

UNECE Task Force on Migration Statistics

UNECE Questionnaire on International Migration Statistics:

Building a crosswalk of definitions on international migration and exploring methods to estimate “difficult to measure” migrant groups

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The UNECE Questionnaire on International Migration Statistics has two main objectives:

1. To review how national statistical offices (NSO) in the ECE region define migrant stocks and migration flows. Information collected through this questionnaire will be used to build a crosswalk between definitions and typologies used in countries.
2. To collect information on practices and methodologies used to define and estimate “difficult to measure” international migrant groups. This information will be used to make a review of practices/methodologies utilised in countries.

The questionnaire is composed of two main sections:

- ◆ Data sources and definitions on international migrant *stocks* (section I.a) and migration *flows* (section I.b)
- ◆ Practices/methodologies used to count/estimate “*difficult to measure*” international migrant groups (section II)

Your collaboration is needed to collect this important information and make progress in improving migration statistics at national and international level.

DEFINITIONS OF POPULATION GROUPS RELEVANT TO STATISTICS ON INTERNATIONAL MIGRATION

Please read the following definitions carefully. Any difference existing between the definitions below and the definitions used in your country for official statistics, for the same population groups, should be reported in questions at pages 4-12.

1. Foreign born: persons born outside the country where they currently reside, regardless of their citizenship. Persons born in the country are defined as native.
2. Foreigners: persons who do not have the citizenship of the country where they currently reside. Foreigners can be foreign born or native. Persons having the citizenship of the country are defined as nationals.
3. Descendants of foreign born: persons born in the country whose parents were both born abroad* (this group is often referred to as the “second generation”)
4. Persons with foreign background: persons whose parents were both born outside the country. This group is composed of two sub-groups:
 - a) foreign-born persons whose parents were also both foreign born*
 - b) descendants of foreign born (*please see point 3 above*)In order to identify persons with foreign background it is necessary to know the country of birth of both parents.
5. Ever-international migrants: an international migrant is any person who changes his or her country of usual residence[†]. According to this definition, the stock of *ever-international migrants* in a country is the set of persons who have ever changed their country of usual residence. This group includes all foreign born plus natives who have ever resided abroad.
6. Returned citizens: Nationals that have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country.
7. Members of specific/selected ethnic groups: the group of persons belonging to certain ethnicities. Ethnicity is based on a shared understanding of the history and territorial origins of an ethnic group or community as well as on particular cultural characteristics: language and/or religion and/or specific customs and ways of life. In the context of this questionnaire, it is particularly important to collect information on those cases where ethnicity is used to identify international immigrants and their descendants.

* Countries may use different criteria to define descendants of foreign born or persons with foreign background. If so, please indicate in the questions at pages 4-11 the exact definitions used in your country (for example, the definition of descendants of foreign born might include persons having only one parent born abroad or, in other instances, reference could be made to citizenship at birth).

[†] The country of usual residence is the country where the person usually resides. A country should be considered as one person's country of usual residence when the person has resided - or intends to reside - there for 12 months or more.

SECTION I.a

DATA SOURCES AND DEFINITIONS ON STOCKS OF INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS

Section I.a reviews data sources and definitions on stocks of international migrants utilised by national statistical offices (NSO). The objectives of this section are the following:

- To identify which population groups are most often used to define and count the stock of international migrants in each country;
- To understand the exact meaning of terms used to identify the various population groups (*for example, in some countries the foreign born does not include nationals who were born abroad*); and
- To identify the available data sources.

ST1. Experience of many countries shows that various population groups can be used to identify the stock of international immigrants living in a given country. Please indicate which of the following population groups is more often used in your country (*For example, think of the figure(s) you would give to a journalist asking the size of international migrants living your country*):
(multiple answer is possible; three at maximum)

- Foreign born
- Foreigners
- Persons with foreign background
- Ever-international migrants
- Returned citizens
- Members of specific/selected ethnic groups
- Other, please specify: _____

A) POPULATION REGISTER**A1. Does this data source exist in your country?**

- Yes → Please indicate latest year for which data are available ____
- No → Please go to section B

A2. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data are available for at least one of the mentioned population groups, please continue with question A3; if not, go to section B)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad for at least one year)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and now reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Members of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition ____
Other, please specify: ____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition ____

A3. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to include individuals in the stock of immigrants on the basis of this source:

- No
- Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
- 3 months 6 months 12 months
- long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify ____

A4. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Citizens from countries with free-entry agreements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dependants (cohabitating family members of the reference person, e.g. the holder of a permit of stay)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons, please specify ____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

B) FOREIGNERS' REGISTER

B1. Does this data source exist in your country?

- Yes → Please indicate latest year for which data are available ____
 No → Please go to section C

B2. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question B3; if not go to section C)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → ____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other , please specify: ____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition _____

B3. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrants on the basis of this source:

- No
 Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
 3 months 6 months 12 months
 long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify ____

B4. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Citizens from countries with free-entry agreements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dependants (cohabitating family members of the reference person, e.g. the holder of a permit of stay)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/ foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons , please specify ____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

C) RESIDENCE OR STAY PERMITS

C1. Does this data source exist in your country?

- Yes → Please indicate latest year for which data are available _____
- No → Please go to section D

C2. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question C3; if not go to section D)

<i>(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)</i>	The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born <i>(all persons born abroad)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreigners <i>(all persons without national citizenship)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born <i>(all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons with foreign background <i>(all persons whose parents were both born abroad)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants <i>(all persons having resided abroad)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups <i>(all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Please specify exact definition _____

C3. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrants on the basis of this source:

- No
- Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
- 3 months 6 months 12 months
 long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

C4. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons living in institutions (<i>shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum-seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Citizens from countries with free-entry agreements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dependants (<i>cohabitating family members of the reference person, e.g. the holder of a permit of stay</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (<i>persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/ foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons, please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

D) OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE DATA SOURCES (e.g. police registrations, health insurances, social insurance registers, etc.) - **Please specify** _____

D1. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question D2; if not go to section E)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country exactly corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition _____

D2. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrants on the basis of this source:

No

Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:

3 months

6 months

12 months

long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

D3. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Citizens from countries with free-entry agreements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dependants (cohabitating family members of the reference person, e.g. the holder of a permit of stay)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/ foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons, please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

E) LATEST POPULATION CENSUS (N.B.: countries not having a traditional census should make reference to the last census-like data collection)

E1. Does this data source exist in your country?

- Yes → Please indicate year of last census and continue with question E2 year _____
 No → Please go to section F

E2. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question E2; if not go to section F)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other , please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No _____	Please specify exact definition _____

E3. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to include individuals in the resident population on the basis of this source:

- No
 Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
 3 months 6 months 12 months
 long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

E4. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/ foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons , please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

F) NEXT POPULATION CENSUS (N.B.: please consider all types of censuses, including traditional censuses, census carried out with new methods such as rolling censuses, and register-based censuses)

F1. Will you have a census between 2008 and 2015?

- Yes → Please continue with question F2
 No → Please go to section G

F2. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question F2; if not go to section G)

(If "yes" please provide the information requested in the next column)	The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?	
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition _____

F3. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to include individuals in the resident population on the basis of this source:

- No
 Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
 3 months 6 months 12 months
 long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____
 Not decided yet

F4. Please indicate if the following groups of persons will be included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not decided yet
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not decided yet
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not decided yet
Foreign diplomatic personnel/foreign personnel of international organisations and their dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not decided yet
Other group of persons, please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not decided yet

G) HOUSEHOLD SAMPLE SURVEY (e.g. labour force survey) - Please specify _____
 (N.B.: Reference should be made to household sample surveys carried out by the NSO presenting large samples able to produce estimates about the size of the population groups below)

G1. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question G2; if not go to section H)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other , please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition _____

G2. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrant on the basis of this source:

No

Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:

3 months

6 months

12 months

long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

G3. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons , please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

H) OTHER HOUSEHOLD SAMPLE SURVEY - Please specify _____

(N.B.: Reference should be made to household sample surveys carried out by the NSO presenting large samples able to produce estimates about the size of the population groups below)

H1. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question H2; if not go to section I)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)		The definition used in your country <u>exactly</u> corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No → please specify exact definition _____
Other , please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No	Please specify exact definition _____

H2. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrant on the basis of this source:

No

Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:

3 months

6 months

12 months

long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

H3. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons , please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

I) OTHER DATA SOURCES (e.g. data compiled from multiple data sources, data based on estimation methods) - **Please specify** _____

11. Please indicate whether this data source provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and supply latest figure for the groups for which data are available: (if data is available for at least one of the mentioned population groups please continue with question I2; if not go to question ST2)

(If "yes" please provide the total count/estimate for the population group for latest available year)	The definition used in your country exactly corresponds to the definition described at page 2?
Foreign born (all persons born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreigners (all persons without national citizenship)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Descendants of foreign born (all persons born in the country and whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons with foreign background (all persons whose parents were both born abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Ever-international migrants (all persons having resided abroad)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Returned citizens (national citizens who have resided abroad for at least one year and currently reside in the country)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Member of specific/selected ethnic groups (all persons belonging to certain ethnicities)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No

12. Please indicate if a minimal duration of residence/stay in the country is used to count individuals in the stock of immigrant on the basis of this source:

- No
- Yes → if yes, what duration threshold is used:
- 3 months 6 months 12 months
- long-term residence, without an explicit minimal duration other, please specify _____

13. Please indicate if the following groups of persons are included in this data source: (please consider the definitions used, irrespective of operational problems of enumeration)

Persons <u>without</u> legal status to live in the country	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Persons living in institutions (shelters, hospitals, jails, old people homes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Citizens from countries with free-entry agreements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Dependants (cohabitating family members of the reference person, e.g. the holder of a permit of stay)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Children/minors (persons under a certain age threshold e.g. below 18 or 14 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Foreign diplomatic personnel/ foreign personnel of international organisations and dependants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other group of persons, please specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

ST2. Please indicate whether any of the following data sources also provide a statistical count/estimate on nationals living abroad/emigrants:

Population Register	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Population Census (2000 Round)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Population Census (2010 Round)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Embassy/Consulate Register	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Police Registration (please specify _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Household Sample Survey (please specify _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other (please specify _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

SECTION I.b

DATA SOURCES AND DEFINITIONS OF INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS: FLOWS

The second part of section I focuses on data sources and definitions on flows of international migrants. In particular, this part aims to identify data sources and definitions used for measuring immigration and emigration flows utilised in the annual population balance/population balancing equation as part of official statistics (question FL1 to FL9). Thus, the objectives of this section are the following:

- To enquire the requirements (in terms of duration of stay and possession of legal status) a person has to fulfil to be counted in the flows of international migrants in the basic ; and
- To collect information on adjustments/corrections utilised to improve accuracy of data on migration flows.

Data sources providing statistical counts/estimates of international migration flows that are not used in the *annual population balance/population balancing equation* should be reported in question FL10.

FL1. Are data on international migration flows included in the calculation of the annual population balance/population balancing equation of your country?

- Yes → Please continue with question FL2
 No → Please go to question FL10

INTERNATIONAL IMMIGRATION FLOWS

FL2. Please indicate which data source(s) is (are) utilized to estimate immigration flows included in the annual population balance/population balancing equation? (multiple answer is possible)

- a) Population Register
- b) Register of foreign citizens
- c) Residence/stay permits
- d) Visas
- e) Other police registration (please specify _____)
- f) Other registration system (please specify _____)
- g) Applications for asylum
- h) Border cards (administrative data)
- i) Border sample survey
- j) Labour Force Survey
- k) Other sample surveys (please specify _____)
- l) Data from other countries (please specify _____)
- m) Other data source (please specify _____)

FL3. Please indicate which requirements, in terms of duration of stay in the country, a person has to fulfil to be counted as an immigrant in data source(s) selected in question FL2 (if more than one source was selected, please refer to the main source)?

- a) **Duration of stay** in the country longer than a minimal threshold

If a minimal duration is used, please specify its **length**:

- 3 months
- 6 months
- 12 months
- Other, please specify: _____

If a minimal **duration** is used, please specify if **reference** is made to:

- Expected duration
- Duration of legal stay according to official document
- Actual duration (measured ex-post)
- Other, please specify: _____

- b) **Long-term residence** in the country, without an explicit minimal duration
- c) **No specific requirement on duration** of stay in the country
- d) **Other**, please specify: _____

FL4. Does the possession of legal status to enter and stay in the country represent a necessary requirement to be counted as an immigrant in the data source(s) selected at question FL2?

- Yes No

FL5. Are data from source(s) selected in question FL2 adjusted/revised/corrected in order to improve their accuracy when measuring immigration flows?

- Yes → please provide details _____
- No, it's not necessary because data are sufficiently accurate
- No, it's not possible because of legal/regulatory constraints
- No, because an adequate adjustment methodology has not been developed
- No, for other reasons (please provide details _____)

INTERNATIONAL EMIGRATION FLOWS

FL6. Please indicate which data source(s) is (are) utilized to estimate emigration flows included in the annual population balance/population balancing equation? (multiple answer is possible)

- a) Population Register
- b) Register of foreign citizens
- c) Residence/Stay Permits
- d) Visas
- e) Other police registration (please specify _____)
- f) Other registration system (please specify _____)
- g) Applications for asylum
- h) Border cards (administrative data)
- i) Border sample survey
- j) Labour Force Survey
- k) Other sample surveys (please specify _____)
- l) Data from other countries (please specify _____)
- m) Other data source (please specify _____)

FL7. Please indicate which requirements, in terms of duration of stay abroad, a person has to fulfil to be counted as an emigrant in the data source(s) selected in question FL6?

Duration of stay abroad longer than a minimal threshold

If a minimal duration is used, please specify its **length**:

- 3 months
- 6 months
- 12 months
- Other, please specify: _____

If a minimal **duration** is used, please specify if **reference** is made to:

- Expected duration
- Duration of legal stay according to official document
- Actual duration (measured ex-post)
- Other, please specify: _____

Long-term residence abroad, without an explicit minimal duration

No specific requirement on duration of stay abroad

Other, please specify: _____

FL8. Does the possession of legal status to enter and stay in the country represent a necessary requirement to be counted as an emigrant in the data source(s) selected at question FL6?

Yes No

FL9. Are data from data source(s) selected in question FL6 adjusted/revised/corrected in order to improve their accuracy to measure emigration flows?

Yes → please provide details _____

- No, it's not necessary because data are sufficiently accurate
- No, it's not possible because of legal/regulatory constraints
- No, because an adequate adjustment methodology has not been developed
- No, for other reasons (please provide details _____)

FL10. Please indicate which data source(s) provide statistical counts/estimates of international migration flows that are not included in the annual population balance/population balancing equation? (multiple answer)

	<i>Inflows</i>	<i>Outflows</i>
a) Population Register	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) Register of foreign citizens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) Residence/Stay Permits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d) Visas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e) Other police registration (please specify_____)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f) Other registration system (please specify_____)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g) Applications for asylum	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h) Border cards (administrative data)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i) Border sample survey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
j) Labour Force Survey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
k) Other sample surveys (please specify_____)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
l) Data from other countries (please specify_____)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
m) Other data source (please specify_____)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION II

PRACTICES/METHODOLOGIES USED TO ESTIMATE “DIFFICULT TO MEASURE” INTERNATIONAL MIGRANT GROUPS

Section II of the questionnaire explores practices/methodologies used for the estimation of “difficult to measure” international migrant groups.

In many countries, certain migrant groups, such as irregular or trafficked migrants, attract the attention of policy makers, analysts, and the media. However, for many reasons, these groups are often difficult to define precisely and to enumerate.

The overall objective of this section is to explore existing practices and methods, trying to collect information on different ways “difficult to measure” groups are defined and estimated in UNECE member countries. More precisely, the objectives of this section are the following:

- To explore the relevance of “difficult to measure” international migrant groups within the UNECE member countries;
- To identify the “difficult to measure” international migrant group(s) for whom the provision of a statistical count/estimates (on the size of the population group) represents an issue;
- To know whether estimates of “difficult to measure” international migrant group(s) are provided within the framework of official statistics (National statistical offices or other governmental agencies) or by other data providers, such as research institutes, universities and/or NGO’s; and
- To collect information on the methodology utilised for the calculation/estimation of “difficult to measure” international migrant group(s).

Information for “difficult to measure” international migrant groups is often collected separately by different actors. Thus, this section will ask for statistical data produced by the national statistical office (DM3 and DM4), as well as for estimates produced by other governmental agencies (DM5) and by private or public institutions such as research centres, universities or NGO’s (DM6).

II. 'Difficult to measure' groups

DM1. Please indicate which of the following population groups is **relevant in the context of your country** (e.g. often referred to in the public debate): *(multiple answer is possible; five at maximum)*

- Short-term migrants *(duration of stay up to 12 months)*
- Irregular/undocumented migrants
- Refugees/forced migrants
- Asylum seekers
- Transit migrants
- Circular migrants
- Trafficked migrants
- Unaccompanied minors
- Other, please specify: _____

DM2. Please indicate for which of the following population groups the provision of a **statistical count/estimates** (on the size of the population group) in your country represents an issue, i.e. data are not available or data are not sufficiently accurate: *(multiple answer is possible)*

- Short-term migrants *(duration of stay up to 12 months)*
- Irregular/undocumented migrants
- Refugees/forced migrants
- Asylum seekers
- Transit migrants
- Circular migrants
- Trafficked migrants
- Unaccompanied minors
- Other, please specify: _____

If you have any additional comment(s) on question DM1 and/or DM2, please specify below:

II. 'Difficult to measure' groups

DM3. Please indicate whether the national statistical office (NSO) of your country provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and specify the methodologies adopted for its calculation/estimation:

N.B.: If a statistical count/estimate of one or more of these "difficult to measure" group(s) is not provided by your country's national statistical office, such a count may be provided by another governmental agency, research institute, university and/or NGO of your country. Should this apply in the case of any of the "difficult to measure" groups listed below, please fill in the appropriate part(s) of questions DM 5 and/or DM6.

<i>(If "yes" please provide the information requested in the next column)</i>		Methodologies utilised to estimate the size of the population	
Short-term migrants <i>(duration of stay up to 12 months)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Irregular/undocumented migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Transit migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:

II. 'Difficult to measure' groups

DM3 (cont.) Please indicate whether the national statistical office (NSO) of your country provides a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and specify the methodologies adopted for its calculation/estimation:

(If "yes" please provide the information requested in the next column)		Methodologies utilised to estimate the size of the population	
Circular migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Trafficked migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Unaccompanied minors	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources a) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa or entry refusals b) <input type="checkbox"/> Asylum refusals c) <input type="checkbox"/> Residence or work permit refusals d) <input type="checkbox"/> Entry or border infractions e) <input type="checkbox"/> Work or job infractions f) <input type="checkbox"/> Visa overstays g) <input type="checkbox"/> Regularisation programs h) Other, specify	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods i) <input type="checkbox"/> Sex ratios j) <input type="checkbox"/> Births and deaths k) <input type="checkbox"/> School attendance l) <input type="checkbox"/> Social and health benefits m) Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify:

If you have any documentation on the methodology utilised for the estimation of the population groups selected above, please send it to the UNECE Secretariat.

DM4. Please specify the data source providing a statistical count/estimate of the population group(s) indicated in question DM3, and provide the exact definition used to identify the group(s):

Data source	Definition
Short-term migrants <i>(duration of stay up to 12 months)</i>	_____ _____ _____
Irregular/undocumented migrants	_____ _____ _____
Refugees	_____ _____ _____
Asylum seekers	_____ _____ _____
Transit migrants	_____ _____ _____
Circular migrants	_____ _____ _____
Trafficked migrants	_____ _____ _____
Unaccompanied minors	_____ _____ _____
Other, please specify: _____	_____ _____ _____

II. 'Difficult to measure' groups

DM5. Please indicate whether any other **governmental agency** of your country (e.g. ministry, police, local authorities, etc.) provide a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and specify the methodologies adopted for its calculation/estimation:

<i>(If "yes" please provide the information requested in the next column)</i>		Methodologies utilised to estimate the size of the population
Short-term migrants <i>(duration of stay up to 12 months)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Irregular/undocumented migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Transit migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Circular migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Trafficked migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Unaccompanied minors	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Other , please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known

If you have any documentation on the methodology utilised for the estimation of the population groups selected above, please send it to the UNECE Secretariat.

II. 'Difficult to measure' groups

DM6. Please indicate whether any **research institute, university and/or NGO** in your country provide a statistical count/estimate of the following population groups and specify the methodologies adopted for its calculation/estimation:

<i>(If "yes" please provide the information requested in the next column)</i>		Methodologies utilised to estimate the size of the population
Short-term migrants <i>(duration of stay up to 12 months)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Irregular/undocumented migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Refugees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Transit migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Circular migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Trafficked migrants	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Unaccompanied Minors	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known
Other, please specify: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on sample surveys or census <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on administrative data sources <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on indirect methods <input type="checkbox"/> Estimation based on other methods , please specify: <input type="checkbox"/> Methodology not known

If you have any documentation on the methodology utilised for the estimation of the population groups selected above, please send it to the UNECE Secretariat.

