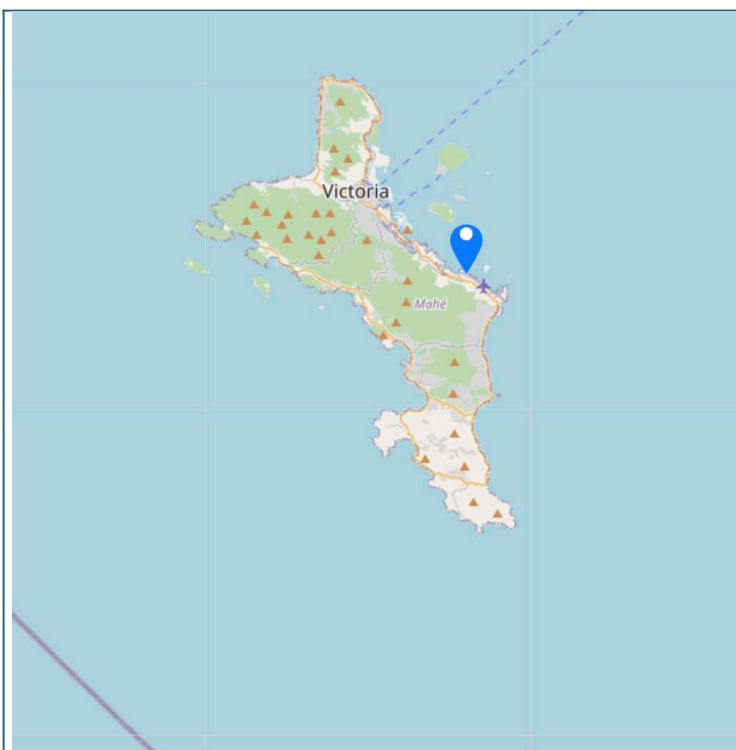


# Seychelles Immigration Detention Data Profile



Quick Facts	
<b>Detained minors (2017)</b>	Not Available
<b>International migrants (2019)</b>	12,926

## NOTES ON USING THIS PROFILE

- Sources for the data provided in this report are available online at: <https://www.globaldetentionproject.org/countries/africa/seychelles>
- "Observation Dates" indicate the timeframe statistical data correspond to or other data were last validated. More than one statistical entry for a year indicates contrasting reports.

## STATISTICS

### Detention, expulsion, and incarceration statistics

		Observation Date			Observation Date
Total number of detained minors	Not Available	2017	Criminal prison population	735	2014
Percentage of foreign prisoners	7.5	2014	Prison population rate (per 100,000 of national population)	799	2014

### Demographics and immigration-related statistics

		Observation Date			Observation Date
Population	100,000	2020	International migrants	12,926	2019
	96,000	2015			12,800
International migrants as a percentage of the population	13.3	2015			

## DOMESTIC LAW

### LEGAL TRADITION

	Name	Observation Date
Legal tradition	Civil law	2017
	Common law	2017

## INTERNATIONAL LAW

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification		
International treaties	Name	Ratification Year
	VCCR, Vienna Convention on Consular Relations	1979
	ICERD, International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	1978
	ICESCR, International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	1992
	ICCPR, International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	1992
	CEDAW, Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	1992
	CAT, Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment	1992
	CRC, Convention on the Rights of the Child	1990
	ICRMW, International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families	1994
	CRPD, Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	2009
	ICPED, International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance	2017
	CRSR, Geneva Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees	1980
	CTOCTP, Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children	2004
	CTOCSP, Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime	2004
Ratio of relevant international treaties ratified	13/19	
Relevant international treaties and date of ratification		
Individual complaints procedure	Name	Acceptance Year
	ICCPR, First Optional Protocol to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, 1966	1992
	CEDAW, Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, 1999	2011
	CAT, declaration under article 22 of the Convention	2001
Relevant international treaties and date of ratification		
Ratio of complaints procedures accepted	Number	Observation Date
	3/9	2017
Regional treaties, regulations, and directives		
Regional legal instruments	Name	Year of Ratification (Treaty) / Transposed (Directive) / Adoption (Regulation)
	ACHPR, African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights	1992
	ACRWC, African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child	1992
	APRW, Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa (Maputo Protocol)	2006

**Non treaty-based international human rights mechanisms**

Relevant recommendations of the UN Universal Periodic Review	Recomendation Issued	Year Issued	Observation Date
	No	2011	2017
	No	2016	2017

**INSTITUTIONAL INDICATORS**

More information about immigration detention in Seychelles is available at the website of the Global Detention Project ([www.globaldetentionproject.org](http://www.globaldetentionproject.org))

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