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## SCHENGEN VISA REJECTIONS COST TURKISH CITIZENS MILLIONS OF EUROS

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*Applications by Turkish nationals to obtain a Schengen visa exceeded 1 million, with the rejection rate standing at 16.1 percent, costing travelers millions of euros last year.*

Only 867,545 applications by Turkish citizens were accepted in 2023.

Last year, around 68 million euros was spent on approved visas, while 13 million euros went up "in smoke" as nearly 170,000 visas were denied, according to [Schengen.News](#).

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