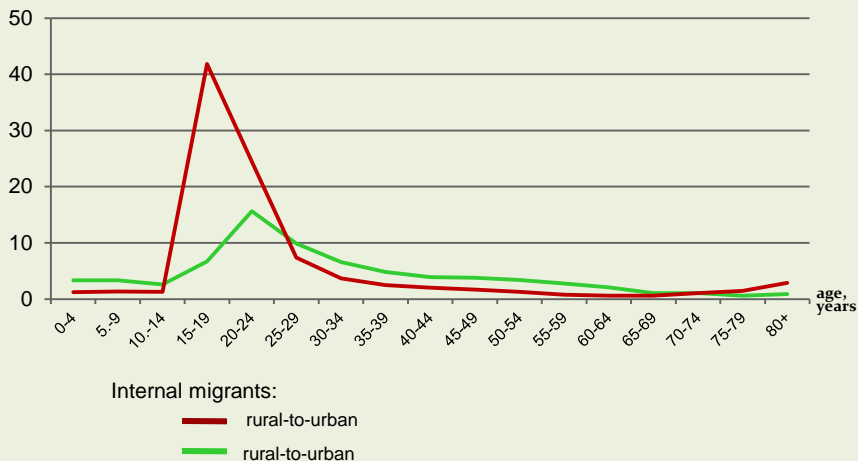


The 2009 census studied migration flows of persons who had changed place of residence over the period from 2005 to 13 October 2009.

Over this period, 406.1 thousand persons moved within the Republic of Belarus, i.e. they were **internal migrants**. Over the same period, 39.3 thousand **international (external) migrants** arrived in the country for permanent residence.

Internal migrants by area type of present and previous residence and age group (thousand)

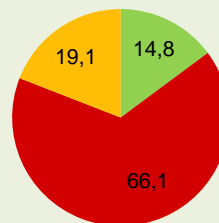


Over the period from 2005 to 13 October 2009, 72.5 thous. persons moved from urban to rural areas within the Republic of Belarus, while 96.1 thous. persons migrated from rural to urban areas.

International migrants by country of previous residence

	ТЫСЯЧ ЧЕЛОВЕК	В % К ИТОГУ
International migrants	39,3	100
from CIS countries	32,1	81,9
of which:		
Russia	18,8	47,8
Ukraine	5,1	13,1
Kazakhstan	3,1	7,8
Turkmenistan	2,7	6,9
from other countries	7,1	18,1

International migrants by age group (in percent)



Migrant ages:
■ under working
■ working (women 16-54 years, men 16-59 years)
■ over working