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Explanatory notes

- Note 1 All numbers have been rounded to the nearest 10 and salaries to the nearest \$100. Therefore the sum of individual items in a table may not exactly match the total. Where a number in a table is between 1 and 4, the number has been masked with < 5 for privacy reasons.
- Note 2 This report is based on visa grant data recorded for visa subclass 457 in the current financial year and provides a comparison with the SAME PERIOD IN THE PREVIOUS YEAR. It excludes a small number of visa grants made to Independent Executives, who also used to enter on subclass 457 visa but are now included in the Business Skills categories.
- Note 3 The principal data collected on 457 visa holders comes from the visa application and grant process. The applicant and their sponsor provide a range of information to enable DIBP to assess the eligibility of the sponsor and the applicant for the visa. This is the most accurate and verifiable data that DIBP collects on 457 visa holders. It includes such information as the location of the nominated position, the nominated occupation, the nominated base salary and the citizenship country.
- Note 4 Unless otherwise stated, the tables in this report relate to primary applicants only.
- Note 5 Unless otherwise stated, the occupation shown in tables in this report is the nominated occupation. That is, the position that is being filled rather than the previous or usual occupation of the visa applicant.
- Note 6 Sponsors self-identify with an industry classification when lodging a nomination or sponsorship. The industry classification shown is based on what the sponsor has recorded. If a sponsor has notified more than one industry over time, the most recently recorded industry classification has been used in this report.
- Note 7 Up until 1 April 2005, medical practitioners applied for a visa in Visa Subclass 422 Medical Practitioner. From that date, medical practitioners have been encouraged to apply for a Subclass 457 visa.
- Note 8 In tables showing the top 15 citizenship countries, the figure for 'Unknown' is included in the total only.
- Note 9 In some tables, 'Not recorded' or 'Not specified' appears. This mainly relates to visa applications processed in the IRIS system. IRIS does not have the capacity to record comprehensive information about sponsors and nominations. Since 1 November 2003, the ICSE system has largely replaced IRIS for processing subclass 457 visas, but a small number of visas are still processed in IRIS.
- Note 10 From 14 September 2009, subclass 457 visa holders changing sponsor or nominated occupation do not need to lodge a new visa application if they held a valid subclass 457 visa. DIBP estimates that the number of visa applications lodged since 14 September 2009 has been reduced by 8 to 9 per cent below the level that would have occurred without the change.

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Definition of terms

ANZSCO Major Group: Major Group is the highest level in the Australian and New Zealand Standard

Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) 1st Edition produced by the Australian

Bureau of Statistics (ABS).

ANZSIC: Australian and New Zealand Standard Industry Classification 2006 Edition produced by

the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS). Prior to November 2008, ANZSIC 1993 was used to record industry. Data recorded using ANZSIC 1993 has been converted to

ANZSIC 2006 using concordance tables provided by the ABS.

Applicant Type: Under the Migration Regulations 1994 (the Regulations), there are two types of

applicants. These are primary applicants and secondary applicants. These terms are

defined below.

If the table or graph heading includes the word 'primary', such as 'primary applications'

or 'primary visa holders', dependants (secondary applicants) are not included.

Independent Executive: Formerly, a group within subclass 457 who did not require a sponsor. They are now

included in the Business Skills categories. A small number of visa applications for

Independent Executives were finalised in the current year.

Last Visa Held: This refers to the last substantive visa held by a visa holder (that is, the last visa other

than a bridging visa) prior to a point in time. The last visa held may have expired or still

be in effect.

Nominated Base Salary: Represents the gross annual salary based on a 38 hour week that the employer has

indicated they will pay to the primary visa holder. These amounts do not include the value of salary packaged items, bonuses, commissions or other payments listed in the schedule to the legislative instrument specifying Minimum Salary Levels for the

Subclass 457 program.

Nominated Occupation: The occupation of the nominated position that the primary visa holder will be filling in

Australia while holding the Subclass 457 visa based on the Australian Standard

Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) 1st Edition.

Nominated Position Location: The State or Territory where the visa holder will be working. This may be different from

the business address of the sponsor and/or the visa processing office.

Nominated Total The total value of the salary package including base salary, allowances, bonuses and

Remuneration: superannuation.

Pathway: A visa holder moving from one type of visa to another type of visa. Most commonly

used in relation to visa applicants moving from a temporary visa to a

permanent/provisional visa. The original visa is determined by the last visa held prior to permanent/provisional visa grant and the visa applicant may be onshore or offshore.

Permanent/provisional visa: A visa subclass which is countable for the purposes of the migration program.

Primary Applicant: The primary applicant is the person who must satisfy the primary criteria for the grant

of a visa under the Migration Regulations.

Primary Application: An application lodged by a primary applicant.

Secondary Applicant: Secondary applicants must satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a visa under

the Regulations. In this case, a secondary applicant is generally a dependant of the

primary applicant.

Secondary Application: A visa application lodged by a secondary applicant.

Sponsor Industry: The industry self-identified by the sponsoring client using the Australian and New

Zealand Standard Industry Classification (ANZSIC) 2006 edition.

1.01 Number of primary applications lodged in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Nominated Position Location	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31 /12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	410	390	-5.4%	1.4%
New South Wales	11,780	12,620	7.1%	46.7%
Northern Territory	430	390	-9.2%	1.4%
Queensland	3,390	3,370	-0.5%	12.5%
South Australia	750	560	-24.7%	2.1%
Tasmania	170	130	-24.9%	0.5%
Victoria	6,670	6,700	0.4%	24.8%
Western Australia	3,720	2,850	-23.4%	10.5%
Not Recorded	30	0	-96.3%	0.0%
Total	27,330	27,000	-1.2%	100.0%

1.02 Number of primary applications lodged in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31 /12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	3,860	4,100	6.1%	15.2%
Administrative and Support Services	210	180	-14.0%	0.7%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	480	560	17.1%	2.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	250	280	9.9%	1.0%
Construction	1,980	1,900	-4.3%	7.0%
Education and Training	1,310	1,330	1.7%	4.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	240	240	-1.7%	0.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	930	970	5.0%	3.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,650	2,690	1.4%	10.0%
Information Media and Telecommunications	3,650	3,430	-6.2%	12.7%
Manufacturing	1,220	1,170	-3.9%	4.3%
Mining	610	470	-22.8%	1.8%
Other Services	3,810	3,520	-7.6%	13.0%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	3,740	3,950	5.7%	14.6%
Public Administration and Safety	90	100	6.5%	0.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	190	170	-10.9%	0.6%
Retail Trade	1,180	1,110	-6.0%	4.1%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	370	370	-0.3%	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	520	460	-11.1%	1.7%
Not Recorded	30	0	-88.2%	0.0%
Total	27,330	27,000	-1.2%	100.0%

1.03 Number of primary applications lodged in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31 /12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	5,410	4,980	-7.9%	18.5%
2 Professionals	13,860	13,900	0.3%	51.5%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	6,680	6,730	0.6%	24.9%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	480	470	-1.5%	1.7%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	340	280	-16.1%	1.0%
6 Sales Workers	230	220	-1.3%	0.8%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	60	80	36.8%	0.3%
8 Labourers	50	70	28.3%	0.3%
Not Recorded	230	270	15.0%	1.0%
Total	27,330	27,000	-1.2%	100.0%

1.04 Number of applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated position location and applicant type

Nominated Position Location	Primary Applicants	% of Primary Applicants	Secondary Applicants	% of Secondary Applicants	Total Applicants	% of Total Applicants
Australian Capital Territory	370	1.5%	360	1.7%	730	1.6%
New South Wales	11,390	46.9%	8,820	42.9%	20,210	45.1%
Northern Territory	360	1.5%	290	1.4%	650	1.4%
Queensland	2,840	11.7%	2,780	13.5%	5,620	12.5%
South Australia	560	2.3%	610	3.0%	1,170	2.6%
Tasmania	110	0.4%	90	0.4%	190	0.4%
Victoria	6,010	24.8%	5,190	25.2%	11,190	25.0%
Western Australia	2,640	10.9%	2,430	11.8%	5,070	11.3%
Not Recorded	<5	0.0%	10	0.0%	10	0.0%
Total	24,270	100.0%	20,570	100.0%	44,840	100.0%

1.05 Top 15 Citizenship countries for applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by applicant type

Citizenship Country	Primary Applicants	% of Total Primary Applicants	Secondary Applicants	% of Total Secondary Applicants	Total Applicants	% of Total Applicants
India	5,460	22.5%	5,440	26.4%	10,900	24.3%
United Kingdom	4,530	18.7%	2,870	13.9%	7,390	16.5%
Philippines	1,500	6.2%	1,340	6.5%	2,840	6.3%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,460	6.0%	1,330	6.5%	2,790	6.2%
United States of America	1,270	5.2%	940	4.5%	2,210	4.9%
Ireland, Republic of	1,050	4.3%	440	2.1%	1,490	3.3%
South Africa	450	1.8%	730	3.5%	1,180	2.6%
France	660	2.7%	480	2.3%	1,140	2.5%
Italy	700	2.9%	390	1.9%	1,090	2.4%
Korea, South	560	2.3%	520	2.5%	1,070	2.4%
Nepal	460	1.9%	370	1.8%	830	1.8%
Japan	370	1.5%	440	2.1%	810	1.8%
Canada	490	2.0%	320	1.5%	800	1.8%
Brazil	370	1.5%	360	1.7%	720	1.6%
Germany, Fed Republic of	440	1.8%	280	1.3%	720	1.6%
Other countries	4,510	18.6%	4,360	21.2%	8,870	19.8%
Total	24,270	100.0%	20,570	100.0%	44,840	100.0%

1.06 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by government sector and nominated position location

Government Sector	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Australian Government	10	20	0	10	<5	<5	10	10	0	60
State/Territory Govt	60	280	50	400	110	20	310	240	0	1,460
Local Government	0	<5	<5	<5	0	0	<5	<5	0	10
Non-government	300	11,090	310	2,420	460	80	5,690	2,390	<5	22,750
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270
Govt % of Total	18.2%	2.6%	13.4%	14.7%	18.8%	24.5%	5.3%	9.3%	0.0%	6.3%

1.07 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Nominated Position Location	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	330	370	10.8%	1.5%
New South Wales	9,620	11,390	18.4%	46.9%
Northern Territory	350	360	3.5%	1.5%
Queensland	2,770	2,840	2.5%	11.7%
South Australia	590	560	-5.2%	2.3%
Tasmania	110	110	-5.4%	0.4%
Victoria	5,680	6,010	5.7%	24.8%
Western Australia	3,410	2,640	-22.5%	10.9%
Not Recorded	<5	<5	0.0%	0.0%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.08 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	\$58,500	\$58,700	\$55,500	\$56,100	\$57,300	\$57,200	\$56,500	\$57,900		\$57,600
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$69,100	< 5	\$66,600	< 5	< 5	\$73,200	< 5		\$69,700
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		\$63,900	\$68,100	\$57,400	\$66,900	\$64,200	\$69,400	\$68,200		\$64,600
Arts and Recreation Services		\$86,900	< 5	\$69,100	\$89,200		\$80,700	\$70,200		\$82,600
Construction	\$106,900	\$81,600	\$156,500	\$89,800	\$69,500	< 5	\$89,100	\$96,400		\$95,100
Education and Training	\$94,000	\$88,600	\$103,900	\$91,400	\$97,500	\$115,900	\$93,200	\$101,600		\$92,400
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services		\$104,700	< 5	\$122,900	\$128,900		\$100,500	\$115,800		\$111,000
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	\$118,100	< 5	\$95,700	< 5		\$110,000	\$94,600		\$115,100
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$78,000	\$92,900	\$93,100	\$93,800	\$100,200	\$86,000	\$88,100	\$96,300		\$92,400
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$74,500	\$84,200	< 5	\$78,100	\$68,700	\$47,000	\$82,500	\$67,700	< 5	\$82,600
Manufacturing	\$59,200	\$94,000	\$97,300	\$70,700	\$81,900		\$97,400	\$71,300		\$85,800
Mining		\$122,900	\$155,900	\$147,800	\$198,600	< 5	\$156,600	\$180,500	< 5	\$166,000
Other Services	\$91,200	\$84,700	\$107,100	\$76,400	\$96,100	\$60,200	\$78,800	\$113,100		\$86,200
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$126,800	\$99,300	\$201,700	\$88,200	\$104,000	\$69,900	\$90,000	\$116,700		\$97,500
Public Administration and Safety	< 5	\$110,900	\$94,100	< 5	< 5		\$121,900	< 5		\$104,200
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$86,000	< 5	\$62,300			\$58,100	< 5		\$74,400
Retail Trade	\$57,700	\$90,900	\$58,800	\$73,500	\$67,800	< 5	\$95,300	\$70,200		\$87,200
Transport Postal and Warehousing		\$136,000	\$69,500	\$102,500	< 5		\$95,900	\$138,000		\$120,500
Wholesale Trade		\$103,300		\$81,400	\$79,700	< 5	\$111,500	\$95,800		\$102,500
Not Recorded		< 5								< 5
Total	\$85,900	\$87,500	\$114,700	\$81,900	\$89,400	\$129,500	\$84,500	\$100,400	< 5	\$88,100

1.09 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	\$58,700	\$59,900	\$56,100	\$56,500	\$58,200	\$58,300	\$57,100	\$58,500		\$58,500
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$69,700	< 5	\$66,600	< 5	< 5	\$73,200	< 5		\$70,200
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		\$65,100	\$69,100	\$59,100	\$70,600	\$65,400	\$71,200	\$69,400		\$66,400
Arts and Recreation Services		\$87,700	< 5	\$70,100	\$89,600		\$81,100	\$70,500		\$83,200
Construction	\$115,600	\$85,200	\$157,400	\$92,700	\$70,500	< 5	\$90,800	\$100,700		\$98,400
Education and Training	\$100,500	\$89,700	\$106,800	\$99,700	\$98,200	\$117,000	\$94,600	\$102,300		\$95,000
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services		\$107,500	< 5	\$126,400	\$162,000		\$104,300	\$131,600		\$118,600
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	\$124,900	< 5	\$96,100	< 5		\$112,200	\$94,900		\$120,600
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$83,000	\$95,000	\$95,200	\$97,200	\$102,900	\$88,200	\$89,400	\$97,600		\$94,600
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$76,700	\$92,300	< 5	\$84,100	\$71,300	\$69,700	\$89,600	\$77,400	< 5	\$90,300
Manufacturing	\$61,900	\$102,500	\$97,500	\$75,200	\$99,000		\$104,600	\$75,400		\$92,600
Mining		\$128,500	\$188,700	\$168,400	\$202,900	< 5	\$168,200	\$234,200	< 5	\$203,600
Other Services	\$99,600	\$88,500	\$113,000	\$79,300	\$104,500	\$60,200	\$82,200	\$126,700		\$91,100
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$125,200	\$103,700	\$206,100	\$92,600	\$116,700	\$70,800	\$92,000	\$121,900		\$101,200
Public Administration and Safety	< 5	\$110,900	\$99,500	< 5	< 5		\$131,500	< 5		\$108,600
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$87,600	< 5	\$62,300			\$58,900	< 5		\$75,300
Retail Trade	\$57,700	\$95,600	\$60,700	\$76,600	\$72,000	< 5	\$101,800	\$73,400		\$92,000
Transport Postal and Warehousing		\$140,300	\$69,500	\$105,200	< 5		\$98,000	\$141,300		\$123,900
Wholesale Trade		\$117,900		\$100,500	\$86,100	< 5	\$120,400	\$112,800		\$115,700
Not Recorded		< 5								< 5
Total	\$90,300	\$92,100	\$118,500	\$86,200	\$95,200	\$131,900	\$87,700	\$110,400	< 5	\$92,900

1.10 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as %of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	3,020	3,190	5.6%	13.1%
Administrative and Support Services	160	200	28.4%	0.8%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	330	490	47.6%	2.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	210	270	26.8%	1.1%
Construction	1,570	1,560	-0.8%	6.4%
Education and Training	1,150	1,210	5.6%	5.0%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	200	210	6.7%	0.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	820	910	11.1%	3.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,480	2,550	2.9%	10.5%
Information Media and Telecommunications	3,180	3,430	8.0%	14.1%
Manufacturing	1,030	1,020	-1.4%	4.2%
Mining	590	470	-20.8%	1.9%
Other Services	3,500	3,080	-11.9%	12.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	2,930	3,910	33.6%	16.1%
Public Administration and Safety	80	90	2.4%	0.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	120	130	3.3%	0.5%
Retail Trade	840	930	11.1%	3.8%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	300	300	0.0%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	360	340	-6.9%	1.4%
Not Recorded	10	0	-91.7%	0.0%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.11 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accom & Food Serv	50	1,420	50	440	60	20	790	350	0	3,190
Admin & Support Serv	< 5	130	< 5	20	< 5	< 5	40	< 5	0	200
Agric Forest & Fishing	0	130	10	110	60	10	100	80	0	490
Arts & Recr Serv	0	130	< 5	30	30	0	60	20	0	270
Construction	30	740	100	130	10	< 5	230	310	0	1,560
Education & Training	70	440	10	190	50	10	360	80	0	1,210
Elec Gas Water & Waste	0	90	< 5	30	20	0	30	40	0	210
Finance & Insur Serv	< 5	680	< 5	50	< 5	0	160	20	0	910
Health & Social Assist	80	750	10	620	130	40	540	380	0	2,550
Info Media & Telecom	30	2,220	< 5	190	20	10	820	130	< 5	3,430
Manufacturing	10	270	30	210	40	0	300	170	0	1,020
Mining	0	50	20	110	10	< 5	20	270	< 5	470
Other Services	30	1,580	40	320	50	10	710	350	0	3,080
Prof Scientific & Tech	40	1,880	20	230	60	10	1,390	280	0	3,910
Public Admin & Safety	< 5	20	50	< 5	< 5	0	10	< 5	0	90
Rental Hire & Realty	< 5	70	< 5	30	0	0	20	< 5	0	130
Retail Trade	20	470	20	80	10	< 5	250	80	0	930
Transp Post & W'house	0	130	10	40	< 5	0	70	40	0	300
Wholesale Trade	0	170	0	30	10	< 5	100	20	0	340
Not Specified	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270

1.12 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as %of Total
1 Managers	4,110	4,080	-0.9%	16.8%
2 Professionals	12,250	13,400	9.4%	55.2%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	5,490	5,650	3.0%	23.3%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	440	390	-11.2%	1.6%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	200	200	0.0%	0.8%
6 Sales Workers	130	180	43.7%	0.7%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	40	70	87.2%	0.3%
8 Labourers	40	50	27.5%	0.2%
Not Recorded	180	250	40.1%	1.0%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.13 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	40	2,030	70	500	90	10	890	440	< 5	4,080
2 Professionals	220	6,740	120	1,400	290	60	3,460	1,110	< 5	13,400
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	80	2,220	150	680	140	30	1,440	920	< 5	5,650
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	< 5	160	10	60	10	< 5	100	40	0	390
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	100	10	30	< 5	0	40	30	0	200
6 Sales Workers	10	100	< 5	30	< 5	0	30	10	0	180
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	10	< 5	10	< 5	0	10	50	0	70
8 Labourers	0	10	< 5	10	10	0	0	20	0	50
Not Recorded	0	40	0	130	30	0	40	20	0	250
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270

1.14 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	\$112,500	\$119,400	\$195,800	\$99,700	\$127,400	\$114,400	\$125,300	\$134,400	< 5	\$121,300
2 Professionals	\$93,200	\$87,300	\$112,000	\$89,600	\$93,000	\$81,200	\$85,400	\$110,400	< 5	\$89,400
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$58,800	\$61,800	\$84,800	\$61,400	\$66,200	\$258,900	\$59,600	\$75,800	< 5	\$65,100
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	< 5	\$76,600	\$60,200	\$61,200	\$92,400	< 5	\$72,000	\$63,300		\$70,800
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	\$72,400	\$134,500	\$80,900	< 5		\$77,100	\$123,500		\$82,200
6 Sales Workers	\$54,100	\$73,500	< 5	\$58,400	< 5		\$63,400	\$55,300		\$66,900
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$75,500	< 5	\$137,400	< 5		\$56,500	\$88,100		\$88,600
8 Labourers		\$54,000	< 5	\$48,700	\$56,000			\$62,500		\$56,600
Not Recorded		\$54,100		\$54,800	\$53,900		\$54,200	\$54,500		\$54,500
Total	\$85,900	\$87,500	\$114,700	\$81,900	\$89,400	\$129,500	\$84,500	\$100,400	< 5	\$88,100

1.15 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	\$123,100	\$128,400	\$199,000	\$106,900	\$141,000	\$114,800	\$132,400	\$154,600	< 5	\$130,800
2 Professionals	\$98,100	\$92,000	\$118,100	\$94,700	\$97,400	\$84,800	\$88,800	\$122,300	< 5	\$94,400
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$59,100	\$62,800	\$87,300	\$62,600	\$71,400	\$259,700	\$60,400	\$79,900	< 5	\$66,700
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	< 5	\$77,100	\$67,700	\$62,200	\$93,400	< 5	\$73,200	\$63,700		\$71,800
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	\$73,100	\$138,400	\$85,600	< 5		\$78,500	\$131,000		\$84,500
6 Sales Workers	\$54,100	\$74,400	< 5	\$58,400	< 5		\$64,000	\$55,300		\$67,500
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$82,300	< 5	\$138,300	< 5		\$56,500	\$93,300		\$93,300
8 Labourers		\$55,700	< 5	\$54,600	\$60,200			\$62,500		\$59,100
Not Recorded		\$54,700		\$55,500	\$53,900		\$54,200	\$54,500		\$54,900
Total	\$90,300	\$92,100	\$118,500	\$86,200	\$95,200	\$131,900	\$87,700	\$110,400	< 5	\$92,900

1.16 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by skill level of the nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation Skill Level	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as %of Total
Skill Level 1	14,740	15,950	8.2%	65.7%
Skill Level 2	3,790	3,690	-2.5%	15.2%
Skill Level 3	4,030	4,210	4.4%	17.3%
Skill Level 4	110	150	33.3%	0.6%
Skill Level 5	20	20	37.5%	0.1%
Not Recorded	180	250	40.1%	1.0%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.17 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by skill level of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation Skill Level	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Skill Level 1	250	8,010	170	1,660	350	70	4,040	1,410	< 5	15,950
Skill Level 2	40	1,720	80	490	80	20	770	490	< 5	3,690
Skill Level 3	70	1,600	100	540	100	20	1,140	650	0	4,210
Skill Level 4	10	20	10	10	< 5	0	20	70	0	150
Skill Level 5	0	< 5	0	10	10	0	0	10	0	20
Not Recorded	0	40	0	130	30	0	40	20	0	250
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270

1.18 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
351411 Cook	1,310	1,340	2.4%	5.5%
261312 Developer Programmer	980	1,050	6.4%	4.3%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	1,020	930	-8.2%	3.8%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	760	830	8.3%	3.4%
351311 Chef	550	690	26.3%	2.9%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	610	690	12.1%	2.8%
225113 Marketing Specialist	640	660	2.5%	2.7%
261313 Software Engineer	620	640	3.2%	2.6%
242111 University Lecturer	590	630	7.6%	2.6%
224711 Management Consultant	580	630	9.2%	2.6%
253111 General Practitioner	590	590	0.0%	2.4%
221111 Accountant (General)	370	520	39.8%	2.2%
223112 Recruitment Consultant	340	480	41.2%	2.0%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	450	460	3.6%	1.9%
261311 Analyst Programmer	380	430	13.2%	1.8%
Other Occupations	13,080	13,700	4.7%	56.4%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.19 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
351411 Cook	30	480	20	200	30	10	410	170	0	1,340
261312 Developer Programmer	10	610	0	60	10	< 5	330	30	0	1,050
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	450	10	170	20	< 5	180	90	0	930
261111 ICT Business Analyst	10	470	0	40	10	0	260	40	0	830
351311 Chef	10	380	10	70	10	10	160	50	0	690
253112 Resident Medical Officer	20	80	10	190	80	10	100	190	0	690
225113 Marketing Specialist	0	460	0	30	< 5	< 5	140	20	0	660
261313 Software Engineer	10	380	0	30	10	0	190	20	0	640
242111 University Lecturer	50	180	< 5	90	40	10	230	40	0	630
224711 Management Consultant	< 5	360	< 5	40	< 5	0	180	50	0	630
253111 General Practitioner	10	180	10	150	20	10	120	100	0	590
221111 Accountant (General)	< 5	320	< 5	50	10	0	130	20	0	520
223112 Recruitment Consultant	< 5	340	< 5	30	< 5	0	80	20	0	480
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	< 5	260	< 5	50	< 5	< 5	110	30	0	460
261311 Analyst Programmer	< 5	190	0	20	0	0	190	20	0	430
Other Occupations	190	6,260	290	1,630	320	50	3,200	1,760	< 5	13,700
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270

1.20 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
India	5,510	5,460	-0.9%	22.5%
United Kingdom	4,040	4,530	12.1%	18.7%
Philippines	1,130	1,500	32.7%	6.2%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,530	1,460	-4.6%	6.0%
United States of America	1,240	1,270	2.6%	5.2%
Ireland, Republic of	1,130	1,050	-7.2%	4.3%
Italy	700	700	0.4%	2.9%
France	650	660	2.3%	2.7%
Korea, South	440	560	26.4%	2.3%
Canada	440	490	10.4%	2.0%
Nepal	320	460	41.6%	1.9%
South Africa	290	450	52.2%	1.8%
Germany, Fed Republic of	440	440	0.0%	1.8%
Japan	430	370	-12.7%	1.5%
Brazil	270	370	37.3%	1.5%
Other Countries	4,310	4,510	4.8%	18.6%
Total	22,870	24,270	6.1%	100.0%

1.21 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Citizenship Country	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
India	70	2,570	30	440	80	20	1,950	300	0	5,460
United Kingdom	50	2,260	70	630	110	20	900	490	< 5	4,530
Philippines	30	540	60	240	50	< 5	300	270	0	1,500
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	30	650	< 5	200	60	10	370	150	0	1,460
United States of America	20	610	30	100	30	10	280	200	0	1,270
Ireland, Republic of	10	450	10	120	20	< 5	210	240	0	1,050
Italy	10	310	10	60	10	< 5	190	110	0	700
France	10	380	10	50	10	0	160	50	0	660
Korea, South	30	250	20	100	10	< 5	80	70	0	560
Canada	10	190	10	90	10	< 5	130	50	0	490
Nepal	10	290	< 5	50	< 5	0	80	30	0	460
South Africa	< 5	200	10	80	20	< 5	90	60	0	450
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	230	10	40	10	< 5	110	40	0	440
Japan	< 5	140	40	60	10	< 5	80	50	0	370
Brazil	< 5	210	< 5	70	< 5	< 5	60	30	0	370
Other Countries	70	2,120	60	520	140	40	1,030	530	< 5	4,510
Total	370	11,390	360	2,840	560	110	6,010	2,640	<5	24,270

1.22 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	220	5,670	220	2,290	340	80	4,200	1,910	< 5	14,940
Administrative and Support Services	20	360	30	60	10	< 5	110	50	0	640
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	480	30	430	140	40	390	380	0	1,890
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	420	< 5	90	50	0	170	50	0	780
Construction	70	2,300	310	550	80	10	830	1,470	0	5,620
Education and Training	170	1,230	20	550	150	40	940	280	0	3,370
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	290	10	140	20	< 5	140	170	0	770
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	2,170	10	180	20	< 5	540	80	0	3,000
Health Care and Social Assistance	210	2,440	60	1,850	420	150	1,870	1,250	< 5	8,240
Information Media and Telecommunications	60	5,740	10	430	70	10	1,940	300	< 5	8,550
Manufacturing	10	1,280	90	710	340	10	1,170	640	< 5	4,260
Mining	0	160	40	410	50	< 5	80	900	< 5	1,630
Other Services	130	4,990	140	1,320	210	30	2,740	1,280	< 5	10,840
Professional, Scientific and Technical	70	3,960	50	550	130	10	3,210	610	< 5	8,590
Public Administration and Safety	10	70	100	10	20	< 5	40	20	0	260
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	280	20	100	10	0	110	40	0	550
Retail Trade	50	1,990	80	510	90	10	1,130	520	< 5	4,380
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	540	30	180	30	0	370	130	0	1,270
Wholesale Trade	< 5	800	< 5	170	50	< 5	470	140	< 5	1,650
Not Recorded	0	30	< 5	10	< 5	< 5	20	20	20	90
Total	1,030	35,180	1,240	10,540	2,220	400	20,430	10,230	30	81,300

1.23 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	160	7,800	200	2,450	410	50	3,660	1,870	< 5	16,600
2 Professionals	540	17,610	360	4,080	860	240	9,240	3,110	10	36,040
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	280	8,010	600	3,000	590	90	6,800	4,540	< 5	23,910
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	30	600	40	250	40	10	310	220	0	1,500
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	10	550	20	160	20	0	180	130	0	1,070
6 Sales Workers	20	310	10	120	10	0	160	120	0	740
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	30	10	40	< 5	0	10	80	0	160
8 Labourers	0	20	10	90	10	0	10	110	0	250
Not Recorded	0	250	0	360	280	< 5	70	50	20	1,030
Total	1,030	35,180	1,240	10,540	2,220	400	20,430	10,230	30	81,300

1.24 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2016 by skill level of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation Skill Level	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Skill Level 1	600	21,650	460	5,060	1,090	270	11,160	4,130	10	44,430
Skill Level 2	200	7,180	260	2,580	370	60	3,680	2,280	< 5	16,620
Skill Level 3	220	6,030	480	2,370	450	60	5,470	3,490	< 5	18,570
Skill Level 4	10	70	40	150	10	< 5	40	250	0	580
Skill Level 5	0	10	0	20	10	0	< 5	40	0	70
Not Recorded	0	250	0	360	280	< 5	70	50	20	1,030
Total	1,030	35,180	1,240	10,540	2,220	400	20,430	10,230	30	81,300

1.25 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
351411 Cook	100	2,000	80	950	160	40	2,180	890	0	6,400
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	80	2,030	50	940	110	20	1,010	490	0	4,710
351311 Chef	50	1,190	40	360	70	30	800	380	< 5	2,920
225113 Marketing Specialist	10	1,680	< 5	200	20	< 5	570	120	0	2,580
261312 Developer Programmer	20	1,440	0	100	20	< 5	600	50	0	2,240
253111 General Practitioner	40	520	20	500	100	40	440	340	0	2,010
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	10	920	< 5	200	30	< 5	390	140	< 5	1,680
253112 Resident Medical Officer	40	210	30	450	200	50	320	320	0	1,620
261111 ICT Business Analyst	20	910	0	100	20	0	510	70	0	1,620
221111 Accountant (General)	10	890	10	150	20	< 5	360	70	0	1,520
242111 University Lecturer	110	430	10	190	110	30	510	140	0	1,520
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	10	310	40	200	40	< 5	680	190	0	1,480
261313 Software Engineer	10	900	< 5	70	10	< 5	430	30	0	1,460
223112 Recruitment Consultant	< 5	870	10	70	10	0	260	90	0	1,310
224711 Management Consultant	20	750	0	90	10	< 5	370	80	< 5	1,310
Other Occupations	520	20,140	940	5,970	1,300	190	11,010	6,840	30	46,920
Total	1,030	35,180	1,240	10,540	2,220	400	20,430	10,230	30	81,300

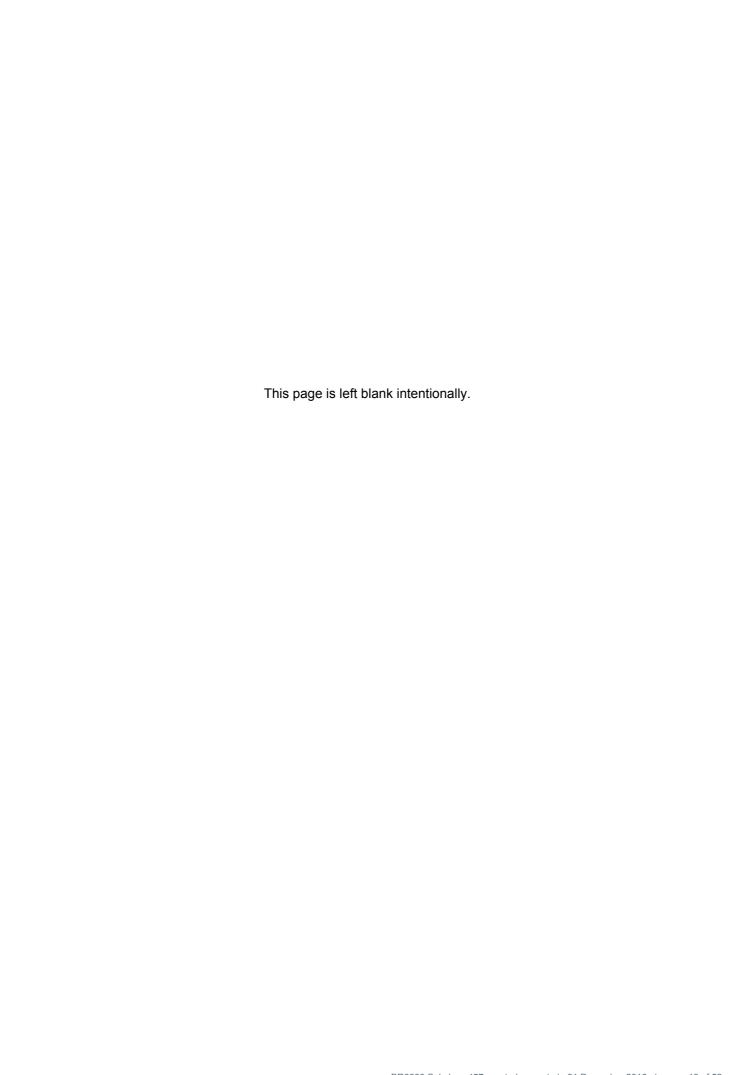
1.26 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2016 by nominated position location

Citizenship Country	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
India	210	6,410	120	1,800	390	60	6,460	1,000	< 5	16,450
United Kingdom	140	7,060	200	1,910	380	50	3,130	2,210	< 5	15,080
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	90	2,560	20	830	320	30	1,520	680	< 5	6,030
Philippines	60	1,380	240	770	220	20	770	1,090	< 5	4,550
Ireland, Republic of	20	1,760	80	450	50	10	780	1,020	0	4,170
United States of America	80	1,610	40	330	80	20	660	400	0	3,220
Italy	10	1,080	20	260	60	< 5	650	460	< 5	2,540
Korea, South	80	1,010	30	440	30	< 5	320	320	< 5	2,240
France	20	1,100	30	210	30	10	510	260	0	2,150
Nepal	30	1,020	30	220	10	< 5	430	150	< 5	1,880
Canada	20	580	20	360	40	20	360	140	< 5	1,540
Japan	10	580	120	230	20	10	290	200	0	1,460
Germany, Fed Republic of	20	660	20	170	20	10	360	140	< 5	1,390
South Africa	10	510	20	280	50	10	220	260	0	1,350
Brazil	< 5	700	< 5	220	10	< 5	150	90	0	1,180
Other Countries	230	7,160	270	2,060	510	150	3,850	1,830	10	16,080
Total	1,030	35,180	1,240	10,540	2,220	400	20,430	10,230	30	81,300

1.27 Applications granted for a permanent/provisional visa in 2016-17 as at 31 December 2016 where the applicant last held a Subclass 457 visa

Visa Category	Visa Type	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Economic Migration	Employer Nomination Scheme	16,680	15,720	-5.8%	63.9%
	Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	3,340	2,810	-15.8%	11.4%
	Skilled Independent	3,600	3,300	-8.2%	13.4%
	Other Skilled	2,210	2,000	-9.8%	8.1%
	Sub-total Sub-total	25,830	23,830	-7.8%	96.9%
Family Migration	Partner	730	690	-5.7%	2.8%
	Other Family	70	70	-1.4%	0.3%
	Sub-total	800	760	-5.4%	3.1%
Total applications g	ranted:	26,640	24,590	-7.7%	100.0%

Note 1: A permanent or provisional visa is a visa subclass which is countable towards the migration program outcome. Note 2: In determining the last visa held, bridging visas have been excluded.



Australian Capital Territory

2 ACT

2.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	50	50	15.2%	14.4%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.1%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Construction	20	30	112.5%	9.2%
Education and Training	70	70	0.0%	19.0%
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	< 5	-66.7%	0.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	60	80	40.7%	22.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	30	30	12.0%	7.6%
Manufacturing	< 5	10	66.7%	1.4%
Mining	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Other Services	70	30	-60.6%	7.1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	20	40	82.6%	11.4%
Public Administration and Safety	< 5	< 5	0.0%	1.1%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	0	< 5		0.3%
Retail Trade	10	20	41.7%	4.6%
Total	330	370	10.8%	100.0%

2.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

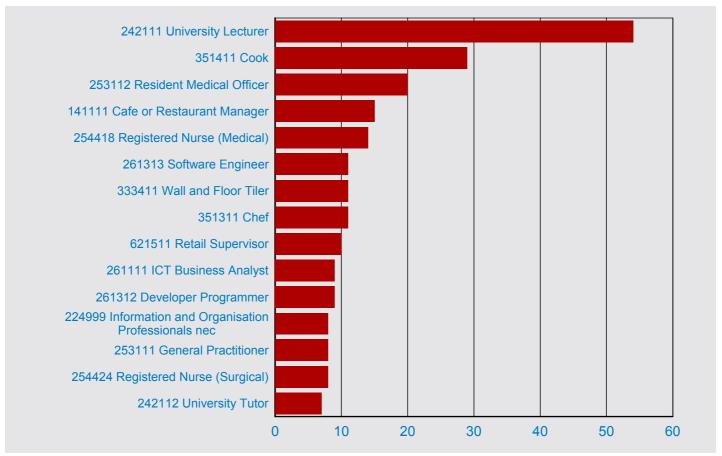
Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	50	40	-8.3%	12.0%
2 Professionals	220	220	2.3%	60.9%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	60	80	43.1%	22.6%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	< 5	< 5	33.3%	1.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.5%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	10	450.0%	3.0%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	330	370	10.8%	100.0%

2 ACT

2.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
242111 University Lecturer	30	50	58.8%	14.7%
351411 Cook	20	30	38.1%	7.9%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	10	20	185.7%	5.4%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	20	-6.3%	4.1%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	10	10	40.0%	3.8%
261313 Software Engineer	10	10	83.3%	3.0%
333411 Wall and Floor Tiler	< 5	10	266.7%	3.0%
351311 Chef	10	10	22.2%	3.0%
621511 Retail Supervisor	< 5	10	400.0%	2.7%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	10	10	0.0%	2.4%
261312 Developer Programmer	20	10	-47.1%	2.4%
224999 Information and Organisation Professionals nec	< 5	10	300.0%	2.2%
253111 General Practitioner	10	10	-20.0%	2.2%
254424 Registered Nurse (Surgical)	< 5	10	166.7%	2.2%
242112 University Tutor	10	10	-50.0%	1.9%
Other Occupations	170	140	-14.8%	39.1%
Total	330	370	10.8%	100.0%

2.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

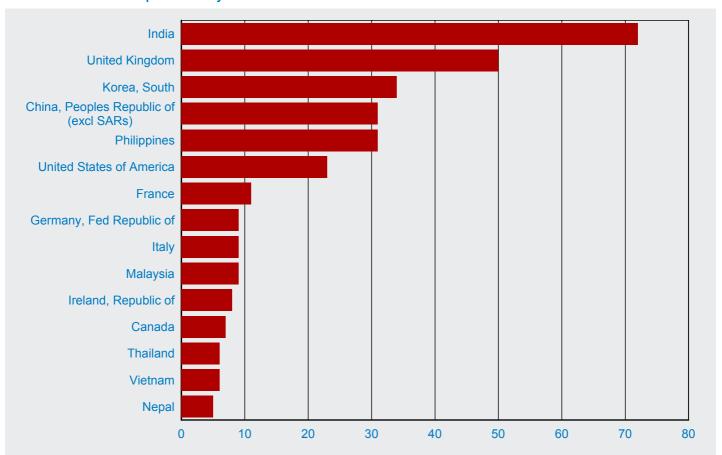


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2.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
India	70	70	-2.7%	19.6%
United Kingdom	50	50	0.0%	13.6%
Korea, South	10	30	325.0%	9.2%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	30	30	14.8%	8.4%
Philippines	20	30	82.4%	8.4%
United States of America	40	20	-43.9%	6.3%
France	10	10	-15.4%	3.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	10	12.5%	2.4%
Italy	10	10	12.5%	2.4%
Malaysia	10	10	0.0%	2.4%
Ireland, Republic of	10	10	33.3%	2.2%
Canada	10	10	-22.2%	1.9%
Thailand	< 5	10	50.0%	1.6%
Vietnam	< 5	10	50.0%	1.6%
Nepal	10	10	-28.6%	1.4%
Other Countries	50	60	21.3%	15.5%
Total	330	370	10.8%	100.0%

2.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory



New South Wales

3 NSW

3 NSW

3.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	1,050	1,420	36.2%	12.5%
Administrative and Support Services	100	130	32.3%	1.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	80	130	66.7%	1.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	90	130	47.2%	1.2%
Construction	550	740	33.8%	6.5%
Education and Training	400	440	11.4%	3.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	80	90	11.1%	0.8%
Financial and Insurance Services	590	680	15.6%	6.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	690	750	8.5%	6.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	2,090	2,220	6.6%	19.5%
Manufacturing	300	270	-9.0%	2.4%
Mining	40	50	9.8%	0.4%
Other Services	1,480	1,580	7.1%	13.9%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	1,300	1,880	45.2%	16.5%
Public Administration and Safety	30	20	-24.1%	0.2%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	60	70	6.3%	0.6%
Retail Trade	380	470	23.8%	4.1%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	130	130	5.5%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	190	170	-11.9%	1.5%
Not Recorded	10	< 5	-80.0%	0.0%
Total	9,620	11,390	18.4%	100.0%

3.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in New South Wales

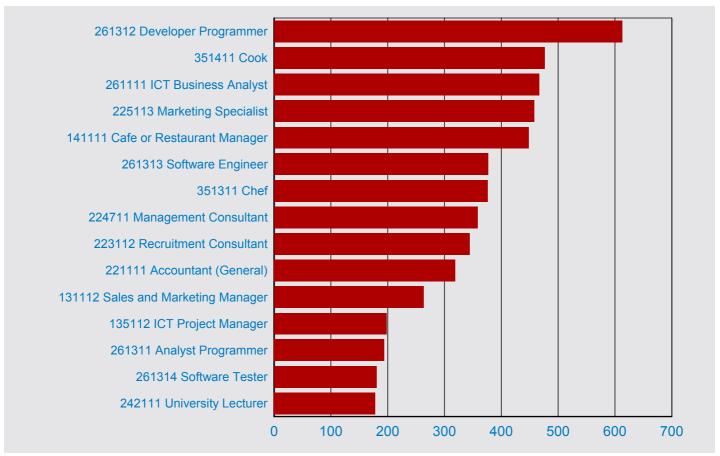
Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	1,850	2,030	9.6%	17.8%
2 Professionals	5,780	6,740	16.6%	59.2%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	1,630	2,220	36.2%	19.5%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	180	160	-13.2%	1.4%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	90	100	3.2%	0.8%
6 Sales Workers	60	100	71.9%	0.9%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	10	10	60.0%	0.1%
8 Labourers	< 5	10	200.0%	0.1%
Not Recorded	30	40	48.0%	0.3%
Total	9,620	11,390	18.4%	100.0%

3 NSW

3.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
261312 Developer Programmer	600	610	2.2%	5.4%
351411 Cook	370	480	30.4%	4.2%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	410	470	14.5%	4.1%
225113 Marketing Specialist	410	460	11.2%	4.0%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	400	450	12.8%	3.9%
261313 Software Engineer	360	380	4.1%	3.3%
351311 Chef	200	380	88.0%	3.3%
224711 Management Consultant	330	360	9.1%	3.1%
223112 Recruitment Consultant	230	340	50.9%	3.0%
221111 Accountant (General)	210	320	51.2%	2.8%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	240	260	11.4%	2.3%
135112 ICT Project Manager	180	200	10.6%	1.7%
261311 Analyst Programmer	130	190	45.9%	1.7%
261314 Software Tester	100	180	81.8%	1.6%
242111 University Lecturer	190	180	-5.8%	1.6%
Other Occupations	5,270	6,140	16.4%	53.9%
Total	9,620	11,390	18.4%	100.0%

3.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

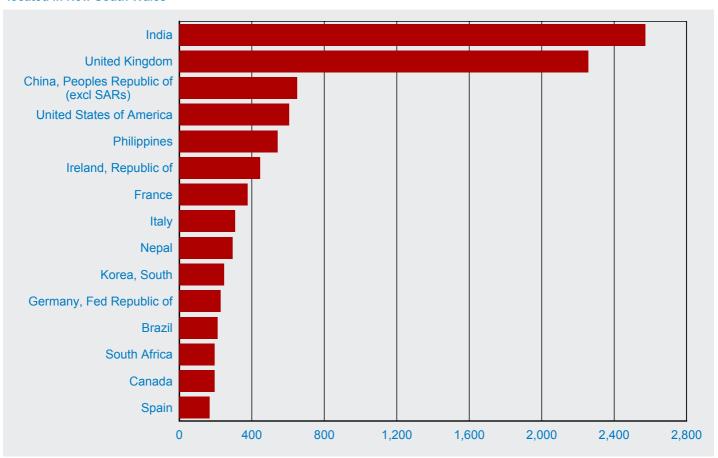


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3.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
India	2,310	2,570	11.2%	22.6%
United Kingdom	1,800	2,260	25.3%	19.8%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	610	650	7.3%	5.7%
United States of America	530	610	14.8%	5.3%
Philippines	350	540	53.4%	4.8%
Ireland, Republic of	440	450	0.5%	3.9%
France	330	380	14.5%	3.3%
Italy	290	310	6.9%	2.7%
Nepal	140	290	106.3%	2.6%
Korea, South	190	250	31.9%	2.2%
Germany, Fed Republic of	200	230	11.8%	2.0%
Brazil	170	210	24.0%	1.9%
South Africa	110	200	84.0%	1.7%
Canada	190	190	3.2%	1.7%
Spain	100	170	61.5%	1.5%
Other Countries	1,850	2,090	12.7%	18.3%
Total	9,620	11,390	18.4%	100.0%

3.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in New South Wales



Northern Territory

4 NT

4.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	40	50	19.5%	13.6%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.1%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	10	0.0%	1.4%
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.6%
Construction	80	100	19.0%	27.9%
Education and Training	10	10	-12.5%	1.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	< 5	-66.7%	0.3%
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	< 5	-66.7%	0.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	30	10	-66.7%	2.8%
Information Media and Telecommunications	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.6%
Manufacturing	30	30	-21.9%	7.0%
Mining	20	20	6.3%	4.7%
Other Services	50	40	-17.0%	12.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	20	20	29.4%	6.1%
Public Administration and Safety	20	50	100.0%	12.8%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	< 5	-50.0%	0.8%
Retail Trade	10	20	33.3%	4.5%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	10	0.0%	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Total	350	360	3.5%	100.0%

4.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

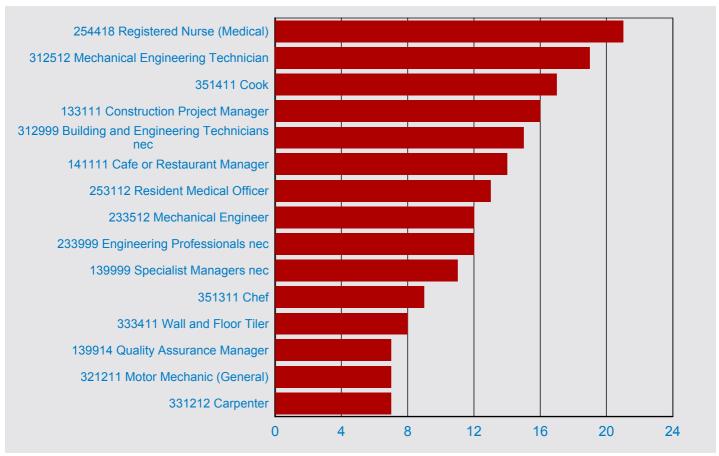
Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	60	70	21.8%	18.7%
2 Professionals	120	120	1.7%	33.7%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	150	150	0.0%	41.5%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	10	-21.4%	3.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	10	25.0%	1.4%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	< 5	50.0%	0.8%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	< 5	< 5	-33.3%	0.6%
8 Labourers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.3%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	350	360	3.5%	100.0%

4 NT

4.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	10	20	200.0%	5.8%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	20	20	26.7%	5.3%
351411 Cook	20	20	6.3%	4.7%
133111 Construction Project Manager	10	20	33.3%	4.5%
312999 Building and Engineering Technicians nec	< 5	20	1 400.0%	4.2%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	10	10	55.6%	3.9%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	< 5	10	550.0%	3.6%
233512 Mechanical Engineer	10	10	50.0%	3.3%
233999 Engineering Professionals nec	10	10	140.0%	3.3%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	< 5	10	1 000.0%	3.1%
351311 Chef	10	10	80.0%	2.5%
333411 Wall and Floor Tiler	10	10	0.0%	2.2%
139914 Quality Assurance Manager	< 5	10	75.0%	1.9%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	10	10	-46.2%	1.9%
331212 Carpenter	10	10	40.0%	1.9%
Other Occupations	240	170	-27.5%	47.6%
Total	350	360	3.5%	100.0%

4.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

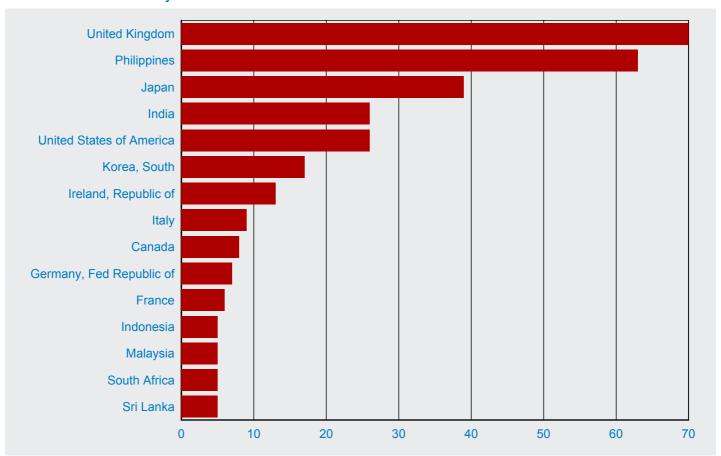


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4.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
United Kingdom	60	70	27.3%	19.5%
Philippines	60	60	8.6%	17.5%
Japan	50	40	-17.0%	10.9%
India	40	30	-27.8%	7.2%
United States of America	20	30	36.8%	7.2%
Korea, South	10	20	183.3%	4.7%
Ireland, Republic of	30	10	-51.9%	3.6%
Italy	10	10	28.6%	2.5%
Canada	10	10	33.3%	2.2%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	10	16.7%	1.9%
France	10	10	20.0%	1.7%
Indonesia	10	10	-16.7%	1.4%
Malaysia	< 5	10	150.0%	1.4%
South Africa	10	10	-28.6%	1.4%
Sri Lanka	10	10	0.0%	1.4%
Other Countries	60	60	0.0%	15.3%
Total	350	360	3.5%	100.0%

4.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory



Queensland

5 QLD

5 QLD

5.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Queensland

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	460	440	-4.3%	15.6%
Administrative and Support Services	20	20	13.3%	0.6%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	70	110	53.4%	3.9%
Arts and Recreation Services	20	30	36.8%	0.9%
Construction	160	130	-19.4%	4.4%
Education and Training	180	190	3.3%	6.7%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	30	30	0.0%	1.1%
Financial and Insurance Services	40	50	19.5%	1.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	550	620	12.8%	21.7%
Information Media and Telecommunications	160	190	18.4%	6.8%
Manufacturing	160	210	35.0%	7.5%
Mining	150	110	-29.1%	3.7%
Other Services	410	320	-23.4%	11.1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	170	230	34.5%	8.0%
Public Administration and Safety	< 5	< 5	-75.0%	0.0%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	20	30	58.8%	1.0%
Retail Trade	100	80	-14.4%	2.9%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	40	40	5.3%	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	40	30	-29.5%	1.1%
Total	2,770	2,840	2.5%	100.0%

5.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Queensland

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	600	500	-16.8%	17.6%
2 Professionals	1,340	1,400	4.2%	49.2%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	600	680	13.2%	23.9%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	70	60	-15.3%	2.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	40	30	-29.3%	1.0%
6 Sales Workers	20	30	17.4%	1.0%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	< 5	10	100.0%	0.2%
8 Labourers	20	10	-35.0%	0.5%
Not Recorded	70	130	78.1%	4.6%
Total	2,770	2,840	2.5%	100.0%

5 QLD

5.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Queensland

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
351411 Cook	170	200	20.1%	7.1%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	160	190	20.5%	6.8%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	220	170	-25.3%	5.8%
253111 General Practitioner	150	150	0.7%	5.4%
- Skilled Meat Worker	70	100	38.4%	3.6%
242111 University Lecturer	80	90	8.9%	3.0%
351311 Chef	70	70	-4.3%	2.4%
261312 Developer Programmer	50	60	7.8%	1.9%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	40	50	28.2%	1.8%
221111 Accountant (General)	30	50	58.1%	1.7%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	40	50	17.5%	1.7%
254412 Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	30	50	70.4%	1.6%
253999 Medical Practitioners nec	30	40	30.3%	1.5%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	50	40	-21.2%	1.4%
224711 Management Consultant	40	40	8.6%	1.3%
Other Occupations	1,540	1,500	-2.4%	52.9%
Total	2,770	2,840	2.5%	100.0%

5.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Queensland

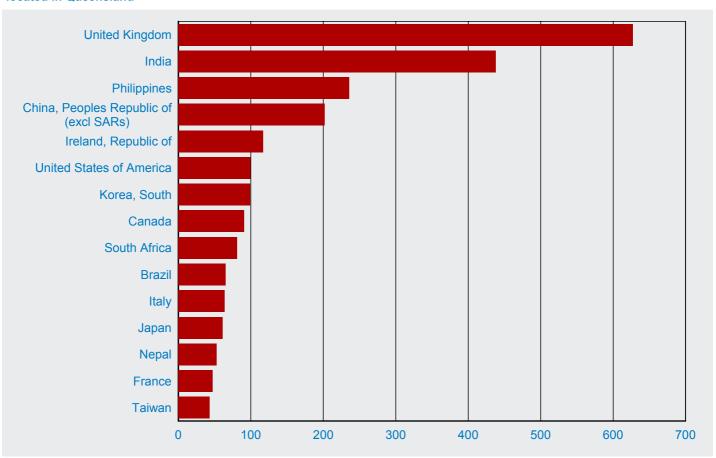


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5.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Queensland

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
United Kingdom	540	630	15.7%	22.1%
India	510	440	-13.6%	15.4%
Philippines	160	240	45.7%	8.3%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	240	200	-15.1%	7.1%
Ireland, Republic of	120	120	1.7%	4.1%
United States of America	140	100	-29.6%	3.5%
Korea, South	90	100	15.1%	3.5%
Canada	70	90	30.0%	3.2%
South Africa	60	80	35.0%	2.9%
Brazil	40	70	58.5%	2.3%
Italy	80	60	-15.8%	2.3%
Japan	60	60	-4.7%	2.1%
Nepal	40	50	32.5%	1.9%
France	60	50	-21.7%	1.7%
Taiwan	30	40	26.5%	1.5%
Other Countries	540	520	-3.6%	18.2%
Total	2,770	2,840	2.5%	100.0%

5.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Queensland



South Australia

6 SA

6.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in South Australia

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	80	60	-21.5%	11.0%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	20	60	189.5%	9.8%
Arts and Recreation Services	20	30	68.8%	4.8%
Construction	10	10	0.0%	2.5%
Education and Training	40	50	31.6%	8.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	20	650.0%	2.7%
Financial and Insurance Services	10	< 5	-20.0%	0.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	120	130	5.8%	22.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	30	20	-29.4%	4.3%
Manufacturing	100	40	-59.4%	6.9%
Mining	10	10	-46.2%	1.2%
Other Services	80	50	-38.1%	9.2%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	40	60	51.4%	9.9%
Public Administration and Safety	10	< 5	-62.5%	0.5%
Retail Trade	20	10	-6.7%	2.5%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	< 5	< 5	-25.0%	0.5%
Wholesale Trade	10	10	11.1%	1.8%
Total	590	560	-5.2%	100.0%

6.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in South Australia

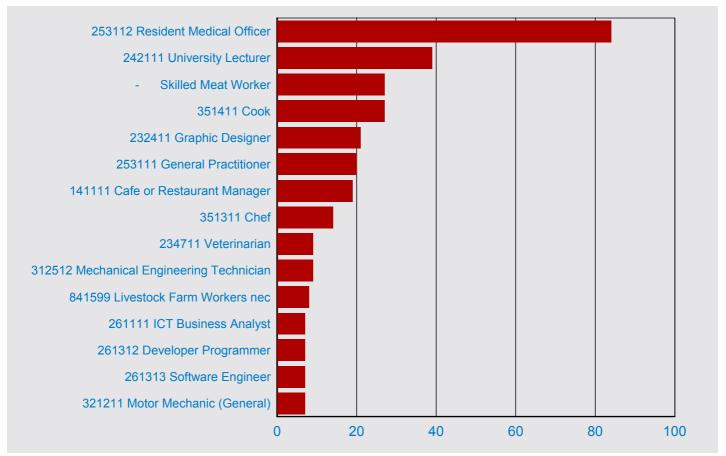
Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	90	90	3.4%	16.3%
2 Professionals	250	290	13.4%	51.0%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	150	140	-7.5%	24.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	20	10	-73.9%	1.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.5%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.2%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.4%
8 Labourers	< 5	10	400.0%	1.8%
Not Recorded	80	30	-64.0%	4.8%
Total	590	560	-5.2%	100.0%

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6.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in South Australia

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
253112 Resident Medical Officer	60	80	31.3%	14.9%
242111 University Lecturer	20	40	77.3%	6.9%
- Skilled Meat Worker	80	30	-64.0%	4.8%
351411 Cook	40	30	-25.0%	4.8%
232411 Graphic Designer	10	20	133.3%	3.7%
253111 General Practitioner	20	20	-4.8%	3.6%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	20	-9.5%	3.4%
351311 Chef	20	10	-26.3%	2.5%
234711 Veterinarian	< 5	10	800.0%	1.6%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	10	10	28.6%	1.6%
841599 Livestock Farm Workers nec	0	10	0.0%	1.4%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	10	10	16.7%	1.2%
261312 Developer Programmer	20	10	-56.3%	1.2%
261313 Software Engineer	< 5	10	75.0%	1.2%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	10	10	16.7%	1.2%
Other Occupations	290	260	-10.1%	45.8%
Total	590	560	-5.2%	100.0%

6.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in South Australia

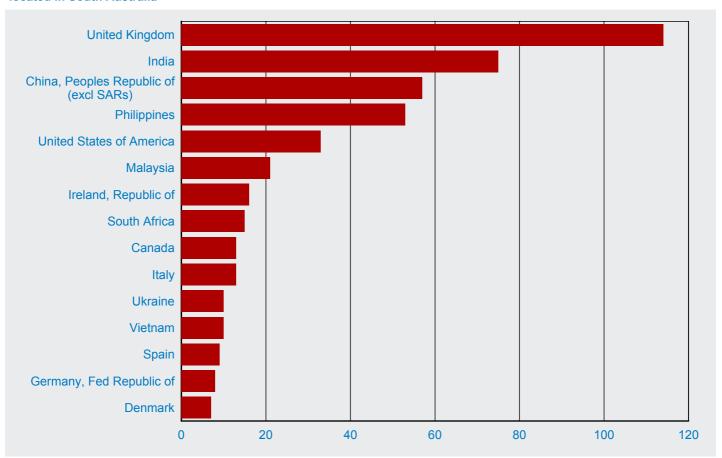


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6.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in South Australia

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
United Kingdom	110	110	4.6%	20.2%
India	110	80	-31.8%	13.3%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	120	60	-51.7%	10.1%
Philippines	30	50	103.8%	9.4%
United States of America	40	30	-5.7%	5.9%
Malaysia	10	20	320.0%	3.7%
Ireland, Republic of	10	20	100.0%	2.8%
South Africa	10	20	150.0%	2.7%
Canada	10	10	116.7%	2.3%
Italy	10	10	-7.1%	2.3%
Ukraine	< 5	10	400.0%	1.8%
Vietnam	30	10	-63.0%	1.8%
Spain	10	10	-25.0%	1.6%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	10	33.3%	1.4%
Denmark	< 5	10	133.3%	1.2%
Other Countries	110	110	1.9%	19.4%
Total	590	560	-5.2%	100.0%

6.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in South Australia



Tasmania

7.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	20	20	4.8%	20.8%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.9%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	10	-11.1%	7.5%
Construction	0	< 5		1.9%
Education and Training	20	10	-41.7%	13.2%
Health Care and Social Assistance	40	40	-5.4%	33.0%
Information Media and Telecommunications	< 5	10	150.0%	4.7%
Manufacturing	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Mining	0	< 5		0.9%
Other Services	10	10	0.0%	7.5%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	< 5	10	200.0%	5.7%
Public Administration and Safety	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Retail Trade	< 5	< 5	-33.3%	1.9%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.9%
Total	110	110	-5.4%	100.0%

7.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	10	10	0.0%	12.3%
2 Professionals	70	60	-16.2%	58.5%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	30	30	8.0%	25.5%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	3.8%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
6 Sales Workers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	110	110	-5.4%	100.0%

7.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
242111 University Lecturer	20	10	-33.3%	11.3%
351411 Cook	10	10	0.0%	11.3%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	10	10	0.0%	10.4%
351311 Chef	10	10	28.6%	8.5%
253111 General Practitioner	< 5	10	75.0%	6.6%
252511 Physiotherapist	< 5	10	66.7%	4.7%
411611 Massage Therapist	0	< 5	0.0%	3.8%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	< 5	< 5	50.0%	2.8%
261314 Software Tester	0	< 5	0.0%	2.8%
272211 Minister of Religion	< 5	< 5	200.0%	2.8%
121313 Dairy Cattle Farmer	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	1.9%
225113 Marketing Specialist	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.9%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	0	< 5	0.0%	1.9%
261312 Developer Programmer	< 5	< 5	0.0%	1.9%
111211 Corporate General Manager	0	< 5	0.0%	0.9%
Other Occupations	50	30	-40.4%	26.4%
Total	110	110	-5.4%	100.0%

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7.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
India	20	20	46.7%	20.8%
United Kingdom	20	20	-5.9%	15.1%
Malaysia	< 5	10	75.0%	6.6%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	10	10	-14.3%	5.7%
United States of America	10	10	-14.3%	5.7%
Canada	10	< 5	-40.0%	2.8%
Ireland, Republic of	< 5	< 5	-25.0%	2.8%
Jamaica	0	< 5	0.0%	2.8%
Japan	0	< 5	0.0%	2.8%
Mexico	0	< 5	0.0%	2.8%
Spain	< 5	< 5	200.0%	2.8%
Thailand	< 5	< 5	50.0%	2.8%
Chile	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.9%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	< 5	-60.0%	1.9%
Italy	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.9%
Other Countries	40	20	-48.8%	20.8%
Total	110	110	-5.4%	100.0%

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Victoria

8.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Victoria

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	900	790	-12.9%	13.1%
Administrative and Support Services	20	40	94.7%	0.6%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	90	100	16.3%	1.7%
Arts and Recreation Services	70	60	-13.2%	1.0%
Construction	190	230	19.7%	3.8%
Education and Training	320	360	10.8%	6.0%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	30	30	-5.9%	0.5%
Financial and Insurance Services	160	160	0.6%	2.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	500	540	8.6%	9.1%
Information Media and Telecommunications	750	820	10.0%	13.7%
Manufacturing	310	300	-5.4%	4.9%
Mining	30	20	-17.2%	0.4%
Other Services	780	710	-9.4%	11.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	1,120	1,390	24.0%	23.2%
Public Administration and Safety	10	10	-30.0%	0.1%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	30	20	-11.1%	0.4%
Retail Trade	210	250	18.8%	4.2%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	70	70	-1.4%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	80	100	29.1%	1.7%
Total	5,680	6,010	5.7%	100.0%

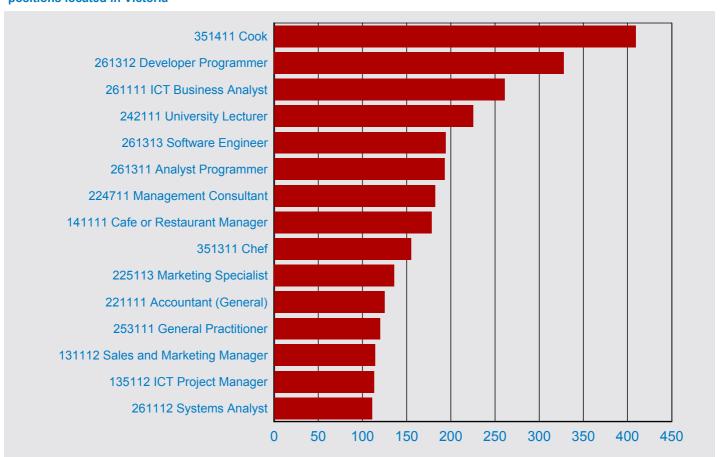
8.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Victoria

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	910	890	-2.5%	14.8%
2 Professionals	3,100	3,460	11.7%	57.6%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	1,530	1,440	-5.9%	24.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	80	100	22.9%	1.7%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	30	40	33.3%	0.7%
6 Sales Workers	20	30	33.3%	0.5%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	< 5	10	100.0%	0.1%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	< 5	40	3 700.0%	0.6%
Total	5,680	6,010	5.7%	100.0%

8.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Victoria

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
351411 Cook	490	410	-17.2%	6.8%
261312 Developer Programmer	260	330	27.6%	5.5%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	250	260	4.4%	4.3%
242111 University Lecturer	190	230	21.0%	3.7%
261313 Software Engineer	170	190	15.5%	3.2%
261311 Analyst Programmer	210	190	-9.4%	3.2%
224711 Management Consultant	150	180	19.0%	3.0%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	220	180	-18.7%	3.0%
351311 Chef	160	160	-3.1%	2.6%
225113 Marketing Specialist	130	140	2.3%	2.3%
221111 Accountant (General)	90	130	38.9%	2.1%
253111 General Practitioner	120	120	2.6%	2.0%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	110	110	4.6%	1.9%
135112 ICT Project Manager	120	110	-1.7%	1.9%
261112 Systems Analyst	110	110	5.7%	1.8%
Other Occupations	2,910	3,160	8.6%	52.7%
Total	5,680	6,010	5.7%	100.0%

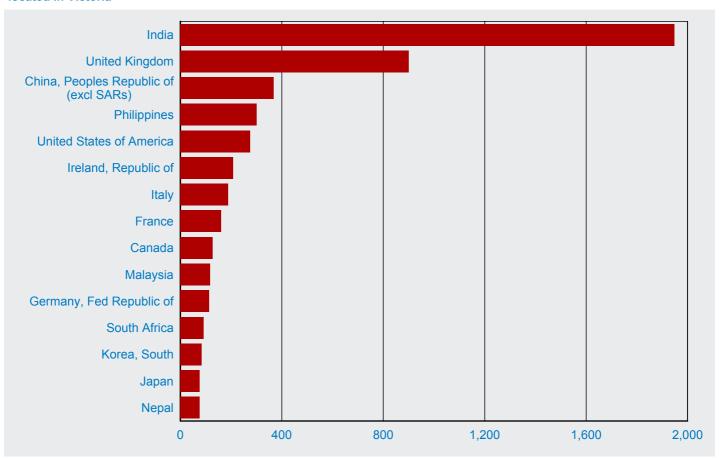
8.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Victoria



8.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Victoria

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
India	2,130	1,950	-8.7%	32.4%
United Kingdom	770	900	17.5%	15.0%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	350	370	4.9%	6.1%
Philippines	210	300	44.0%	5.0%
United States of America	230	280	20.0%	4.6%
Ireland, Republic of	210	210	-0.5%	3.5%
Italy	160	190	16.0%	3.1%
France	140	160	11.9%	2.7%
Canada	120	130	9.5%	2.1%
Malaysia	80	120	47.5%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	110	110	3.7%	1.9%
South Africa	40	90	127.5%	1.5%
Korea, South	70	80	20.0%	1.4%
Japan	100	80	-20.0%	1.3%
Nepal	80	80	-5.1%	1.2%
Other Countries	890	980	9.7%	16.2%
Total	5,680	6,010	5.7%	100.0%

8.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Victoria



Western Australia

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9.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Sponsor Industry	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	420	350	-16.9%	13.3%
Administrative and Support Services	20	< 5	-73.3%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	60	80	33.9%	3.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	10	20	53.8%	0.8%
Construction	550	310	-43.7%	11.8%
Education and Training	110	80	-21.9%	3.1%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	50	40	-11.1%	1.5%
Financial and Insurance Services	20	20	-25.0%	0.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	490	380	-22.0%	14.5%
Information Media and Telecommunications	120	130	11.3%	4.9%
Manufacturing	130	170	31.0%	6.3%
Mining	340	270	-21.8%	10.2%
Other Services	620	350	-43.2%	13.4%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	260	280	8.5%	10.7%
Public Administration and Safety	10	< 5	-40.0%	0.1%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	< 5	-55.6%	0.2%
Retail Trade	110	80	-27.3%	3.0%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	50	40	-14.0%	1.6%
Wholesale Trade	40	20	-36.1%	0.9%
Not Recorded	10	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Total	3,410	2,640	-22.5%	100.0%

9.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Western Australia

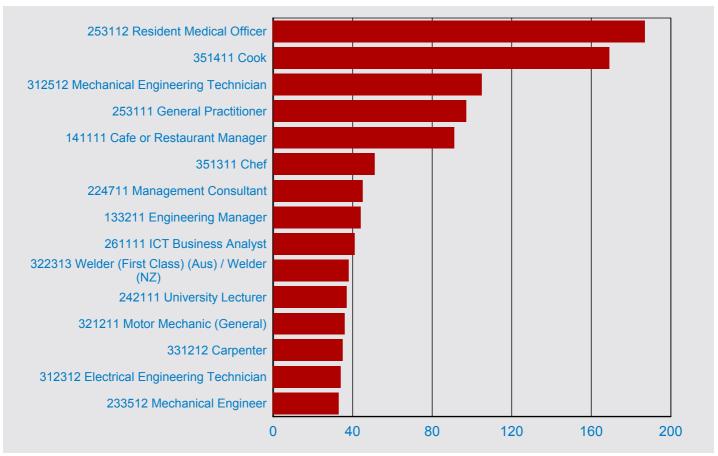
Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2016-17 as % of Total
1 Managers	550	440	-19.0%	16.8%
2 Professionals	1,360	1,110	-18.4%	42.1%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	1,350	920	-31.8%	35.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	60	40	-30.5%	1.6%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	30	30	-10.7%	0.9%
6 Sales Workers	20	10	-47.1%	0.3%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	20	50	113.0%	1.9%
8 Labourers	20	20	40.0%	0.8%
Not Recorded	< 5	20	700.0%	0.6%
Total	3,410	2,640	-22.5%	100.0%

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9.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Nominated Occupation	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
253112 Resident Medical Officer	210	190	-12.2%	7.1%
351411 Cook	200	170	-14.2%	6.4%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	150	110	-29.5%	4.0%
253111 General Practitioner	100	100	-1.0%	3.7%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	130	90	-30.5%	3.4%
351311 Chef	80	50	-34.6%	1.9%
224711 Management Consultant	50	50	-11.8%	1.7%
133211 Engineering Manager	40	40	15.8%	1.7%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	40	40	10.8%	1.6%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	40	40	-11.6%	1.4%
242111 University Lecturer	60	40	-37.3%	1.4%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	40	40	-2.7%	1.4%
331212 Carpenter	70	40	-50.7%	1.3%
312312 Electrical Engineering Technician	80	30	-55.8%	1.3%
233512 Mechanical Engineer	40	30	-15.4%	1.3%
Other Occupations	2,090	1,600	-23.6%	60.5%
Total	3,410	2,640	-22.5%	100.0%

9.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Western Australia



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9.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Citizenship Country	2015-16 to 31/12/15	2016-17 to 31/12/16	% Change from 2015-16	2015-16 as % of Total
United Kingdom	700	490	-29.6%	18.6%
India	320	300	-5.0%	11.4%
Philippines	300	270	-9.3%	10.3%
Ireland, Republic of	320	240	-25.1%	9.1%
United States of America	240	200	-15.0%	7.7%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	180	150	-17.6%	5.5%
Italy	140	110	-23.9%	4.1%
Korea, South	80	70	-13.3%	2.5%
Malaysia	80	60	-26.9%	2.2%
South Africa	70	60	-20.3%	2.1%
France	80	50	-36.9%	2.0%
Japan	50	50	-9.8%	1.7%
Canada	40	50	7.1%	1.7%
Germany, Fed Republic of	50	40	-21.7%	1.4%
Vietnam	30	30	6.3%	1.3%
Other Countries	740	490	-34.0%	18.5%
Total	3,410	2,640	-22.5%	100.0%

9.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2016-17 to 31 December 2016 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

