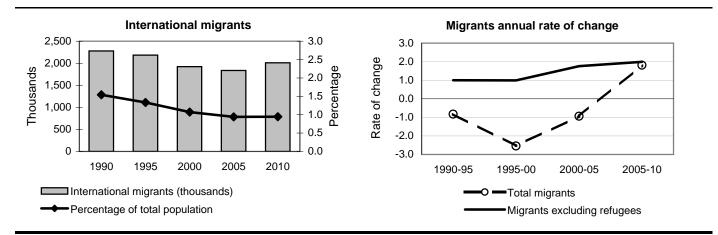
Northern Africa

Indicator	Year / Period	1990	1995 / 1990-1995	2000 / 1995-2000	2005 / 2000-2005	2010 / 2005-2010
International migrants ^a						
Total (thousands)		2 278	2 186	1 925	1 836	2 010
Males (thousands)		1 242	1 203	1 075	1 039	1 138
Females (thousands)		1 037	983	850	797	872
Percentage of female migrants		45.5	45.0	44.2	43.4	43.4
Percentage of total migrant stock		1.5	1.3	1.1	0.9	0. 9
Migrants as a percentage of the total population		1.5	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.9
Annual rate of change			-0.8	-2.5	-0.9	1.8
Annual rate of change excluding refugees			1.0	1.0	1.8	2.0
Net migration of foreign born (thousands)			-9	-192	-34	220
Refugees ^b						
Total (thousands)		1 071	916	590	379	401
Percentage of international migrants		47.0	41.9	30.7	20.6	19. 9
Percentage of total refugee population		5.8	5.0	3.8	2.7	2.5
Annual rate of change			-3.1	-8.8	-8.9	1.1
Remittances ^c (US dollars)						
Total (millions)		7 255	7 342	7 249	14 091	20 007
Percentage of gross domestic product		3.9	3.6	2.8	3.9	4.1
Population						
Total (thousands)		147 767	163 943	179 525	195 444	212 921
Males (thousands)		74 363	82 501	90 273	98 171	106 883
Females (thousands)		73 404	81 442	89 252	97 273	106 037
Annual rate of change per 1,000 population			20.8	18.2	17.0	17.1
Annual rate of natural increase per 1,000 population	on		22.3	19.8	18.6	17.8
Total net migration (thousands - annual average)			-237.8	-284.4	-298.0	-144. 5
Annual net migration rate per 1,000 population			-1.6	-1.7	-1.7	-0.7
Percentage of total population			2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0

Projected population in 2050 (UN medium variant)

Total population (thousands)



with migration

321 077

without migration

329 897

^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.

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