



Top 10 countries of Destination

Thai workers working overseas as of December 2019

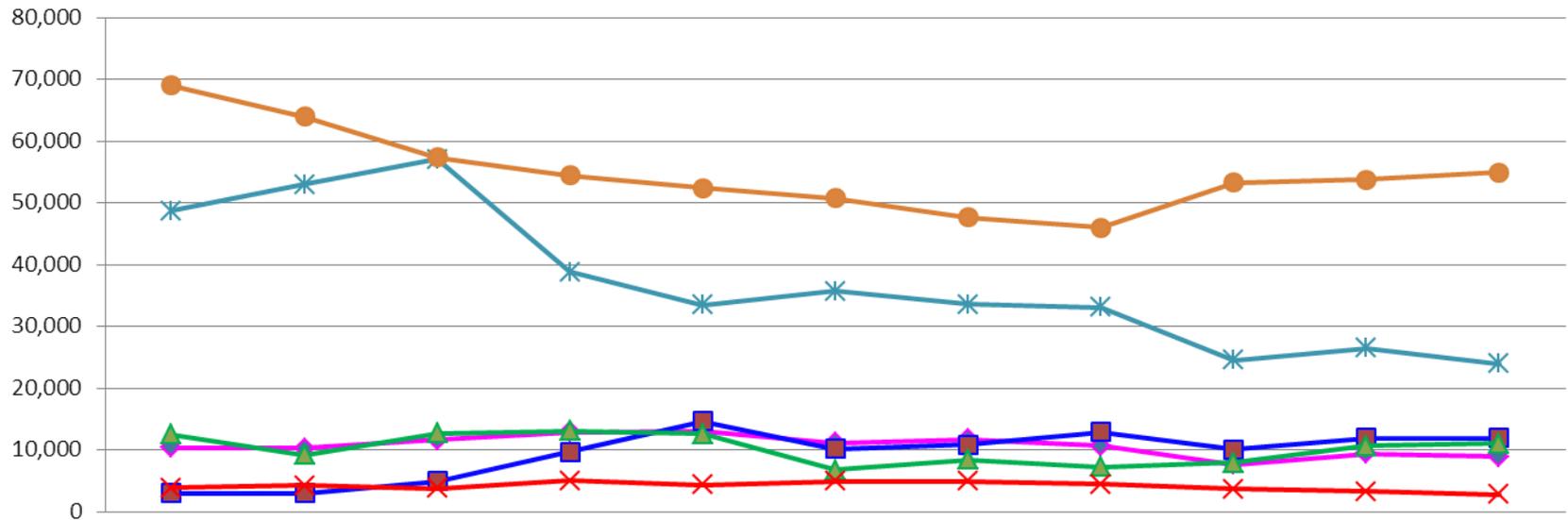
1. Taiwan 68,605 persons
 2. Israel 26,573 persons
 3. Republic of Korea 22,500 persons
 4. Japan 7,825 persons
 5. Malaysia 3,306 persons
 6. Singapore 2,707 persons
 7. Hong Kong 1,763 persons
 8. U.A.E. 1,430 persons
 9. U.S.A. 1,229 persons
 10. Brunei Darussalam 939 persons
- The Others 12,578 persons



Total 149,455 persons

Thai workers working overseas between 2009 – 2019

(The Trend of total Thai workers working overseas, figured last decade, has decreased significantly (1.3 times) ,the G2G channel plays important role in selected countries, has increased (4 times) – EPS Korea, TIC Israel, Japan, Taiwan).



	ปี 2552	ปี 2553	ปี 2554	ปี 2555	ปี 2556	ปี 2557	ปี 2558	ปี 2559	ปี 2560	ปี 2561	ปี 2562
เดินทางด้วยตนเอง	10,438	10,343	11,612	12,916	12,975	11,125	11,765	10,640	7,705	9,415	8,985
กรมจัดส่ง	3,043	2,971	4,987	9,708	14,650	10,164	10,870	12,931	10,126	11,909	11,984
นายจ้างพาไปทำงาน	12,573	9,214	12,720	13,099	12,614	6,838	8,419	7,276	7,974	10,707	11,065
นายจ้างพาไปทำงาน	3,938	4,272	3,826	5,078	4,349	4,915	4,975	4,446	3,723	3,322	2,794
บริษัทจัดส่ง	48,725	52,972	57,092	38,827	33,517	35,760	33,635	33,124	24,608	26,482	23,998
RE-ENTRY	68,994	64,003	57,386	54,473	52,406	50,727	47,627	46,020	53,341	53,819	54,975
รวมทั้งสิ้น	147,711	143,792	147,623	134,101	130,511	119,529	117,291	114,437	115,215	115,654	113,801

Planing for sending Thai workers working overseas in 2020

Target

Thai workers
working
overseas
100,000
persons

Stakeholders

- Ministry of Labour
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Ministry of Education
- Ministry Commerce
- Ministry of Defense
- Thailand Overseas Manpower Association

Through the Recruitment and Job-seekers Protection Act (1985)	Target (in person)	Countries	Target (in person)
1. Licenced Agencies 2. Thai Employer taking employee to work overseas 3. Thai Employer sending employee to train overseas	40,000	Taiwan	21,600
		Japan	6,800
		Sweden	4,400
		Malaysia	1,000
		Others	6,200
4. Department of Employment (G2G, Bilateral Agreements)	11,000	Israel	5,000
		Republic of Korea	4,800
		Japan	500
		The others	700
5. Self-Arrangement and Re-entry VISA	49,000	Taiwan	12,500
		Republic of Korea	7,400
		Malaysia	6,500
		Singapore	4,400
		The others	18,200
Total			100,000

Reintegration Programs

Target 400 persons

1. Seminar, Focus group to transfer the knowledge to the others.
2. Public Employment Service (PES) for employment and recruitment.
3. Skills development for the future of work both Up-skilled and Re-skilled.
4. Training to the Smart Farmers, Business Start Up.



Sending



Receiving



Foreigners' Working Management
Emergency Decree (No. 2) 2018

Foreign Workers
2,903,469 peoples

Skilled Labor
169,005

Unskilled Labor
2,734,464



Opportunities in the next decade

1. The National Strategies (2018-2037) is the nation-agenda guideline to implement becoming “a developed country with security, prosperity and sustainability in accordance with the Sufficiency Economy Philosophy.”
2. Workforce Transformation, selected guideline to develop HR for the future of work, Future skilled, the Eastern Economic Corridor (EEC) that still need migrant workers in some sectors.
3. The policy to promote and skills development for the future of work are the mechanisms to assist migrant workers.
4. E-services for employment and recruitment is the portal to encourage the skilled migrant workers to movement.
5. Decent work in global supply chains is the guideline to protect the rights and benefits of migrant workers.





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