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**UNSAFE PRACTICES ASSOCIATED WITH THE
TRAFFICKING OR TRANSPORT OF MIGRANTS BY SEA**

First biannual report

- 1 Attached is the statistical information on "Unsafe practices associated with the trafficking or transport of migrants by sea" prepared on the basis of 86 incidents reported to the Organization in the calendar year 2010, involving 2,376 migrants.
- 2 Member States are invited to promptly provide to the Organization information on "Unsafe practices associated with the trafficking or transport of migrants by sea".
- 3 The statistics indicate that in 2010, 1,233 migrants were from the Middle East, 586 from Asia and 414 from Africa.
- 4 Taking into account the limited number of reports received by the Organization and the limited number of Member States that have submitted information on incidents related to these unsafe practices during the last four years, Member States may wish to recall that MSC 73 urged Governments and international organizations to report promptly all unsafe practices associated with the trafficking or transport of illegal migrants by sea in accordance with and in the format set out in, MSC/Circ.836/Rev.1.

ANNEX

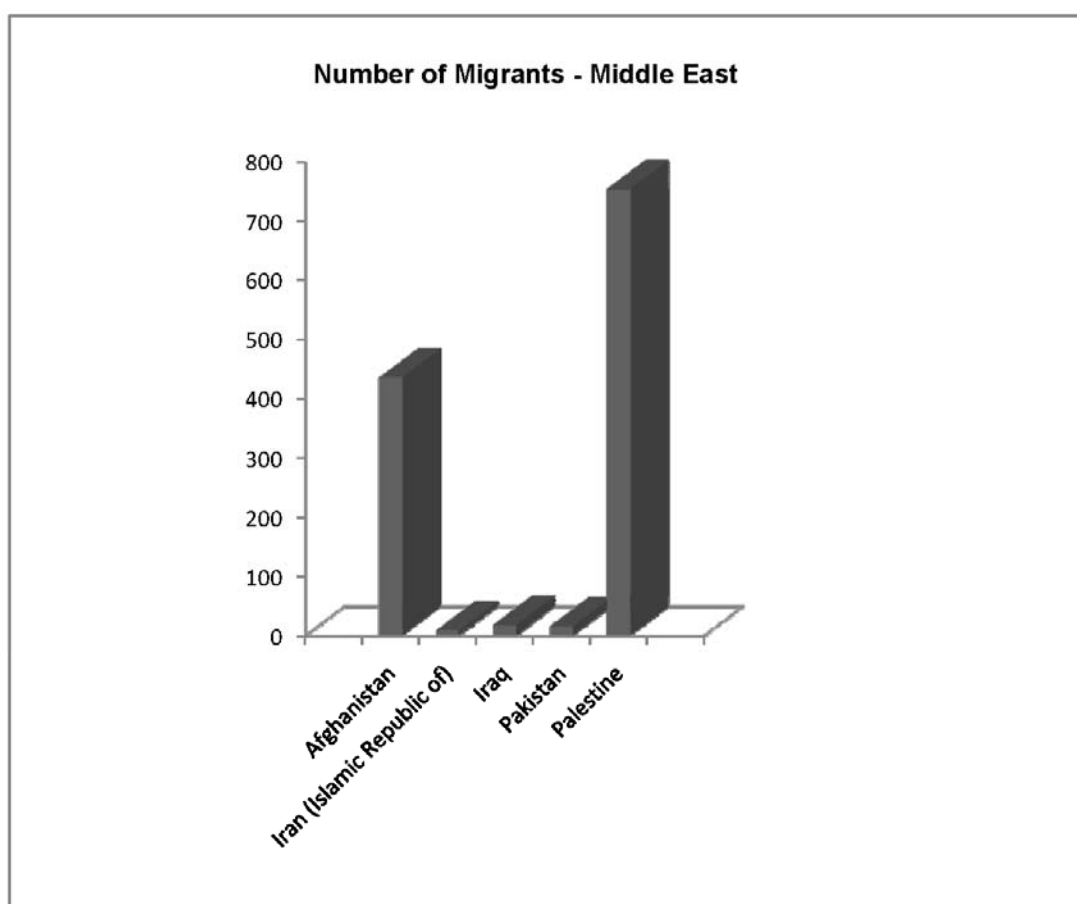
**NUMBER OF MIGRANTS
REPORTED TO THE ORGANIZATION IN 2010**

Country	Nationality	Number of Migrants	%
Afghanistan	Afghan	435	18.31
Algeria	Algerian	9	0.38
Bangladesh	(of) Bangladesh	11	0.46
Dominican Republic	Dominican	1	0.04
Eritrea	Eritrean	91	3.83
Ethiopia	Ethiopian	2	0.08
Guinea	Guinean	1	0.04
India	Indian	1	0.04
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Iranian	9	0.38
Iraq	Iraqi	18	0.76
Morocco	Moroccan	3	0.13
Myanmar	(of) Myanmar	5	0.21
Pakistan	Pakistani	16	0.67
Somalia	Somali	305	12.84
Sri Lanka	Sri Lankan	569	23.95
Sudan	Sudanese	2	0.08
Tunisia	Tunisian	1	0.04
Turkey	Turkish	18	0.76
Palestine	Palestinian	755	31.78
<i>Unknown</i>		<i>124</i>	<i>5.22</i>
Total		2,376	100.00

MIDDLE EAST

Migrants reported to the Organization in 2010

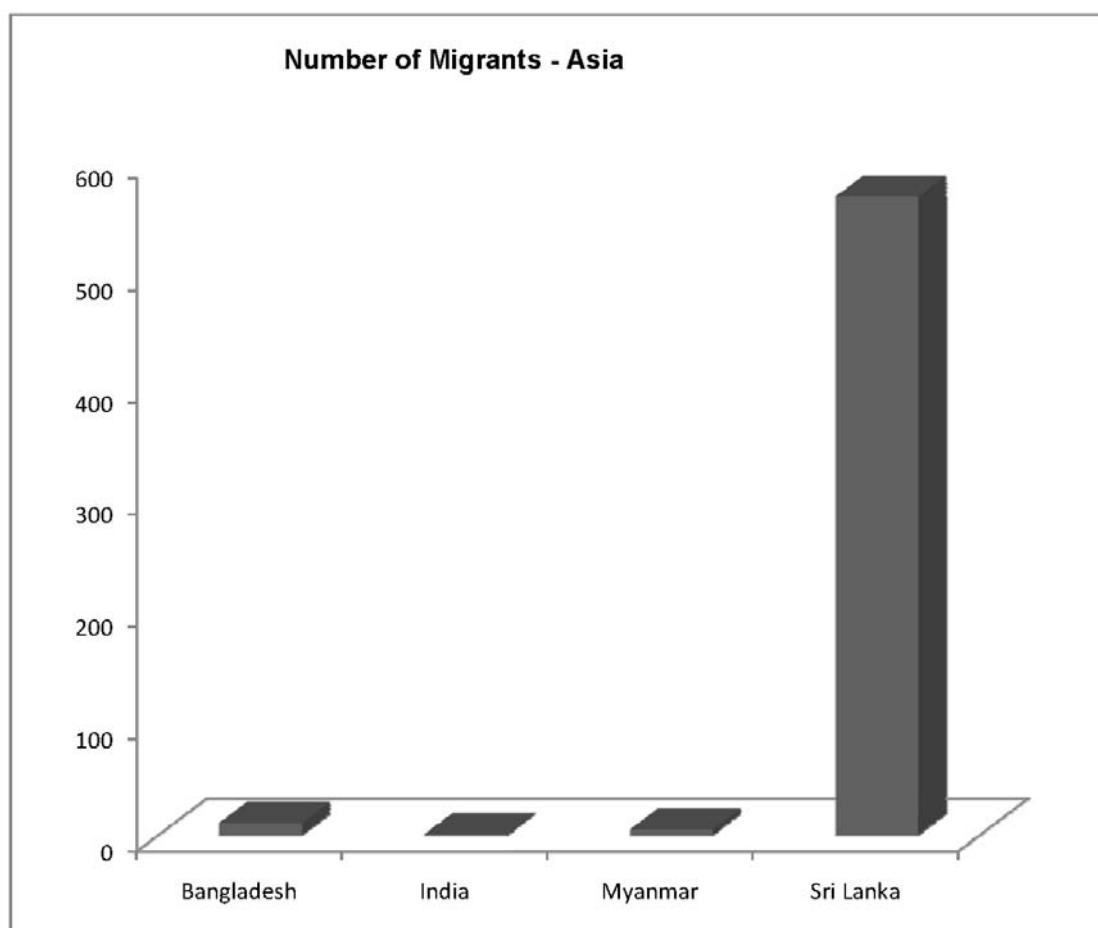
Country	Number of Migrants	%
Afghanistan	435	35.3
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	9	0.7
Iraq	18	1.5
Pakistan	16	1.3
Palestine	755	61.2
Total	1,233	100.0



ASIA

Migrants reported in 2010

Country	Number of Migrants	%
Bangladesh	11	1.877
India	1	0.171
Myanmar	5	0.853
Sri Lanka	569	97.1
Total	586	100



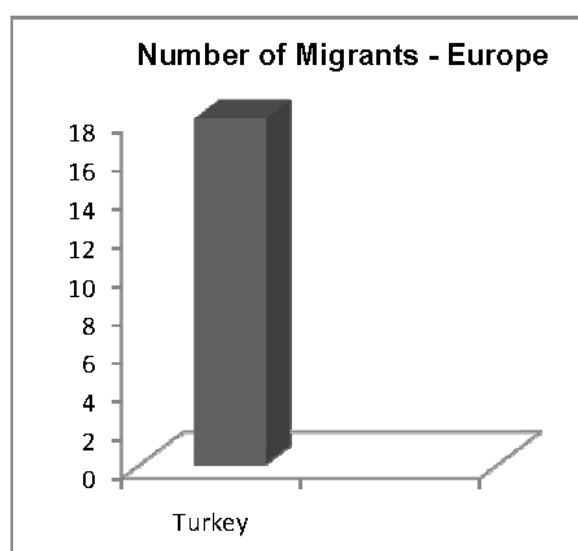
EUROPE

Migrants reported in 2010

Country	Number of Migrants
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Turkey	18
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Total	18
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NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Migrants reported in 2010

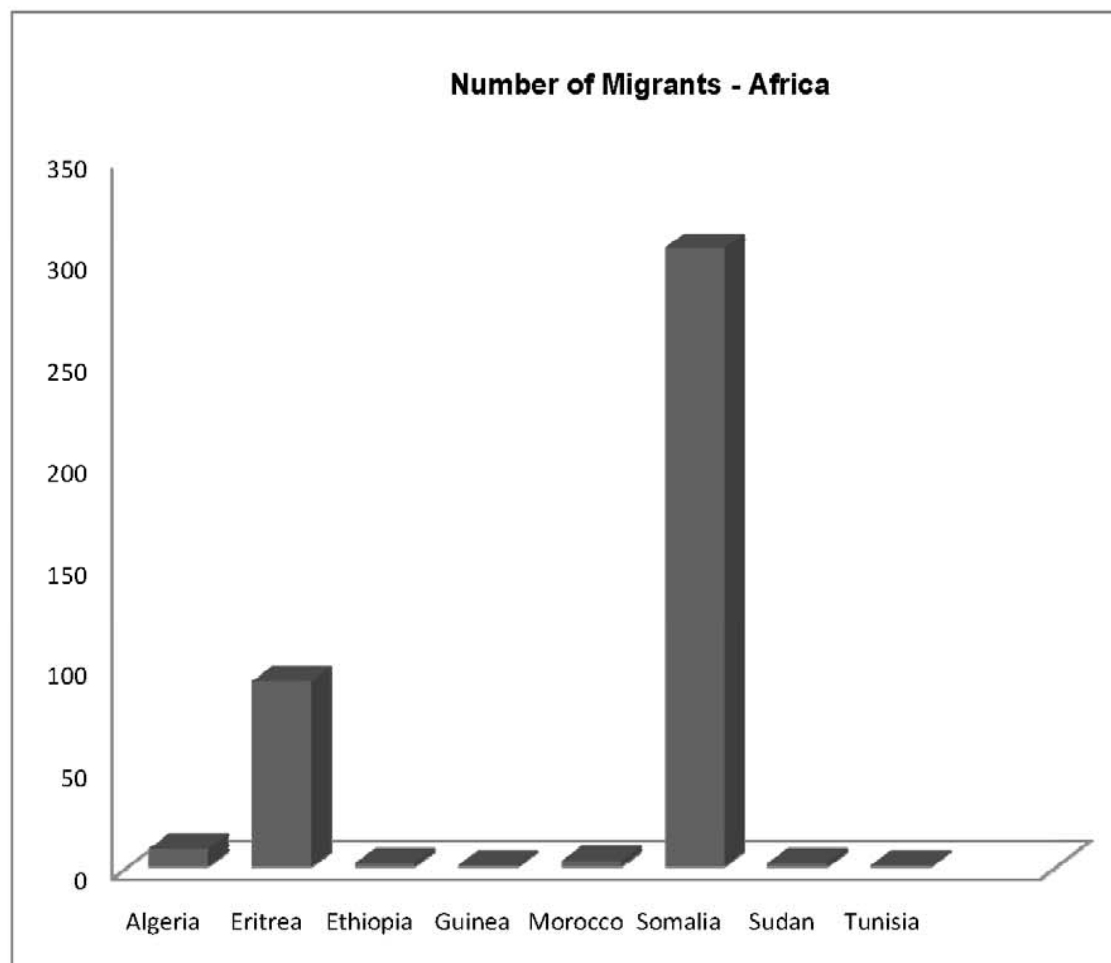
Country	Number of Migrants
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Dominican Republic	1
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Total	1
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AFRICA

Country	Migrants
Algeria	9
Eritrea	91
Ethiopia	2
Guinea	1
Morocco	3
Somalia	305
Sudan	2
Tunisia	1
Total	414



MEMBER STATES THAT REPORTED INCIDENTS DURING 2010

Country	Reports
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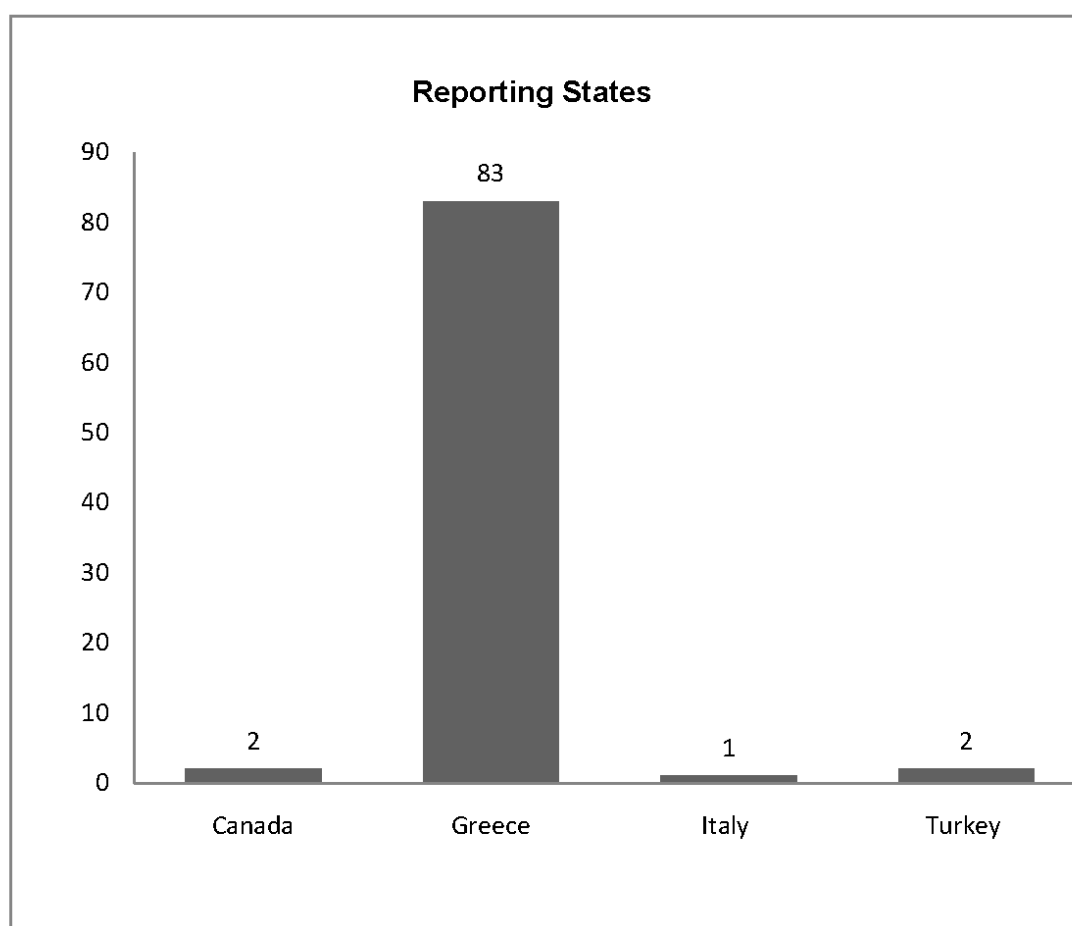
Canada	2
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Greece	83
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Italy	1
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Turkey	2
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Total	86
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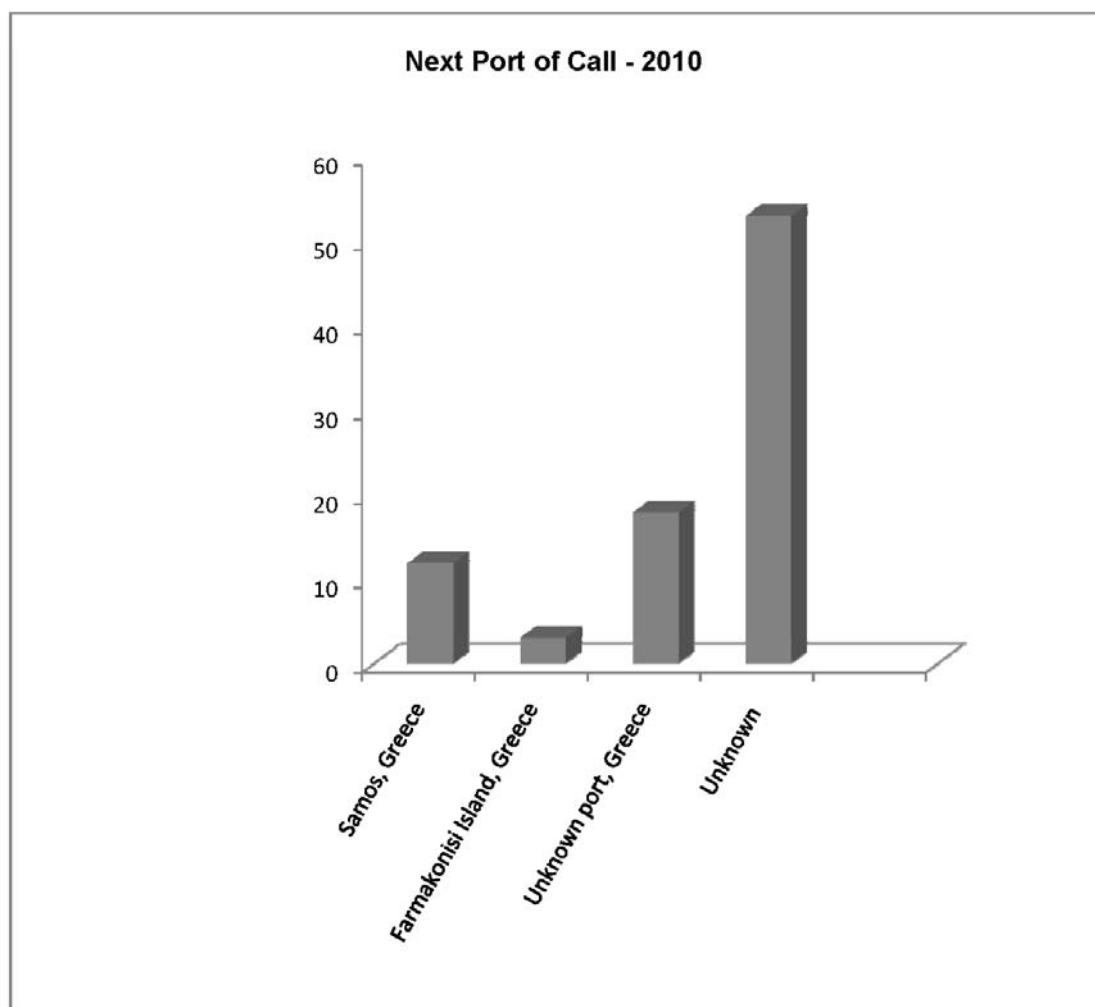


NEXT PORT OF CALL

According to reports Submitted in 2010

Samos, Greece	12
Farmakonisi Island, Greece	3
Unknown port, Greece	18
Unknown	53

Total **86**



LAST PORT OF CALL

According to reports
Submitted in 2010

Turkey	41
Unknown	45
Total	86

