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# **Student visa and Temporary Graduate visa programme quarterly report**

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## About this report

This report provides quarterly data about the student visa and temporary graduate visa programme administered by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection (the department). The report has been produced to assist education providers, representative bodies and policymakers.

It is important to note that the information used in this report comes from a new data source. Consequently, figures for previous financial years have been revised and may differ slightly from those previously published by the department.

Data is sourced from several departmental visa processing and recording systems. Data can be dynamic and there can be delays in transmission of information from the department's global operations. Variations in figures between this report and previous issues can occur. The current financial year should always be considered provisional.

For privacy reasons < 5 has been used where a number in a table is between 1 and 4. Further data about the student visa programme, including yearly student visa trends and comprehensive data on student visa grants by sector and country from 2002-03 to the 2012-13 programme year is available on the department's website at:

<http://www.border.gov.au/about/reports-publications/research-statistics/statistics/study-in-australia>

Further information about the student visa programme is available at: <http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Stud>

## Enquiries

Any comment or enquiries concerning this report should be sent to [visa.reporting@border.gov.au](mailto:visa.reporting@border.gov.au) quoting report id BR0097.

# Definition of terms

Applicant type:	<p>Under the Migration Regulations 1994 (the Regulations), there are two types of applicants. These are primary applicants and secondary applicants. These terms are defined below.</p> <p>If the table or graph heading includes the word 'primary', such as 'primary applications' or 'primary visa holders', dependants (secondary applicants) are not included.</p>
Citizenship country:	<p>The country of citizenship of the visa applicant or visa holder. Where a visa applicant or visa holder has more than one citizenship country, either the citizenship of the travel document or the citizenship nominated by the visa applicant is used.</p>
Destination:	<p>Where a visa holder has moved from one type of visa to another. This most commonly occurs where a temporary visa holder applies for a permanent visa. However, many temporary visa holders go on to apply for a further temporary visa. The original visa is determined by the last visa held prior to the destination visa being granted. Destination visas include visas granted onshore and outside Australia.</p>
Granted:	<p>Unless otherwise specified, the number of visas granted includes primary and review grants.</p>
Last visa held:	<p>This refers to the last substantive visa held by a visa holder (that is, the last visa other than a bridging visa) prior to a point in time. The last visa held may have expired or still be in effect.</p>
Lodged:	<p>Lodged is the count of paper applications received in a departmental office or submitted electronically.</p>
Outside Australia:	<p>In this report, refers to the location of the client at the time the application was lodged. Generally, student visa applicants subject to Assessment Levels 2-3 are required to lodge their first student visa application while outside Australia.</p>
In Australia:	<p>In this report, refers to the location of the client at the time the application was lodged. An onshore applicant may already hold a visa of the same kind or may be applying for another type of visa. Student visa applicants subject to Assessment Level 1 can lodge their first student visa application while in Australia.</p>
Primary applicant:	<p>The primary applicant is the person who must satisfy the primary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Regulations. In this case, it would be the person proposing to study in Australia.</p>
Primary application:	<p>An application lodged by a primary applicant.</p>
Primary grant:	<p>An outcome where a decision maker (which may include system generated decision making) makes an assessment based on the initial visa application which results in a visa being granted to an applicant.</p>
Primary visa holder:	<p>A person who has had a primary application for a visa granted.</p>
Secondary applicant:	<p>Secondary applicants must satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Regulations. In this case, a secondary applicant is generally a dependant of the primary applicant.</p>
Secondary application:	<p>A visa application lodged by a secondary applicant.</p>
Secondary visa holder:	<p>A person who has had a secondary application for a visa granted.</p>
Skilled Occupation List:	<p>The Skilled Occupation List (SOL) is a list of skilled occupations that deliver high value skills needed by the Australian economy and aligns with the national workforce development strategy. It applies to international students who wish to apply for the Graduate Work stream under the Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa. To apply for this stream, students must nominate an occupation on the SOL and graduate with skills and qualifications that closely relate to this occupation.</p>
Snapshot date:	<p>The snapshot date is a point in time at which a count is undertaken. In this report, the number of visa holders in Australia at a point in time is used.</p>
Visa applicant:	<p>Used to refer to clients applying for a visa. Unless otherwise specified, the term covers both primary and secondary applicants.</p>
Visa holders in Australia:	<p>The number of visa holders lawfully in Australia. This is not a count of all valid visas, as a number of visa holders may be outside Australia on the snapshot date.</p>

# Background to the student visa programme

International students must have a valid visa for the duration of their studies in Australia. Most international students will need a student visa. However, visitor visas permit up to three months study and working holiday maker visas permit up to four months study. Further information about these visa options are available at:

[www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visi](http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visi)

There are seven types of student visa:

- 1) English Language Intensive Course for Overseas Students (ELICOS) sector (subclass 570) visa. This visa is for international students undertaking a stand-alone English language course that leads to a certificate level award or non-formal award.
- 2) Schools sector (subclass 571) visa. This visa is designed for international students applying to study in Australia in a primary, junior secondary or senior secondary school course or an approved secondary school exchange programme.
- 3) Vocational Education and Training sector (subclass 572) visa. This visa is designed for international students applying to study in Australia and whose main course of study is a certificate, vocational education and training diploma, vocational education and training advanced diploma, vocational graduate certificate or vocational graduate diploma.
- 4) Higher Education sector (subclass 573) visa. This visa is designed for international students applying to study in Australia and whose main course of study is a bachelor degree, associate degree, higher education diploma, higher education advanced diploma, graduate certificate, graduate diploma or Masters by coursework.
- 5) Postgraduate Research sector (subclass 574) visa. This visa is designed for international students who want to study a Master's degree by research or a Doctoral degree in Australia.
- 6) Non Award sector (subclass 575) visa. This visa is designed for international students who want to study non award foundation studies or other full time courses not leading to an Australian award.
- 7) Foreign Affairs or Defence sector (subclass 576) visa. This visa is designed for international students who are sponsored by Foreign Affairs or Defence to study a full-time course of any type in Australia.

To be eligible for a student visa, applicants must be accepted for full time study in a course listed on the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS). Applicants must also meet financial, health insurance, English language proficiency and health and character requirements.

There is no limit on the number of student visas issued each year. If applicants meet requirements, they will be granted a student visa. Student visas are issued for the entire period of study in Australia. Visas are issued in alignment with the period for which the applicant has Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC).

There are two other visas related to the student visa programme, the Student Guardian (subclass 580) visa and the Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa. The Student Guardian visa is for individuals who wish to accompany and care for minors studying in Australia. The Temporary Graduate visa allows international students to live and work in Australia temporarily after they have finished their studies.

## Family members

Students can apply to have partners and dependant children under the age of eighteen accompany them to Australia. These family members are known as secondary visa holders and are counted in student visa numbers. A parent or guardian seeking to accompany an international student to Australia may be eligible for a Student Guardian (subclass 580) visa.

# Background to the student visa programme - continued

## Ability to work

Student visas include a visa condition that, once the course has commenced, allows most students to work for up to 40 hours per fortnight while their course is in session and for unlimited hours during course breaks. The limitation imposed by this visa condition reflects the purpose of a student visa; that it is to allow entry to Australia in order to study, not to work. Secondary visa holders are subject to a visa condition that limits them to 40 hours work per fortnight at any time.

Higher degree by research students on a Postgraduate Research (subclass 574) visa may work unlimited hours once their Masters or PhD course has commenced. Dependents of students studying a Masters or PhD research course have no limitation on their work hours.

## Assessment Levels

There are three Assessment Levels in the student visa programme. They serve to align student visa evidentiary requirements to the immigration risk posed by applicants from a particular country applying for a particular student visa. Assessment Level 1 represents the lowest immigration risk and Assessment Level 3 the highest. The higher the Assessment Level, the greater the evidence an applicant is required to demonstrate to support their claims for the grant of a student visa.

Further information is available at: <http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Stud/Stud>

## Streamlined visa processing

The department assesses student visa applicants who lodge their applications with a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) from a participating education provider in Australia at Advanced Diploma, Bachelor, Masters or Doctoral degree level as though they were a lower migration risk (similar to the current Assessment Level 1), regardless of their country of origin.

## Financial requirements

Students and their families need to be aware of the costs involved in studying and living in Australia. In order to meet the financial requirements for the grant of a student visa, applicants must be able to demonstrate that they have access to sufficient funds to cover tuition fees, travel costs, educational costs for any accompanying school age children and living costs for the full study period.

## Genuine temporary entrant (GTE) requirement

The GTE requirement was introduced on 5 November 2011 to enhance the integrity of the student visa programme.

The GTE requirement explicitly addresses whether the individual circumstances of an applicant indicate that their intention is for a temporary stay in Australia.

Factors that the department may consider as part of the GTE requirement are set out in a Ministerial Direction available at [www.border.gov.au/StudyinginAustralia/Documents/direction-53-assessing-gte.pdf](http://www.border.gov.au/StudyinginAustralia/Documents/direction-53-assessing-gte.pdf) and include:

- circumstances in the applicant's home country;
- the applicant's potential circumstances in Australia;
- the applicant's immigration history;
- the value of the course to the applicant's future; and/or
- any other matter relevant to the applicant's intention to stay temporarily.



# Background to the student visa programme - continued

## Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

Overseas students must have health insurance for the duration of their stay in Australia. The OSHC is insurance to assist international students meet the costs of medical and hospital care that they may need while in Australia.

## Visa refusals

A decision to refuse a student visa application is made when the delegate of the Minister is not satisfied that the applicant meets the legal criteria for grant of a visa. When refusing a visa application, the department provides an applicant, or their agent, with a written decision record that sets out the reason for the decision.

Reasons for refusal of student visa applications may include:

- failure to meet financial requirements;
- failure to meet English language requirements;
- fraudulent documentation present in the application;
- failure to satisfy the department that the applicant is a genuine student; and/or
- failure to meet GTE requirements.

## Processing time service standards

The department gives priority to applications outside Australia to ensure that prospective students receive their visas in time to travel to Australia to commence their courses. Students in Australia are granted bridging visas pending finalisation of their new student visa applications and can still commence their courses.

Depending on the relevant Assessment Level the service standards are that 75% of applications outside Australia are finalised within 14 to 90 days and 75% of onshore applications are finalised within 14 to 30 days. It should be noted that approximately 80% of onshore applications are incomplete when lodged and this adds to processing times as officers request and then wait for applicants to provide required information.

The table below shows the processing time service standards for student visa applications.

Visa application	Lodged by applicants in Australia		Lodged by applicants outside Australia		
	Level 1 or 2	Level 3	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Students (subclass 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576)	14 days	1 month	14 days	21 days	3 months

Further information can be found at: <http://www.border.gov.au/about/access-accountability/service-standards/student-training-and-research-visa-processing-times>

# Background to the subclass 485 visa

The Skilled Graduate (Subclass 485) visa was renamed the Temporary Graduate (Subclass 485) visa on 23 March 2013, and has become a key component of the Student Temporary Visa Programme. Previously, the Subclass 485 visa was a component of the Skilled Migration Programme.

The Temporary Graduate visa has two streams, the Graduate Work stream and the Post-Study Work stream :

- Graduate Work stream - for international students who have recently graduated with the skills and qualifications that relate to an occupation on the Skilled Occupations List. Applicants in this stream must have completed a trade qualification, diploma or degree. Successful applicants are granted a visa of 18 months validity.
- Post-Study Work stream - for international students who have recently graduated with an Australian Bachelor degree, Masters degree or Doctorate from an Australian educational institution. This stream is only available to international students who applied for, and were granted, their first student visa on or after 5 November 2011. Successful applicants are granted a visa of two, three or four years duration, depending on the highest educational qualification they have obtained.

This visa provides eligible graduates with the opportunity to gain practical work experience in Australia following their studies. More information on the Temporary Graduate visa can be found on the department's website at:

<http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa-1/485->

## Eligible visas

To be eligible for the Temporary Graduate visa, graduates must have completed their studies in Australia while on a qualifying student visa. A qualifying student visa is a subclass 572, 573 or 574.

## Australian study requirement

The Australian study requirement is defined as study in Australia in a course registered on the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS) for a period of at least two academic years (92 weeks). The course should be conducted in English and should be completed in no less than 16 calendar months.

All Temporary Graduate visa applicants must meet the Australian study requirement in the six months immediately prior to lodging their visa application. More information is available at:

<http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Work/Work/Allocation-dates-for-General-Skilled-Migration-applications/2-year-study>

## Family members

Family members must meet legislative requirements and must provide evidence of their relationship to the Temporary Graduate visa applicant. Additionally, family members can apply to join the Temporary Graduate visa holder in Australia after the Temporary Graduate visa has been granted. More information on including family members in your application is available at: <http://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa>

## Ability to work and study

There are no restrictions on the type of work a Temporary Graduate visa holder can do. Temporary Graduate visa holders may work or study in any field, regardless of their study and qualifications. Dependents and secondary applicants are able to work and study on the Temporary Graduate visa.

It is the responsibility of the Temporary Graduate visa holder to seek their own employment if they are granted the visa. The Australian government is not responsible for arranging employment.

## Processing time service standards

The processing time service standard for the Temporary Graduate visa is 75% of applications should be finalised within 12 months, however, actual processing times may vary depending on a range of factors. Further information can be found at: <http://www.border.gov.au/about/access-accountability/service-standards/student-training-and-research-visa-processing-times>

# Executive Summary

## Key Points

- In the June 2015 quarter, total student visa applications lodged increased by 5.6 per cent compared with the same period in 2014. This was driven by an increase in lodgements of Higher Education Sector (subclass 573) and Vocational Education and Training (VET) Sector (subclass 572) visas.
- Student visa grants decreased by 5.1 per cent with decreases to visa grants for the nationals of India, Vietnam and Nepal. In the June 2015 quarter, Higher Education Sector (subclass 573) visas granted were lower compared to the same quarter in the previous year.
- As at 30 June 2015, there were 374,566 student visa holders in Australia which is the highest recorded number of student visa holders in Australia for the month of June since 2012. Over one third of students in Australia at 30 June 2015 were from China (22.0 per cent) or India (13.0 per cent).
- As expected, lodgements for the Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa increased when compared to the 2014 June quarter as a greater number of students in Australia become eligible to meet the requirements for the Post-Study Work stream.

## 1 Applications lodged

In the June 2015 quarter, there were 82,755 student visa applications lodged – an increase of 5.6 per cent compared to the same period in the previous year. Lodgement in this June quarter is the highest since 2011.

Visa applications lodged by applicants outside Australia increased in this quarter by 7.5 per cent to 62,954 compared with the same quarter in the previous year. Visa applications lodged by applicants outside Australia increased in this quarter for Independent ELICOS Sector (subclass 570) by 14.2 per cent to 6,637, School Sector (subclass 571) by 16.9 per cent to 4,916, Vocational Education and Training (VET) Sector (subclass 572) by 32.9 per cent to 7,820 and Higher Education Sector (subclass 573) by 2.0 per cent to 32,000 lodgements.

Most subclasses experienced an increase for student visa lodgements from applicants in Australia in this quarter with overall lodgements from applicants increasing by 0.2 per cent to 19,801.

In 2014-15 to 30 June 2015, there were 69,944 and 38,708 student visa applications lodged by the nationals of China and India respectively. Nationals of China and India remain the largest cohorts of student visa applicants.

In 2014-15, applications from the nationals of China increased by 9.9 per cent. Applications from the nationals of India, Vietnam and Nepal decreased by 1.7 per cent, 19.5 per cent and 12.1 per cent respectively compared to the previous year.

The number of visa applications from Brazil increased by 14.6 per cent in the 2014-15 programme year compared to the previous year.

## 2 Visas granted

There is no cap on the number of student visas granted. Applicants who meet the legislative requirements will be granted a student visa.

There were 69,553 student visas granted in the June 2015 quarter – a decrease of 5.1 per cent compared with the June 2014 quarter. Visa grants for Schools Sector (subclass 571), VET sector (subclass 572) and Independent ELICOS (subclass 570) visas increased by 28.9 per cent, 4.2 per cent and 9.0 per cent respectively. Higher Education Sector visa (subclass 573) decreased by 16.2 per cent when compared with the same period in the previous year.

Visas granted to applicants outside Australia in the June 2015 quarter decreased by 1.2 per cent when compared to the same period in the previous year. However, in the 2014-15 programme year to 30 June 2015, total visas granted increased by 2.6 per cent (299,540) compared with same period in 2013-14 (292,060). This was a result of an increase in visa grants to applicants outside Australia for nationals of China (20.9 per cent), Colombia (11.5 per cent) and Japan (11.4 per cent). Visa granted to applicants outside Australia to nationals of India decreased by 5.5 per cent in 2014-15 compared to the same period in the previous year.

In the June 2015 quarter, visa grants to applicants outside Australia for Higher Education Sector (subclass 573) visas decreased by 12.4 per cent to 21,620 compared with the same period in 2013-14. Visa grants to applicants outside Australia for VET Sector (subclass 572) visas increased by 23.9 per cent to 5,269 in the June quarter compared to same period in the previous year.

## Executive Summary - continued

Of the total student visas granted in 2014-15 until 30 June 2015, 21.9 per cent were granted to the nationals of China followed by 9.9 per cent to the nationals of India.

### 3 Grant rates

A grant rate is the percentage of grants compared to the number of decisions made in the quarter.

Grant rates for student visas were 90.9 per cent in the 2014-15 June quarter which was lower than the same time in the previous year.

Grant rates for applicants outside Australia in the June 2015 quarter were 89.4 per cent which was lower than the same time in the previous year. Grant rates for applicants in Australia are generally higher than applicants outside Australia which was 94.3 per cent in the June 2015 quarter.

Grant rates for India in the June 2015 quarter one of the top citizenship countries, fell when compared to the June 2014 quarter.

### 4 Processing times

The number of applications lodged in a given timeframe is not comparable with the number of visas granted in the same period due to processing times.

The time required to process visa applications depends on the assessment level applicable to the applicant and the supporting evidence provided by the applicant.

In the June 2015 quarter, 75 per cent of all student visa applications were processed within 28 calendar days.

During the June 2015 quarter, 75 per cent of student visas granted to applicants in Australia were processed within 39 calendar days, compared with 55 calendar days for the same quarter in the previous year.

### 5 Applications on hand

The number of primary student visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 was 27,893. Of the total primary applications on hand, 21,826 applications were made by applicants outside Australia and 6,067 applications were made by applicants in Australia.

### 6 Visa holders in Australia

On 30 June 2015, there were 374,566 international student visa holders in Australia. This is an increase of 10.2 per cent when compared to the number of student visa holders in Australia at 30 June 2014. This is the highest recorded number of student visa holders in Australia in the month of June since 2012.

Of the total student visa holders in Australia on 30 June 2015, 53.6 per cent were from China, India, Vietnam, South Korea, Nepal or Thailand.

### 7 Destinations

In 2014-15, there were 125,000 former student visa holders were granted another substantive visa – an increase of 3.4 per cent from the same period in the previous year (120,833 visa grants).

In 2014-15, of the former student visa holders granted another substantive visa, the majority moved on either to a Tourist visa (26.3 per cent); a Student visa (22.9 per cent); or a Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa (17.0 per cent).

### 8 Temporary Graduate (subclass 485)

As expected, lodgements for the Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa increased when compared to the 2014 June quarter as a greater number of students in Australia become eligible to meet the requirements for the Post-Study Work stream.

There were 3,540 Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visas lodged in June 2015 quarter. This is an increase of 64.4 per cent when compared with the same quarter in the previous year.

In the June 2015 quarter, lodgements in the Post-Study Work stream increased by 471.6 per cent when compared to the June 2014 quarter. Applications lodged in the Graduate Work stream also increased by 18.6 per cent when compared to the June 2014 quarter.

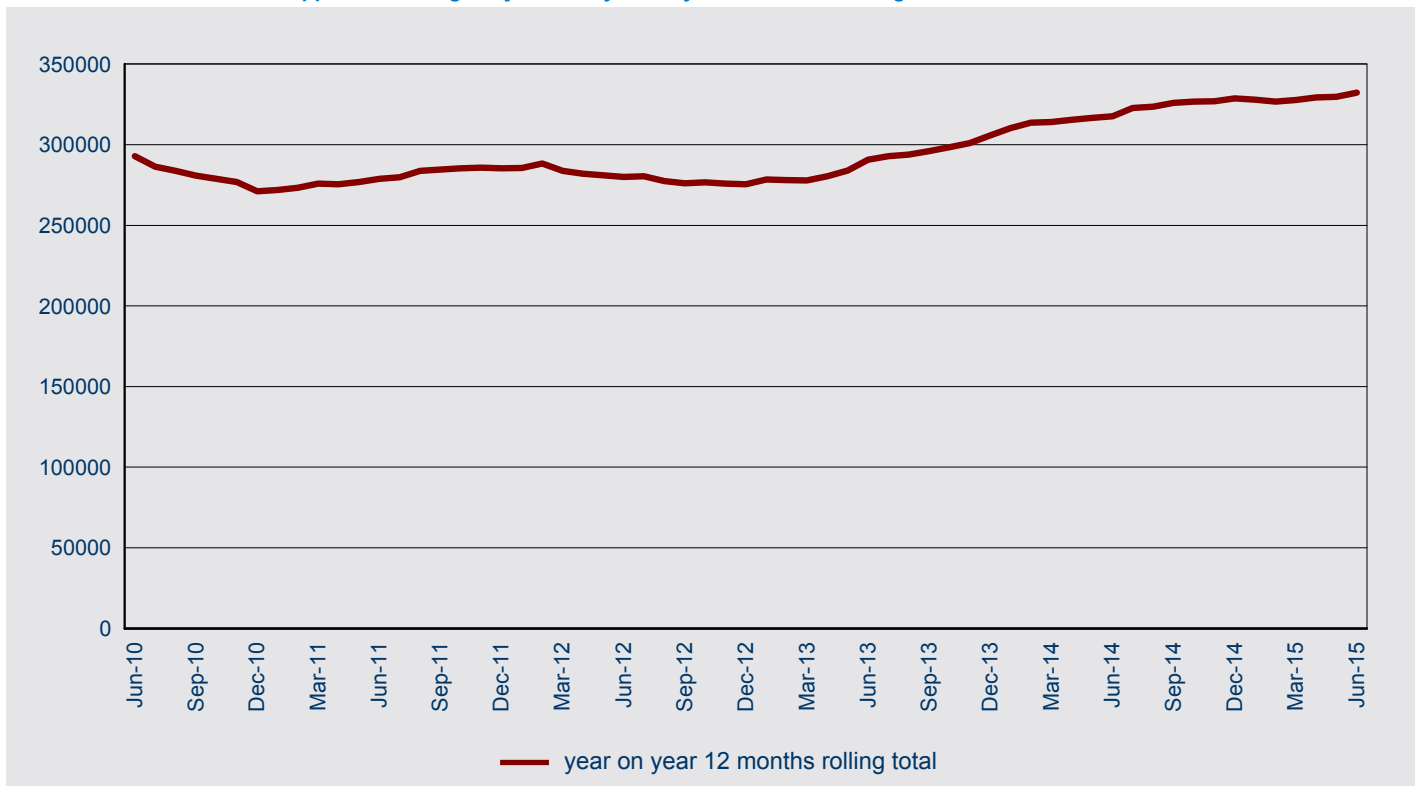
Visa grants in the June 2015 quarter increased by 7.9 per cent to 7,409 (from 6,864).

On 30 June 2015, there were 26,260 Temporary Graduate (subclass 485) visa holders in Australia which was higher than 30 June 2014 quarter when there were 25,198 visa holders in Australia.

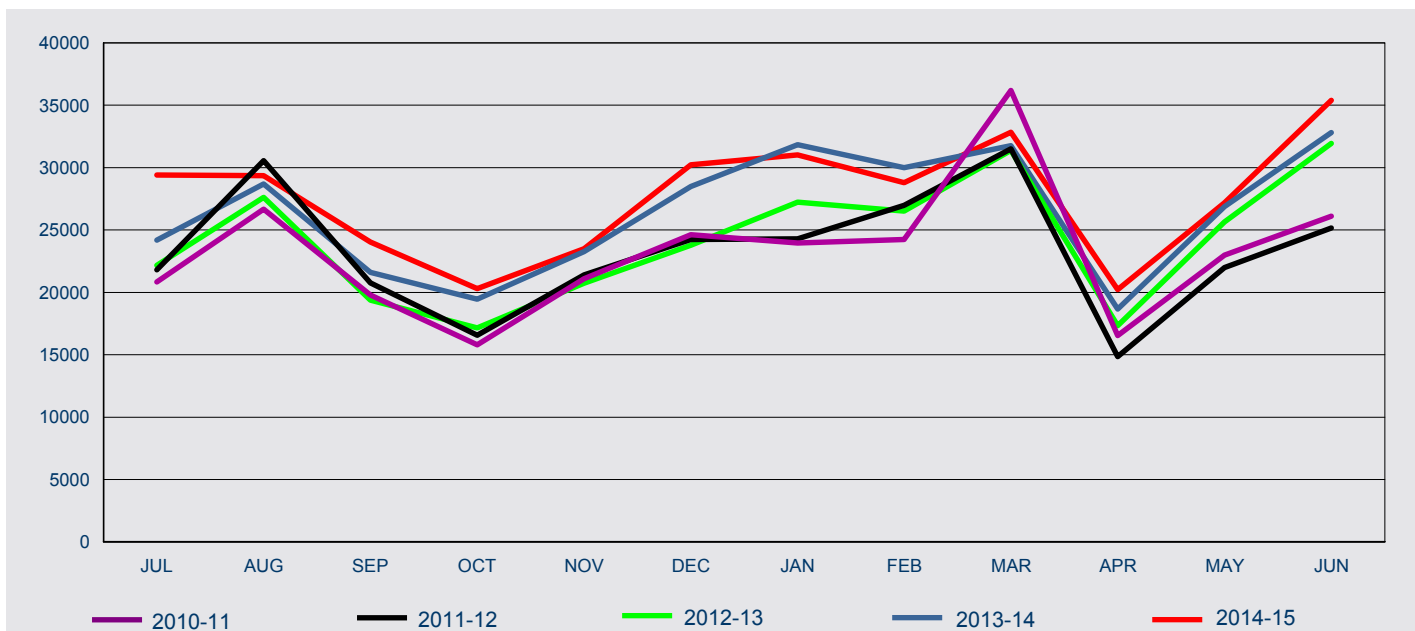
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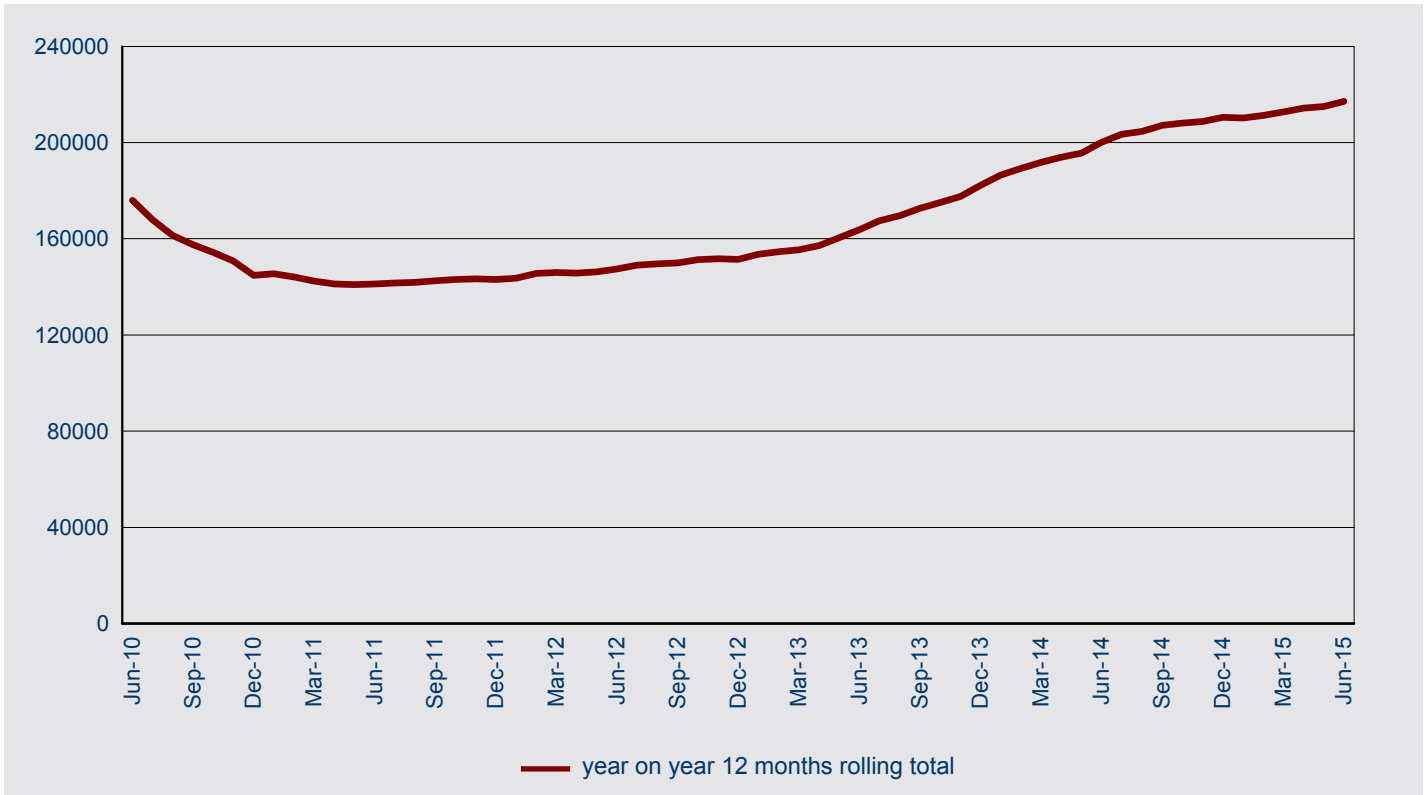
1.02 Number of student visa applications lodged in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



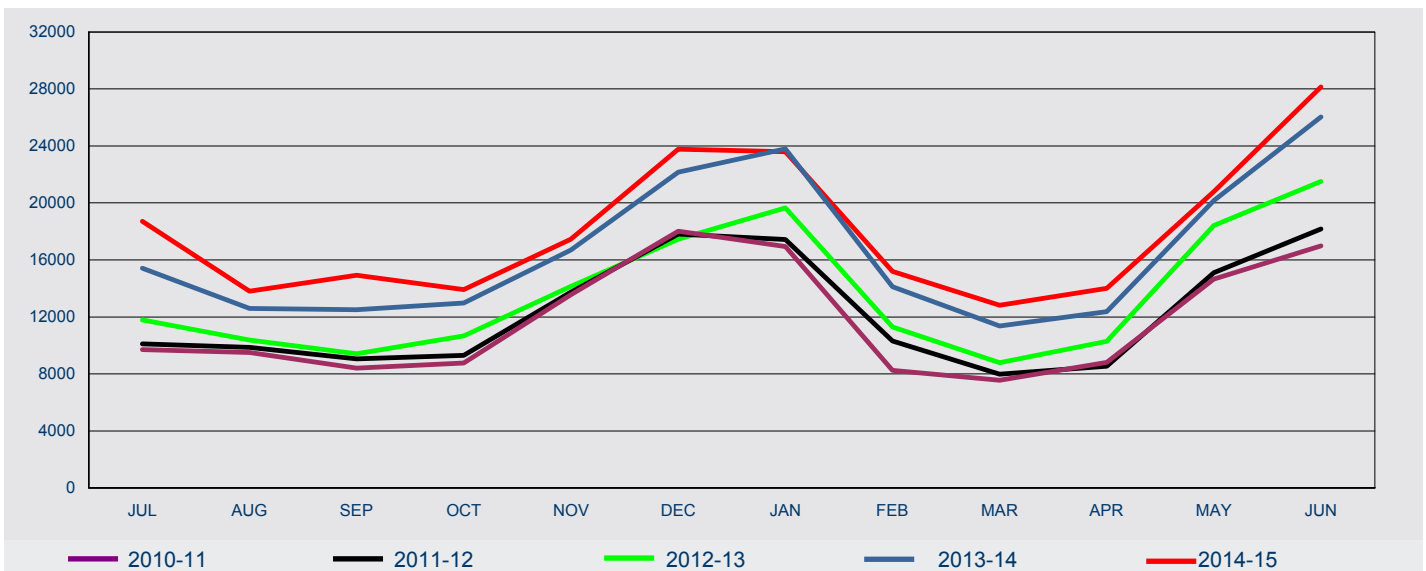
FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	20,844	26,659	19,784	15,805	21,093	24,629	23,955	24,244	36,172	16,538	22,988	26,107	<b>278,818</b>
2011-12	21,797	30,561	20,750	16,549	21,405	24,231	24,280	26,971	31,487	14,853	21,977	25,142	<b>280,003</b>
2012-13	22,152	27,607	19,373	17,143	20,729	23,774	27,214	26,508	31,362	17,326	25,646	31,927	<b>290,761</b>
2013-14	24,176	28,677	21,611	19,453	23,257	28,490	31,830	29,976	31,755	18,671	26,878	32,796	<b>317,570</b>
2014-15	29,394	29,338	24,041	20,293	23,504	30,227	31,014	28,797	32,825	20,215	27,166	35,374	<b>332,188</b>

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1.03 Number of student visa applications lodged by month where the client was outside Australia - year on year 12 months rolling total



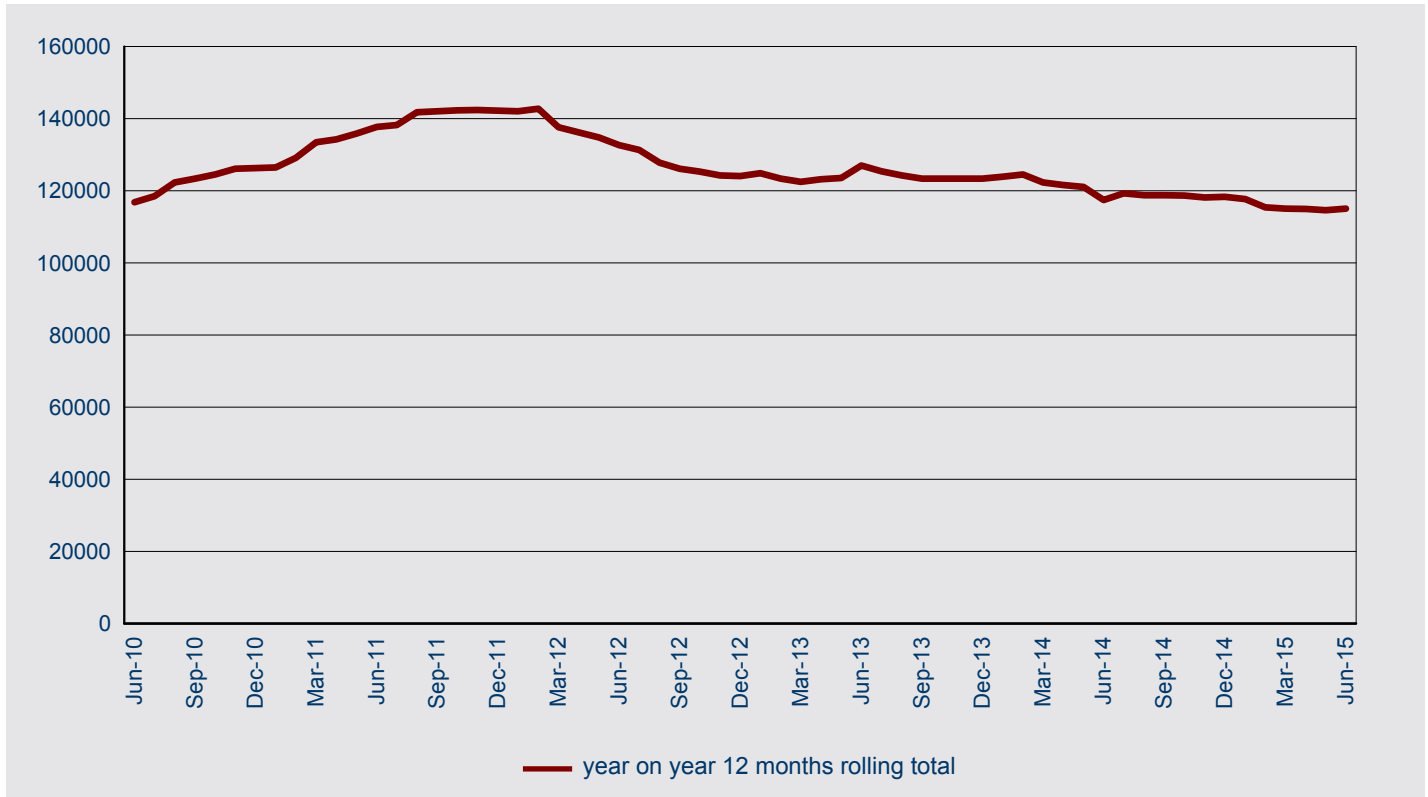
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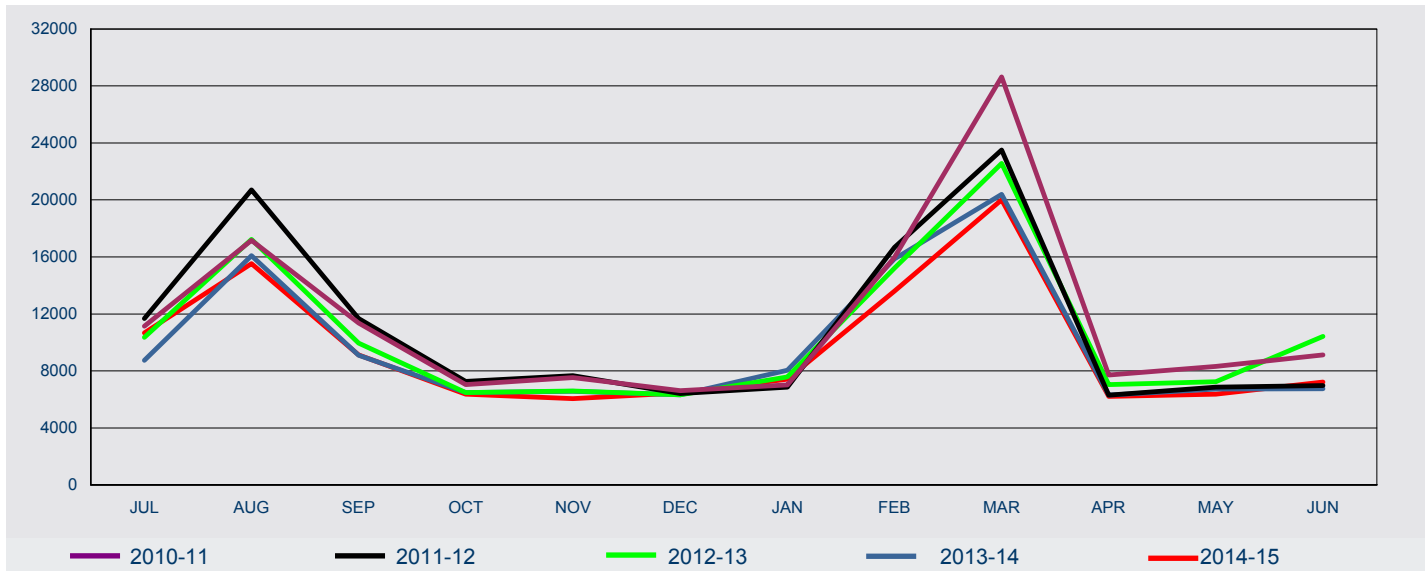
FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	9,710	9,495	8,414	8,767	13,557	18,026	16,932	8,259	7,549	8,816	14,664	16,986	141,175
2011-12	10,115	9,856	9,064	9,294	13,734	17,818	17,424	10,305	7,979	8,542	15,110	18,175	147,416
2012-13	11,794	10,372	9,420	10,675	14,148	17,449	19,643	11,295	8,793	10,281	18,408	21,515	163,793
2013-14	15,427	12,586	12,502	12,976	16,686	22,167	23,785	14,111	11,373	12,378	20,157	26,041	200,189
2014-15	18,715	13,812	14,926	13,918	17,449	23,767	23,604	15,186	12,814	14,011	20,794	28,149	217,145

# 1 Lodged

1.05 Number of student visa applications lodged by month where the client was in Australia - year on year 12 months rolling total



1.06 Number of student visa applications lodged in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month where the client was in Australia comparison with previous four financial years

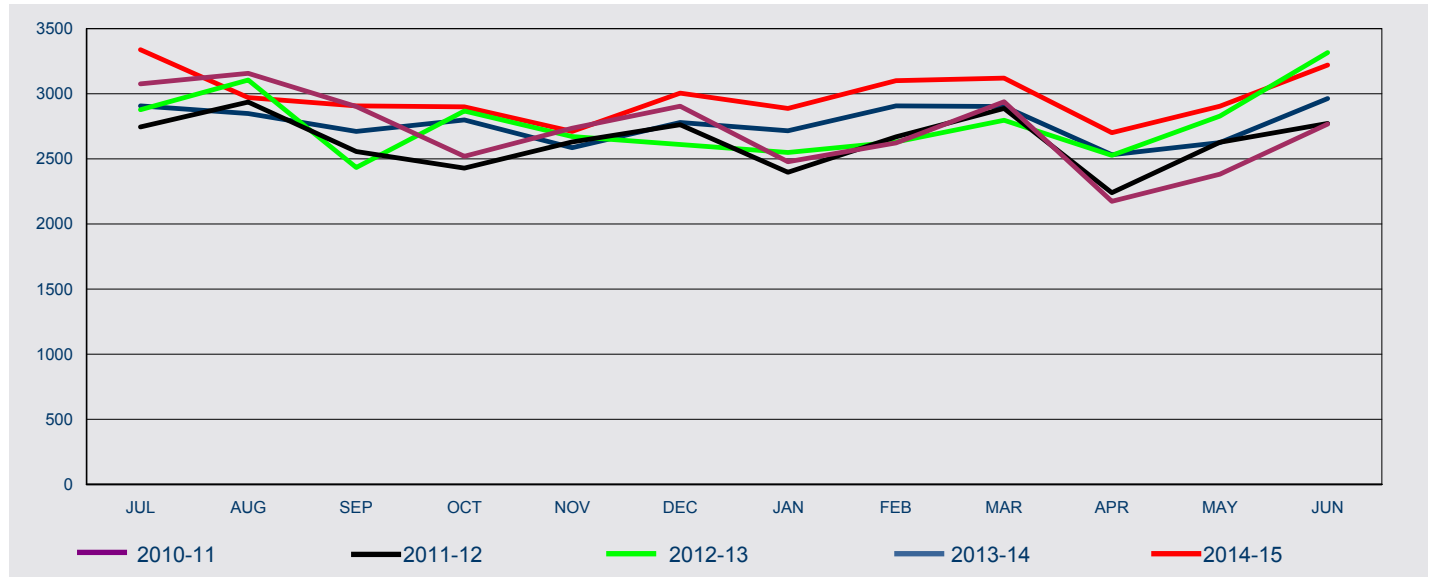


FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	11,134	17,164	11,370	7,038	7,536	6,603	7,023	15,985	28,623	7,722	8,324	9,121	137,643
2011-12	11,682	20,705	11,686	7,255	7,671	6,413	6,856	16,666	23,508	6,311	6,867	6,967	132,587
2012-13	10,358	17,235	9,953	6,468	6,581	6,325	7,571	15,213	22,569	7,045	7,238	10,412	126,968
2013-14	8,749	16,091	9,109	6,477	6,571	6,323	8,045	15,865	20,382	6,293	6,721	6,755	117,381
2014-15	10,679	15,526	9,115	6,375	6,055	6,460	7,410	13,611	20,011	6,204	6,372	7,225	115,043



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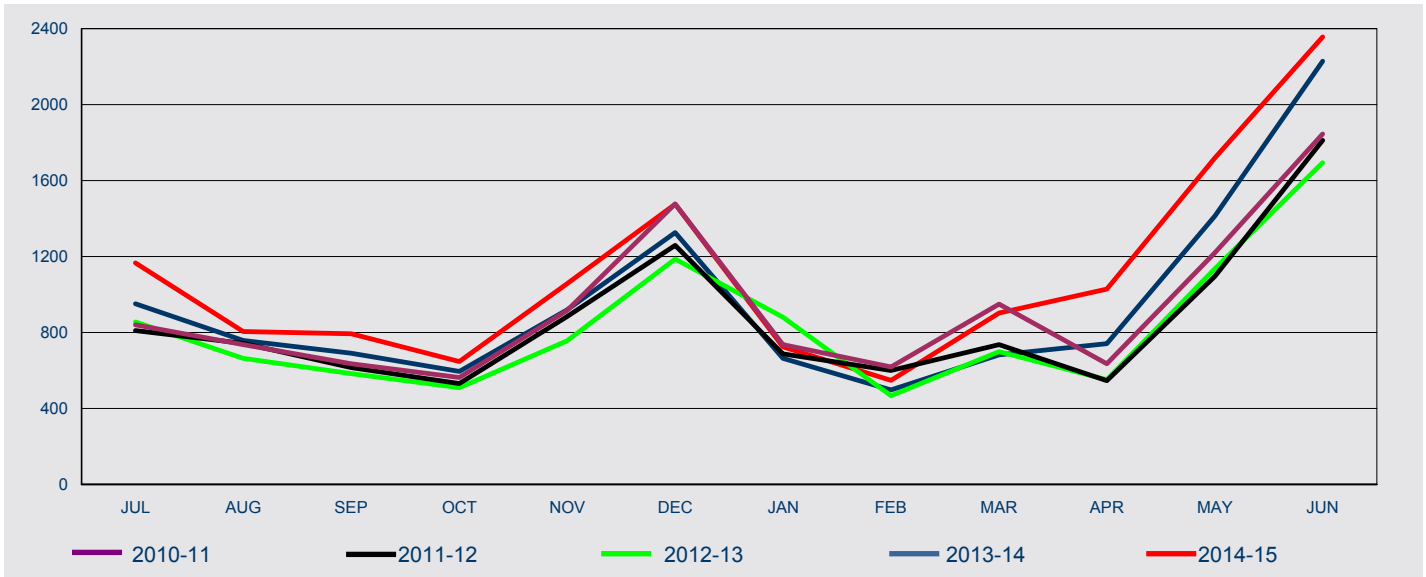
1.07 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 570 Independent ELICOS Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	2,170	2,245	2,045	1,812	2,060	2,180	1,868	1,891	1,923	1,451	1,697	2,125	<b>23,467</b>
2011-12	1,979	2,078	1,773	1,744	1,926	2,071	1,811	1,936	1,807	1,423	1,788	1,943	<b>22,279</b>
2012-13	1,995	1,991	1,532	1,961	1,796	1,771	1,791	1,690	1,663	1,580	1,903	2,022	<b>21,695</b>
2013-14	2,212	1,955	1,806	1,963	1,806	2,024	1,994	2,020	1,893	1,771	1,840	2,199	<b>23,483</b>
2014-15	2,526	2,107	2,046	2,079	1,966	2,315	2,262	2,288	2,054	1,952	2,175	2,510	<b>26,280</b>
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	907	912	858	708	676	724	609	731	1,017	724	685	642	<b>9,193</b>
2011-12	766	858	784	685	704	692	585	733	1,080	817	840	830	<b>9,374</b>
2012-13	883	1,114	903	907	876	839	759	941	1,133	948	926	1,294	<b>11,523</b>
2013-14	695	894	904	836	780	755	721	888	1,009	760	784	764	<b>9,790</b>
2014-15	811	864	860	821	745	689	625	812	1,065	750	729	710	<b>9,481</b>
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	3,077	3,157	2,903	2,520	2,736	2,904	2,477	2,622	2,940	2,175	2,382	2,767	<b>32,660</b>
2011-12	2,745	2,936	2,557	2,429	2,630	2,763	2,396	2,669	2,887	2,240	2,628	2,773	<b>31,653</b>
2012-13	2,878	3,105	2,435	2,868	2,672	2,610	2,550	2,631	2,796	2,528	2,829	3,316	<b>33,218</b>
2013-14	2,907	2,849	2,710	2,799	2,586	2,779	2,715	2,908	2,902	2,531	2,624	2,963	<b>33,273</b>
2014-15	3,337	2,971	2,906	2,900	2,711	3,004	2,887	3,100	3,119	2,702	2,904	3,220	<b>35,761</b>

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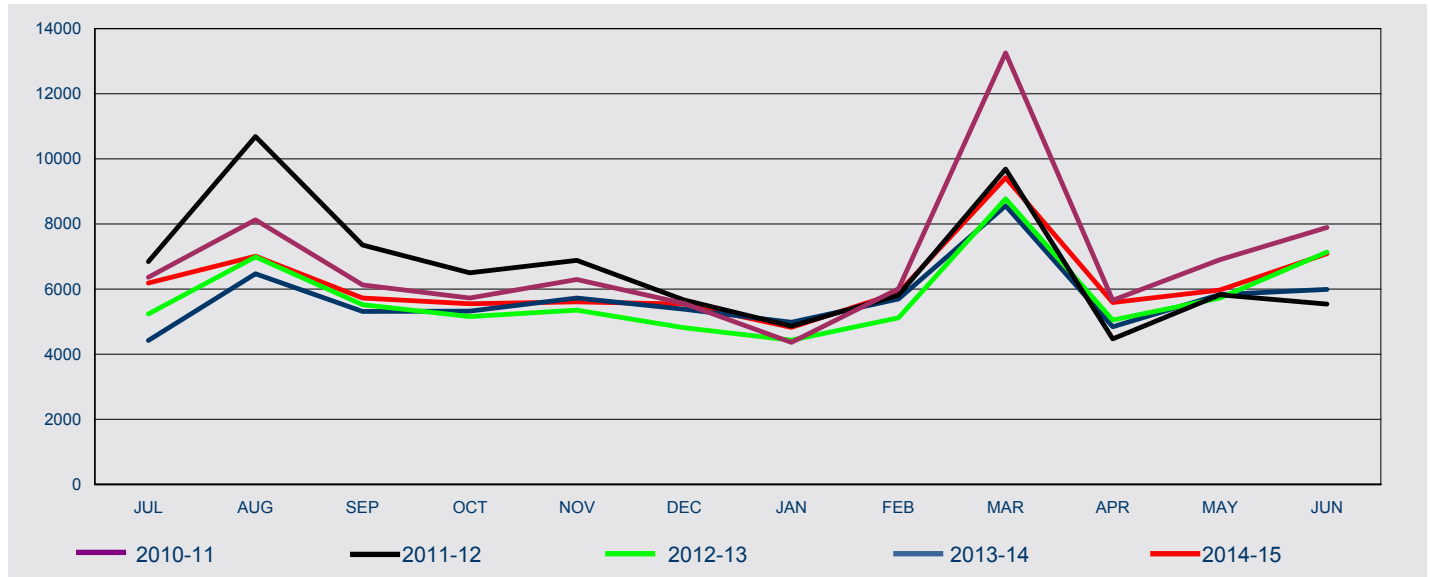
## 1.08 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 571 Schools Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	741	661	528	443	796	1,378	588	297	508	526	1,148	1,754	<b>9,368</b>
2011-12	717	666	532	455	779	1,160	565	293	423	445	1,037	1,759	<b>8,831</b>
2012-13	787	611	507	430	668	1,109	771	258	422	470	1,087	1,614	<b>8,734</b>
2013-14	896	697	629	536	835	1,248	550	284	480	665	1,366	2,173	<b>10,359</b>
2014-15	1,089	760	705	598	974	1,395	629	332	710	940	1,680	2,296	<b>12,108</b>
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	100	75	108	120	120	100	149	322	442	110	72	91	<b>1,809</b>
2011-12	94	78	83	77	105	99	122	307	314	101	59	53	<b>1,492</b>
2012-13	69	53	77	79	89	78	110	210	278	82	49	80	<b>1,254</b>
2013-14	55	62	62	60	84	79	114	214	203	77	47	56	<b>1,113</b>
2014-15	77	46	88	49	84	81	95	216	192	88	39	60	<b>1,115</b>
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	841	736	636	563	916	1,478	737	619	950	636	1,220	1,845	<b>11,177</b>
2011-12	811	744	615	532	884	1,259	687	600	737	546	1,096	1,812	<b>10,323</b>
2012-13	856	664	584	509	757	1,187	881	468	700	552	1,136	1,694	<b>9,988</b>
2013-14	951	759	691	596	919	1,327	664	498	683	742	1,413	2,229	<b>11,472</b>
2014-15	1,166	806	793	647	1,058	1,476	724	548	902	1,028	1,719	2,356	<b>13,223</b>

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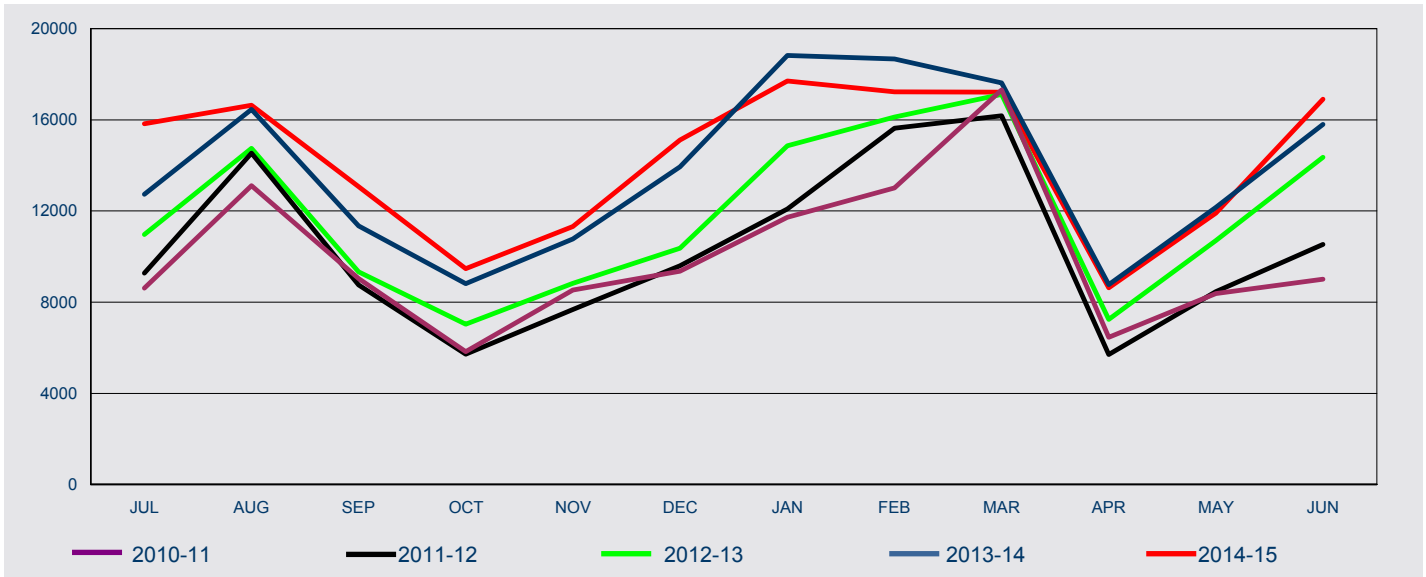
1.09 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	1,605	1,503	1,611	1,753	1,944	2,254	1,822	1,310	1,682	1,640	2,153	2,375	21,652
2011-12	1,710	1,992	1,938	2,016	2,156	2,555	2,382	1,643	1,672	1,463	2,021	1,776	23,324
2012-13	1,557	1,373	1,388	1,722	1,725	1,813	1,634	1,215	1,391	1,552	1,869	1,822	19,061
2013-14	1,600	1,625	1,560	1,752	2,007	2,365	1,775	1,371	1,801	1,603	2,033	2,246	21,738
2014-15	1,827	1,861	1,889	1,948	2,239	2,525	2,008	1,754	2,412	2,259	2,513	3,048	26,283
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	4,763	6,630	4,516	3,978	4,348	3,303	2,546	4,704	11,570	4,015	4,748	5,521	60,642
2011-12	5,136	8,695	5,414	4,486	4,732	3,114	2,481	4,170	8,013	3,013	3,800	3,763	56,817
2012-13	3,677	5,615	4,130	3,433	3,632	3,001	2,800	3,907	7,380	3,497	3,855	5,317	50,244
2013-14	2,824	4,847	3,754	3,575	3,716	3,017	3,211	4,326	6,758	3,239	3,799	3,750	46,816
2014-15	4,364	5,154	3,841	3,600	3,368	3,019	2,816	4,136	7,015	3,330	3,462	4,037	48,142
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	6,368	8,133	6,127	5,731	6,292	5,557	4,368	6,014	13,252	5,655	6,901	7,896	82,294
2011-12	6,846	10,687	7,352	6,502	6,888	5,669	4,863	5,813	9,685	4,476	5,821	5,539	80,141
2012-13	5,234	6,988	5,518	5,155	5,357	4,814	4,434	5,122	8,771	5,049	5,724	7,139	69,305
2013-14	4,424	6,472	5,314	5,327	5,723	5,382	4,986	5,697	8,559	4,842	5,832	5,996	68,554
2014-15	6,191	7,015	5,730	5,548	5,607	5,544	4,824	5,890	9,427	5,589	5,975	7,085	74,425

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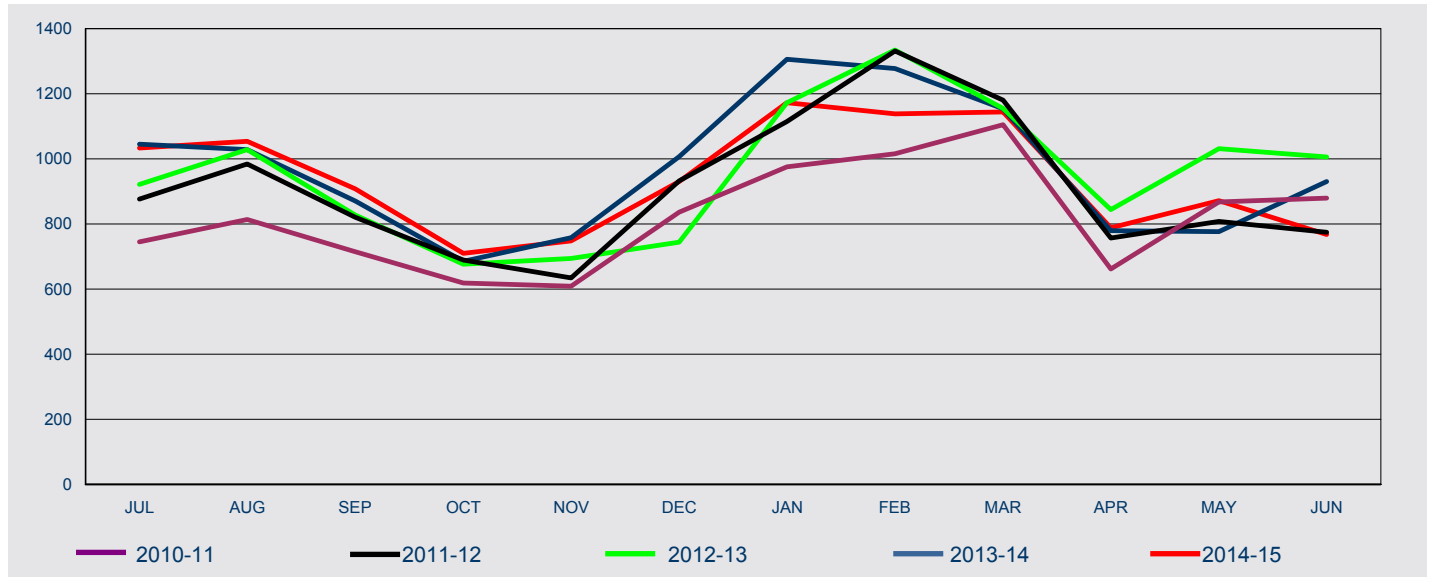
1.10 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 573 Higher Education Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	3,750	4,195	3,649	3,929	6,400	7,186	8,461	3,475	2,560	3,977	6,073	6,532	60,187
2011-12	4,133	4,200	3,889	4,089	5,872	7,417	8,851	5,046	3,015	3,790	6,729	8,564	65,595
2012-13	5,773	4,978	4,978	5,354	7,161	8,264	11,456	6,655	4,183	5,189	8,747	11,111	83,849
2013-14	8,090	6,874	7,448	7,188	9,161	11,810	15,260	8,906	5,989	6,998	10,424	13,962	112,110
2014-15	10,883	7,807	9,165	7,958	9,773	12,770	14,271	9,483	6,277	7,010	10,117	14,873	120,387
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	4,861	8,919	5,385	1,894	2,125	2,170	3,269	9,544	14,749	2,488	2,308	2,477	60,189
2011-12	5,147	10,332	4,872	1,634	1,809	2,175	3,235	10,581	13,163	1,911	1,729	1,973	58,561
2012-13	5,202	9,771	4,346	1,677	1,671	2,095	3,411	9,464	12,929	2,052	1,958	3,242	57,818
2013-14	4,647	9,580	3,894	1,623	1,613	2,122	3,560	9,767	11,626	1,777	1,737	1,840	53,786
2014-15	4,948	8,838	3,897	1,510	1,548	2,346	3,433	7,741	10,942	1,613	1,793	2,035	50,644
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	8,611	13,114	9,034	5,823	8,525	9,356	11,730	13,019	17,309	6,465	8,381	9,009	120,376
2011-12	9,280	14,532	8,761	5,723	7,681	9,592	12,086	15,627	16,178	5,701	8,458	10,537	124,156
2012-13	10,975	14,749	9,324	7,031	8,832	10,359	14,867	16,119	17,112	7,241	10,705	14,353	141,667
2013-14	12,737	16,454	11,342	8,811	10,774	13,932	18,820	18,673	17,615	8,775	12,161	15,802	165,896
2014-15	15,831	16,645	13,062	9,468	11,321	15,116	17,704	17,224	17,219	8,623	11,910	16,908	171,031

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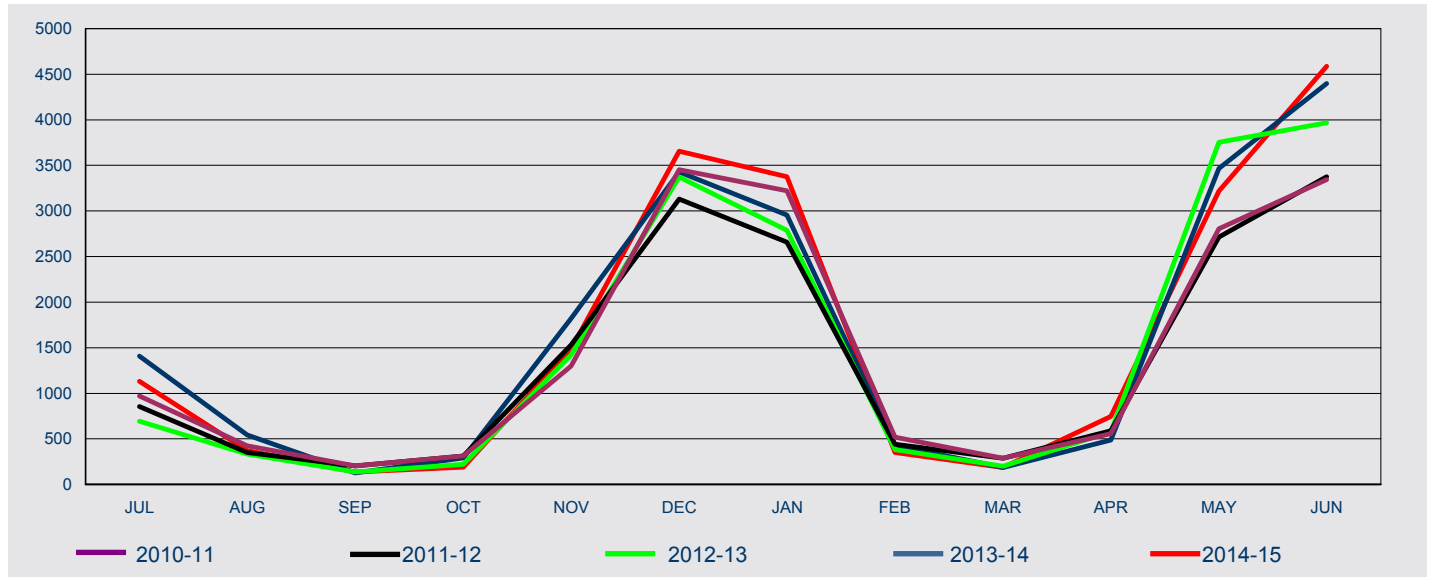
1.11 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 574 Postgraduate Research Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	415	357	305	342	427	639	680	525	441	341	431	585	5,488
2011-12	523	416	379	381	422	737	793	589	410	353	455	522	5,980
2012-13	579	503	389	365	475	548	831	750	426	433	624	660	6,583
2013-14	666	468	422	338	461	753	991	710	480	404	463	659	6,815
2014-15	704	559	526	353	511	717	861	584	462	419	567	484	6,747
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	330	457	410	277	182	197	296	491	664	321	437	295	4,357
2011-12	354	568	442	308	212	195	322	742	770	404	353	253	4,923
2012-13	343	525	439	312	219	196	342	584	729	411	407	346	4,853
2013-14	379	560	449	347	297	254	315	567	674	376	314	271	4,803
2014-15	329	495	382	357	237	213	312	554	682	369	305	284	4,519
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	745	814	715	619	609	836	976	1,016	1,105	662	868	880	9,845
2011-12	877	984	821	689	634	932	1,115	1,331	1,180	757	808	775	10,903
2012-13	922	1,028	828	677	694	744	1,173	1,334	1,155	844	1,031	1,006	11,436
2013-14	1,045	1,028	871	685	758	1,007	1,306	1,277	1,154	780	777	930	11,618
2014-15	1,033	1,054	908	710	748	930	1,173	1,138	1,144	788	872	768	11,266

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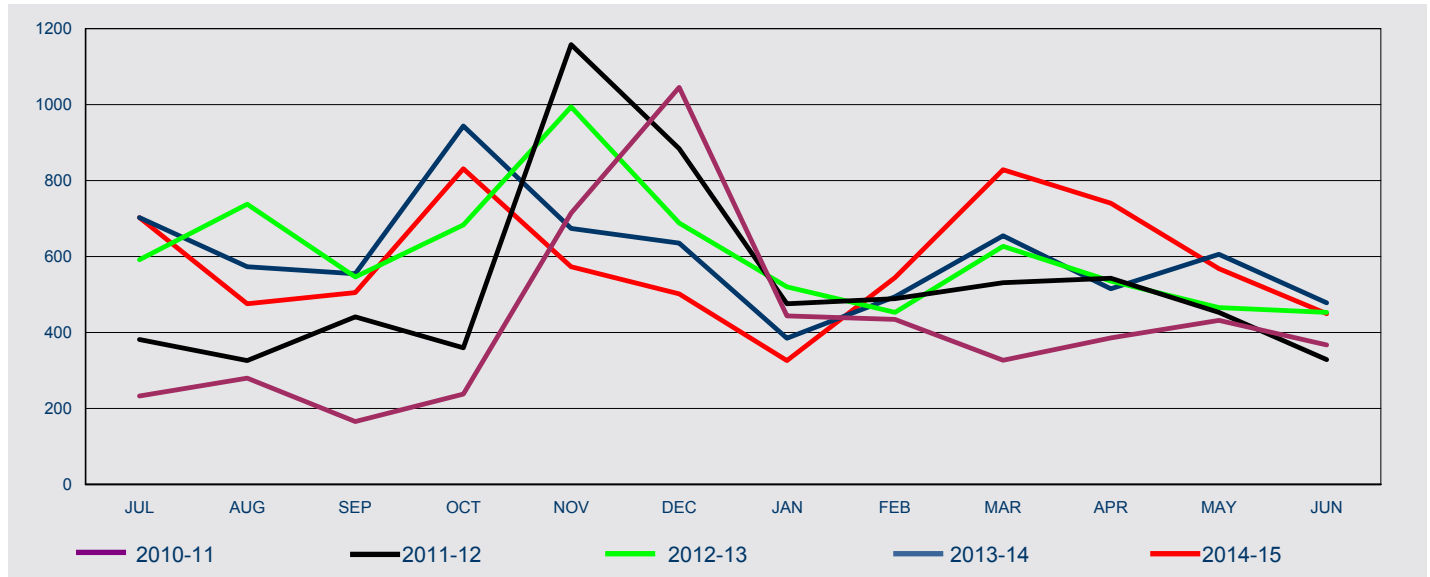
1.12 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 575 Non-Award Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	833	322	143	265	1,243	3,400	3,152	405	151	517	2,755	3,289	<b>16,475</b>
2011-12	731	274	159	280	1,493	3,080	2,597	361	181	562	2,665	3,319	<b>15,702</b>
2012-13	581	274	107	190	1,389	3,306	2,723	318	141	546	3,724	3,868	<b>17,167</b>
2013-14	1,312	469	101	271	1,788	3,369	2,894	373	128	461	3,437	4,346	<b>18,949</b>
2014-15	1,059	330	120	175	1,458	3,598	3,316	287	133	711	3,189	4,536	<b>18,912</b>
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	136	103	60	46	58	53	71	114	138	42	49	54	<b>924</b>
2011-12	125	78	44	34	37	52	60	81	108	28	48	58	<b>753</b>
2012-13	114	61	31	30	34	66	66	63	60	31	31	98	<b>685</b>
2013-14	97	73	27	20	35	59	60	56	59	25	28	52	<b>591</b>
2014-15	74	41	17	14	28	57	60	65	52	34	29	51	<b>522</b>
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	969	425	203	311	1,301	3,453	3,223	519	289	559	2,804	3,343	<b>17,399</b>
2011-12	856	352	203	314	1,530	3,132	2,657	442	289	590	2,713	3,377	<b>16,455</b>
2012-13	695	335	138	220	1,423	3,372	2,789	381	201	577	3,755	3,966	<b>17,852</b>
2013-14	1,409	542	128	291	1,823	3,428	2,954	429	187	486	3,465	4,398	<b>19,540</b>
2014-15	1,133	371	137	189	1,486	3,655	3,376	352	185	745	3,218	4,587	<b>19,434</b>

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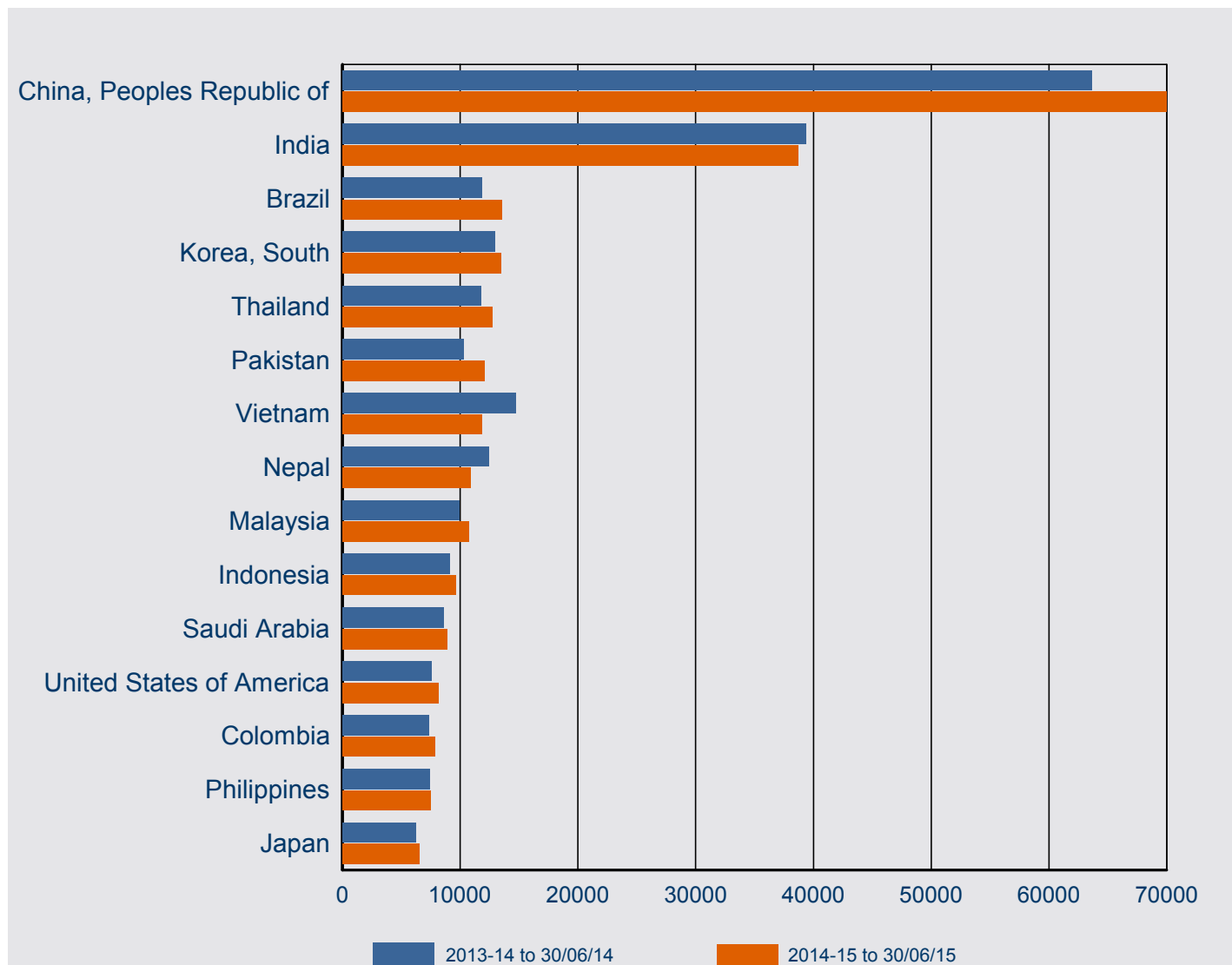
1.13 Number of student visa applications lodged for subclass 576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Outside Australia</b>													
2010-11	196	212	133	223	687	989	361	356	284	364	407	326	4,538
2011-12	322	230	394	329	1,086	798	425	437	471	506	415	292	5,705
2012-13	522	642	519	653	934	638	437	409	567	511	454	418	6,704
2013-14	651	498	536	928	628	598	321	447	602	476	594	456	6,735
2014-15	627	388	475	807	528	447	257	458	766	720	553	402	6,428
<b>In Australia</b>													
2010-11	37	68	33	15	27	56	83	79	43	22	25	41	529
2011-12	60	96	47	31	72	86	51	52	60	37	38	37	667
2012-13	70	96	27	30	60	50	83	44	60	24	12	35	591
2013-14	52	75	19	16	46	37	64	47	53	39	12	22	482
2014-15	76	88	30	24	45	55	69	87	63	20	15	48	620
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	233	280	166	238	714	1,045	444	435	327	386	432	367	5,067
2011-12	382	326	441	360	1,158	884	476	489	531	543	453	329	6,372
2012-13	592	738	546	683	994	688	520	453	627	535	466	453	7,295
2013-14	703	573	555	944	674	635	385	494	655	515	606	478	7,217
2014-15	703	476	505	831	573	502	326	545	829	740	568	450	7,048

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1.14 Number of student visa applications lodged in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

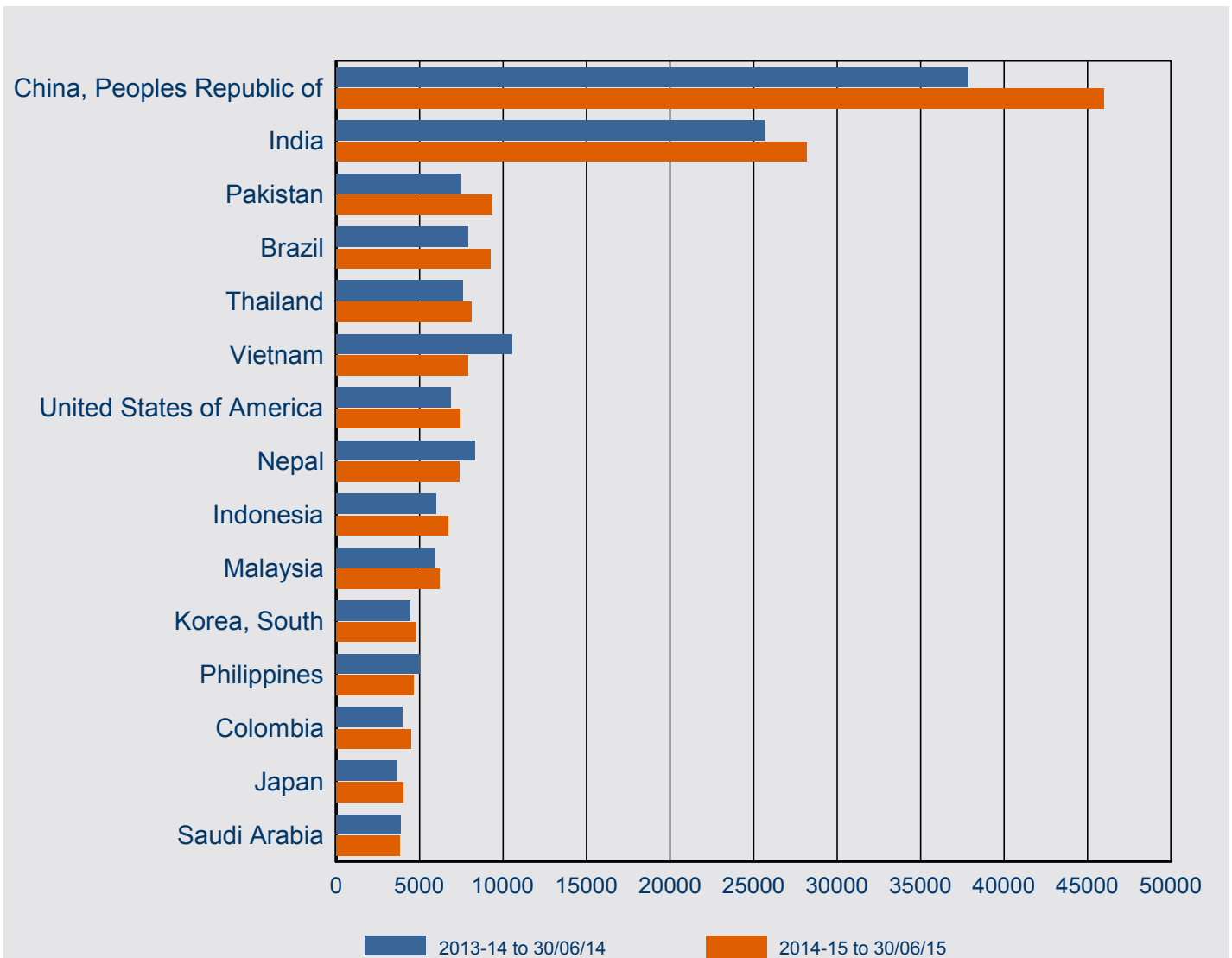


Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	63,661	69,944	9.9%	21.1%
India	39,374	38,708	-1.7%	11.7%
Brazil	11,848	13,581	14.6%	4.1%
Korea, South	12,968	13,435	3.6%	4.0%
Thailand	11,769	12,695	7.9%	3.8%
Pakistan	10,294	12,050	17.1%	3.6%
Vietnam	14,701	11,828	-19.5%	3.6%
Nepal	12,408	10,904	-12.1%	3.3%
Malaysia	9,939	10,732	8.0%	3.2%
Indonesia	9,092	9,612	5.7%	2.9%
Saudi Arabia	8,578	8,900	3.8%	2.7%
United States of America	7,604	8,182	7.6%	2.5%
Colombia	7,320	7,840	7.1%	2.4%
Philippines	7,390	7,467	1.0%	2.2%
Japan	6,223	6,569	5.6%	2.0%
Other countries	84,401	89,741	6.3%	27.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>317,570</b>	<b>332,188</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



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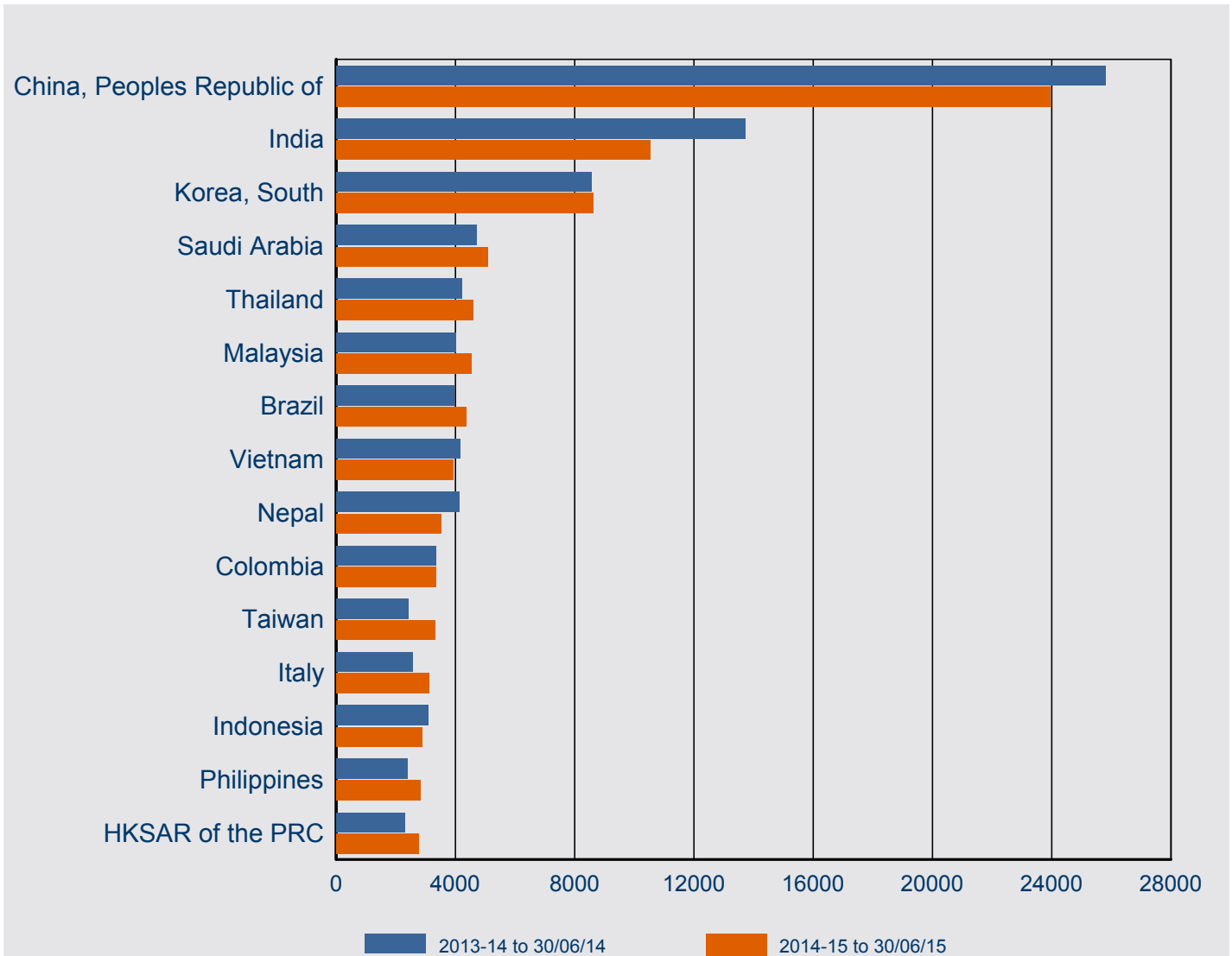
1.15 Number of student visa applications lodged outside Australia in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year



Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	37,863	45,984	21.4%	21.2%
India	25,655	28,181	9.8%	13.0%
Pakistan	7,460	9,328	25.0%	4.3%
Brazil	7,888	9,222	16.9%	4.2%
Thailand	7,556	8,089	7.1%	3.7%
Vietnam	10,532	7,898	-25.0%	3.6%
United States of America	6,875	7,420	7.9%	3.4%
Nepal	8,291	7,375	-11.0%	3.4%
Indonesia	5,992	6,722	12.2%	3.1%
Malaysia	5,942	6,196	4.3%	2.9%
Korea, South	4,416	4,807	8.9%	2.2%
Philippines	4,995	4,641	-7.1%	2.1%
Colombia	3,970	4,495	13.2%	2.1%
Japan	3,652	4,017	10.0%	1.8%
Saudi Arabia	3,860	3,818	-1.1%	1.8%
Other countries	55,242	58,952	6.7%	27.1%
<b>Outside Australia Total</b>	<b>200,189</b>	<b>217,145</b>	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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1.16 Number of student visa applications lodged in Australia in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

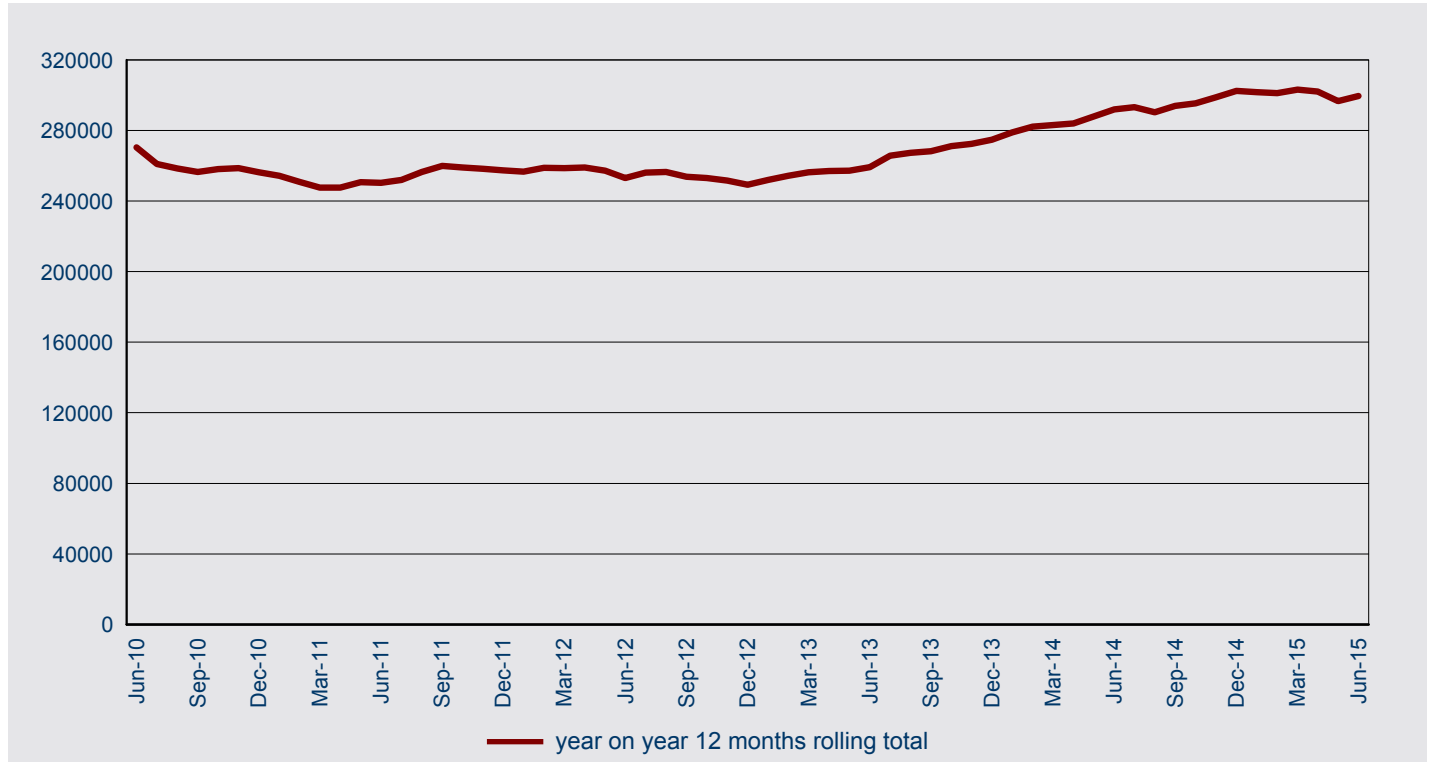


Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	25,798	23,960	-7.1%	20.8%
India	13,719	10,527	-23.3%	9.2%
Korea, South	8,552	8,628	0.9%	7.5%
Saudi Arabia	4,718	5,082	7.7%	4.4%
Thailand	4,213	4,606	9.3%	4.0%
Malaysia	3,997	4,536	13.5%	3.9%
Brazil	3,960	4,359	10.1%	3.8%
Vietnam	4,169	3,930	-5.7%	3.4%
Nepal	4,117	3,529	-14.3%	3.1%
Colombia	3,350	3,345	-0.1%	2.9%
Taiwan	2,425	3,321	36.9%	2.9%
Italy	2,572	3,119	21.3%	2.7%
Indonesia	3,100	2,890	-6.8%	2.5%
Philippines	2,395	2,826	18.0%	2.5%
HKSAR of the PRC	2,290	2,769	20.9%	2.4%
Other countries	28,006	27,616	-1.4%	24.0%
<b>Inside Australia Total</b>	<b>117,381</b>	<b>115,043</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

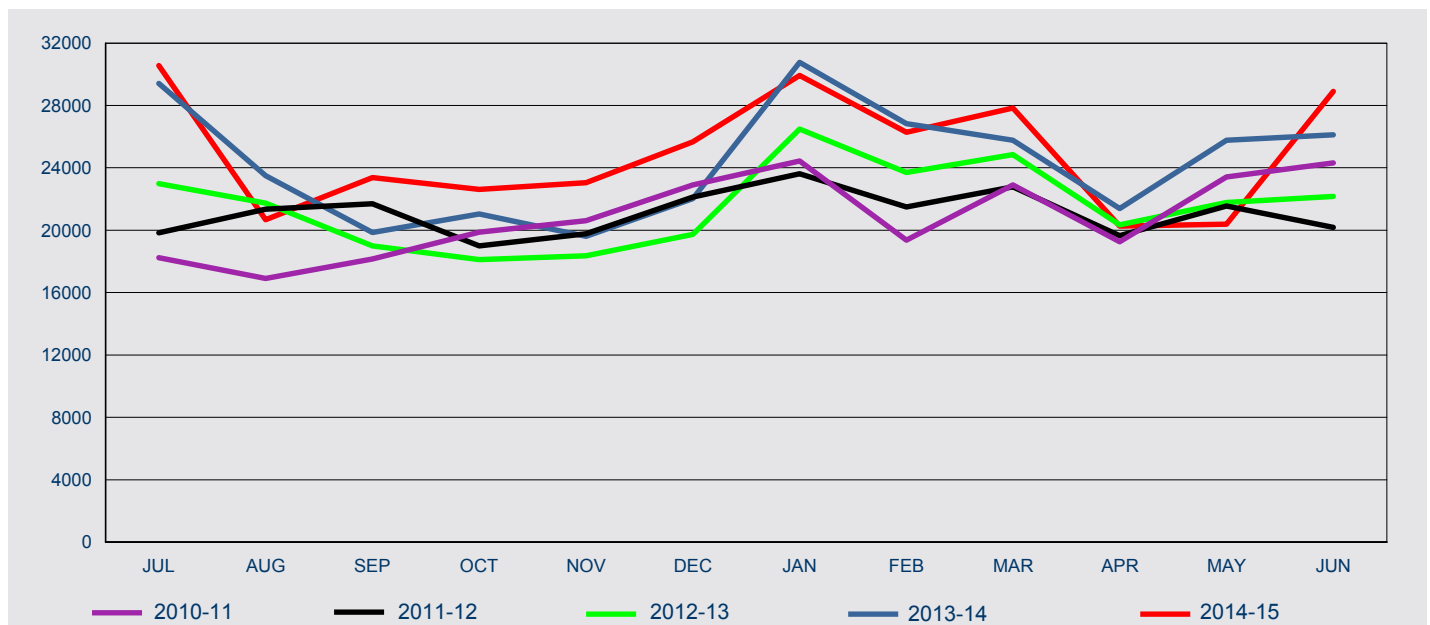
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2.01 Number of student visa applications granted by month - year on year 12 months rolling total



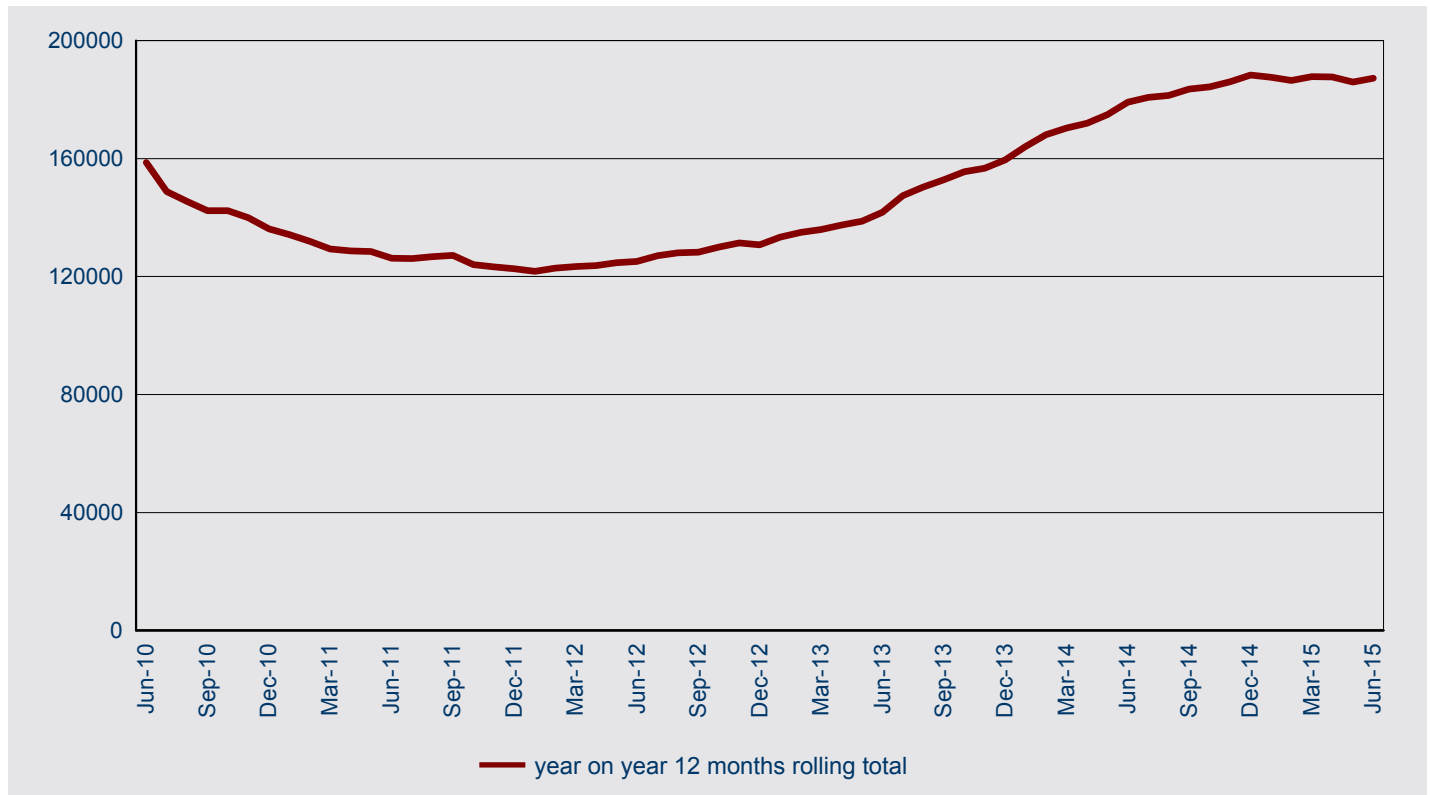
2.02 Number of student visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



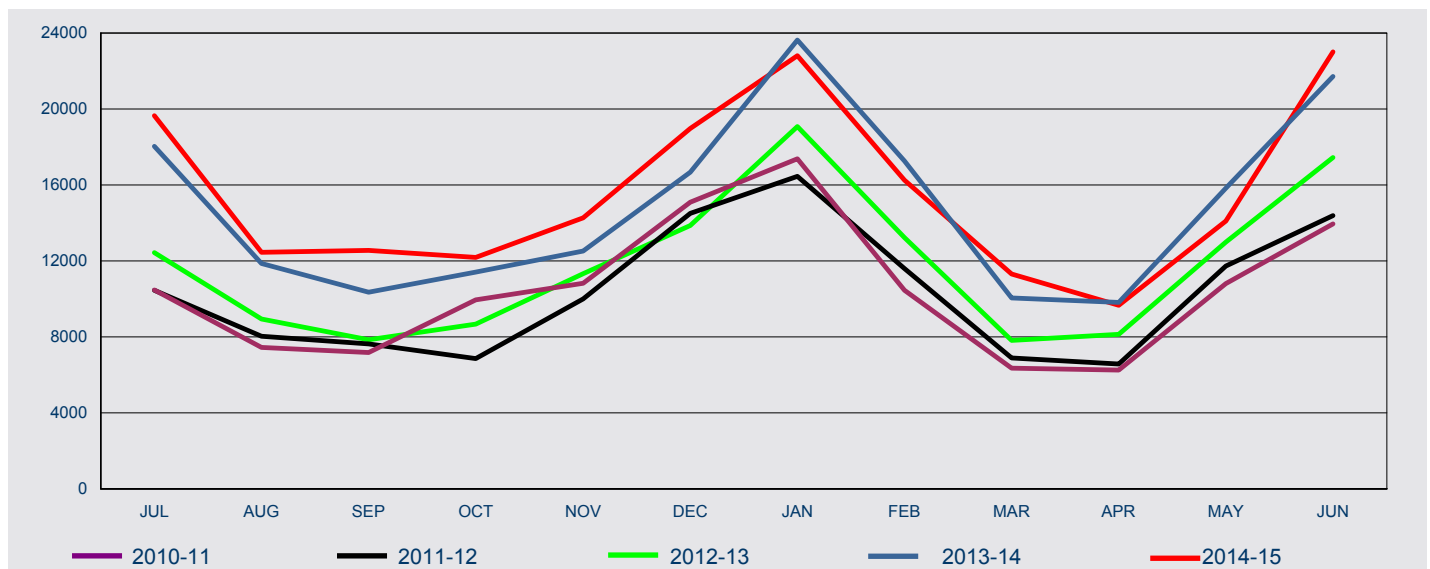
FY Granted	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	18,245	16,918	18,158	19,885	20,613	22,901	24,437	19,362	22,914	19,262	23,418	24,325	250,438
2011-12	19,831	21,351	21,693	18,999	19,771	22,123	23,611	21,495	22,778	19,659	21,545	20,190	253,046
2012-13	22,986	21,744	18,987	18,124	18,362	19,738	26,478	23,707	24,844	20,355	21,786	22,167	259,278
2013-14	29,406	23,503	19,847	21,040	19,619	22,017	30,754	26,824	25,770	21,392	25,763	26,125	292,060
2014-15	30,564	20,683	23,379	22,614	23,041	25,667	29,923	26,272	27,844	20,264	20,392	28,897	299,540

## 2 Granted

2.03 Number of student visa applications granted by month where the client was outside Australia - year on year 12 months rolling total



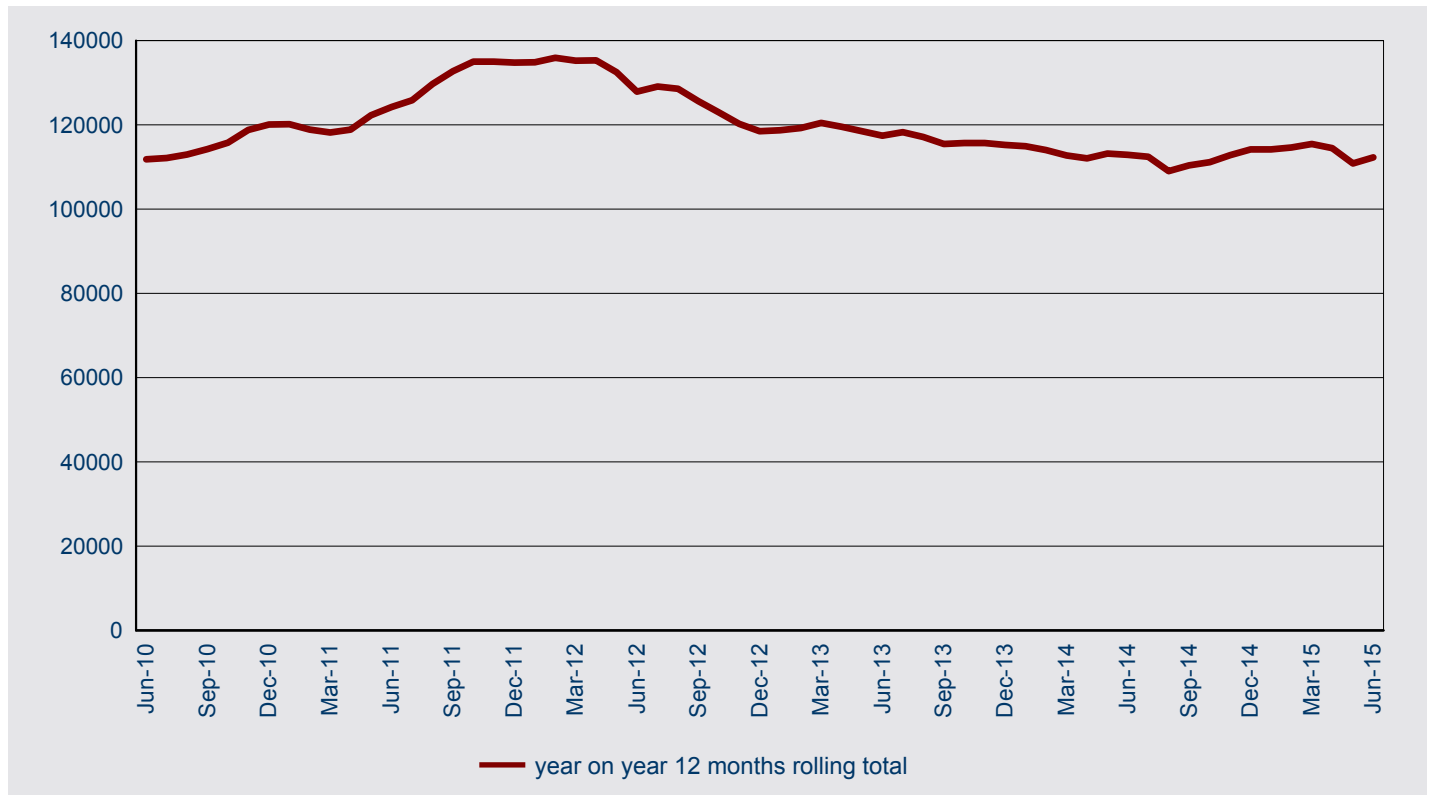
2.04 Number of student visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month where the client was outside Australia - comparison with previous four financial years



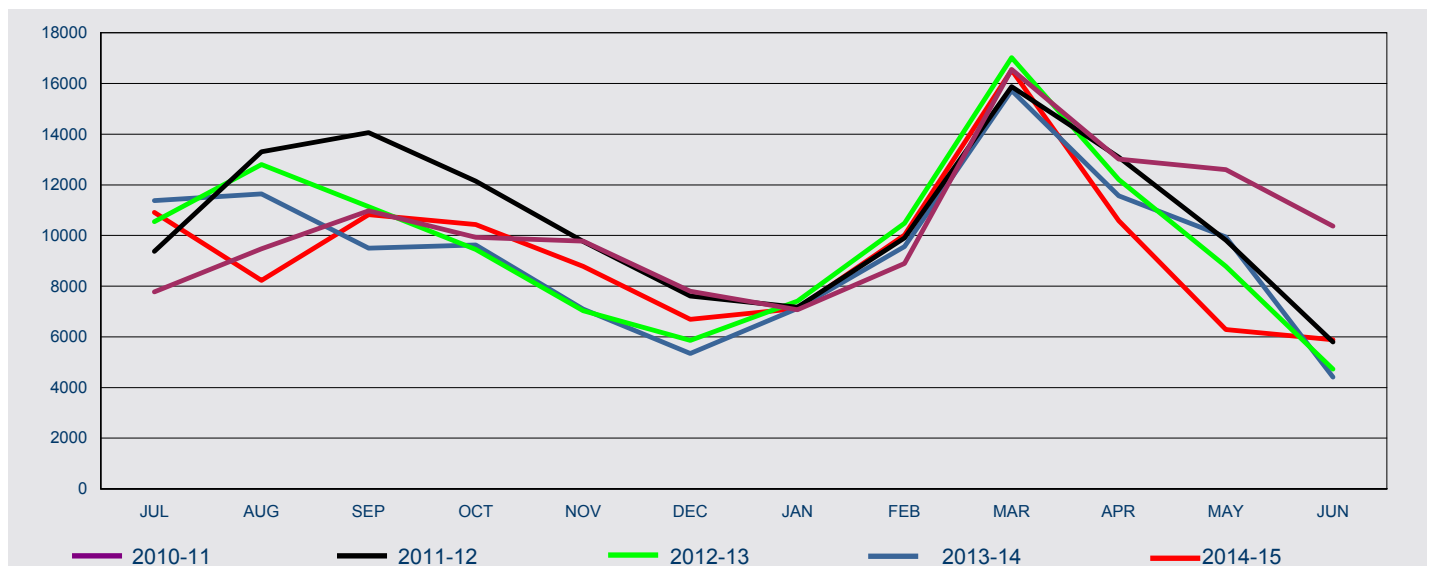
FY Granted	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	10,472	7,443	7,181	9,959	10,830	15,096	17,372	10,461	6,351	6,250	10,815	13,956	126,186
2011-12	10,453	8,039	7,627	6,855	10,006	14,507	16,445	11,594	6,902	6,569	11,727	14,395	125,119
2012-13	12,441	8,943	7,844	8,678	11,336	13,873	19,070	13,223	7,826	8,138	12,997	17,441	141,810
2013-14	18,028	11,864	10,349	11,411	12,529	16,673	23,628	17,265	10,046	9,818	15,826	21,710	179,147
2014-15	19,649	12,459	12,552	12,182	14,262	18,971	22,809	16,256	11,315	9,675	14,100	23,012	187,242

## 2 Granted

2.05 Number of student visa applications granted by month where the client was in Australia - year on year 12 months rolling total



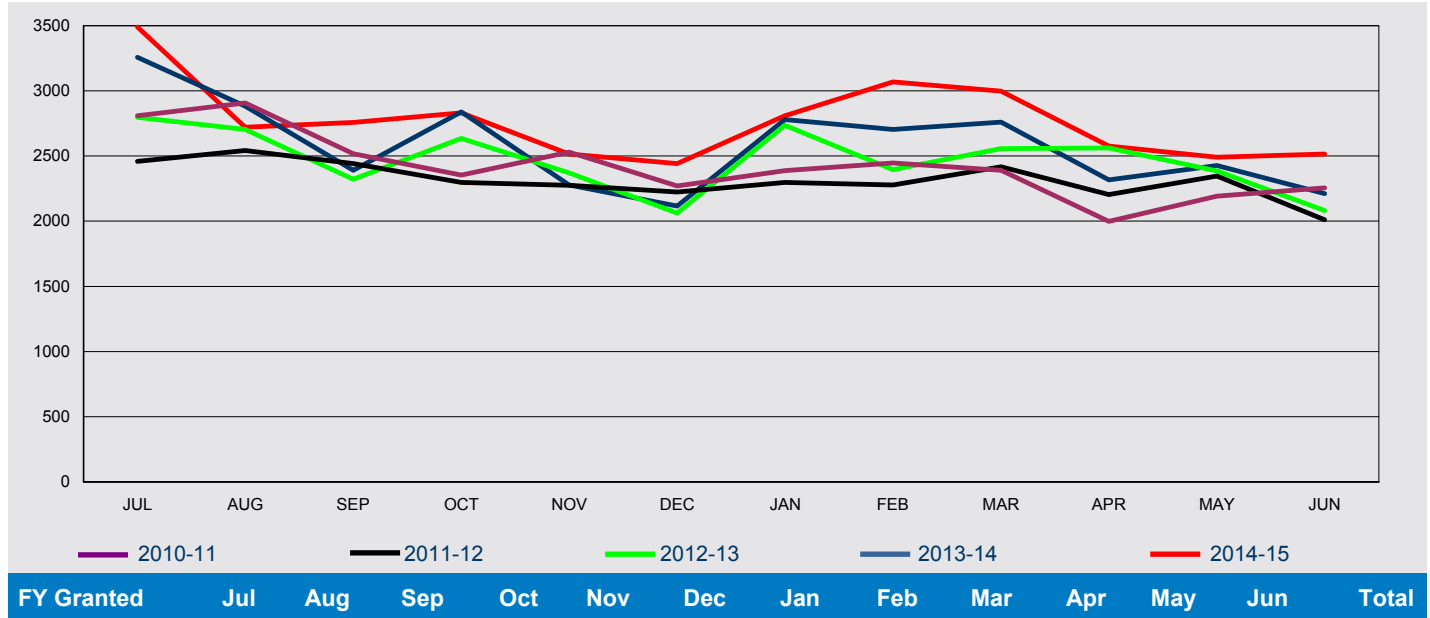
2.06 Number of student visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month where the client was in Australia - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Granted	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
2010-11	7,773	9,475	10,977	9,926	9,783	7,805	7,065	8,901	16,563	13,012	12,603	10,369	124,252
2011-12	9,378	13,312	14,066	12,144	9,765	7,616	7,166	9,901	15,876	13,090	9,818	5,795	127,927
2012-13	10,545	12,801	11,143	9,446	7,026	5,865	7,408	10,484	17,018	12,217	8,789	4,726	117,468
2013-14	11,378	11,639	9,498	9,629	7,090	5,344	7,126	9,559	15,724	11,574	9,937	4,415	112,913
2014-15	10,915	8,224	10,827	10,432	8,779	6,696	7,114	10,016	16,529	10,589	6,292	5,885	112,298

## 2 Granted

2.07 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 570 Independent ELICOS Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	1,951	2,133	1,681	1,639	1,767	1,562	1,790	1,831	1,710	1,330	1,409	1,529	20,332
2011-12	1,729	1,811	1,659	1,573	1,497	1,558	1,685	1,719	1,703	1,331	1,429	1,405	19,099
2012-13	1,814	1,815	1,452	1,672	1,517	1,316	1,916	1,575	1,758	1,476	1,451	1,496	19,258
2013-14	1,989	2,071	1,653	1,934	1,501	1,510	2,000	2,001	1,973	1,556	1,590	1,690	21,468
2014-15	2,421	2,109	1,937	1,958	1,647	1,754	2,114	2,394	2,135	1,717	1,860	1,859	23,905

### In Australia

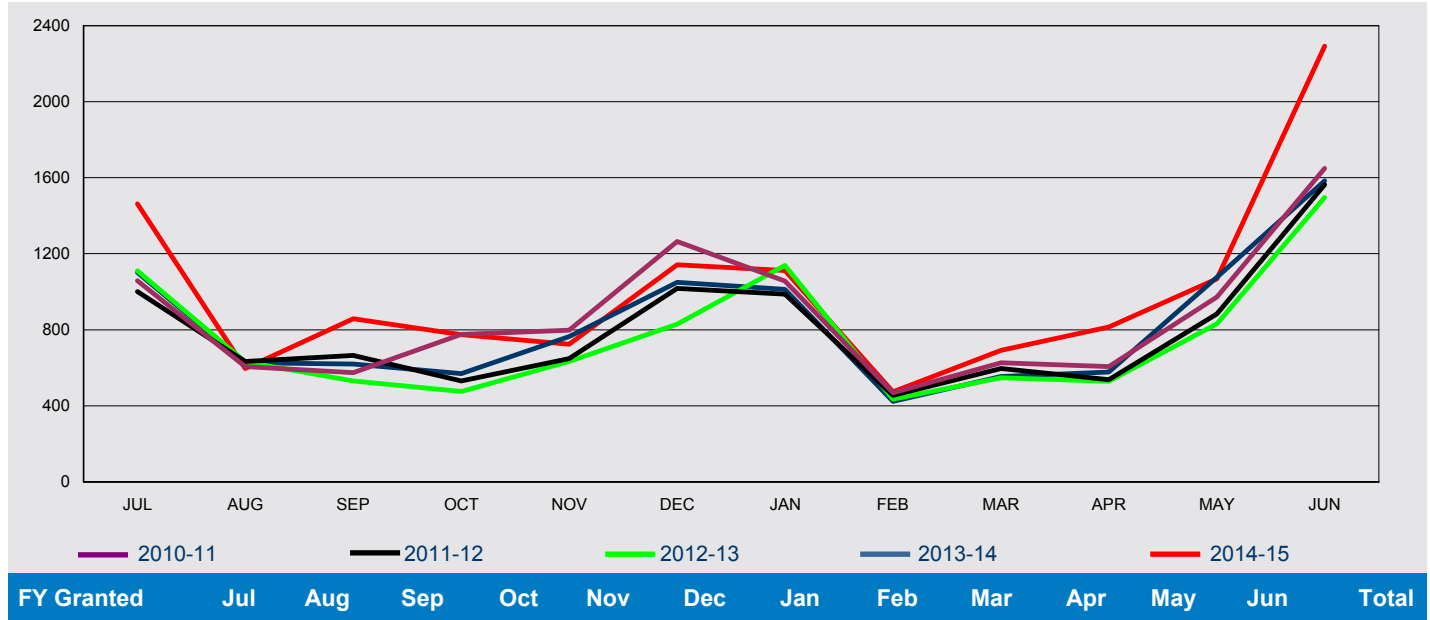
2010-11	858	775	838	714	762	709	598	616	681	669	784	726	8,730
2011-12	729	732	783	725	778	667	613	560	714	874	918	606	8,699
2012-13	982	889	869	964	855	746	821	820	799	1,085	934	585	10,349
2013-14	1,269	812	738	905	776	607	779	703	787	761	838	521	9,496
2014-15	1,069	612	822	873	868	688	695	674	862	859	631	657	9,310

### All

2010-11	2,809	2,908	2,519	2,353	2,529	2,271	2,388	2,447	2,391	1,999	2,193	2,255	29,062
2011-12	2,458	2,543	2,442	2,298	2,275	2,225	2,298	2,279	2,417	2,205	2,347	2,011	27,798
2012-13	2,796	2,704	2,321	2,636	2,372	2,062	2,737	2,395	2,557	2,561	2,385	2,081	29,607
2013-14	3,258	2,883	2,391	2,839	2,277	2,117	2,779	2,704	2,760	2,317	2,428	2,211	30,964
2014-15	3,490	2,721	2,759	2,831	2,515	2,442	2,809	3,068	2,997	2,576	2,491	2,516	33,215

## 2 Granted

2.08 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 571 Schools Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	959	530	504	683	668	1,167	943	307	368	394	791	1,477	8,791
2011-12	886	548	591	432	563	936	899	290	370	327	753	1,500	8,095
2012-13	1,022	560	481	401	549	765	1,069	294	343	387	726	1,436	8,033
2013-14	1,028	576	571	495	680	997	955	332	388	428	952	1,529	8,931
2014-15	1,371	560	802	711	645	1,082	1,024	331	534	647	1,004	2,239	10,950

### In Australia

2010-11	99	77	71	93	129	98	114	162	258	213	182	173	1,669
2011-12	115	85	74	99	85	81	89	166	226	211	130	63	1,424
2012-13	89	71	50	74	84	65	70	141	204	142	106	60	1,156
2013-14	73	50	48	75	84	52	58	92	167	150	124	55	1,028
2014-15	92	37	56	63	79	60	88	143	158	168	64	53	1,061

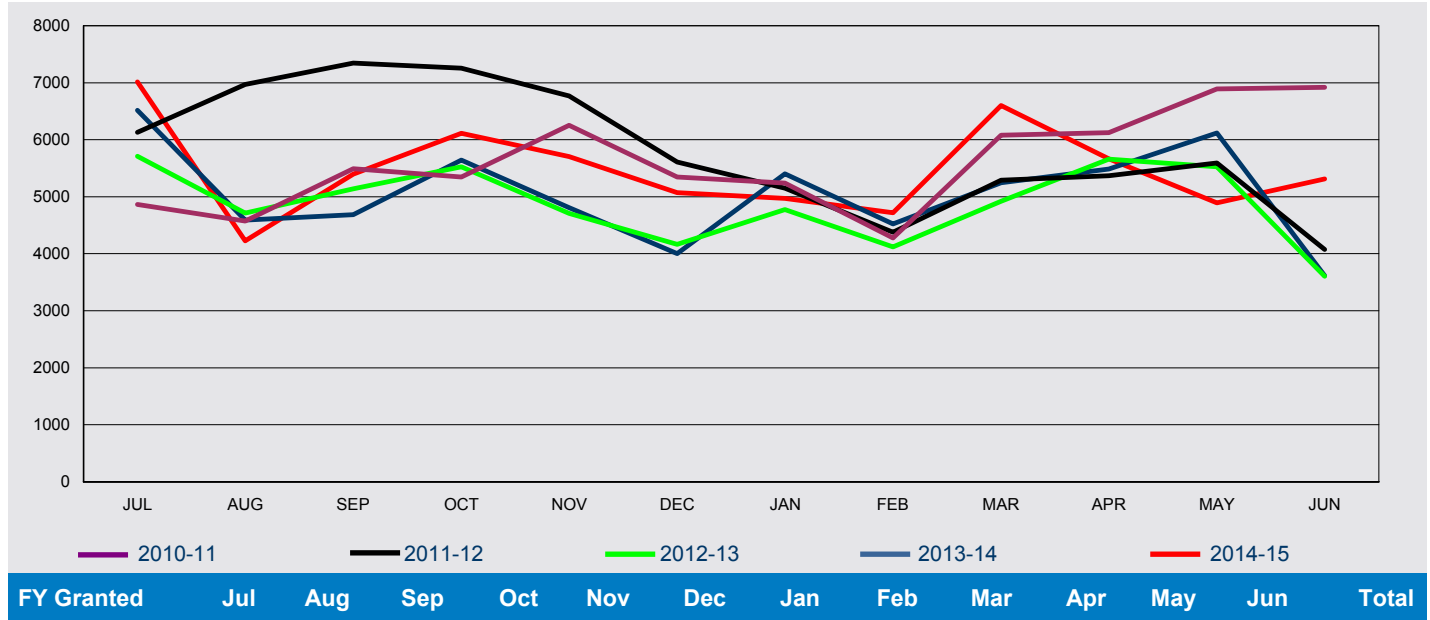
### All

2010-11	1,058	607	575	776	797	1,265	1,057	469	626	607	973	1,650	10,460
2011-12	1,001	633	665	531	648	1,017	988	456	596	538	883	1,563	9,519
2012-13	1,111	631	531	475	633	830	1,139	435	547	529	832	1,496	9,189
2013-14	1,101	626	619	570	764	1,049	1,013	424	555	578	1,076	1,584	9,959
2014-15	1,463	597	858	774	724	1,142	1,112	474	692	815	1,068	2,292	12,011



## 2 Granted

2.09 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	1,330	1,026	1,310	1,314	1,385	1,434	1,721	1,186	1,161	1,043	1,240	1,406	15,556
2011-12	1,228	1,162	1,271	1,395	1,365	1,414	1,723	1,393	1,166	1,016	1,240	1,187	15,560
2012-13	1,229	951	943	1,252	1,095	1,144	1,511	1,067	932	1,057	1,203	1,254	13,638
2013-14	1,457	1,233	1,236	1,536	1,183	1,296	2,026	1,171	1,175	1,276	1,418	1,559	16,566
2014-15	1,580	1,380	1,479	1,687	1,572	1,727	1,894	1,477	1,604	1,463	1,639	2,167	19,669

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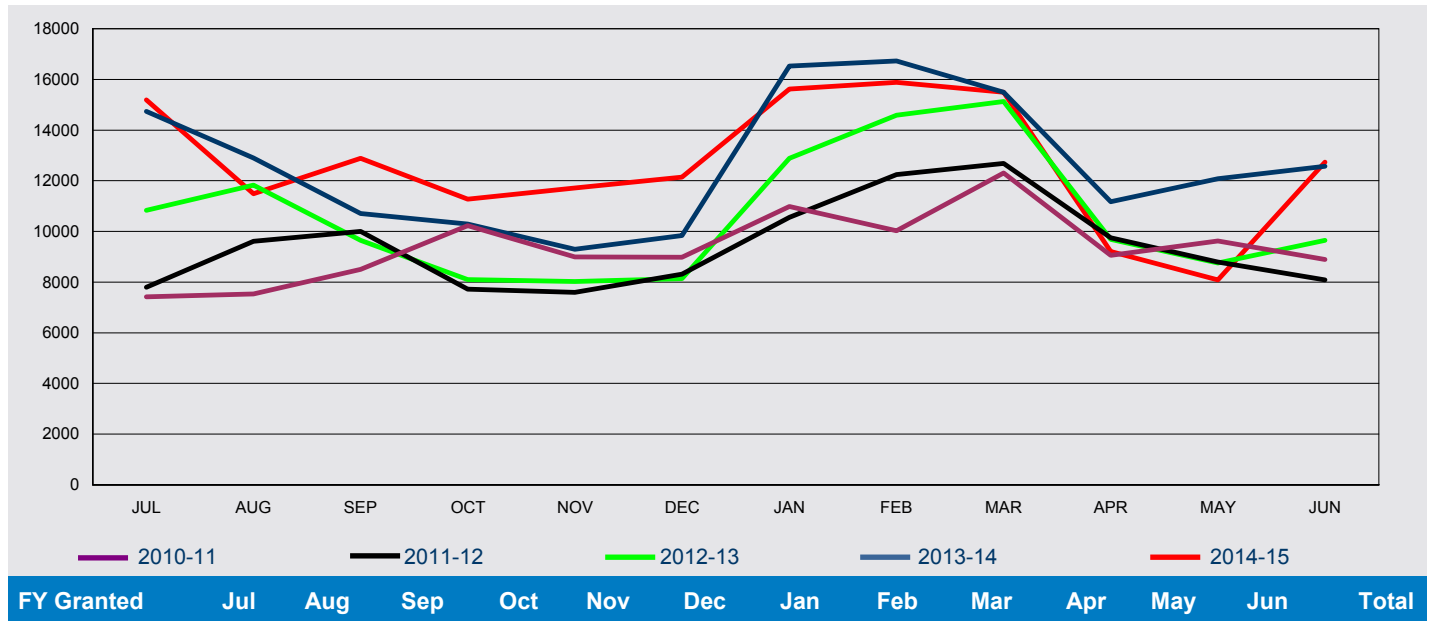
2010-11	3,535	3,550	4,181	4,030	4,869	3,913	3,517	3,093	4,916	5,082	5,651	5,513	51,850
2011-12	4,903	5,810	6,075	5,859	5,404	4,198	3,428	2,987	4,127	4,354	4,351	2,888	54,384
2012-13	4,479	3,765	4,199	4,271	3,611	3,023	3,264	3,053	3,988	4,601	4,322	2,349	44,925
2013-14	5,062	3,358	3,449	4,109	3,627	2,708	3,374	3,352	4,071	4,212	4,702	2,058	44,082
2014-15	5,433	2,846	3,917	4,427	4,132	3,347	3,075	3,244	4,997	4,201	3,254	3,148	46,021

### All

2010-11	4,865	4,576	5,491	5,344	6,254	5,347	5,238	4,279	6,077	6,125	6,891	6,919	67,406
2011-12	6,131	6,972	7,346	7,254	6,769	5,612	5,151	4,380	5,293	5,370	5,591	4,075	69,944
2012-13	5,708	4,716	5,142	5,523	4,706	4,167	4,775	4,120	4,920	5,658	5,525	3,603	58,563
2013-14	6,519	4,591	4,685	5,645	4,810	4,004	5,400	4,523	5,246	5,488	6,120	3,617	60,648
2014-15	7,013	4,226	5,396	6,114	5,704	5,074	4,969	4,721	6,601	5,664	4,893	5,315	65,690

## 2 Granted

### 2.10 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 573 Higher Education Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



#### Outside Australia

2010-11	4,503	2,879	3,104	5,576	5,355	6,243	8,475	5,444	2,246	2,452	4,242	5,403	55,922
2011-12	4,634	3,513	3,400	2,782	4,508	6,056	7,866	6,567	2,630	2,719	4,984	6,226	55,885
2012-13	6,401	4,304	4,155	4,465	5,917	6,414	10,004	8,642	3,742	3,893	5,907	8,207	72,051
2013-14	10,309	6,041	5,906	6,271	7,119	8,165	13,972	11,784	5,378	5,206	8,344	11,117	99,612
2014-15	11,415	7,142	7,361	6,665	8,480	9,909	12,735	10,460	5,673	4,448	6,111	11,061	101,460

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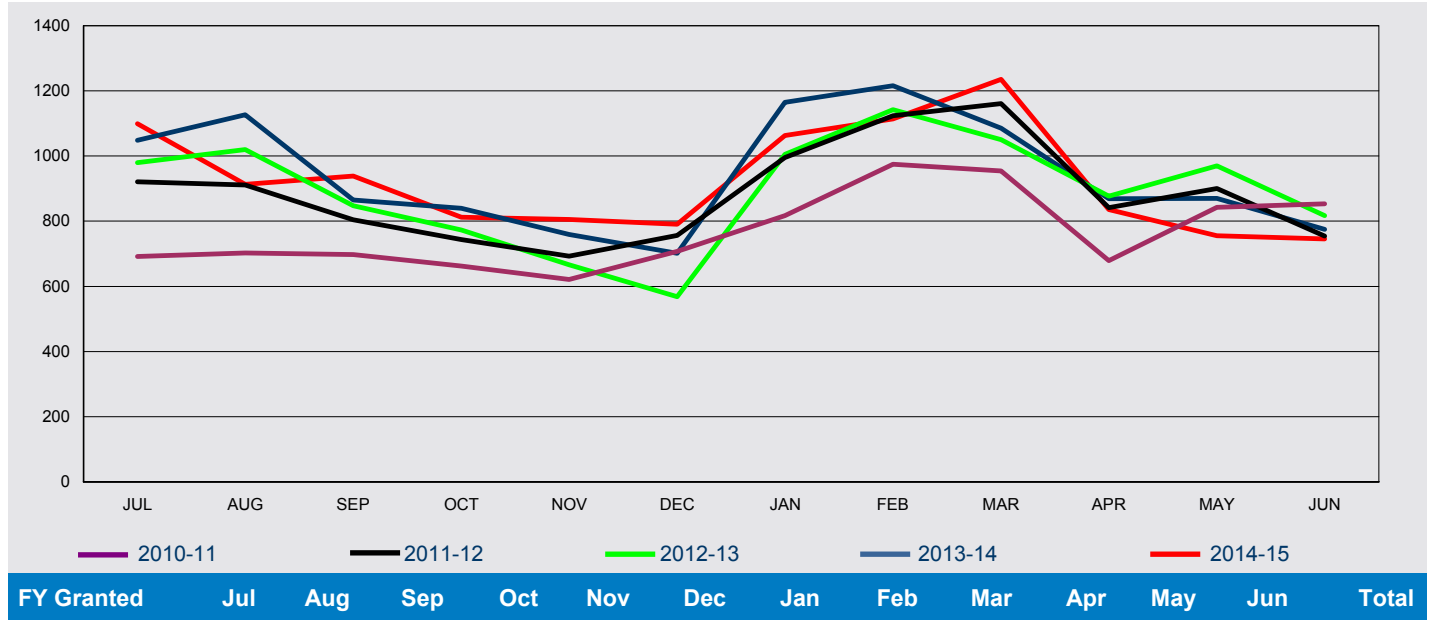
2010-11	2,911	4,655	5,397	4,656	3,644	2,734	2,507	4,585	10,064	6,611	5,387	3,494	56,645
2011-12	3,168	6,101	6,605	4,943	3,092	2,261	2,686	5,674	10,050	7,027	3,804	1,864	57,275
2012-13	4,438	7,526	5,491	3,630	2,110	1,727	2,880	5,944	11,380	5,798	2,852	1,442	55,218
2013-14	4,433	6,858	4,807	4,022	2,180	1,668	2,548	4,945	10,113	5,963	3,736	1,459	52,732
2014-15	3,780	4,340	5,522	4,603	3,232	2,230	2,885	5,424	9,822	4,765	1,975	1,675	50,253

#### All

2010-11	7,414	7,534	8,501	10,232	8,999	8,977	10,982	10,029	12,310	9,063	9,629	8,897	112,567
2011-12	7,802	9,614	10,005	7,725	7,600	8,317	10,552	12,241	12,680	9,746	8,788	8,090	113,160
2012-13	10,839	11,830	9,646	8,095	8,027	8,141	12,884	14,586	15,122	9,691	8,759	9,649	127,269
2013-14	14,742	12,899	10,713	10,293	9,299	9,833	16,520	16,729	15,491	11,169	12,080	12,576	152,344
2014-15	15,195	11,482	12,883	11,268	11,712	12,139	15,620	15,884	15,495	9,213	8,086	12,736	151,713

## 2 Granted

2.11 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 574 Postgraduate Research Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	456	395	336	307	324	448	601	672	452	330	356	472	5,149
2011-12	608	446	403	318	371	472	740	719	507	332	401	447	5,764
2012-13	576	596	421	351	376	354	732	733	502	381	455	582	6,059
2013-14	659	681	501	388	377	444	893	860	601	445	415	511	6,775
2014-15	666	607	522	407	411	495	791	716	644	332	459	459	6,509

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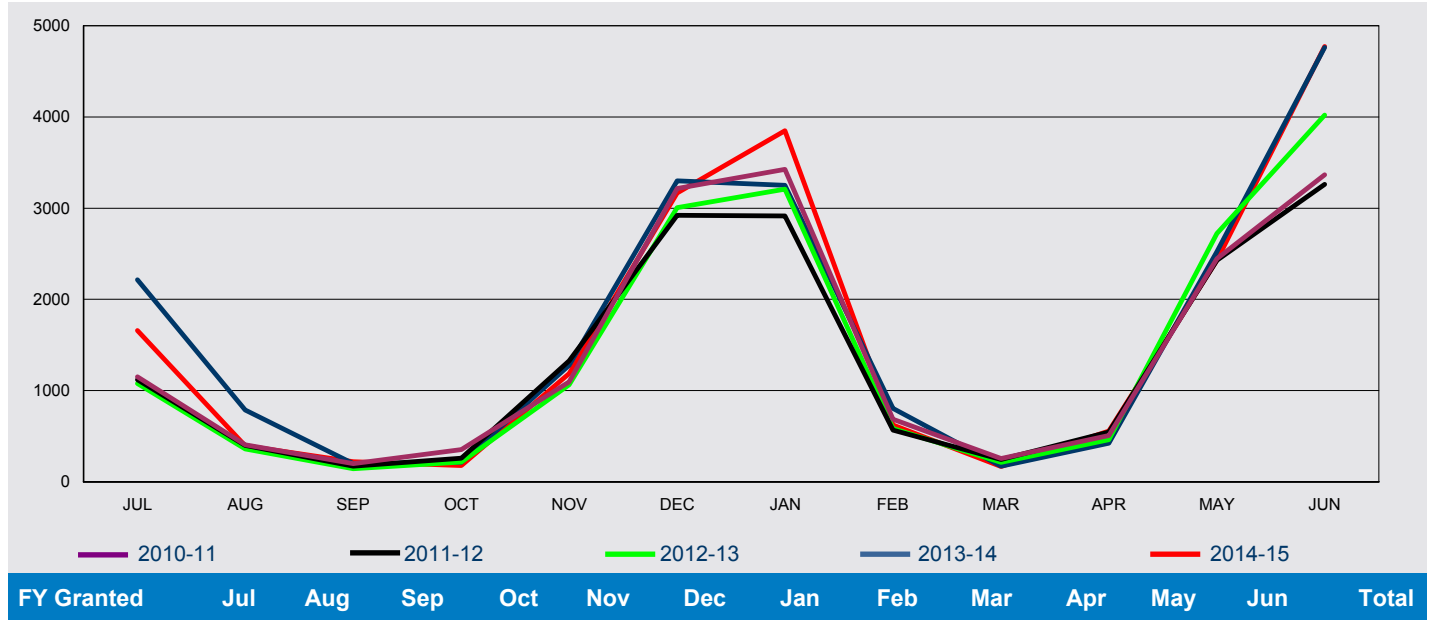
2010-11	236	307	362	355	297	259	216	303	502	349	487	381	4,054
2011-12	313	465	401	426	322	284	255	405	654	510	499	307	4,841
2012-13	404	424	426	422	290	214	273	409	548	496	515	235	4,656
2013-14	389	446	364	452	382	257	272	356	485	424	455	264	4,546
2014-15	433	306	417	405	394	296	272	398	591	504	296	287	4,599

### All

2010-11	692	702	698	662	621	707	817	975	954	679	843	853	9,203
2011-12	921	911	804	744	693	756	995	1,124	1,161	842	900	754	10,605
2012-13	980	1,020	847	773	666	568	1,005	1,142	1,050	877	970	817	10,715
2013-14	1,048	1,127	865	840	759	701	1,165	1,216	1,086	869	870	775	11,321
2014-15	1,099	913	939	812	805	791	1,063	1,114	1,235	836	755	746	11,108

## 2 Granted

2.12 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 575 Non-Award Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	1,042	330	128	299	1,038	3,152	3,363	608	159	444	2,372	3,319	16,254
2011-12	997	326	111	219	1,286	2,871	2,862	500	182	483	2,378	3,214	15,429
2012-13	965	295	110	176	1,040	2,955	3,146	529	156	421	2,688	3,985	16,466
2013-14	2,102	712	154	186	1,250	3,257	3,191	754	131	389	2,493	4,722	19,341
2014-15	1,588	352	191	164	1,156	3,124	3,799	559	119	522	2,392	4,732	18,698

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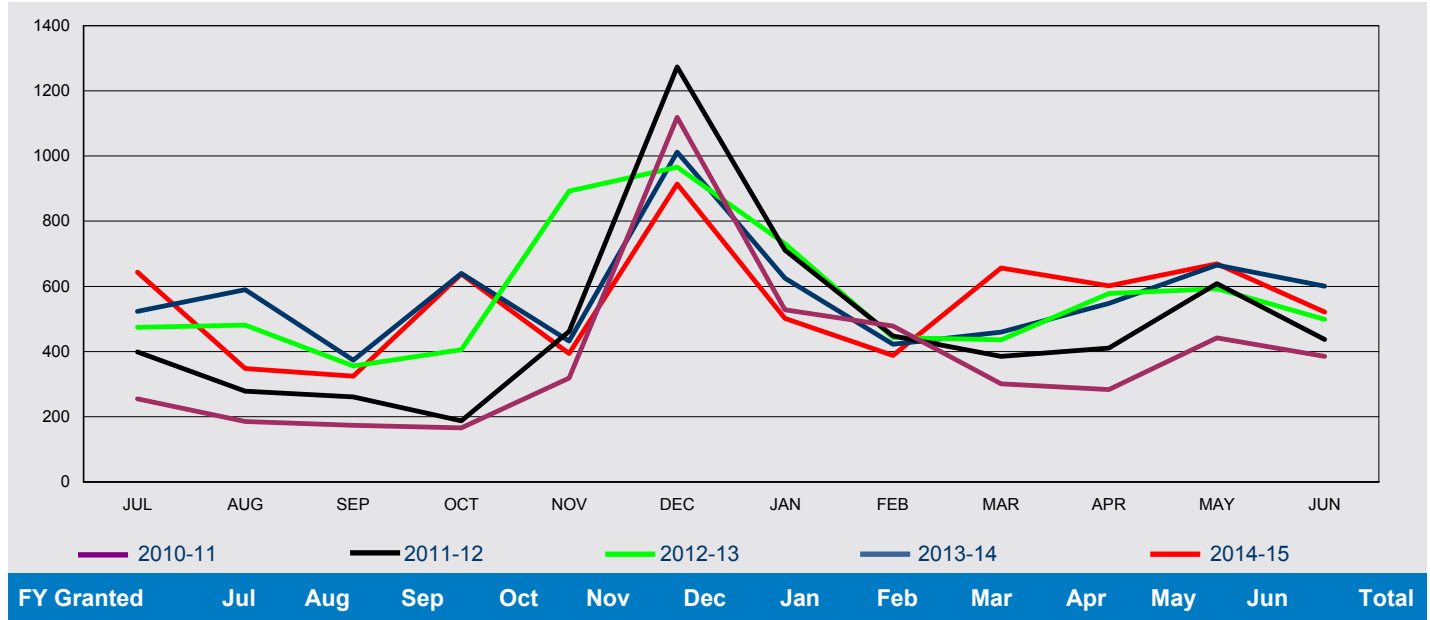
2010-11	110	76	73	53	57	63	64	77	96	62	75	47	853
2011-12	122	74	59	41	39	51	54	67	64	64	50	46	731
2012-13	113	67	34	40	25	49	61	57	56	40	34	37	613
2013-14	113	75	47	27	28	44	61	52	41	34	31	39	592
2014-15	72	44	29	13	31	41	49	64	49	36	38	39	505

### All

2010-11	1,152	406	201	352	1,095	3,215	3,427	685	255	506	2,447	3,366	17,107
2011-12	1,119	400	170	260	1,325	2,922	2,916	567	246	547	2,428	3,260	16,160
2012-13	1,078	362	144	216	1,065	3,004	3,207	586	212	461	2,722	4,022	17,079
2013-14	2,215	787	201	213	1,278	3,301	3,252	806	172	423	2,524	4,761	19,933
2014-15	1,660	396	220	177	1,187	3,165	3,848	623	168	558	2,430	4,771	19,203

## 2 Granted

2.13 Number of visa applications granted for subclass 576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by client location and month - comparison with previous four financial years



### Outside Australia

2010-11	231	150	118	141	293	1,090	479	413	255	257	405	350	4,182
2011-12	371	233	192	136	416	1,200	670	406	344	361	542	416	5,287
2012-13	434	422	282	361	842	925	692	383	393	523	567	481	6,305
2013-14	484	550	328	601	419	1,004	591	363	400	518	614	582	6,454
2014-15	608	309	260	590	351	880	452	319	606	546	635	495	6,051

### In Australia

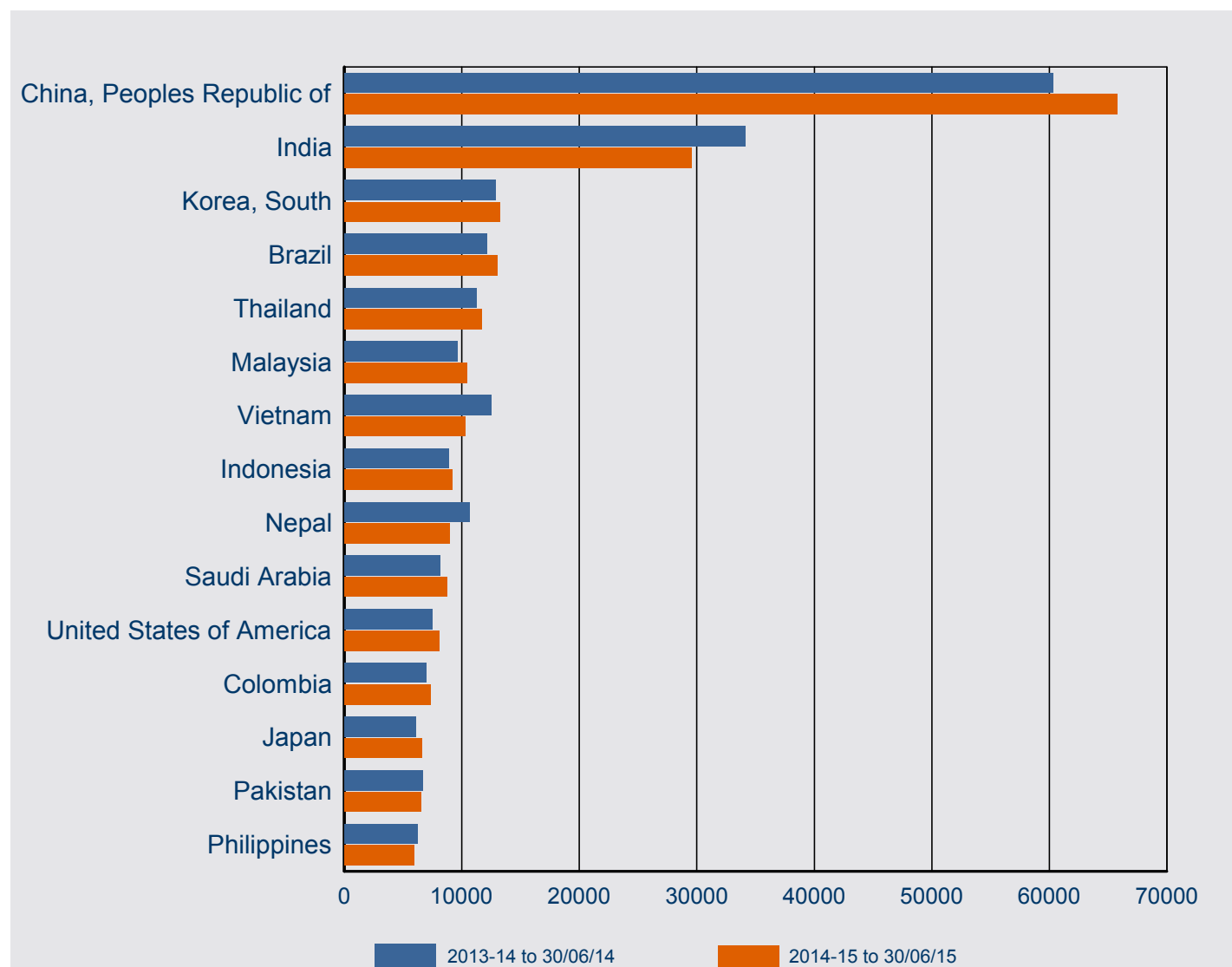
2010-11	24	35	55	25	25	29	49	65	46	26	37	35	451
2011-12	28	45	69	51	45	74	41	42	41	50	66	21	573
2012-13	40	59	74	45	51	41	39	60	43	55	26	18	551
2013-14	39	40	45	39	13	8	34	59	60	30	51	19	437
2014-15	36	39	64	48	43	34	50	69	50	56	34	26	549

### All

2010-11	255	185	173	166	318	1,119	528	478	301	283	442	385	4,633
2011-12	399	278	261	187	461	1,274	711	448	385	411	608	437	5,860
2012-13	474	481	356	406	893	966	731	443	436	578	593	499	6,856
2013-14	523	590	373	640	432	1,012	625	422	460	548	665	601	6,891
2014-15	644	348	324	638	394	914	502	388	656	602	669	521	6,600

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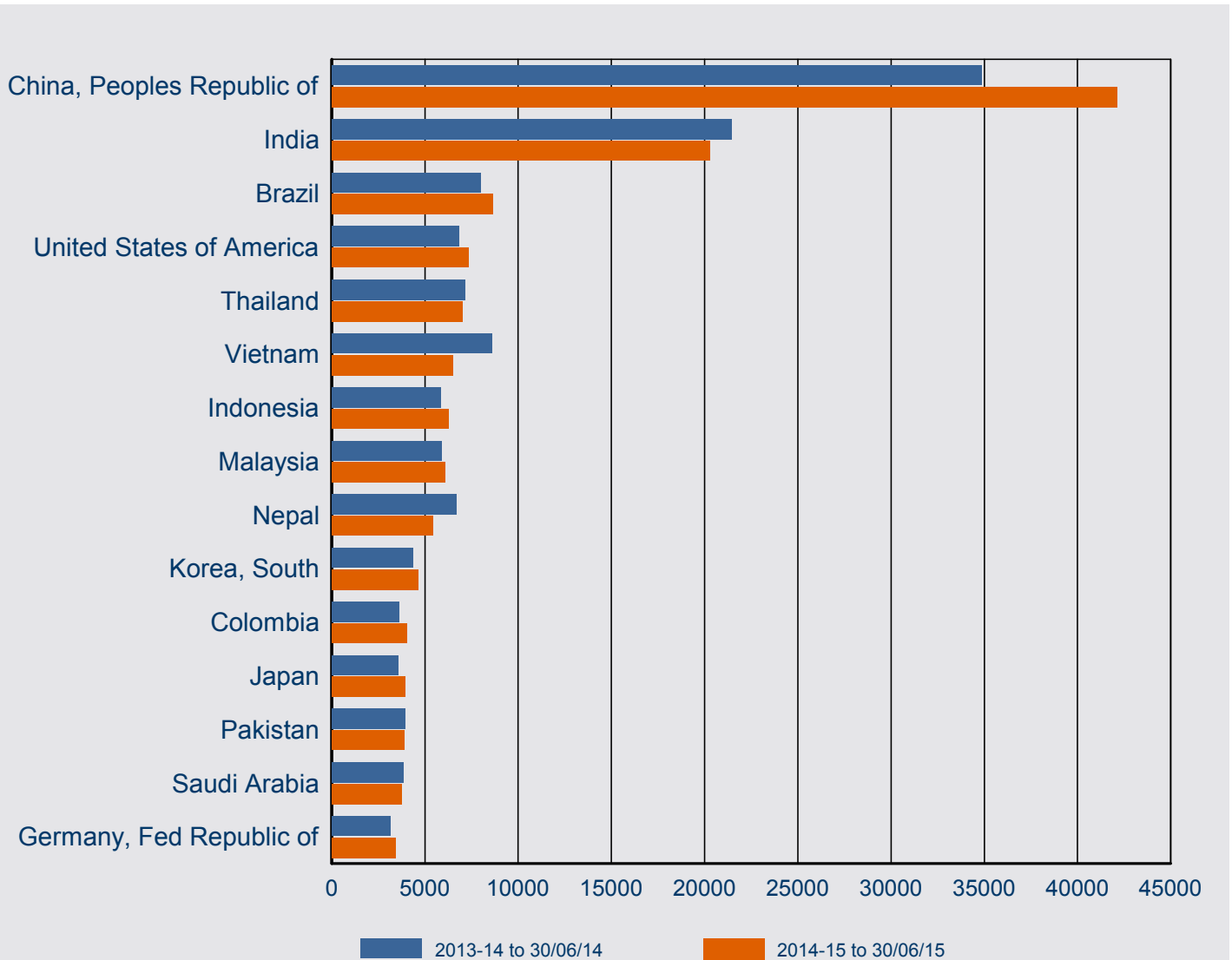
2.14 Number of student visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year



Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	60,315	65,737	9.0%	21.9%
India	34,130	29,573	-13.4%	9.9%
Korea, South	12,883	13,229	2.7%	4.4%
Brazil	12,115	13,034	7.6%	4.4%
Thailand	11,245	11,686	3.9%	3.9%
Malaysia	9,592	10,414	8.6%	3.5%
Vietnam	12,495	10,283	-17.7%	3.4%
Indonesia	8,862	9,178	3.6%	3.1%
Nepal	10,651	8,987	-15.6%	3.0%
Saudi Arabia	8,164	8,739	7.0%	2.9%
United States of America	7,513	8,063	7.3%	2.7%
Colombia	6,954	7,343	5.6%	2.5%
Japan	6,064	6,588	8.6%	2.2%
Pakistan	6,702	6,545	-2.3%	2.2%
Philippines	6,239	5,991	-4.0%	2.0%
Other countries	78,136	84,150	7.7%	28.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>292,060</b>	<b>299,540</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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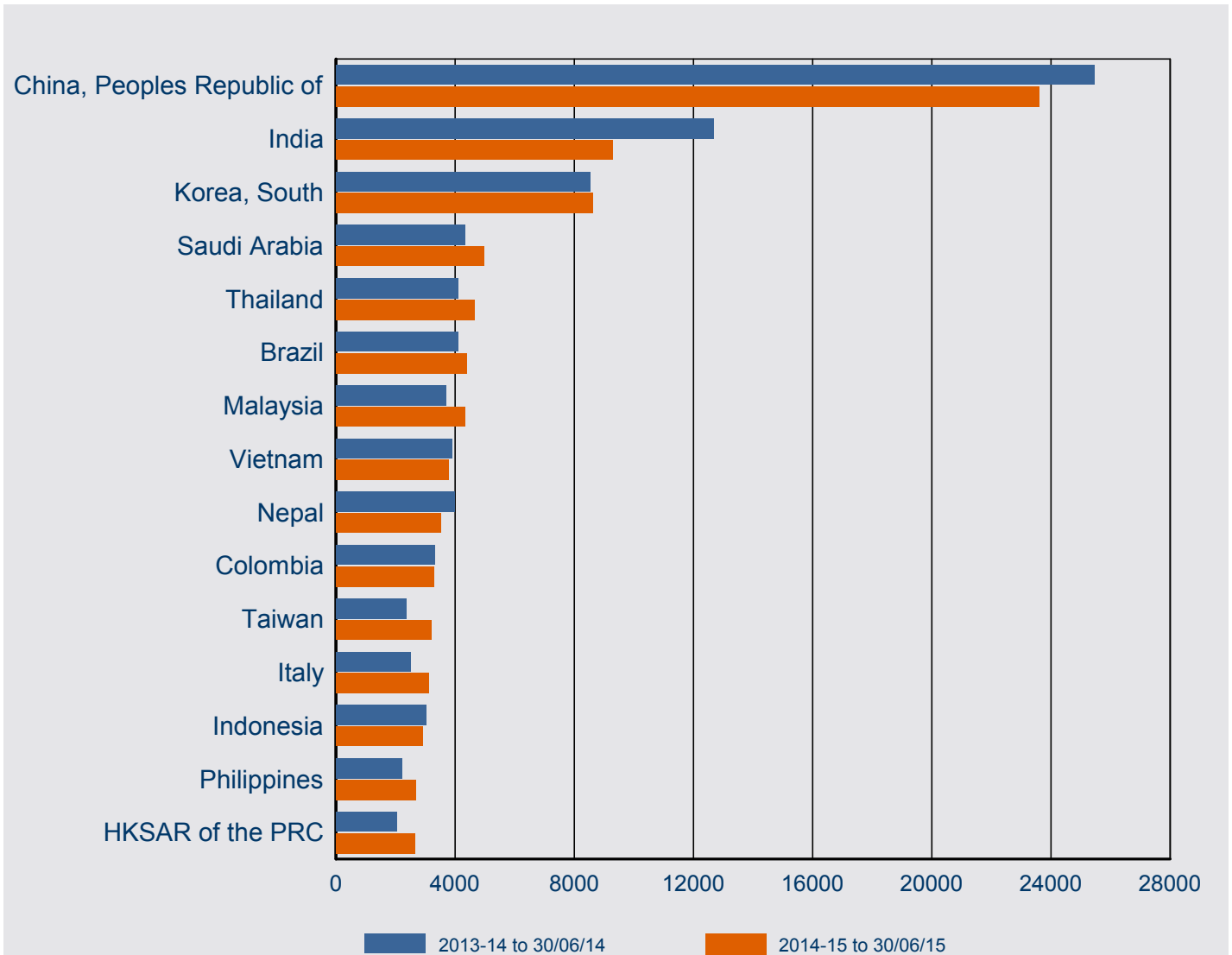
2.15 Number of student visa applications granted outside Australia in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year



Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	34,858	42,127	20.9%	22.5%
India	21,467	20,291	-5.5%	10.8%
Brazil	8,013	8,632	7.7%	4.6%
United States of America	6,844	7,320	7.0%	3.9%
Thailand	7,131	7,029	-1.4%	3.8%
Vietnam	8,585	6,509	-24.2%	3.5%
Indonesia	5,842	6,261	7.2%	3.3%
Malaysia	5,885	6,080	3.3%	3.2%
Nepal	6,669	5,459	-18.1%	2.9%
Korea, South	4,359	4,613	5.8%	2.5%
Colombia	3,629	4,046	11.5%	2.2%
Japan	3,547	3,951	11.4%	2.1%
Pakistan	3,937	3,902	-0.9%	2.1%
Saudi Arabia	3,838	3,768	-1.8%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	3,154	3,414	8.2%	1.8%
Other countries	51,389	53,840	4.8%	28.8%
<b>Outside Australia Total</b>	<b>179,147</b>	<b>187,242</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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2.16 Number of student visa applications granted in Australia in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year



Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	25,457	23,610	-7.3%	21.0%
India	12,663	9,282	-26.7%	8.3%
Korea, South	8,524	8,616	1.1%	7.7%
Saudi Arabia	4,326	4,971	14.9%	4.4%
Thailand	4,114	4,657	13.2%	4.1%
Brazil	4,102	4,402	7.3%	3.9%
Malaysia	3,707	4,334	16.9%	3.9%
Vietnam	3,910	3,774	-3.5%	3.4%
Nepal	3,982	3,528	-11.4%	3.1%
Colombia	3,325	3,297	-0.8%	2.9%
Taiwan	2,363	3,205	35.6%	2.9%
Italy	2,506	3,103	23.8%	2.8%
Indonesia	3,020	2,917	-3.4%	2.6%
Philippines	2,206	2,688	21.8%	2.4%
HKSAR of the PRC	2,055	2,662	29.5%	2.4%
Other countries	26,653	27,252	2.2%	24.3%
<b>In Australia Total</b>	<b>112,913</b>	<b>112,298</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



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2.17 Number of subclass 570 Independent ELICOS Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Brazil	3969	5740	44.6%	24.0%
Colombia	3219	3523	9.4%	14.7%
Thailand	2755	2306	-16.3%	9.6%
Japan	1856	2096	12.9%	8.8%
Saudi Arabia	1452	1667	14.8%	7.0%
Spain	1079	1042	-3.4%	4.4%
Korea, South	981	972	-0.9%	4.1%
Taiwan	590	838	42.0%	3.5%
Italy	720	799	11.0%	3.3%
Chile	540	586	8.5%	2.5%
Czech Republic	603	567	-6.0%	2.4%
Switzerland	468	545	16.5%	2.3%
France	279	341	22.2%	1.4%
Mexico	251	295	17.5%	1.2%
Poland	296	264	-10.8%	1.1%
Other countries	2410	2324	-3.6%	9.7%
<b>Sub-total outside Australia</b>	<b>21,468</b>	<b>23,905</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.18 Number of subclass 570 Independent ELICOS Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Colombia	1672	1508	-9.8%	16.2%
Saudi Arabia	923	1264	36.9%	13.6%
Korea, South	1431	1074	-24.9%	11.5%
Italy	797	895	12.3%	9.6%
Taiwan	521	780	49.7%	8.4%
Brazil	998	754	-24.4%	8.1%
Japan	703	732	4.1%	7.9%
HKSAR of the PRC	148	269	81.8%	2.9%
Spain	343	247	-28.0%	2.7%
Malaysia	185	238	28.6%	2.6%
Thailand	248	237	-4.4%	2.5%
Chile	151	199	31.8%	2.1%
Poland	109	144	32.1%	1.5%
France	131	132	0.8%	1.4%
Czech Republic	142	112	-21.1%	1.2%
Other countries	994	725	-27.1%	7.8%
<b>Sub-total in Australia</b>	<b>9,496</b>	<b>9,310</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,964</b>	<b>33,215</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	

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### 2.19 Number of subclass 571 Schools Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	3739	5168	38.2%	47.2%
Germany, Fed Republic of	960	1002	4.4%	9.2%
Vietnam	624	628	0.6%	5.7%
Italy	403	578	43.4%	5.3%
Japan	461	456	-1.1%	4.2%
Brazil	249	371	49.0%	3.4%
HKSAR of the PRC	307	328	6.8%	3.0%
Korea, South	284	229	-19.4%	2.1%
France	168	225	33.9%	2.1%
Papua New Guinea	144	161	11.8%	1.5%
Switzerland	66	142	115.2%	1.3%
Thailand	150	132	-12.0%	1.2%
Malaysia	128	115	-10.2%	1.1%
India	108	109	0.9%	1.0%
Belgium	45	104	131.1%	0.9%
Other countries	1095	1202	9.8%	11.0%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>8,931</b>	<b>10,950</b>	<b>22.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

### 2.20 Number of subclass 571 Schools Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Korea, South	297	289	-2.7%	27.2%
China, Peoples Republic of	211	202	-4.3%	19.0%
Japan	93	85	-8.6%	8.0%
Vietnam	55	77	40.0%	7.3%
Germany, Fed Republic of	52	56	7.7%	5.3%
Malaysia	36	39	8.3%	3.7%
Brazil	18	33	83.3%	3.1%
Papua New Guinea	24	31	29.2%	2.9%
Italy	15	30	100.0%	2.8%
HKSAR of the PRC	17	22	29.4%	2.1%
Taiwan	38	20	-47.4%	1.9%
Thailand	21	20	-4.8%	1.9%
United Kingdom	8	15	87.5%	1.4%
Singapore	17	13	-23.5%	1.2%
Indonesia	11	13	18.2%	1.2%
Other countries	115	116	0.9%	10.9%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>1,028</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,959</b>	<b>12,011</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	

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2.21 Number of subclass 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Korea, South	1414	1842	30.3%	9.4%
Indonesia	1112	1601	44.0%	8.1%
Thailand	783	1449	85.1%	7.4%
Philippines	1794	1186	-33.9%	6.0%
India	867	1057	21.9%	5.4%
Taiwan	574	1032	79.8%	5.2%
Brazil	497	891	79.3%	4.5%
United States of America	691	846	22.4%	4.3%
Malaysia	486	650	33.7%	3.3%
Italy	399	633	58.6%	3.2%
Spain	376	601	59.8%	3.1%
Japan	470	540	14.9%	2.7%
United Kingdom	386	434	12.4%	2.2%
HKSAR of the PRC	309	397	28.5%	2.0%
Papua New Guinea	206	360	74.8%	1.8%
Other countries	6202	6150	-0.8%	31.3%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>16,566</b>	<b>19,669</b>	<b>18.7%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.22 Number of subclass 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Korea, South	4754	5482	15.3%	11.9%
India	8651	4871	-43.7%	10.6%
China, Peoples Republic of	3284	3926	19.5%	8.5%
Thailand	3000	3633	21.1%	7.9%
Brazil	2657	3258	22.6%	7.1%
Malaysia	1643	2336	42.2%	5.1%
Italy	1464	1918	31.0%	4.2%
Taiwan	1174	1775	51.2%	3.9%
Philippines	1375	1511	9.9%	3.3%
Indonesia	1270	1350	6.3%	2.9%
Japan	1173	1324	12.9%	2.9%
United Kingdom	1168	1299	11.2%	2.8%
Colombia	952	1156	21.4%	2.5%
HKSAR of the PRC	662	1115	68.4%	2.4%
Pakistan	1042	821	-21.2%	1.8%
Other countries	9813	10246	4.4%	22.3%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>44,082</b>	<b>46,021</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,648</b>	<b>65,690</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	

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2.23 Number of subclass 573 Higher Education Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	28983	34504	19.0%	34.0%
India	19985	18641	-6.7%	18.4%
Nepal	6290	5074	-19.3%	5.0%
Malaysia	4577	4684	2.3%	4.6%
Vietnam	6438	4612	-28.4%	4.5%
Pakistan	3146	3226	2.5%	3.2%
Thailand	3247	2960	-8.8%	2.9%
Indonesia	2786	2667	-4.3%	2.6%
HKSAR of the PRC	2179	2239	2.8%	2.2%
Singapore	2333	2226	-4.6%	2.2%
Sri Lanka	1449	1974	36.2%	1.9%
Philippines	1671	1657	-0.8%	1.6%
Saudi Arabia	1741	1652	-5.1%	1.6%
Korea, South	1404	1333	-5.1%	1.3%
Bangladesh	966	1275	32.0%	1.3%
Other countries	12417	12736	2.6%	12.6%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>99,612</b>	<b>101,460</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.24 Number of subclass 573 Higher Education Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	21141	18733	-11.4%	37.3%
India	3811	4185	9.8%	8.3%
Saudi Arabia	2508	2740	9.3%	5.5%
Nepal	2949	2721	-7.7%	5.4%
Vietnam	2773	2628	-5.2%	5.2%
Korea, South	1929	1702	-11.8%	3.4%
Pakistan	1611	1688	4.8%	3.4%
Malaysia	1603	1519	-5.2%	3.0%
HKSAR of the PRC	1215	1228	1.1%	2.4%
Philippines	779	1121	43.9%	2.2%
Indonesia	1289	1032	-19.9%	2.1%
Bangladesh	938	969	3.3%	1.9%
Sri Lanka	827	797	-3.6%	1.6%
Thailand	771	709	-8.0%	1.4%
Singapore	706	625	-11.5%	1.2%
Other countries	7882	7856	-0.3%	15.6%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>52,732</b>	<b>50,253</b>	<b>-4.7%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>152,344</b>	<b>151,713</b>	<b>-0.4%</b>	

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2.25 Number of subclass 574 Postgraduate Research Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	941	976	3.7%	15.0%
Iraq	688	549	-20.2%	8.4%
Bangladesh	507	443	-12.6%	6.8%
Vietnam	333	415	24.6%	6.4%
Iran	433	391	-9.7%	6.0%
Saudi Arabia	373	366	-1.9%	5.6%
India	379	353	-6.9%	5.4%
Indonesia	336	318	-5.4%	4.9%
Malaysia	328	242	-26.2%	3.7%
Pakistan	209	222	6.2%	3.4%
Sri Lanka	201	209	4.0%	3.2%
United States of America	125	174	39.2%	2.7%
Germany, Fed Republic of	91	86	-5.5%	1.3%
Singapore	62	79	27.4%	1.2%
Ghana	48	79	64.6%	1.2%
Other countries	1721	1607	-6.6%	24.7%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>6,775</b>	<b>6,509</b>	<b>-3.9%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.26 Number of subclass 574 Postgraduate Research Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Saudi Arabia	695	826	18.8%	18.0%
China, Peoples Republic of	688	661	-3.9%	14.4%
Indonesia	335	319	-4.8%	6.9%
Bangladesh	220	260	18.2%	5.7%
Iran	219	240	9.6%	5.2%
Vietnam	260	221	-15.0%	4.8%
India	156	193	23.7%	4.2%
Malaysia	216	180	-16.7%	3.9%
Pakistan	90	123	36.7%	2.7%
Sri Lanka	92	119	29.3%	2.6%
United States of America	76	90	18.4%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	66	84	27.3%	1.8%
United Kingdom	56	70	25.0%	1.5%
Iraq	54	66	22.2%	1.4%
Singapore	86	63	-26.7%	1.4%
Other countries	1237	1084	-12.4%	23.6%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>4,546</b>	<b>4,599</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,321</b>	<b>11,108</b>	<b>-1.9%</b>	

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### 2.27 Number of subclass 575 Non-Award Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
United States of America	5213	5511	5.7%	29.5%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1593	1782	11.9%	9.5%
Brazil	3028	1272	-58.0%	6.8%
United Kingdom	988	1246	26.1%	6.7%
China, Peoples Republic of	723	961	32.9%	5.1%
Norway	858	913	6.4%	4.9%
Canada	726	781	7.6%	4.2%
France	715	694	-2.9%	3.7%
Denmark	580	609	5.0%	3.3%
Sweden	599	576	-3.8%	3.1%
Japan	408	493	20.8%	2.6%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	315	437	38.7%	2.3%
Mexico	338	425	25.7%	2.3%
Italy	309	309	0.0%	1.7%
Spain	209	247	18.2%	1.3%
Other countries	2739	2442	-10.8%	13.1%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>19,341</b>	<b>18,698</b>	<b>-3.3%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

### 2.28 Number of subclass 575 Non-Award Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Saudi Arabia	45	61	35.6%	12.1%
United States of America	60	54	-10.0%	10.7%
Japan	36	42	16.7%	8.3%
China, Peoples Republic of	37	32	-13.5%	6.3%
Germany, Fed Republic of	28	30	7.1%	5.9%
France	25	24	-4.0%	4.8%
Malaysia	23	22	-4.3%	4.4%
United Kingdom	<5	21	425.0%	4.2%
Singapore	14	16	14.3%	3.2%
Sweden	17	15	-11.8%	3.0%
Canada	14	15	7.1%	3.0%
Mexico	11	15	36.4%	3.0%
Brazil	68	14	-79.4%	2.8%
Norway	11	14	27.3%	2.8%
Korea, South	52	12	-76.9%	2.4%
Other countries	147	118	-19.7%	23.4%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>-14.7%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,933</b>	<b>19,203</b>	<b>-3.7%</b>	

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2.29 Number of subclass 576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was outside Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Indonesia	1327	1441	8.6%	23.8%
Vietnam	636	580	-8.8%	9.6%
Papua New Guinea	502	471	-6.2%	7.8%
Philippines	255	309	21.2%	5.1%
Pakistan	336	306	-8.9%	5.1%
Timor-Leste	136	194	42.6%	3.2%
Mongolia	165	159	-3.6%	2.6%
Cambodia	202	155	-23.3%	2.6%
Bangladesh	233	150	-35.6%	2.5%
Bhutan	162	150	-7.4%	2.5%
Myanmar	102	148	45.1%	2.4%
Nepal	131	126	-3.8%	2.1%
Tonga	152	125	-17.8%	2.1%
Sri Lanka	124	124	0.0%	2.0%
Fiji	86	119	38.4%	2.0%
Other countries	1905	1494	-21.6%	24.7%
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>6,454</b>	<b>6,051</b>	<b>-6.2%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.30 Number of subclass 576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector visa applications granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client location was in Australia by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Indonesia	84	186	121.4%	33.9%
Vietnam	48	81	68.8%	14.8%
Papua New Guinea	74	69	-6.8%	12.6%
Bangladesh	24	21	-12.5%	3.8%
Cambodia	14	19	35.7%	3.5%
Nepal	<5	14	250.0%	2.6%
Kenya	<5	12	1100.0%	2.2%
Kiribati	0	11	0.0%	2.0%
Afghanistan	15	9	-40.0%	1.6%
Ghana	<5	9	800.0%	1.6%
Tonga	5	8	60.0%	1.5%
Tuvalu	0	8	0.0%	1.5%
Philippines	10	7	-30.0%	1.3%
Lao Peoples Dem Republic	17	6	-64.7%	1.1%
Mongolia	16	6	-62.5%	1.1%
Other countries	124	83	-33.1%	15.1%
<b>Sub-total In Australia</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>25.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,891</b>	<b>6,600</b>	<b>-4.2%</b>	

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# 3 Grant rates

For this section, grant rates have been shown.

A grant rate is defined as:

$$\frac{\text{Number of grants}}{\text{Number of decisions}} \times 100$$

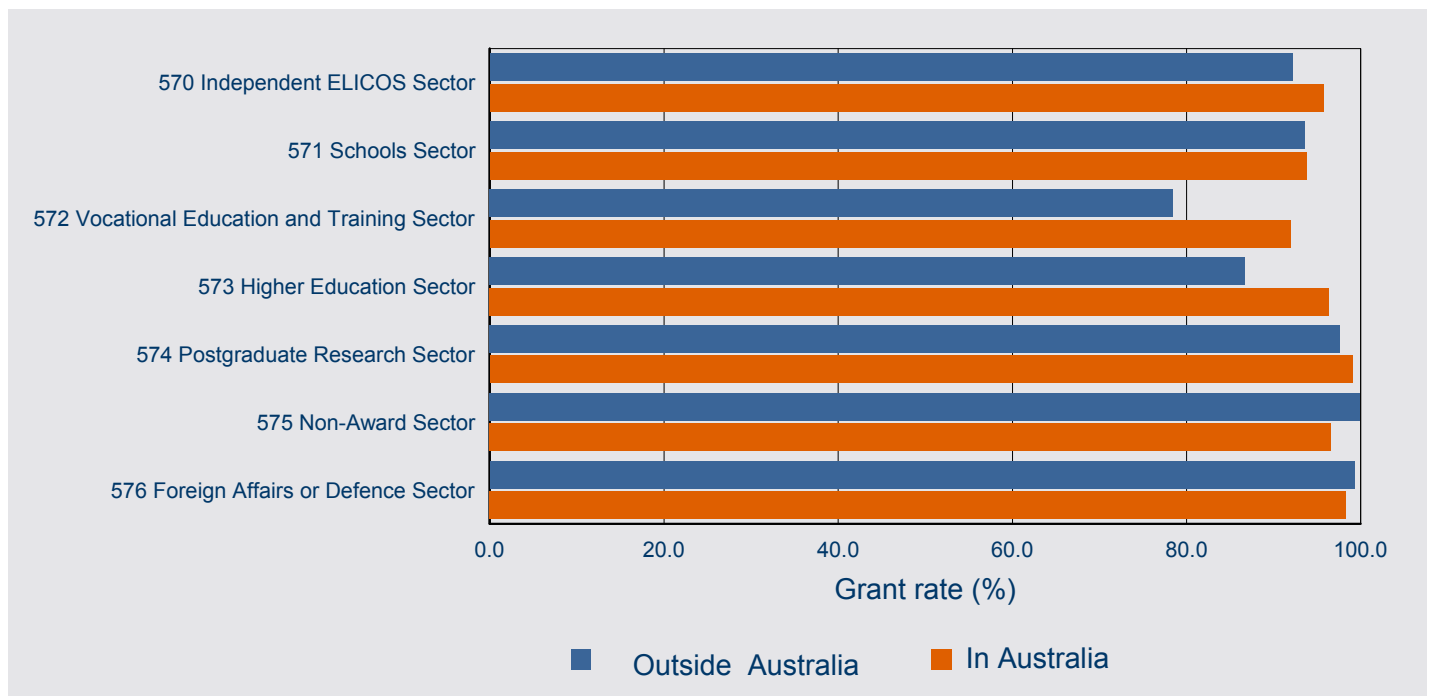
where the number of decisions equals the number of grants plus the number of refusals.

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## 3.01 Grant rate of student visa applications decided in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	01/04/14 to 30/06/14	01/07/14 to 30/09/14	01/10/14 to 31/12/14	01/01/15 to 31/03/15	01/04/15 to 30/06/15
<b>Outside Australia</b>					
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	91.3%	93.5%	92.4%	91.8%	92.1%
571 Schools Sector	93.8%	92.2%	89.0%	84.7%	93.6%
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	76.6%	77.9%	82.1%	79.3%	78.5%
573 Higher Education Sector	90.5%	90.4%	88.7%	89.4%	86.7%
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	98.0%	98.8%	98.0%	97.8%	97.7%
575 Non-Award Sector	99.9%	99.3%	99.8%	99.7%	99.9%
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	98.4%	99.1%	99.9%	99.7%	99.3%
<b>All Outside Australia</b>	<b>91.1%</b>	<b>90.4%</b>	<b>90.0%</b>	<b>89.8%</b>	<b>89.4%</b>
<b>In Australia</b>					
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	92.6%	95.9%	95.7%	95.7%	95.7%
571 Schools Sector	94.8%	92.0%	96.7%	95.6%	93.8%
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	90.7%	93.3%	90.7%	92.7%	91.9%
573 Higher Education Sector	95.3%	98.2%	96.5%	98.2%	96.4%
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	98.6%	98.6%	98.9%	98.6%	99.1%
575 Non-Award Sector	98.1%	96.0%	92.4%	95.9%	96.6%
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	93.5%	95.2%	92.6%	94.9%	98.3%
<b>All In Australia</b>	<b>93.2%</b>	<b>95.9%</b>	<b>93.7%</b>	<b>96.1%</b>	<b>94.3%</b>
<b>All</b>	<b>91.9%</b>	<b>92.5%</b>	<b>91.3%</b>	<b>92.2%</b>	<b>90.9%</b>

## 3.02 Grant rate of student visa applications decided in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass



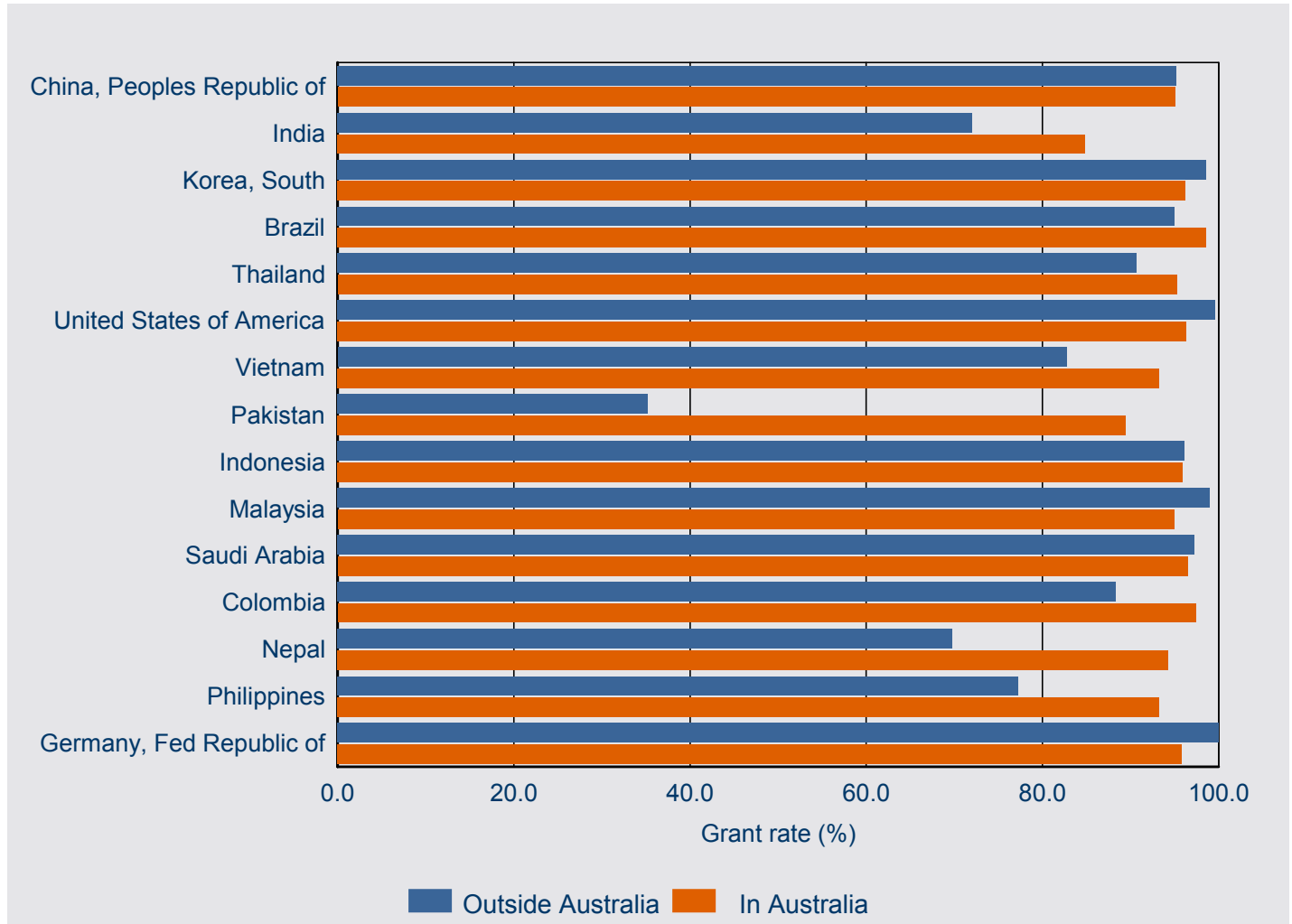
## 3 Grant rates

### 3.03 Grant rate of student visa applications decided in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship Country	01/04/14 to 30/06/14	01/07/14 to 30/09/14	01/10/14 to 31/12/14	01/01/15 to 31/03/15	01/04/15 to 30/06/15
<b>Outside Australia</b>					
China, Peoples Republic of	94.9%	96.5%	92.2%	92.0%	95.1%
India	85.6%	82.6%	79.9%	83.3%	72.0%
United States of America	99.8%	99.6%	99.7%	99.1%	99.6%
Brazil	97.3%	97.5%	93.7%	96.7%	95.0%
Thailand	94.7%	88.9%	88.1%	92.0%	90.7%
Indonesia	98.1%	95.8%	97.0%	95.5%	96.1%
Vietnam	78.7%	76.6%	85.6%	79.4%	82.7%
Germany, Fed Republic of	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Malaysia	98.8%	99.3%	98.5%	99.3%	99.0%
Korea, South	98.2%	98.0%	99.3%	98.6%	98.6%
United Kingdom Colombia	99.1%	97.1%	99.1%	98.1%	99.3%
Colombia	89.9%	89.1%	93.0%	90.2%	88.3%
Japan	99.3%	99.6%	99.8%	98.9%	99.6%
Philippines	72.0%	72.7%	83.4%	78.3%	77.2%
Saudi Arabia	98.5%	99.6%	98.2%	98.2%	97.2%
Other Countries	88.3%	87.6%	88.1%	86.1%	85.5%
<b>All Outside Australia</b>	<b>91.1%</b>	<b>90.4%</b>	<b>90.0%</b>	<b>89.8%</b>	<b>89.4%</b>
<b>In Australia</b>					
China, Peoples Republic of	94.9%	98.3%	95.7%	98.6%	95.0%
Korea, South	95.2%	97.6%	97.1%	96.8%	96.2%
India	88.6%	84.3%	79.4%	84.2%	84.8%
Saudi Arabia	96.3%	96.6%	98.4%	95.9%	96.5%
Brazil	97.1%	99.0%	99.1%	97.8%	98.6%
Thailand	92.0%	97.8%	97.1%	96.1%	95.3%
Malaysia	94.5%	96.0%	96.2%	96.3%	94.9%
Colombia	95.2%	96.8%	96.0%	96.6%	97.4%
Nepal	93.3%	94.3%	95.0%	94.4%	94.3%
Taiwan	96.0%	98.1%	98.8%	97.2%	95.7%
Vietnam	92.7%	96.4%	92.4%	96.4%	93.2%
Italy	96.0%	97.5%	98.7%	97.3%	99.1%
Japan	95.1%	98.5%	97.5%	98.1%	97.4%
Pakistan	90.0%	94.7%	91.2%	92.2%	89.5%
Indonesia	94.5%	97.7%	95.5%	97.8%	95.9%
Other countries	92.0%	96.5%	94.5%	95.9%	94.1%
<b>All In Australia</b>	<b>93.2%</b>	<b>95.9%</b>	<b>93.7%</b>	<b>96.1%</b>	<b>94.3%</b>
<b>All</b>	<b>91.9%</b>	<b>92.5%</b>	<b>91.3%</b>	<b>92.2%</b>	<b>90.9%</b>

### 3 Grant rates

3.04 Grant rate of student visa applications decided in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by citizenship country and client location - top 15 citizenship countries



# 4 Processing times

This section contains information on 25, 50 and 75 percentile processing times for primary applications.

In general terms:

**25 percentile** means that 25 per cent of applications granted during the period were processed within the number of days shown in the tables. Conversely, 75 per cent took longer than the number of days shown. This measure gives an indication of how long it is taking to process the more straight-forward student applications.

**50 percentile** more commonly known as the median, it means that 50 per cent of applications granted during the period were processed within the number of days shown in the tables. Conversely, 50 per cent took longer than the number of days shown. This measure gives an indication of how long it is taking to process the typical student applications.

**75 percentile** means that 75 per cent of applications granted during the period were processed within the number of days shown in the tables. Conversely, 25 per cent took longer than the number of days shown. This measure gives an indication of how long it is taking to process the more complex student applications.

## 4 Processing times

4.01 Processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass		01/04/14 to 30/06/14 (days)	01/07/14 to 30/09/14 (days)	01/10/14 to 31/12/14 (days)	01/01/15 to 31/03/15 (days)	01/04/15 to 30/06/15 (days)
<b>Outside Australia</b>						
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	25th percentile	7	5	6	8	8
	50th percentile (Median)	14	14	14	17	14
	75th percentile	20	23	22	26	22
571 Schools Sector	25th percentile	4	15	7	8	4
	50th percentile (Median)	9	23	15	19	10
	75th percentile	18	38	31	35	19
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	25th percentile	4	4	2	4	6
	50th percentile (Median)	11	10	8	12	13
	75th percentile	23	22	20	26	27
573 Higher Education Sector	25th percentile	6	6	6	6	7
	50th percentile (Median)	10	9	11	11	12
	75th percentile	19	19	20	22	21
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	25th percentile	7	7	7	6	7
	50th percentile (Median)	17	18	16	15	19
	75th percentile	33	32	35	35	35
575 Non-Award Sector	25th percentile	0	0	0	0	1
	50th percentile (Median)	0	9	0	3	1
	75th percentile	7	20	1	14	5
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	25th percentile	2	2	5	4	3
	50th percentile (Median)	8	6	13	12	9
	75th percentile	27	14	43	48	22
<b>All Outside Australia</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>

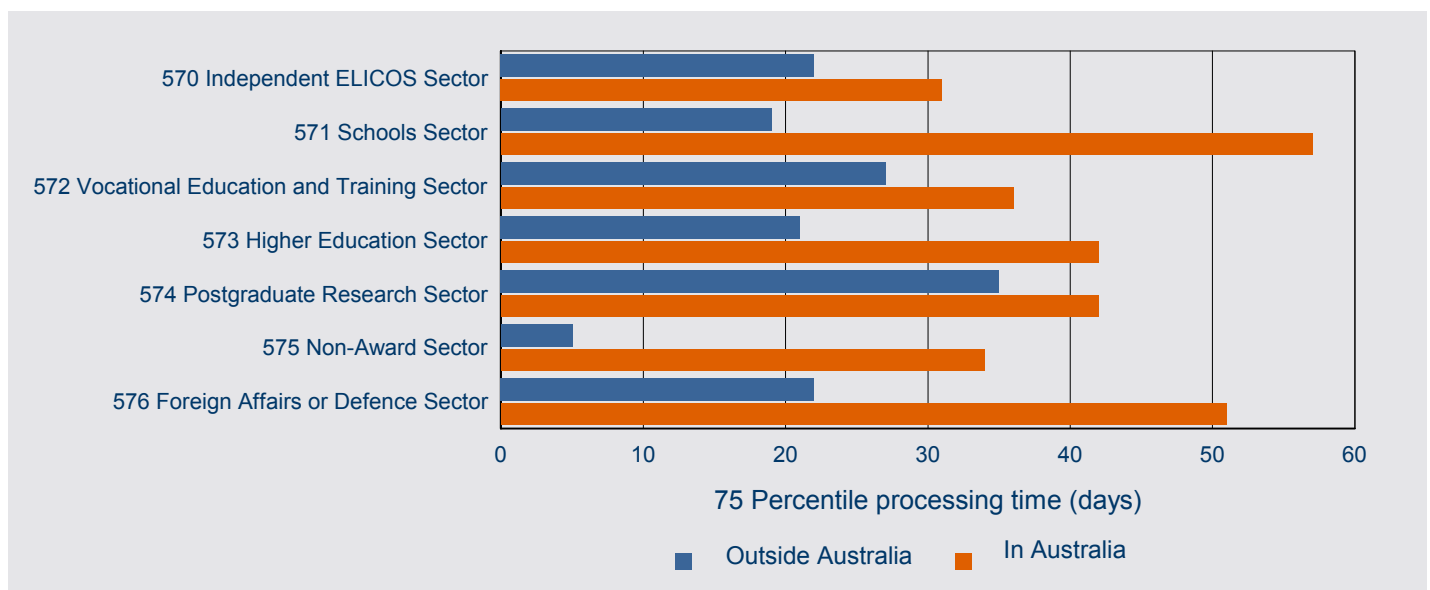
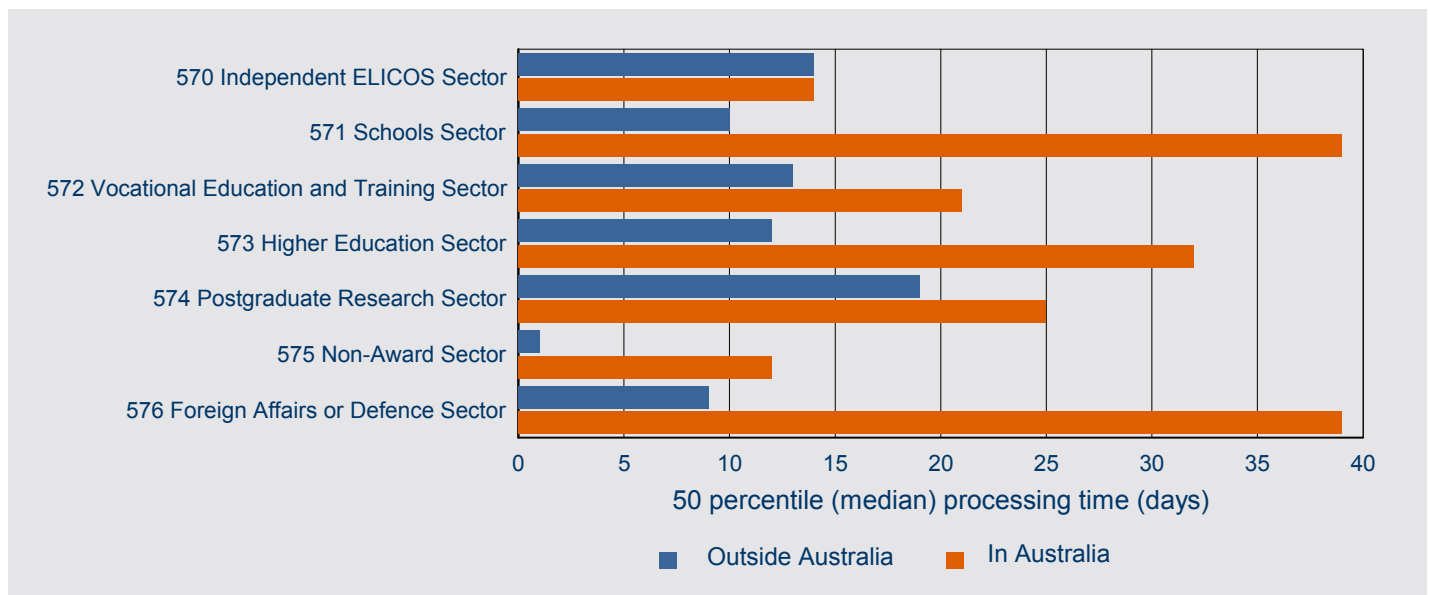
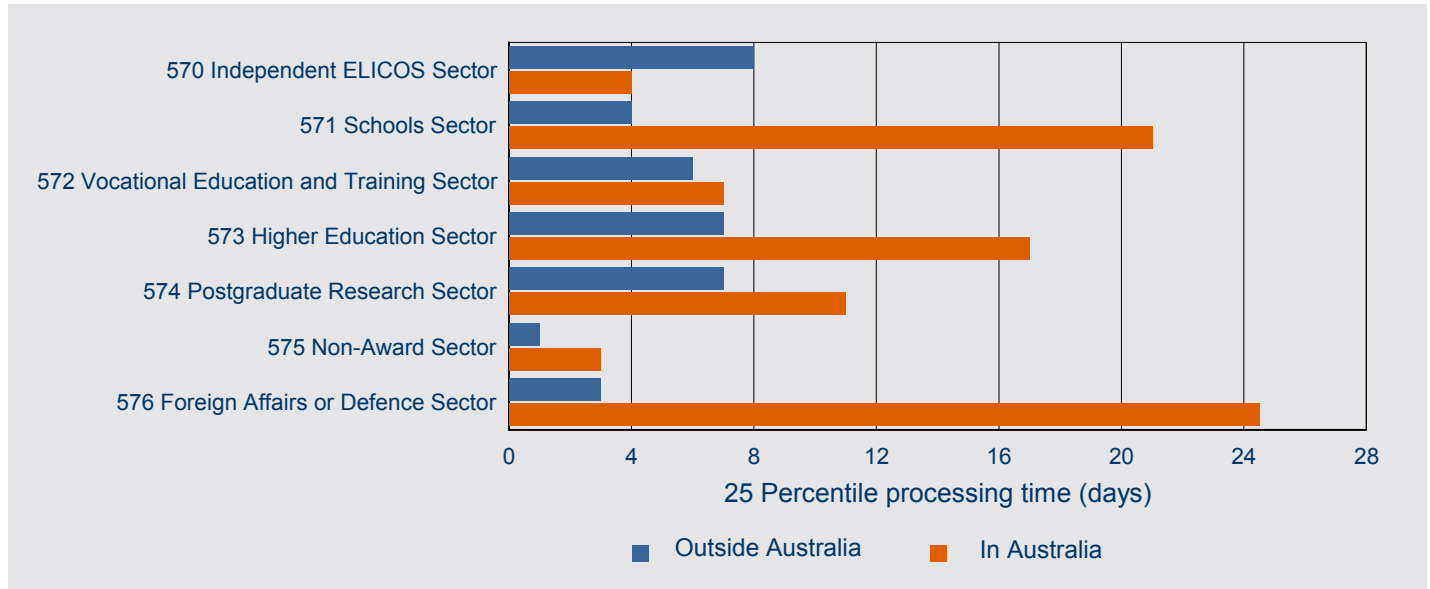
## 4 Processing times

4.01 Processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods - continued

Visa Subclass		01/04/14 to 30/06/14 (days)	01/07/14 to 30/09/14 (days)	01/10/14 to 31/12/14 (days)	01/01/15 to 31/03/15 (days)	01/04/15 to 30/06/15 (days)
<b>In Australia</b>						
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	25th percentile	7	6	4	3	4
	50th percentile (Median)	21	20	15	11	14
	75th percentile	40	37	32	26	31
571 Schools Sector	25th percentile	28	15	14	9	21
	50th percentile (Median)	45	31	32	20	39
	75th percentile	72	60	59	35	57
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	25th percentile	16	11	8	4	7
	50th percentile (Median)	33	27	24	14	21
	75th percentile	54	44	46	28	36
573 Higher Education Sector	25th percentile	26	10	18	4	17
	50th percentile (Median)	39	24	41	9	32
	75th percentile	57	38	64	20	42
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	25th percentile	20	15	16	7	11
	50th percentile (Median)	35	31	32	14	25
	75th percentile	60	55	56	30	42
575 Non-Award Sector	25th percentile	5	3	2	2	3
	50th percentile (Median)	18	14	6	10	12
	75th percentile	42	32	17	23	34
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	25th percentile	27	20	20	16	25
	50th percentile (Median)	53	37	37	26	39
	75th percentile	66	51	63	38	51
<b>All in Australia</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>26</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>All</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>28</b>

# 4 Processing times

4.02 25, 50 and 75 percentile processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by visa subclass and client location





## 4 Processing times

4.03 Processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship country		01/04/14 to 30/06/14 (days)	01/07/14 to 30/09/14 (days)	01/10/14 to 31/12/14 (days)	01/01/15 to 31/03/15 (days)	01/04/15 to 30/06/15 (days)
<b>Outside Australia</b>						
China, Peoples Republic of	25th percentile	7	6	6	6	7
	50th percentile (Median)	10	10	9	9	11
	75th percentile	16	21	18	15	15
India	25th percentile	7	6	11	13	18
	50th percentile (Median)	13	11	18	22	39
	75th percentile	28	26	27	32	54
Brazil	25th percentile	13	16	14	13	16
	50th percentile (Median)	17	22	20	20	21
	75th percentile	22	29	25	27	27
United States of America	25th percentile	0	0	0	0	1
	50th percentile (Median)	0	0	0	0	1
	75th percentile	0	3	0	1	2
Thailand	25th percentile	6	4	3	3	4
	50th percentile (Median)	11	7	6	6	8
	75th percentile	15	14	11	10	12
Vietnam	25th percentile	5	14	7	8	8
	50th percentile (Median)	9	18	12	14	11
	75th percentile	14	25	21	22	16
Malaysia	25th percentile	3	3	3	3	4
	50th percentile (Median)	7	6	7	6	7
	75th percentile	13	13	13	12	14
Indonesia	25th percentile	7	5	7	6	8
	50th percentile (Median)	13	10	14	11	14
	75th percentile	28	18	30	22	25
Korea, South	25th percentile	5	5	5	5	5
	50th percentile (Median)	9	8	8	9	11
	75th percentile	15	14	14	15	21
Nepal	25th percentile	7	4	13	16	34
	50th percentile (Median)	11	7	19	23	63
	75th percentile	27	14	29	33	85
Other countries	25th percentile	1	3	1	4	1
	50th percentile (Median)	7	10	8	13	8
	75th percentile	19	22	20	26	18
<b>All Outside Australia</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>

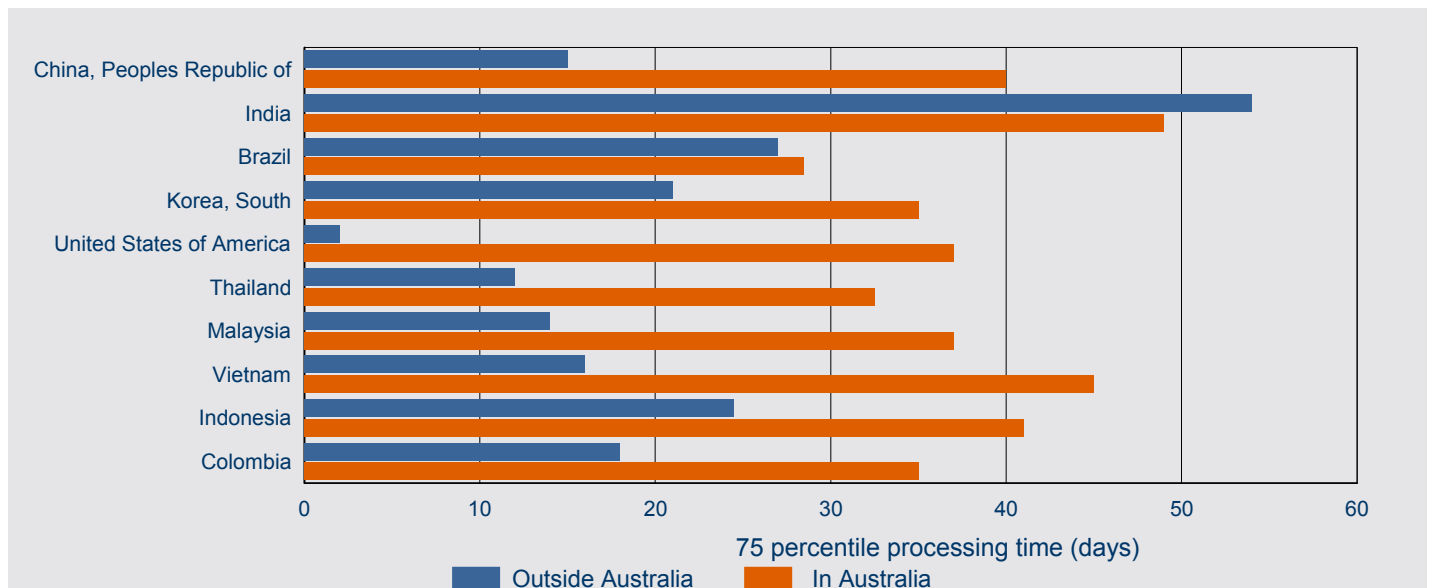
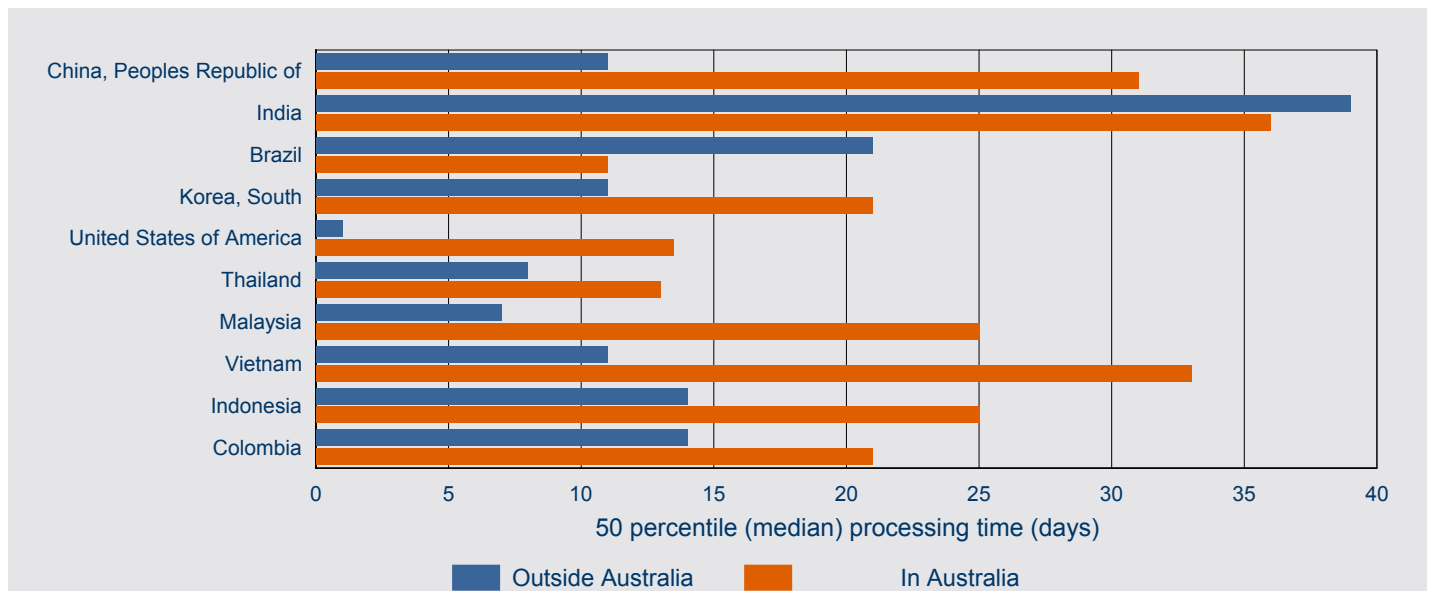
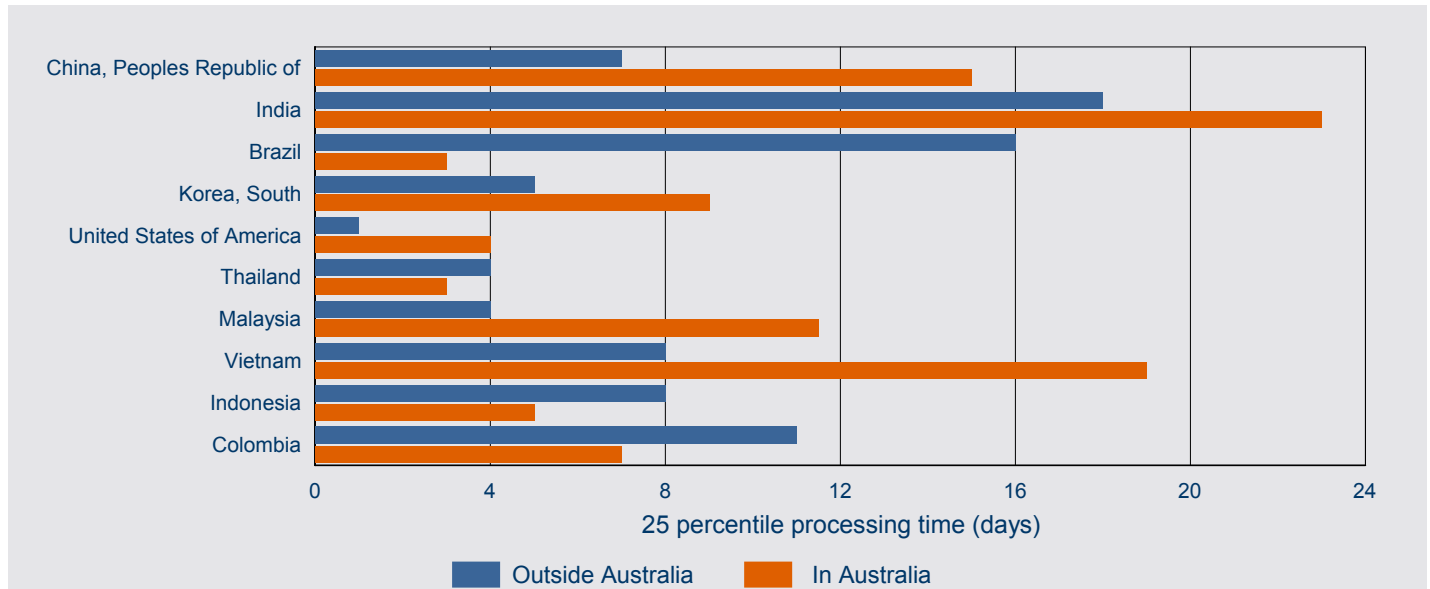
## 4 Processing times

4.03 Processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by client location and citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods - continued

Citizenship country		01/04/14 to 30/06/14 (days)	01/07/14 to 30/09/14 (days)	01/10/14 to 31/12/14 (days)	01/01/15 to 31/03/15 (days)	01/04/15 to 30/06/15 (days)
<b>In Australia</b>						
China, Peoples Republic of	25th percentile	26	7	17	3	15
	50th percentile (Median)	37	21	41	7	31
	75th percentile	55	35	64	16	40
Korea, South	25th percentile	17	16	10	7	9
	50th percentile (Median)	31	28	22	15	21
	75th percentile	49	44	41	27	35
India	25th percentile	28	21	25	8	23
	50th percentile (Median)	42	34	44	18	36
	75th percentile	69	55	75	35	49
Malaysia	25th percentile	21	17	13	7	12
	50th percentile (Median)	35	29	28	14	25
	75th percentile	54	43	48	28	37
Brazil	25th percentile	4	3	3	3	3
	50th percentile (Median)	19	16	12	8	11
	75th percentile	35	35	33	21	29
Thailand	25th percentile	6	6	4	2	3
	50th percentile (Median)	27	24	14	7	13
	75th percentile	49	39	37	22	33
Vietnam	25th percentile	27	15	16	4	19
	50th percentile (Median)	42	28	38	11	33
	75th percentile	62	43	63	22	45
Saudi Arabia	25th percentile	15	9	15	6	13
	50th percentile (Median)	33	24	34	13	28
	75th percentile	56	42	61	27	40
Colombia	25th percentile	13	7	6	4	7
	50th percentile (Median)	30	23	22	14	21
	75th percentile	51	41	43	31	35
Taiwan	25th percentile	13	14	9	6	7
	50th percentile (Median)	27	23	20	13	17
	75th percentile	45	38	36	26	31
Other countries	25th percentile	17	10	9	5	8
	50th percentile (Median)	34	26	27	13	25
	75th percentile	55	43	50	27	39
<b>All in Australia</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>26</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>All</b>	<b>25th percentile</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>
	<b>50th percentile (Median)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
	<b>75th percentile</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>28</b>

# 4 Processing times

4.04 25, 50 and 75 percentile processing time (in calendar days) for student PRIMARY visa applications granted in the three month period between 1 April 2015 and 30 June 2015 by citizenship country and client location - top 10 citizenship countries



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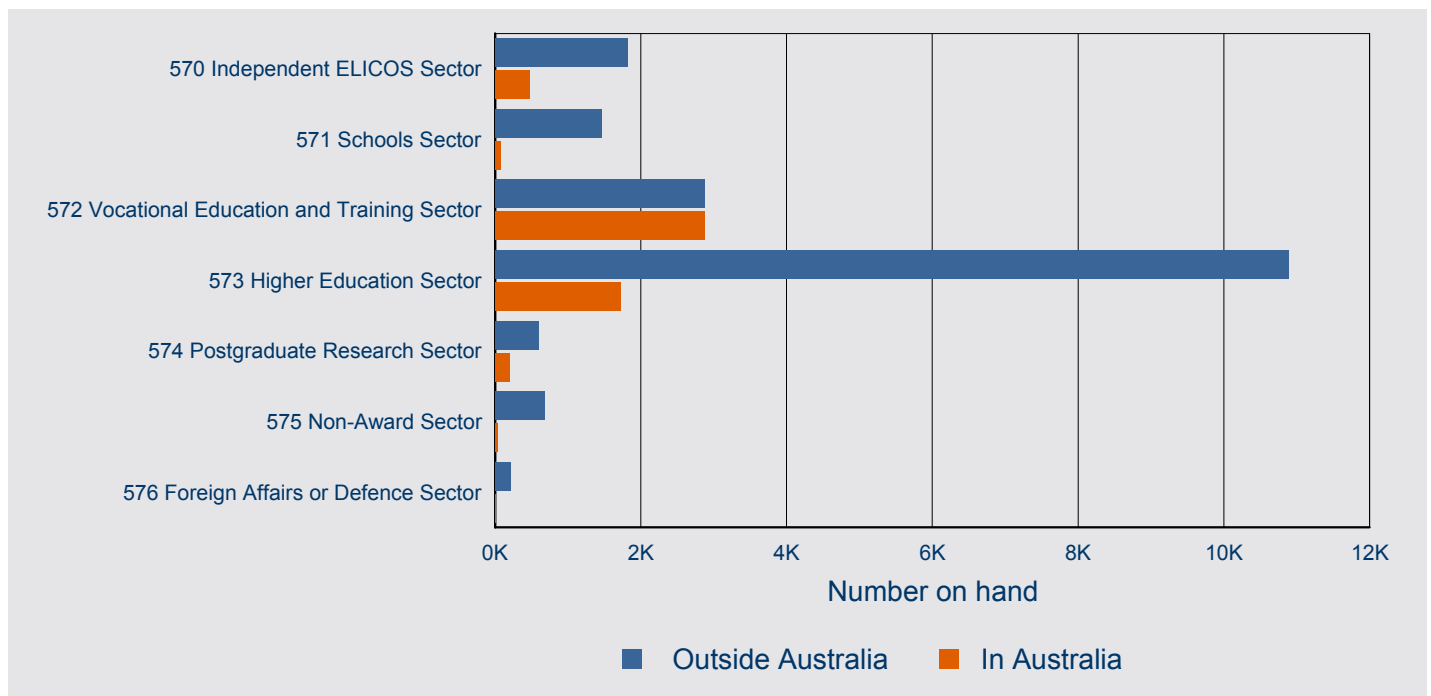
# 5 On hand

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## 5.01 Number of student PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	On hand at 30/06/14	On hand at 30/09/14	On hand at 31/12/14	On hand at 31/03/15	On hand at 30/06/15
<b>Outside Australia</b>					
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	1,915	1,621	2,064	1,425	2,088
571 Schools Sector	1,889	1,431	1,613	996	1,717
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	1,875	1,746	2,204	2,217	3,234
573 Higher Education Sector	8,818	7,550	9,088	6,595	12,985
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	547	515	638	486	646
575 Non-Award Sector	798	148	915	148	908
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	285	557	441	421	248
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>13,568</b>	<b>16,963</b>	<b>12,288</b>	<b>21,826</b>
<b>In Australia</b>					
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	896	744	485	556	524
571 Schools Sector	133	131	131	217	95
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	5,656	5,448	2,759	3,994	3,250
573 Higher Education Sector	3,030	6,094	1,856	4,825	1,935
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	346	355	171	311	212
575 Non-Award Sector	46	26	31	38	35
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	25	46	38	43	16
<b>Sub-total in Australia</b>	<b>10,132</b>	<b>12,844</b>	<b>5,471</b>	<b>9,984</b>	<b>6,067</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,259</b>	<b>26,412</b>	<b>22,434</b>	<b>22,272</b>	<b>27,893</b>

## 5.02 Number of student PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by client location and visa subclass



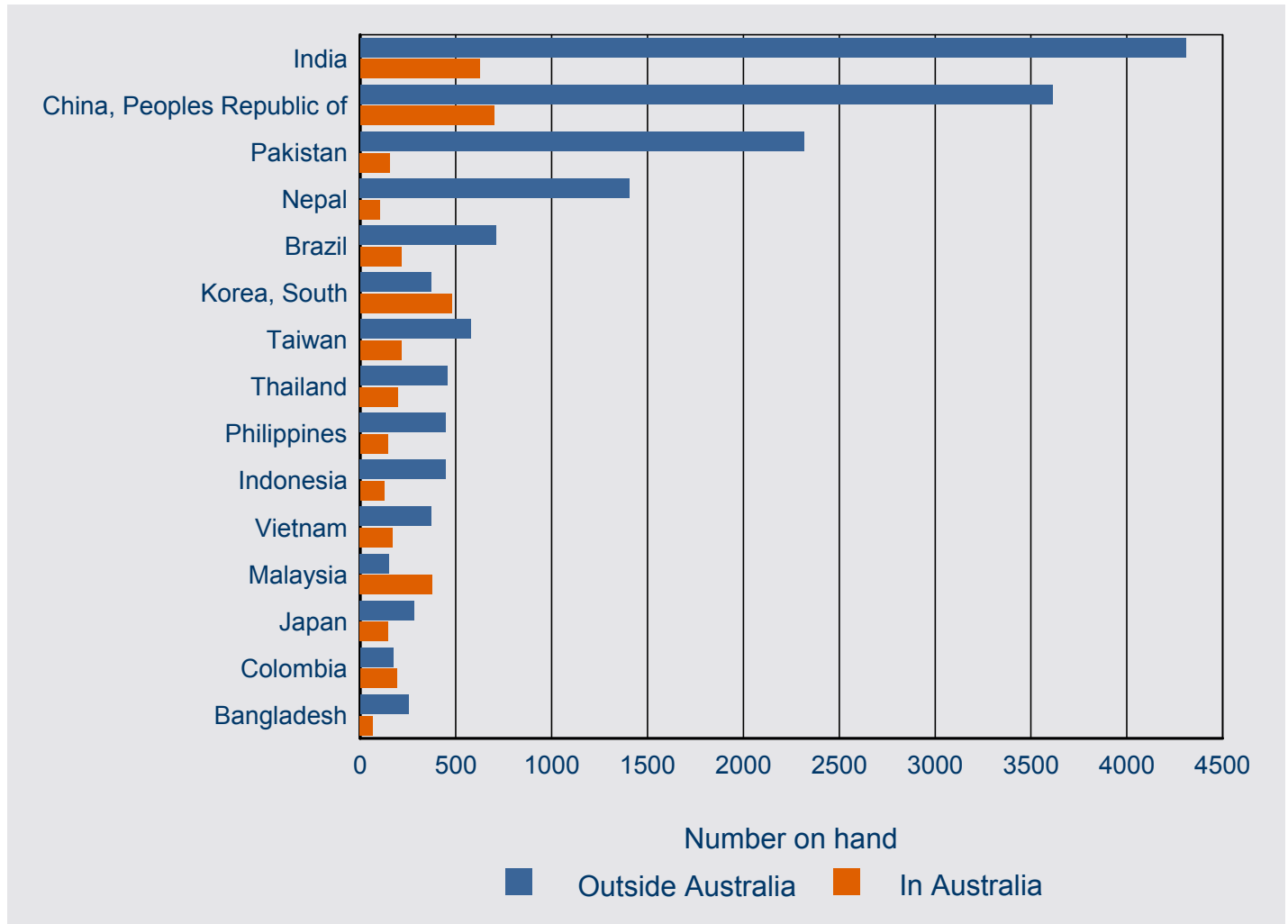
# 5 On hand

## 5.03 Number of student PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by client location and citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	On hand at 30/06/14	On hand at 30/09/14	On hand at 31/12/14	On hand at 31/03/15	On hand at 30/06/15
<b>Outside Australia</b>					
India	2,540	2,107	2,451	2,746	4,853
China, Peoples Republic of	3,763	3,314	3,249	1,792	4,672
Pakistan	1,607	1,757	1,529	1,602	2,454
Nepal	545	552	635	875	1,569
Brazil	648	420	853	360	808
Taiwan	580	514	559	546	622
Thailand	448	285	270	265	532
Indonesia	450	672	561	416	529
Philippines	270	265	381	345	498
Vietnam	849	784	770	342	464
Korea, South	353	327	448	338	429
Japan	327	129	398	248	345
Bangladesh	210	72	163	86	267
Malaysia	211	95	397	128	237
Colombia	253	235	463	192	227
Other countries	3,073	2,040	3,836	2,007	3,320
<b>Sub-total Outside Australia</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>13,568</b>	<b>16,963</b>	<b>12,288</b>	<b>21,826</b>
<b>In Australia</b>					
China, Peoples Republic of	1,214	2,737	701	2,221	796
India	1,684	2,156	786	1,176	692
Korea, South	870	726	465	632	539
Malaysia	436	434	238	422	399
Brazil	381	267	137	191	273
Taiwan	251	311	194	214	236
Thailand	434	367	172	242	235
Colombia	309	319	196	226	230
Saudi Arabia	308	419	128	452	215
Vietnam	290	440	179	451	191
HKSAR of the PRC	242	320	151	281	184
Pakistan	339	540	199	376	173
Japan	297	229	127	213	164
Philippines	233	333	137	240	164
Indonesia	284	306	135	225	145
Other countries	2,560	2,940	1,526	2,422	1,431
<b>Sub-total in Australia</b>	<b>10,132</b>	<b>12,844</b>	<b>5,471</b>	<b>9,984</b>	<b>6,067</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,259</b>	<b>26,412</b>	<b>22,434</b>	<b>22,272</b>	<b>27,893</b>

# 5 On hand

5.04 Number of student PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by citizenship country and client location - top 15 citizenship countries

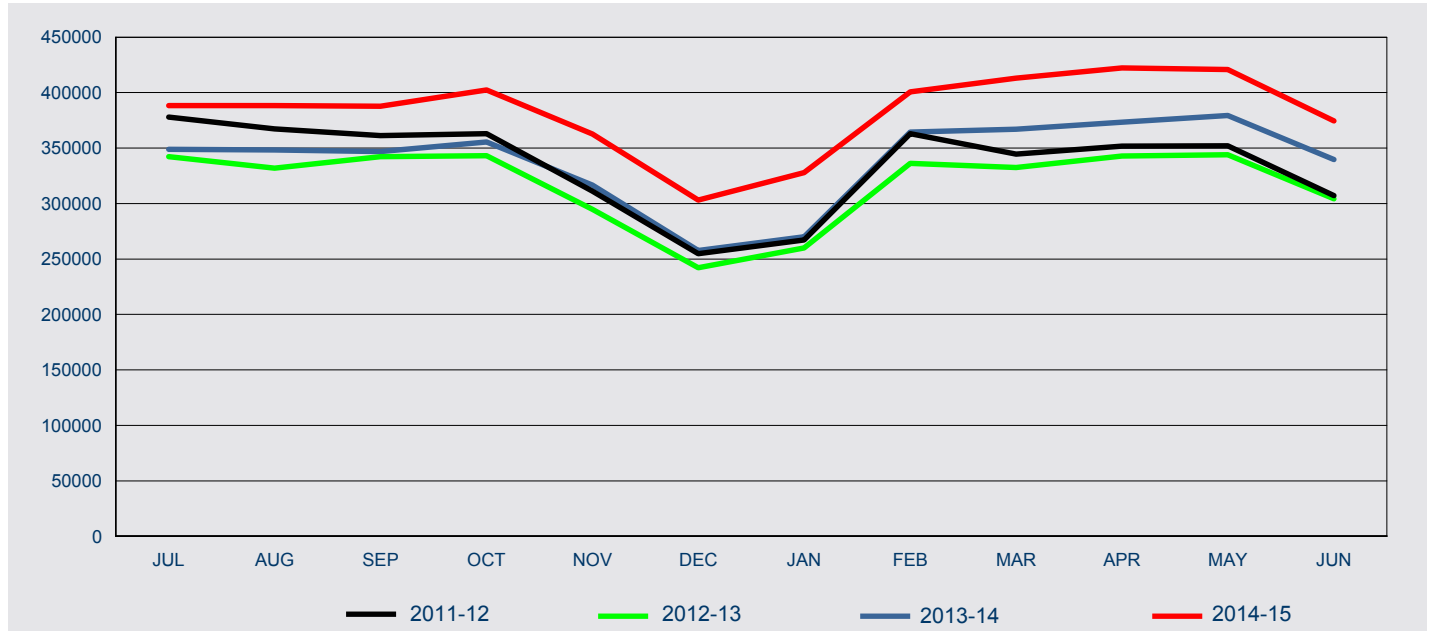




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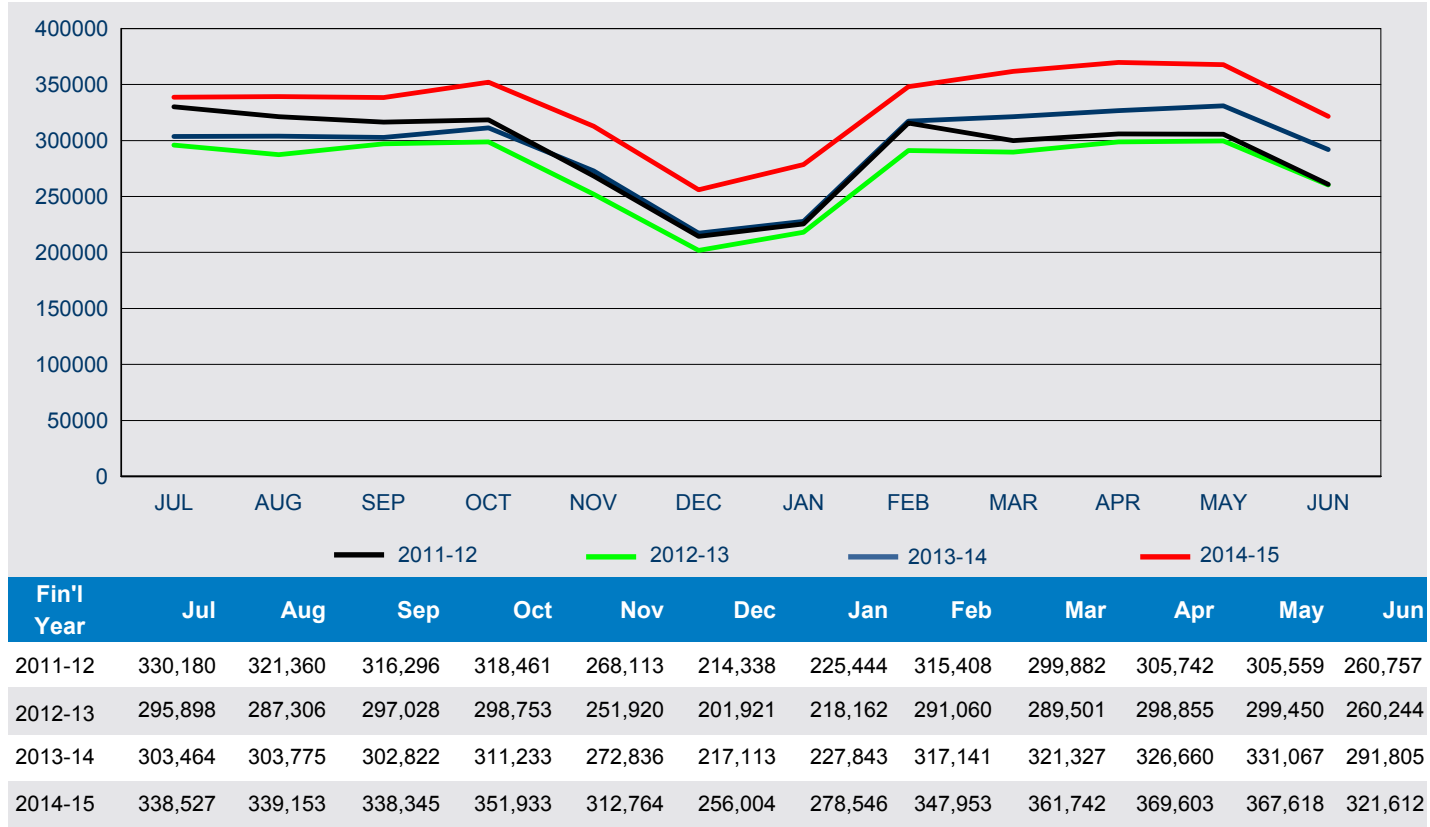
6.01 Number of student visa holders at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month - comparison with previous three financial years



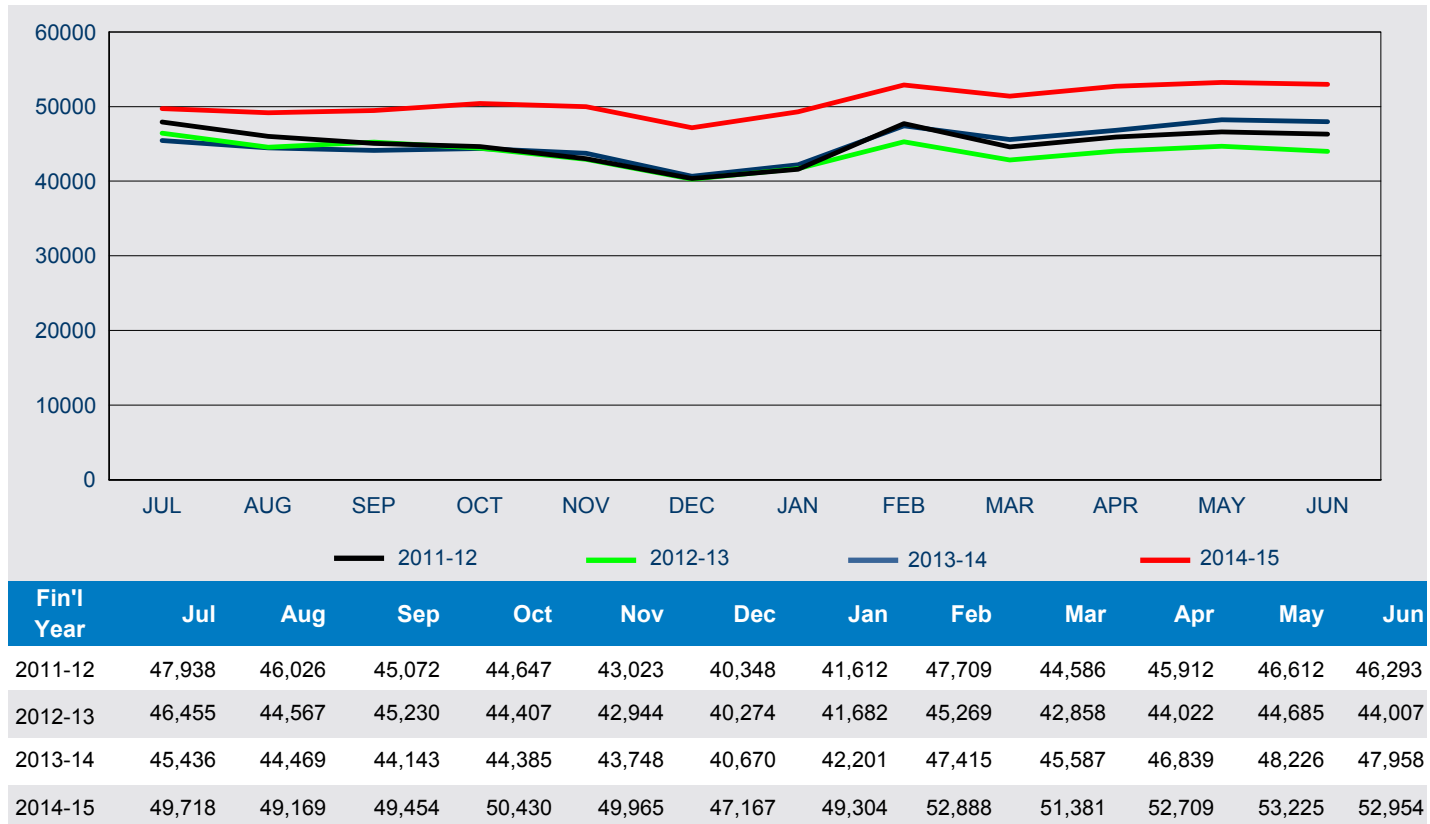
Fin'l Year	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
2011-12	378,118	367,386	361,368	363,108	311,136	254,686	267,056	363,117	344,468	351,654	352,171	307,050
2012-13	342,353	331,873	342,258	343,160	294,864	242,195	259,844	336,329	332,359	342,877	344,135	304,251
2013-14	348,900	348,244	346,965	355,618	316,584	257,783	270,044	364,556	366,914	373,499	379,293	339,763
2014-15	388,245	388,322	387,799	402,363	362,729	303,171	327,850	400,841	413,123	422,312	420,843	374,566

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6.02 Number of student PRIMARY visa holders in Australia at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 - comparison with previous three financial years

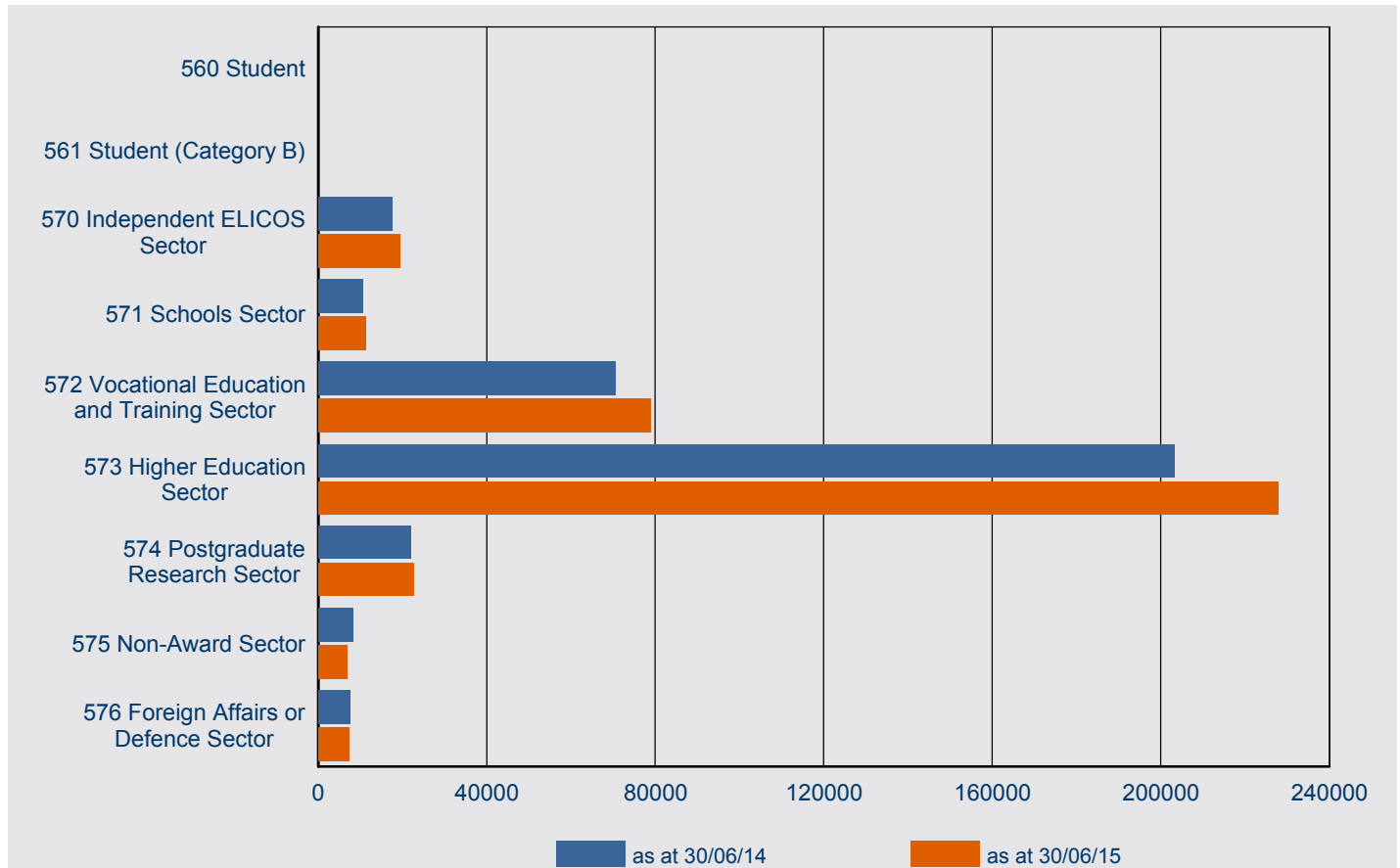


6.03 Number of student SECONDARY visa holders in Australia at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 - comparison with previous three financial years



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6.04 Number of student visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2015 by visa subclass - comparison with the same date in the previous year



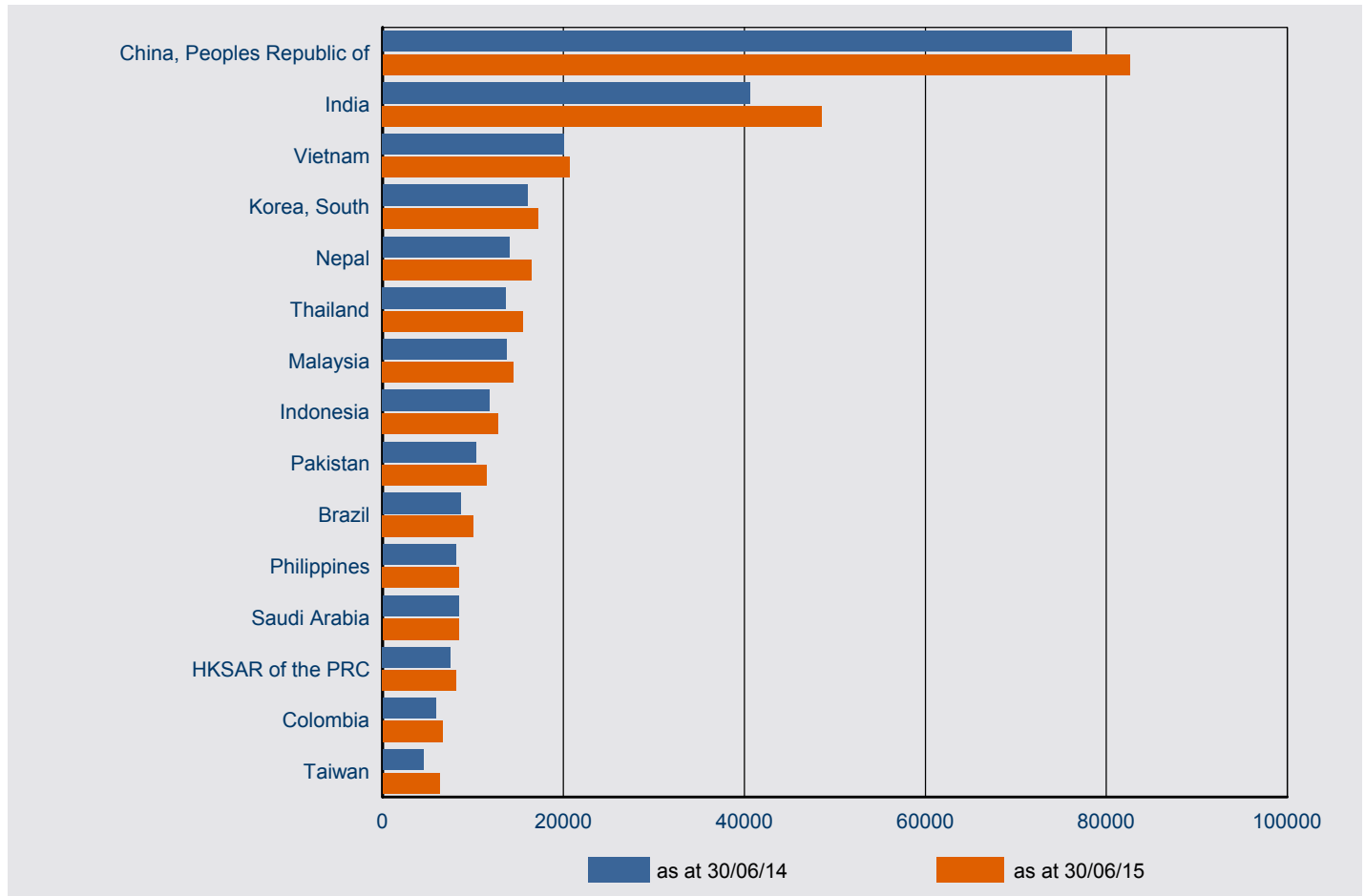
Visa Subclass	30/06/14	30/06/15	% Change from 30/06/14	30/06/15 as % of Total
560 Student	14	10	-28.6%	0.0%
561 Student (Category B)	<5	<5	0.0%	0.0%
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	17,632	19,374	9.9%	5.2%
571 Schools Sector	10,545	11,244	6.6%	3.0%
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	70,568	78,873	11.8%	21.1%
573 Higher Education Sector	203,187	227,983	12.2%	60.9%
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	22,021	22,780	3.4%	6.1%
575 Non-Award Sector	8,185	6,822	-16.7%	1.8%
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	7,609	7,478	-1.7%	2.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>339,763</b>	<b>374,566</b>	<b>10.2%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Note: Subclass 560 - was omitted from the *Migration Regulations 1994* with effect from 1 July 2001.

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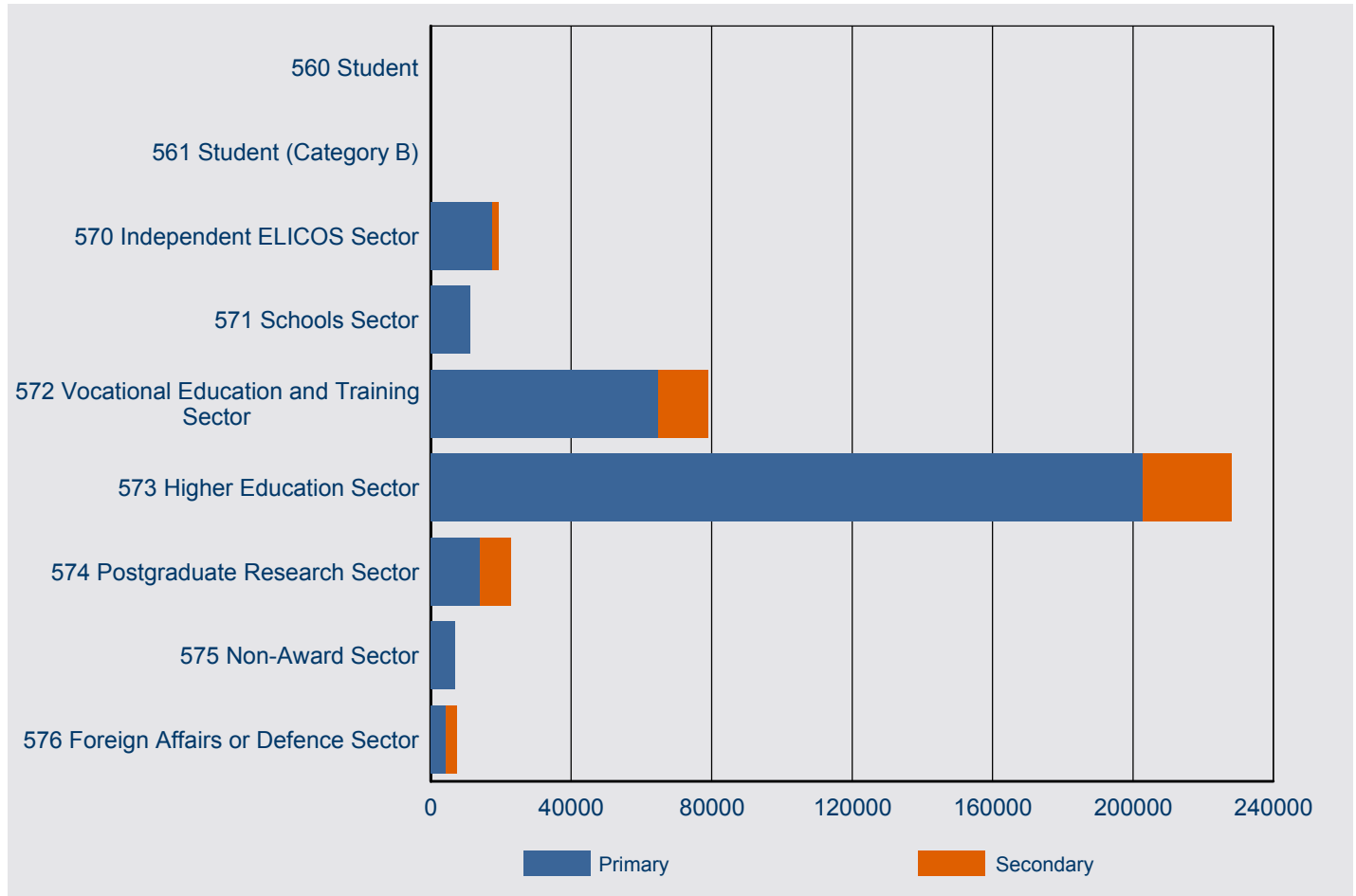
6.05 Number of student visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with the same date in the previous year



Citizenship Country	30/06/14	30/06/15	% Change from 30/06/14	30/06/15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	76,152	82,572	8.4%	22.0%
India	40,595	48,585	19.7%	13.0%
Vietnam	20,054	20,693	3.2%	5.5%
Korea, South	16,030	17,152	7.0%	4.6%
Nepal	14,043	16,447	17.1%	4.4%
Thailand	13,615	15,488	13.8%	4.1%
Malaysia	13,666	14,468	5.9%	3.9%
Indonesia	11,838	12,797	8.1%	3.4%
Pakistan	10,303	11,497	11.6%	3.1%
Brazil	8,624	10,074	16.8%	2.7%
Philippines	8,130	8,495	4.5%	2.3%
Saudi Arabia	8,396	8,424	0.3%	2.2%
HKSAR of the PRC	7,520	8,160	8.5%	2.2%
Colombia	5,883	6,592	12.1%	1.8%
Taiwan	4,478	6,340	41.6%	1.7%
Other Countries	80,436	86,782	7.9%	23.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>339,763</b>	<b>374,566</b>	<b>10.2%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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## 6.06 Number of student visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2015 by visa subclass and applicant type



Visa Subclass	As at 30/06/14				As at 30/06/15			
	Primary	Secondary	Total	% Primary	Primary	Secondary	Total	% Primary
560 Student	11	<5	14	78.6%	7	<5	10	70.0%
561 Student (Category B)	<5	0	<5	100.0%	<5	0	<5	100.0%
570 Independent ELICOS Sector	16,091	1,541	17,632	91.3%	17,666	1,708	19,374	91.2%
571 Schools Sector	10,541	<5	10,545	100.0%	11,242	<5	11,244	100.0%
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	56,858	13,710	70,568	80.6%	64,801	14,072	78,873	82.2%
573 Higher Education Sector	182,245	20,942	203,187	89.7%	202,669	25,314	227,983	88.9%
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	13,513	8,508	22,021	61.4%	14,090	8,690	22,780	61.9%
575 Non-Award Sector	8,115	70	8,185	99.1%	6,770	52	6,822	99.2%
576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector	4,429	3,180	7,609	58.2%	4,365	3,113	7,478	58.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>291,805</b>	<b>47,958</b>	<b>339,763</b>	<b>85.9%</b>	<b>321,612</b>	<b>52,954</b>	<b>374,566</b>	<b>85.9%</b>

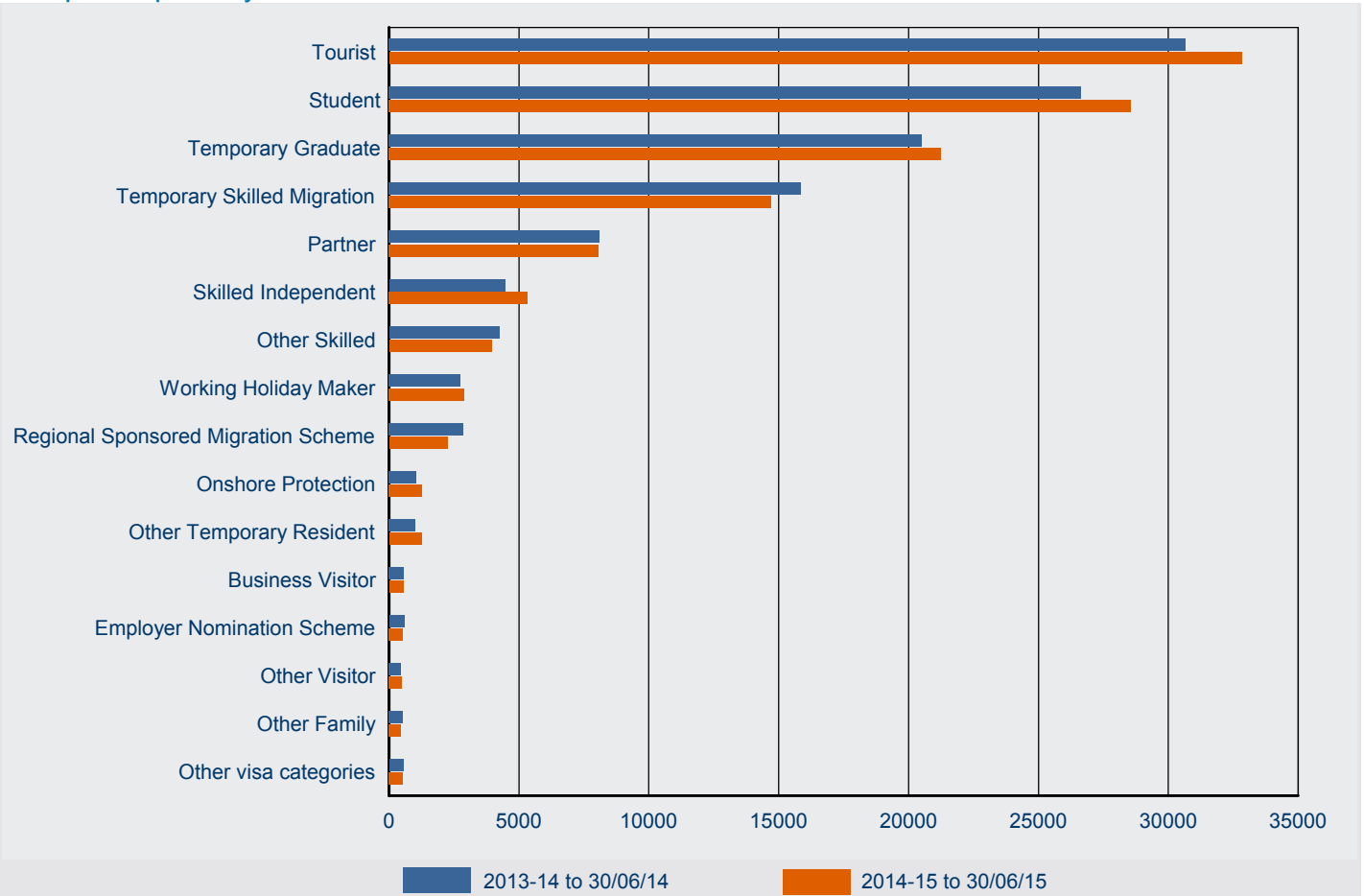
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7.01 Number of visas granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by visa category where the last visa held was a student visa - comparison with same period in previous year

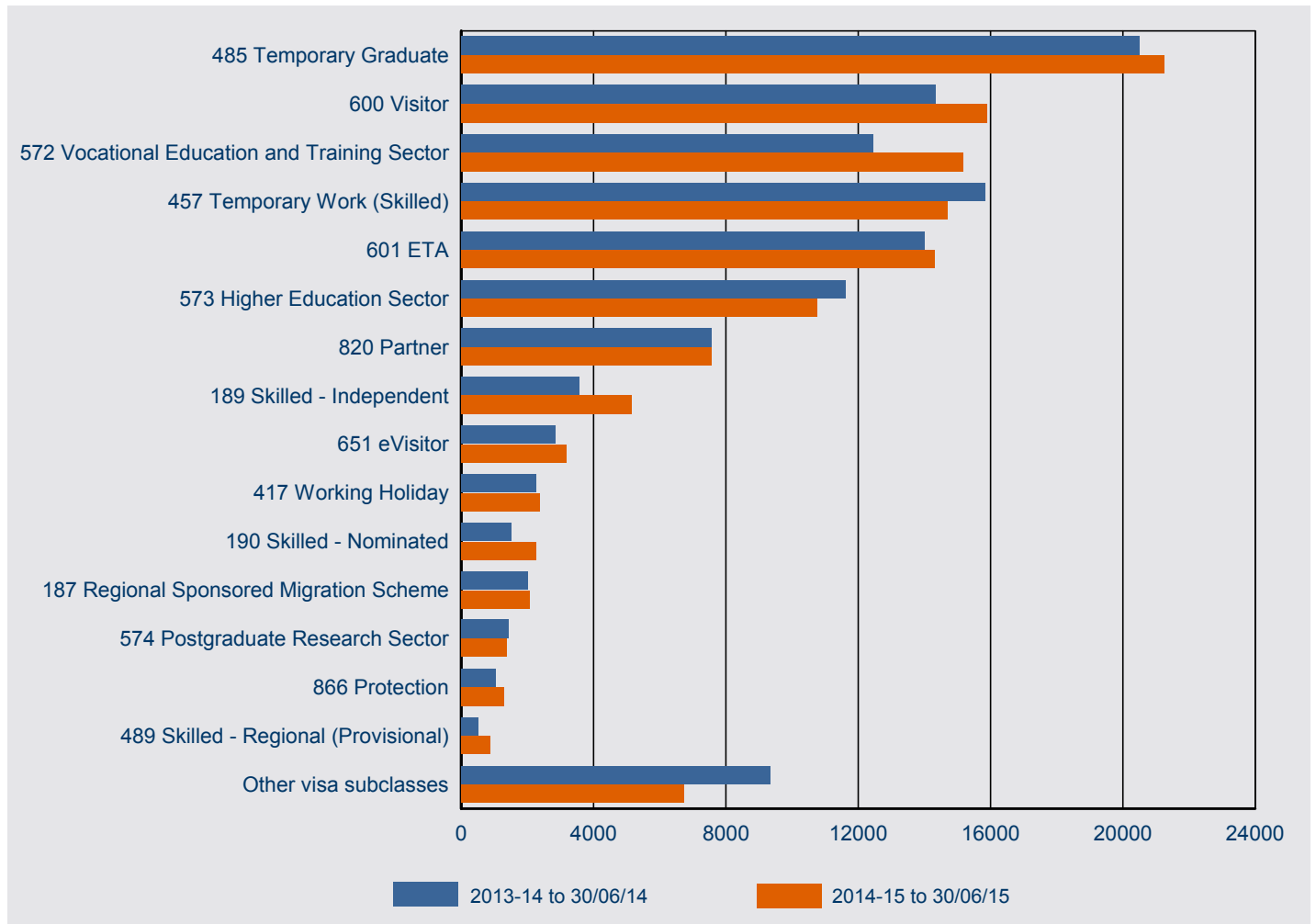


Visa Category	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
Tourist	30,653	32,818	7.1%	26.3%
Student	26,641	28,577	7.3%	22.9%
Temporary Graduate	20,496	21,259	3.7%	17.0%
Temporary Skilled Migration	15,843	14,707	-7.2%	11.8%
Partner	8,101	8,075	-0.3%	6.5%
Skilled Independent	4,464	5,328	19.4%	4.3%
Other Skilled	4,246	3,941	-7.2%	3.2%
Working Holiday Maker	2,743	2,899	5.7%	2.3%
Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	2,868	2,256	-21.3%	1.8%
Onshore Protection	1,057	1,285	21.6%	1.0%
Other Temporary Resident	1,012	1,251	23.6%	1.0%
Business Visitor	574	559	-2.6%	0.4%
Employer Nomination Scheme	588	516	-12.2%	0.4%
Other Visitor	457	508	11.2%	0.4%
Other Family	535	475	-11.2%	0.4%
Other visa categories	555	546	-1.6%	0.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>120,833</b>	<b>125,000</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



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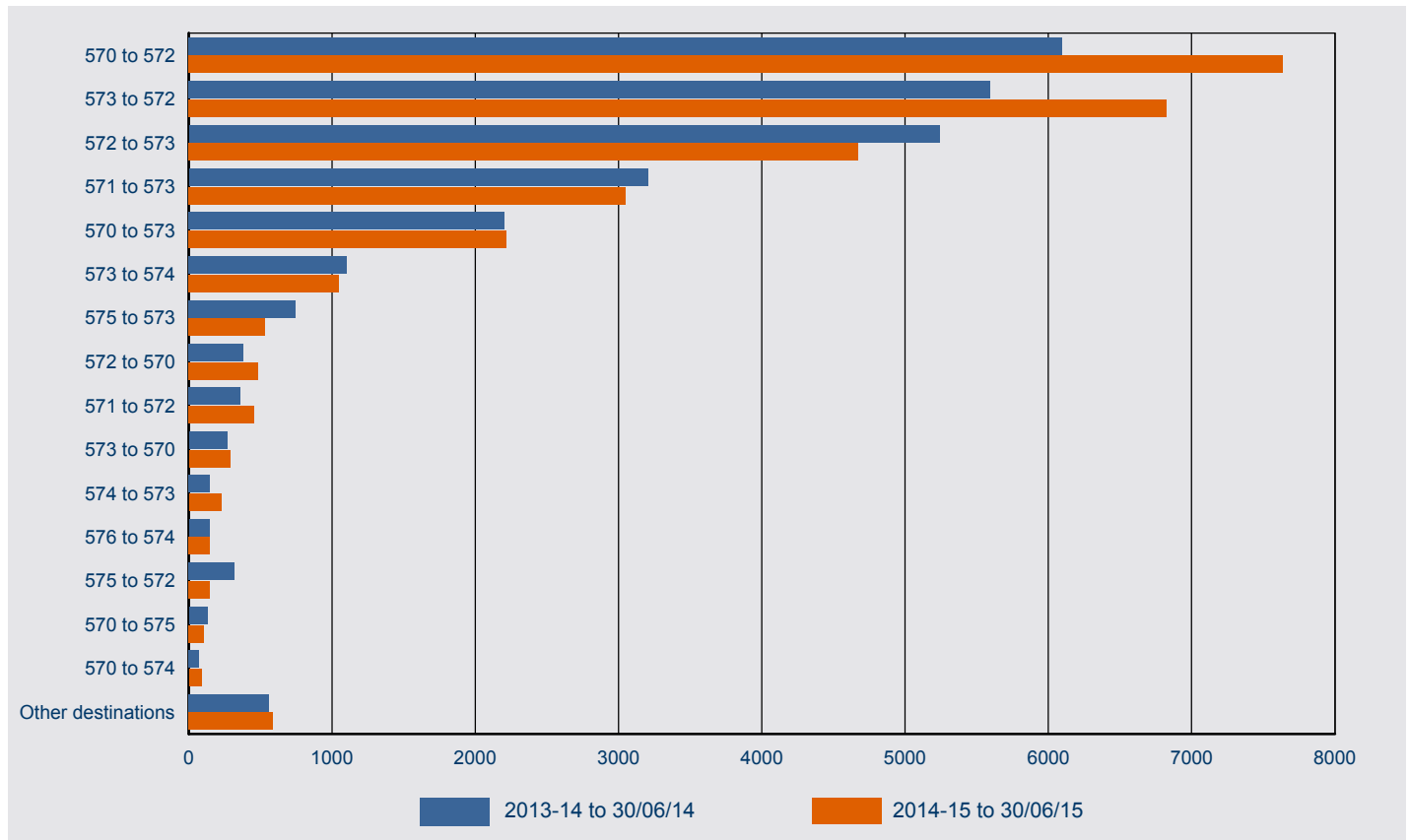
7.02 Number of visas granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by visa subclass where the last visa held was a student visa - comparison with same period in previous year



Visa Subclass	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
485 Temporary Graduate	20,496	21,259	3.7%	17.0%
600 Visitor	14,336	15,899	10.9%	12.7%
572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	12,446	15,161	21.8%	12.1%
457 Temporary Work (Skilled)	15,843	14,707	-7.2%	11.8%
601 ETA	14,024	14,308	2.0%	11.4%
573 Higher Education Sector	11,615	10,777	-7.2%	8.6%
820 Partner	7,558	7,573	0.2%	6.1%
189 Skilled - Independent	3,571	5,151	44.2%	4.1%
651 eVisitor	2,833	3,167	11.8%	2.5%
417 Working Holiday	2,266	2,386	5.3%	1.9%
190 Skilled - Nominated	1,518	2,273	49.7%	1.8%
187 Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	2,004	2,070	3.3%	1.7%
574 Postgraduate Research Sector	1,416	1,385	-2.2%	1.1%
866 Protection	1,057	1,284	21.5%	1.0%
489 Skilled - Regional (Provisional)	513	876	70.8%	0.7%
Other visa subclasses	9,337	6,724	-28.0%	5.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>120,833</b>	<b>125,000</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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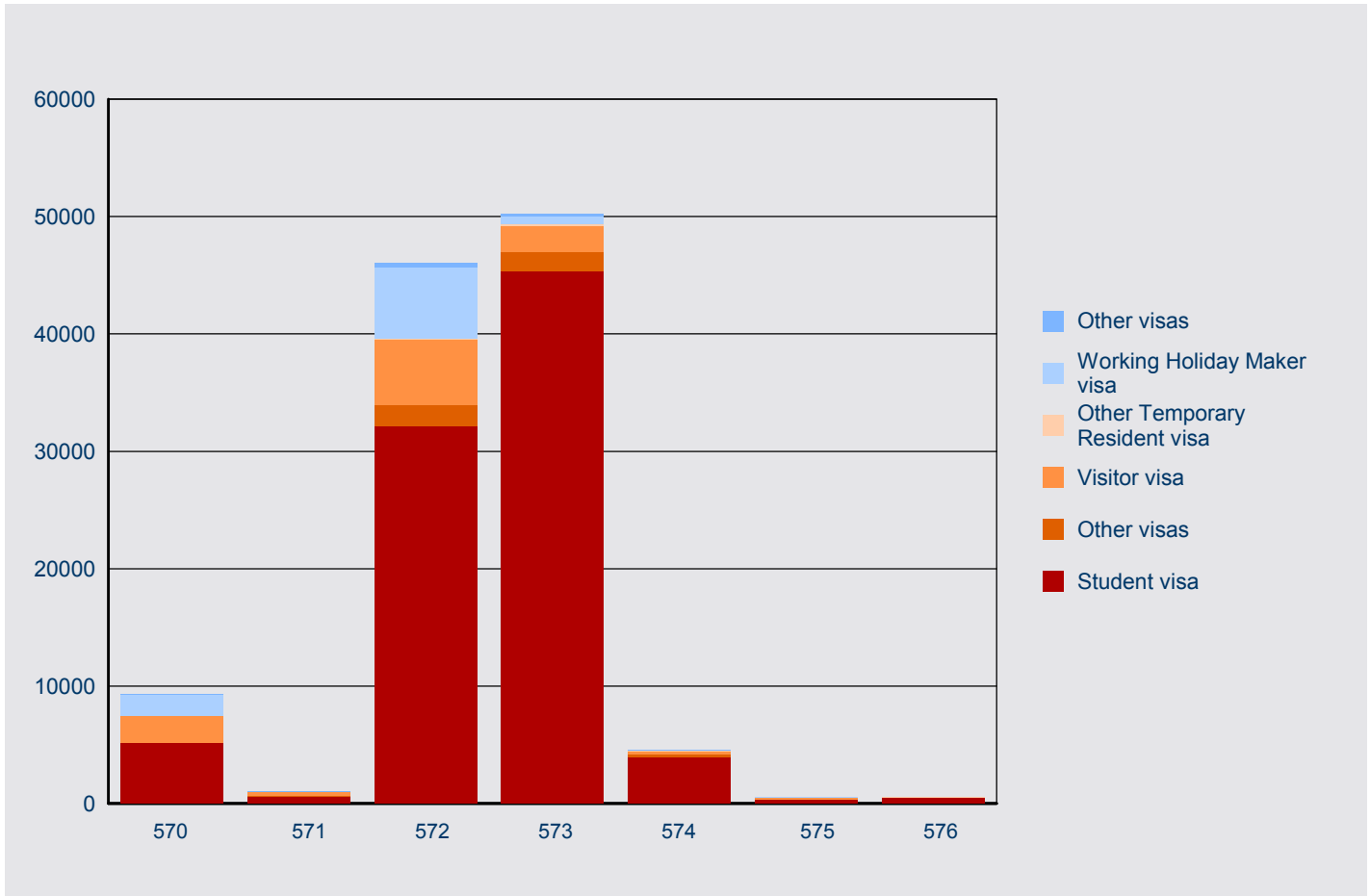
7.03 Number of student visas granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by visa subclass where the last visa held was a different student visa - comparison with same period in previous year



Subclass From / Subclass To	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
From: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector To: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	6,099	7,639	25.3%	26.8%
From: 573 Higher Education Sector To: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	5,594	6,823	22.0%	23.9%
From: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector To: 573 Higher Education Sector	5,241	4,673	-10.8%	16.4%
From: 571 Schools Sector To: 573 Higher Education Sector	3,204	3,050	-4.8%	10.7%
From: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector To: 573 Higher Education Sector	2,203	2,220	0.8%	7.8%
From: 573 Higher Education Sector To: 574 Postgraduate Research Sector	1,102	1,048	-4.9%	3.7%
From: 575 Non-Award Sector To: 573 Higher Education Sector	745	533	-28.5%	1.9%
From: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector To: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector	380	484	27.4%	1.7%
From: 571 Schools Sector To: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	361	458	26.9%	1.6%
From: 573 Higher Education Sector To: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector	269	287	6.7%	1.0%
From: 574 Postgraduate Research Sector To: 573 Higher Education Sector	148	226	52.7%	0.8%
From: 576 Foreign Affairs or Defence Sector To: 574 Postgraduate Research Sector	144	146	1.4%	0.5%
From: 575 Non-Award Sector To: 572 Vocational Education and Training Sector	318	145	-54.4%	0.5%
From: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector To: 575 Non-Award Sector	130	107	-17.7%	0.4%
From: 570 Independent ELICOS Sector To: 574 Postgraduate Research Sector	71	88	23.9%	0.3%
Others destinations	562	587	4.4%	2.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,571</b>	<b>28,514</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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7.04 Number of student visa granted in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 where the client was in Australia by last visa category held



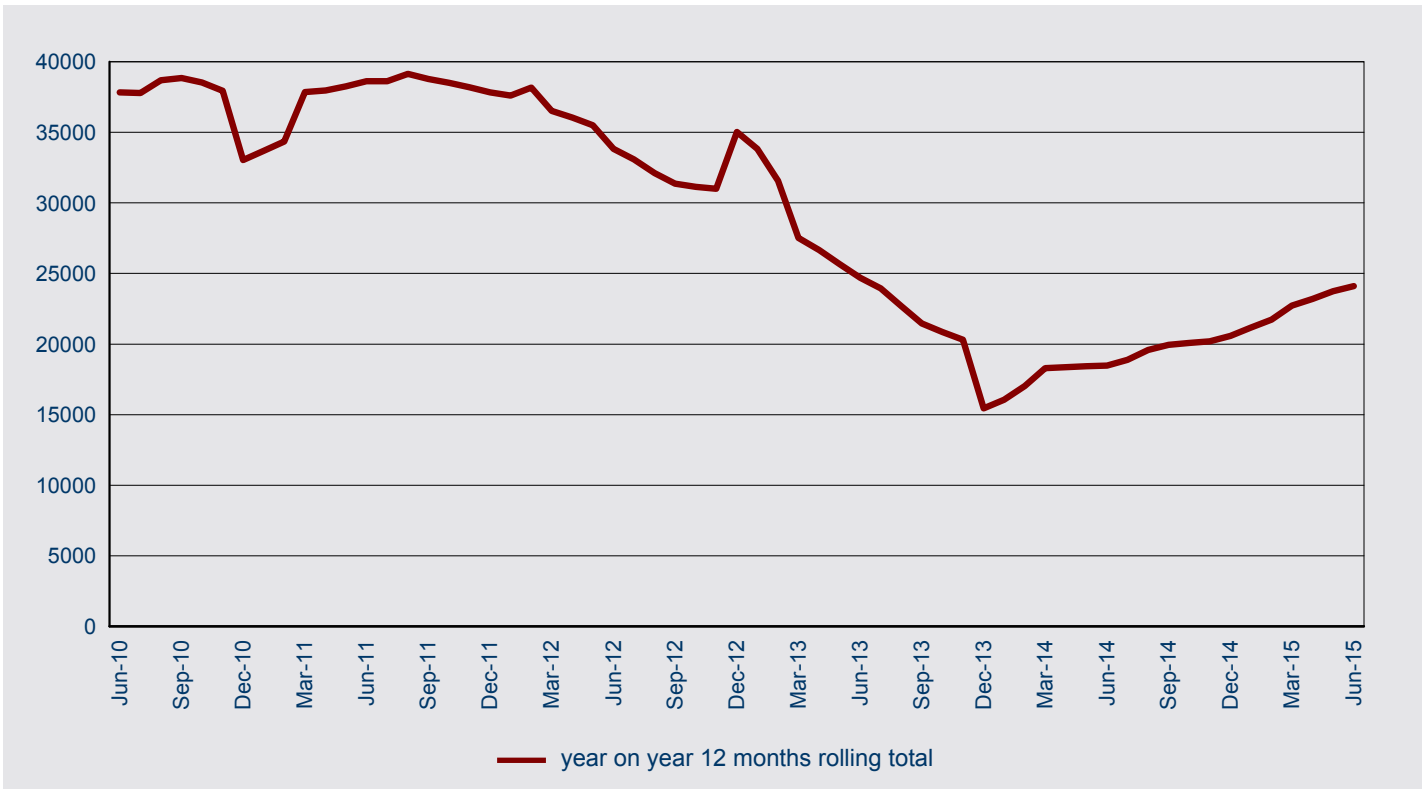
Last Visa Category Held	570	571	572	573	574	575	576	Total
Student visa	5 184	647	32 131	45 320	3 972	352	525	<b>88,131</b>
Visitor visa	2 281	346	5 517	2 294	232	135	10	<b>10,815</b>
Working Holiday Maker visa	1 764		6 100	696	85	16	<5	<b>8,662</b>
Temporary Skilled Migration visa	28	41	336	238	42			<b>685</b>
Other Temporary Resident visa	7	10	75	95	62	<5	<5	<b>252</b>
Other visas	46	17	1 862	1 610	206		12	<b>3,753</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,310</b>	<b>1,061</b>	<b>46,021</b>	<b>50,253</b>	<b>4,599</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>112,298</b>

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# 8 Subclass 485 visa

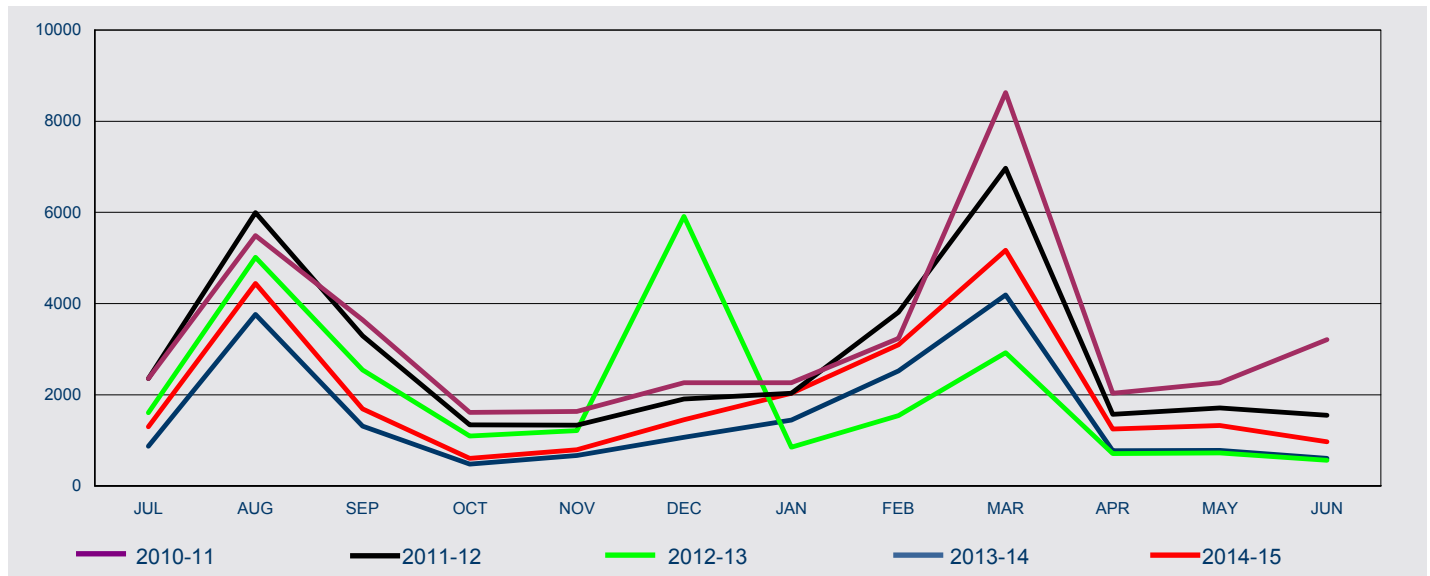
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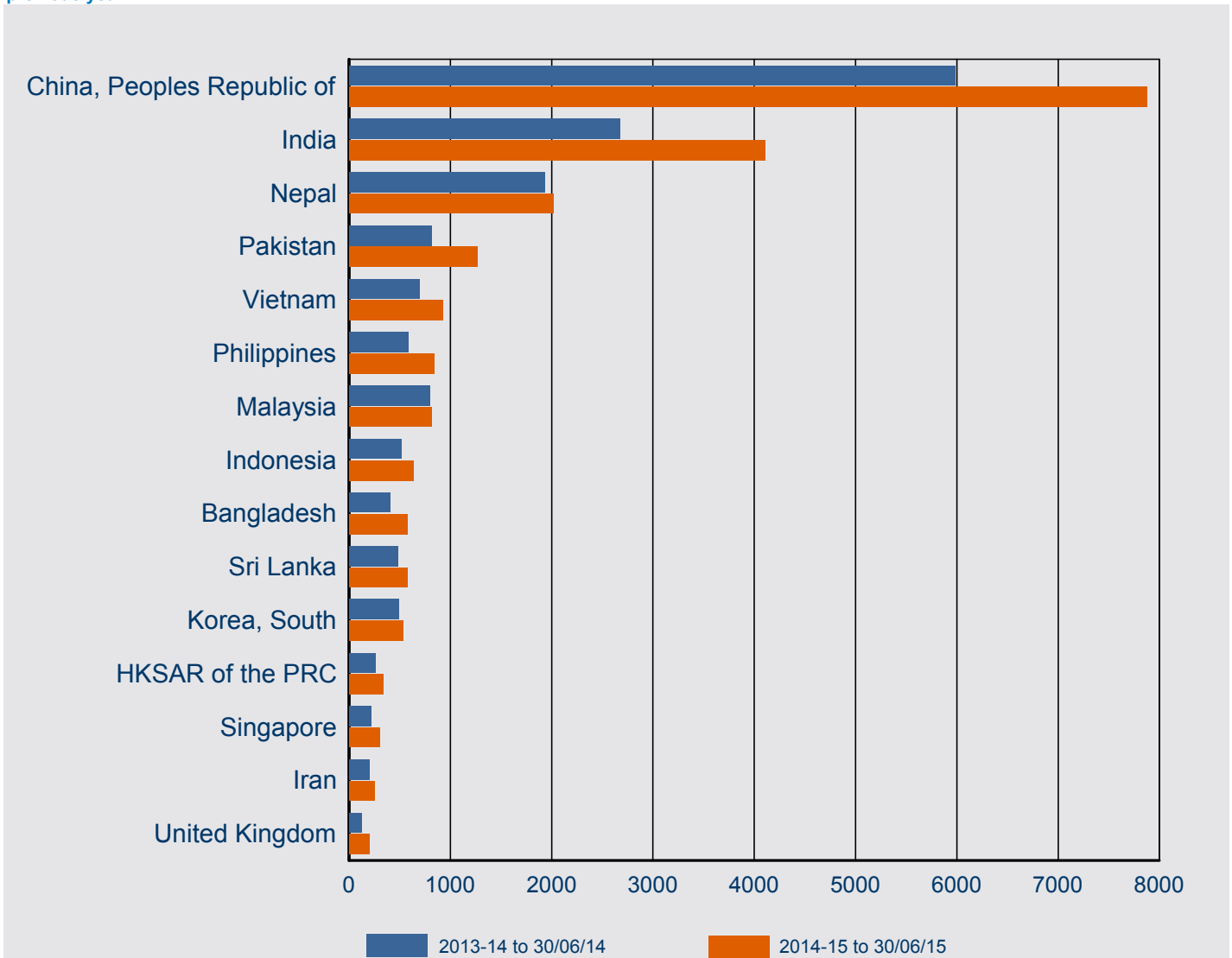
8.02 Number of subclass 485 visa applications lodged in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by visa stream and month - comparison with previous four financial years



FY Lodged	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
<b>Graduate Work</b>													
2010-11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011-12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012-13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145	711	720	559	2,135
2013-14	861	3,747	1,307	475	634	963	1,270	2,146	3,766	668	719	548	17,104
2014-15	830	2,834	1,245	475	547	814	1,062	1,612	2,979	726	896	672	14,692
<b>Post-Study Work</b>													
2010-11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011-12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012-13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	0	0	<5
2013-14	7	11	5	6	33	104	175	379	421	103	61	54	1,359
2014-15	465	1,608	442	129	244	634	970	1,485	2,189	519	430	297	9,412
<b>Skilled Graduate</b>													
2010-11	2,351	5,488	3,644	1,614	1,636	2,261	2,266	3,236	8,626	2,034	2,264	3,210	38,630
2011-12	2,354	5,992	3,290	1,337	1,329	1,905	2,034	3,811	6,965	1,567	1,710	1,548	33,842
2012-13	1,606	5,017	2,544	1,097	1,211	5,911	848	1,540	2,777	0	0	0	22,551
2013-14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2014-15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	2,351	5,488	3,644	1,614	1,636	2,261	2,266	3,236	8,626	2,034	2,264	3,210	38,630
2011-12	2,354	5,992	3,290	1,337	1,329	1,905	2,034	3,811	6,965	1,567	1,710	1,548	33,842
2012-13	1,606	5,017	2,544	1,097	1,211	5,911	848	1,540	2,922	712	720	559	24,687
2013-14	868	3,758	1,312	481	667	1,067	1,445	2,525	4,187	771	780	602	18,463
2014-15	1,295	4,442	1,687	604	791	1,448	2,032	3,097	5,168	1,245	1,326	969	24,104

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8.03 Number of subclass 485 visa applications lodged in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by citizenship country - comparison with same period in previous year

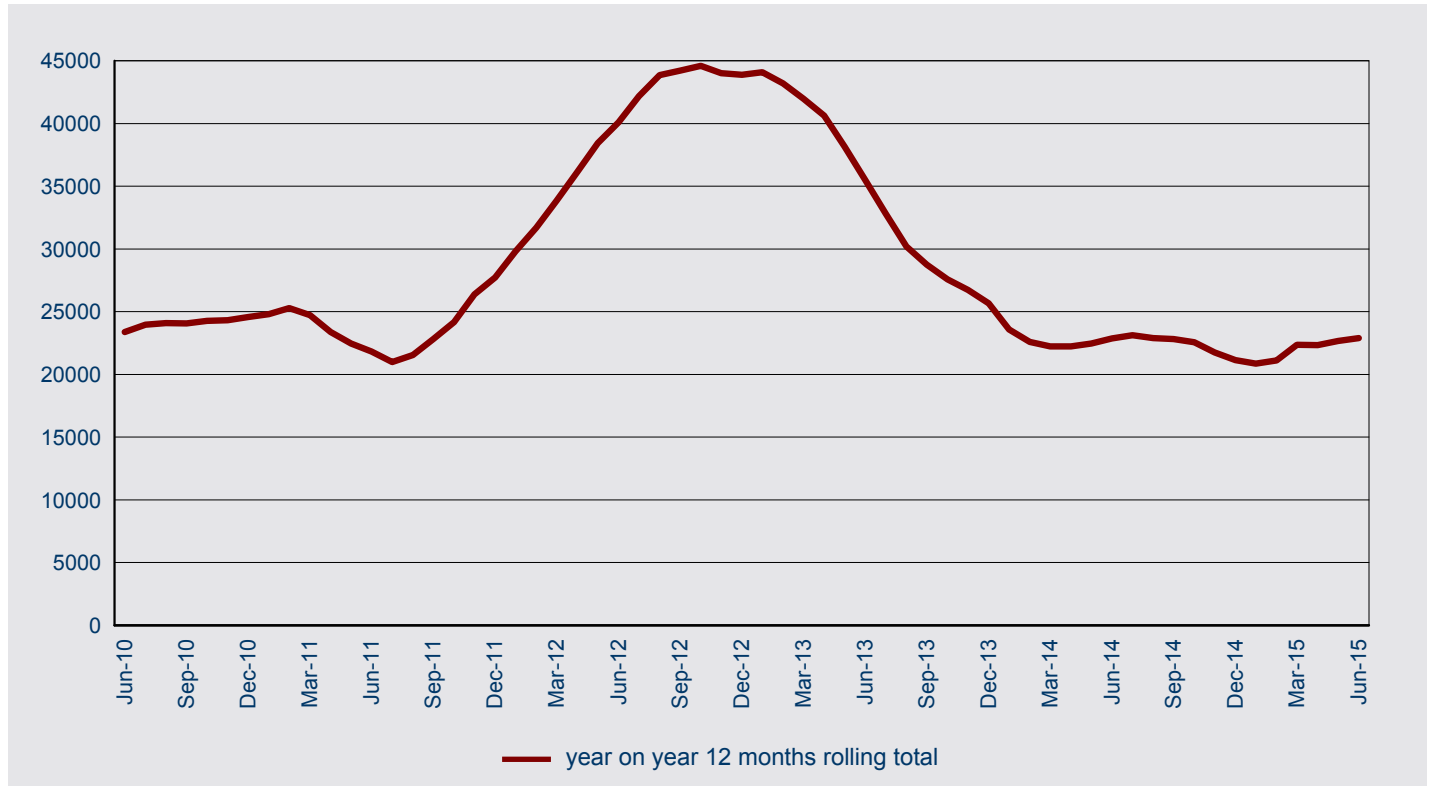


Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	5,978	7,873	31.7%	32.7%
India	2,671	4,105	53.7%	17.0%
Nepal	1,929	2,017	4.6%	8.4%
Pakistan	818	1,263	54.4%	5.2%
Vietnam	696	924	32.8%	3.8%
Philippines	586	843	43.9%	3.5%
Malaysia	800	813	1.6%	3.4%
Indonesia	519	634	22.2%	2.6%
Bangladesh	408	575	40.9%	2.4%
Sri Lanka	483	573	18.6%	2.4%
Korea, South	493	533	8.1%	2.2%
HKSAR of the PRC	262	337	28.6%	1.4%
Singapore	218	299	37.2%	1.2%
Iran	201	248	23.4%	1.0%
United Kingdom	126	205	62.7%	0.9%
Other countries	2,275	2,862	25.8%	11.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,463</b>	<b>24,104</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



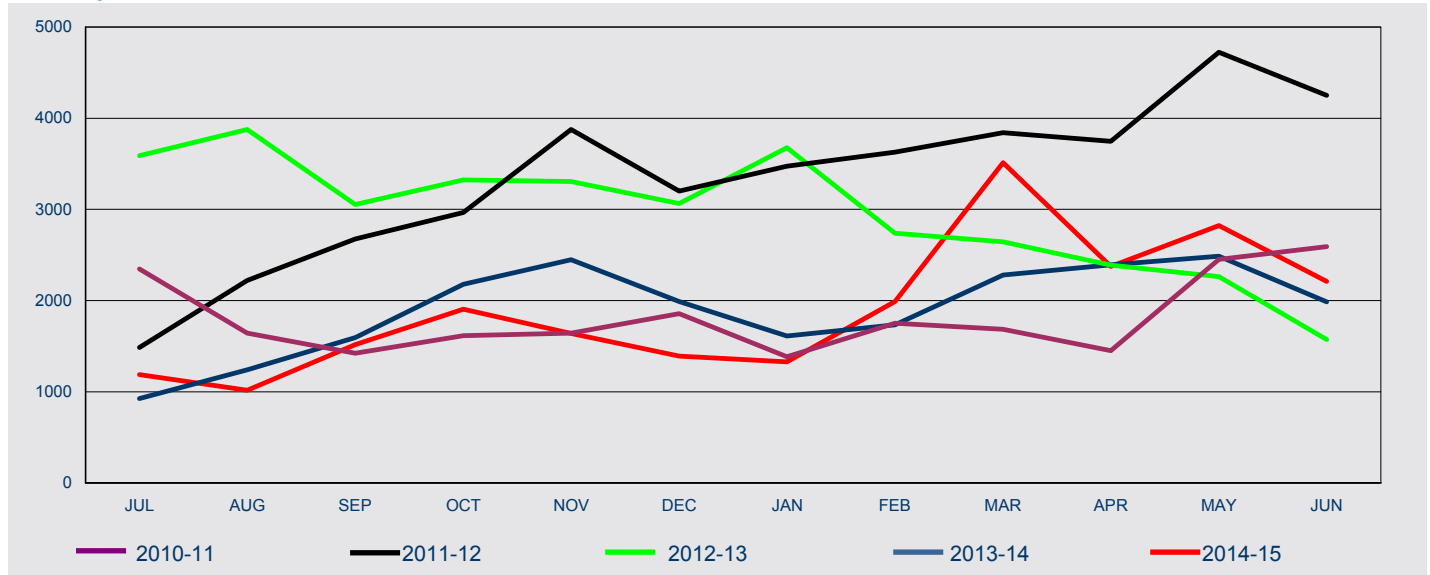
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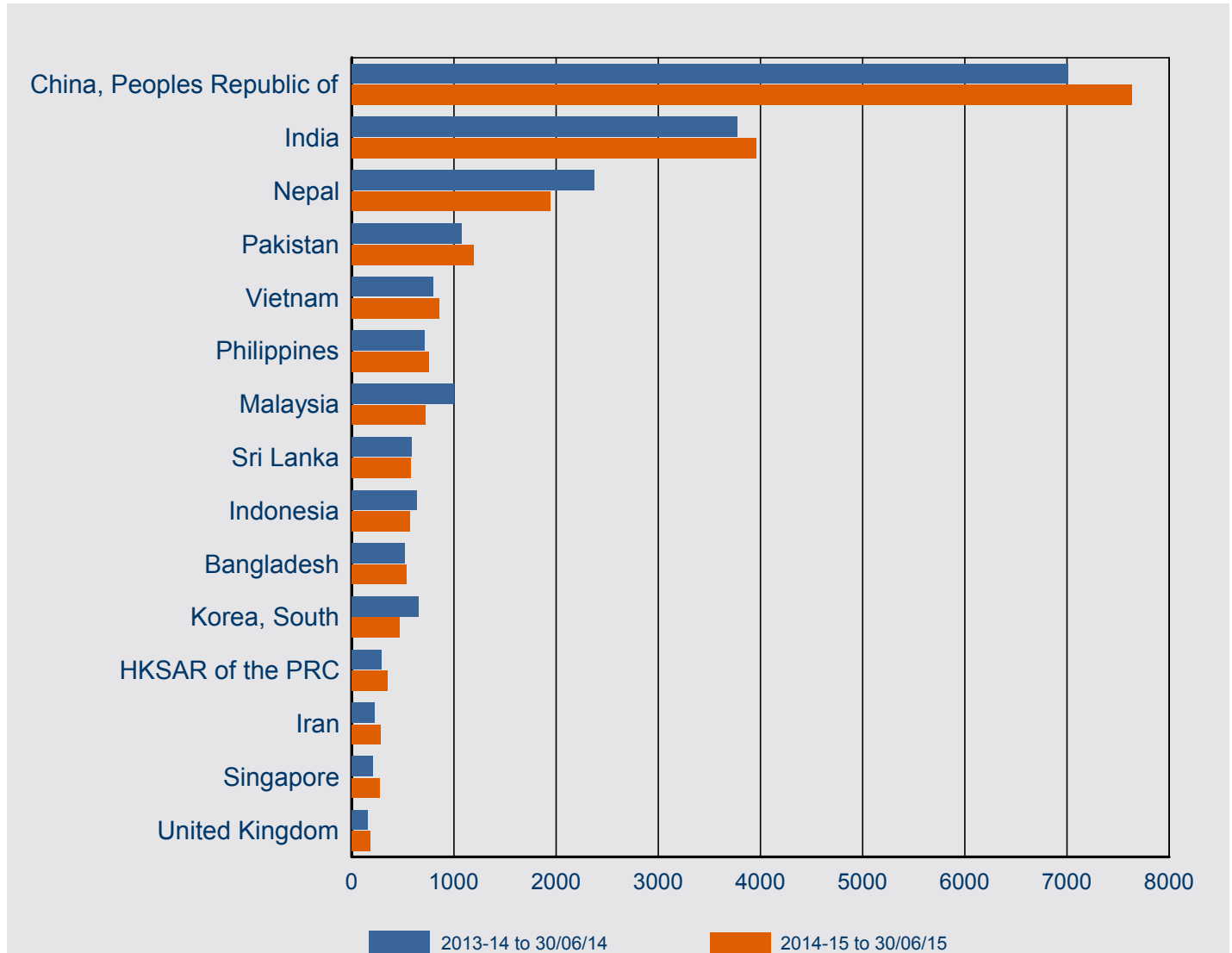
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<b>Graduate Work</b>													
2010-11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011-12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012-13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	<5	34	74	110
2013-14	41	198	567	892	1,768	1,608	1,323	1,428	1,882	1,989	2,187	1,778	15,661
2014-15	1,013	656	966	1,098	1,067	1,036	845	1,067	1,866	1,329	1,649	1,474	14,066
<b>Post-Study Work</b>													
2010-11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2011-12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012-13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2013-14	0	0	<5	8	7	13	41	119	301	319	203	125	1,140
2014-15	125	328	523	777	551	339	472	912	1,627	1,039	1,163	730	8,586
<b>Skilled Graduate</b>													
2010-11	2,345	1,642	1,422	1,616	1,643	1,856	1,384	1,751	1,685	1,451	2,451	2,592	21,838
2011-12	1,484	2,219	2,675	2,965	3,877	3,202	3,475	3,629	3,843	3,746	4,722	4,251	40,088
2012-13	3,589	3,877	3,054	3,323	3,307	3,063	3,677	2,738	2,642	2,389	2,228	1,498	35,385
2013-14	885	1,043	1,022	1,278	673	368	248	188	98	84	95	84	6,066
2014-15	50	31	29	29	20	17	12	11	19	6	12	7	243
<b>All</b>													
2010-11	2,345	1,642	1,422	1,616	1,643	1,856	1,384	1,751	1,685	1,451	2,451	2,592	21,838
2011-12	1,484	2,219	2,675	2,965	3,877	3,202	3,475	3,629	3,843	3,746	4,722	4,251	40,088
2012-13	3,589	3,877	3,054	3,323	3,307	3,063	3,677	2,738	2,643	2,390	2,262	1,572	35,495
2013-14	926	1,241	1,593	2,178	2,448	1,989	1,612	1,735	2,281	2,392	2,485	1,987	22,867
2014-15	1,188	1,015	1,518	1,904	1,638	1,392	1,329	1,990	3,512	2,374	2,824	2,211	22,895

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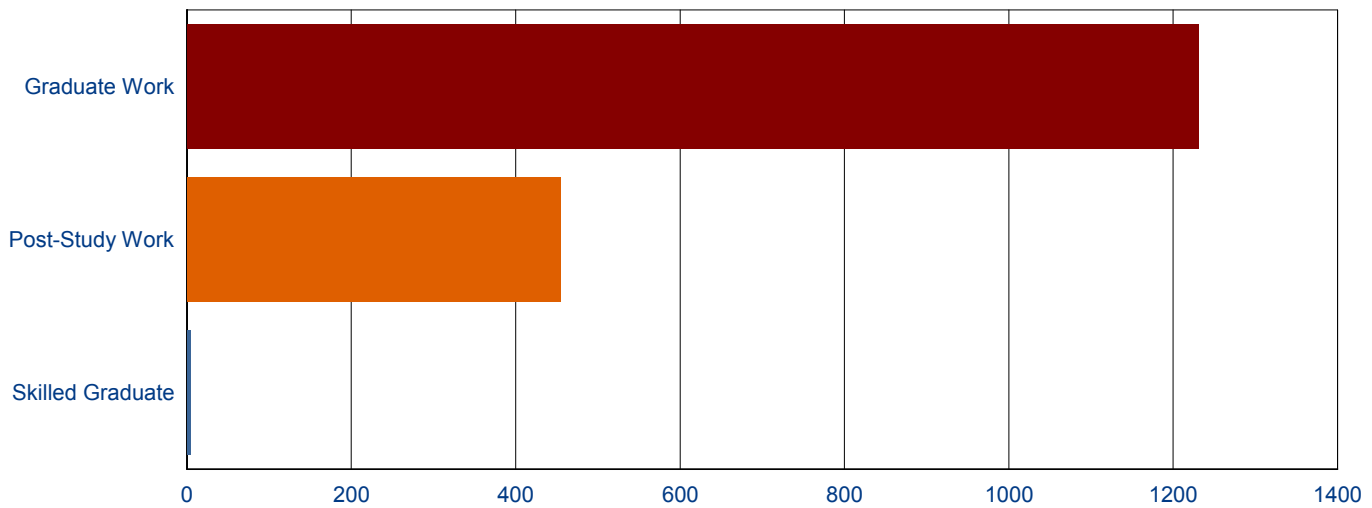
Citizenship Country	2013-14 to 30/06/14	2014-15 to 30/06/15	% Change from 2013-14	2014-15 as % of Total
China, Peoples Republic of	7,006	7,635	9.0%	33.3%
India	3,772	3,960	5.0%	17.3%
Nepal	2,373	1,947	-18.0%	8.5%
Pakistan	1,075	1,194	11.1%	5.2%
Vietnam	793	858	8.2%	3.7%
Philippines	717	759	5.9%	3.3%
Malaysia	1,002	718	-28.3%	3.1%
Sri Lanka	588	580	-1.4%	2.5%
Indonesia	638	572	-10.3%	2.5%
Bangladesh	522	538	3.1%	2.3%
Korea, South	656	467	-28.8%	2.0%
HKSAR of the PRC	287	347	20.9%	1.5%
Iran	224	282	25.9%	1.2%
Singapore	208	274	31.7%	1.2%
United Kingdom	160	184	15.0%	0.8%
Other countries	2,846	2,580	-9.3%	11.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,867</b>	<b>22,895</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 8 Subclass 485 visa - On hand

### 8.07 Number of subclass 485 PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by visa stream - comparison with previous four periods

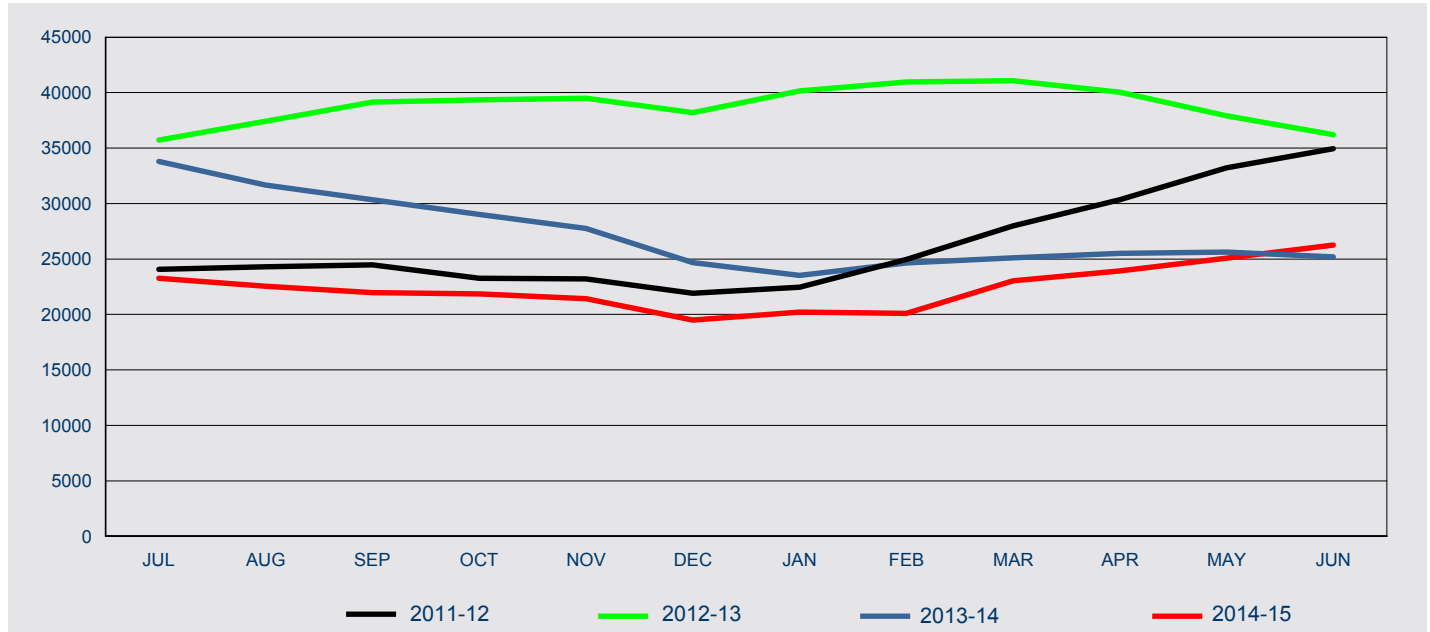
Visa Stream	On hand at 30/06/14	On hand at 30/09/14	On hand at 31/12/14	On hand at 31/03/15	On hand at 30/06/15
Graduate Work	1,451	3,146	1,876	3,225	1,231
Post-Study Work	132	1,377	749	1,978	455
Skilled Graduate	159	72	36	10	< 5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,742</b>	<b>4,595</b>	<b>2,661</b>	<b>5,213</b>	<b>1,690</b>

### 8.08 Number of subclass 485 PRIMARY visa applications on hand at 30 June 2015 by visa stream



## 8 Subclass 485 visa - Visa holders in Australia

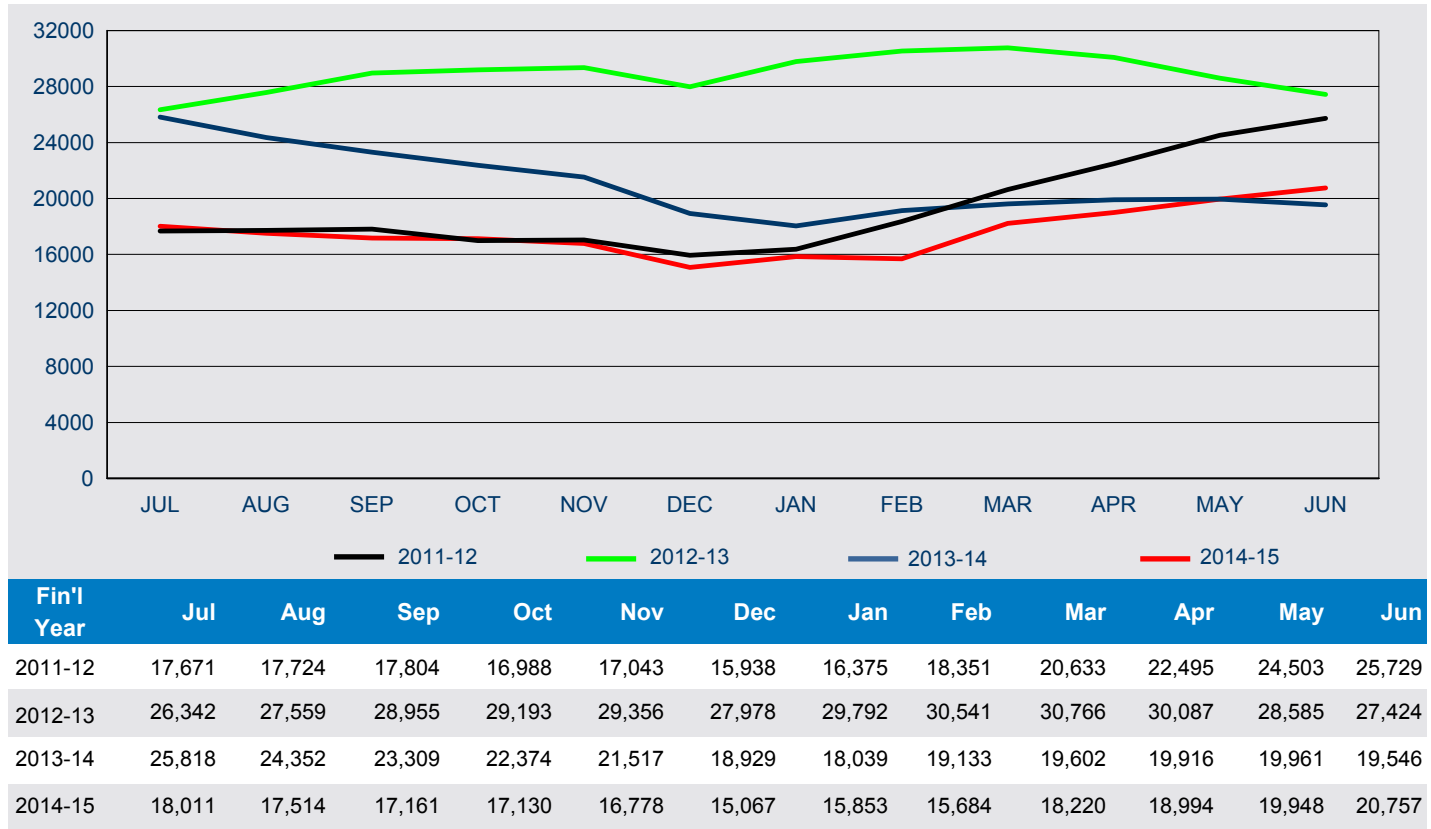
8.09 Number of subclass 485 visa holders at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 by month - comparison with previous three financial years



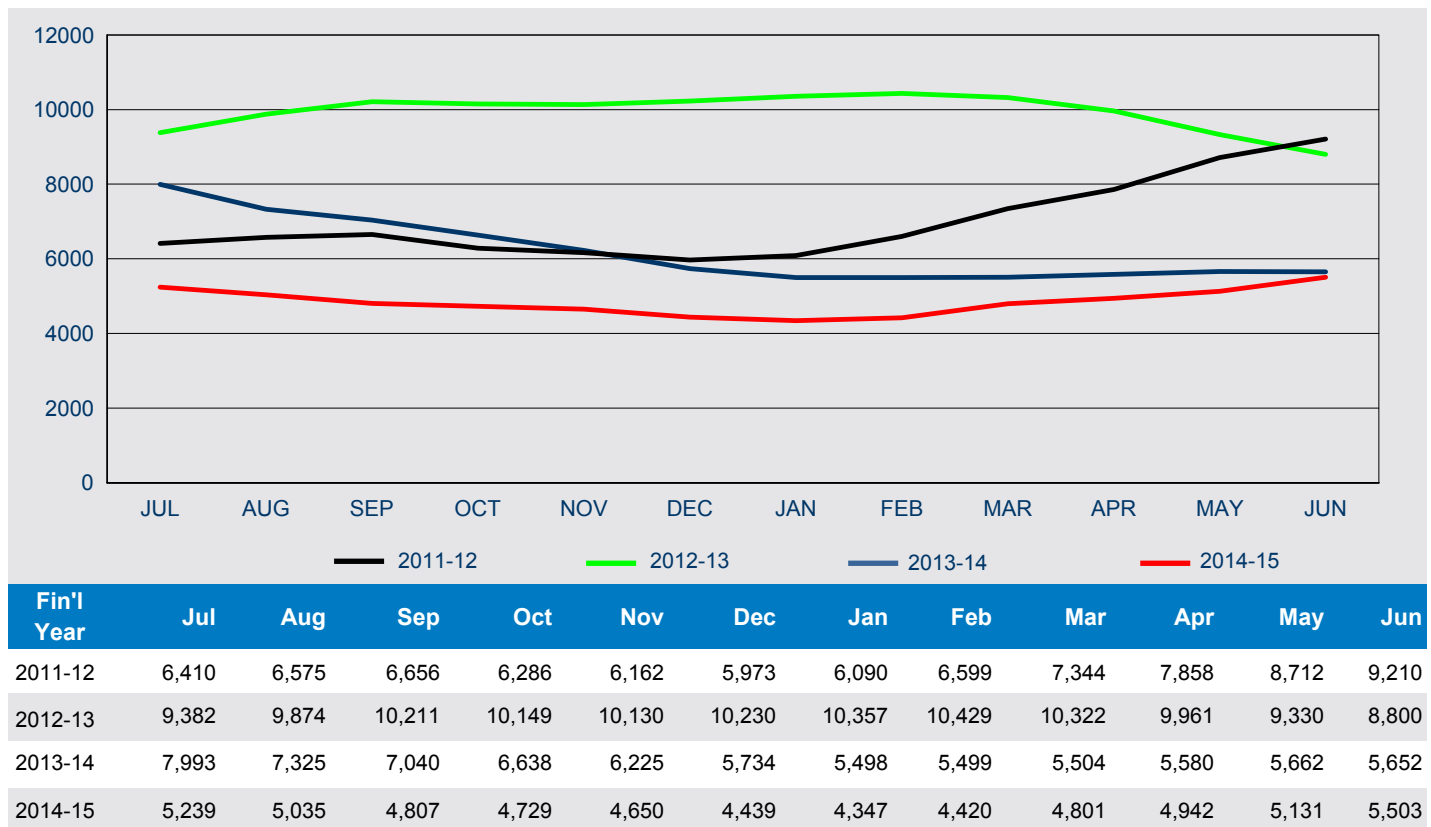
Fin'l Year	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
2011-12	24,081	24,299	24,460	23,274	23,205	21,911	22,465	24,950	27,977	30,353	33,215	34,939
2012-13	35,724	37,433	39,166	39,342	39,486	38,208	40,149	40,970	41,088	40,048	37,915	36,224
2013-14	33,811	31,677	30,349	29,012	27,742	24,663	23,537	24,632	25,106	25,496	25,623	25,198
2014-15	23,250	22,549	21,968	21,859	21,428	19,506	20,200	20,104	23,021	23,936	25,079	26,260

## 8 Subclass 485 visa - Visa holders in Australia

8.10 Number of subclass 485 PRIMARY visa holders in Australia at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 - comparison with previous three financial years



8.11 Number of subclass 485 SECONDARY visa holders in Australia at the end of each month in 2014-15 to 30 June 2015 - comparison with previous three financial years



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