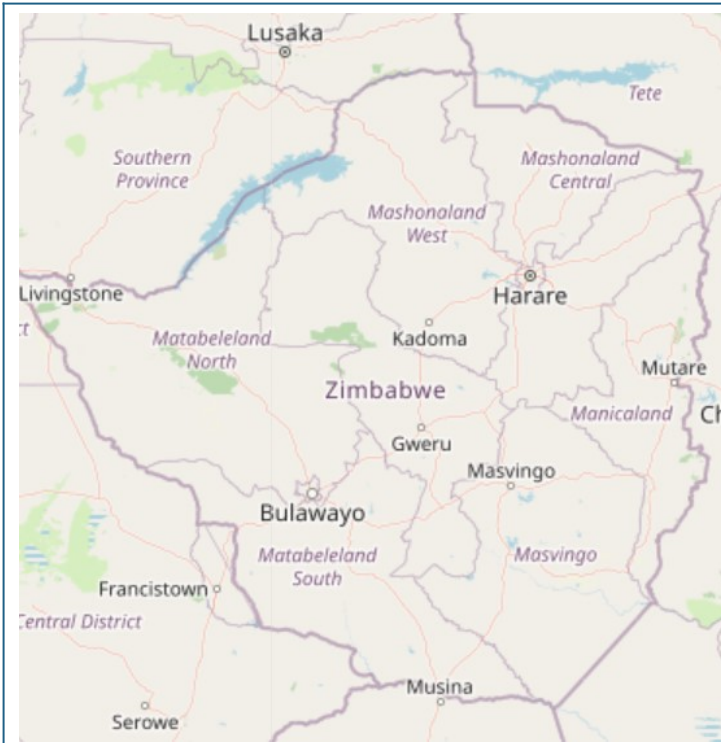


Zimbabwe Immigration Detention Data Profile



Quick Facts	
Immigration detainees (2019)	Not Available
Detained minors (2017)	Not Available
International migrants (2019)	411,257
New asylum applications (2019)	1,841

NOTES ON USING THIS PROFILE

- Sources for the data provided in this report are available online at: <https://www.globaldetentionproject.org/countries/africa/zimbabwe>
- "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 immigration detainees by year	Not Available	2019	Total number of detained minors	Not Available	2017
Criminal prison population	19,521	2017	Percentage of foreign prisoners	1.9	2017
	18,980	2014		0.7	2008
	13,361	2010			
	16,429	2007			
	19,608	2004			
	19,376	2001			
	18,977	1998			
	21,212	1995			
	21,212	1992			
Prison population rate (per 100,000 of national population)	120	2017			
	147	2014			
	107	2010			
	132	2007			
	156	2004			
	154	2001			
	154	1998			
	180	1995			
	191	1992			

Demographics and immigration-related statistics

		Observation Date			Observation Date
Population	14,900,000	2020	International migrants	411,257	2019
	15,603,000	2015		398,900	2015
International migrants as a percentage of the population	2.6	2015	Refugees	8,956	2019
				7,797	2018
				7,572	2017
				7,418	2016
				6,085	2015
				6,079	2014
Ratio of refugees per 1000 inhabitants	0.47	2016	Total number of new asylum applications	1,841	2019
	0.4	2014		1,501	2016
				480	2014
Refugee recognition rate	75.3	2014			

DOMESTIC LAW

LEGAL TRADITION

	Name	Observation Date
Legal tradition	Civil law	2017
	Common law	2017
	Customary law	2017

INTERNATIONAL LAW

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification

	Name	Ratification Year
International treaties	CRSR, Geneva Convention Relating to the Status of Refugees	1981
	CRSSP, Convention Relating to the Status of Stateless Persons	1998
	CTOCTP, Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children	2013
	VCCR, Vienna Convention on Consular Relations	1991
	ICERD, International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	1991
	ICESCR, International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights	1991
	ICCPR, International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights	1991
	CEDAW, Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	1991
	CRC, Convention on the Rights of the Child	1990
	CRPD, Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	2013
Ratio of relevant international treaties ratified	10/19	

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification

	Name	Reservation Year	Observation Date
International treaty reservations	CRSR Article 22	1981	2017

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification

	Name	Acceptance Year
Individual complaints procedure	CRPD, Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	2013

Relevant international treaties and date of ratification

	Number	Observation Date
Ratio of complaints procedures accepted	1/6	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	1986
	ACRWC, African Charter on the Rights and Welfare of the Child	1995
	APRW, Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa (Maputo Protocol)	2008

Non treaty-based international human rights mechanisms

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

INSTITUTIONAL INDICATORS

More information about immigration detention in Zimbabwe is available at the website of the Global Detention Project (www.globaldetentionproject.org)