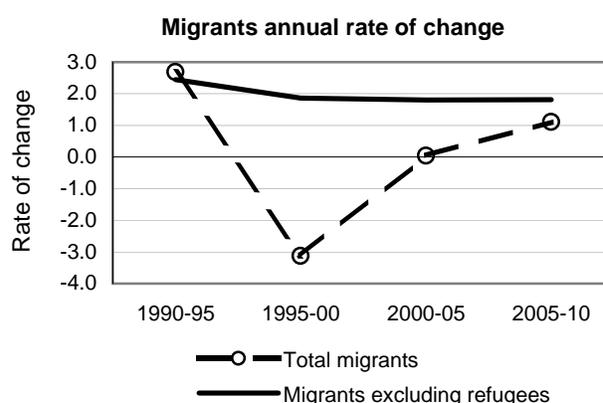
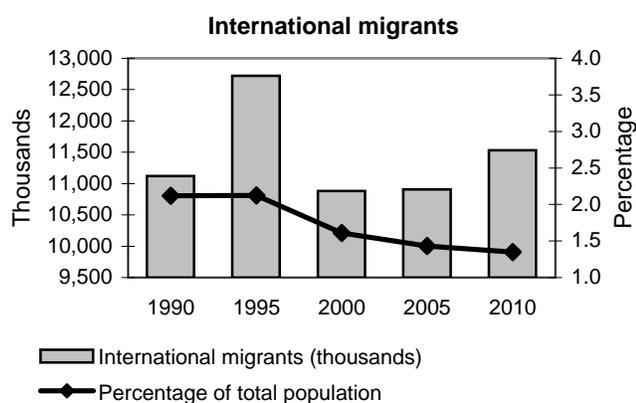


Least developed countries

Indicator	Year / Period	1990	1995 / 1990-1995	2000 / 1995-2000	2005 / 2000-2005	2010 / 2005-2010
International migrants^a						
Total (thousands)		11 119	12 721	10 884	10 908	11 531
Males (thousands)		5 929	6 661	5 728	5 741	6 060
Females (thousands)		5 190	6 060	5 156	5 167	5 472
Percentage of female migrants		46.7	47.6	47.4	47.4	47.4
Percentage of total migrant stock		7.1	7.7	6.1	5.6	5.4
Migrants as a percentage of the total population		2.1	2.1	1.6	1.4	1.3
Annual rate of change			2.7	-3.1	0.0	1.1
Annual rate of change excluding refugees			2.4	1.9	1.8	1.8
Net migration of foreign born (thousands)			2 250	-1 141	542	1 090
Refugees^b						
Total (thousands)		4 805	5 585	3 052	2 336	2 145
Percentage of international migrants		43.2	43.9	28.0	21.4	18.6
Percentage of total refugee population		26.0	30.2	19.5	16.9	13.1
Annual rate of change			3.0	-12.1	-5.3	-1.7
Remittances^c (US dollars)						
Total (millions)		3 555	4 040	6 060	11 907	17 334
Percentage of gross domestic product		2.3	2.7	3.4	3.9	4.1
Population						
Total (thousands)		524 764	599 098	676 929	761 846	854 696
Males (thousands)		261 804	298 755	337 496	379 959	426 567
Females (thousands)		262 960	300 344	339 433	381 888	428 129
Annual rate of change per 1,000 population			26.5	24.4	23.6	23.0
Annual rate of natural increase per 1,000 population			26.1	25.1	24.3	23.4
Total net migration (thousands - annual average)			220.5	-469.0	-474.7	-314.6
Annual net migration rate per 1,000 population			0.4	-0.8	-0.7	-0.4
Percentage of total population			9.9	10.5	11.1	11.7
Projected population in 2050 (UN medium variant)						
Total population (thousands)			with migration		without migration	
			1 672 414		1 697 457	



^a Estimate based on a combination of foreign-born persons and foreign citizens.

^b Estimates prepared by the United Nations Population Division based on data supplied by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

^c Based on data compiled by the World Bank. Data reported under 2010 refer to 2007.