

Mobility of Italian citizens in Eu and Efta countries

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Mobility of Italian citizens is one of the highest among EU-15 nationals; new data have become increasingly available from Eurostat in the framework of Regulation 862/2007, for the most part obtained from population registers. Along with data from surveys they show that migrations of Italian citizens are steadily growing since the middle of the first decade of the 2000s so that Italy has become a country of emigration in the EU-28 and EFTA countries migration system.

In perspective new statistical practices can be implemented by linking the individual data of Italian migrants with other administrative data in order to investigate specific characteristics of Italian immigrants and/or to monitor their usual residence in the host country.