





Changes in urban and rural income over time – the gap between rural and urban incomes is not closing!

	Total population	Population living in town, township, or subdistrict where registered	Population not living in town, township, or subdistrict where registered	Percentage of population not living where registered	
	(1000's)	(1000's)	(1000's)	(%)	
National	1,242,799	1,173,466	69,333	5.6	
Beijing	12,850	10,734	2,116	16.5	
Shanghai	14,913	12,931	1,982	13.3	
Tianjin	9,678	8,732	946	9.8	

A selection of data to illustrate the huge numbers of 'temporary residents' in China as a whole and in three of the largest cities – Beijing alone has over 2 million migrants living in the city on temporary residents visas (or with no visa at all).

