

Settlement in the City of Whitehorse 2005/2006

Country of Birth:

There were 545 people who settled in Whitehorse in 2005/06 from overseas. This represents an 8% decrease from 2004/05. The largest number of people were born in China (236) followed by India (81) and Korea (47).

Across the Eastern Region in 2005/06 there was an 11% decrease in new settlement compared to 2004/05 whilst across Victoria there was a 4% increase in 2005/06 compared to 2004/05.

Migration Stream

There were 307 people (56% of the total) who settled under the skilled migration program, 209 number of people (39% of the total) under the family migration program and 29 number of people (5% of the total) under the humanitarian program.

Under the skilled migration program the largest number of people were born in China (133), for the family program the largest number were born in China (103) and for the humanitarian program the largest number were born in Sudan (29).

Across the Eastern Region 1633 (61% of the total) settled under the skilled migration program, 947 (36% of the total) under the family migration program and 82 (3% of the total) under the humanitarian program.

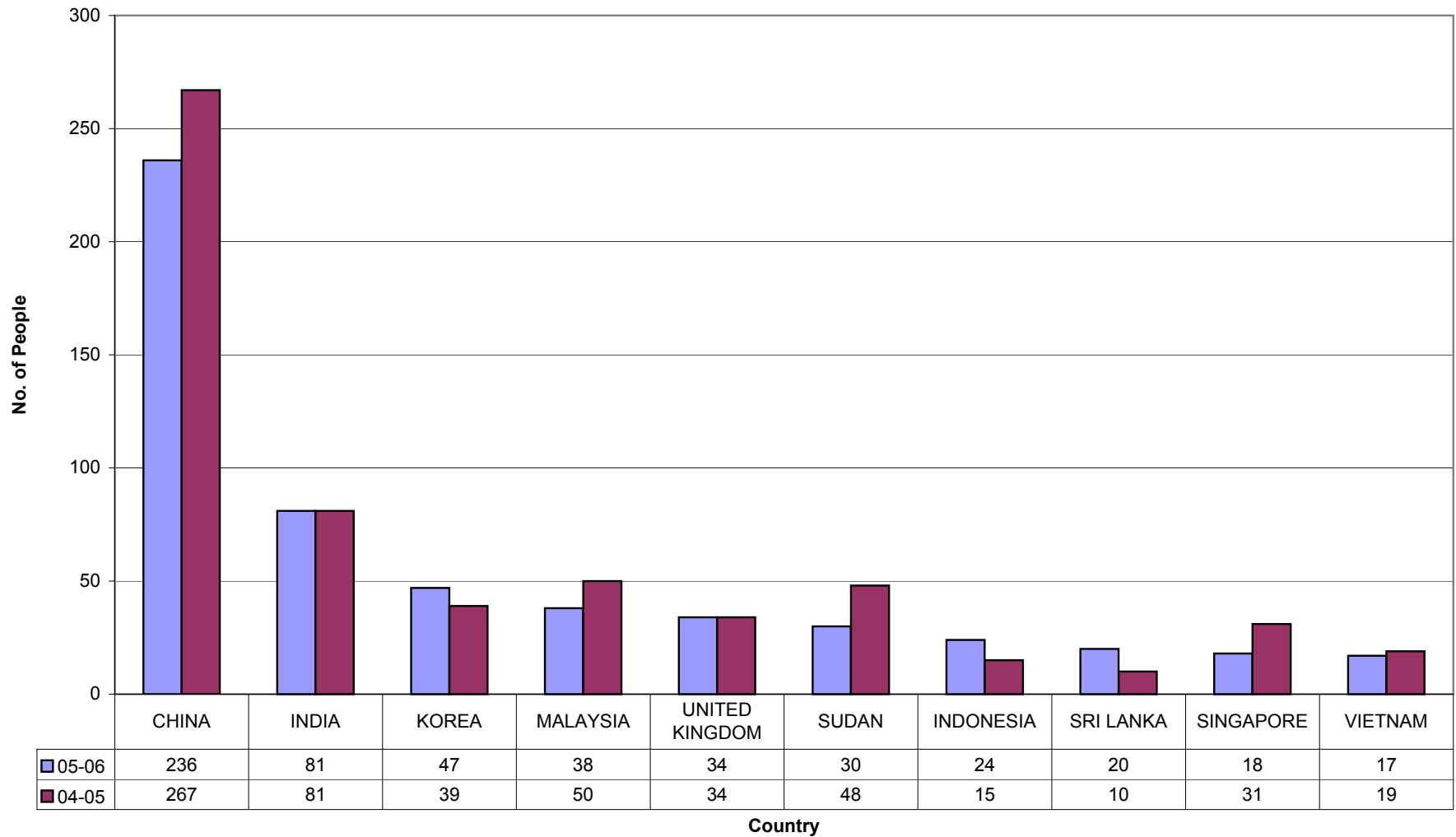
Children:

There were 135 children who settled in Whitehorse from overseas in 2005/06, this represents a 3% decrease from 2004/05.

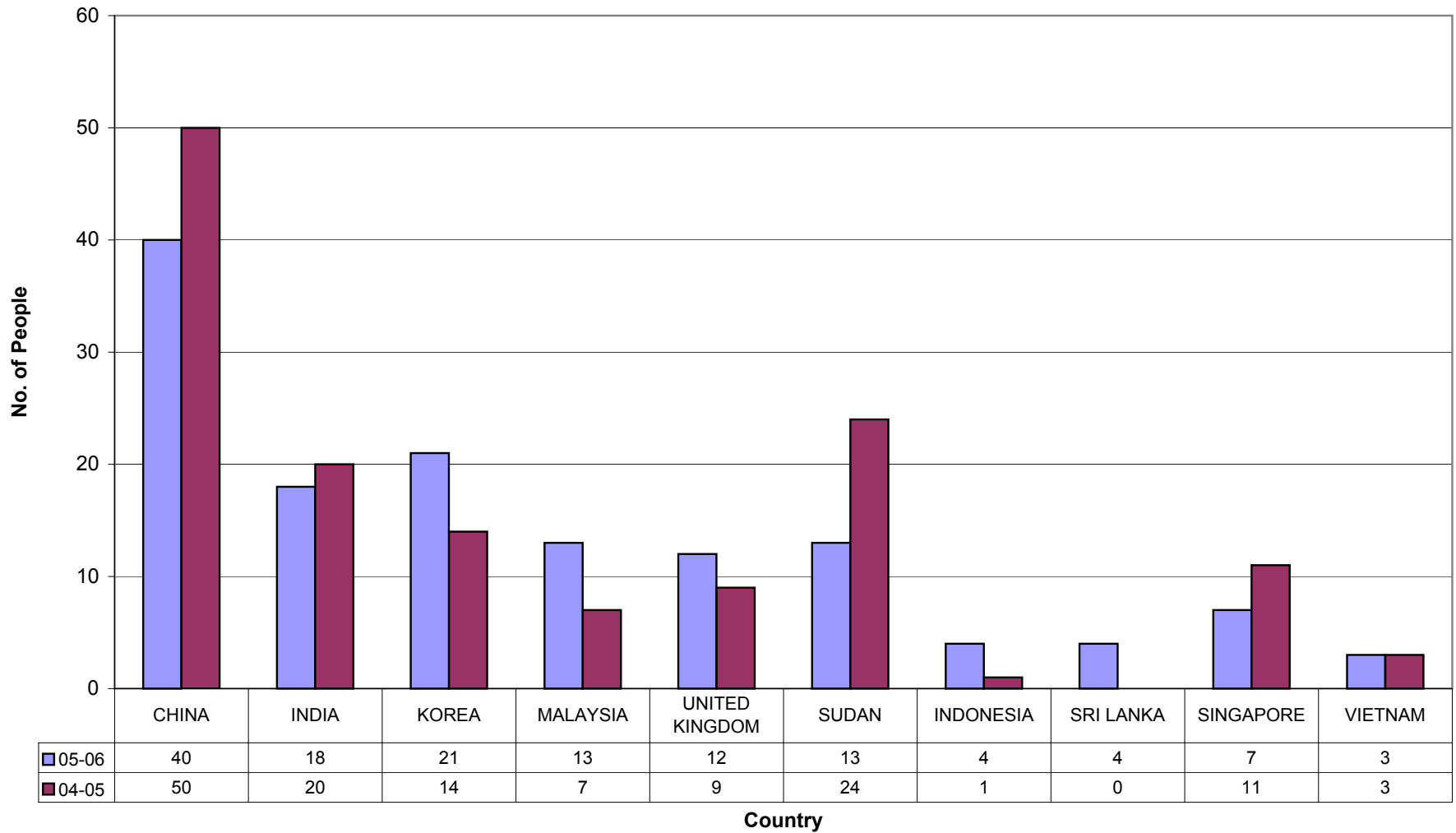
The largest number of children were born in China (40) followed by Korea (21) and India (18).

Across the Eastern Region, 648 children settled from overseas in 2005/06, this represents a 14% decrease from 2004/05.

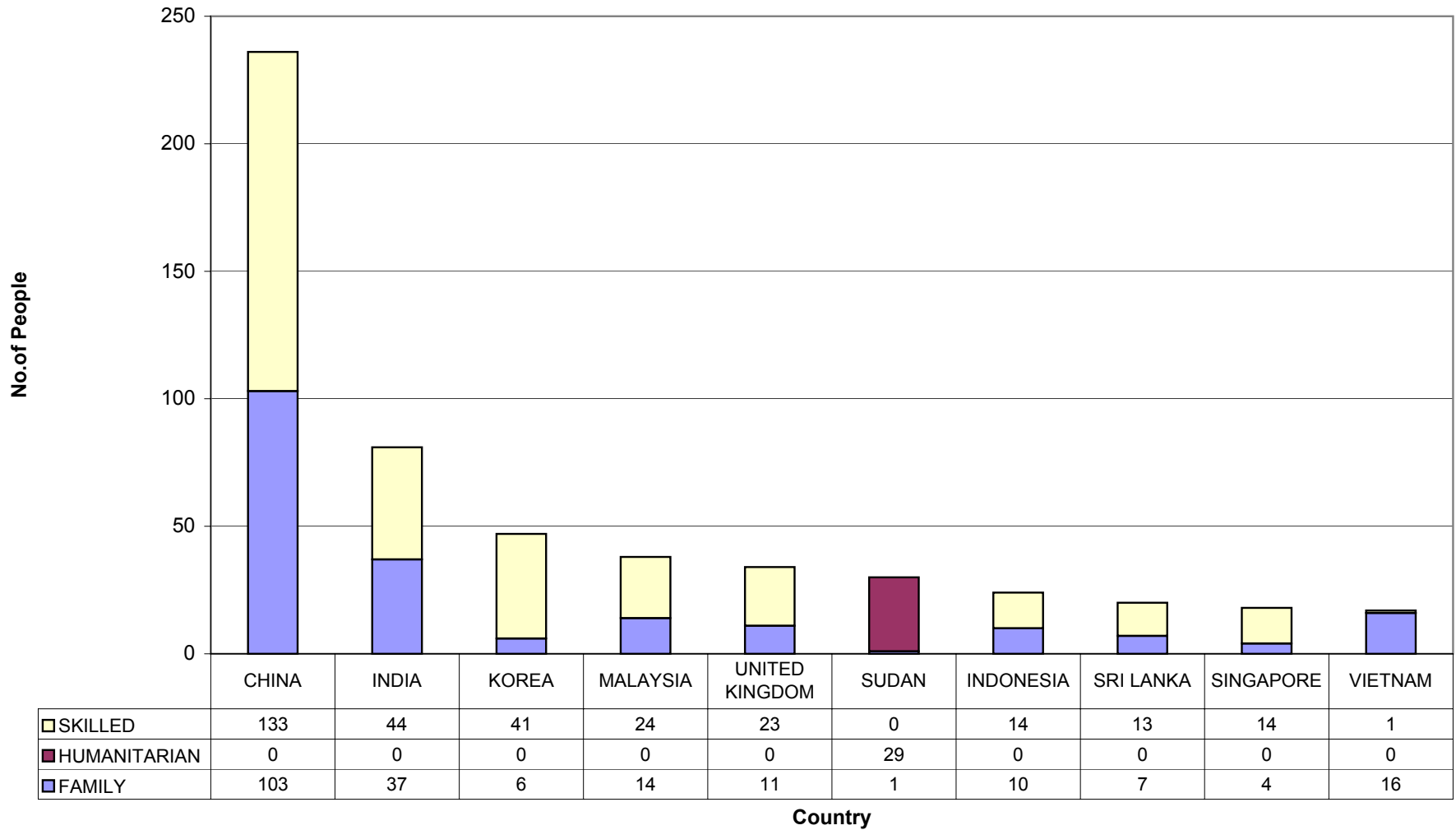
2005/06 and 2004/05 Country of Birth (Whitehorse)



Number of children aged less than 18 years settling in 2005/06 and 2004/05 (Whitehorse)



Settlement by migration stream 2005/06(Whitehorse)



Settlement by migration stream 2004/05(Whitehorse)

