

# Venezuelan refugees and migrants in Peru

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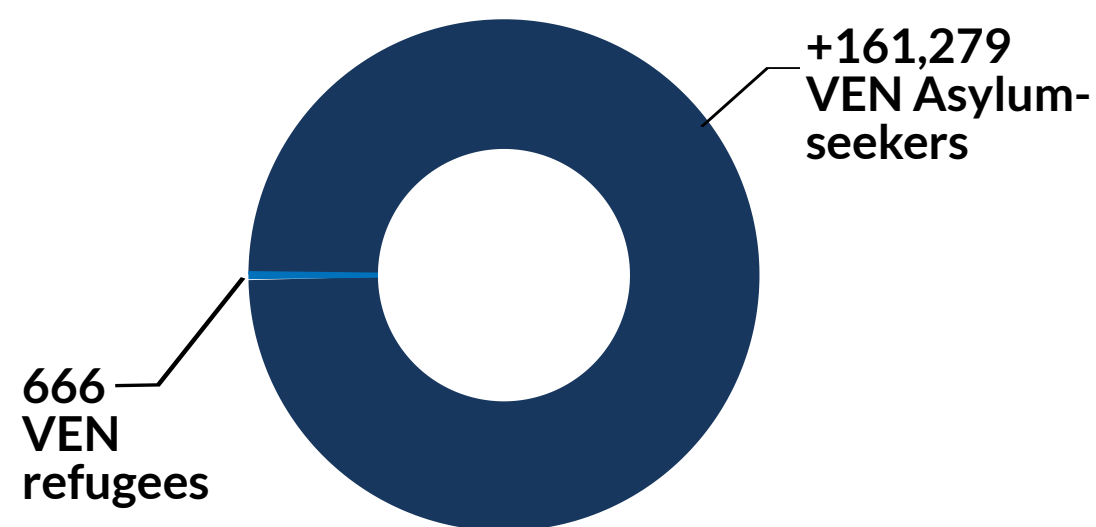
Venezuelans in Peru

One of every five Venezuelans who have left their country are now living in Peru. Of these over 616,279 have applied for refugee status, making it the primary host country for Venezuelan asylum-seekers in the world.

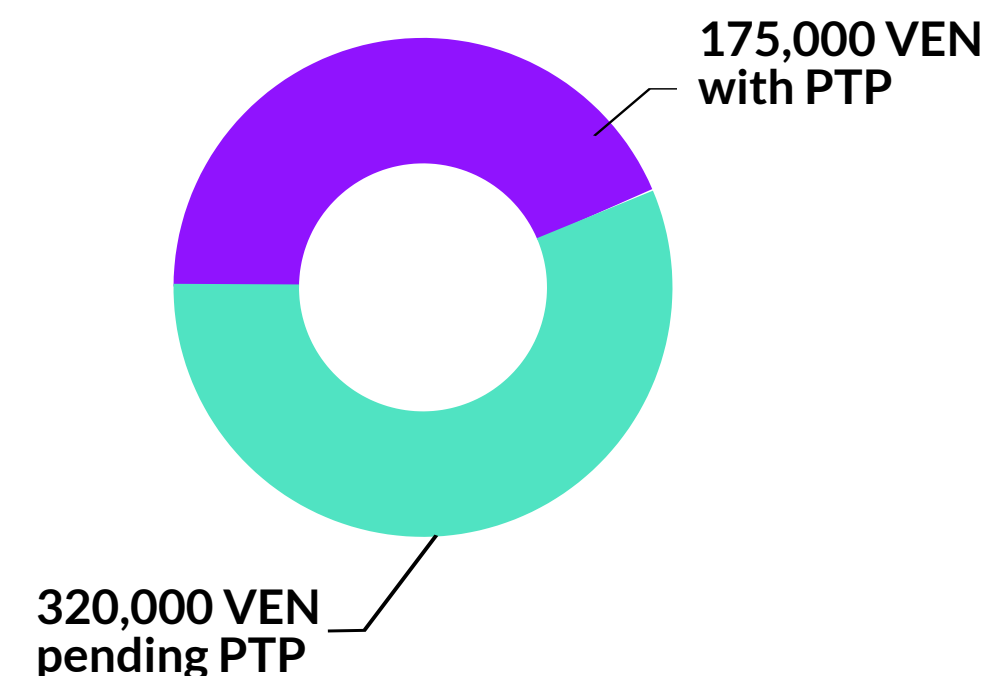
Over 495,000 have applied for the Temporary Stay Permit (Permiso Especial de Permanencia -PTP) that allows them to access work and some basic services.

Venezuelans can apply for both options, as they are not mutually exclusive.

Asylum process



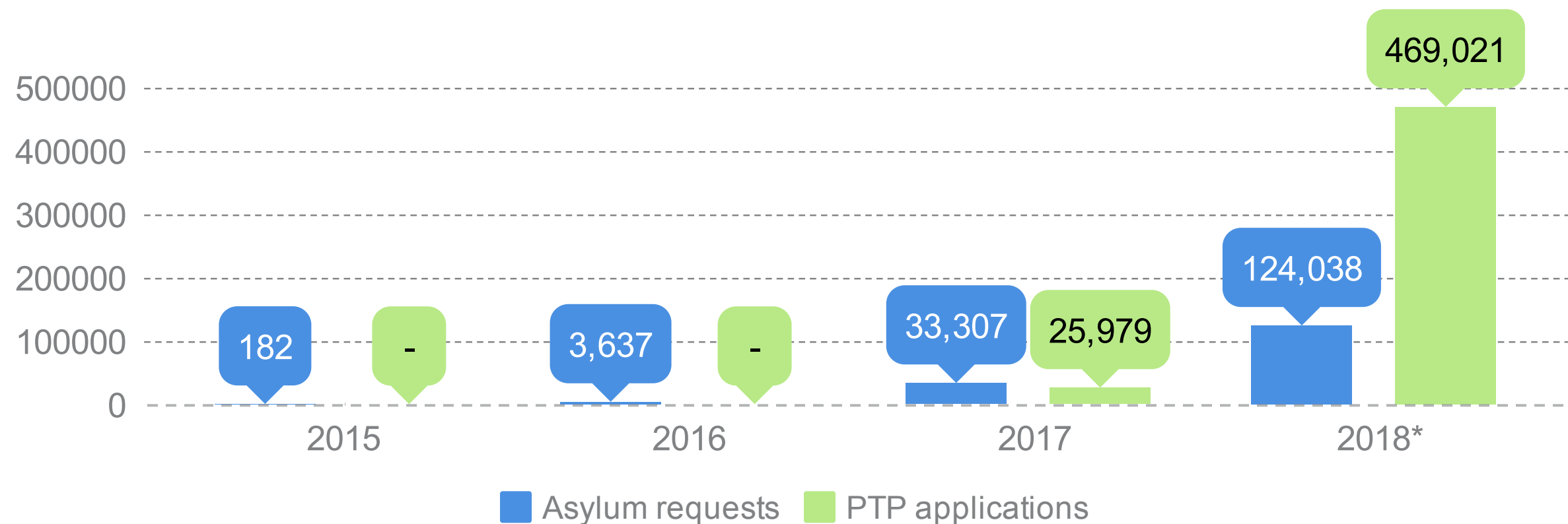
Temporary Stay Permit



20% of Venezuelans entering through Tumbes faced risks along the way



Of those who enter, 30% exit to other countries further south



Sources: Superintendencia of Migration Peru and Special Commission for Refugees