



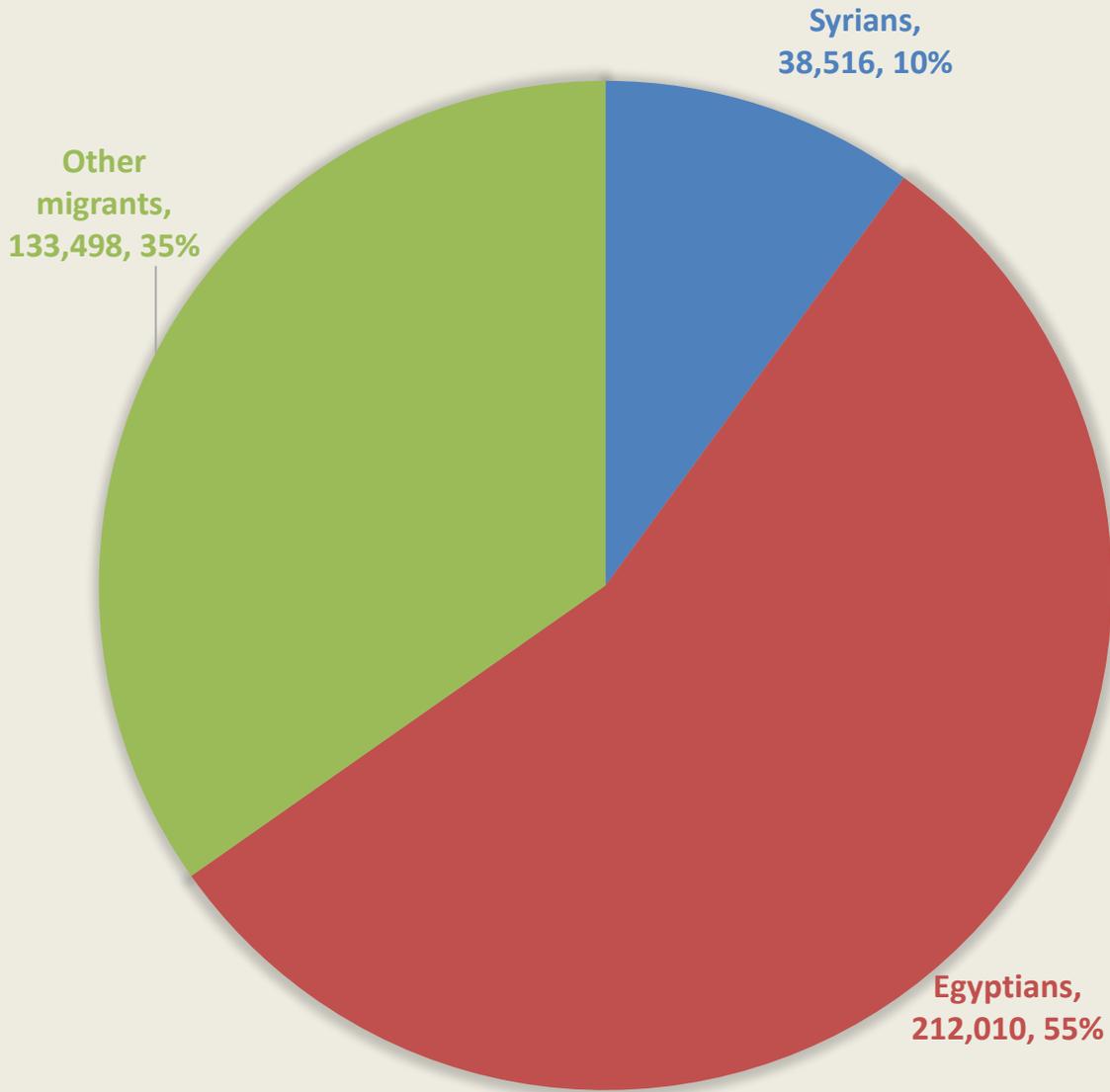
ILO's support to the formalization of Syrian refugees in the labour market in Jordan

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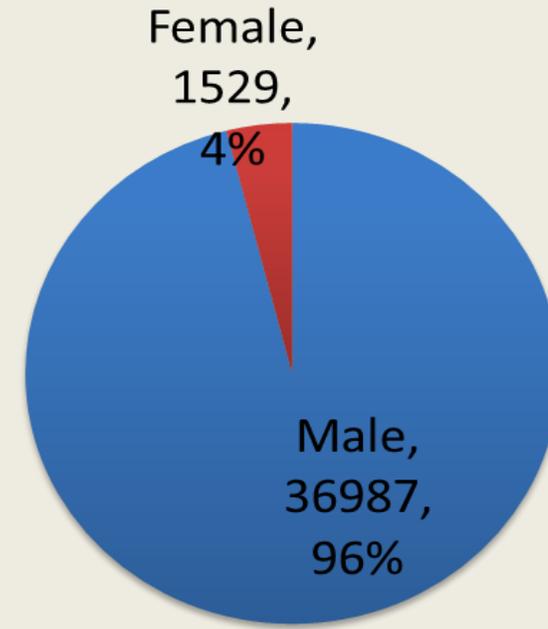
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ILO Crisis Response Coordinator in Jordan

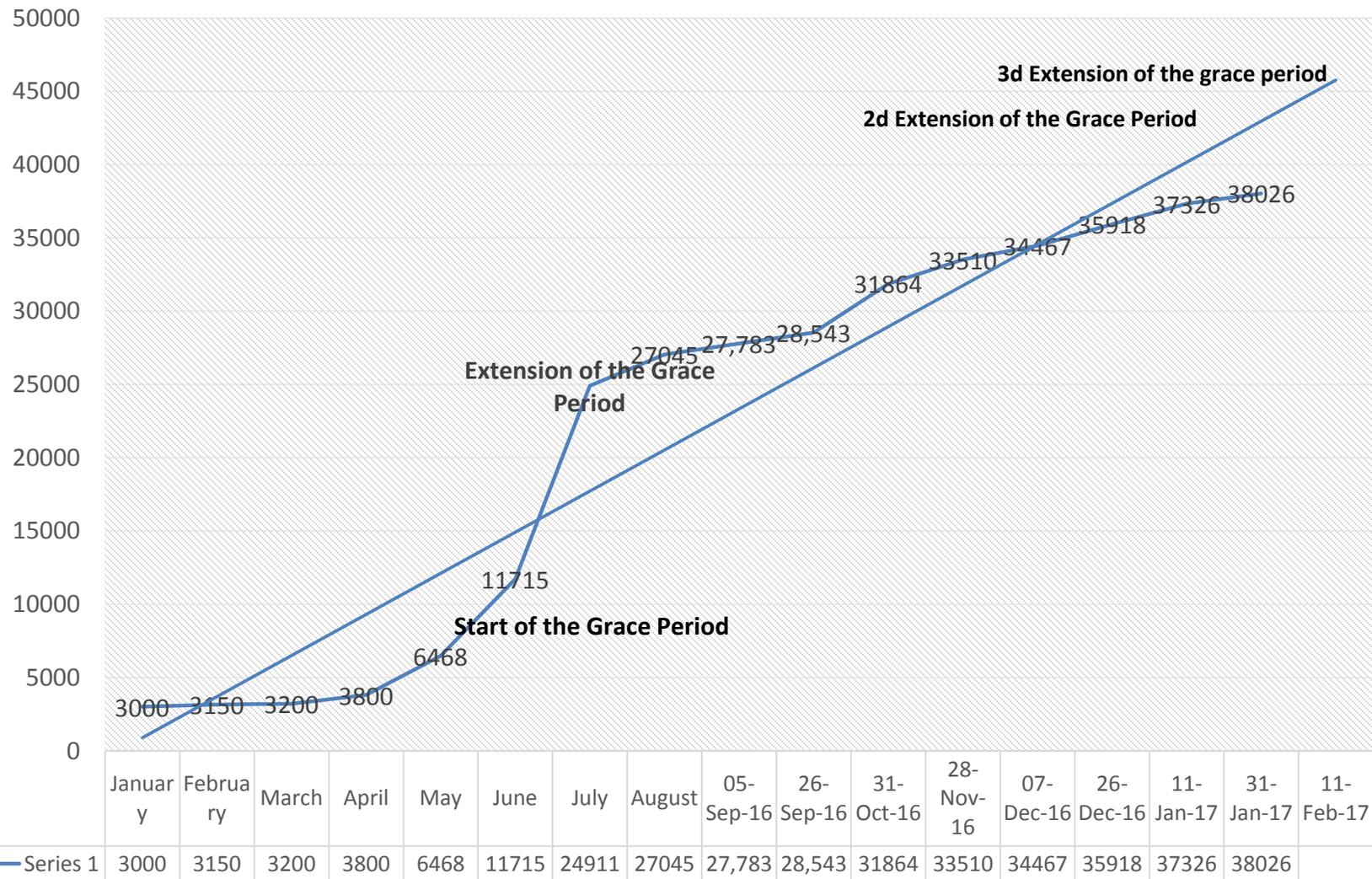
Number of Work Permits issued to Syrian workers, By Gender



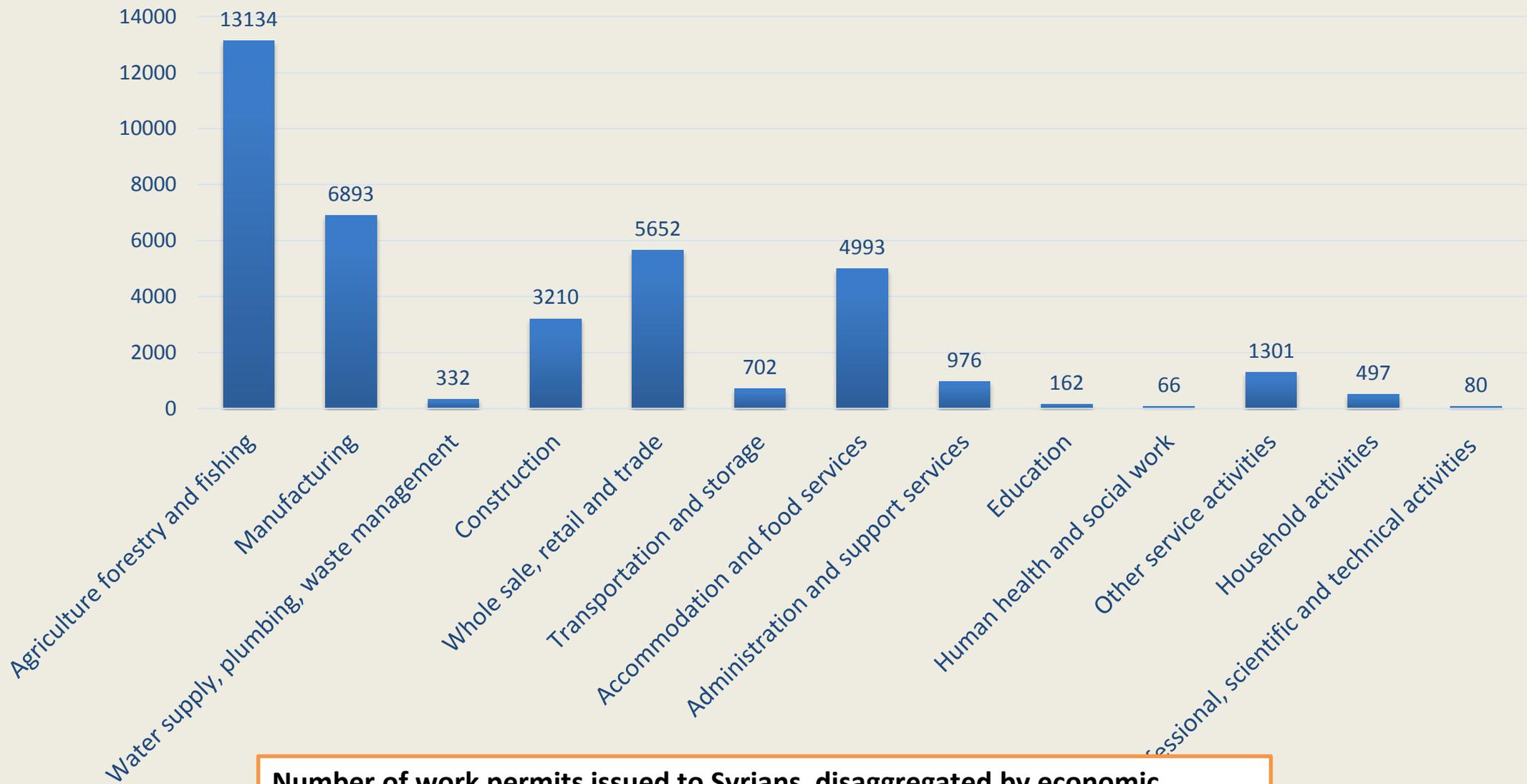
Share of Syrians among migrant workers having received a work permit



Working permits– towards 200,000 WP



- Ministry of Labour actively seeking ways to increase number of Syrians with working permits
- Grace period of 3 months (April -July) for fees and no deportation of illegal workers to camps.
- Extension of the Grace period till April 2017.
- Working permits in agriculture de-linked from employers & active campaign with Cooperatives supported by ILO.
- 22 September 2016, the exemption of the medical check ups for Syrians holding MOI card



Number of work permits issued to Syrians disaggregated by economic activity