



Freedom of Information request: FA19/09/00306

Q1) How many **pending** 887 visa application are there with DoHA?

Q2) How many 887 visa applications have been **lodged** between July 2018 till December 2018?

Q1

Pending visas	Applicant Type		Total
	Primary	Secondary	
887 Skilled - Regional	3,154	4,724	7,878

Q2

Lodged visas	Applicant Type		Total
	Primary	Secondary	
887 Skilled - Regional	1,068	1,500	2,568

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (BP0001.01) as at 31 August 2019

Q3) How long will take to clear 887 visa applications submitted till December 2018?

Information on processing times for the subclass 887 visa applications are recorded on the Department of Home Affairs website at:

<https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/skilled-regional-887>

Caveats:

1. Visa applications lodged in a given period are not necessarily finalised in the same period.
2. The attached information is provided by the Department of Home Affairs (the Department) and is provided in accordance with the ABF Act, Australian Privacy Principles or other relevant legislation.
3. Where applicable, with regards to Immigration-specific data and as per current privacy guidelines, the Department's policy is to mask numbers which are less than five as <5.
4. State/Territory and Regional Nominated and Business Innovation and Investor Program nomination allocations are set each program year. State and territory governments may nominate skilled and business migrants up to the allocation in these visa categories.