

## Freedom of Information Request FA 21-10-00169

### Questions:

1. The average visa applications process time for the Subclass 190 Skilled Nominated visa from 1st September 2020 to 1st October 2021 (onshore and offshore separately)
2. Number of onshore visa applications lodged and granted for the Subclass 190 Skilled Nominated from September 2020 to 1st October 2021
3. Number of offshore visa applications lodged and granted for the Subclass 190 Skilled Nominated visa from 1st September 2020 to 1st October 2021.

### Response:

#### Question 1

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas processing times (in months) for applications with a decision made from 1st September 2020 to 30th September 2021 by client location.															
Visa Subclass	Client Location	Percentile	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
190 Skilled - Nominated	In Australia	75th	7 months	9 months	9 months	10 months	6 months	5 months	12 months	13 months	13 months	11 months	4 months	4 months	5 months
		90th	11 months	11 months	12 months	11 months	10 months	14 months	14 months	15 months	17 months	17 months	13 months	14 months	17 months
	Outside Australia	75th	13 months	N/a	18 months	N/a	N/a	14 months	15 months	16 months	17 months	22 months	N/a	N/a	N/a
		90th	14 months	N/a	23 months	N/a	N/a	16 months	19 months	17 months	19 months	25 months	N/a	N/a	N/a

#### Question 2 - 3

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas lodged by client location from 1st September 2020 to 30th September 2021 inclusive by month.														
Visa Subclass	Client Location	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
190 Skilled - Nominated	In Australia	440	1,117	830	569	541	703	1,323	1,476	2,412	3,700	2,090	1,103	1,066
	Outside Australia	65	131	93	93	73	68	141	141	233	397	247	185	144

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas granted by client location from 1st September 2020 to 30th September 2021 inclusive by month.														
Visa Subclass	Client Location	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
190 Skilled - Nominated	In Australia	297	410	912	892	653	696	1,787	1,426	2,456	2,079	982	712	865
	Outside Australia	181	139	181	129	68	205	265	192	299	340	159	105	112

### Caveats:

- It is the responsibility of the area providing Department of Home Affairs information to external stakeholders to ensure that the disclosure is in accordance with the ABF Act, Australian Privacy Principles or other relevant legislation.

### Notes:

Note: Processing times are only reported at the 75th and 90th percentile.

Note: Processing times are reported to the nearest month.

Note: Processing times are not available (N/a) when there are less than 30 visa decisions in the period requested.

Note: Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visas identified under Global Talent are not included.