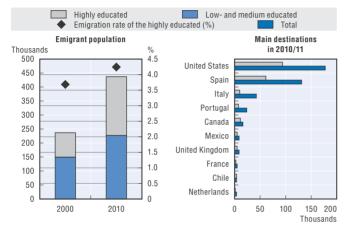
## LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN – VENEZUELA

Total population 2013 (millions)	30.4	Venezuela compared to:	World	Region
Population growth 2013 (annual, in %)	1.5	Human Development Index (HDI)	67/187	9/31
GDP per capita 2013 (current USD)	14 415	GDP per capita	54/209	6/40
GDP growth 2013 (annual, in %)	1.3	Emigration rate	139/203	35/37
Poverty rate 2006 (USD PPP 2 a day, in %)	12.91	Emigration rate of the highly educated	123/144	22/23

Age structure of the population (2013): "0-14": 29%; "15-64": 65%; "65+": 6%

#### Emigrant population (15+) living in OECD countries



#### Emigrant population: Persons born in Venezuela living abroad

	2010/11									2000/01
		nd selected no destinations	d selected non-OECD destinations		OECD destinations			Intra-regional (15/35 countries)		
Population 15+	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Total
Emigrant population (thousands)	229.8	268.1	498.0	201.8	237.9	439.7	27.7	29.9	57.6	237.9
Recent emigrants (thousands)				36.7	43.7	80.4				55.0
15-24 (%)	18.8	15.8	17.2	16.7	13.5	14.9	34.5	34.3	34.4	21.0
25-64 (%)	78.8	80.0	79.5	81.0	82.2	81.6	63.5	62.5	63.0	76.6
65+ (%)	2.3	4.2	3.3	2.3	4.3	3.4	2.0	3.2	2.6	2.4
Low educated (%)	20.1	19.3	19.7	18.5	17.8	18.1	32.2	31.4	31.8	27.1
Highly educated (%)	45.4	47.4	46.5	46.7	49.2	48.0	35.8	33.0	34.4	36.8
Total emigration rates (%)	2.2	2.6	2.4	1.9	2.3	2.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.5
Emigration rates of the highly educated (%)	5.4	4.1	4.6	4.9	3.8	4.2	0.5	0.3	0.4	3.7

### Main OECD and selected non-OECD destinations in 2010/11

Total		Recent emigrants Women		Highly educated	15-24	Total in 2000/01	
Population 15+	Thousands	%	%	%	%	%	Thousands
United States	177.3	35.6	12.6	53.9	52.8	17.2	99.2
Spain	133.0	26.7	25.8	52.3	45.9	13.6	60.2
Italy	43.1	8.7	9.9	58.2	24.5	6.9	34.2
Portugal	24.1	4.8	15.5	53.9	29.7	18.2	18.5
Colombia	23.7	4.8		55.5	14.5	52.1	24.5
Canada	16.1	3.2	36.0	54.4	70.7	15.3	7.1
Mexico	9.1	1.8	52.9	55.2	61.2	11.4	2.4
United Kingdom	8.6	1.7	42.2	53.9	65.3	13.6	3.6
Panama	6.6	1.3		48.3	47.0	15.7	0.8
France	5.6	1.1	26.9	57.5	54.8	19.8	2.8

#### Indicators of the labour market situation of persons born in Venezuela living in OECD countries

		2000/01		2010/11		
Population 15-64	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Employment rate (%)	68.4	48.4	57.8	70.4	55.4	62.3
Unemployment rate (%)	8.9	14.1	11.3	15.3	20.1	17.6
Participation rate (%)	75.1	56.3	65.1	83.1	69.3	75.7
Total employed (thousands)	74.3	59.9	134.1	137.7	125.0	262.7
Employment rate of the highly educated (%)	77.8	58.7	67.6	81.4	64.0	71.7
Unemployment rate of the highly educated (%)	6.1	10.7	8.3	10.1	16.4	13.3
Highly educated in low-and medium-skilled jobs (%)			32.0			35.2
Highly educated employed (thousands)	31.1	26.9	57.9	74.5	72.8	147.3
Distribution of employment by occupation (%), population 15+						
Highly skilled occupations			43.1	46.1	42.2	44.7
Of which: Health professionals						7.3
Of which: Teaching professionals						10.4
Medium-skilled occupations			51.7	49.5	51.5	50.0
Low-skilled occupations			5.2	4.3	6.3	5.3

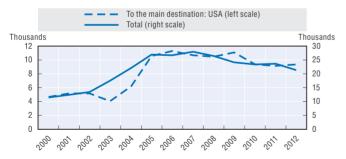
#### Main OECD destinations by education level in 2010/11 (population 15+)

Highly educated emigrants (thousands)		Change since 2000/01 (%)	Low educated emigrants (thousands)		Change since 2000/01 (%)
United States	93.7	+105.4	Spain	30.5	+40.9
Spain	61.1	+196.1	United States	19.7	+31.0
Canada	11.3	+198.4	Italy	12.6	+3.0
Italy	10.6	+73.4	Portugal	9.5	-10.3
Portugal	7.2	+149.8	Canada	1.2	+8.2
Total	209.9	+141.0	Total	79.2	+23.5

#### International students from Venezuela in OECD countries

Total	7 529	9 893	10 853
Australia	95	217	324
Italy	288	260	360
France	492	550	686
Spain	987	2 550	1 946
United States	4 451	4 914	6 084
Five main destinations	2008	2010	2012

#### Legal migrant flows to the OECD



#### **Remittance flows**



Ten main OECD countries of destination for legal migrants in 2012 (numbers, % of the total flows to the country): USA (9 387, 0%), ESP (5 162, 1%), CAN (1 350, 0%), MEX (1 286, 6%), CHL (1 249, 1%), DEU (679, 0%), ITA (584, 0%), AUS (315, 0%), FRA (283, 0%), JPN (173, 0%).

#### Desire to emigrate, 2007-13

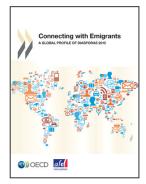
	Women	15-24	Highly educated	Employed	Total
Persons who would move permanently, if they had the opportunity to do so (%)	13	19	17	12	13
Of which: Persons who are planning to move permanently in the next 12 months (%)					6
Of which: Persons who have already made any preparations for this move (e.g. visa application) (%)					64

Three main desired countries of destination: United States (26%), Spain (24%), Mexico (6%).

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