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Rapid economic growth and changing political and social conditions in the Asia-Pacific region have fostered new migration patterns which are likely to persist into the 1990s. New patterns of migration can be discerned at the intra-regional level, e.g. within ASEAN, and at the inter-regional level, e.g. from South-East Asia and East Asia to North America and Australasia.

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6. Country reports (ASEAN, SE Asia, East Asia).
7. Settlement and adaptation of immigrants.

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