

Response to Freedom of Information request FA 21/07/01024

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Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2021 (internal documents).

Notes: Current reporting period is only up until the 30 June 2021.

1. Visa Applications lodged for subclass 888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) between 01/11/2020 and 19/07/2021 by visa type								
Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent; subclass 888) visas lodged from 1 November 2020 to 30 June 2021.								
Visa sub-type	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21
Business Innovation	260	334	201	238	243	213	294	310
Investor	75	73	59	52	58	51	74	85
Significant Investor	185	113	118	95	93	84	79	98

2. Visa Applications granted for subclass 888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) between 01/11/2020 and 19/07/2021 by visa type								
Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent; subclass 888) visas granted from 1 November 2020 to 30 June 2021.								
Visa sub-type	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21
Business Innovation	1,000	241	115	97	158	75	70	142
Investor	137	28	20	15	21	< 5	12	0
Significant Investor	561	113	53	69	56	46	26	58

3. Visa Applications onhand for subclass 888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) as at 19/07/2021 by visa type	
Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent; subclass 888) visas on-hand as at 30 June 2021.	
Visa sub-type	On-hand
Business Innovation	5,692
Investor	990
Significant Investor	2,927

4. Visa Applications onhand for subclass 888 Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) as at 19/07/2021 by visa type and onhand age											
Business Innovation and investment (Permanent; subclass 888) visas on-hand age as at 30 June 2021.											
Visa sub-type	14 days or less	15 to 21 days	22 days to 1	1 to 2 months	2 to 3 months	3 to 6 months	6 to 9 months	9 to 12 months	12 to 18 months	18 to 24 months	24 months
Business Innovation	133	68	121	289	249	659	868	1,038	1,467	666	134
Investor	42	16	27	74	58	164	186	132	216	71	< 5
Significant Investor	39	22	50	71	90	298	477	293	686	790	111