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Instructions on Using the Table

Below is a chart that shows the Form Number, Form Name and Processing Times for all of the forms that are processed at that office. (Note that not all offices process all types of applications and petitions.)

Find the particular form number (in the left column) or form name (in the center column) in which you are interested. In the right column you will find either a timeframe in months or an exact date.

If the office is processing a particular type of application in less time than our processing goal, you will see the processing times expressed in months (for example, if the office is processing naturalization applications in less than our 5 month goal, the processing time will state "Five Months"). However, if that office is taking longer than our processing goal to handle the form type in question, you will see the filing date (e.g., "April 10, 2003") of the last case we processed on the date the website chart was last updated. The charts are updated on or about the 15th day of each month.

IMPORTANT: If your receipt notice date is earlier then the processing date shown, we suggest you call our USCIS Customer Service Office at 1-800-375-5283 for assistance.

Please note that the processing times listed below for Form Number I-765 category (c)(8), based on a pending asylum application, only applies to an initial filing. The processing time for a renewal I-765 category (c)(8) is 3 Months.

The 90-day period for reviewing Form I-765 filed together with Form I-821D begins if and when USCIS decides whether to defer action in your case.

We offer a variety of services after you file. For example, for most kinds of cases you can [check the status of your case online](#).

Field Office Processing Dates for Texas Service Center as of: January 31, 2013

Form	Title	Classification or Basis for Filing:	Processing Timeframe:
I-129F	Petition for Alien Fiance(e)	K-1/K-2 - Not yet married - fiance and/or dependent child	October 3, 2011
I-129F	Petition for Alien Fiance(e)	K-3/K-4 - Already married - spouse and/or dependent child	October 3, 2011
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	Permanent resident filing for a spouse or child under 21	5 Months
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	U.S. citizen filing for a spouse, parent, or child under 21	5 Months
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	U.S. citizen filing for an unmarried son or daughter over 21	5 Months
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	Permanent resident filing for an unmarried son or daughter over 21	5 Months
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	U.S. citizen filing for a married son or daughter over 21	5 Months
I-130	Petition for Alien Relative	U.S. citizen filing for a brother or sister	5 Months
I-131	Application for Travel Document	Refugee or asylee applying for a refugee travel document	3 Months
I-131	Application for Travel Document	Permanent resident applying for a re-entry permit	3 Months
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Extraordinary ability	September 27, 2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Outstanding professor or researcher	September 27, 2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Multinational executive or manager	September 27, 2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Advanced degree or exceptional ability	September 27, 2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Skilled worker or professional	September 27, 2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Unskilled worker	September 27, 2012
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I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Advanced degree or exceptional ability requesting a National Interest Waiver	2012
I-140	Immigrant Petition for Alien Worker	Schedule A Nurses	September 27, 2012
I-360	Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant	All other special immigrants	April 2, 2012
I-360	Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant	Religious workers	April 2, 2012
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or to Adjust Status	Employment-based adjustment applications	4 Months
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or to Adjust Status	Under the Indochinese Adjustment Act	June 3, 2011
I-485	Application to Register Permanent Residence or to Adjust Status	Under the Nicaraguan and Central American Relief Act (NACARA)	June 3, 2011
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Change status to the F or Macademic or vocational student categories	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Change of status to H or L dependents	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Change Status to the J exchange visitor category	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	All other change of status applications	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Extension of Stay for F or M academic or vocational students	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Extension of stay for H and L dependents	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	Extension of Stay for J exchange visitors	August 22, 2012
I-539	Application to Extend/Change Nonimmigrant Status	All other extension applications	August 22, 2012
I-601	Application for Waiver of Grounds of Inadmissibility	Waiver of Grounds of Inadmissibility	4 Months
I-730	Refugee/Asylee Relative Petition	Petition for accompanying family members of a refugee or an asylee	5 Months
I-751	Petition to Remove the Conditions on Residence	Removal of lawful permanent resident conditions (spouses of U.S. citizens and lawful permanent residents)	6 Months
I-829	Petition by Entrepreneur to Remove Conditions	Removal of lawful permanent resident conditions (immigrant investors) based on PL107-273	6 Months
I-90	Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card	Initial issuance or replacement	December 3, 2010
I-90	Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card	10-year renewal	3.5 Months
I-90A	Application to Replace Permanent Resident Card	Initial issuance or replacement for Special Agricultural Workers (SAW)	December 3, 2010
N-565	Application for Replacement Naturalization/Citizenship Document	U.S. citizen applying for a replacement of naturalization or citizenship certificate	June 3, 2012
N-600	Application for Certification of Citizenship	Application for recognition of U.S. citizenship	May 31, 2012
N-643	Application for Certification of Citizenship on Behalf of an Adopted Child	Application for recognition of U.S. citizenship on behalf of an adopted child	May 31, 2012

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