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Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Gender

Gender	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Male	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238,552
Female	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76,493
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315,045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Educational Level

Educational Level	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Illiterate	271009	257591	259774	267064	306303	298908
Literate without Formal Education	2787	2269	2040	1978	1989	1746
Below Secondary Education	1610	1392	1269	1214	1132	990
Vocational Apprenticeship	72	63	52	57	50	41
Secondary Education	496	430	398	367	349	311
Intermediate Diploma	20942	17298	15185	14512	13653	12242
Bachelor's	1009	812	684	626	562	497
Graduate Degree	415	408	395	376	369	309
N/A	1	0	1	3	3	1
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Age Group

Age Group	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
15-19	8013	6965	7595	6165	10084	10045
20-24	58185	50419	44695	40087	47870	42707
25-29	80020	74919	77714	84452	95911	91972
30-34	61459	58084	58300	59777	66454	66574
35-39	40559	39452	38922	39552	43263	43340
40-44	26142	26011	26408	27117	28461	27603
45-49	13561	13889	14973	16469	18355	18390
50-54	6306	6309	6661	7552	8446	8816
55+	4095	3087	3342	3635	4039	4065
N/A	0	1128	1188	1391	1527	1533
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Marital Status

Marital Status	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Never Married	284808	269016	269828	276591	315517	37294
Married	13503	11220	9948	9588	8876	7734
Divorced	10	6	4	4	2	2
Widowed	20	21	18	14	15	15
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Occupation

Occupation	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Administration Workers	1330	1340	1306	1156	1297	1424
Technicians	6212	6479	7215	7684	8381	8914
Clerk	345	324	381	313	447	638
Sales Workers	935	517	470	335	555	557
Services Workers	88324	82992	83893	82472	89993	89599
Agriculture Workers	86429	91821	88218	90911	110702	99139
Production Workers	114766	96790	98315	103326	113035	114774
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)

Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Less Than 200	284338	262539	259226	262686	291932	273189
200 - 299	5899	8409	10605	12991	20105	28489
300 - 399	3893	4174	4323	4580	5467	6178
400 - 499	685	835	1049	1292	1654	1886
500 - 999	1412	1809	1931	1892	2262	2329
1000+	2114	2475	2664	2737	2990	2974
N/A	0	22	0	19	0	0
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Economic Activity

Economic Activity	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	83652	89214	85880	88605	108406	97394
Mining and quarrying	1114	915	901	748	631	522
Manufacturing	74134	67169	62434	68508	73507	78214
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	246	370	346	189	107	77
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	456	360	396	394	432	374
Construction	25870	18552	17835	18322	20442	20317
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	21788	17478	19875	20183	21058	21263
Transportation and storage	2208	1849	2037	1954	3596	4058
Accommodation and food service activities	6524	5551	16541	15532	15611	15186
Information and communication	303	288	347	351	285	253
Financial and insurance activities	631	545	401	306	178	155
Real estate activities	507	359	285	308	191	181
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3962	3773	2137	1288	1066	961
Administrative and support service activities	7218	6667	5483	5162	7628	4644
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	3755	3439	3301	3402	3000	3093
Education	1573	1593	1644	1622	1683	1636
Human health and social work activities	439	416	863	666	734	750
Arts, entertainment and recreation	915	776	471	385	322	248
Other service activities	6924	5962	3228	2687	2337	2471
Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use	56019	54823	55292	55461	63029	63079
Activities of extraterritorial organizations and bodies	103	164	101	124	167	169
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Governorate

Governorate	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Central Region	225800	212331	214423	212768	226024	221598
Amman	146546	135345	137138	136066	150322	147532
Zarka	32632	32186	40355	37421	33879	33697
Balqa	38455	37490	31077	33289	35132	34631
Madaba	8167	7310	5853	5992	6691	5738
Northern Region	50629	47583	47054	54868	75052	72137
Irbid	31508	30360	30043	34840	40428	42180
Mafraq	13108	12193	12394	15777	30164	25787
Jarash	3972	3331	3150	2898	2914	2728
Ajloun	2041	1699	1467	1353	1546	1442
Southern Region	21912	20349	18321	18561	23334	21310
Tafeelah	2009	1702	1647	1692	1928	2060
Aqaba	1996	1846	1717	1924	2489	2515
Karak	11512	11197	10414	10484	12684	12679
Ma'an	6395	5604	4543	4461	6233	4056
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Foreign Workers by Nationality

Nationality	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Egyptian	205682	190480	185283	186629	211769	194158
Sri Lankan	22011	25756	23304	19841	17222	14881
Indonesian	21762	15545	7341	3330	2025	1276
Filipino	14943	14157	15494	13776	15494	16915
Bangladeshi	9387	10780	22341	34094	42227	49331
Indian	8341	7709	9056	8510	10146	11494
Pakistani	2347	2616	2801	2898	3387	3541
Chinese	3346	2013	1222	954	890	966
Syrian	2333	1852	2186	4069	5700	5307
Iraqi	1198	1096	1066	1019	1003	883
Turk	326	438	433	371	140	112
Lebanese	440	370	344	328	343	350
Sudanese	371	358	352	395	388	380
Moroccan	328	286	262	210	200	174
Others	5526	6807	8313	9773	13476	15277
Total	298341	280263	279798	286197	324410	315045

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Educational Level

Educational Level	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Illiterate	221638	207179	202870	207608	236539	222859
Literate without Formal Education	2554	2040	1803	1790	1791	1590
Below Secondary Education	1492	1276	1147	1102	1022	890
Vocational Apprenticeship	70	61	50	55	48	40
Secondary Education	467	400	366	336	323	282
Intermediate Diploma	20901	17268	15071	14407	13558	12159
Bachelor's	965	771	648	586	525	462
Graduate Degree	361	348	330	318	316	269
N/A	1	0	1	2	2	1
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Educational Level

Educational Level	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Illiterate	49371	50412	56904	59456	69764	76049
Literate without Formal Education	233	229	237	188	198	156
Below Secondary Education	118	116	122	112	110	100
Vocational Apprenticeship	2	2	2	2	2	1
Secondary Education	29	30	32	31	26	29
Intermediate Diploma	41	30	114	105	95	83
Bachelor's	44	41	36	40	37	35
Graduate Degree	54	60	65	58	53	40
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Age Group

Age Group	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
15-19	6494	6558	6970	5665	9677	9503
20-24	45424	40415	36028	32400	39034	33307
25-29	65926	59977	58290	61119	66265	58847
30-34	50265	46298	44280	45127	49843	48341
35-39	34240	31677	30845	32088	35318	34927
40-44	23746	22278	22434	23553	24807	24073
45-49	12730	12682	13475	14996	16636	16671
50-54	5873	5720	6005	6857	7657	7995
55+	3751	2761	2943	3228	3587	3586
N/A	0	977	1016	1171	1300	1302
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Age Group

Age Group	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
15-19	1519	407	625	500	407	542
20-24	12761	10004	8667	7687	8836	9400
25-29	14094	14942	19424	23333	29646	33125
30-34	11194	11786	14020	14650	16611	18233
35-39	6319	7775	8077	7464	7945	8413
40-44	2396	3733	3974	3564	3654	3530
45-49	831	1207	1498	1473	1719	1719
50-54	433	589	656	695	789	821
55+	344	326	399	407	452	479
N/A	0	151	172	220	227	231
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Marital Status

Marital Status	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Never Married	235308	218481	212773	217019	245668	231174
Married	13124	10846	9502	9174	8445	7367
Divorced	6	3	2	2	1	1
Widowed	11	13	9	9	10	10
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Marital Status

Marital Status	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Never Married	49500	50535	57055	59572	69849	76120
Married	379	374	446	414	431	367
Divorced	4	3	2	2	1	1
Widowed	9	8	9	5	5	5
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Occupation

Occupation	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Administration Workers	1275	1282	1203	1073	1197	1325
Technicians	5929	5822	6485	7125	7858	8352
Clerk	285	272	302	261	370	499
Sales Workers	931	514	464	325	524	536
Services Workers	42773	38625	38591	39713	40324	38876
Agriculture Workers	86137	91430	87247	90214	110049	98559
Production Workers	111119	91398	87994	87493	93802	90405
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Occupation

Occupation	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Administration Workers	55	58	103	83	100	99
Technicians	329	657	730	559	523	562
Clerk	51	52	79	52	77	139
Sales Workers	4	3	6	10	31	21
Services Workers	45534	44367	45302	42759	49669	50723
Agriculture Workers	292	391	971	697	653	580
Production Workers	3627	5392	10321	15833	19233	24369
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)

Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Less Than 200	235334	213070	203618	205307	230337	213033
200 - 299	5796	8232	10130	11648	12554	13242
300 - 399	3547	3531	3746	4076	5093	5840
400 - 499	638	756	956	1192	1551	1756
500 - 999	1306	1648	1695	1691	2062	2133
1000+	1828	2084	2141	2272	2527	2548
N/A	0	22	0	18	0	0
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)

Average Monthly Wages (in JOD)	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Less Than 200	49004	49469	55608	57379	61595	60156
200 - 299	103	177	475	1343	7551	15247
300 - 399	346	643	577	504	374	338
400 - 499	47	79	93	100	103	130
500 - 999	106	161	236	201	200	196
1000+	286	391	523	465	463	426
N/A						0
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Economic Activity

Economic Activity	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	83361	88825	84924	87925	107773	96,828
Mining and quarrying	1114	915	899	742	628	518
Manufacturing	70447	61610	52288	52865	54268	53,544
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	245	370	345	188	107	77
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	455	360	394	392	432	373
Construction	25858	18544	17728	18217	20343	20,219
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	21767	17446	19679	19994	20746	20,880
Transportation and storage	1964	1581	1742	1728	3410	3,902
Accommodation and food service activities	6284	5155	15493	14744	14857	14,472
Information and communication	297	277	316	324	263	227
Financial and insurance activities	614	527	381	291	168	144
Real estate activities	505	356	281	305	190	180
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3746	3607	2002	1225	996	910
Administrative and support service activities	7196	6637	5387	5075	7512	4,562
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	3746	3431	3258	3236	2930	3,017
Education	1411	1413	1356	1334	1390	1,341
Human health and social work activities	407	329	616	555	630	670
Arts, entertainment and recreation	883	700	446	367	309	239
Other service activities	6800	5576	3013	2523	2122	2,230
Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use	11250	11541	11672	14084	14918	14,075
Activities of extraterritorial organizations and bodies	99	143	66	90	132	144
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Economic Activity

Economic Activity	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	291	389	956	680	633	566
Mining and quarrying	0	0	2	6	3	4
Manufacturing	3687	5559	10146	15643	19239	24,670
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	1	0	1	1	0	0
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	1	0	2	2	0	1
Construction	12	8	107	105	99	98
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	21	32	196	189	312	383
Transportation and storage	244	268	295	226	186	156
Accommodation and food service activities	240	396	1048	788	754	714
Information and communication	6	11	31	27	22	26
Financial and insurance activities	17	18	20	15	10	11
Real estate activities	2	3	4	3	1	1
Professional, scientific and technical activities	216	166	135	63	70	51
Administrative and support service activities	22	30	96	87	116	82
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	9	8	43	166	70	76
Education	162	180	288	288	293	295
Human health and social work activities	32	87	247	111	104	80
Arts, entertainment and recreation	32	76	25	18	13	9
Other service activities	124	386	215	164	215	241
Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use	44769	43282	43620	41377	48111	49,004
Activities of extraterritorial organizations and bodies	4	21	35	34	35	25
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76,493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Governorate

Governorate	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Central Region	181586	167569	166428	166304	171899	164094
Amman	105710	94251	94358	96193	104768	101413
Zarka	30652	29909	36701	32109	26856	23826
Balqa	37381	36395	29805	32281	33931	33427
Madaba	7843	7014	5564	5721	6344	5428
Northern Region	47049	43619	39945	43916	62253	56790
Irbid	28329	26786	23379	24293	28109	27318
Mafraq	12944	11988	12148	15546	29887	25543
Jarash	3850	3237	3040	2793	2806	2606
Ajloun	1926	1608	1378	1284	1451	1323
Southern Region	19814	18155	15913	15984	19972	17668
Tafeelah	1974	1665	1613	1663	1898	2015
Aqaba	1996	1846	1704	1906	2471	2496
Karak	9527	9119	8162	8064	9510	9239
Ma'an	6317	5525	4434	4351	6093	3918
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Governorate

Governorate	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Central Region	44214	44762	47995	46464	54125	57504
Amman	40836	41094	42780	39873	45554	46119
Zarka	1980	2277	3654	5312	7023	9871
Balqa	1074	1095	1272	1008	1201	1204
Madaba	324	296	289	271	347	310
Northern Region	3580	3964	7109	10952	12799	15347
Irbid	3179	3574	6664	10547	12319	14862
Mafraq	164	205	246	231	277	244
Jarash	122	94	110	105	108	122
Ajloun	115	91	89	69	95	119
Southern Region	2098	2194	2408	2577	3362	3642
Tafeelah	35	37	34	29	30	45
Aqaba	0	0	13	18	18	19
Karak	1985	2078	2252	2420	3174	3440
Ma'an	78	79	109	110	140	138
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493

Annual Distributions of Registered Male Foreign Workers by Nationality

Nationality	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Egyptian	205510	190323	183564	185132	210269	192904
Sri Lankan	10641	9038	8801	8042	6868	6295
Indonesian	169	49	35	35	45	34
Filipino	1379	552	672	535	664	777
Bangladeshi	8894	8625	8152	9050	8740	9873
Indian	8239	7623	8879	8377	9900	11169
Pakistani	2060	2220	2438	2590	3080	3208
Chinese	2356	1421	637	551	528	628
Syrian	2286	1786	2066	3974	5582	5202
Iraqi	1092	997	946	900	900	791
Turk	317	433	427	366	131	105
Lebanese	410	306	276	272	286	307
Sudanese	356	343	336	380	375	365
Moroccan	171	35	26	28	36	41
Others	4569	5592	5031	5972	6720	6853
Total	248449	229343	222286	226204	254124	238552

Annual Distributions of Registered Female Foreign Workers by Nationality

Nationality	Number of Workers					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Egyptian	172	157	1719	1497	1500	1254
Sri Lankan	11370	16718	14503	11799	10354	8586
Indonesian	21593	15496	7306	3295	1980	1242
Filipino	13564	13605	14822	13241	14830	16138
Bangladeshi	493	2155	14189	25044	33487	39458
Indian	102	86	177	133	246	325
Pakistani	287	396	363	308	307	333
Chinese	990	592	585	403	362	338
Syrian	47	66	120	95	118	105
Iraqi	106	99	120	119	103	92
Turk	9	5	6	5	9	7
Lebanese	30	64	68	56	57	43
Sudanese	15	15	16	15	13	15
Moroccan	157	251	236	182	164	133
Others	957	1215	3282	3801	6756	8424
Total	49892	50920	57512	59993	70286	76493