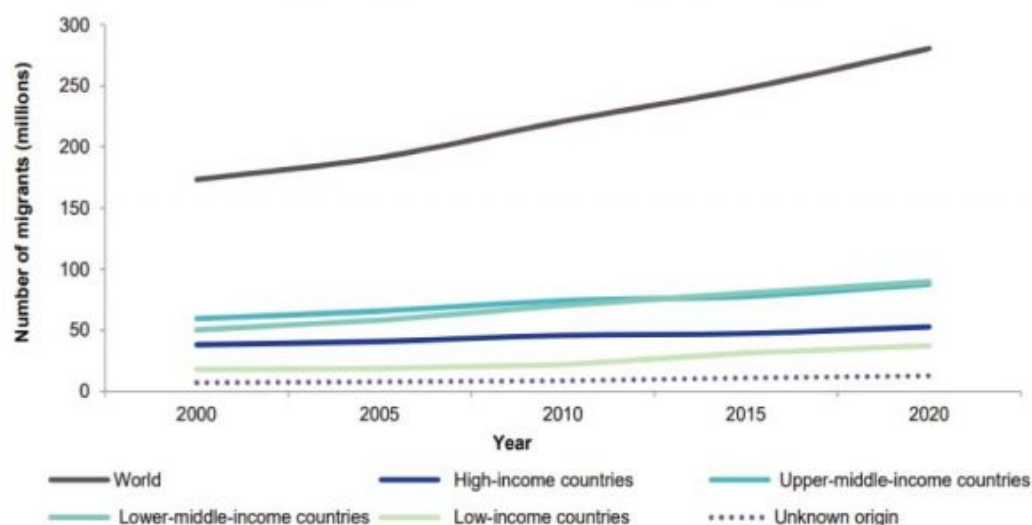


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Number of international migrants, by World Bank income group at origin, 2000 to 2020



**Source:** United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division (2020). International Migration 2020 Highlights (page 14).

Most international migrants originate from middle-income countries. In 2020, nearly 177 million international migrants, about 63 per cent of the total, came from a middle-income country. The number of migrants originating from low-income countries, while small compared to other income groups, grew rapidly between 2000 and 2020. Much of this increase was driven by humanitarian crises.