

Brain Drain Data, Institute for Employment Research (IAB)

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Summary

The IAB brain drain data on international migration covers information for 20 OECD countries by gender, country of origin and educational level for the years 1980 to 2010 in 5-year intervals.

The brain drain data set contains data on the total number of foreign-born individuals aged 25 years and older living in each OECD destination countries by year, gender, country of origin and educational level. Educational levels are distinguished into low, medium and high skilled.

Tables In IFs

Variable	Definition	Ext Source Def	Last IFs Update	Name in Source	UsedInPreprocessor
ImmigrantStockMaleHighEducationIAB	Male immigrant stock with high education level	high education is higher than high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockMaleLowEducationIAB	Male immigrant stock with low education level	low education is lower secondary, primary, and no schooling	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockMaleMediumEducationIAB	Male immigrant stock with medium education level	medium education is high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockMaleTotalIAB	Male immigrant stock total		1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockWomenLowEducationIAB	Female immigrant stock with low education level	low education is lower secondary, primary, and no schooling	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockWomenMediumEducationIAB	Female immigrant stock with medium education level	medium education is high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockWomenTotalIAB	Female immigrant stock total		1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockMenHighEducationPercentIAB	Percent of male immigrants with high education level	high education is higher than high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockMenLowEducationPercentIAB	Percent of male immigrants with low education level	low education is lower secondary, primary, and no schooling	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockMenMediumEducationPercentIAB	Percent of male immigrants with medium education level	medium education is high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Men	0
ImmigrantStockWomenHighEducationIAB	Female immigrant stock with high education levels	high education is higher than high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockWomenHighEducationPercentIAB	Percent of female immigrants with high education level	high education is higher than high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockWomenLowEducationPercentIAB	Percent of female immigrants with low education level	low education is lower secondary, primary, and no schooling	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0
ImmigrantStockWomenMediumEducationPercentIAB	Percent of female immigrants with medium education level	medium education is high-school leaving certificate or equivalent	1/7/2016	Total Immigrant Stock - Women	0

Data Pulling Instructions

1. Navigate to <https://iab.de/en/daten/iab-brain-drain/>
2. Scroll down to "Downloads"
3. Download "Brain-drain data(XLS)"

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