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International Labour Migration Statistics (ILMS) Database

The International Labour Organization's (ILO) ASEAN TRIANGLE Project, funded by Canada, launched the International Labour Migration Statistics (ILMS) Database in December 2014. The ILMS Database gathers together all of the official government data sources on international migrant workers' stocks and flows within the region, as well as on countries' nationals living or working abroad. The ILMS is the first of its kind in the region. The launch was made possible through the support of the, ASEAN Member States, ASEAN Secretariat and the ILO. The data are now published as a 'special collection' on the ILO's central ILOSTAT Database portal a powerful research tool that will be used by policy-makers, researchers, academics and the ILO to influence policy implementation, monitoring, and improvement as well as to guide technical assistance.

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The statistical tables presented in this booklet include data on migration and labour migration in the ASEAN region. The sources used include UNDESA, Trends in international migrant stock, Rev. 2013, World Bank, Global Bilateral Migration Database 2015 and the ILMS Database ILOSTAT (Special collections: Migration). The sources underlying the ILMS are listed in the notes to each table.



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Table 1

Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, ASEAN Member States, 1960–2013

Table 1.1 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, ASEAN Member States, 1960–2013, ASEAN total

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	213 338 600	280 918 400	357 528 100	444 925 000	525 331 600	595 650 700	617 594 400
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	3 852 000	3 654 000	2 602 400	2 840 800	4 517 300	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	3 191 300	5 265 000	8 683 900	9 497 700
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	6 700 900	10 206 100
International migrants: Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	676 100	812 500	707 900	1 336 600	2 729 900	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	1 525 200	3 315 500	5 871 300	6 513 400
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	3 954 500	6 788 100
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	1 340 000	1 726 500	3 202 500	6 084 100	9 798 300	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	7 531 800	11 400 100	17 556 600	18 835 700
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	12 852 000	21 279 000
Nationals abroad: Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	676 100	812 500	707 900	1 336 600	2 729 900	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	1 525 200	3 315 500	5 871 300	6 513 400
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	3 954 500	6 788 100

Table 1.2 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Brunei Darussalam, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	81 800	129 700	193 100	256 900	330 600	393 300	411 500
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	20 600	32 900	51 000	73 200	104 100	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	73 200	104 100	179 800	206 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	148 100	206 200
International migrants: Intra-regional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	21 100	20 000	14 300	11 200	9 200	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	59 600	85 000	28 100	32 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	120 600	32 200
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	900	5 400	8 100	87 100	51 100	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	31 400	47 900	49 100	50 900
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	24 300	43 100
Nationals abroad: Intra-regional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	300	700	1 800	6 300	8 200	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	4 800	4 700	5 900	6 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	8 900	1 200

Table 1.3 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Cambodia, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	5 722 400	7 022 200	6 718 200	9 008 900	12 197 900	14 363 600	15 078 600
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	381 200	321 300	4 200	38 300	236 600	...	...
Total (from all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	38 400	146 100	82 000	75 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	335 800	75 600
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	15 800	16 600	17 500	18 400	17 400	...	...
Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	31 700	134 500	75 500	69 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	320 600	69 600
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	17 700	20 900	94 400	247 300	282 300	...	...
Total (in all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	364 100	467 600	959 100	1 115 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	350 500	1 118 900
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	8 900	12 100	13 800	14 000	34 400	...	...
Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	97 800	176 700	628 200	767 700
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	50 900	771 100

Table 1.4 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Indonesia, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	87 792 500	114 834 800	147 490 400	181 436 800	211 540 400	241 613 100	251 268 300
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	1 859 500	1 170 200	736 500	463 500	149 700	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	465 600	292 300	286 800	295 400
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	122 900	295 400
International migrants: Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	8 600	136 300	247 000	691 600	1 206 500	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	14 700	4 700	43 600	44 900
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	44 900
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	311 200	239 000	489 800	1 083 500	1 837 100	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	1 336 700	2 010 000	2 834 700	2 992 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	2 504 300	4 116 600
Nationals abroad: Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	47 000	101 800	166 200	461 600	992 600	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	398 100	875 800	1 151 900	1 216 000
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 514 600	1 241 800

Table 1.5 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Lao People's Democratic Republic, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	2 119 900	2 686 000	3 252 700	4 247 800	5 342 900	6 260 500	6 580 000
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	19 600	20 700	21 700	22 800	21 700	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	22 900	21 700	21 500	21 800
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	18 900	21 800
International migrants: Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	31 700	19 900	20 300	24 600	22 000	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	17 900	14 500	14 400	14 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	10 100	14 600
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	22 700	27 900	133 300	289 600	335 700	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	503 500	657 500	1 182 500	1 293 400
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	366 700	1 294 200
Nationals abroad: Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	13 200	18 700	19 200	19 700	51 200	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	165 600	292 400	833 400	931 000
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	78 700	931 000

Table 1.6 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Malaysia, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	8 161 000	10 908 600	13 833 700	18 211 100	23 420 800	28 119 500	29 465 400
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	56 900	736 300	674 600	951 500	1 503 300	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	1 014 200	1 613 800	2 357 600	2 469 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	2 357 600	2 408 300
International migrants: Intra regional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	157 800	229 200	251 400	389 100	829 300	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	643 000	1 172 900	1 443 800	1 512 100
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 883 000	1 747 100
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	223 100	314 600	409 600	593 700	1 155 200	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	482 100	946 800	1 355 500	1 445 900
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 481 200	1 683 100
Nationals abroad: Intra regional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	153 300	218 200	263 400	391 800	799 800	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	242 800	658 600	976 500	1 049 800
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 146 800	1 056 800

Table 1.7 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Myanmar, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	21 486 400	27 166 000	34 470 700	42 007 300	47 669 800	51 733 000	52 983 800
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	286 600	272 600	188 000	133 500	98 000	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	133 500	98 000	100 700	103 100
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	88 700	103 100
International migrants: Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	363 100	306 000	4 000	36 600	225 400	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	130 800	194 600	246 700	202 000	326 400	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	599 000	1 112 900	2 385 100	2 648 000
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	514 700	3 139 600
Nationals abroad: Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	38 800	16 500	45 200	62 000	194 600	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	237 700	761 500	1 894 800	2 150 800
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	306 300	1 982 700

Table 1.8 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Philippines, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	26 273 000	35 804 700	47 397 000	61 947 300	77 932 200	93 038 900	97 571 700
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	219 700	217 400	121 600	136 200	322 500	...	...
Total (from all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	159 400	322 700	204 900	213 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	435 400	213 200
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	48 800	46 000	61 800	89 700	268 600	...	...
Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	23 500	7 400	6 000	6 300
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	9 100	6 300
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	155 700	400 900	980 800	2 048 900	3 083 200	...	...
Total (in all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	2 380 700	3 489 300	5 184 600	5 486 900
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	4 275 600	6 001 700
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	13 800	34 100	63 200	186 900	217 300	...	...
Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	166 900	217 900	41 300	44 200
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	297 400	449 300

Table 1.9 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Singapore, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	1 633 700	2 074 100	2 414 500	3 016 400	3 918 200	5 079 000	5 405 000
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	519 200	530 800	527 000	727 000	1 351 800	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	727 300	1 351 700	2 164 800	2 323 300
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 966 900	2 323 300
International migrants: Intra-regional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	700	600	1 900	3 500	22 800	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	219 500	674 900	1 137 300	1 229 500
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 163 000	1 229 500
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	28 200	104 500	150 800	157 900	287 200	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	171 700	197 200	290 700	303 500
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	297 200	282 200
Nationals abroad: Intra-regional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	5 100	57 000	57 300	53 900	71 600	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	52 500	53 900	97 700	102 100
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	109 400	68 800

Table 1.10 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Thailand, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	27 397 200	36 884 900	47 385 300	56 582 800	62 693 300	66 692 000	67 451 400
International migrants: Total (from all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	484 800	347 400	272 900	287 600	689 000	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	528 700	1 257 800	3 224 100	3 721 700
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	1 157 300	4 490 900
International migrants: Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	14 200	13 200	49 800	11 700	43 000	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	491 100	1 189 100	3 099 600	3 578 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	448 200	3 618 400
Nationals abroad: Total (in all countries)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	178 100	167 200	134 200	294 100	691 300	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	355 600	554 600	833 700	894 000
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	811 100	1 007 300
Nationals abroad: Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	167 700	152 600	29 700	81 300	176 100	...	...
	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	71 800	121 800	101 300	104 900
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	236 800	190 400

Table 1.11 Estimated stocks of international migrants and nationals abroad, Viet Nam, 1960–2013

Indicator	Source	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2013
Total population	<i>UNDESA (2015)</i>	32 670 600	43 407 300	54 372 500	68 209 600	80 285 600	88 357 800	91 378 800
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	4 000	4 400	4 900	7 300	40 600	...	...
Total (from all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	28 100	56 800	61 800	68 300
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	69 300	68 300
International migrants:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	14 400	24 700	39 900	60 200	85 600	...	...
Intraregional (from ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	24 200	32 400	23 200	25 600
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 600
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	271 800	251 600	554 800	1 080 000	1 748 800	...	...
Total (in all countries)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	1 307 000	1 916 300	2 481 600	2 605 000
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	2 226 400	2 592 200
Nationals abroad:	<i>World Bank (2011)</i>	228 300	200 800	48 000	59 100	184 100	...	...
Intraregional (in ASEAN)	<i>UNDESA (2013)</i>	...	...	...	87 300	152 300	140 400	140 800
	<i>World Bank (2015)</i>	...	...	...	...	...	204 800	95 000

Notes: Migrants are predominantly defined according to their place of birth. “...” indicates data are not available. Figures have been rounded to the nearest 100.

Sources: United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA). 2013.

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Table 2

Bilateral migration matrix UNDESA estimates, ASEAN Member States, 2013

Destination (across) / origin (down)	Brunei Darussalam	Cambodia	Indonesia	Lao PDR	Malaysia
Brunei Darussalam		...	...	...	5 975
Cambodia	...		...	1 201	13 876
Indonesia	352	108		...	1 051 227
Lao PDR	...	265	...		...
Malaysia	643	175	1 979	...	
Myanmar	...	53	...	282	247 768
Philippines	3 468	156	3 517	...	21 345
Singapore	2 285	125	19 681	...	78 092
Thailand	25 451	31 472	19 681	1 652	8 137
Viet Nam	...	37 225	...	11 447	85 709
International migrants from ASEAN	32 199	69 579	44 858	14 582	1 512 129
International migrants from the whole world	206 173	75 566	295 433	21 801	2 469 173
ASEAN share of international migrants	15.62%	92.08%	15.18%	66.89%	61.24%

Notes: Migrants are predominantly defined according to their place of birth. “...” indicates data are not available.

Source: United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA). 2013. International migrant stock: The 2013 revision, available online at www.un.org/en/development/desa/population/migration/data/estimates2/index.shtml.

Myanmar	Philippines	Singapore	Thailand	Viet Nam	Nationals abroad in ASEAN	Nationals abroad in the whole world	ASEAN share of nationals abroad
...	82	...	...	121	6 178	50 894	12.1%
...	40	...	750 109	2 485	767 711	1 115 567	68.8%
...	3 325	152 681	645	7 671	1 216 009	2 992 550	40.6%
...	...	...	926 427	4 284	930 976	1 293 447	72.0%
...	798	1 044 994	1 191	...	1 049 780	1 445 890	72.6%
...	424	...	1 892 480	9 783	2 150 790	2 647 960	81.2%
...	...	14 176	1 196	292	44 150	5 486 902	0.8%
...	825	...	632	466	102 106	303 544	33.6%
...	342	17 644	...	512	104 891	894 002	11.7%
...	416	...	5 966	...	140 763	2 604 992	5.4%
...	6 252	1 229 495	3 578 646	25 614	6 513 354	...	34.6%
103 117	213 150	2 323 252	3 721 735	68 290	...	231 522 215	...
n/a	2.93%	52.92%	96.16%	37.51%	68.58%	...	...

Table 3

Bilateral migration matrix World Bank estimates, ASEAN Member States, 2013

Destination (across) / origin (down)	Brunei Darussalam	Cambodia	Indonesia	Lao PDR	Malaysia
Brunei Darussalam		0	0	0	976
Cambodia	0		0	1 201	17 226
Indonesia	352	108		0	1 074 737
Lao PDR	0	265	0		0
Malaysia	643	175	1 979	0	
Myanmar	0	53	0	282	79 691
Philippines	3 468	156	3 517	0	410 149
Singapore	2 285	125	19 681	0	42 474
Thailand	25 451	31 472	19 681	1 652	93 635
Viet Nam	0	37 225	0	11 447	28 223
International migrants from ASEAN	32 199	69 579	44 858	14 582	1 747 111
International migrants from the whole world	206 173	75 566	295 433	21 801	2 408 329
ASEAN share of international migrants	15.6%	92.1%	15.2%	66.9%	72.5%

Notes: Migrants are predominantly defined according to their place of birth. “...” indicates data are not available.

Source: World Bank. 2015. Bilateral Migration Matrix 2010 and Bilateral Migration Matrix 2013, available online at <http://econ.worldbank.org/WBSITE/EXTERNAL/EXTDEC/EXTDECPROSPPECTS/0,,contentMDK:22759429~pagePK:64165401~piPK:64165026~theSitePK:476883,00.html>

Myanmar	Philippines	Singapore	Thailand	Viet Nam	Nationals abroad in ASEAN	Nationals abroad in the whole world	ASEAN share of nationals abroad
...	82	0	0	121	1 179	43 118	2.7%
...	40	0	750 109	2 485	771 061	1 118 878	68.9%
...	3 325	152 681	2 952	7 671	1 241 826	4 116 587	30.2%
...	0	0	926 427	4 284	930 976	1 294 218	71.9%
...	798	1 044 994	8 199	0	1 056 788	1 683 132	62.8%
...	424	0	1 892 480	9 783	1 982 713	3 139 596	63.2%
...		14 176	17 581	292	449 339	6 001 696	7.5%
...	825		2 962	466	68 818	282 213	24.4%
...	342	17 644		512	190 389	1 007 294	18.9%
...	416	0	17 663		94 974	2 592 233	3.7%
...	6 252	1 229 495	3 618 373	25 614	6 788 063		31.9%
103 117	213 150	2 323 252	4 490 941	68 290		247 247 795	
n/a	2.9%	52.9%	80.6%	37.5%	66.5%		

Table 4

Resident population by labour force status and sex, total and migrants, ASEAN Member States, latest year

		Brunei Darussalam (2014)	Cambodia (2013)	Indonesia (2015)	Lao PDR (2005)
Total population	Total	410 565	14 676 591	254 357 958	5 622 000
	Men	212 943	7 121 508	127 823 090	2 800 600
	Women	197 622	7 555 083	126 534 868	2 821 400
Working-age population	Total	310 514	10 355 193	186 100 917	3 404 700
	Men	159 769	4 901 330	92 864 014	1 678 100
	Women	150 745	5 453 863	93 236 903	1 726 600
Total labour force	Total	203 651	8 260 136	122 380 021	2 640 400
	Men	115 732	4 074 824	76 810 592	1 328 300
	Women	87 919	4 185 312	45 569 429	1 312 100
Total employed	Total	189 573	8 059 608	114 819 199	2 606 300
	Men	108 531	3 987 999	72 150 588	1 310 600
	Women	81 042	4 071 609	42 668 611	1 295 700
Migrant population	Total	68 152	67 435	180 555	13 577
	Men	39 276	36 730	93 296	7 046
	Women	28 876	30 705	87 259	6 531
Working-age migrants	Total	60 741	63 306	135 545	...
	Men	35 433	34 049	71 931	...
	Women	25 308	29 257	63 614	...
Migrant labour force	Total	52 678	51 052	...	...
	Men	33 694	31 013	...	...
	Women	18 984	20 039	...	...
Employed migrants	Total	52 161	49 150	65 618	...
	Men	33 459	30 525	45 476	...
	Women	18 702	18 625	20 142	...

Malaysia (2015)	Myanmar (2014)	Philippines (2010)	Singapore (2015)	Thailand (2010)	Viet Nam (2015)
30 931 900	51 486 253	92 097 978	5 535 002	65 981 659	91 703 811
...	24 824 586	46 458 988	...	32 355 032	45 243 959
...	26 661 667	45 638 990	...	33 626 627	46 459 852
21 387 800	35 880 331	61 380 409	...	53 295 867	69 735 983
11 101 500	16 931 810	30 605 967	...	25 843 730	33 776 379
10 286 300	18 948 521	30 774 442	...	27 452 137	35 959 604
14 518 000	22 749 763	...	...	...	53 984 213
8 952 900	13 827 120	...	...	...	27 843 631
5 565 100	8 922 643	...	...	...	26 140 582
14 067 700	21 872 500	31 361 000	3 656 200	38 641 607	52 840 045
8 691 000	13 307 100	22 103 000	...	19 903 775	27 216 731
5 376 700	8 565 500	9 258 000	...	18 737 832	25 623 314
2 951 500	40 418	177 365	...	2 702 164	6 606
1 799 200	21 664	100 602	...	1 494 095	3 905
1 152 300	18 754	76 763	...	1 208 069	2 710
2 654 400	...	129 437	...	...	5 443
1 641 200	...	75 782	...	...	3 339
1 013 200	...	53 655	...	...	2 104
2 169 400	...	...	...	...	...
1 546 100	...	...	...	...	...
623 300	...	...	...	...	...
2 127 100	...	...	1 387 300	...	...
1 515 700	...	...	...	...	...
611 400	...	...	...	...	...

Notes: The data for Brunei Darussalam and Singapore define migrants on the basis of residency status and include only non-permanent residents.

The data for Cambodia and Myanmar define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

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(Cambodia) Cambodia Inter-Censal Survey (CIPS) 2013, National Institute of Statistics, Ministry of Planning;

(Indonesia) Intercensal Population Survey (SUPAS) 2015, Statistics Indonesia;

(Lao PDR) Population Census 2005, Laos Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare;

(Malaysia) Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia;

(Myanmar) Population and Housing Census of Myanmar 2014, Department of Population, Ministry of Immigration and Population;

(Philippines) Census of Population and Housing 2010, Philippine Statistics Authority;

(Singapore) Administrative records of the Ministry of Manpower;

(Thailand) Population and Housing Census 2010, National Statistical Office (NSO), Ministry of Information and Communication Technology; and

(Viet Nam) Labour Force Survey, General Statistics Office (GSO), Ministry of Planning and Investment.

Did you know?



In Malaysia, migrant workers were concentrated in the industrial (37.8 per cent) and service (21.0 per cent) sectors (2010 figs.).

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Table 5

International migrant stock by country of origin, total and employed, ASEAN Member States, latest year

	Brunei Darussalam (2014)		Cambodia (2008)		Indonesia (2015)	
	All migrants	Migrant workers	All migrants	Migrant workers	All migrants	Migrant workers
Total (all migrants)	68 152	52 161	80 248	58 458	180 555	65 618
Brunei Darussalam			0	0	726	112
Cambodia	0	3			838	699
Indonesia	20 161	19 398	136	102		
Lao PDR	0	0	501	407	143	143
Malaysia	11 828	8 404	390	295	72 762	17 813
Myanmar	167	80	113	90	91	91
Philippines	13 539	12 386	528	423	1 850	959
Singapore	616	302	227	165	1 057	845
Thailand	1 011	834	24 755	16 593	566	153
Viet Nam	142	71	44 084	33 459	20	0
ASEAN total	47 464	41 475	70 734	51 534	78 053	20 815
Australia	88	88	477	285	2 902	810
Bangladesh	1 913	1 771	...	...	...	...
Canada	91	81	145	88	...	...
China	237	191	3 681	3 126	3 868	956
Hong Kong (China)	33	33	53	40	...	...
India	6 187	5 599	275	223	934	652
Japan	0	0	378	234	1 836	394
Korea, Republic of	222	222	700	453	343	0
Nepal	106	106	114	94	...	...
Netherlands	281	169	77	60	1 268	354
Pakistan	525	377	...	...	...	...
Taiwan (China)	77	39	...	...	67 531	450
United Kingdom	1 572	1 016	472	315	1 170	526
United States	45	45	825	518	2 047	1 350
Others	9 311	949	2 317	1 488	20 603	39 311

Lao PDR (2005)	Malaysia (2013)	Myanmar (2010)	Philippines (2010)	Thailand (2010)	Thailand (2015)*
All migrants	Migrant workers	All migrants	All migrants	All migrants	Migrant workers
13 577	2 250 322	72 363	177 365	2 702 164	1 443 474
...	...	...	69	0	12
979	...	...	33	281 321	210 351
...	1 021 655	...	2 781	2 952	1 285
...	...	...	13	222 450	67 995
...	...	...	673	8 199	2 833
154	161 447	...	355	1 292 862	996 607
...	69 126	...	...	17 581	13 416
...	...	...	691	2 962	1 974
986	17 044	...	286	...	...
8 795	...	...	351	17 663	809
...	...	...	5 252	1 845 990	1 295 282
16	...	...	3 360	11 298	...
...	322 750	840	133	7 751	...
...	...	...	4 700	5 851	...
1 825	...	30 531	28 705	141 649	19 731
...	...	...	...	1 206	...
...	124 017	28 738	9 007	46 113	...
...	...	...	11 584	80 957	36 666
...	...	...	5 822	14 569	6 065
...	385 466	...	57	...	...
...	...	...	407	5 619	...
...	50 662	2 641	421	5 504	...
...	...	...	1 538	7 703	...
...	...	...	3 604	85 850	...
...	...	...	29 972	40 258	...
822	98 155	9 613	72 803	401 846	85 730

Notes: The data for Brunei Darussalam define migrants on the basis of residency status and include only non-permanent residents.

The data for Cambodia define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand (2010) define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

The data for Myanmar and Thailand (2014) refer to registered international migrants only. Comparable data for Singapore and Viet Nam could not be obtained. “...” indicates data are not available. * Includes Timor-Leste.

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In Singapore migrant workers made up more than one third (37.8 per cent) of the total workforce in 2013.

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Table 6

Working-age population by level of education and sex, total and migrants, ASEAN Member States, latest year (per cent)

		Brunei Darussalam (2014)	Cambodia (2013)	Indonesia (2015)	Lao PDR (2010)
Total	Basic	14.86	94.37	65.02	79.09
	Medium	70.84	3.82	26.48	15.22
	Advanced	14.29	1.81	8.50	5.69
Men	Basic	12.16	...	62.29	...
	Medium	73.97	...	29.25	...
	Advanced	13.87	...	8.46	...
Women	Basic	17.72	...	67.74	...
	Medium	67.53	...	23.72	...
	Advanced	14.75	...	8.54	...
Total migrants	Basic	19.83	93.22	54.33	...
	Medium	60.25	3.05	30.41	...
	Advanced	19.92	3.74	15.26	...
Migrant men	Basic	14.08	...	53.58	...
	Medium	65.94	...	30.03	...
	Advanced	19.98	...	16.38	...
Migrant women	Basic	27.89	...	55.17	...
	Medium	52.29	...	30.83	...
	Advanced	19.82	...	14.00	...

Malaysia (2015)	Myanmar (2014)	Philippines (2010)	Singapore (2015)	Viet Nam (2015)
18.40	77.10	28.77	27.40	68.26
54.02	13.08	40.55	28.79	17.85
27.58	9.82	30.67	43.81	13.90
18.31	76.00	30.74	24.51	65.06
56.41	14.87	40.22	29.34	21.08
25.28	9.13	29.04	46.15	13.86
18.50	78.07	26.82	30.11	71.25
51.45	11.49	40.88	28.27	14.82
30.05	10.44	32.30	41.62	13.93
55.48	...	12.37	...	...
36.18	...	23.85	...	...
8.34	...	63.78	...	...
55.08	...	10.21	...	...
36.73	...	22.66	...	...
8.20	...	67.12	...	...
56.13	...	15.47	...	...
35.29	...	25.55	...	...
8.58	...	58.99	...	...

Notes: Basic education is defined as International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED 2011) groups 0 (less than primary education), 1 (primary education), and 2 (lower secondary education). Medium education is defined as ISCED groups 3 (upper secondary education) and 4 (post-secondary non-tertiary education). Advanced education is defined as ISCED groups 5 (short-cycle tertiary education), 6 (Bachelor's or equivalent level), 7 (Master's or equivalent level), and 8 (Doctoral or equivalent level). See UNESCO. 2012. International Standard Classification of Education: ISCED 2011 (Montreal, UNESCO).

The data for Brunei Darussalam define migrants on the basis of residency status and include only non-permanent residents

The data for Cambodia define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Indonesia, Malaysia, and the Philippines define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

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Did you know?



The Philippines is the biggest sending country in ASEAN, deploying an average of 968,600 workers abroad each year since 2000 – 14. In 2014, 14.2 per cent of Filipino overseas workers were employed in other ASEAN countries, mainly Singapore (140,205).

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Table 7

Employed persons by economic activity, total and migrants, ASEAN Member States, latest year

International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities Rev.4 (ISIC Rev. 4)	Brunei Darussalam (2014)		Cambodia (2013)		Indonesia (2015)		Lao PDR (2006)	
	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
Total	189 573	52 161	8 059 600	49 200	114 819 199	65 618	345 700	13 600
Agriculture (A)	1 002	394	5 174 300	18 700	37 750 317	24 686	20 300	600
Industry (B-F)	33 935	15 462	927 200	8 500	25 531 956	9 752	130 400	6 500
Services (G-U)	154 636	36 305	1 958 100	22 000	51 536 926	31 180	195 000	6 500
A. Agriculture forestry and fishing	1 002	394	5 174 300	18 700	37 750 317	24 686	20 300	600
B. Mining and quarrying	10 123	1 659	2 900	0	1 317 328	1 149	7 700	600
C. Manufacturing	6 968	3 764	651 000	2 600	15 537 848	6 061	105 200	3 200
D. Electricity gas steam and air conditioning supply			9 400	100	201 245	452	3 200	100
E. Water supply; sewerage waste management and remediation activities	3 379	569	6 800	300	267 449	0	1 800	100
F. Construction	13 465	9 470	257 200	5 500	8 208 086	2 090	12 500	2 500
G. Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	21 422	9 196	813 000	12 500	21 346 857	7 700	135 400	5 000
H. Transportation and storage	4 401	732	191 800	1 900	4 621 212	4 660	10 700	100
I. Accommodation and food service activities	10 095	4 867	163 400	2 400	5 238 142	2 097	17 800	600
J. Information and communication	4 984	779	11 300	100	541 360	811	3 700	100
K. Financial and insurance activities	4 374	35	19 400	0	1 670 111	1 908	4 400	100
L. Real estate activities	669	216	1 100	0	289 926	185	1 500	0
M. Professional scientific and technical activities	10 869	2 586	32 200	0	380 934	0	1 400	0
N. Administrative and support service activities			89 700	1 200	984 709	0	6 300	100
O. Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	49 685	2 212	265 100	1 000	4 030 001	3 344	n/a	n/a
P. Education	18 786	1 863	140 400	500	5 605 822	5 111	3 900	200
Q. Human health and social work activities	6 764	963	49 900	600	1 459 731	1 401	1 000	0
R. Arts entertainment and recreation	4 455	1 508	26 600	0	415 970	0	3 700	100
S. Other service activities			120 400	1 400	2 430 198	3 963	5 100	300
T. Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use	10 711	10 677	0	0	2 520 120	0	n/a	n/a
U. Activities of extraterritorial organizations and bodies	n/a	n/a	33 800	200	1 833	0	n/a	n/a

Malaysia (2014)		Philippines (2014)		Singapore (2014)		Thailand (2014)	Thailand (2012)*	Viet Nam (2015)	
Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
14 067 700	2 127 100	38 651 000	...	3 623 900	1 355 700	38 016 000	1 145 159	52 837 783	...
1 753 900	646 400	11 801 000	...	26 800 ^A	4 600 ^A	12 732 700	44 756	23 258 146	...
3 870 800	764 800	6 167 000	...	1 027 400 ^A	645 100 ^A	8 954 200	127 258	12 017 466	...
8 443 000	715 900	20 683 000	...	2 569 700	706 000	16 329 100	973 145	17 562 171	...
1 753 900	646 400	11 801 000	...	...	...	12 732 700	44 756	23 258 146	...
104 400	6 400	239 000	...	...	...	69 000	...	227 615	...
2 322 700	435 400	3 212 000	...	536 000	276 400	6 393 500	72 765	8 292 429	...
61 700	1 100	86 000	...	...	...	117 100	...	145 964	...
72 100	8 300	51 000	...	...	...	105 500	...	119 807	...
1 309 900	313 600	2 578 000	...	491 400	368 700	2 269 200	51 538	3 231 650	...
2 361 500	197 700	7 248 000	...	...	...	6 184 900	...	6 688 949	...
615 000	28 500	2 686 000	...	970 000	...	1 192 300	...	1 622 098	...
1 150 800	170 700	1 694 000	...	...	...	2 567 800	...	2 440 953	...
214 200	12 400	352 000	...	120 000	...	247 900	...	338 006	...
354 400	6 200	491 000	...	197 000	...	526 800	...	364 688	...
71 200	1 100	168 000	...	95 800	...	159 200	...	156 634	...
359 300	10 400	209 000	...	...	...	316 700	...	235 639	...
634 800	98 400	1 085 000	...	437 200	...	495 300	...	289 557	...
751 000	900	1 964 000	...	...	...	1 589 400	...	1 686 604	...
899 000	11 300	1 254 000	...	363 600	...	1 152 700	...	1 855 958	...
573 100	15 900	480 000	...	...	...	683 700	...	539 658	...
81 700	3 500	349 000	...	...	...	255 900	...	276 189	...
233 100	40 700	2 187 000	...	...	...	736 100	...	859 679	...
142 300	117 400	508 000	...	386 100	...	216 300	...	204 200	...
1 600	800	7 000	...	...	...	4 200	...	3 359	...

Notes: The data for Brunei Darussalam and Singapore define migrants on the basis of residency status and include only non-permanent residents.

The data for Cambodia define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Indonesia, Lao PDR, and Malaysia define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

* The data for Thailand (2012) refer to registered international migrants only.

Comparable data for Myanmar could not be obtained. “...” indicates data are not available.

“n/a” indicates the economic activity is not included. ^ Agriculture encompasses groups A, B, D and E; industry encompasses groups C and F only. Figures rounded to the nearest 100.

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(Indonesia) Labour Force Survey (SAKERNAS) and Intercensal Population Survey (SUPAS) 2015, Statistics Indonesia;

(Lao PDR) Economic Census 2006, Laos Statistics Bureau;

(Malaysia) Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia;

(Philippines) Labour Force Survey, Philippine Statistics Authority;

(Singapore) “Singapore Yearbook of Manpower Statistics”, Ministry of Manpower;

(Thailand) Labour Force Survey, National Statistical Office (NSO), Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, and * Administrative records of the Department of Employment, Ministry of Labour; and

(Viet Nam) Labour Force Survey, General Statistics Office (GSO), Ministry of Planning and Investment.

Did you know?



In 2014, 46.7 per cent (128,600) of registered Indonesian migrant works went to other ASEAN Member States, the rest migrated to East Asian countries followed by Gulf Cooperation Council countries.

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Table 8

Employed persons by occupation, total and migrants, ASEAN Member States, latest year

International Standard Classification of Occupations 2008 (ISCO-08)	Brunei Darussalam (2014)		Cambodia (2013)		Indonesia (2015)		Lao PDR (2010)	
	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
Total	189 573	52 161	8 059 600	49 200	114 819 199	...	3 016 400	...
High-skill (1-3)	77 249	13 430	396 300	2 700	11 273 707	...	230 200	...
Medium-skill (non-manual) (4-5)	58 560	10 364	1 143 400	11 900	28 203 583	...	198 000	...
Medium-skill (manual) (6-8)	27 308	13 556	5 975 900	26 700	54 034 362	...	2 295 200	...
Low-skill (9)	26 456	14 811	476 600	7 800	20 663 188	...	265 200	...
1. <i>Managers</i>	14 390	3 369	50 400	700	2 007 438	...	47 000	...
2. <i>Professionals</i>	32 219	4 512	240 600	1 400	6 152 715	...	145 200	...
3. <i>Technicians and associated professionals</i>	30 640	5 549	105 300	600	3 113 554	...	38 000	...
4. <i>Clerical support workers</i>	21 555	1 117	187 800	1 500	6 076 903	...	20 500	...
5. <i>Service and sales workers</i>	37 005	9 247	955 600	10 400	22 126 680	...	177 500	...
6. <i>Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers</i>	2 583	459	5 017 200	18 400	32 562 966	...	2 118 200	...
7. <i>Craft and related trades workers</i>	17 383	10 670	806 900	6 400	13 495 991	...	97 600	...
8. <i>Plant and machine operators, and assemblers</i>	7 342	2 427	151 800	1 900	7 975 405	...	79 400	...
9. <i>Elementary occupations</i>	26 456	14 811	476 600	7 800	20 663 188	...	265 200	...
0. <i>Armed forces occupations</i>	n/a	n/a	67 500	100	644 359	...	27 800	...

Malaysia (2015)		Philippines (2013)		Thailand (2015)	Thailand (2015)*	Viet Nam (2015)	
Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
14 067 700	2 127 100	38 118 000	...	37 961 200	1 619 283	52 837 973	...
3 587 500	104 400	9 043 000	...	5 445 200	149 321	5 685 919	...
4 430 000	335 300	6 942 000	...	8 861 200	6 373	9 696 315	...
4 104 300	697 700	9 621 000	...	19 484 700	6 893	16 299 441	...
1 945 900	989 700	12 403 000	...	4 170 100	1 456 696	21 035 058	...
718 600	30 000	6 173 000	...	1 508 400	92 134	570 097	...
1 462 000	39 800	1 874 000	...	2 214 800	45 706	3 447 785	...
1 406 900	34 600	996 000	...	1 722 000	11 481	1 668 037	...
1 241 100	17 700	2 248 000	...	1 486 900	2 555	960 902	...
3 188 900	317 600	4 694 000	...	7 374 300	3 818	8 735 413	...
940 300	89 600	4 994 000	...	11 215 500	1 827	5 456 604	...
1 578 800	244 200	2 600 000	...	4 475 900	2 096	6 349 079	...
1 585 200	363 900	2 027 000	...	3 793 300	2 970	4 493 758	...
1 945 900	989 700	12 403 000	...	4 170 100	1 456 696	21 035 058	...
n/a	n/a	108 000	...	n/a	n/a	121 240	...

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The data for Cambodia define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Malaysia define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

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Comparable data for Myanmar and Singapore could not be obtained. “..” indicates data are not available. “n/a” indicates the occupation is not included. Figures rounded to the nearest 100.

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(Malaysia) Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia;

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In 2015, 6 per cent of Vietnamese registering to work abroad migrated to other ASEAN Member States – notably Malaysia (7,354)

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Table 9

Employed persons by status in employment, total and migrants, ASEAN Member States, latest year (per cent)

International Classification of Status in Employment (ICSE-93)	Brunei Darussalam (2014)		Cambodia (2013)		Indonesia (2015)		Lao PDR (2010)	
	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
1. Employees	91.66	96.29	21.98	24.01	49.62	45.35	15.63	...
2. Employers	3.70	2.56	0.32	1.18	3.55	4.37	0.49	...
3. Own-account workers	4.11	1.10	39.74	48.24	32.85	34.70	48.99	...
4. Members of producers' cooperatives	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	...
5. Contributing family workers	0.53	0.05	37.86	26.51	13.99	15.59	34.79	...
6. Workers not classifiable by status	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.10	...

Notes: The data for Brunei Darussalam define migrants on the basis of residency status and include only non-permanent residents.

The data for Cambodia define migrants on the basis of their birthplace.

The data for Indonesia and Malaysia define migrants on the basis of their nationality or citizenship.

Comparable data for Myanmar and Singapore could not be obtained. "..." indicates data are not available. Figures rounded to the nearest 100.

Source: ILO, ILOSTAT (Special collections: Migration). Underlying data sources include (Brunei Darussalam) Population and Housing Census 2011, Department of Statistics, Department of Economic Planning and Development; (Cambodia) Cambodia Inter-Censal Survey (CIPS) 2013, National Institute of Statistics, Ministry of Planning; (Indonesia) National Socio-Economic Survey (SUSENAS) 2014, Statistics Indonesia; (Lao PDR) Labour Force Survey 2010, Laos Statistics Bureau; (Malaysia) Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia; (Philippines) Labour Force Survey, Philippine Statistics Authority; (Thailand) Labour Force Survey, National Statistical Office (NSO), Ministry of Information and Communication Technology; and (Viet Nam) Labour Force Survey, General Statistics Office (GSO), Ministry of Planning and Investment.

Malaysia (2015)		Philippines (2014)		Thailand (2015)		Viet Nam (2015)	
Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants	Total employed	Employed migrants
73.90	87.34	57.97	...	48.28	...	39.31	...
4.04	1.04	3.13	...	2.85	...	2.90	...
17.60	9.61	28.12	...	31.67	...	40.58	...
0.00	0.00	0.00	...	0.14	...	0.02	...
4.46	2.00	10.78	...	17.06	...	17.17	...
0.00	0.00	0.00	...	0.00	...	0.02	...

Table 10

Nationals registered to work abroad by sex, selected ASEAN Member States, 1995–2015

		1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Cambodia	Total	...	...	...	120	86	502	846	1 049	1 671
	Men	...	...	...	0	0	307	342	246	711
	Women	...	...	...	120	86	195	504	803	960
Indonesia	Total	...	220 162	502 977	367 526	427 619	435 219	338 992	480 393	293 694
	Men	...	39 431	226 641	77 658	124 822	137 964	66 578	38 143	79 885
	Women	...	180 731	276 336	289 868	302 797	297 255	272 414	442 250	213 809
Lao PDR	Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Men	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Women	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Myanmar	Total	...	...	...	...	...	1 124	1 772	8 429	4 107
	Men	...	...	...	...	...	1 124	1 772	8 429	4 107
	Women	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	0	0
Philippines	Total	488 173	484 653	559 227	638 343	640 331	643 304	662 648	682 315	651 938
	Men	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Women	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thailand	Total	...	...	183 689	191 735	159 606	177 709	165 047	160 807	147 769
	Men	...	...	...	...	134 735	149 447	140 104	136 198	122 698
	Women	...	...	...	...	24 871	28 262	24 943	24 609	25 071
Viet Nam	Total	...	...	...	...	21 810	31 500	36 168	46 122	75 000
	Men	...	...	...	...	19 523	22 435	28 464	35 566	56 882
	Women	...	...	...	...	2 287	9 065	7 704	10 556	18 118

Sources: ILO, ILOSTAT (Special collections: Migration). Underlying data sources include (Cambodia) Administrative records of the Department of Employment and Manpower, Ministry of Labour and Vocational Training; (Indonesia) Administrative records of the National Board on the Placement and Protection of Indonesian Overseas Workers; (Lao PDR) Administrative records of the Laos Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Labour and Social Welfare; (Myanmar) Administrative records of the Ministry of Labour, Employment and Social Security; (Philippines) Administrative records of the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration; (Thailand) Administrative records of the Department of Employment, Ministry of Labour; and (Viet Nam) Administrative records of the Department of Overseas Labour, Ministry of Labour, Invalids and Social Affairs.

2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
1 483	2 244	7 307	8 652	9 017	14 928	29 783	26 219	34 804	22 600	24 688	25 541
624	899	4 794	3 925	4 013	4 299	10 501	15 562	23 568	15 891	15 878	15 640
859	1 345	2 513	4 727	5 004	10 629	19 282	10 657	11 236	6 709	8 810	9 901
382 514	474 310	680 000	696 746	644 731	632 172	575 803	586 802	494 609	512 168	429 872	275 736
84 306	149 265	138 040	152 030	148 545	103 126	124 601	210 116	214 825	235 170	186 243	108 965
298 208	325 045	541 960	544 716	496 186	529 046	451 202	376 686	279 784	276 998	243 629	166 771
98	74	...	2 672	2 163	4 027	18 552	33 588	7 414	22 537	8 308	50 712
...	...	...	1 746	1 365	2 470	9 158	17 756	4 022	12 496	4 241	23 536
...	...	...	926	798	1 557	9 394	15 832	3 392	10 041	4 067	27 176
2 273	2 529	5 784	7 620	11 606	6 078	4 683	18 280	68 439	66 841	64 769	95 274
2 273	2 529	5 784	7 620	11 606	6 078	4 092	15 465	52 370	56 412	52 156	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	591	2 815	16 069	10 429	12 613	...
704 586	740 360	788 070	811 070	974 399	1 092 162	1 123 676	1 318 727	1 435 166	1 469 179	1 430 842	...
...
...
148 596	139 667	160 846	161 917	161 852	147 711	143 795	147 623	134 101	130 511	119 529	117 291
121 200	115 267	135 752	137 923	137 325	124 227	121 168	121 391	108 892	107 184	96 499	94 432
27 396	24 400	25 094	23 994	24 527	23 484	22 627	26 232	25 209	23 327	23 030	22 859
67 447	70 594	78 644	83 196	86 990	73 028	85 546	88 298	80 320	88 155	106 840	115 980
29 706	45 989	51 623	55 323	58 392	51 008	56 973	56 308	53 536	56 386	66 777	77 340
37 741	24 605	27 021	27 873	28 598	22 020	28 573	31 990	26 784	31 769	40 063	38 640

Table 11

Nationals registered to work abroad by selected country of destination, selected ASEAN Member States, 2000–15

Table 11.1 Nationals registered to work abroad from Cambodia by selected country of destination 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		502	846	1 049	1 671	1 483	2 244
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Cambodia						
	Indonesia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Lao PDR	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Malaysia	502	846	1 049	915	809	1 776
	Myanmar	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Philippines	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Singapore	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Thailand	0	0	0	0	0	0
Viet Nam	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	China	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Hong Kong (China)	0	0	0	0	0	0
	India	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Korea, Republic of	0	0	0	756	674	468
	Macau, China	0	0	0	0	0	0
	New Zealand	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Taiwan (China)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Kuwait	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Oman	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Qatar	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	United Arab Emirates	0	0	0	0	0	0
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	0	0	0	0	0	0
	France	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Italy	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0
	United Kingdom	0	0	0	0	0	0
	United States	0	0	0	0	0	0
Remainder of other countries		0	0	0	0	0	0

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
7 307	8 652	9 017	14 928	29 783	26 219	34 804	22 600	24 688	25 541
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1 690	3 219	3 432	9 682	16 394	4 351	180	90	470	807
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	111	190	99
4 116	4 846	2 991	3 543	11 224	16 837	26 390	13 468	15 839	16 163
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	3	63	16	49	74	102	111	518	1 399
1 501	584	2 531	1 687	2 116	4 957	8 132	8 820	7 671	7 073
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table 11.2 Nationals registered to work abroad from Indonesia by selected country of destination, 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		435 219	338 992	480 393	293 694	382 514	474 310
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	4 370	5 773	8 502	1 146	6 503	4 978
	Cambodia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Indonesia						
	Lao PDR	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Malaysia	191 700	110 490	152 680	89 439	127 175	201 887
	Myanmar	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Philippines	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Singapore	25 707	34 295	16 071	6 103	3 966	25 087
	Thailand	12	6	1	0	0	0
	Viet Nam	6	0	0	0	0	0
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	China	36	0	0	0	0	0
	Hong Kong (China)	21 709	23 929	20 431	3 509	14 183	12 143
	India	...	...	...	...	...	0
	Japan	3 411	1 543	444	100	85	114
	Korea, Republic of	6 689	3 391	4 273	7 495	2 924	4 506
	Macau, China	...	...	...	...	...	0
	New Zealand	11	0	0	0	0	0
Taiwan (China)	50 508	38 119	35 922	1 930	969	48 576	
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	...	...	...	...	...	21
	Kuwait	...	...	...	...	...	16 842
	Oman	...	...	...	...	...	1 216
	Qatar	...	...	...	...	...	1 002
	Saudi Arabia	114 067	103 235	213 603	169 038	203 446	150 235
	United Arab Emirates	9 558	11 027	7 779	1 475	7 122	5 622
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...
	France	16	0	0	0	1	0
	Germany	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Italy	1	0	0	1	0	0
	Netherlands	77	10	55	30	3	0
	United Kingdom	21	1	2	0	0	0
	United States	1 302	138	40	171	17	0
Remainder of other countries		6 014	7 035	20 590	13 257	16 120	2 081

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
7 307	8 652	9 017	14 928	29 783	26 219	34 804	22 600	24 688	25 541
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1 690	3 219	3 432	9 682	16 394	4 351	180	90	470	807
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	111	190	99
4 116	4 846	2 991	3 543	11 224	16 837	26 390	13 468	15 839	16 163
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...	...	5	3	2	526	945	1 012	644	77
...	...	1	0	11	1 072	1 967	2 055	915	108
20 100	29 973	30 204	32 417	33 262	50 301	45 478	41 769	35 050	15 322
...	...	0	0	15	519	535	409	203	68
36	96	232	362	233	2 508	3 293	3 042	2 428	468
4 035	3 830	8 134	1 890	7 596	11 392	13 593	15 374	11 848	5 501
...	164	468	674	826	609	431	310	194	35
...	...	71	269	279	468	502	625	409	301
45 706	50 810	59 522	59 335	62 048	78 865	81 071	83 544	82 665	75 303
639	2 267	2 324	2 837	4 844	4 379	6 328	5 384	5 472	2 570
24 600	25 756	29 218	23 041	563	2 723	2 518	2 534	1 714	210
5 210	7 150	8 309	9 700	9 259	7 306	8 836	10 719	19 141	6 766
7 980	10 449	8 582	10 010	13 559	16 616	20 380	16 237	7 862	2 460
281 087	257 217	234 644	276 633	228 890	137 835	40 655	45 394	44 325	23 000
22 685	28 184	38 092	40 391	37 337	39 917	35 888	44 505	17 962	7 619
...
...	...	1	0	0	153	357	237	83	8
...	...	3	1	1	299	697	1 168	556	194
...	...	0	0	9	3 408	3 691	3 746	1 295	1 516
...	...	3	...	1	592	798	1 176	796	52
...	...	...	...	6	491	425	462	257	24
...	1 263	66	47	475	13 749	15 353	15 021	9 233	1 029
11 121	14 041	12 061	12 805	13 546	18 390	19 854	19 040	14 210	4 459

Table 11.3 Nationals registered to work abroad from Myanmar by selected country of destination, 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		1 124	1 772	8 429	4 107	2 273	2 529
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Cambodia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Indonesia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Lao PDR	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Malaysia	94	1 086	8 368	3 449	1 607	1 882
	Myanmar						
	Philippines	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Singapore	908	411	58	0	156	494
	Thailand	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Viet Nam	0	0	0	0	0	0
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	...	0	0	0	0	0
	China	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Hong Kong (China)	...	0	0	0	0	0
	India	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Japan	13	0	0	4	9	13
	Korea, Republic of	20	260	3	654	501	127
	Macau, China	...	0	0	0	0	0
	New Zealand	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Taiwan (China)	...	0	0	0	0	0
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Kuwait	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Oman	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Qatar	0	0	0	0	0	13
	Saudi Arabia	...	0	0	0	0	0
	United Arab Emirates	61	15	0	0	0	0
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	...	0	0	0	0	0
	France	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Germany	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Italy	...	0	0	0	0	0
	Netherlands	...	0	0	0	0	0
	United Kingdom	...	0	0	0	0	0
	United States	...	0	0	0	0	0
Remainder of other countries		28	0	0	0	0	0

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
5 784	7 620	11 606	6 078	4 683	18 280	68 439	66 841	64 769	95 274
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 687	6 275	8 949	3 801	2 699	7 222	26 921	25 905	25 892	35 022
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
557	1 116	2 430	827	681	569	452	791	501	431
0	0	0	0	1 127	8 294	37 347	36 029	33 188	53 578
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
101	139	122	79	19	9	0	36	518	1 674
1 343	36	0	1 195	11	1 961	3 669	4 003	4 482	4 475
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	20	0	17	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
96	53	14	6	7	11	10	77	15	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	1	91	150	139	197	39	0	14	77
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	159	17

Table 11.4 Nationals registered to work abroad from the Philippines by selected country of destination, 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		643 304	662 648	682 315	651 938	704 586	740 360
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	13 649	13 068	11 564	9 829	10 313	9 083
	Cambodia	355	524	629	719	605	69
	Indonesia	1 507	1 411	1 492	1 534	1 744	2 188
	Lao PDR	118	174	71	181	54	164
	Malaysia	5 450	6 228	9 317	7 891	6 319	6 599
	Myanmar	153	215	187	221	139	152
	Philippines						
	Singapore	22 873	26 305	27 648	24 737	22 198	28 152
	Thailand	1 015	2 056	1 162	2 139	1 750	2 401
	Viet Nam	494	549	588	596	783	1 103
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	234	148	138	156	250	586
	China	2 348	1 979	2 046	2 168	2 942	4 608
	Hong Kong (China)	121 762	113 583	105 036	84 633	87 254	98 693
	India	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Japan	63 041	74 093	77 870	62 539	74 480	42 633
	Korea, Republic of	4 743	2 555	3 594	7 136	8 392	9 975
	Macau, China	2 208	1 860	1 963	2 335	2 361	2 684
	New Zealand	110	150	185	64	152	196
	Taiwan (China)	51 145	38 311	46 371	45 186	45 059	46 737
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	5 498	5 861	6 034	6 406	8 257	9 968
	Kuwait	21 490	21 956	25 894	26 225	36 591	40 306
	Oman	4 739	4 512	3 303	3 652	4 279	5 308
	Qatar	8 679	10 769	11 516	14 344	21 360	31 421
	Saudi Arabia	184 724	190 732	193 157	169 011	188 107	194 350
	United Arab Emirates	43 045	44 631	50 796	49 164	68 386	82 039
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	1 915	3 132	3 535	4 006	4 453	3 629
	France	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Germany	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Italy	26 386	21 641	20 034	12 175	23 329	21 267
	Netherlands	292	432	212	228	355	329
	United Kingdom	4 867	10 720	13 655	13 598	18 347	16 930
	United States	3 529	4 689	4 058	3 666	3 831	7 752
Remainder of other countries		46 935	60 364	60 260	97 399	62 496	71 038

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
788 070	811 070	974 399	1 092 162	1 123 676	1 318 727	1 435 166	1 469 179	1 430 842	...
9 461	14 667	6 930	7 413	7 907	15 406	14 907	17 000	11 478	...
571	954	1 015	1 526	1 499	1 768	1 734	1 994	1 720	...
2 102	3 285	2 798	3 705	4 084	4 793	5 166	5 489	5 007	...
153	434	647	615	734	992	1 073	1 255	1 435	...
5 749	9 725	6 034	7 256	9 802	16 797	38 407	34 088	31 451	...
92	94	126	186	194	334	288	867	1 218	...
28 369	49 431	41 678	54 421	70 251	146 613	172 690	173 666	140 205	...
2 497	3 144	3 750	5 009	5 133	6 445	9 204	8 659	6 653	...
1 348	1 972	2 785	4 126	4 056	4 349	4 962	5 156	4 082	...
2 318	4 537	7 625	7 104	5 915	6 558	8 008	9 048	8 136	...
5 654	5 901	7 029	8 771	8 954	9 670	9 969	9 829	6 229	...
96 929	59 169	78 345	100 142	101 340	129 575	131 680	130 686	105 737	...
...
10 615	8 867	6 555	6 418	5 938	9 285	9 947	10 936	12 815	...
13 984	14 265	12 367	14 851	11 697	10 943	8 979	11 664	11 958	...
2 802	3 578	6 067	6 729	5 713	7 560	12 669	13 238	10 116	...
420	1 048	1 976	1 515	1 403	1 635	2 029	2 371	3 068	...
39 025	37 136	38 546	33 751	36 866	41 896	41 492	41 145	58 681	...
11 736	9 898	13 079	15 001	15 434	18 230	22 271	20 546	18 958	...
47 917	37 080	38 903	45 900	53 010	65 603	75 286	67 856	70 098	...
7 071	7 463	10 222	10 502	10 955	15 029	16 048	16 577	15 880	...
45 795	56 277	84 342	89 290	87 813	100 530	104 622	94 195	114 511	...
223 459	238 419	275 933	291 419	293 049	316 736	330 040	382 553	402 837	...
99 212	120 657	193 810	196 815	201 214	235 775	259 546	261 119	246 231	...
6 468	12 380	17 399	17 344	13 885	15 658	19 283	18 120	18 107	...
...
...
25 413	17 855	22 623	23 159	25 595	31 704	25 261	19 556	14 786	...
217	566	792	584	865	452	562	584	422	...
16 926	9 525	9 308	7 071	5 284	5 621	3 913	4 255	3 335	...
11 444	9 402	8 050	6 248	4 833	4 503	3 441	3 306	2 634	...
70 323	73 341	75 665	125 291	130 253	94 267	101 689	103 421	103 054	...

Table 11.5 Nationals registered to work abroad from Thailand by selected country of destination, 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		177 709	165 047	160 807	147 769	148 596	139 667
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	8 607	8 607	7 155	6 118	5 680	5 216
	Cambodia	42	60	106	77	76	40
	Indonesia	137	220	198	211	222	309
	Lao PDR	32	85	22	41	2 313	1 429
	Malaysia	1 579	2 197	14 619	7 479	5 853	4 915
	Myanmar	360	239	159	132	94	105
	Philippines	336	223	231	233	180	258
	Singapore	21 273	20 411	15 354	12 480	11 338	11 780
	Thailand						
	Viet Nam	199	333	477	507	562	629
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	79	51	54	90	315	189
	China	364	343	446	413	467	495
	Hong Kong (China)	5 121	5 488	4 962	4 143	4 126	3 790
	India	284	317	273	260	369	603
	Japan	5 207	5 246	4 701	5 037	5 857	6 585
	Korea, Republic of	2 094	1 187	2 443	8 631	10 650	14 232
	Macau, China	...	...	...	...	...	...
	New Zealand	56	71	108	103	135	184
	Taiwan (China)	110 753	94 126	79 589	75 849	69 982	57 663
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	392	403	367	541	538	789
	Kuwait	919	1 062	1 264	1 215	1 261	1 092
	Oman	208	325	262	277	269	279
	Qatar	392	837	1 939	1 710	1 963	3 139
	Saudi Arabia	1 250	1 318	1 204	953	962	858
	United Arab Emirates	1 902	1 743	2 171	1 835	1 842	2 127
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	57	15	25	32	41	123
	France	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Germany	280	367	386	315	251	232
	Italy	267	289	202	136	221	434
	Netherlands	...	...	...	...	...	...
	United Kingdom	549	458	709	930	1 316	1 564
	United States	1 520	1 889	1 955	2 331	2 743	2 870
Remainder of other countries		13 450	17 137	19 426	15 690	18 970	17 738

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
160 846	161 917	161 852	147 711	143 795	147 623	134 101	130 511	119 529	117 291
5 141	4 143	3 349	3 855	3 725	3 354	2 697	2 489	1 944	1 846
327	206	52	50	56	65	58	190	596	1 169
242	313	349	506	856	1 289	2 480	3 210	3 103	2 538
466	1 956	1 773	734	1 965	842	1 109	1 269	1 041	868
3 418	3 432	3 527	3 882	3 630	4 321	4 441	3 852	3 237	3 318
71	54	75	226	208	140	231	658	308	439
256	156	187	145	146	135	156	120	92	132
15 115	16 271	14 934	14 002	12 719	11 461	11 864	10 728	8 191	7 265
923	820	1 126	538	499	795	1 012	821	1 207	996
242	434	576	236	167	122	118	120	101	124
680	649	632	613	558	673	923	1 169	725	405
3 760	3 504	3 188	3 240	3 011	2 834	2 533	2 225	2 209	2 185
1 024	1 481	2 756	3 311	3 183	2 792	2 480	3 210	3 103	1 860
7 218	8 002	7 555	5 535	6 102	9 302	8 596	6 904	7 614	7 705
16 456	13 287	15 730	14 701	8 595	10 964	10 393	11 758	9 835	189
...
391	718	737	1 058	983	937	841	866	890	918
62 067	52 193	45 089	35 860	40 927	47 839	39 128	34 631	37 105	34 738
1 094	1 113	1 265	1 526	1 100	1 020	1 106	969	888	853
3 906	3 723	2 712	2 019	2 245	2 786	1 792	1 729	1 626	2 448
						298	280	260	245
7 516	5 762	10 722	10 444	6 081	3 366	2 623	2 392	2 449	2 273
856	845	813	742	647	556	517	509	446	36
3 624	9 850	12 972	9 647	8 308	9 569	7 245	5 495	5 038	4 623
898	646	547	591	526	692	944	865	753	584
...
275	250	207	168	151	170	157	144	141	174
397	420	428	422	356	313	260	279	303	240
...
1 631	1 604	1 585	1 296	1 045	854	772	630	610	609
2 798	2 750	2 741	2 612	2 599	2 483	2 423	2 313	2 083	1 986
20 054	27 335	26 225	29 752	33 407	27 949	26 904	30 686	23 631	36 525

Table 11.6 Nationals registered to work abroad from Viet Nam by selected country of destination, 2000–15

Total		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
		31 500	36 168	46 122	75 000	67 447	70 594
ASEAN Member States	Brunei Darussalam	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cambodia	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Indonesia	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lao PDR	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Malaysia	239	23	19 965	38 227	14 567	24 605
	Myanmar	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Philippines	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singapore	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thailand	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Viet Nam	...	...	...	...	...	...
Selected East Asian economies	Australia	...	...	...	...	...	...
	China	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hong Kong (China)	...	...	...	...	...	...
	India	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Japan	1 497	3 249	2 202	2 256	2 752	2 955
	Korea, Republic of	7 316	3 910	1 190	4 336	4 779	12 102
	Macau, China	...	...	...	...	...	...
	New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taiwan (China)	8 099	7 782	13 191	29 069	37 144	22 784	
Gulf Cooperation Council States	Bahrain	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kuwait	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Oman	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Qatar	...	...	...	...	...	128
	Saudi Arabia	...	...	...	...	...	...
	United Arab Emirates	...	...	...	...	...	1 027
Selected European and North American countries	Canada	...	...	...	...	...	...
	France	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Germany	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Italy	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Netherlands	...	...	...	...	...	...
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	...	...	...
	United States	...	...	...	...	...	...
Remainder of other countries		14 349	21 204	9 574	1 112	8 205	6 993

Sources: ILO, ILOSTAT (Special collections: Migration). Underlying data sources include (Cambodia) Administrative records of the Department of Employment and Manpower, Ministry of Labour and Vocational Training; (Indonesia) Administrative records of the National Board on the Placement and Protection of Indonesian Overseas Workers;

2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
78 644	83 196	86 990	73 028	85 546	88 298	80 320	88 155	106 840	115 980
...	...	252	12	109	82	74	18	0	0
...	...	817	1 769	3 615	2 820	5 215	4 250	50	0
...	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...	...	3 137	9 070	5 903	4 277	6 195	4 860	200	0
...	...	7 810	2 792	11 741	9 977	9 298	7 564	5 139	7 354
...	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...	...	0	0	0	0	0	51	0	0
...	...	204	195	164	61	107	149	92	31
...	...	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	0
...	6	3	15	10	15	7
...	32	0	0	4	0	...
...	29	9	0	0	0	...
...
...	...	6 142	5 456	4 913	6 985	8 775	9 686	19 766	27 010
...	...	18 141	7 578	8 628	15 214	9 228	5 446	7 242	6 019
...	...	3 025	3 275	3 124	1 982	2 304	2 294	2 516	493
...	0	0	0	100	100	...
...	...	31 631	21 677	28 499	38 796	30 533	46 368	62 124	67 121
...	1 204	1	11	16	9	...
...	270	0	440	31	30	54
...	25	11	154	25	57	86
...	...	1 622	121	296	7	105	206	850	455
...	...	2 987	2 516	2 719	3 627	2 360	1 703	4 191	3 975
...	...	2 845	4 733	5 241	1 160	1 731	2 075	831	286
...
...
...	0	0	0	102	0	100
...	3	86	77	145	79	137
...
...	0	3	0	0	0	...
...	60	37	25	62	55	...
78 644	83 196	8 377	13 834	8 929	3 160	3 673	2 990	3 494	2 852

(Myanmar) Administrative records of the Ministry of Labour, Employment and Social Security; (Philippines) Administrative records of the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration; (Thailand) Administrative records of the Department of Employment, Ministry of Labour; and (Viet Nam) Administrative records of the Department of Overseas Labour, Ministry of Labour, Invalids and Social Affairs.

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