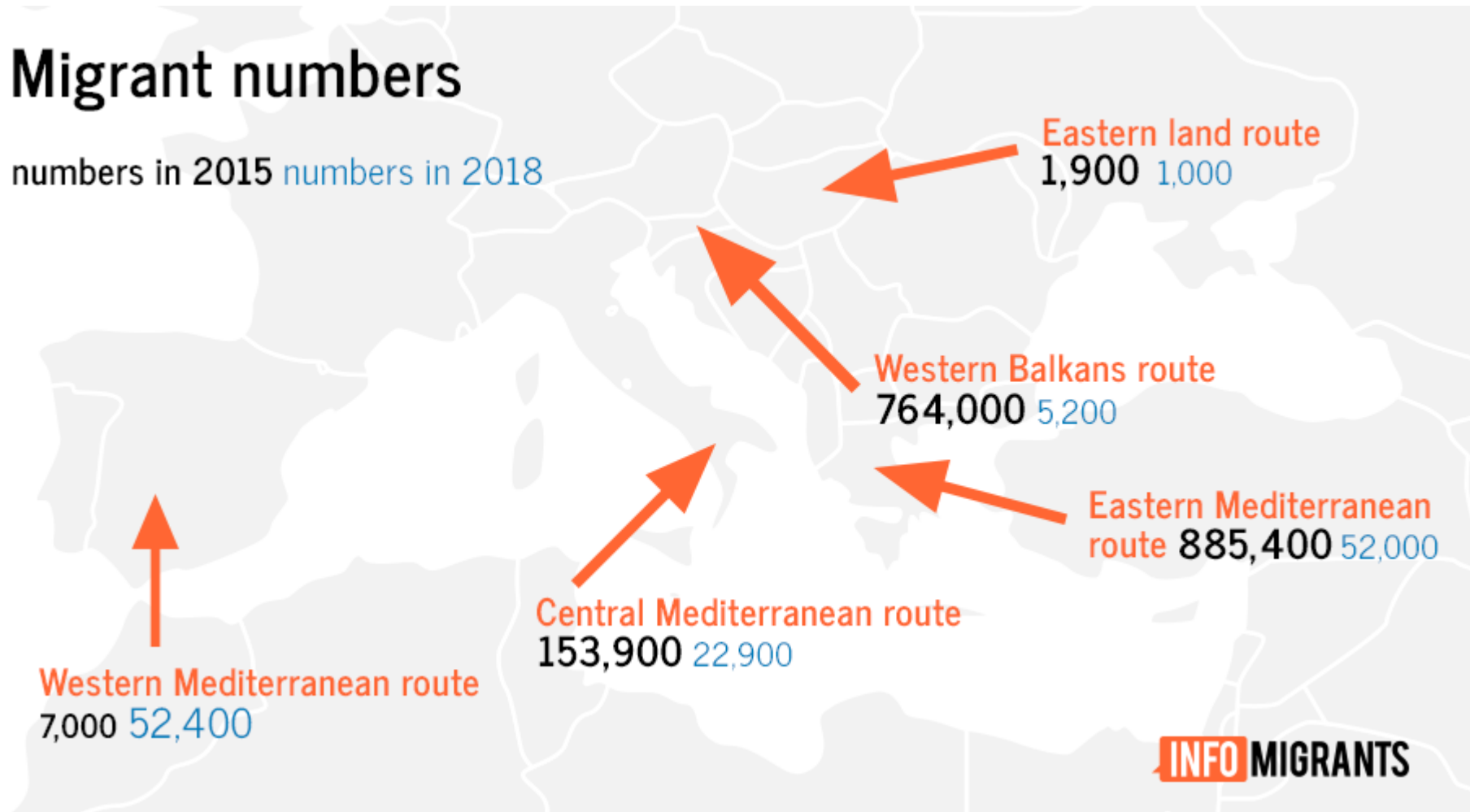
Note: 2018 figures are a preliminary estimate

Source: Frontex

Refugee routes to Europe

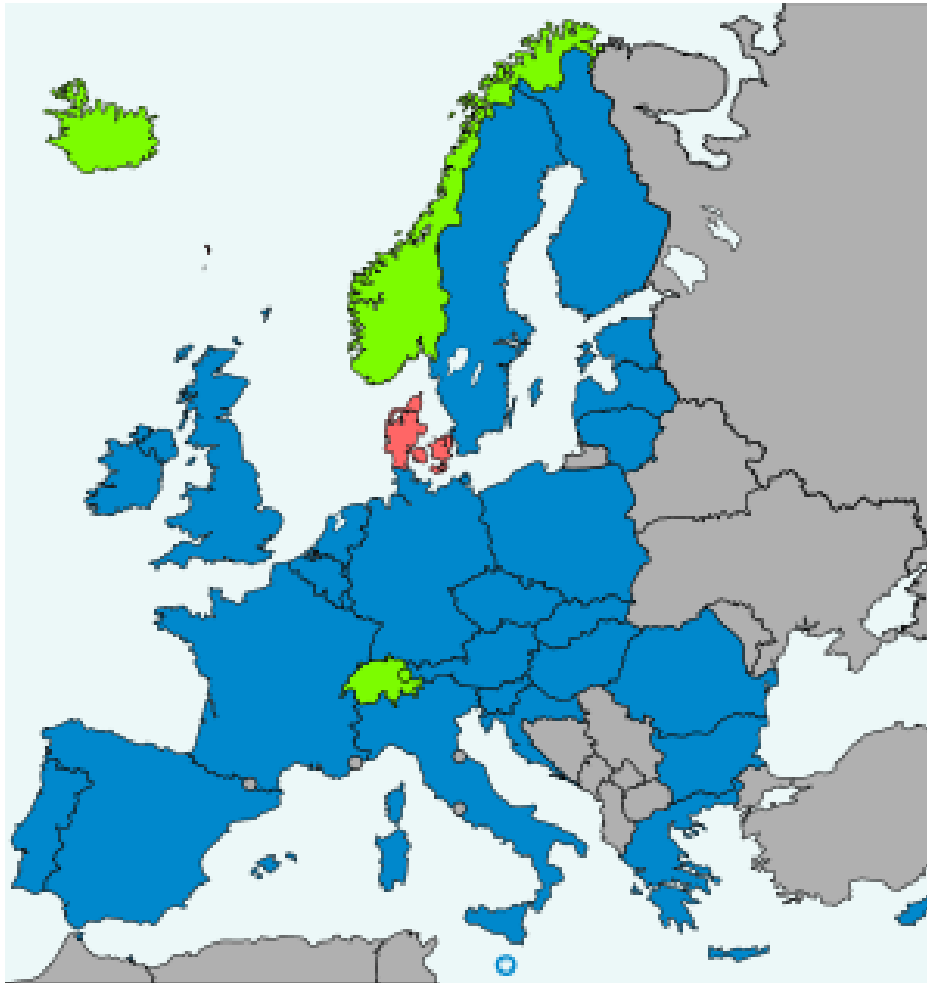
Migrant numbers

numbers in 2015 numbers in 2018






The need for reform

Dublin Regulation 1990



States applying Dublin instruments:

-  Dublin regulation
-  EU-Denmark agreement
-  non-EU member states with an agreement to apply the provisions

European Council (summer 2018)

- countries expand powers of EU border service Frontex
- countries strengthen Frontex personnel
- set up refugee camps in North African countries with UN assistance
- agreed on the possibility of creating closed camps for migrants in the EU where they would wait to consider their asylum applications



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Integration of migrants and refugees

- Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund and Europe for Citizens
- The Justice Programme and the Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme
- Creative Europe and Erasmus+ target activities
- The European Social Fund, the Regional Development Fund and the Employment and Social Innovation Programme

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