

# NTS FAST FACTS

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## **MIGRATION** Compiled by S. Nanthini

In 2020, there were 280.6 million migrants in the world, 23.58 million of whom are from Southeast Asia (including Timor Leste). Of the 10.6 million number of international migrants living and working in Southeast Asia, 7.09 million of migrants are from the region.

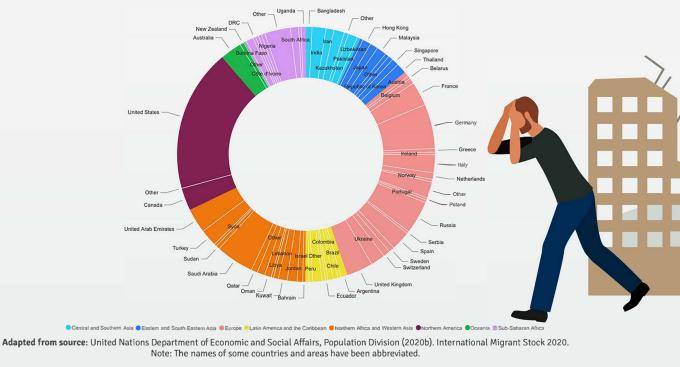


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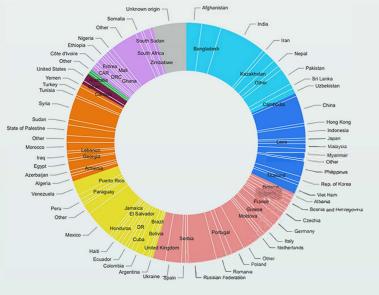
Proportionate distribution of international migrants, by region and country or area of destination, 2020



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Proportionate distribution of international migrants, by region and country or area of origin, 2020





Central and Southern Asia Eastern and South-Eastern Asia Europe Latin America and the Caribbean Northern Africa and Western Asia Northern America Oceania Sub-Saharan Africa Unknown origin

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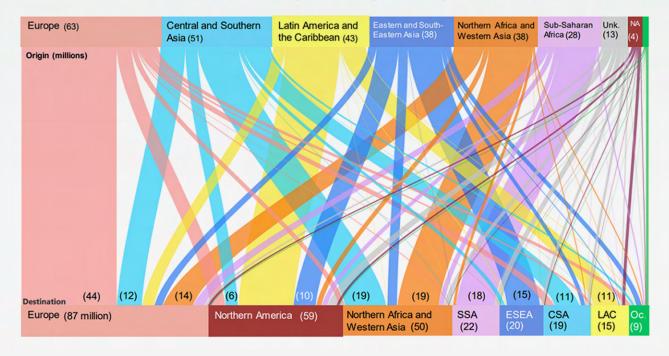
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#### ESTIMATE OF REMITTANCE INFLOWS (MILLIONS OF US\$)



Adapted from source: : World Bank, "Annual Remittances Data (updated as of October 2020)", < https://www.worldbank.org/en/topic/labormarkets/brief/migration-and-remittances>, Graph is by S. Nanthini

#### **MIGRATORY INFLOWS AND OUTFLOWS**



#### Number of international migrants, by regions of origin and destination, 2020

Adapted from source: : Source: United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division (2020b). International Migrant Stock 2020. Note: The category "Unk." refers to unknown origin, the category "NA" to Northern America, the category "Oc." to Oceania, the category "SSA" to sub-Saharan Africa, the category "ESEA" to Eastern and South-Eastern Asia, the category "LAC" to Latin America and the Caribbean, the category "CSA" to Central and Southern Asia