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	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2007	2009	2011
<i>Total Persons</i>	782,910	850,612	1,075,317	1,362,371	1,686,444	2,011,555	2,011,555	2,186,121	2,078,508
<i>Nationality</i>									
North and South Korean	84.9	80.3	64.0	48.9	37.7	29.8	27.6	26.5	26.2
China	6.8	8.8	14.0	16.4	19.9	25.8	28.2	31.1	32.5
Brazil	0.2	0.2	5.2	13.0	15.1	15.0	14.7	12.2	10.1
Philippines	0.7	1.4	4.6	5.5	8.6	9.3	9.4	9.7	10.1
Peru	0.0	0.1	1.0	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.5
U.S.A.	2.9	3.4	3.6	3.2	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4
Others	4.6	5.7	7.7	10.5	13.4	14.8	14.9	15.5	16.2

Sources: Ministry of Justice, Immigration Bureau data. Longterm data to 2009 can be found through <http://www.e-stat.go.jp>; more recent annual data are available from MOJ, http://www.moj.go.jp/housei/toukei/toukei_ichiran_touroku.html.

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	1986	1988	1990	1992	1993
Brazilians	2,135	4,159	56,429	147,803	154,650
as % of total registered foreigners	0.2	0.4	5.2	11.5	11.7
Peruvians	553	864	10,279	31,051	33,169
as % of total registered foreigners	0.1	0.1	0.9	2.4	2.5
Total Registered Foreigners	867,237	941,005	1,057,317	1,281,644	1,320,748

Source: Ministry of Justice, "Gaikokujin tōrokusha tōkei," available from Portal Site of Official Statistics of Japan, [http: www.e-stat.go.jp](http://www.e-stat.go.jp).

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Year	Total	China	Indonesia	Philippines	Vietnam	Thailand	Other
1995	40,591	16,009	3,965	3,348	1,007	3,661	12,601
1997	49,594	21,357	6,701	4,380	2,009	3,534	11,613
1999	47,985	22,041	5,926	3,694	2,108	2,998	11,218
2000	54,049	27,839	6,231	3,727	2,757	2,974	10,521
2002	58,534	34,754	4,925	3,222	3,034	2,739	9,860
2004	51,012	41,038	3,560	2,256	2,112	1,232	814
2006	68,304	55,811	3,636	3,083	2,795	1,658	1,321
2008	68,150	54,889	3,213	3,533	3,765	1,650	1,100
2009	50,064	40,841	2,148	2,661	2,692	976	746
2010	44,849	36,589	2,305	1,701	2,647	907	700
2012	44,897	35,004	1,621	1,550	4,788	807	1,127

Sources: Kokusai kenshu kyōryoku kikō, *JITCO Hakusho*, 2000, 2004; JITCO website: www.jitco.or.jp.

Note: Because of changes in the visa system that took effect in April 2010, the number for 2010 and following years combines those with visa status of “trainee” and visa status of “level-1 work-intern,” the latter of which replaced the status of “trainee.”