

Visa applications lodged for subclass 132,188, 888 between 31 December 2019 and 31 March 2020 by citizenship and state
Response to FOI request FA 20/02/00926

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-1242 .01)
 Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.
 Note 2: Figures between 1 and 4 are reported as < 5.

Visa Subclass	Visa Group	Citizenship Country	Intended Residence	Total Lodged
132 Business Talent	Significant Business History	Afghanistan	Queensland	11
		Albania	Queensland	< 5
		American Samoa	South Australia	< 5
		Bangladesh	South Australia	37
			Victoria	5
			Queensland	< 5
			New South Wales	< 5
		Belarus	Victoria	< 5
		Brunei Darussalam	South Australia	< 5
		Cambodia	Queensland	9
			New South Wales	< 5
		Canada	South Australia	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
		China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	South Australia	1,748
			Queensland	557
			Western Australia	168
			New South Wales	140
			Victoria	31
			Tasmania	28
			Northern Territory	10
			Australian Capital Territory	< 5
		France	New South Wales	< 5
		Germany, Fed Republic of	Victoria	< 5
		Greece	Victoria	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	South Australia	73
			Queensland	42
			Western Australia	24
			New South Wales	20
			Victoria	< 5
			Northern Territory	< 5
		India	Queensland	17
			Western Australia	10
			New South Wales	9
			South Australia	7
			Australian Capital Territory	< 5
			Northern Territory	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Indonesia	Western Australia	30
			Victoria	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
		Iran	South Australia	17
			New South Wales	9

		Western Australia	6
		Victoria	6
		Queensland	< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	Queensland	< 5
	Italy	South Australia	7
	Japan	South Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Jordan	Queensland	< 5
	Kazakhstan	Queensland	< 5
	Kenya	Western Australia	< 5
	Korea, South	Queensland	20
	Kyrgyzstan	Queensland	6
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Malaysia	Western Australia	84
		South Australia	69
		Queensland	46
		Victoria	< 5
	Myanmar	Tasmania	< 5
	Nepal	South Australia	< 5
		Northern Territory	< 5
	New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5
	Pakistan	Queensland	8
	Papua New Guinea	Queensland	16
		South Australia	< 5
	Poland	Queensland	< 5
	Portugal	Queensland	< 5
	Romania	Western Australia	9
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
	Singapore	Western Australia	11
		Queensland	7
		Victoria	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5
	South Africa	Queensland	41
		Western Australia	25
		New South Wales	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	Sri Lanka	South Australia	18
		Victoria	7
		Queensland	5
		Western Australia	< 5
	St Kitts and Nevis	Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Syrian Arab Republic	Queensland	5
	Taiwan	Queensland	21
		South Australia	6
	Timor-Leste	Queensland	< 5
	Ukraine	Queensland	< 5
	United Kingdom	Queensland	23
		Western Australia	10

		South Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	United States of America	South Australia	18
		Queensland	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Vanuatu	South Australia	< 5
	Vietnam	South Australia	154
		Queensland	152
		New South Wales	49
		Western Australia	41
		Victoria	14
		Tasmania	9
	Yemen, Republic of	Western Australia	< 5
	Zimbabwe	Western Australia	< 5
	Ethiopia	Western Australia	< 5
	Belize	South Australia	< 5

Significant Business History Total	4,041
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Venture Capital Entrepreneur	Cambodia	South Australia	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	South Australia	52
		Victoria	9
		Queensland	9
		New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	South Australia	< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	South Australia	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Queensland	< 5
	South Africa	South Australia	6
	Taiwan	Victoria	< 5
	United Kingdom	South Australia	27
		Queensland	< 5
	United States of America	South Australia	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	10
		South Australia	7

Venture Capital Entrepreneur Total	149
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132 Business Talent Total	4,190
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188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	Business Innovation	Afghanistan	Victoria	53
		Albania	Victoria	< 5
		Antigua and Barbuda	Victoria	6
		Argentina	New South Wales	8
			Victoria	< 5
		Bangladesh	Victoria	138
			New South Wales	132
			South Australia	39
			Australian Capital Territory	17
			Queensland	< 5
		Botswana	Queensland	< 5
		Brazil	Queensland	9
			New South Wales	6

		Victoria	< 5
	Brunei Darussalam	Western Australia	5
		Queensland	< 5
	Bulgaria	New South Wales	< 5
	Cambodia	Western Australia	9
		Victoria	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Canada	New South Wales	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Chile	Victoria	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	2,415
		New South Wales	840
		South Australia	530
		Queensland	518
		Western Australia	166
		Australian Capital Territory	38
		Tasmania	23
		Northern Territory	5
	Colombia	Queensland	< 5
	Cyprus	Queensland	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Denmark	Victoria	< 5
	Egypt	South Australia	8
		Queensland	< 5
	Fiji	Queensland	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	France	New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Germany, Fed Republic of	New South Wales	5
		Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	195
		Queensland	176
		New South Wales	98
		South Australia	31
		Western Australia	25
		Northern Territory	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5
		Australian Capital Territory	< 5
	India	Victoria	166
		New South Wales	117
		Queensland	49
		South Australia	38
		Australian Capital Territory	7
		Western Australia	6
	Indonesia	Victoria	17

		New South Wales	10
		Western Australia	8
	Iran	Victoria	1,247
		New South Wales	269
		Queensland	55
		South Australia	30
		Western Australia	27
		Australian Capital Territory	8
	Iraq	New South Wales	< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Italy	New South Wales	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Japan	Queensland	10
		Victoria	< 5
	Jordan	Queensland	6
	Kazakhstan	Victoria	< 5
	Kenya	Western Australia	15
		Victoria	15
	Korea, South	Queensland	47
		New South Wales	20
		Victoria	16
		South Australia	11
	Latvia	Queensland	< 5
	Lebanon	South Australia	5
		Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Lesotho	Queensland	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	12
		Queensland	< 5
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Malaysia	South Australia	42
		Victoria	37
		Queensland	28
		Western Australia	27
		New South Wales	15
		Tasmania	5
		Northern Territory	5
	Mozambique	Queensland	< 5
	Namibia	Western Australia	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Nepal	Northern Territory	21
	Netherlands, Kingdom of The	Western Australia	7
		Victoria	5
	New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5
	Pakistan	Victoria	144
		New South Wales	23
		Western Australia	5
		Queensland	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5

		South Australia	< 5
	Palestinian Authority	Victoria	< 5
	Papua New Guinea	Queensland	21
		Victoria	< 5
	Philippines	Victoria	11
	Poland	Queensland	7
		Victoria	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Portugal	Queensland	5
		Victoria	5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Romania	Western Australia	< 5
	Russian Federation	Victoria	6
		South Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Singapore	Victoria	22
		Western Australia	13
		New South Wales	8
	South Africa	Queensland	131
		Western Australia	61
		New South Wales	31
		Victoria	10
		South Australia	< 5
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Sri Lanka	Victoria	99
		Queensland	36
		South Australia	20
		Western Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Sweden	Victoria	< 5
	Switzerland	Victoria	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5
	Syrian Arab Republic	New South Wales	< 5
	Taiwan	Queensland	19
		Victoria	11
		New South Wales	6
	Tanzania	Victoria	< 5
	Turkey	Victoria	< 5
	Uganda	Victoria	< 5
	Ukraine	Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	United Kingdom	Western Australia	28
		New South Wales	22
		Queensland	16
		Victoria	14
		South Australia	7
		Tasmania	< 5
	United States of America	Victoria	25
		New South Wales	22

		Queensland	7
		South Australia	7
		Western Australia	< 5
	Vanuatu	New South Wales	6
	Venezuela	Victoria	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	408
		New South Wales	205
		Queensland	158
		South Australia	107
		Western Australia	50
		Australian Capital Territory	7
		Tasmania	< 5
	Yemen, Republic of	New South Wales	6
	Zimbabwe	Western Australia	< 5
	Ethiopia	Western Australia	5
	Not Specified	Victoria	12
		New South Wales	< 5
		Queensland	< 5

Business Innovation Total			9,900
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Business Innovation Extension	Bangladesh	Victoria	14
		Western Australia	11
		New South Wales	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	177
		New South Wales	24
		Queensland	21
		South Australia	19
		Western Australia	6
		Not Specified	6
	Egypt	Victoria	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	9
		New South Wales	5
		Queensland	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	India	Victoria	9
		Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Indonesia	Western Australia	< 5
	Iran	Victoria	52
		Western Australia	15
		New South Wales	7
		Queensland	< 5
	Kenya	Western Australia	< 5
	Lebanon	New South Wales	< 5
	Malaysia	Victoria	18
		Western Australia	7
	Pakistan	Victoria	12
	Solomon Islands	Victoria	5
	South Africa	Victoria	5
	Taiwan	South Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5

	Ukraine	Queensland	< 5
	United Kingdom	South Australia	9
	United States of America	Western Australia	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	Uzbekistan	Western Australia	< 5
	Vietnam	Western Australia	9
		Victoria	6
		New South Wales	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5

Business Innovation Extension Total			496
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Business Skills	Bangladesh	Victoria	< 5
	Canada	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	70
		New South Wales	19
		Queensland	9
		South Australia	7
		Western Australia	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	6
		New South Wales	< 5
	India	Victoria	< 5
	Indonesia	Victoria	< 5
	Iran	Victoria	< 5
	Korea, South	Victoria	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
	Malaysia	Western Australia	< 5
	Pakistan	Victoria	24
	Philippines	Queensland	< 5
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
	Singapore	Victoria	< 5
	South Africa	Victoria	< 5
	Taiwan	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	United States of America	Victoria	7
		New South Wales	5
		Queensland	< 5
	Vietnam	New South Wales	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5

Business Skills Total			174
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Entrepreneur	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	South Australia	11
		New South Wales	10
		Victoria	5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Tasmania	< 5
	India	South Australia	< 5
	Lithuania	New South Wales	< 5
	Netherlands, Kingdom of The	Queensland	< 5
	Russian Federation	Victoria	< 5
	Ukraine	New South Wales	< 5
	United Kingdom	New South Wales	< 5

Entrepreneur Total 41

Investor	Argentina	Victoria	< 5
	Bangladesh	New South Wales	19
		Victoria	18
		South Australia	7
	Brazil	New South Wales	10
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Brunei Darussalam	Western Australia	5
		South Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Bulgaria	Victoria	< 5
	Cambodia	New South Wales	21
		Western Australia	19
		Victoria	7
		South Australia	< 5
	Canada	New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Chile	Queensland	5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	945
		New South Wales	559
		Queensland	264
		South Australia	162
		Western Australia	75
		Tasmania	7
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Ecuador	Victoria	< 5
	Fiji	Queensland	< 5
	France	New South Wales	6
		Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	Germany, Fed Republic of	Queensland	5
		New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Grenada	New South Wales	< 5
	Guinea-Bissau	South Australia	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	399
		New South Wales	345
		Queensland	177
		South Australia	71
		Western Australia	53
	India	New South Wales	32
		Victoria	18
		Western Australia	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Indonesia	Victoria	26
		New South Wales	12
		Western Australia	9
	Iran	Victoria	< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	New South Wales	8

	Italy	Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	Japan	Victoria	5
		Queensland	< 5
	Jordan	Queensland	5
	Kazakhstan	Queensland	5
	Kenya	Western Australia	< 5
	Korea, South	Queensland	33
		New South Wales	10
	Lebanon	New South Wales	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	12
		South Australia	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Malaysia	Western Australia	40
		Victoria	23
		New South Wales	17
		Queensland	5
		South Australia	< 5
	Malta	New South Wales	< 5
	Mexico	Queensland	< 5
	Namibia	Tasmania	< 5
	New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5
	Not Specified	New South Wales	< 5
	Pakistan	Queensland	8
		New South Wales	< 5
	Philippines	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Poland	New South Wales	< 5
	Portugal	Western Australia	< 5
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	6
	Singapore	Victoria	15
		South Australia	9
		New South Wales	5
		Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	South Africa	Queensland	56
		New South Wales	30
		Western Australia	16
		Victoria	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5
	Sri Lanka	Victoria	17
	Sudan	New South Wales	< 5
	Sweden	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Switzerland	Queensland	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Taiwan	Queensland	46
		Victoria	26
		Western Australia	< 5

		New South Wales	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	Thailand	Western Australia	6
	United Kingdom	New South Wales	17
		Queensland	12
		Western Australia	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	United States of America	Victoria	17
		New South Wales	12
		Queensland	11
		South Australia	< 5
		Tasmania	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	230
		New South Wales	190
		South Australia	111
		Queensland	101
		Western Australia	59
		Tasmania	9
	Zimbabwe	Queensland	< 5
	Costa Rica	New South Wales	< 5
	Malawi	Queensland	< 5
	Dominican Republic	Victoria	< 5
Investor Total			4,597
Significant Investor	Antigua and Barbuda	Queensland	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Bangladesh	Victoria	7
	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Victoria	< 5
	Cambodia	New South Wales	5
		Victoria	< 5
	Canada	Victoria	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	573
		Victoria	510
		Queensland	57
		South Australia	43
		Western Australia	16
	Dominica	Western Australia	< 5
	France	Queensland	6
		Western Australia	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	190
		Victoria	106
		Queensland	16
		South Australia	6
		Western Australia	< 5
	Indonesia	New South Wales	8
		Victoria	< 5
	Ireland, Republic of	New South Wales	< 5
	Israel	New South Wales	< 5

	Italy	Not Specified	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Japan	New South Wales	12
	Kenya	Queensland	< 5
	Korea, South	Queensland	< 5
	Lithuania	New South Wales	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	13
		New South Wales	8
		Western Australia	5
	Malaysia	Western Australia	9
		Victoria	7
		New South Wales	5
		Queensland	< 5
	Netherlands, Kingdom of The	New South Wales	< 5
	Pakistan	Queensland	7
		New South Wales	< 5
	Philippines	Western Australia	6
	Poland	New South Wales	< 5
	Portugal	Victoria	6
		Queensland	< 5
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
	Serbia	Victoria	< 5
	Singapore	Western Australia	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	South Africa	Queensland	10
		Victoria	6
		New South Wales	6
		Western Australia	< 5
		Not Specified	< 5
	Sri Lanka	New South Wales	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	St Kitts and Nevis	New South Wales	6
		Queensland	5
		Victoria	< 5
	Taiwan	Victoria	10
		New South Wales	5
	Thailand	New South Wales	5
		Western Australia	3
	United Kingdom	New South Wales	12
		Victoria	5
		Queensland	5
	United States of America	New South Wales	10
		Victoria	6
		South Australia	< 5
	Vanuatu	Victoria	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	34
		New South Wales	30
		Queensland	8
		Western Australia	< 5
	Belize	New South Wales	< 5

Significant Investor Total				1,855
Significant Investor Extension	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria		154
		New South Wales		46
		Queensland		6
		Western Australia		5
	Cyprus	Victoria		< 5
	France	New South Wales		< 5
	Germany, Fed Republic of	Queensland		< 5
		New South Wales		< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria		8
		New South Wales		7
	Indonesia	Victoria		< 5
	Japan	New South Wales		< 5
	Kazakhstan	Queensland		< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria		< 5
	Malaysia	Victoria		14
		New South Wales		< 5
		Queensland		< 5
	Netherlands, Kingdom of The	New South Wales		< 5
	Singapore	Western Australia		< 5
		New South Wales		< 5
	South Africa	New South Wales		8
		Western Australia		< 5
		Queensland		< 5
	Switzerland	New South Wales		< 5
	Thailand	New South Wales		< 5
	United Kingdom	Victoria		< 5
		Queensland		< 5
	United States of America	Queensland		< 5
		New South Wales		< 5
	Vietnam	New South Wales		< 5
	Not Specified	Victoria		< 5
		New South Wales		< 5
Significant Investor Extension Total				303
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) Total				17,366
888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent)	Business Innovation	Afghanistan	Victoria	< 5
		Argentina	Victoria	23
		Bangladesh	Victoria	39
			New South Wales	11
			Western Australia	< 5
			South Australia	< 5
		Brazil	Victoria	< 5
		Cambodia	New South Wales	6
		Canada	Victoria	< 5
		Chile	Victoria	< 5
		China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	2,517
			New South Wales	188
			South Australia	94
			Queensland	84
			Western Australia	52

	Germany, Fed Republic of	Victoria	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	68
		New South Wales	8
		Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Hungary	New South Wales	< 5
	India	Victoria	24
		Queensland	16
		Western Australia	7
		New South Wales	< 5
	Indonesia	Victoria	10
		Western Australia	5
	Iran	Victoria	122
		South Australia	20
		New South Wales	13
		Western Australia	6
		Queensland	5
	Japan	Victoria	< 5
	Jordan	New South Wales	6
	Kenya	Western Australia	26
		New South Wales	< 5
	Korea, South	Queensland	7
		New South Wales	5
	Lebanon	Victoria	15
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	< 5
	Malaysia	Victoria	93
		Western Australia	66
		South Australia	18
		New South Wales	14
		Queensland	10
	Myanmar	Victoria	9
	New Zealand	Queensland	9
		Victoria	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	North Macedonia	New South Wales	< 5
	Pakistan	Victoria	11
	Philippines	Western Australia	7
	Romania	New South Wales	< 5
	Russian Federation	Victoria	9
		New South Wales	< 5
	Singapore	Western Australia	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
		Northern Territory	< 5
	Solomon Islands	Victoria	5
	South Africa	Queensland	8
		Western Australia	6
	Sri Lanka	Victoria	13
	Taiwan	Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	< 5

	Ukraine	Queensland	< 5
	United Kingdom	Victoria	8
		Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
	United States of America	Victoria	8
		New South Wales	7
		South Australia	6
	Venezuela	Western Australia	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	97
		New South Wales	16
		South Australia	12
		Western Australia	5
		Australian Capital Territory	< 5
	Not Specified	Victoria	< 5
Business Innovation Total			3,912
Investor	Cambodia	Victoria	5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	96
		Queensland	25
		New South Wales	23
		South Australia	13
		Western Australia	7
	Germany, Fed Republic of	Victoria	< 5
	Greece	Queensland	6
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	14
		New South Wales	6
		Tasmania	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	India	South Australia	< 5
	Indonesia	New South Wales	< 5
	Iran	Victoria	< 5
	Iraq	Victoria	< 5
	Israel	Victoria	5
	Japan	Queensland	8
		New South Wales	< 5
	Korea, South	Queensland	< 5
	Libya	Western Australia	10
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	5
		South Australia	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
	Malaysia	Victoria	65
		Western Australia	33
		South Australia	12
		Queensland	< 5
	New Zealand	Victoria	< 5
	Portugal	New South Wales	< 5
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Singapore	Victoria	18
	South Africa	Queensland	6

	Taiwan	Queensland	20
		Victoria	18
	United Kingdom	Queensland	6
		Western Australia	5
		New South Wales	< 5
	Vietnam	Victoria	46
		New South Wales	14
		Queensland	< 5
Investor Total			516
Significant Investor	Cambodia	Victoria	11
		New South Wales	5
	Canada	Victoria	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5
	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	1,148
		New South Wales	569
		Queensland	64
		Western Australia	29
		South Australia	21
		Tasmania	< 5
		Australian Capital Territory	< 5
	Dominica	Victoria	< 5
	Grenada	Victoria	< 5
	Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	56
		New South Wales	49
		Queensland	8
		Western Australia	< 5
		Australian Capital Territory	< 5
	Hungary	Western Australia	< 5
	Italy	Victoria	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Japan	New South Wales	< 5
	Kenya	Victoria	5
	Korea, South	Queensland	< 5
	Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	7
		Victoria	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
		Queensland	< 5
	Malaysia	Victoria	16
		Western Australia	8
		Queensland	7
		South Australia	6
		New South Wales	< 5
	New Zealand	Victoria	< 5
	Romania	Victoria	< 5
	Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
	Singapore	New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	South Africa	Western Australia	7
		Queensland	< 5
	Sri Lanka	Victoria	< 5

	Taiwan	Queensland	5
		Victoria	< 5
	Thailand	New South Wales	9
	Timor-Leste	Victoria	7
	United Kingdom	Victoria	6
		Western Australia	< 5
	United States of America	Victoria	5
		New South Wales	5
	Vanuatu	Victoria	5
	Vietnam	Victoria	18
		New South Wales	9
	Not Specified	Victoria	< 5
		New South Wales	< 5

Significant Investor Total			2,143
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888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) Total			6,571
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Visa applications granted, refused for subclass 132,188, 888 between 31 December 2019 and 31 March 2020 by citizenship and state
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-1242 .02)
 Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.
 Note 2: Figures between 1 and 4 are reported as < 5.

Outcome	Visa Subclass	Visa Group	Citizenship Country	Intended Residence	Total Processed
Granted	132 Business Talent	Significant Business History	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	78
				Queensland	250
				South Australia	795
				Tasmania	11
				Victoria	34
				Western Australia	71
			Vietnam	New South Wales	26
				Queensland	84
				South Australia	26
				Victoria	7
				Western Australia	12
			Malaysia	New South Wales	< 5
				South Australia	59
				Western Australia	64
			Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
				Queensland	10
				South Australia	22
				Victoria	< 5
				Western Australia	6
			Bangladesh	South Australia	23
			South Africa	Queensland	13
				Western Australia	8
			Iran	New South Wales	< 5
				South Australia	< 5
				Western Australia	8
			India	New South Wales	< 5
				Queensland	10
			Taiwan	New South Wales	< 5
				Queensland	< 5
				Western Australia	6
			Pakistan	New South Wales	6
				Victoria	< 5
			Singapore	New South Wales	< 5
				Western Australia	5
			United States of America	Queensland	< 5
				South Australia	< 5
				Western Australia	< 5
			Macau (SAR of the PRC)	South Australia	7
			Cambodia	South Australia	< 5
				Victoria	5
			Italy	New South Wales	5
			Indonesia	Western Australia	5

		Yemen, Republic of	Queensland	5
		France	Queensland	< 5
		Germany, Fed Republic of	New South Wales	< 5
		Kenya	New South Wales	< 5
		Thailand	Western Australia	< 5
		Canada	South Australia	< 5
		United Kingdom	New South Wales	< 5
		Russian Federation	New South Wales	< 5
		Syrian Arab Republic	Queensland	< 5
		Zimbabwe	Queensland	< 5
		Myanmar	New South Wales	< 5
		New Zealand	South Australia	< 5
Significant Business History Total				1,718
	Venture Capital Entrepreneur	Turkey	Victoria	< 5
		China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	< 5
Venture Capital Entrepreneur Total				8
132 Business Talent Total				1,726
188 Business Innovation and Investment	Business Innovation	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Australian Capital Territory	< 5
			New South Wales	426
			Not Specified	< 5
			Queensland	221
			South Australia	115
			Tasmania	9
			Victoria	2,204
			Western Australia	52
		Iran	New South Wales	43
			Not Specified	< 5
			Queensland	21
			South Australia	20
			Victoria	228
			Western Australia	16
		Vietnam	Australian Capital Territory	< 5
			New South Wales	38
			Queensland	25
			South Australia	12
			Tasmania	8
			Victoria	147
			Western Australia	20
		Malaysia	Queensland	14
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	41
			Western Australia	42
		India	New South Wales	19
			Queensland	15
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	53
			Western Australia	8
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	21
			Queensland	9
			South Australia	5

		Tasmania	< 5
		Victoria	60
		Western Australia	< 5
	Bangladesh	New South Wales	11
		Queensland	< 5
		South Australia	< 5
		Victoria	63
	Pakistan	New South Wales	5
		Queensland	5
		Victoria	27
	United States of America	Australian Capital Territory	< 5
		New South Wales	7
		Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	26
		Western Australia	< 5
	South Africa	New South Wales	18
		Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	< 5
		Western Australia	11
	United Kingdom	New South Wales	6
		Queensland	9
		Victoria	8
		Western Australia	6
	Sri Lanka	Victoria	28
	Singapore	Queensland	< 5
		Victoria	11
		Western Australia	9
	Taiwan	Queensland	8
		Victoria	9
	Indonesia	New South Wales	7
		Victoria	5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Korea, South	New South Wales	< 5
		Queensland	8
		Victoria	< 5
	Afghanistan	New South Wales	< 5
		Victoria	5
		Western Australia	6
	Netherlands, Kingdom of The	New South Wales	6
		Victoria	6
	Egypt	New South Wales	5
		Victoria	5
	Argentina	New South Wales	5
		Victoria	< 5
	Timor-Leste	Victoria	6
	Sweden	New South Wales	6
	Italy	New South Wales	< 5
		Western Australia	< 5
	Grenada	New South Wales	5
	Solomon Islands	New South Wales	5

		Mexico	Queensland	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Iraq	New South Wales	5
		Kenya	Western Australia	5
		Ireland, Republic of	Victoria	< 5
		Fiji	Victoria	< 5
		Nepal	Western Australia	< 5
		Canada	Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Bosnia and Herzegovina	Victoria	< 5
		Botswana	Victoria	< 5
		Lebanon	South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Philippines	Western Australia	< 5
		Dominica	New South Wales	< 5
		Dominican Republic	New South Wales	< 5
		Vanuatu	Australian Capital Territory	< 5
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	< 5
		Myanmar	Victoria	< 5
		Peru	Western Australia	< 5

Business Innovation Total				4,355
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	Business Innovation Extension	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	9
			Not Specified	6
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	66
		Iran	Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	20
			Western Australia	9
		Vietnam	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	6
		Bangladesh	New South Wales	5
		United States of America	Victoria	< 5
		South Africa	Victoria	< 5
		Lebanon	New South Wales	< 5

Business Innovation Extension Total				129
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	Business Skills	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	19
			Queensland	8
			South Australia	5
			Victoria	63
			Western Australia	< 5
		Pakistan	Victoria	13
		United States of America	New South Wales	5
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Canada	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Iran	Victoria	< 5
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5

			Queensland	< 5
		Vietnam	Queensland	< 5
		Philippines	Queensland	< 5
		Bangladesh	Western Australia	< 5
		Singapore	Victoria	< 5
		Indonesia	Victoria	< 5
		India	Victoria	< 5
		Malaysia	Western Australia	< 5
		Korea, South	Victoria	< 5
Business Skills Total				144
	Entrepreneur	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Queensland	7
		Netherlands, Kingdom of The	Queensland	< 5
		Ukraine	New South Wales	< 5
		Vietnam	Victoria	< 5
		United Kingdom	New South Wales	< 5
Entrepreneur Total				23
	Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	118
			Queensland	66
			South Australia	15
			Victoria	328
			Western Australia	9
		Vietnam	New South Wales	48
			Queensland	26
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	138
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	26
			Queensland	25
			Victoria	33
			Western Australia	< 5
		Malaysia	New South Wales	6
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	19
			Western Australia	18
		Taiwan	Queensland	32
			Victoria	11
		South Africa	New South Wales	12
			Queensland	18
			Victoria	5
			Western Australia	6
		Indonesia	New South Wales	7
			Victoria	10
			Western Australia	< 5
		United Kingdom	New South Wales	8
			Queensland	7
			Victoria	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5

		Cambodia	New South Wales	5
			Victoria	6
			Western Australia	6
		Singapore	Victoria	10
			Western Australia	< 5
		United States of America	New South Wales	10
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Afghanistan	Victoria	12
		India	Victoria	6
			Western Australia	< 5
		Iran	Victoria	9
		Russian Federation	Queensland	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Japan	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
		Korea, South	Queensland	5
			Tasmania	< 5
		Germany, Fed Republic of	Queensland	< 5
			South Australia	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Botswana	Victoria	5
		France	New South Wales	5
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	< 5
		Turkey	Victoria	< 5
		Sri Lanka	Victoria	< 5
		Bangladesh	New South Wales	< 5
		Ireland, Republic of	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
		Portugal	New South Wales	< 5
		Italy	Western Australia	< 5
		Comoros	Victoria	< 5
		Thailand	New South Wales	< 5
Investor Total				1,141
	Significant Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	236
			Not Specified	< 5
			Queensland	31
			South Australia	6
			Victoria	192
			Western Australia	14
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Australian Capital Territory	< 5
			New South Wales	30
			Not Specified	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	21
		Vietnam	New South Wales	13
			Queensland	7
			Victoria	9
			Western Australia	< 5
		Malaysia	New South Wales	< 5

			Victoria	7
			Western Australia	18
		United Kingdom	New South Wales	6
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	9
		South Africa	Victoria	7
			Western Australia	< 5
		Japan	New South Wales	8
		Singapore	New South Wales	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		United States of America	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Italy	Not Specified	< 5
		Taiwan	Victoria	< 5
		Vanuatu	Queensland	< 5
		Cambodia	Western Australia	< 5
		Timor-Leste	Victoria	< 5
		Thailand	Western Australia	< 5
		Serbia	Victoria	< 5
		France	Western Australia	< 5
		Canada	New South Wales	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Germany, Fed Republic of	Queensland	< 5
		Indonesia	Victoria	< 5
		St Kitts and Nevis	Victoria	< 5
		Ireland, Republic of	New South Wales	< 5
		Lithuania	New South Wales	< 5
		Dominica	Western Australia	< 5
		Poland	New South Wales	< 5
		Portugal	Victoria	< 5
Significant Investor Total				694
	Significant Investor Extension	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	21
			Queensland	11
			Victoria	50
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	7
		South Africa	Queensland	< 5
		Singapore	New South Wales	< 5
		Japan	New South Wales	< 5
Significant Investor Extension Total				97
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) Total				6,583
888 Business Innovation and Investment	Business Innovation	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	20
			Queensland	< 5
			South Australia	26
			Tasmania	< 5
			Victoria	1,002
			Western Australia	37
		Vietnam	New South Wales	< 5

			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	32
			Western Australia	< 5
		Malaysia	Victoria	< 5
			Western Australia	36
		Iran	South Australia	11
			Victoria	8
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	11
			Western Australia	< 5
		United Kingdom	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	5
			Western Australia	8
		Taiwan	Queensland	5
			South Australia	< 5
		South Africa	New South Wales	< 5
			Western Australia	5
		Indonesia	Western Australia	5
		Switzerland	Queensland	< 5
		Singapore	Victoria	< 5
		Argentina	Victoria	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Bangladesh	Victoria	< 5
		Pakistan	New South Wales	< 5
		Uzbekistan	South Australia	< 5
		Germany, Fed Republic of	New South Wales	< 5
		Colombia	Victoria	< 5
		Turkey	Victoria	< 5
		New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5

Business Innovation Total

1,268

	Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Victoria	14
		Malaysia	Victoria	8
			Western Australia	5
		Singapore	Queensland	< 5
			Western Australia	6
		Japan	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Switzerland	Victoria	< 5
		Indonesia	Western Australia	< 5
		Vietnam	New South Wales	< 5
		Korea, South	Queensland	< 5
		United Kingdom	Victoria	< 5
		Myanmar	Victoria	< 5

Investor Total

65

	Significant Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	218
			Queensland	13
			South Australia	9
			Victoria	390
			Western Australia	5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	6
			Queensland	< 5

			South Australia	< 5		
			Victoria	6		
		Malaysia	Victoria	9		
		Israel	Queensland	5		
		South Africa	New South Wales	< 5		
			Western Australia	< 5		
		Korea, South	Queensland	< 5		
		United States of America	Victoria	< 5		
		Japan	Victoria	< 5		
		Russian Federation	Queensland	< 5		
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5		
		Taiwan	Victoria	< 5		
		Germany, Fed Republic of	New South Wales	< 5		
		Canada	Victoria	< 5		
		New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5		
Significant Investor Total				677		
888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) Total				2,010		
Granted Total				10,319		
Refused	132 Business Talent	Significant Business History	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	22	
				Queensland	63	
				South Australia	128	
				Victoria	8	
				Western Australia	14	
			South Africa	Queensland	19	
			Vietnam	Queensland	9	
				Western Australia	< 5	
			Bangladesh	Queensland	5	
				South Australia	< 5	
			Iran	New South Wales	< 5	
				South Australia	< 5	
				Western Australia	< 5	
			Pakistan	South Australia	5	
			India	New South Wales	5	
			Malaysia	Western Australia	5	
			Nepal	Western Australia	< 5	
			Singapore	Northern Territory	< 5	
			Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5	
				Queensland	< 5	
				South Australia	< 5	
			Philippines	Queensland	< 5	
			Namibia	Queensland	< 5	
			Canada	South Australia	< 5	
			United States of America	South Australia	< 5	
				Western Australia	< 5	
			United Kingdom	Queensland	< 5	
	Significant Business History Total				321	
			Venture Capital Entrepreneur	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	6
					Queensland	< 5
				South Australia	7	
Venture Capital Entrepreneur Total				15		

132 Business Talent Total				336
188 Business Innovation and Investment	Business Innovation	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Australian Capital Territory	10
			New South Wales	61
			Northern Territory	< 5
			Not Specified	6
			Queensland	43
			South Australia	30
			Victoria	229
			Western Australia	13
		Iran	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	16
			South Australia	11
			Victoria	75
			Western Australia	< 5
		Bangladesh	New South Wales	6
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	55
		Vietnam	Victoria	40
			Western Australia	5
		Pakistan	New South Wales	8
			Queensland	< 5
			South Australia	21
			Victoria	12
			Western Australia	< 5
		India	New South Wales	8
			Queensland	5
			Victoria	9
			Western Australia	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	5
			Victoria	9
			Western Australia	< 5
		Cambodia	Victoria	17
		Afghanistan	Victoria	17
		Malaysia	Victoria	9
			Western Australia	7
		Singapore	Western Australia	9
		Indonesia	Victoria	6
			Western Australia	< 5
		South Africa	Northern Territory	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
		Cameroon	Victoria	6
		Taiwan	Queensland	5
		Macau (SAR of the PRC)	Queensland	< 5
		Iraq	Victoria	< 5
		United States of America	South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Turkey	Queensland	< 5
		Eswatini	Queensland	< 5
		Italy	Queensland	< 5

		Venezuela	Queensland	< 5
		United Kingdom	Queensland	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Canada	Victoria	< 5
		Finland	South Australia	< 5
		Lao Peoples Dem Republic	Victoria	< 5
		Kenya	Western Australia	< 5
		Colombia	Queensland	< 5
		Sri Lanka	Victoria	< 5
		Brazil	Queensland	< 5
		Not Specified	Western Australia	< 5
Business Innovation Total				823
	Business Innovation Extension	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	7
			Victoria	22
		Iran	Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	9
			Western Australia	4
		Bangladesh	Western Australia	7
		Singapore	South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Pakistan	Victoria	< 5
		Egypt	Victoria	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Japan	South Australia	< 5
		Argentina	Victoria	< 5
		Vietnam	Victoria	< 5
		United Kingdom	South Australia	< 5
Business Innovation Extension Total				75
	Business Skills	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Pakistan	Victoria	< 5
Business Skills Total				10
	Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	30
			Queensland	41
			Tasmania	< 5
			Victoria	141
			Western Australia	< 5
		Vietnam	New South Wales	8
			Queensland	17
			Victoria	13
		Cambodia	New South Wales	< 5
			Queensland	9
			Western Australia	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	6
			Queensland	5
			Victoria	< 5
		Malaysia	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	7

			Western Australia	< 5
		Taiwan	Queensland	8
		Singapore	Western Australia	7
		Iran	Victoria	6
		Bangladesh	Victoria	5
		Brunei Darussalam	Western Australia	5
		India	Queensland	< 5
			Western Australia	< 5
		Kuwait	New South Wales	5
		Pakistan	New South Wales	< 5
		United States of America	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Korea, South	Queensland	< 5
		Japan	Queensland	< 5
		South Africa	Western Australia	< 5
		Thailand	New South Wales	< 5
		United Arab Emirates	New South Wales	< 5
		United Kingdom	Western Australia	< 5
		Iraq	New South Wales	< 5
		Not Specified	New South Wales	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
Investor Total				366
	Significant Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	53
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	29
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	New South Wales	10
		Vietnam	Queensland	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Papua New Guinea	Queensland	5
		Cambodia	Queensland	< 5
		Poland	Western Australia	< 5
		Malaysia	Western Australia	< 5
Significant Investor Total				115
	Significant Investor Extension	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	< 5
		Sweden	New South Wales	< 5
		Italy	New South Wales	< 5
Significant Investor Extension Total				7
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) Total				1,396
888 Business Innovation and Investment	Business Innovation	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	Queensland	7
			Victoria	14
		Iran	New South Wales	< 5
			South Australia	< 5
			Victoria	14
		Bangladesh	Victoria	8
		Korea, South	Western Australia	5
		Bosnia and Herzegovina	Victoria	< 5
		Vietnam	Victoria	< 5
		South Africa	Tasmania	< 5
		India	Victoria	< 5

		Afghanistan	Victoria	< 5
		Pakistan	Queensland	< 5
		Japan	Queensland	< 5
		Taiwan	Queensland	< 5
		New Zealand	New South Wales	< 5
Business Innovation Total				82
	Significant Investor	China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	New South Wales	11
			Victoria	< 5
		Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	Victoria	6
		Taiwan	Queensland	< 5
		Malaysia	Western Australia	< 5
Significant Investor Total				24
888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) Total				106
Refused Total				1,838

Processing times (calendar days) for subclass 132, 188, 888 visa applications decided between 31 December 2019 and 31 March 2020

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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (RFI 1242.03)

Note 1: Applications decided is based on visas granted or refused.

Note 2: For all other visa subclasses the processing time is calculated from the date of lodgement to the date of the original refusal, if there is one, else the decision date.

Note 3: Figures are from a dynamic source and are subject to variations.

Decision	Visa Subclass	Calendar Days	
		75th Percentile (Calendar days)	90th Percentile (Calendar days)
Granted	132 Business Talent	728	766
	188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	697	748
	888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent)	489	506
Granted Total		676	735
Refused	132 Business Talent	731	755
	188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	682	755
	888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent)	532	553
Refused Total		700	755