

How does Burmese labor in Thailand affect Myanmar's Economy ?



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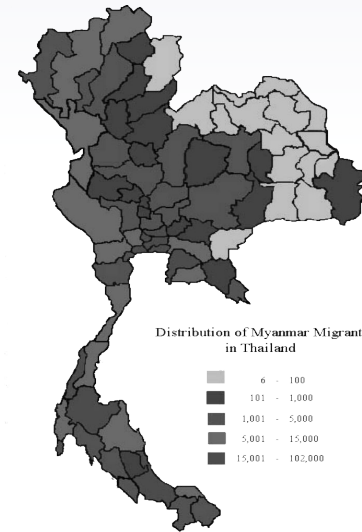
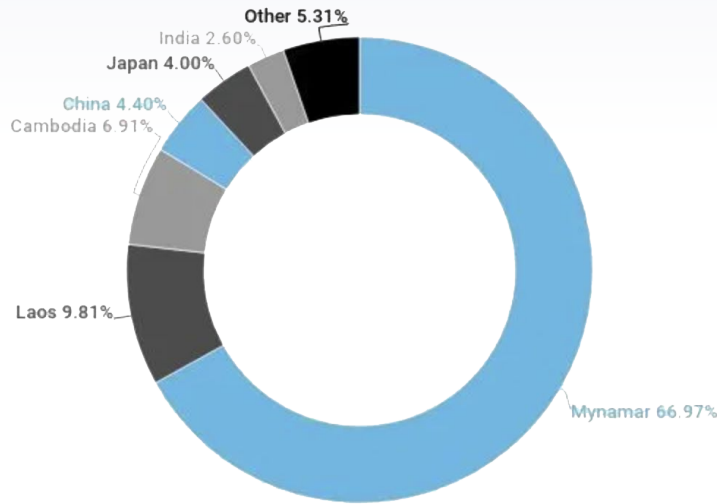
If most of the Burmese migrant workers in Thailand send money back to their home country, they can improve their standard of living in their own country.



Resource: Thailand migration report 2019 and Team analysis

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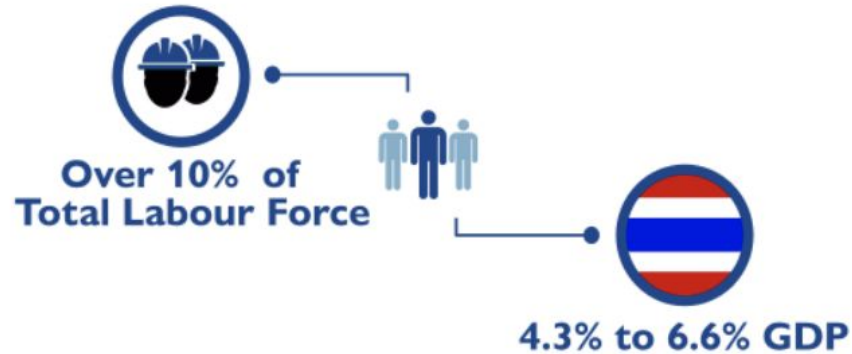
There are a lot of Burmese labors in Thailand.



Resource: OECD Development Centre and Vungsiriphisal et al.

Rationale

Migrants workers are one of the factors that generate high growth in GDP of Thailand.



Credit: Thailand migration report 2019

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The reasons why Burmese labors choose to work in Thailand instead of work in their home country.



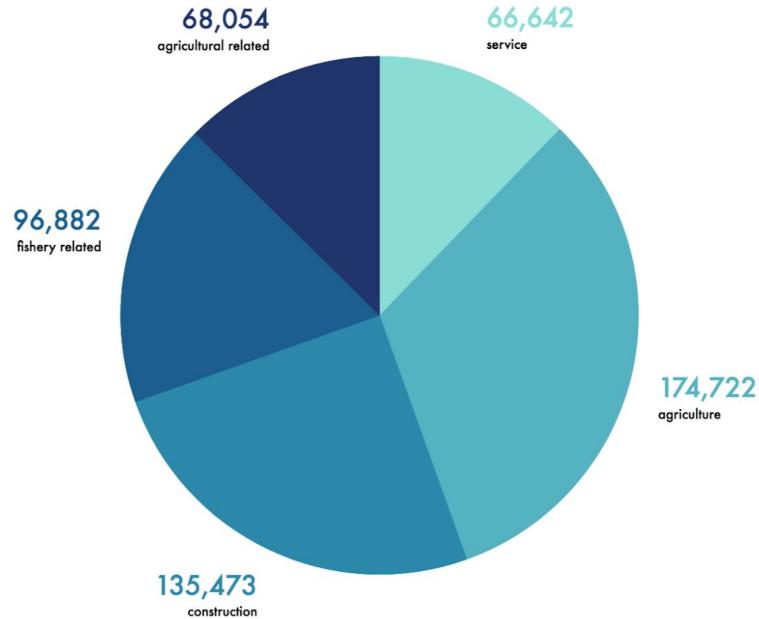
Secondary Research

Gathers existing information through available sources online

- get an initial understanding of the collected data that related to the topic
- analyze the data



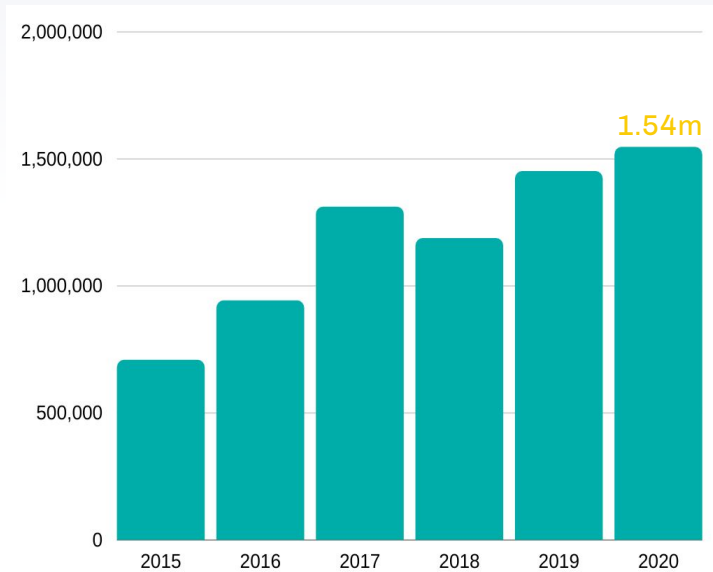
Distribution of migrant from Myanmar in 5 top sectors



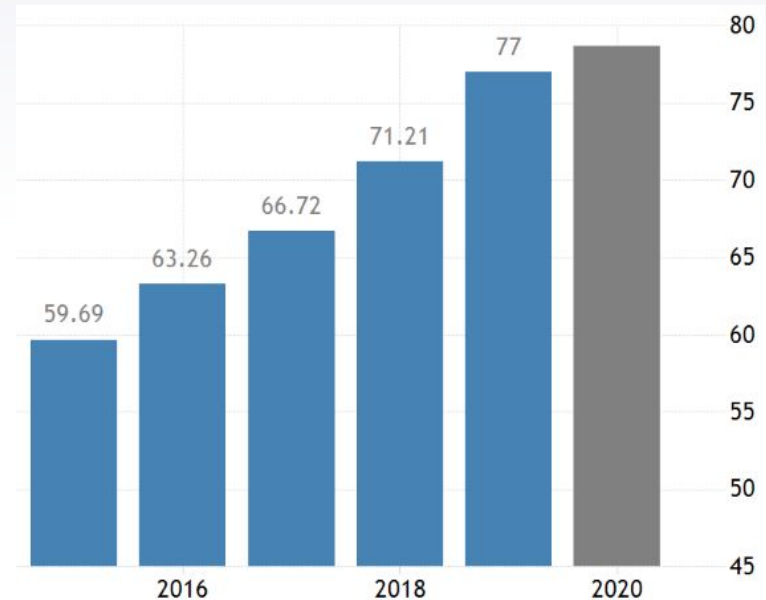
Resource: MOL Thailand, 2011

Methodology

Burmese migrant workers in Thailand



Myanmar's GDP



Resource: Department of Employment, December 2015 - May 2020 and TRADINGECONOMICS.COM

Literature review

A history of migration from Myanmar to Thailand

- Cross border migration occurred for centuries
- Thai workers immigrate to the Gulf region
- Thailand's economic growth and labor shortages
- Economic and political problem in Myanmar in 1988
- Thai entrepreneurs forced the government to open Thai labor market to the migrants.



Resource: Myanmar Migrants to Thailand: Economic Analysis and Implications to Myanmar Development

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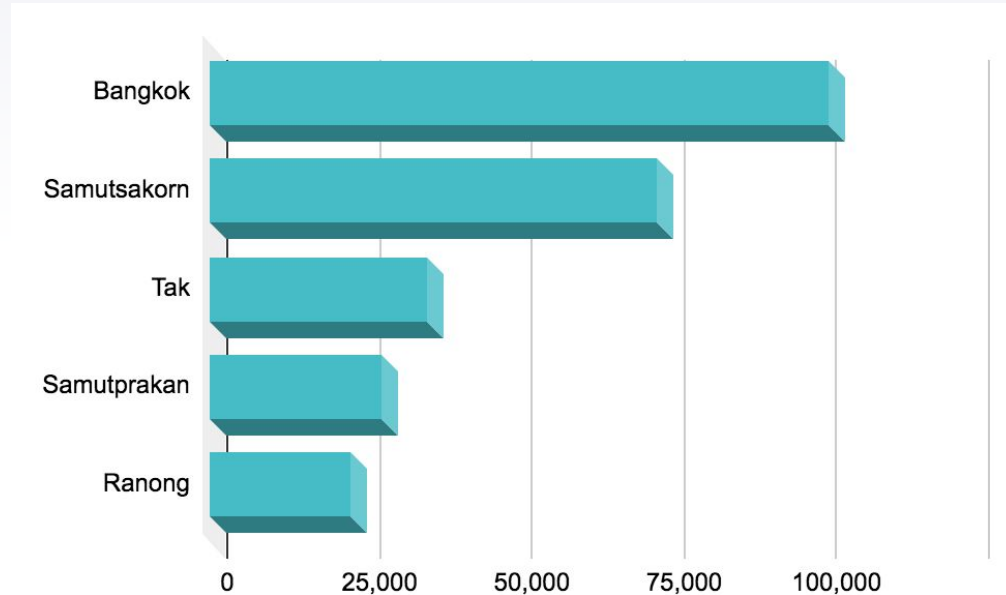
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Top 5 Myanmar migrants in each province in 2012

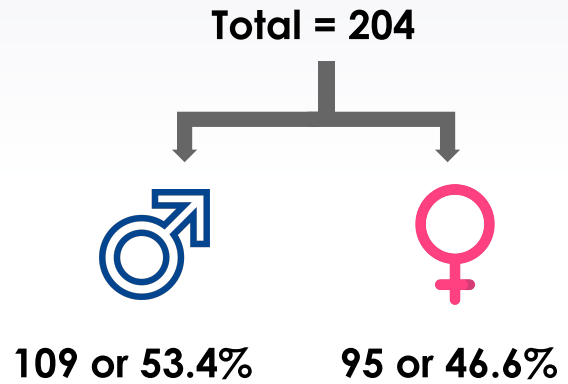


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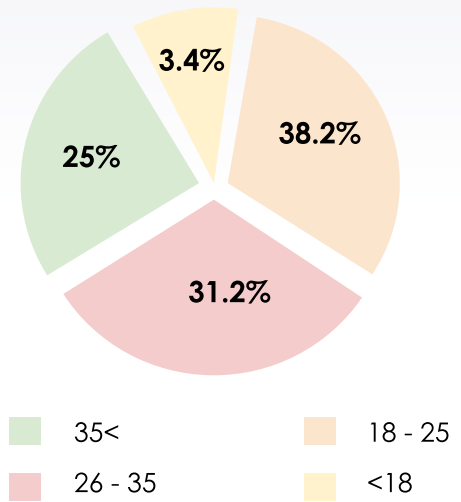
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Sample surveyed

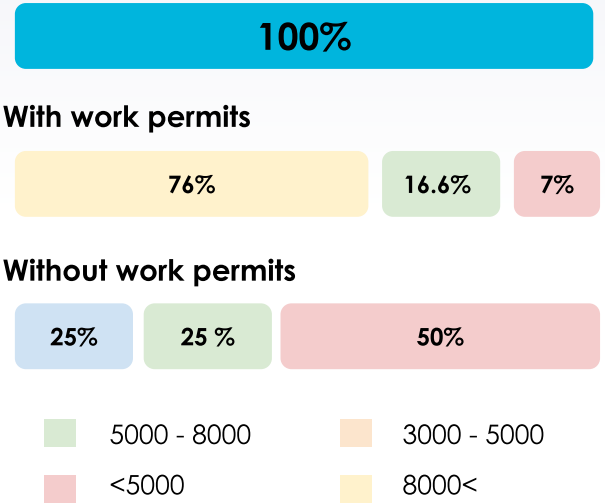
Gender Proportion



Age Proportion



Income Proportion



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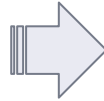
Remittance

Type of remittance

1



Formal



2



Informal

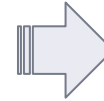
Channels

 Through bank transaction

 Carry on by themselves

 Via brokers

 Through relatives and friends



Rationale



Since, those workers who legally work in Thailand are allowed to open bank account in the country. By using the advantage of this benefit, the money is transferred in haste



There are no. of worker that does not have work permit such that they are not able to send the money formally

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