

Report of the Secretary-General on International Migration and Development

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Overview of Findings and Recommendations

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Who is an International Migrant?

- No universally agreed definition
- UN Statistical Commission: An international migrant is anyone who **changes his/her country of usual residence**
- “Migrant stock” refers to population of international migrants at a given moment

In practice, two definitions are used:

- Current residents who are **citizens of another country** (the “foreign” population)
- Current residents who were **born in another country** (“foreign-born” population)



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International Migrants: Key Facts

- 244 million worldwide in 2015
- Between 1990 and 2015, global total increased by over 91 million, or 60 per cent
- 3.3 per cent of the world's population
- Nearly 58 per cent reside in more developed regions
- Women comprise 48 per cent of global total
- Globally, 72 per cent are between 20 and 64 years old

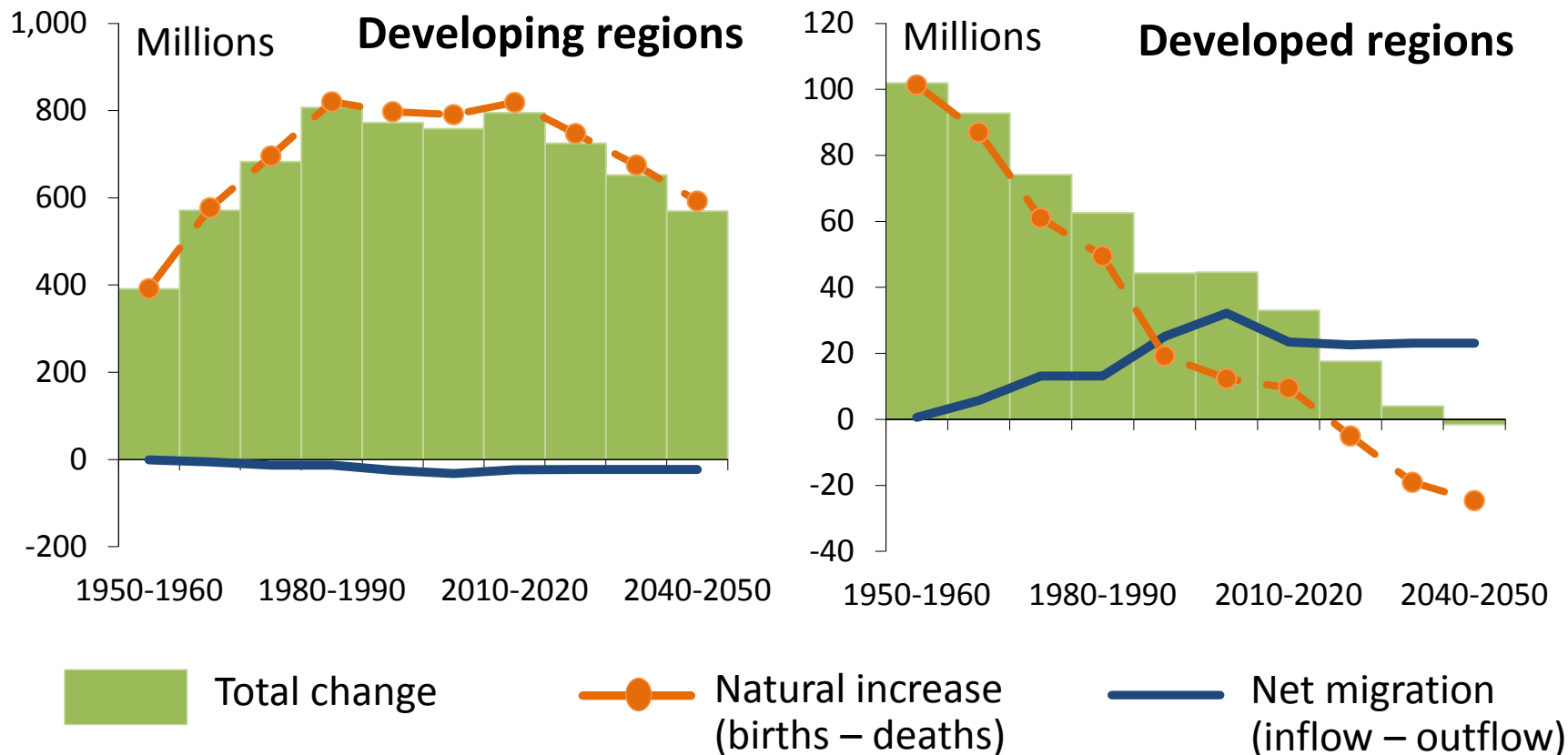


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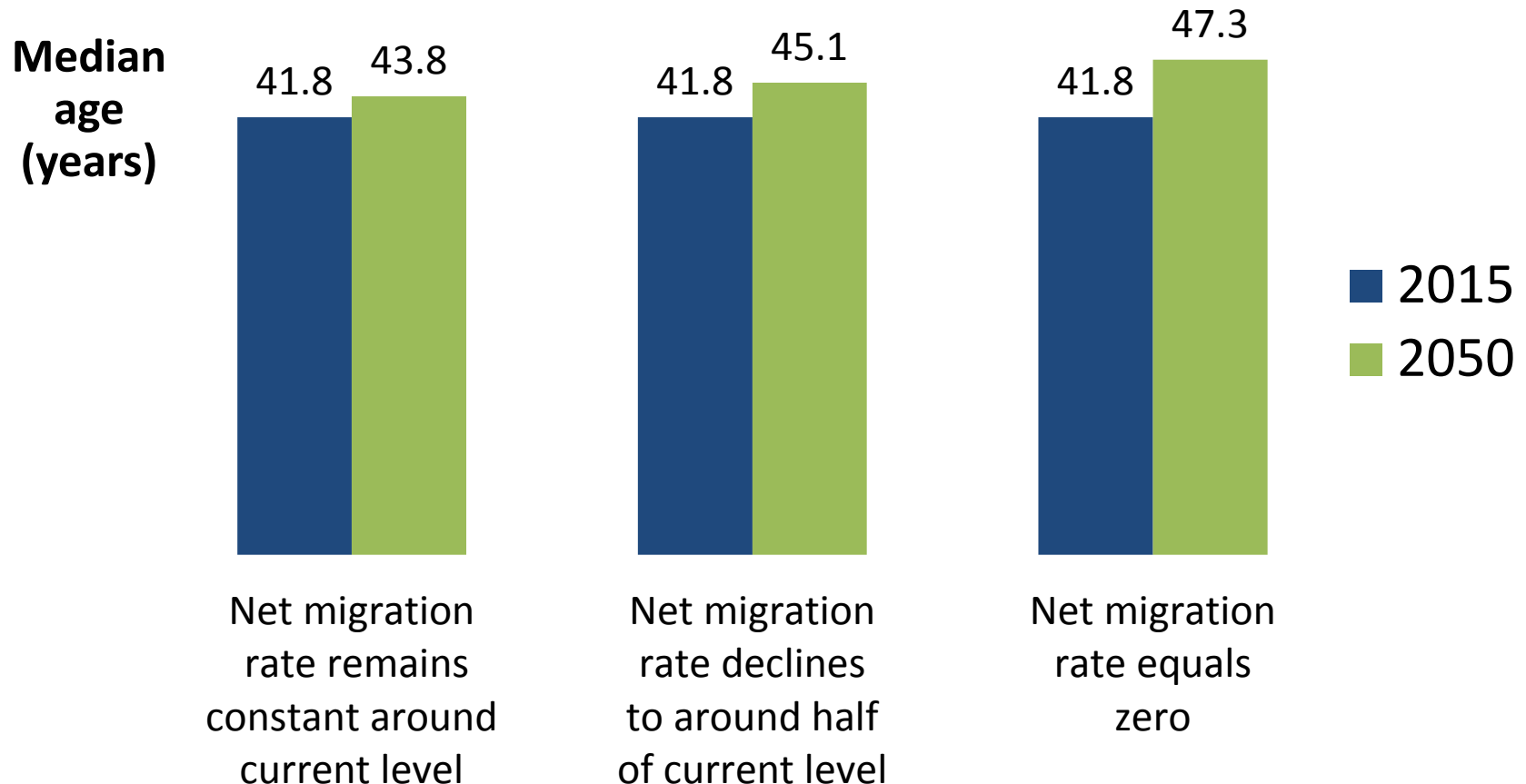
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Contribution of International Migration to Population Change



Impact of International Migration on Population Ageing in Europe



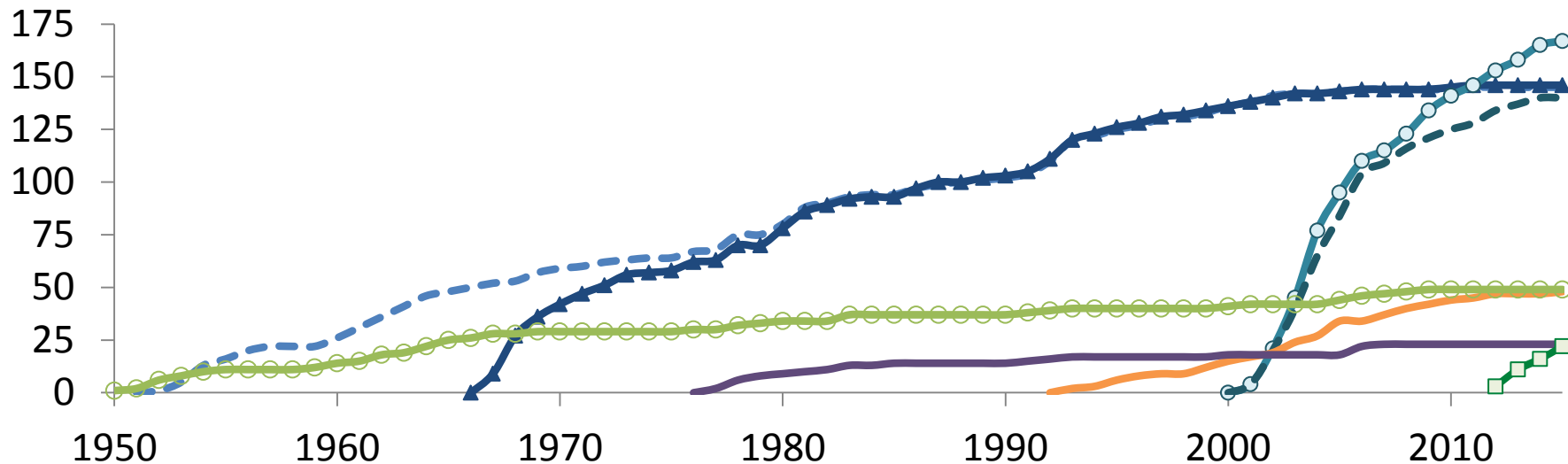
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Ratification of International Instruments

Number of States Parties



— 1951 Refugee Convention

—▲ 1967 Refugee Protocol

—○ 2000 Human Trafficking Protocol

— 2000 Migrant Smuggling Protocol

— 1990 Migrant Workers Convention

—○ 1949 ILO Migration for Employment Convention (No. 97)

— 1975 ILO Migrant Workers Convention (No. 143)

—□ 2013 ILO Domestic Workers Convention (No. 189)

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SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



Strengthen and retain health workforce in developing countries (3.c)

4 QUALITY EDUCATION



Increase the number of scholarships for study abroad (4.b)

5 GENDER EQUALITY



Eradicate human trafficking (5.2)

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



Eradicate human trafficking (8.7)
Protect labour rights of migrant workers (8.8)

10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



Facilitate orderly, safe, regular & responsible migration (10.7)
Reduce transaction costs of remittances (10.c)

16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



Eradicate human trafficking (16.2)
Ensure legal identity through birth registration (16.9)

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



Disaggregate data by migratory status (17.18)

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Implementing the 2030 Agenda

Activities of Global Migration Group and others

1.	Protect migrant rights and upholding refugee protection	ECE, ILO, IOM, OHCHR, UNDP, UNESCO, UNHCR, UNICEF, UN Women, etc.
2.	Designing well-managed migration policies	ECA, ESCAP, ILO, IOM, OHCHR, SRSG, UNHCR, UNITAR, UNODC, WHO, etc.
3.	Leveraging migration for development	ESCAP, FAO, IFAD, IOM, UNCTAD, UNDP, World Bank, etc.
4.	Improving migration data and research	ECE, ESCWA, DESA, IOM, UNFPA, World Bank, etc.
5.	Strengthen partnerships and cooperation	ESCWA, GFMD, GMG, IOM, SRSG, etc.



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The Third High-level Dialogue on International Migration and Development:

Proposals on modalities and linkages to other bodies and processes



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Timing of Third HLD: Three Scenarios



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General proposals for future HLDs on International Migration and Development

Purposes	1. Follow-up to previous HLDs on International Migration and Development
	2. Contribute to thematic review of 2030 Agenda
	3. Follow-up to the 2016 Summit and 2018 conference
Periodicity	Every 4 years, starting in late 2017 or early 2018



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Specific proposals for the Third HLD

Additional purpose	4. Contribute to negotiations on global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration
Duration	Two-day event, as in 2006 and 2013
Format	Plenary meetings with concurrent round-tables
Opening	Secretary-General, President of the General Assembly, etc.
Participation	Member States and observers, UN entities, etc.
Themes of round tables	(a) Review implementation of Declaration from Second HLD (b) Review progress toward migration-related SDGs, etc. (c) Review implementation of commitments from 2016 Summit (d) Preparations for 2018 conference (depends on timing)
Civil society	Informal interactive hearings under authority of the President of the General Assembly
Outcome	Summary or negotiated outcome



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