## Demography Special Lecture (7) 21st May 2015

## **Migration**

Formal demographic analysis for migration is not fully explored yet.

Migration is the social component of population change. Very important especially in developed countries. Definitions of commonly used <u>terms</u> are important (special attention to be paid for defining "a migrant"). Typical characteristics of migrants are also given here.

- 1. The importance of migration
  - P(t+1) P(t) = Births Deaths + In Out (Population change = Natural increase + Net migration)
- 2. Basic measures and concepts of migration
  - 1. Who is migrant?
    - -> Definitions are different by country
  - 2. Emigrants and immigrants (for international migration)
  - 3. Inmigrants and outmigrants (for internal migration)
  - 4. Return migrants
  - 5. Lifetime migrants
  - 6. Gross and net migration
- 3. The collection of migration data
  - 1. Data from residence registry of japan (available from URL below)
    - http://minato.sip21c.org/demograpy-special/japan-migration-2013.txt http://minato.sip21c.org/demograpy-special/inmig-outmig-2013.R
  - 2. Census data also provides the change of residence from the previous census.
  - (cf.) Census population structure may also suggest the migration status.
     Comparison of the shape of population pyramids among prefectures suggests the migration status (try,

http://minato.sip21c.org/demography-special/compare-pyramids-among-pref.R)
The *fukurami-shisuu* (population expanding index = PEI, by Dr. Toshio Kuroda) shows the extent of in-migration at prefecture level.



PEI = [Population aged 15-34] / { [Population aged 5-14]+[Population aged 35-44]} x 100

\* New definition (modification is suggested by Minato Nakazawa, July 2, 2011)

 $PEI = [Population \ aged \ 20-39] \ / \ \{ \ [Population \ aged \ 10-19] + [Population \ aged \ 40-49] \} \ x \ 100$  It's interesting to see the relationship with youth  $\underline{population}$  (YP: nensho-jinko- $\underline{kouzou-keisuu}$ )  $\underline{YP} = [Population \ aged \ 0-14] \ / \ [Total \ population]$ 

The position of Nagano prefecture suggests 20-39 population's outmigration due to few universities within the prefecture and their U-turn for marriage and reproduction.

(try, <a href="http://minato.sip21c.org/demography-special/relations-PEI-YP.R">http://minato.sip21c.org/demography-special/relations-PEI-YP.R</a>)

For youth population's international comparison, see

## http://world.bymap.org/YoungPopulation.html

- 4. The analysis of migration data
  - 1. Internal migration flow matrix (see, Table 7.1)
- 5. The characteristics of migrants
  - 1. PEI focuses on **the ages** of migrants
  - 2. Males tend to dominate labor migration flows
  - 3. Unmarried tend to move more than the married
  - 4. Fitter, highly educated, richer, more ambitious people tend to move more
  - 5. Refugees don't have common features of migrants



