

**Visa applications lodged for visa subclass 188 (Significant Investor) where activity month between 01/07/2018 and 30/11/2020**  
**Response to FOI request 20/12/01057**

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5865.04)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Visa Subclass	Financial Year	Activity Month	Total Lodged	
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	2018-19	31/07/2018	34	
		31/08/2018	30	
		30/09/2018	31	
		31/10/2018	38	
		30/11/2018	38	
		31/12/2018	44	
		31/01/2019	38	
		28/02/2019	32	
		31/03/2019	46	
		30/04/2019	38	
		31/05/2019	25	
		30/06/2019	29	
		<b>2018-19 Total</b>		
	2019-20	31/07/2019	31	
		31/08/2019	37	
		30/09/2019	48	
		31/10/2019	44	
		30/11/2019	43	
		31/12/2019	45	
		31/01/2020	34	
29/02/2020		33		
31/03/2020		32		
30/04/2020		19		
31/05/2020		39		
30/06/2020		22		
<b>2019-20 Total</b>			<b>427</b>	
2020-21 to 30/11/2020	31/07/2020	9		
	31/08/2020	11		
	30/09/2020	24		
	31/10/2020	46		
	30/11/2020	53		
<b>2020-21 to 30/11/2020 Total</b>			<b>143</b>	
<b>188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional (Significant Investor)) Total</b>			<b>495</b>	

**Visa applications granted for visa subclass 188 (Significant Investor) where activity month between 01/07/2018 and 30/11/2020**  
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5865.03)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: 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.

Visa Subclass	Financial Year	Activity Month	Total Granted		
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	2018-19	31/07/2018	40		
		31/08/2018	16		
		30/09/2018	18		
		31/10/2018	21		
		30/11/2018	13		
		31/12/2018	7		
		31/01/2019	17		
		28/02/2019	8		
		31/03/2019	10		
		30/04/2019	6		
		31/05/2019	19		
		30/06/2019	16		
		<b>2018-19 Total</b>			<b>191</b>
		2019-20	2019-20	31/07/2019	12
				31/08/2019	11
30/09/2019	9				
31/10/2019	19				
30/11/2019	17				
31/12/2019	30				
31/01/2020	24				
29/02/2020	< 5				
31/03/2020	8				
30/04/2020	< 5				
30/06/2020	< 5				
<b>2019-20 Total</b>			<b>135</b>		
2020-21 to 30/11/2020	2020-21 to 30/11/2020	31/07/2020	5		
		31/08/2020	6		
		30/09/2020	89		
		31/10/2020	31		
		30/11/2020	38		
<b>2020-21 to 30/11/2020 Total</b>			<b>169</b>		
<b>188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional (Significant Investor)) Total</b>			<b>495</b>		

Visa applications **refused** for visa subclass **188 (Significant Investor)** where activity month between **01/07/2018** and **30/11/2020**  
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5865.03)

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: 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.

Visa Subclass	Financial Year	Activity Month	Total Refused
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional)	2018-19	31/07/2018	5
		30/11/2018	< 5
		31/12/2018	< 5
		31/01/2019	< 5
		28/02/2019	< 5
		31/03/2019	< 5
		30/04/2019	< 5

	31/05/2019	< 5
	30/06/2019	< 5
<b>2018-19 Total</b>		<b>23</b>
2019-20	31/07/2019	< 5
	30/09/2019	< 5
	31/10/2019	5
	30/11/2019	< 5
	31/12/2019	< 5
	31/01/2020	< 5
	29/02/2020	< 5
	30/04/2020	< 5
	31/05/2020	< 5
	30/06/2020	< 5
<b>2019-20 Total</b>		<b>29</b>
2020-21 to 30/11/2020	31/07/2020	< 5
	30/09/2020	< 5
	31/10/2020	< 5
	30/11/2020	< 5
<b>2020-21 to 30/11/2020 Total</b>		<b>7</b>
<b>188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) Total</b>		<b>59</b>

**Processing time 75th Percentile (Calendar Days) for visa subclass 188 (Significant Investor) where activity month between 01/07/2019 and 30/11/2020**  
**Response to FOI request 20/11/01057**

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5865.01)

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

75th Percentile (Calendar Days)		Activity Month																
Visa Subclass		31/07/2019	31/08/2019	30/09/2019	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020	31/03/2020	30/04/2020	31/05/2020	30/06/2020	31/07/2020	31/08/2020	30/09/2020	31/10/2020	30/11/2020
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional (Significant Investor)) ((Calendar Days) Total		653	595	524	533	602	562	560	620	590	655	844	536	525	685	696	663	648

**Processing time 90th Percentile (Calendar Days) for visa subclass 188 (Significant Investor) where activity month between 01/07/2019 and 30/11/2020**  
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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2020 (DD-5865.02)

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

90th Percentile (Calendar Days)		Activity Month																
Visa Subclass		31/07/2019	31/08/2019	30/09/2019	31/10/2019	30/11/2019	31/12/2019	31/01/2020	29/02/2020	31/03/2020	30/04/2020	31/05/2020	30/06/2020	31/07/2020	31/08/2020	30/09/2020	31/10/2020	30/11/2020
188 Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional (Significant Investor)) ((Calendar Days) Total		743	606	685	655	673	676	612	707	631	666	891	644	648	725	806	772	725