

International and internal migration Year 2013

During 2013, 307,000 people immigrated to Italy, compared to 351,000 people who immigrated during the previous year.

The decline in immigration was mainly due to the decrease in the number of foreign immigrants (from 321,000 in 2012 to 279,000 in 2013). In the same year, also the number of Italian immigrants showed a decrease from 29 000 to 28 000.

Among immigrants, the largest number of entries were counted for Romanian (58,000), Moroccan (20,000), Chinese (17,000), and Ukrainian (14,000) nationals.

There was a decrease of the number of immigrants with Ecuadorian (-37% fewer than in the previous year), Ivorian (-36%), Romanian (-29%) and Macedonian (-26%) nationals.

In 2013, 126,000 emigrants left the Country, which is higher than the 106,000 people who emigrated during the previous year. The fall in immigration and the rise of emigration drove a decrease in net migration (+182,000 in 2013, compared to +245,000 in the previous year).

The increase in emigration was mainly due to the rise in the number of national emigrants (from 68,000 in 2012 to 82,000 in 2013). In the same year, also the number of foreign emigrants showed an increase from 38,000 to 44,000.

United Kingdom, Germany, Switzerland and France were the top countries for emigration of nationals in 2013.

More than 30% of nationals over 24 years that emigrated (62,000) were graduates.

FIGURE 1. IMMIGRATION, EMIGRATION AND NET MIGRATION. Years 2007-2013, in thousand

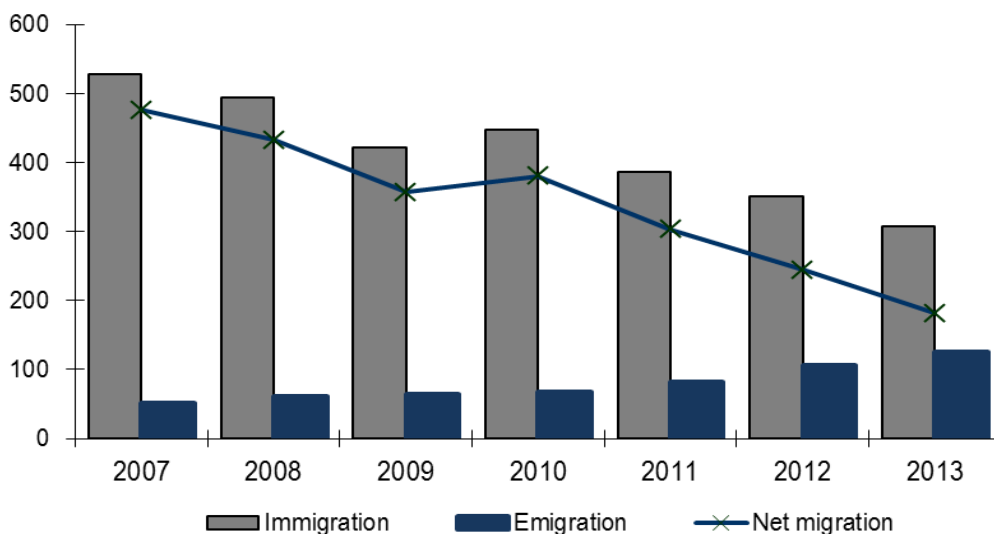


TABLE 1. INTERNATIONAL MIGRATIONS BY CITIZENSHIP. Years 2007- 2013

COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
IMMIGRATION							
Italy	36,693	32,118	29,330	28,192	31,466	29,467	28,433
Europe (excluding Italy)	377,687	293,962	213,540	213,905	179,138	152,695	123,202
EU	312,484	198,092	130,434	117,040	113,808	104,078	77,483
<i>of which: Romania</i>	261,273	162,277	100,680	90,895	90,096	81,666	58,227
Non-EU countries	65,203	95,870	83,106	96,865	65,330	48,617	45,719
<i>of which: Albania</i>	21,926	33,339	25,545	22,248	16,613	14,118	12,165
Africa	44,164	71,191	68,833	75,035	64,283	65,025	62,827
<i>of which: Morocco</i>	19,720	35,382	30,727	29,618	23,885	19,590	19,568
Asia	35,771	57,067	69,042	86,076	76,176	76,078	70,104
<i>of which: China</i>	9,363	11,945	16,606	22,535	20,055	20,463	17,592
America	32,489	39,739	40,778	44,188	34,435	27,219	22,612
Oceania	292	277	314	323	270	255	274
Stateless persons	27	40	22	25	25	33	2
Total	527,123	494,394	421,859	447,744	385,793	350,772	307,454
EMIGRATION							
Italy	36,299	39,536	39,024	39,545	50,057	67,998	82,095
Europe (excluding Italy)	9,189	15,602	17,477	17,122	19,948	23,899	27,618
EU	6,957	12,485	13,469	12,205	14,396	16,467	19,035
<i>of which: Romania</i>	2,742	6,392	7,720	6,437	7,693	9,131	11,014
Non-EU countries	2,232	3,117	4,008	4,917	5,552	7,432	8,583
<i>of which: Albania</i>	609	753	1,085	1,279	1,525	1,794	2,296
Africa	1,606	2,035	2,709	3,632	3,955	4,719	5,231
<i>of which: Morocco</i>	651	822	1,234	1,719	1,761	1,960	2,418
Asia	2,317	2,316	3,424	4,666	5,534	6,276	6,893
<i>of which: China</i>	580	602	853	1,303	1,672	1,773	1,943
America	1,650	2,114	2,219	2,465	2,879	3,244	3,812
Oceania	52	65	63	67	84	75	85
Stateless persons	-	3	5	4	4	5	1
Total	51,113	61,671	64,921	67,501	82,461	106,216	125,735

FIGURE 2. IMMIGRATION, EMIGRATION AND NET MIGRATION OF ITALIAN CITIZENS. Years 2007-2013, in thousand

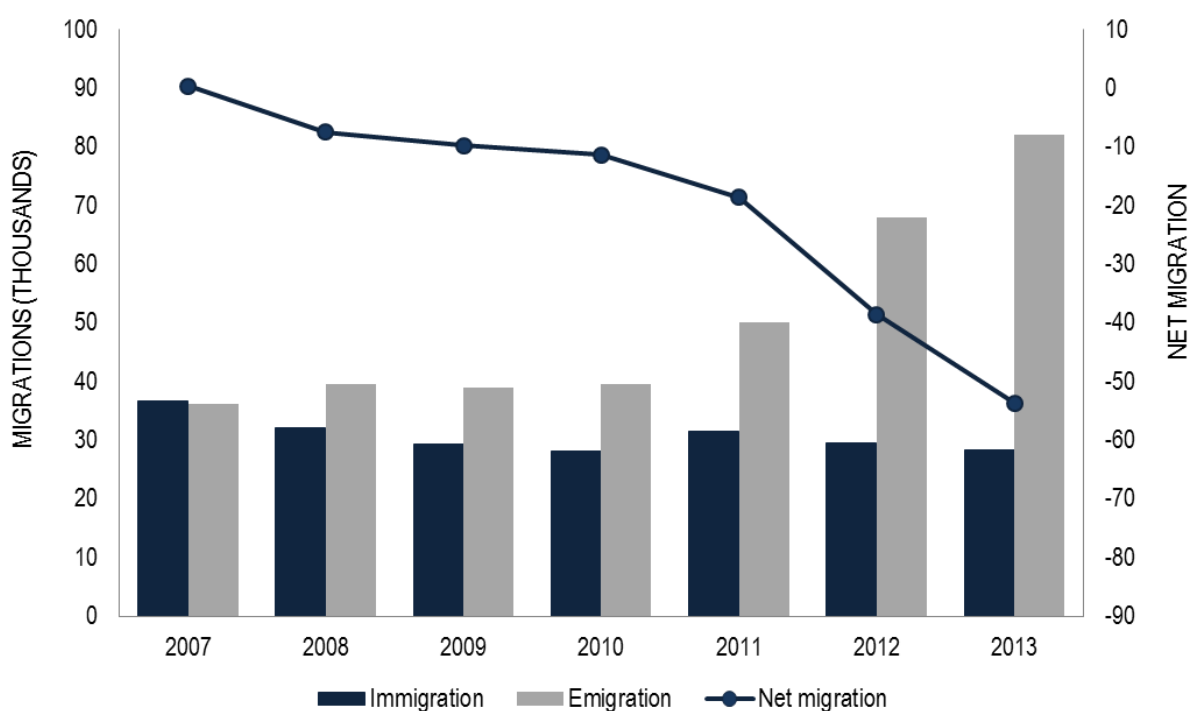


TABLE 2. ITALIAN CITIZENS REGISTERED AND DEREGISTERED BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN AND DESTINATION. Year 2013, in thousand

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN/DESTINATION	Immigration	Emigration	Net migration
United Kingdom	2,152	12,962	-10,810
Germany	4,132	11,441	-7,309
Switzerland	2,625	9,872	-7,247
France	1,735	7,976	-6,241
United States of America	2,126	4,822	-2,696
Spain	1,415	3,961	-2,546
Brazil	1,701	3,398	-1,697
Belgium	738	2,429	-1,691
Argentina	838	1,742	-904
Australia	497	1,556	-1,059
Austria	223	1,387	-1,164
Netherlands	328	1,260	-932
Canada	376	1,085	-709
China	480	987	-507
Ireland	211	970	-759
<i>Other Countries</i>	8,856	16,247	-7,391
Total	28,433	82,095	-53,662

During 2013, 1 million and 362,000 people changed the residence between Italian Municipalities.

The vast majority (1 million and 28,000 people) changed the residence within the same region, while 335,000 people chose a different region of residence.

The number of foreign citizens that migrated within the Country is 249,000 in 2013.

TABLE 3. TRANSFERS OF RESIDENCE BETWEEN ITALIAN MUNICIPALITIES BY TYPE OF MOVEMENT. Years 2007-2013, absolute values, percentages and percentage change

YEARS	In the same region				Between different regions		Total	Percentage change on the previous year
	Within the same province	%	Between different provinces	%	Absolute values	%		
2007	852,537	61,8	193,179	14,0	333,815	24,2	1,379,531	-
2008	856,494	61,7	191,099	13,8	341,154	24,6	1,388,747	0,7
2009	806,653	61,4	183,095	13,9	323,015	24,6	1,312,763	-5,5
2010	816,030	60,7	202,178	15,0	327,258	24,3	1,345,466	2,5
2011	825,366	60,8	204,805	15,1	327,866	24,1	1,358,037	0,9
2012	938,225	60,3	236,851	15,2	381,251	24,5	1,556,327	14,6
2013	818,622	60,1	208,988	15,3	334,689	24,6	1,362,299	-12,5

Methodological note

Official statistics on migration flows are based on the changes of residence administrative source, which Istat carries out every year. It highlights synthetically the main aspects, quantity and characteristics of the migration flows. This source, based on individual forms, reports both the origin and the destination of the flows, whether someone moves within the national territory from one municipality to another, or to and from abroad. The data source includes information on the main socio-demographic characteristics of migrants, such as citizenship, place and date of birth, gender, marital status, and education degree.

At <http://demo.istat.it>, in the "Other data" section, historical series data starting from 1995 are published. More detailed data are available online by consulting the datawarehouse I.Stat at <http://dati.istat.it/>. At <http://demo.istat.it>, in the "Other data" section, historical series data starting from 1995 are published.

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