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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:	<p>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.</p> <p>If the table or graph heading includes the word 'primary', such as 'primary applications' or 'primary visa holders', dependants (secondary applicants) are not included.</p>
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 Remuneration:	The total value of the salary package including base salary, allowances, bonuses and 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.

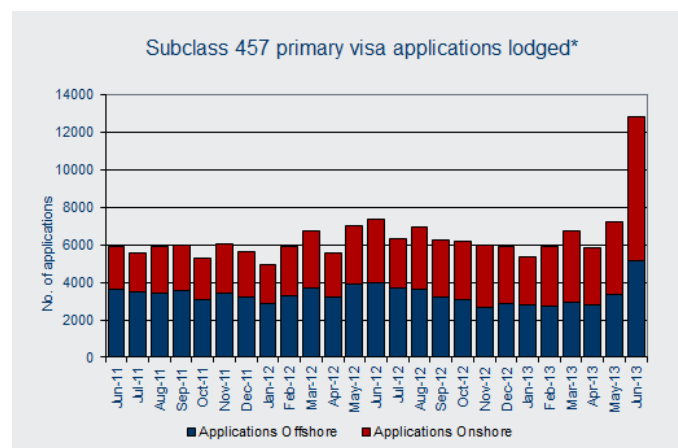
Trends in the subclass 457 Temporary Work (Skilled) visa program in the 2012-13 program year¹ to 30 June 2013

Key points

- The number of subclass 457 primary visa applications lodged in the 2012-13 program year was 13.5 per cent higher than the previous program year.
- The number of onshore primary visa lodgements in the 2012-13 program year increased 38.2 per cent compared with the previous program year.
- The number of subclass 457 primary visas granted in the 2012-13 program year was steady compared with the previous program year.
- The number of primary visa holders in Australia on 30 June 2013 was 18.6 per cent higher than in June 2012, and increased by 1.2 per cent from May 2013.

Visa application trends

The number of subclass 457 primary visa applications lodged in 2012-13 was 81 550, an increase of 13.5 per cent compared with the previous program year which was 71 870. Compared with the previous month the number of primary applications lodged rose 77.2 per cent, from 7230 in May 2013 to 12 810 in June 2013. Many applicants took advantage of the lower application charges which applied prior to 1 July 2013.



In the 2012-13 program year the number of primary applications lodged offshore was 38 940, a decrease of 5.1 per cent compared to the previous program year, which was 41 050. The number of primary applications lodged offshore for June 2013 was 5160, 52.8 per cent higher compared to May 2013, which was 3380.

The number of primary applications lodged onshore in the 2012-13 program year was 42 610, which was 38.2 per cent higher compared to the previous program year. Primary applications lodged onshore for June 2013 was 7640, 98.6 per cent higher compared to May 2013, which was 3850.

The number of Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO)² Major Group 3 (Technicians and Trades Workers) primary applications lodged in the 2012-13 program year was 22 410, 20.8 per cent higher compared with the previous program year, which was 18 550.

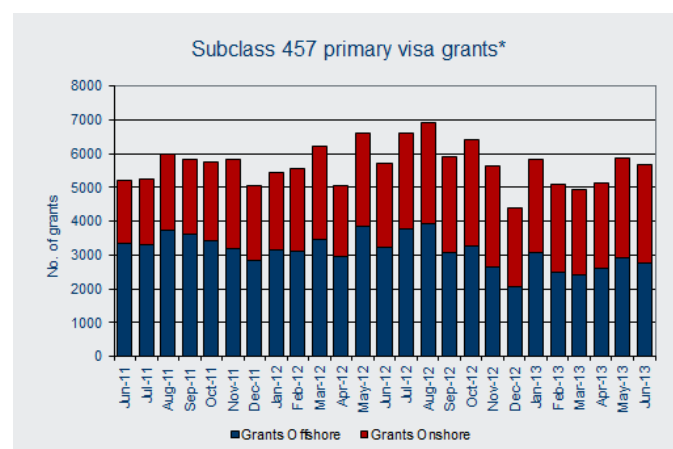
¹ Program year corresponds to financial year.

² The Department of Immigration and Citizenship replaced the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) with the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) from 1 July 2010. This will affect comparisons between the earlier period and the subsequent program years.

During the 2012-13 program year the number of ANZSCO Major Group 1 (Managers) primary applications lodged was 16 240, an increase of 56.6 per cent compared to the previous program year, which was 10 370. The number of ANZSCO Major Group 2 (Professionals) primary applications lodged was 35 350, a decrease of 6.1 per cent compared with the previous program year, which was 37 640.

Visa grant trends³

The number of subclass 457 primary visas granted in 2012-13 was 68 480, which was steady compared with 68 310 primary visas granted in the previous program year. While there has been a general downward trend in visa grants since the peak in August 2012, the number of primary visas granted in June 2013 was 5670, 3.2 per cent lower than May 2013, which was 5860.



In the 2012-13 program year, offshore primary visa grants were 35 040, 12.2 per cent lower compared with the previous program year, which was 39 910. The number of offshore primary visas granted in June 2013 was 2770, a decrease of 4.5 per cent compared with May 2013, which was 2900.

In the 2012-13 program year, onshore primary visa grants were 33 440, an increase of 17.8 per cent compared with the previous program year, which was 28 400. The number of onshore primary visas granted in June 2013 was 2910, a decrease of 2.0 per cent compared with May 2013, which was 2970.

³ The rate at which visa applications are processed is subject to a number of variables including: the number of working days in a month, the number of public holidays and the occurrence of school holidays.

In the 2012-13 program year, Managers and Professionals accounted for 66.0 per cent of total visa grants (recording 11 740 and 33 440 visa grants, respectively). Technician and Trades Workers was the next highest with 18 230 visa grants, which was 26.6 per cent of total grants.

In the 2012-13 program year the largest nominated position location for primary 457 visa grants was New South Wales (35.3 per cent). The next largest locations were Western Australia (21.4 per cent) and Victoria (21.0 per cent). These states were also the top three nominated position locations for primary subclass 457 visa grants in the previous program year.

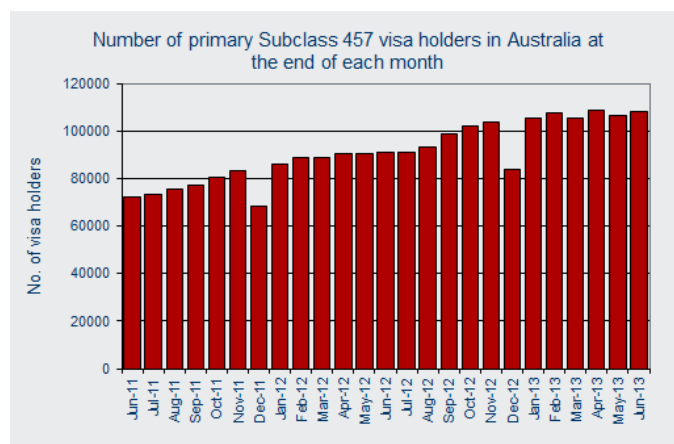
The top three industries for primary visa grants in the 2012-13 program year were Other Services (12.3 per cent), Construction (11.5 per cent) and Health Care and Social Assistance (10.9 per cent).

Primary subclass 457 visa grants to Cooks represented 4.4 per cent of total primary grants in the 2012-13 program year, compared to 2.3 per cent for the previous program year. Cooks were the largest occupation for primary visa grants in the 2012-13 program year. Program or Project Administrators recorded the second largest primary visa grants at 3.2 per cent of total primary visa grants. They were followed by Café or Restaurant Managers at 2.8 per cent of total primary visa grants.

The top three citizenship countries for primary visa grants in the 2012-13 program year were India (20.8 per cent), the United Kingdom (19.4 per cent) and the Republic of Ireland (9.6 per cent).

Number of primary subclass 457 visa holders in Australia

The number of primary visa holders in Australia on 30 June 2013 was 107 970. This was an increase of 18.6 per cent compared with the previous program year, which was 91 050.



Flow of subclass 457 visa holders to permanent residence

In the 2012-13 program year, the number of subclass 457 visa holders who were granted a permanent residence/provisional visa was steady at 40 450 compared with the previous program year, which was 40 490.



The number of subclass 457 visa holders who were granted a permanent residence/provisional visa in June 2013 was 3300, 49.6 per cent lower compared with May 2013 (which was 6540). The high number of subclass 457 visa holders who were granted a permanent residence/provisional visa in April 2013 (5190) and May 2013 (6540) reflected an increase in the processing of permanent ENS and RSMS visas, many of whom last held subclass 457 visas.

Number of permanent / provisional visa grants in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 where the previous visa held was a subclass 457 visa

Permanent Visa	Grants to subclass 457 holders	% of total
ENS	21 320	52.7%
RSMS	7 810	19.3%
LA	1 060	2.6%
Skilled Independent	6 350	15.7%
Other skilled	1 940	4.8%
Sub-total Skilled stream	38 470	95.1%
Partner	1 750	4.3%
Other family	220	0.6%
Sub-total Family stream	1 980	4.9%
Total	40 450	100.0%

The majority (95.1 per cent) of permanent visa grants to subclass 457 visa holders in the 2012-13 program year were in the skill stream, with the remaining 4.9 per cent of permanent visa grants in the family stream.

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Table 1.01 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Nominated Position Location	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30 /06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	1 160	1 080	-6.6%	1.3%
New South Wales	23 360	28 760	23.1%	35.3%
Northern Territory	1 050	1 060	1.4%	1.3%
Queensland	11 900	12 550	5.4%	15.4%
South Australia	1 890	2 450	29.3%	3.0%
Tasmania	290	440	49.1%	0.5%
Victoria	14 640	17 960	22.6%	22.0%
Western Australia	17 130	16 130	-5.9%	19.8%
Not Recorded	450	1 130	152.5%	1.4%
Total	71 870	81 550	13.5%	100.0%

Table 1.02 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30 /06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	4 660	10 480	125.0%	12.9%
Administrative and Support Services	360	370	1.7%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1 090	1 770	63.1%	2.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	900	900	-0.8%	1.1%
Construction	9 160	8 870	-3.2%	10.9%
Education and Training	3 440	3 730	8.6%	4.6%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1 100	1 300	18.7%	1.6%
Financial and Insurance Services	2 450	2 550	4.2%	3.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	8 150	7 700	-5.5%	9.4%
Information Media and Telecommunications	7 520	7 200	-4.2%	8.8%
Manufacturing	4 490	4 310	-4.0%	5.3%
Mining	6 640	4 750	-28.5%	5.8%
Other Services	8 890	10 450	17.6%	12.8%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	4 880	5 990	22.8%	7.3%
Public Administration and Safety	580	600	2.6%	0.7%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1 430	570	-60.3%	0.7%
Retail Trade	2 550	4 680	83.5%	5.7%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	880	1 330	51.1%	1.6%
Wholesale Trade	1 400	2 180	56.1%	2.7%
Not Recorded	1 330	1 830	37.6%	2.2%
Total	71 870	81 550	13.5%	100.0%

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Table 1.03 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30 /06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	10 370	16 240	56.6%	19.9%
2 Professionals	37 640	35 350	-6.1%	43.4%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	18 550	22 410	20.8%	27.5%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	940	1 350	43.5%	1.7%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	2 750	3 350	22.0%	4.1%
6 Sales Workers	70	470	568.6%	0.6%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	520	470	-10.5%	0.6%
8 Labourers	440	150	-67.0%	0.2%
Not Recorded	600	1 770	194.8%	2.2%
Total	71 870	81 550	13.5%	100.0%

Table 1.04 Number of applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated position location and applicant type

Nominated Position Location	Primary Applications	% of Primary Applications	Secondary Applications	% of Secondary Applications	Total Applications	% of Total Applications
Australian Capital Territory	940	1.4%	850	1.5%	1 780	1.4%
New South Wales	24 160	35.3%	19 210	33.2%	43 370	34.3%
Northern Territory	910	1.3%	660	1.1%	1 570	1.2%
Queensland	10 950	16.0%	10 160	17.6%	21 110	16.7%
South Australia	2 030	3.0%	1 940	3.3%	3 960	3.1%
Tasmania	370	0.5%	300	0.5%	670	0.5%
Victoria	14 390	21.0%	11 930	20.6%	26 320	20.8%
Western Australia	14 660	21.4%	12 310	21.3%	26 970	21.3%
Not Recorded	80	0.1%	520	0.9%	600	0.5%
Total	68 480	100.0%	57 870	100.0%	126 350	100.0%

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Table 1.05 Top 15 Citizenship countries for applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by applicant type

Citizenship Country	Primary Applications	% of Primary Applications	Secondary Applications	% of Secondary Applications	Total Applications	% of Total Applications
India	14 250	20.8%	12 960	22.4%	27 210	21.5%
United Kingdom	13 310	19.4%	10 840	18.7%	24 150	19.1%
Ireland, Republic of	6 570	9.6%	3 720	6.4%	10 290	8.1%
Philippines	4 070	5.9%	3 930	6.8%	8 000	6.3%
United States of America	4 060	5.9%	3 000	5.2%	7 060	5.6%
China, Peoples Republic of	3 730	5.4%	2 880	5.0%	6 610	5.2%
South Africa	1 050	1.5%	1 820	3.1%	2 870	2.3%
Korea, South	1 460	2.1%	1 360	2.4%	2 820	2.2%
Canada	1 680	2.4%	990	1.7%	2 670	2.1%
France	1 370	2.0%	1 050	1.8%	2 420	1.9%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1 320	1.9%	720	1.2%	2 030	1.6%
Japan	970	1.4%	940	1.6%	1 910	1.5%
Nepal	1 010	1.5%	880	1.5%	1 890	1.5%
Italy	1 100	1.6%	600	1.0%	1 710	1.4%
Malaysia	940	1.4%	590	1.0%	1 540	1.2%
Other countries	11 600	16.9%	11 580	20.0%	23 180	18.3%
Total	68 480	100.0%	57 870	100.0%	126 350	100.0%

Table 1.06 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by government sector and nominated position location

Government Sector	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Australian Government	40	50	0	20	10	10	40	10	0	180
State/Territory Govt	120	1 260	140	520	290	70	910	620	0	3 930
Local Government	0	20	0	10	0	0	20	40	0	80
Non-government	780	22 830	770	10 390	1 730	300	13 430	13 980	80	64 300
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480
Govt % of Total	16.7%	5.5%	15.8%	5.0%	14.8%	20.1%	6.7%	4.6%	0.0%	6.1%

Table 1.07 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Nominated Position Location	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	1 140	940	-17.4%	1.4%
New South Wales	22 560	24 160	7.1%	35.3%
Northern Territory	1 000	910	-8.7%	1.3%
Queensland	11 310	10 950	-3.2%	16.0%
South Australia	1 810	2 030	12.0%	3.0%
Tasmania	280	370	33.2%	0.5%
Victoria	13 680	14 390	5.2%	21.0%
Western Australia	16 290	14 660	-10.0%	21.4%
Not Recorded	250	80	-67.6%	0.1%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

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Table 1.08 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	\$54 800	\$55 800	\$55 000	\$54 500	\$53 500	\$53 800	\$54 100	\$55 400	< 5	\$55 000
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$74 300	< 5	\$72 300	< 5		\$67 300	\$89 300		\$76 600
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	\$57 500	\$63 300	\$57 600	\$61 700	\$65 500	\$72 300	\$63 500	< 5	\$64 500
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	\$89 300	\$55 400	\$63 600	\$85 200	< 5	\$66 500	\$60 600		\$78 300
Construction	\$61 300	\$75 400	\$91 000	\$99 400	\$63 400	\$54 600	\$69 300	\$96 400	\$100 400	\$89 200
Education and Training	\$84 600	\$79 600	\$84 200	\$76 200	\$81 900	\$91 700	\$76 400	\$81 600	< 5	\$79 000
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	\$81 900	\$77 100	\$128 200	\$86 500	\$68 800	\$84 300	\$90 300	< 5	\$97 100
Financial and Insurance Services	\$102 200	\$106 900	\$73 800	\$89 500	\$92 400	\$56 400	\$89 000	\$93 900		\$100 200
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$75 300	\$77 100	\$75 400	\$83 900	\$81 700	\$97 900	\$77 900	\$86 000		\$80 300
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$81 700	\$81 000	\$76 700	\$75 500	\$75 400	\$66 700	\$79 100	\$75 100	\$67 100	\$79 800
Manufacturing	\$80 000	\$92 000	\$54 400	\$71 000	\$69 900	\$80 100	\$81 500	\$70 900	\$116 700	\$78 400
Mining		\$107 300	\$101 000	\$124 800	\$118 900	\$110 200	\$142 100	\$119 600	\$89 700	\$120 700
Other Services	\$74 500	\$75 200	\$83 000	\$72 000	\$73 700	\$75 900	\$69 700	\$94 000	\$63 900	\$77 500
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$105 400	\$83 500	\$101 200	\$89 700	\$85 000	\$126 900	\$78 200	\$99 500	< 5	\$84 600
Public Administration and Safety	\$101 800	\$90 200	\$77 800	\$82 000	\$79 000	\$102 800	\$82 800	\$92 800		\$84 900
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$73 100	\$80 000	\$66 400	\$85 300	< 5	\$73 200	\$56 900	< 5	\$70 000
Retail Trade	\$56 300	\$73 100	\$55 000	\$58 300	\$63 300	\$52 600	\$81 000	\$57 600	< 5	\$69 300
Transport Postal and Warehousing	\$102 600	\$87 600	\$72 500	\$88 700	\$82 200		\$83 100	\$77 200	< 5	\$84 600
Wholesale Trade	< 5	\$86 200	\$70 700	\$109 800	\$64 200	< 5	\$85 000	\$98 400		\$90 000
Not Recorded	\$110 700	\$105 300	\$155 000	\$111 600	\$135 900	\$84 300	\$88 700	\$118 700	\$88 100	\$107 700
Total	\$77 400	\$79 000	\$81 300	\$84 800	\$78 800	\$83 600	\$75 200	\$92 500	\$183 400	\$82 100

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Table 1.09 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	\$56 200	\$56 800	\$55 300	\$55 100	\$55 000	\$54 500	\$54 500	\$57 000	< 5	\$55 800
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$75 600	< 5	\$73 300	< 5		\$72 200	\$90 800		\$78 600
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	\$59 800	\$63 300	\$58 200	\$65 400	\$67 000	\$76 200	\$65 700		\$62 300
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	\$89 500	\$56 400	\$65 000	\$85 700	< 5	\$67 700	\$61 900		\$79 100
Construction	\$63 200	\$79 100	\$101 900	\$118 000	\$65 400	\$54 600	\$72 300	\$112 100	\$117 200	\$101 300
Education and Training	\$90 900	\$82 100	\$84 500	\$81 000	\$84 000	\$93 700	\$77 900	\$88 300	< 5	\$82 300
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	\$87 100	\$75 000	\$148 800	\$111 700	\$96 600	\$95 500	\$93 300	< 5	\$107 200
Financial and Insurance Services	\$103 400	\$118 200	\$73 800	\$96 900	\$87 200	\$56 400	\$100 600	\$108 900		\$111 400
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$79 500	\$79 100	\$76 600	\$89 500	\$82 200	\$102 800	\$80 400	\$87 800		\$82 900
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$94 600	\$86 600	\$78 900	\$81 400	\$80 400	\$81 000	\$84 400	\$78 500	\$126 100	\$85 400
Manufacturing	\$90 900	\$102 900	\$56 000	\$76 000	\$74 400	\$95 600	\$107 900	\$74 400	< 5	\$89 700
Mining		\$118 100	\$114 600	\$142 100	\$129 800	\$113 300	\$192 900	\$143 500	\$107 600	\$142 600
Other Services	\$81 700	\$80 600	\$85 100	\$79 900	\$79 200	\$86 500	\$78 600	\$103 700	\$70 000	\$85 000
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$105 400	\$88 200	\$103 500	\$94 300	\$92 100	\$126 900	\$84 300	\$102 100	< 5	\$89 500
Public Administration and Safety	\$114 900	\$93 700	\$83 100	\$91 400	\$128 500	\$111 800	\$88 300	\$113 000		\$98 800
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$75 600	\$86 000	\$67 900	\$85 300	< 5	\$74 500	\$57 400	< 5	\$71 800
Retail Trade	\$57 300	\$76 900	\$55 700	\$60 900	\$66 300	\$54 300	\$84 100	\$58 700	< 5	\$72 200
Transport Postal and Warehousing	\$102 900	\$98 900	\$78 500	\$93 200	\$90 700		\$89 200	\$85 900		\$92 400
Wholesale Trade	< 5	\$97 300	\$82 600	\$119 300	\$68 900	< 5	\$92 200	\$106 600		\$99 200
Not Recorded	< 5	\$84 400		\$190 600		< 5	\$68 600	\$78 400	< 5	\$100 100
Total	\$81 900	\$83 500	\$84 700	\$93 300	\$83 600	\$89 400	\$81 700	\$103 100	\$99 700	\$88 900

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Table 1.10 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	3 660	6 790	85.7%	9.9%
Administrative and Support Services	320	290	-8.8%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	980	1 390	40.9%	2.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	930	820	-11.8%	1.2%
Construction	9 160	7 870	-14.1%	11.5%
Education and Training	3 410	3 460	1.4%	5.1%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1 050	1 200	13.9%	1.7%
Financial and Insurance Services	2 510	2 360	-6.3%	3.4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	7 870	7 430	-5.6%	10.9%
Information Media and Telecommunications	7 520	6 700	-11.0%	9.8%
Manufacturing	4 100	3 800	-7.5%	5.5%
Mining	6 460	4 630	-28.4%	6.8%
Other Services	7 900	8 440	6.8%	12.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	4 890	5 580	14.1%	8.1%
Public Administration and Safety	500	560	10.9%	0.8%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1 500	440	-70.5%	0.6%
Retail Trade	2 220	3 070	38.6%	4.5%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	850	1 000	17.4%	1.5%
Wholesale Trade	1 310	1 610	23.2%	2.4%
Not Recorded	1 180	1 070	-9.0%	1.6%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

Table 1.11 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	100	2 530	70	1 300	110	10	1 810	850	< 5	6 790
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	130	< 5	20	< 5	0	70	70	0	290
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	350	10	570	60	50	160	190	< 5	1 390
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	420	10	80	40	< 5	230	40	0	820
Construction	70	1 570	230	1 760	200	10	700	3 320	10	7 870
Education and Training	230	1 070	20	640	210	40	890	370	< 5	3 460
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	220	10	300	40	20	140	460	< 5	1 200
Financial and Insurance Services	10	1 410	10	180	30	10	450	270	0	2 360
Health Care and Social Assistance	170	2 650	50	1 190	460	100	1 640	1 160	0	7 430
Information Media and Telecommunications	40	4 200	10	330	40	20	1 660	390	10	6 700
Manufacturing	10	920	80	580	190	10	950	1 070	10	3 800
Mining	0	230	80	1 200	160	20	170	2 760	10	4 630
Other Services	160	3 370	70	1 010	150	20	1 890	1 760	10	8 440
Professional, Scientific and Technical	50	2 220	20	540	70	10	1 960	710	< 5	5 580
Public Administration and Safety	40	90	140	40	80	10	100	70	0	560
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	210	10	80	10	< 5	80	70	< 5	440
Retail Trade	40	1 240	40	500	60	10	690	490	< 5	3 070
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	310	10	190	20	0	250	190	< 5	1 000
Wholesale Trade	< 5	680	10	240	70	< 5	400	210	0	1 610
Not Recorded	20	350	30	180	30	50	170	230	30	1 070
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480

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Table 1.12 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	9 770	11 740	20.3%	17.1%
2 Professionals	37 510	33 440	-10.8%	48.8%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	16 510	18 230	10.4%	26.6%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	800	1 060	31.6%	1.5%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	2 440	2 590	6.4%	3.8%
6 Sales Workers	60	260	371.4%	0.4%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	480	420	-12.2%	0.6%
8 Labourers	400	100	-74.8%	0.1%
Not Recorded	350	630	78.1%	0.9%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

Table 1.13 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 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	130	4 750	140	2 050	300	50	2 200	2 110	20	11 740
2 Professionals	610	13 460	340	4 560	990	240	7 720	5 500	20	33 440
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	160	4 130	380	3 170	550	80	3 730	6 000	20	18 230
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	20	390	20	120	20	< 5	310	180	< 5	1 060
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	20	1 190	20	370	50	< 5	350	590	< 5	2 590
6 Sales Workers	< 5	100	< 5	50	< 5	< 5	30	80	0	260
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	20	10	200	10	0	40	140	0	420
8 Labourers	0	10	0	30	10	0	0	50	0	100
Not Recorded	0	110	0	390	90	< 5	< 5	10	20	630
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480

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Table 1.14 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 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	\$89 700	\$103 600	\$99 500	\$109 500	\$102 900	\$85 900	\$102 900	\$125 900	\$109 100	\$108 200
2 Professionals	\$81 400	\$78 800	\$89 600	\$87 600	\$83 900	\$87 000	\$77 200	\$100 700	\$328 100	\$83 800
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$58 700	\$59 100	\$68 100	\$70 400	\$61 700	\$73 200	\$57 100	\$75 400	\$67 200	\$66 400
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	\$54 200	\$62 700	\$53 400	\$61 700	\$76 200	< 5	\$58 300	\$57 400		\$60 300
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	\$55 300	\$61 100	\$86 300	\$77 400	\$65 800	< 5	\$63 000	\$87 900		\$70 000
6 Sales Workers	< 5	\$70 600	< 5	\$53 700	< 5	< 5	\$74 000	\$54 000		\$62 200
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$74 000	\$78 800	\$100 100	\$131 600		\$84 900	\$102 000		\$98 200
8 Labourers		\$51 100		\$57 100	\$51 000			\$55 600		\$55 200
Not Recorded		\$51 200		\$51 800	\$51 200	< 5	< 5	\$50 700	< 5	\$51 600
Total	\$77 400	\$79 000	\$81 300	\$84 800	\$78 800	\$83 600	\$75 200	\$92 500	\$183 400	\$82 100

Table 1.15 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 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	\$94 200	\$110 800	\$103 300	\$123 400	\$115 400	\$90 700	\$114 000	\$146 400	\$129 100	\$119 700
2 Professionals	\$87 100	\$83 600	\$98 000	\$97 600	\$87 600	\$92 000	\$84 100	\$114 600	\$108 200	\$91 100
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$59 600	\$61 000	\$69 600	\$74 800	\$64 700	\$73 400	\$60 500	\$80 200	\$71 100	\$70 000
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	\$54 900	\$63 600	\$54 900	\$63 000	\$77 600	< 5	\$59 400	\$60 800		\$61 700
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	\$57 100	\$62 100	\$64 000	\$86 300	\$69 500	< 5	\$67 400	\$98 400		\$74 500
6 Sales Workers	< 5	\$71 700	< 5	\$54 300	< 5	< 5	\$74 500	\$54 300		\$62 800
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$74 100	\$78 800	\$105 100	\$136 900		\$115 400	\$116 100		\$108 400
8 Labourers		\$51 100		\$57 700	\$51 000			\$57 300		\$56 200
Not Recorded		\$51 800		\$51 800	\$51 200	< 5	< 5	\$53 300		\$51 800
Total	\$81 900	\$83 500	\$84 700	\$93 300	\$83 600	\$89 400	\$81 700	\$103 100	\$99 700	\$88 900

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Table 1.16 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by skill level of the nominated occupation

Nominated Occupation Skill Level	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Skill Level 1	45 560	40 950	-10.1%	59.8%
Skill Level 2	10 220	12 940	26.6%	18.9%
Skill Level 3	11 270	13 340	18.4%	19.5%
Skill Level 4	650	600	-8.0%	0.9%
Skill Level 5	270	30	-90.3%	0.0%
Not Recorded	350	630	78.1%	0.9%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

Table 1.17 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 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	670	16 290	420	5 790	1 220	280	9 200	7 030	40	40 950
Skill Level 2	140	4 500	190	2 270	280	60	2 130	3 360	10	12 940
Skill Level 3	120	3 200	290	2 250	410	30	3 010	4 010	10	13 340
Skill Level 4	10	60	10	240	20	0	50	220	0	600
Skill Level 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	30
Not Recorded	0	110	0	390	90	< 5	< 5	10	20	630
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480

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Table 1.18 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
351411 Cook	1 560	3 040	94.8%	4.4%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	2 150	2 170	0.7%	3.2%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	640	1 900	199.2%	2.8%
261312 Developer Programmer	2 030	1 790	-11.6%	2.6%
225113 Marketing Specialist	1 440	1 600	11.3%	2.3%
242111 University Lecturer	1 570	1 600	1.8%	2.3%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	1 410	1 510	7.2%	2.2%
221111 Accountant (General)	1 100	1 320	19.6%	1.9%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	1 210	1 310	8.2%	1.9%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	1 080	1 270	18.3%	1.9%
149212 Customer Service Manager	420	1 250	199.3%	1.8%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	1 650	1 240	-24.7%	1.8%
224711 Management Consultant	1 630	1 160	-29.1%	1.7%
351311 Chef	870	1 090	25.1%	1.6%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	970	1 030	5.6%	1.5%
Other Occupations	48 590	45 200	-7.0%	66.0%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

Table 1.19 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
351411 Cook	40	1 000	20	620	40	10	1 030	290	< 5	3 040
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	1 060	20	300	40	< 5	290	440	< 5	2 170
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	40	810	20	390	30	10	350	250	0	1 900
261312 Developer Programmer	30	1 040	0	80	10	< 5	550	80	0	1 790
225113 Marketing Specialist	10	1 000	< 5	140	20	0	330	100	< 5	1 600
242111 University Lecturer	70	520	10	250	110	30	440	170	< 5	1 600
253111 General Medical Practitioner	20	390	10	280	190	40	330	250	0	1 510
221111 Accountant (General)	10	680	20	160	30	10	290	130	0	1 320
261111 ICT Business Analyst	20	680	0	100	10	< 5	410	80	< 5	1 310
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	0	130	20	240	50	40	120	680	< 5	1 270
149212 Customer Service Manager	10	640	10	230	20	< 5	170	170	0	1 250
139999 Specialist Managers nec	10	470	10	240	30	20	220	250	0	1 240
224711 Management Consultant	10	510	< 5	110	10	< 5	330	180	< 5	1 160
351311 Chef	20	380	10	180	20	0	310	160	< 5	1 090
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	10	510	< 5	140	20	0	230	120	< 5	1 030
Other Occupations	630	14 340	760	7 480	1 400	220	9 010	11 310	60	45 200
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480

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Table 1.20 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
India	11 940	14 250	19.3%	20.8%
United Kingdom	15 750	13 310	-15.5%	19.4%
Ireland, Republic of	6 320	6 570	4.0%	9.6%
Philippines	5 000	4 070	-18.5%	5.9%
United States of America	4 840	4 060	-16.0%	5.9%
China, Peoples Republic of	2 590	3 730	44.0%	5.4%
Canada	1 950	1 680	-14.2%	2.4%
Korea, South	900	1 460	61.6%	2.1%
France	1 400	1 370	-1.6%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1 570	1 320	-16.0%	1.9%
Italy	880	1 100	24.9%	1.6%
South Africa	1 550	1 050	-32.1%	1.5%
Nepal	500	1 010	101.6%	1.5%
Japan	870	970	11.2%	1.4%
Malaysia	1 150	940	-17.8%	1.4%
Other Countries	11 110	11 600	4.4%	16.9%
Total	68 310	68 480	0.2%	100.0%

Table 1.21 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Citizenship Country	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
India	180	6 130	60	1 870	230	50	4 760	960	10	14 250
United Kingdom	120	4 750	210	1 990	470	50	2 220	3 470	20	13 310
Ireland, Republic of	60	1 830	140	830	160	20	1 050	2 470	10	6 570
Philippines	50	920	130	720	210	10	470	1 560	< 5	4 070
United States of America	80	1 260	40	760	110	30	780	990	10	4 060
China, Peoples Republic of	80	1 410	20	580	130	10	880	600	< 5	3 730
Canada	30	410	20	490	80	20	300	340	< 5	1 680
Korea, South	50	580	10	200	20	< 5	200	390	0	1 460
France	40	590	10	190	30	< 5	250	260	< 5	1 370
Germany, Fed Republic of	20	520	20	250	40	10	280	190	< 5	1 320
Italy	10	420	10	140	20	< 5	270	230	0	1 100
South Africa	10	230	30	240	40	10	130	360	< 5	1 050
Nepal	10	590	10	80	10	10	250	50	< 5	1 010
Japan	10	380	40	150	20	< 5	220	140	0	970
Malaysia	20	220	10	150	60	20	230	240	0	940
Other Countries	170	3 930	150	2 310	380	140	2 100	2 400	30	11 600
Total	940	24 160	910	10 950	2 030	370	14 390	14 660	80	68 480

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Table 1.22 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Sponsor Industry	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	120	3 670	120	1 900	140	20	2 730	1 280	20	10 010
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	280	10	40	10	0	100	140	< 5	580
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	510	10	720	70	30	240	280	10	1 890
Arts and Recreation Services	10	550	80	130	10	< 5	260	80	10	1 120
Construction	130	3 160	310	2 880	350	10	1 540	5 040	20	13 440
Education and Training	240	1 500	20	760	250	50	1 180	480	< 5	4 490
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	380	20	490	70	10	270	680	< 5	1 930
Financial and Insurance Services	10	2 700	20	300	50	10	860	340	< 5	4 270
Health Care and Social Assistance	250	4 330	70	2 030	710	170	2 670	1 800	10	12 040
Information Media and Telecommunications	80	5 740	20	520	60	20	2 180	520	10	9 140
Manufacturing	10	1 770	110	1 210	250	10	1 530	2 260	10	7 160
Mining	< 5	460	140	2 090	250	40	270	4 600	20	7 860
Other Services	210	5 540	100	1 680	240	30	2 980	2 770	20	13 560
Professional, Scientific and Technical	70	2 940	40	870	110	10	2 580	1 090	10	7 700
Public Administration and Safety	60	180	160	70	80	10	230	140	< 5	940
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	510	10	140	20	< 5	280	140	< 5	1 110
Retail Trade	70	2 000	70	850	100	10	1 270	910	10	5 290
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	550	20	310	30	< 5	390	390	10	1 700
Wholesale Trade	10	1 200	10	320	80	< 5	690	300	< 5	2 610
Not Recorded	10	470	20	160	10	10	200	160	90	1 120
Total	1 330	38 430	1 370	17 470	2 880	450	22 410	23 390	250	107 970

Table 1.23 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2013 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	180	7 340	180	3 070	380	70	3 580	3 420	40	18 250
2 Professionals	810	20 950	520	7 460	1 510	330	11 650	8 660	70	51 940
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	260	6 980	580	5 300	790	40	6 060	9 710	70	29 790
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	40	530	30	170	30	< 5	400	260	< 5	1 470
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	40	2 220	40	640	60	< 5	610	950	< 5	4 560
6 Sales Workers	10	120	< 5	60	< 5	< 5	50	70	< 5	310
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	30	< 5	190	10	0	40	220	0	500
8 Labourers	0	60	20	60	20	0	0	70	0	230
Not Recorded	0	200	0	530	90	< 5	30	30	60	930
Total	1 330	38 430	1 370	17 470	2 880	450	22 410	23 390	250	107 970

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Table 1.24 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2013 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	910	25 700	610	9 510	1 800	390	14 210	11 240	100	64 460
Skill Level 2	200	7 140	260	3 370	370	40	3 400	4 570	40	19 380
Skill Level 3	210	5 260	470	3 790	600	30	4 730	7 230	50	22 370
Skill Level 4	10	120	30	260	30	0	50	290	0	790
Skill Level 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	40	0	50
Not Recorded	0	200	0	530	90	< 5	30	30	60	930
Total	1 330	38 430	1 370	17 470	2 880	450	22 410	23 390	250	107 970

Table 1.25 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Nominated Occupation	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
351411 Cook	50	1 450	20	910	50	10	1 500	410	10	4 410
511112 Program or Project Administrator	30	2 030	30	520	60	< 5	520	720	< 5	3 920
225113 Marketing Specialist	10	1 830	< 5	250	30	< 5	570	160	10	2 880
139999 Specialist Managers nec	20	930	20	430	40	10	510	480	< 5	2 430
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	40	1 010	40	460	40	10	460	360	10	2 420
253111 General Medical Practitioner	40	600	30	470	280	50	570	360	< 5	2 400
261312 Developer Programmer	30	1 200	0	120	10	< 5	730	90	< 5	2 170
221111 Accountant (General)	10	1 030	20	230	20	10	450	220	< 5	2 000
224711 Management Consultant	10	860	< 5	210	20	< 5	580	300	< 5	1 970
351311 Chef	20	630	30	350	20	10	570	320	10	1 960
242111 University Lecturer	60	610	10	300	150	40	530	190	< 5	1 890
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	10	930	< 5	230	30	< 5	410	210	10	1 830
223112 Recruitment Consultant	< 5	990	10	150	20	< 5	300	330	< 5	1 800
331212 Carpenter	30	410	60	200	80	< 5	340	620	< 5	1 730
149212 Customer Service Manager	20	830	20	280	20	< 5	240	230	< 5	1 640
Other Occupations	950	23 080	1 080	12 380	2 030	310	14 140	18 390	190	72 540
Total	1 330	38 430	1 370	17 470	2 880	450	22 410	23 390	250	107 970

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Table 1.26 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary visa holders in Australia as at 30 June 2013 by nominated position location

Citizenship Country	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
United Kingdom	220	9 740	300	3 800	690	80	4 630	6 110	60	25 610
India	220	6 780	110	2 370	340	80	5 860	1 190	20	16 960
Ireland, Republic of	120	3 900	210	1 670	220	10	2 110	4 160	20	12 420
Philippines	110	1 640	270	1 600	350	10	770	3 270	10	8 020
United States of America	90	1 980	50	1 110	130	40	1 000	1 280	10	5 690
China, Peoples Republic of	90	1 790	30	730	140	20	1 220	810	10	4 830
Canada	40	660	30	740	100	30	430	460	10	2 490
South Africa	20	530	40	590	110	20	310	810	10	2 440
France	40	1 040	20	290	40	10	440	380	10	2 270
Korea, South	50	940	10	310	30	10	340	370	10	2 070
Germany, Fed Republic of	20	870	30	280	60	10	460	310	< 5	2 050
Japan	10	740	40	280	40	< 5	370	280	10	1 760
Italy	10	640	10	210	30	< 5	400	310	< 5	1 610
Malaysia	30	320	10	220	90	20	380	390	< 5	1 460
Nepal	20	770	10	130	10	10	380	70	< 5	1 400
Other Countries	260	6 090	210	3 150	500	120	3 310	3 200	70	16 910
Total	1 330	38 430	1 370	17 470	2 880	450	22 410	23 390	250	107 970

Table 1.27 Applications granted for a permanent/provisional visa in 2012-13 as at 30 June 2013 where the applicant last held a Subclass 457 visa

Visa Category	Visa Type	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1.1.1 Economic Migration	Employer Nomination Scheme	24480	21320	-12.9%	52.7%
	Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	7740	7810	0.9%	19.3%
	Labour Agreement	210	1060	413.1%	2.6%
	Skilled Independent	4370	6350	45.2%	15.7%
	Other Skilled	1960	1940	-1.1%	4.8%
	Sub-total	38750	38470	-0.7%	95.1%
1.1.2 Family Migration	Partner	1520	1750	15.5%	4.3%
	Other Family	220	220	2.8%	0.6%
	Sub-total	1740	1980	13.9%	4.9%
Total applications granted:		40490	40450	-0.1%	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.

2 ACT

Australian Capital Territory

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Table 2.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	30	100	187.9%	10.1%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	< 5	-88.9%	0.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	10	< 5	-60.0%	0.2%
Construction	80	70	-2.6%	7.9%
Education and Training	240	230	-4.6%	24.1%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	< 5	-83.3%	0.1%
Financial and Insurance Services	30	10	-80.0%	0.5%
Health Care and Social Assistance	270	170	-36.3%	18.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	110	40	-65.8%	4.1%
Manufacturing	10	10	0.0%	0.6%
Other Services	190	160	-17.9%	16.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	50	50	2.1%	5.1%
Public Administration and Safety	70	40	-44.1%	4.1%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	< 5	-20.0%	0.4%
Retail Trade	30	40	50.0%	4.5%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	< 5	10	166.7%	0.9%
Wholesale Trade	10	< 5	-50.0%	0.3%
Not Recorded	< 5	20	275.0%	1.6%
Total	1 140	940	-17.4%	100.0%

Table 2.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

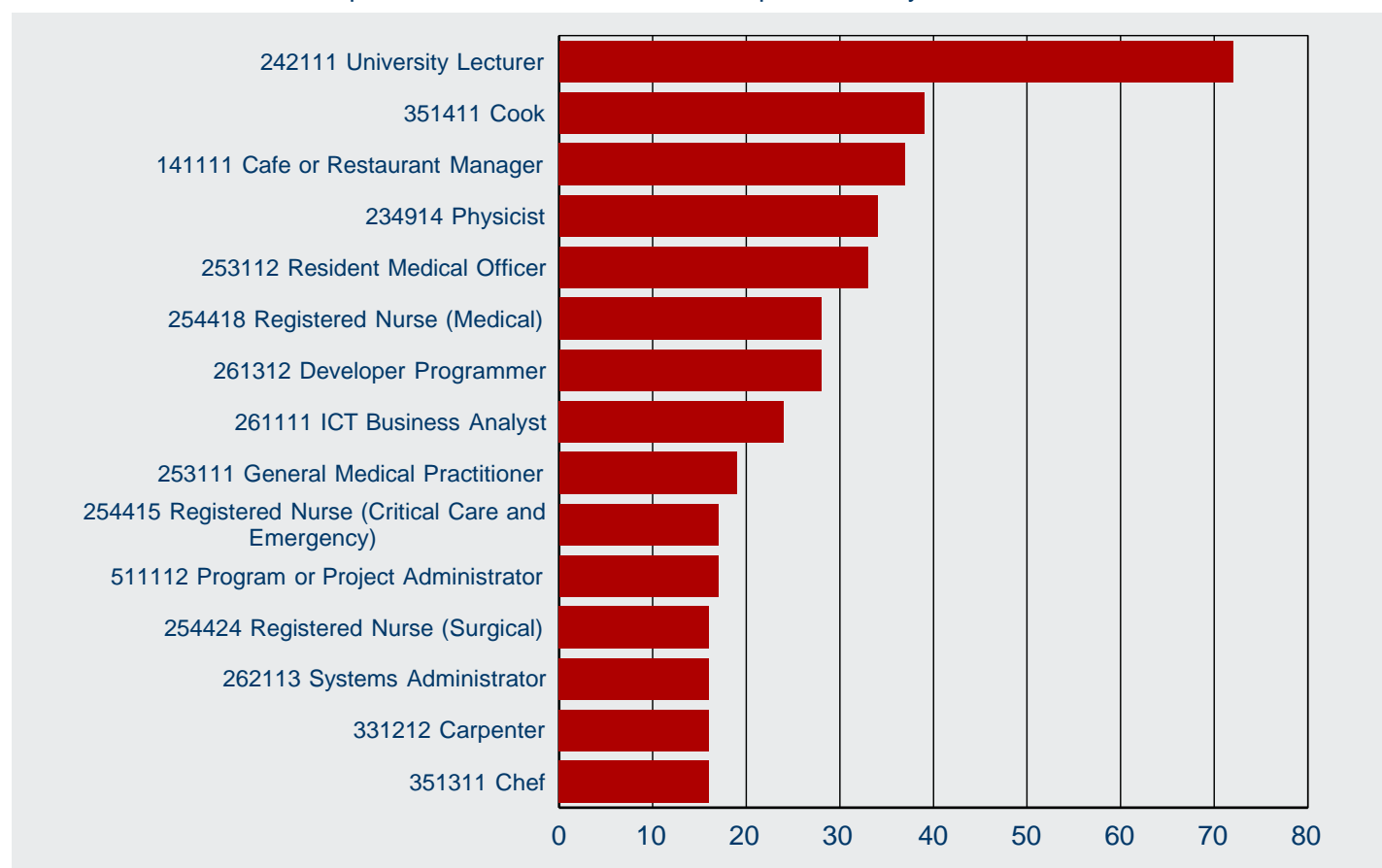
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	110	130	15.6%	13.4%
2 Professionals	860	610	-29.1%	64.9%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	120	160	34.5%	17.1%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	30	20	-28.6%	2.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	20	20	5.6%	2.0%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	< 5	33.3%	0.4%
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	1 140	940	-17.4%	100.0%

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Table 2.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
242111 University Lecturer	50	70	33.3%	7.7%
351411 Cook	20	40	143.8%	4.2%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	10	40	311.1%	3.9%
234914 Physicist	40	30	-12.8%	3.6%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	30	30	3.1%	3.5%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	110	30	-73.3%	3.0%
261312 Developer Programmer	60	30	-50.0%	3.0%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	50	20	-55.6%	2.6%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	30	20	-32.1%	2.0%
254415 Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	20	20	-15.0%	1.8%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	20	0.0%	1.8%
254424 Registered Nurse (Surgical)	10	20	166.7%	1.7%
262113 Systems Administrator	20	20	-33.3%	1.7%
331212 Carpenter	10	20	45.5%	1.7%
351311 Chef	10	20	220.0%	1.7%
Other Occupations	660	530	-20.3%	56.1%
Total	1 140	940	-17.4%	100.0%

Graph 2.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

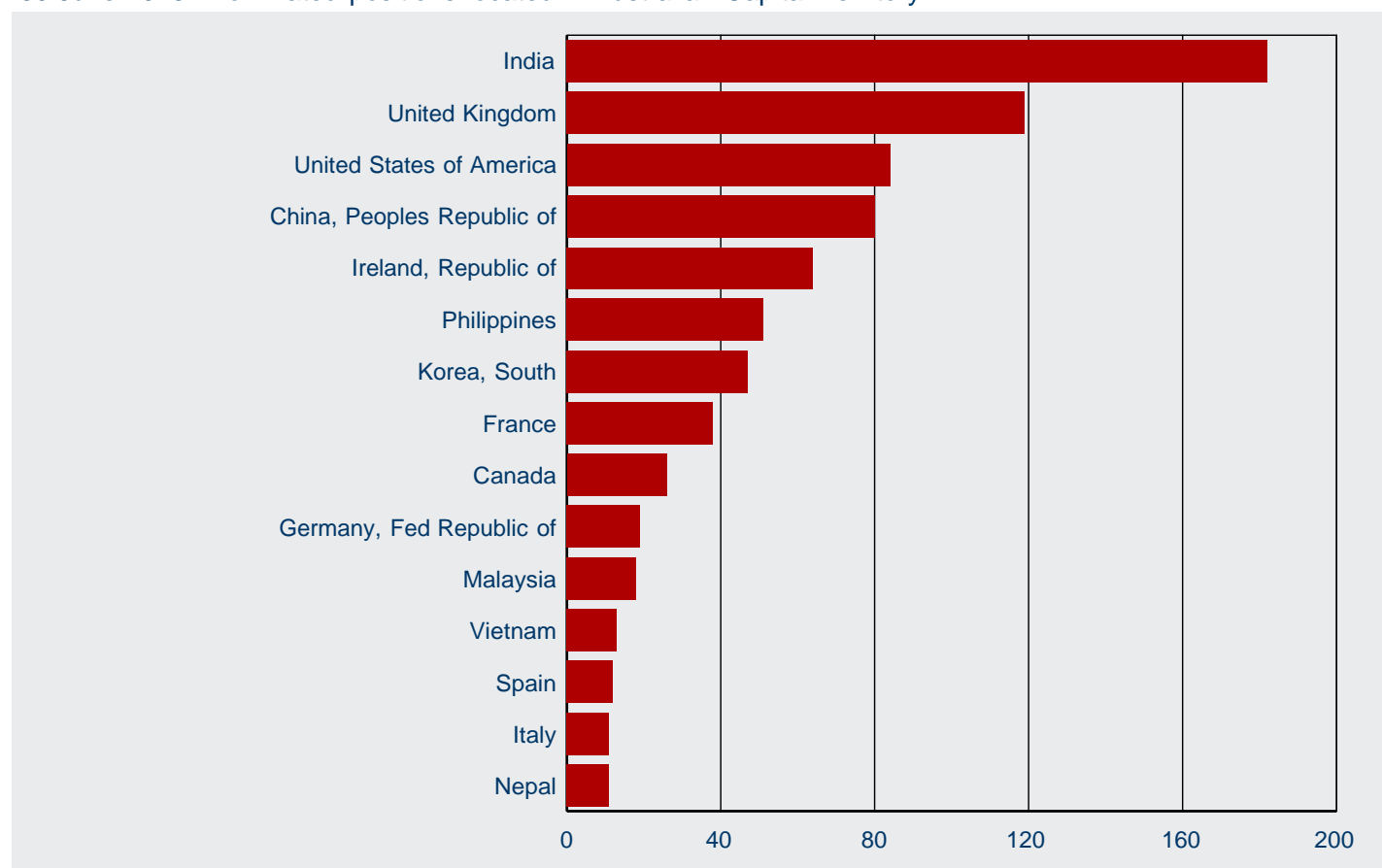


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Table 2.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
India	280	180	-35.5%	19.4%
United Kingdom	210	120	-42.8%	12.7%
United States of America	100	80	-13.4%	9.0%
China, Peoples Republic of	50	80	48.1%	8.5%
Ireland, Republic of	70	60	-7.2%	6.8%
Philippines	80	50	-32.0%	5.4%
Korea, South	20	50	113.6%	5.0%
France	30	40	15.2%	4.1%
Canada	40	30	-25.7%	2.8%
Germany, Fed Republic of	30	20	-40.6%	2.0%
Malaysia	20	20	5.9%	1.9%
Vietnam	10	10	44.4%	1.4%
Spain	10	10	33.3%	1.3%
Italy	10	10	10.0%	1.2%
Nepal	10	10	10.0%	1.2%
Other Countries	170	160	-6.3%	17.4%
Total	1 140	940	-17.4%	100.0%

Graph 2.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory



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Table 3.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	1 260	2 530	100.6%	10.5%
Administrative and Support Services	130	130	-6.0%	0.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	290	350	20.9%	1.4%
Arts and Recreation Services	450	420	-6.2%	1.8%
Construction	1 630	1 570	-3.9%	6.5%
Education and Training	1 020	1 070	4.2%	4.4%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	200	220	8.9%	0.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	1 480	1 410	-5.1%	5.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2 590	2 650	2.5%	11.0%
Information Media and Telecommunications	4 600	4 200	-8.5%	17.4%
Manufacturing	1 020	920	-9.8%	3.8%
Mining	280	230	-17.6%	0.9%
Other Services	2 950	3 370	14.2%	13.9%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	1 810	2 220	22.5%	9.2%
Public Administration and Safety	100	90	-7.0%	0.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	620	210	-66.9%	0.9%
Retail Trade	830	1 240	49.3%	5.1%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	250	310	23.7%	1.3%
Wholesale Trade	590	680	15.0%	2.8%
Not Recorded	450	350	-22.8%	1.4%
Total	22 560	24 160	7.1%	100.0%

Table 3.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in New South Wales

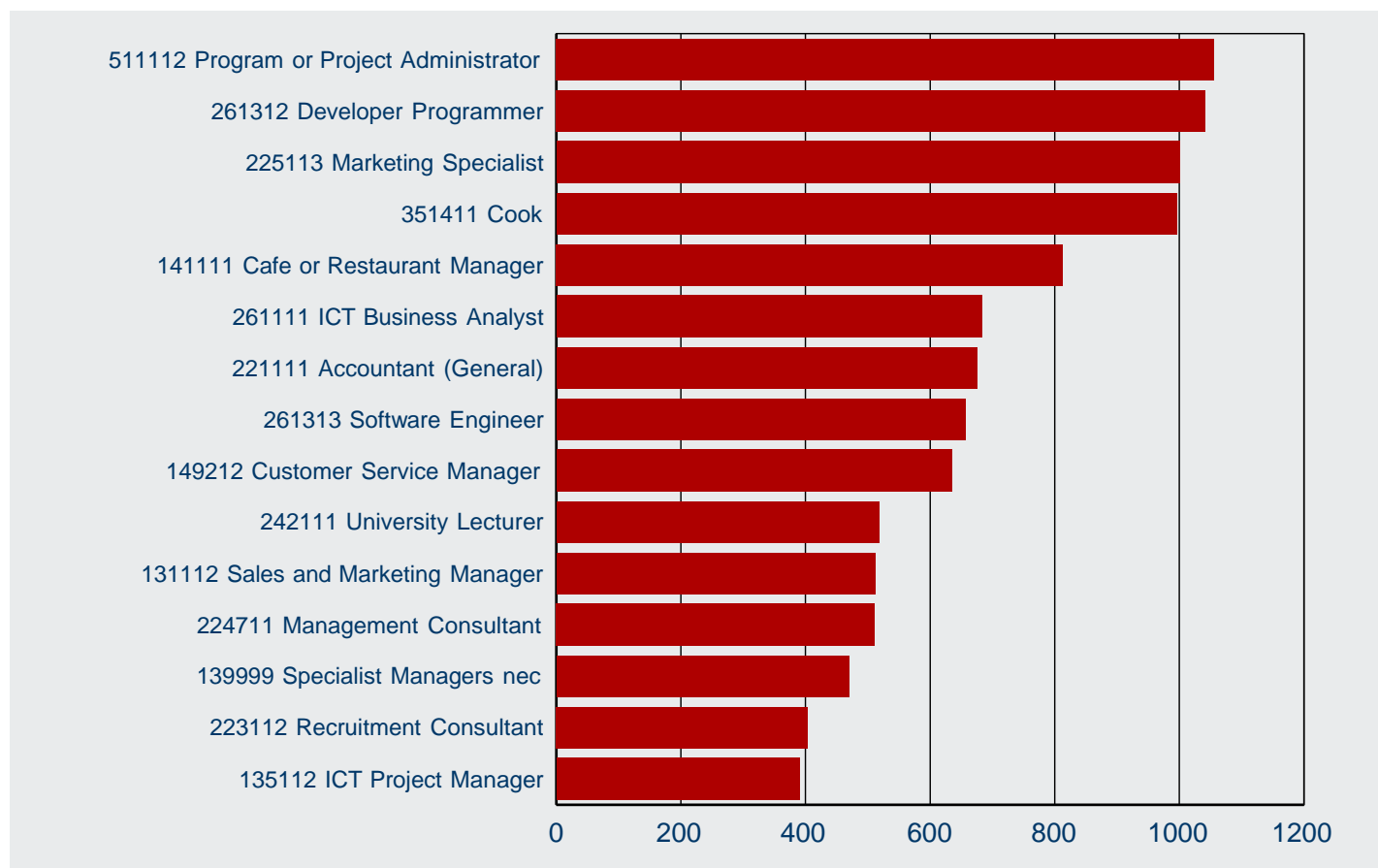
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	3 610	4 750	31.7%	19.7%
2 Professionals	13 840	13 460	-2.8%	55.7%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	3 500	4 130	18.0%	17.1%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	290	390	32.8%	1.6%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	1 100	1 190	8.3%	4.9%
6 Sales Workers	30	100	255.6%	0.4%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	40	20	-45.5%	0.1%
8 Labourers	40	10	-69.0%	0.1%
Not Recorded	100	110	6.0%	0.4%
Total	22 560	24 160	7.1%	100.0%

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Table 3.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
511112 Program or Project Administrator	1 050	1 060	1.1%	4.4%
261312 Developer Programmer	1 080	1 040	-3.2%	4.3%
225113 Marketing Specialist	950	1 000	5.9%	4.1%
351411 Cook	520	1 000	91.5%	4.1%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	230	810	251.9%	3.4%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	570	680	20.2%	2.8%
221111 Accountant (General)	530	680	28.1%	2.8%
261313 Software Engineer	510	660	28.8%	2.7%
149212 Customer Service Manager	200	640	222.3%	2.6%
242111 University Lecturer	480	520	8.1%	2.1%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	490	510	4.1%	2.1%
224711 Management Consultant	650	510	-21.3%	2.1%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	540	470	-13.4%	1.9%
223112 Recruitment Consultant	510	400	-20.8%	1.7%
135112 ICT Project Manager	330	390	19.3%	1.6%
Other Occupations	13 940	13 800	-1.0%	57.1%
Total	22 560	24 160	7.1%	100.0%

Graph 3.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

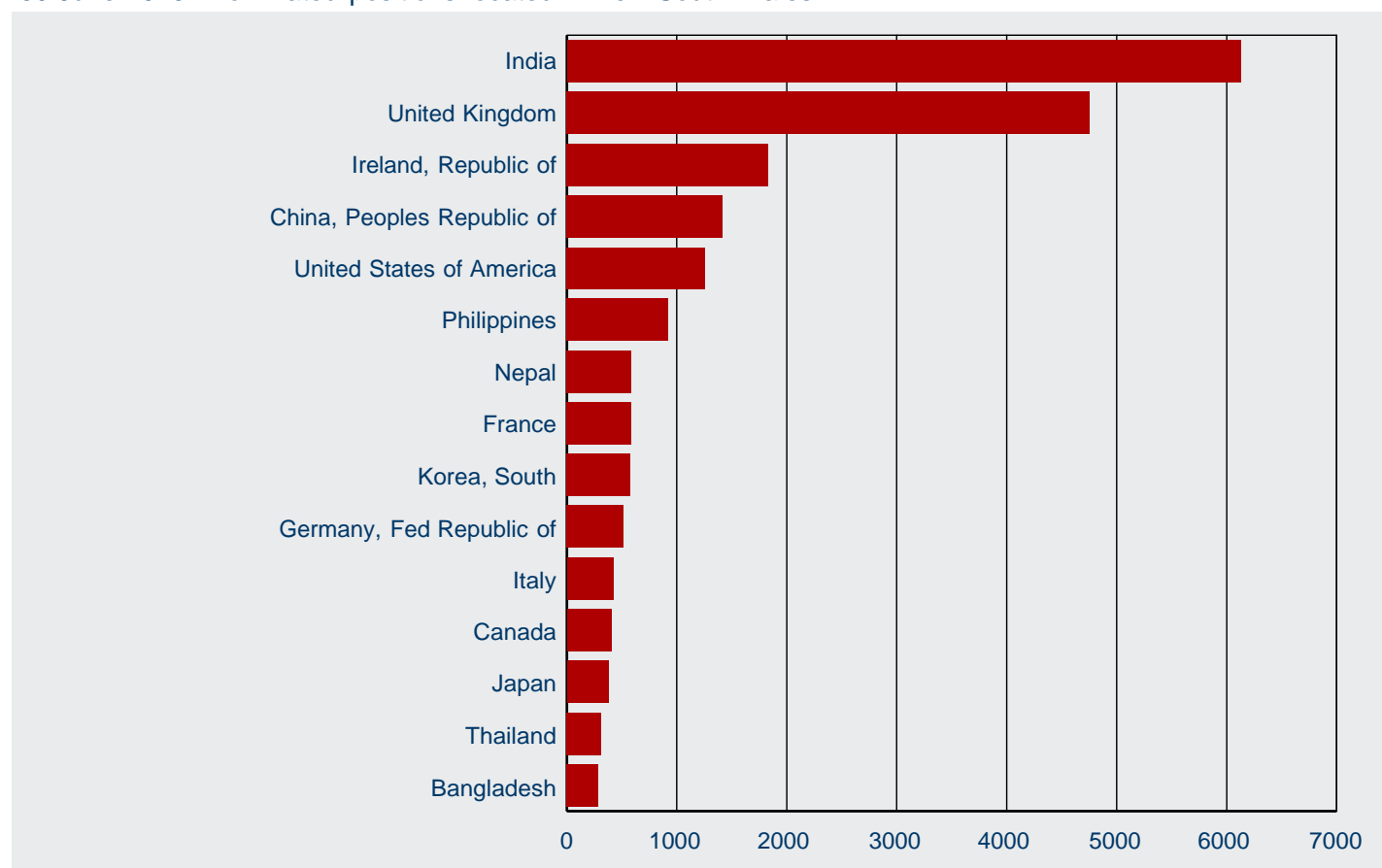


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Table 3.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
India	5 220	6 130	17.5%	25.4%
United Kingdom	5 100	4 750	-6.9%	19.7%
Ireland, Republic of	1 970	1 830	-7.1%	7.6%
China, Peoples Republic of	840	1 410	67.7%	5.9%
United States of America	1 470	1 260	-14.7%	5.2%
Philippines	1 020	920	-9.7%	3.8%
Nepal	240	590	142.4%	2.4%
France	590	590	-0.5%	2.4%
Korea, South	400	580	46.3%	2.4%
Germany, Fed Republic of	610	520	-15.7%	2.1%
Italy	320	420	32.8%	1.7%
Canada	510	410	-20.5%	1.7%
Japan	350	380	8.6%	1.6%
Thailand	110	310	182.0%	1.3%
Bangladesh	130	280	112.8%	1.2%
Other Countries	3 680	3 790	3.0%	15.7%
Total	22 560	24 160	7.1%	100.0%

Graph 3.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales



4 NT

Northern Territory

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Table 4.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	70	70	12.1%	8.1%
Administrative and Support Services	10	< 5	-80.0%	0.1%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	10	166.7%	0.9%
Arts and Recreation Services	170	10	-95.2%	0.9%
Construction	210	230	7.5%	25.2%
Education and Training	10	20	61.5%	2.3%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	10	0.0%	1.4%
Financial and Insurance Services	10	10	-30.8%	1.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	50	50	6.3%	5.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	10	10	0.0%	1.4%
Manufacturing	40	80	81.0%	8.3%
Mining	180	80	-54.9%	9.0%
Other Services	70	70	-5.5%	7.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	30	20	-12.0%	2.4%
Public Administration and Safety	50	140	166.0%	15.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	10	25.0%	0.5%
Retail Trade	30	40	44.8%	4.6%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	10	33.3%	1.3%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	10	300.0%	0.9%
Not Recorded	30	30	0.0%	3.1%
Total	1 000	910	-8.7%	100.0%

Table 4.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

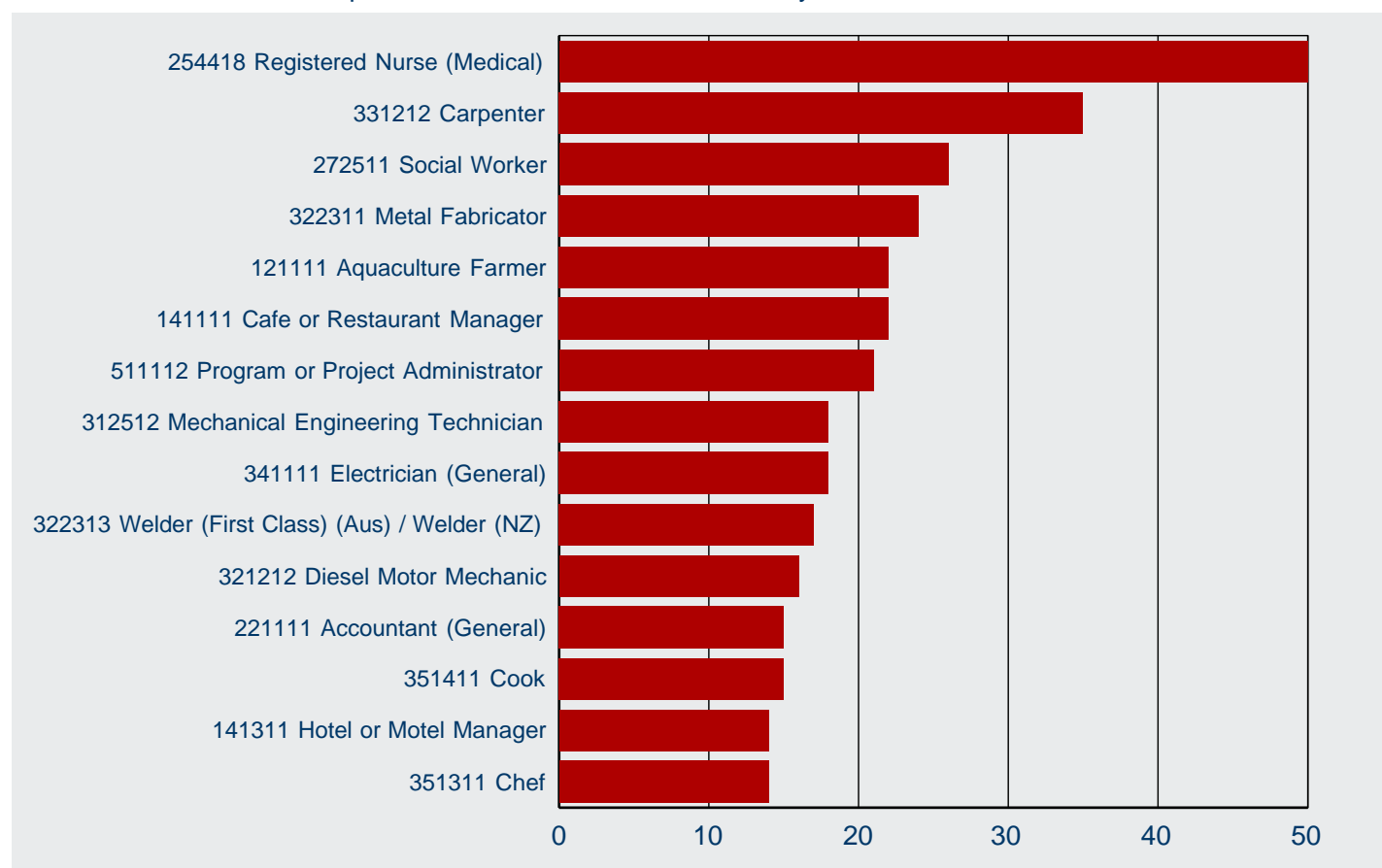
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	110	140	31.2%	15.7%
2 Professionals	470	340	-28.1%	37.3%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	350	380	9.3%	41.3%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	20	46.2%	2.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	30	20	-11.5%	2.5%
6 Sales Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	0.2%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	10	10	60.0%	0.9%
8 Labourers	30	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	1 000	910	-8.7%	100.0%

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Table 4.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	70	50	-25.4%	5.5%
331212 Carpenter	20	40	84.2%	3.8%
272511 Social Worker	20	30	13.0%	2.8%
322311 Metal Fabricator	10	20	140.0%	2.6%
121111 Aquaculture Farmer	10	20	120.0%	2.4%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	20	-8.3%	2.4%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	20	-4.5%	2.3%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	50	20	-66.7%	2.0%
341111 Electrician (General)	20	20	5.9%	2.0%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	10	20	30.8%	1.9%
321212 Diesel Motor Mechanic	10	20	77.8%	1.8%
221111 Accountant (General)	20	20	-6.3%	1.6%
351411 Cook	< 5	20	275.0%	1.6%
141311 Hotel or Motel Manager	10	10	100.0%	1.5%
351311 Chef	20	10	-30.0%	1.5%
Other Occupations	690	590	-14.5%	64.2%
Total	1 000	910	-8.7%	100.0%

Graph 4.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

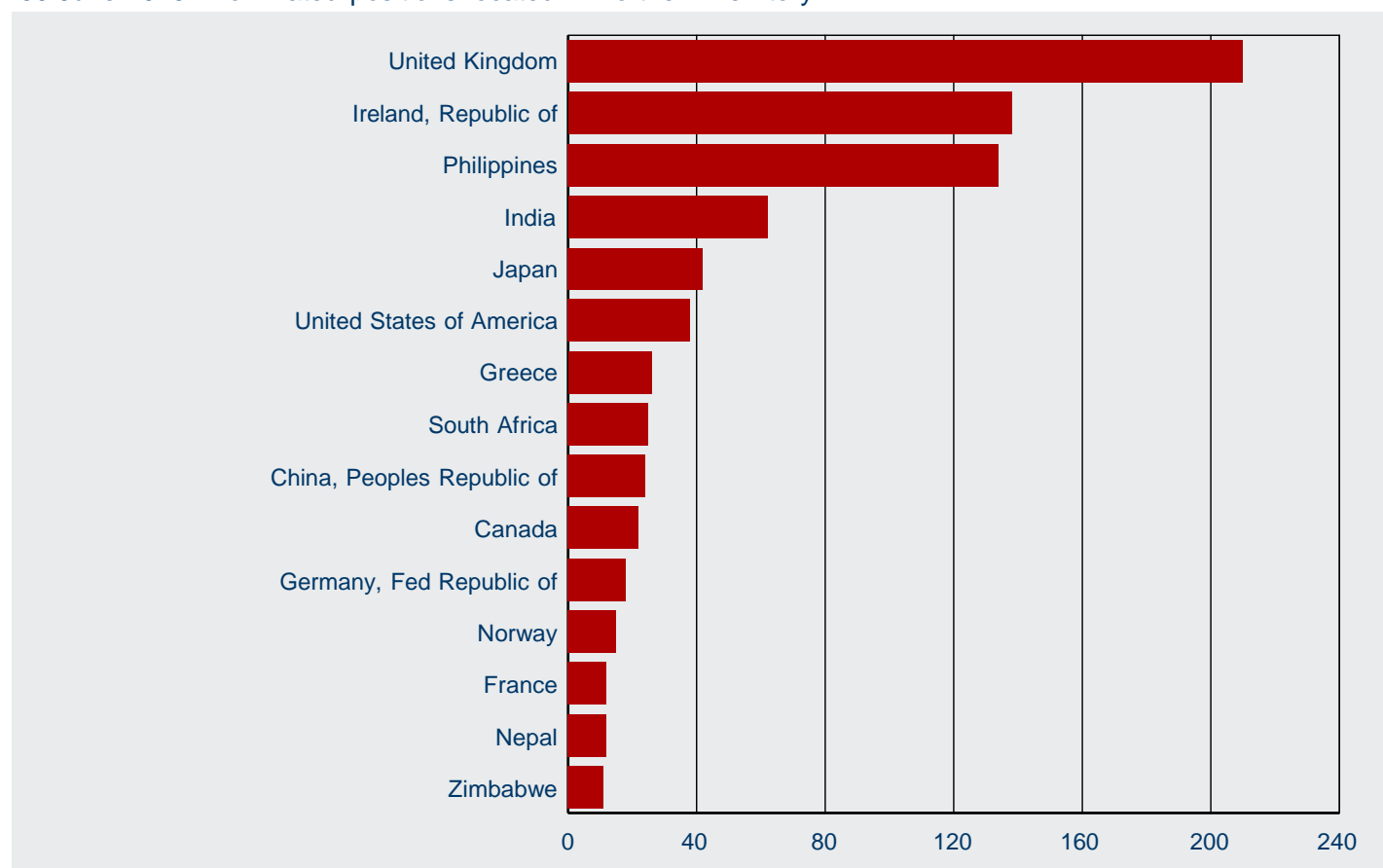


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Table 4.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
United Kingdom	270	210	-21.6%	23.0%
Ireland, Republic of	80	140	66.3%	15.1%
Philippines	150	130	-13.0%	14.7%
India	100	60	-35.4%	6.8%
Japan	10	40	200.0%	4.6%
United States of America	50	40	-28.3%	4.2%
Greece	< 5	30	2 500.0%	2.8%
South Africa	30	30	-10.7%	2.7%
China, Peoples Republic of	10	20	380.0%	2.6%
Canada	30	20	-18.5%	2.4%
Germany, Fed Republic of	20	20	-10.0%	2.0%
Norway	< 5	20	400.0%	1.6%
France	20	10	-47.8%	1.3%
Nepal	10	10	100.0%	1.3%
Zimbabwe	20	10	-35.3%	1.2%
Other Countries	200	120	-38.6%	13.6%
Total	1 000	910	-8.7%	100.0%

Graph 4.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory



5 QLD

Table 5.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Queensland

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	690	1 300	90.1%	11.9%
Administrative and Support Services	30	20	-4.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	360	570	59.3%	5.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	60	80	43.6%	0.7%
Construction	2 100	1 760	-15.9%	16.1%
Education and Training	690	640	-6.1%	5.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	250	300	19.3%	2.8%
Financial and Insurance Services	190	180	-3.7%	1.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 390	1 190	-14.1%	10.9%
Information Media and Telecommunications	380	330	-13.0%	3.0%
Manufacturing	660	580	-12.2%	5.3%
Mining	1 880	1 200	-36.4%	10.9%
Other Services	1 010	1 010	-0.1%	9.2%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	650	540	-16.7%	5.0%
Public Administration and Safety	50	40	-29.4%	0.3%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	110	80	-29.9%	0.7%
Retail Trade	350	500	44.1%	4.6%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	150	190	30.4%	1.8%
Wholesale Trade	170	240	44.6%	2.2%
Not Recorded	170	180	6.5%	1.6%
Total	11 310	10 950	-3.2%	100.0%

Table 5.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Queensland

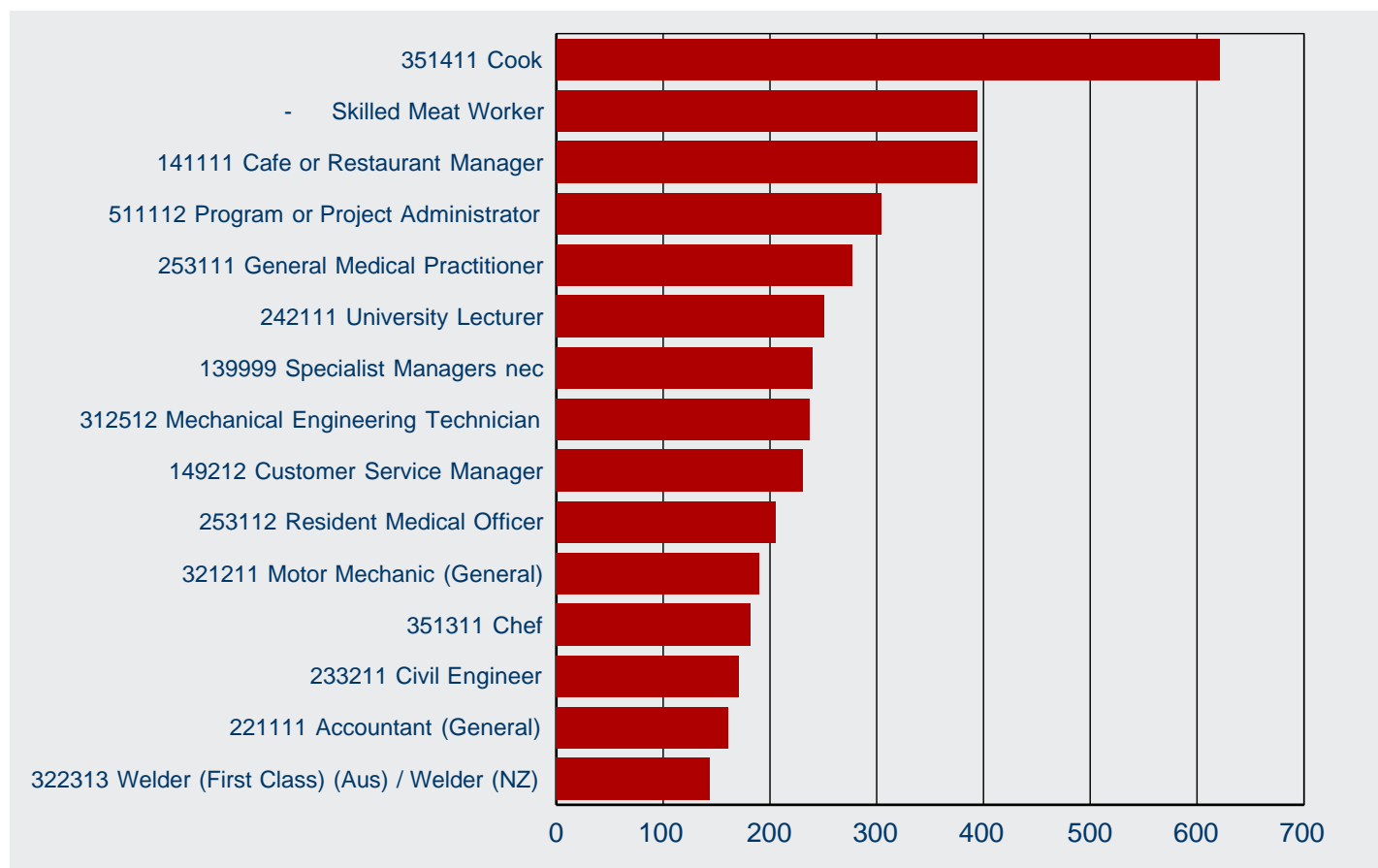
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	1 690	2 050	21.4%	18.7%
2 Professionals	5 800	4 560	-21.5%	41.6%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	3 000	3 170	5.9%	29.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	100	120	27.4%	1.1%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	380	370	-3.4%	3.4%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	50	2 400.0%	0.5%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	140	200	46.0%	1.8%
8 Labourers	30	30	23.1%	0.3%
Not Recorded	180	390	117.7%	3.6%
Total	11 310	10 950	-3.2%	100.0%

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Table 5.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
351411 Cook	310	620	97.8%	5.7%
- Skilled Meat Worker	180	390	117.7%	3.6%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	90	390	328.3%	3.6%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	320	300	-4.1%	2.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	310	280	-10.6%	2.5%
242111 University Lecturer	270	250	-8.1%	2.3%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	360	240	-33.7%	2.2%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	200	240	19.7%	2.2%
149212 Customer Service Manager	50	230	344.2%	2.1%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	210	210	-4.2%	1.9%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	130	190	52.0%	1.7%
351311 Chef	180	180	-1.1%	1.7%
233211 Civil Engineer	280	170	-39.8%	1.6%
221111 Accountant (General)	130	160	22.9%	1.5%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	140	140	6.7%	1.3%
Other Occupations	8 140	6 940	-14.7%	63.4%
Total	11 310	10 950	-3.2%	100.0%

Graph 5.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

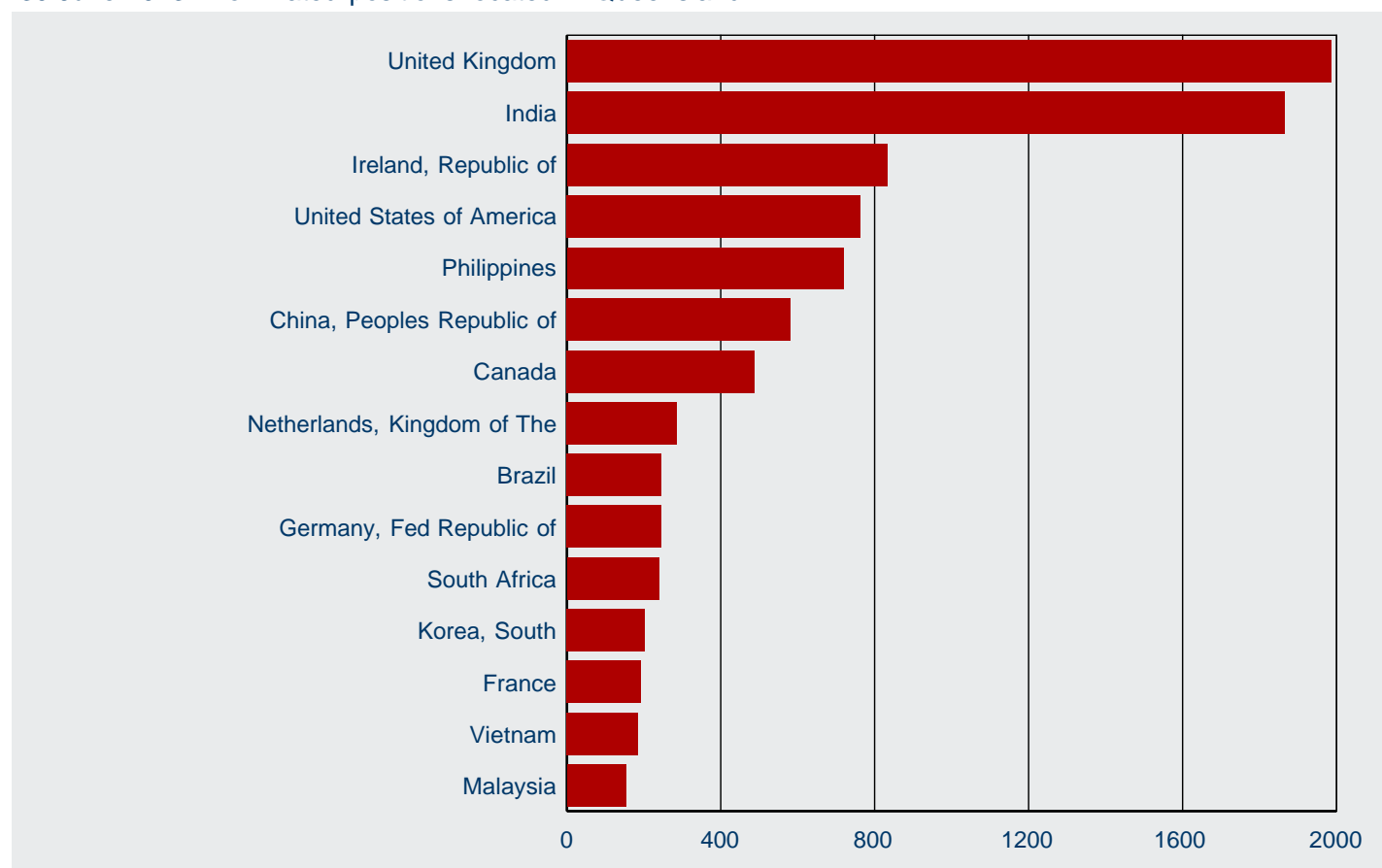


5 QLD

Table 5.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
United Kingdom	2 510	1 990	-20.8%	18.1%
India	1 190	1 870	56.3%	17.0%
Ireland, Republic of	910	830	-8.1%	7.6%
United States of America	1 080	760	-29.5%	7.0%
Philippines	930	720	-22.3%	6.6%
China, Peoples Republic of	380	580	51.7%	5.3%
Canada	580	490	-15.1%	4.5%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	220	290	33.0%	2.6%
Brazil	210	250	15.0%	2.2%
Germany, Fed Republic of	230	250	8.4%	2.2%
South Africa	390	240	-38.1%	2.2%
Korea, South	140	200	46.4%	1.8%
France	180	190	7.3%	1.8%
Vietnam	30	190	496.8%	1.7%
Malaysia	180	150	-15.8%	1.4%
Other Countries	2 170	1 960	-9.5%	17.9%
Total	11 310	10 950	-3.2%	100.0%

Graph 5.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland



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Table 6.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in South Australia

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	30	110	237.5%	5.3%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	40	60	47.6%	3.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	50	40	-33.3%	1.8%
Construction	160	200	31.6%	10.1%
Education and Training	170	210	19.1%	10.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	60	40	-30.5%	2.0%
Financial and Insurance Services	30	30	-10.0%	1.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	480	460	-5.0%	22.7%
Information Media and Telecommunications	50	40	-27.8%	1.9%
Manufacturing	120	190	50.0%	9.2%
Mining	180	160	-11.4%	8.0%
Other Services	150	150	-2.0%	7.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	80	70	-15.0%	3.4%
Public Administration and Safety	30	80	216.0%	3.9%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	10	-18.2%	0.4%
Retail Trade	50	60	27.1%	3.0%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	20	140.0%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	30	70	125.0%	3.6%
Not Recorded	60	30	-51.7%	1.4%
Total	1 810	2 030	12.0%	100.0%

Table 6.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in South Australia

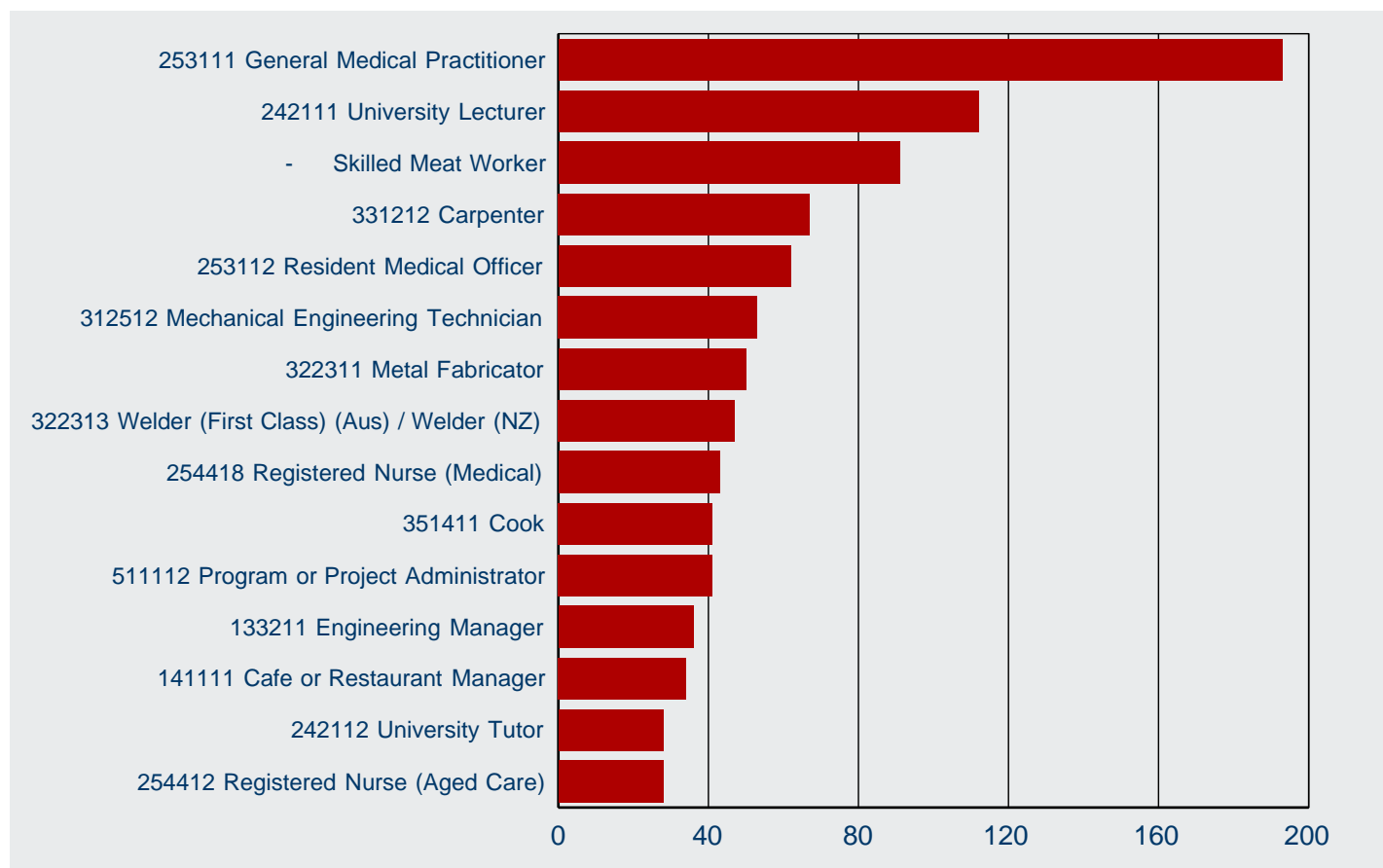
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	190	300	56.0%	14.9%
2 Professionals	1 110	990	-10.1%	49.0%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	420	550	31.6%	27.4%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	20	20	11.8%	0.9%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	30	50	74.1%	2.3%
6 Sales Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	0.1%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	10	10	100.0%	0.6%
8 Labourers	20	10	-66.7%	0.3%
Not Recorded	20	90	333.3%	4.5%
Total	1 810	2 030	12.0%	100.0%

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Table 6.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
253111 General Medical Practitioner	180	190	6.0%	9.5%
242111 University Lecturer	130	110	-11.8%	5.5%
- Skilled Meat Worker	20	90	333.3%	4.5%
331212 Carpenter	20	70	235.0%	3.3%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	100	60	-40.4%	3.1%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	40	50	47.2%	2.6%
322311 Metal Fabricator	40	50	22.0%	2.5%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	40	50	11.9%	2.3%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	40	40	-2.3%	2.1%
351411 Cook	10	40	412.5%	2.0%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	40	70.8%	2.0%
133211 Engineering Manager	20	40	50.0%	1.8%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	< 5	30	1 033.3%	1.7%
242112 University Tutor	< 5	30	1 300.0%	1.4%
254412 Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	30	30	12.0%	1.4%
Other Occupations	1 110	1 100	-0.5%	54.3%
Total	1 810	2 030	12.0%	100.0%

Graph 6.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

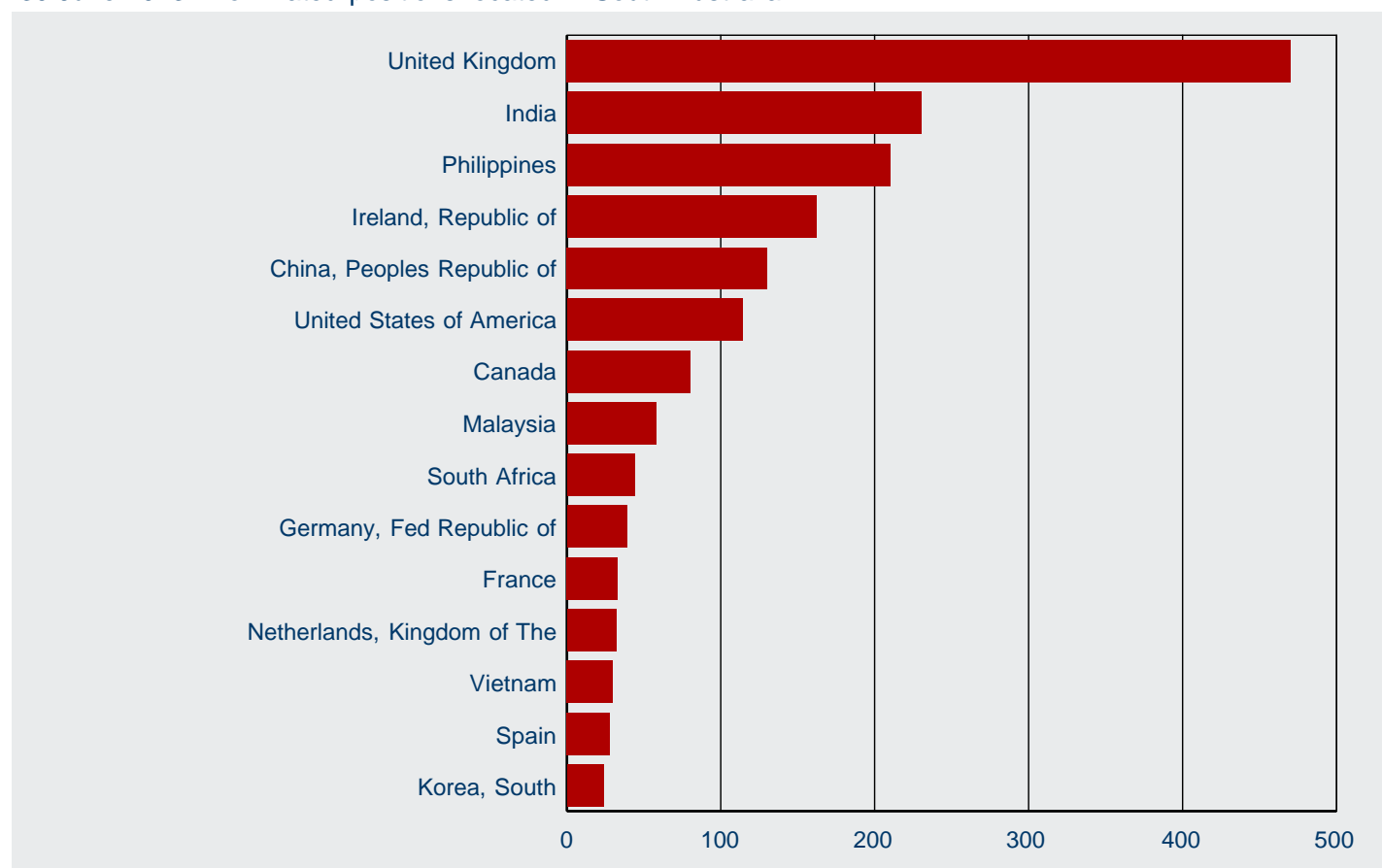


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Table 6.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
United Kingdom	430	470	9.6%	23.2%
India	170	230	34.5%	11.4%
Philippines	170	210	25.7%	10.4%
Ireland, Republic of	90	160	88.4%	8.0%
China, Peoples Republic of	80	130	66.7%	6.4%
United States of America	130	110	-9.5%	5.6%
Canada	70	80	8.1%	4.0%
Malaysia	70	60	-15.9%	2.9%
South Africa	70	40	-40.5%	2.2%
Germany, Fed Republic of	70	40	-46.6%	1.9%
France	40	30	-23.3%	1.6%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	40	30	-17.9%	1.6%
Vietnam	10	30	130.8%	1.5%
Spain	20	30	27.3%	1.4%
Korea, South	20	20	20.0%	1.2%
Other Countries	320	340	5.2%	16.8%
Total	1 810	2 030	12.0%	100.0%

Graph 6.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia



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Table 7.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	10	10	116.7%	3.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	20	50	131.8%	13.7%
Arts and Recreation Services	10	< 5	-66.7%	0.5%
Construction	10	10	0.0%	1.3%
Education and Training	40	40	-5.1%	9.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	20	142.9%	4.6%
Financial and Insurance Services	10	10	20.0%	1.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	100	100	-1.0%	27.1%
Information Media and Telecommunications	10	20	87.5%	4.0%
Manufacturing	10	10	66.7%	2.7%
Mining	30	20	-25.9%	5.4%
Other Services	10	20	118.2%	6.4%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	10	10	-45.5%	1.6%
Public Administration and Safety	10	10	-45.5%	1.6%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	0	< 5		0.3%
Retail Trade	< 5	10	166.7%	2.1%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.5%
Not Recorded	10	50	716.7%	13.1%
Total	280	370	33.2%	100.0%

Table 7.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Tasmania

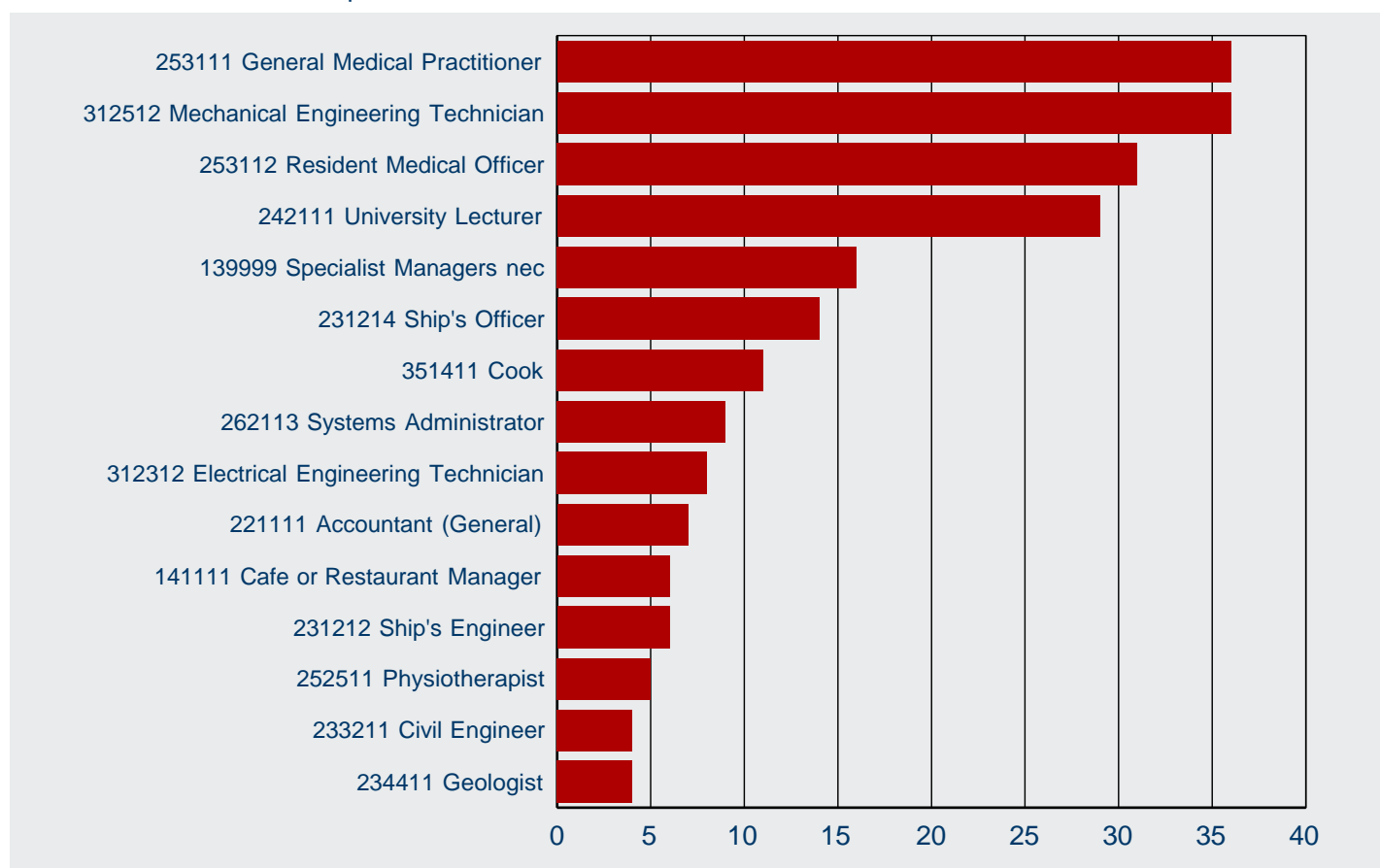
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	40	50	43.2%	14.2%
2 Professionals	210	240	14.6%	63.0%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	30	80	185.7%	21.4%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	< 5	-80.0%	0.3%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.5%
6 Sales Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	0.3%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.3%
Total	280	370	33.2%	100.0%

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Table 7.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
253111 General Medical Practitioner	20	40	71.4%	9.7%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	10	40	620.0%	9.7%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	40	30	-22.5%	8.3%
242111 University Lecturer	30	30	0.0%	7.8%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	10	20	166.7%	4.3%
231214 Ship's Officer	0	10	0.0%	3.8%
351411 Cook	< 5	10	1 000.0%	2.9%
262113 Systems Administrator	10	10	80.0%	2.4%
312312 Electrical Engineering Technician	0	10	0.0%	2.1%
221111 Accountant (General)	10	10	40.0%	1.9%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	0	10	0.0%	1.6%
231212 Ship's Engineer	0	10	0.0%	1.6%
252511 Physiotherapist	< 5	10	150.0%	1.3%
233211 Civil Engineer	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.1%
234411 Geologist	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.1%
Other Occupations	160	150	-6.8%	40.5%
Total	280	370	33.2%	100.0%

Graph 7.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

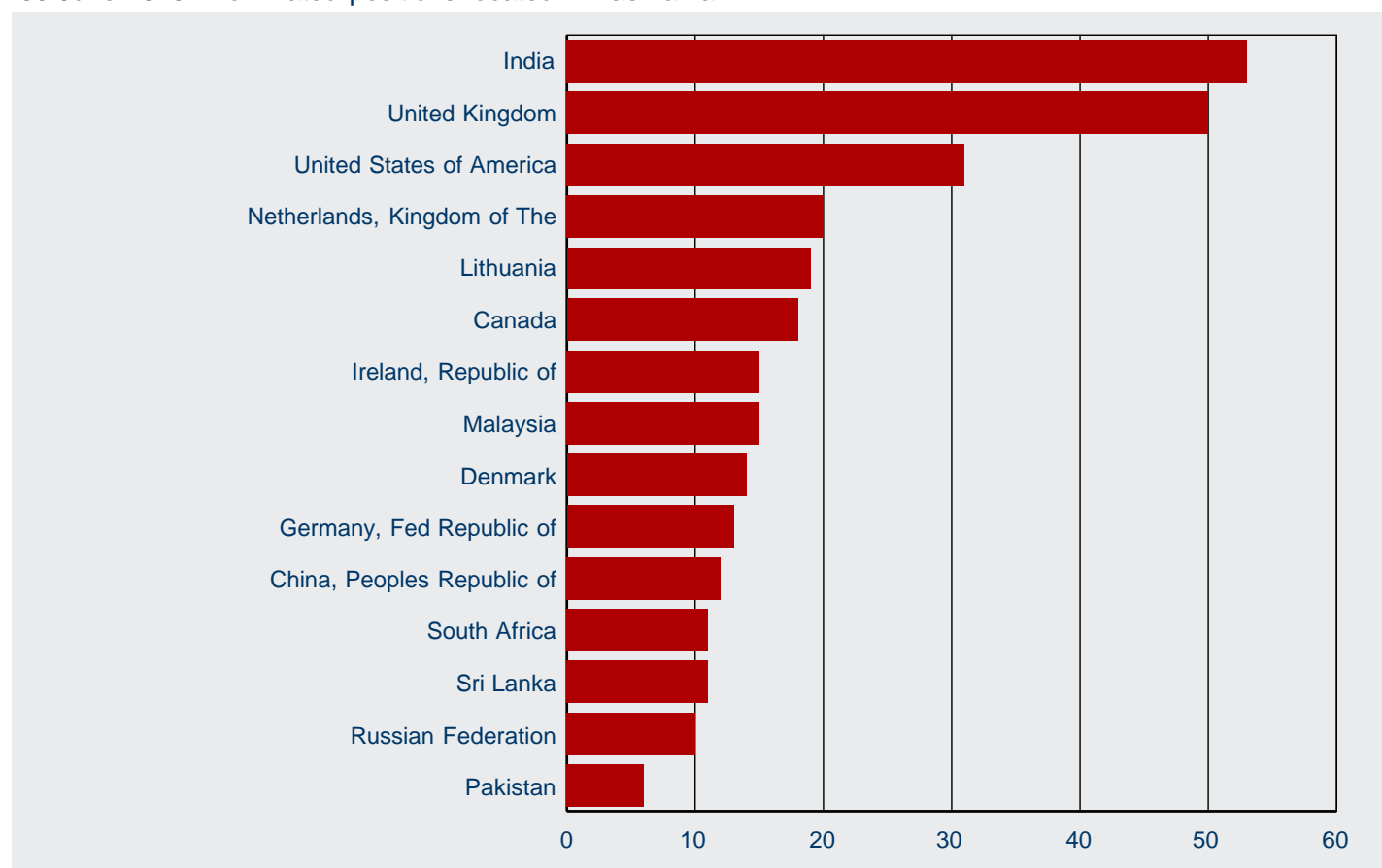


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Table 7.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
India	30	50	96.3%	14.2%
United Kingdom	60	50	-18.0%	13.4%
United States of America	20	30	47.6%	8.3%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	< 5	20	1 900.0%	5.4%
Lithuania	0	20	0.0%	5.1%
Canada	10	20	38.5%	4.8%
Ireland, Republic of	10	20	200.0%	4.0%
Malaysia	20	20	-21.1%	4.0%
Denmark	< 5	10	1 300.0%	3.8%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	10	30.0%	3.5%
China, Peoples Republic of	10	10	9.1%	3.2%
South Africa	10	10	57.1%	2.9%
Sri Lanka	10	10	37.5%	2.9%
Russian Federation	< 5	10	400.0%	2.7%
Pakistan	10	10	20.0%	1.6%
Other Countries	90	80	-15.7%	20.1%
Total	280	370	33.2%	100.0%

Graph 7.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania



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Table 8.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Victoria

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	950	1 810	89.6%	12.5%
Administrative and Support Services	40	70	83.3%	0.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	130	160	22.7%	1.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	140	230	58.0%	1.6%
Construction	870	700	-19.8%	4.8%
Education and Training	890	890	0.1%	6.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	160	140	-14.0%	0.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	550	450	-17.1%	3.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 710	1 640	-3.7%	11.4%
Information Media and Telecommunications	1 970	1 660	-15.4%	11.6%
Manufacturing	800	950	19.4%	6.6%
Mining	250	170	-30.4%	1.2%
Other Services	1 840	1 890	2.8%	13.1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	1 420	1 960	38.2%	13.6%
Public Administration and Safety	110	100	-11.6%	0.7%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	640	80	-88.2%	0.5%
Retail Trade	520	690	32.4%	4.8%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	170	250	49.4%	1.8%
Wholesale Trade	350	400	12.5%	2.8%
Not Recorded	190	170	-10.6%	1.2%
Total	13 680	14 390	5.2%	100.0%

Table 8.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Victoria

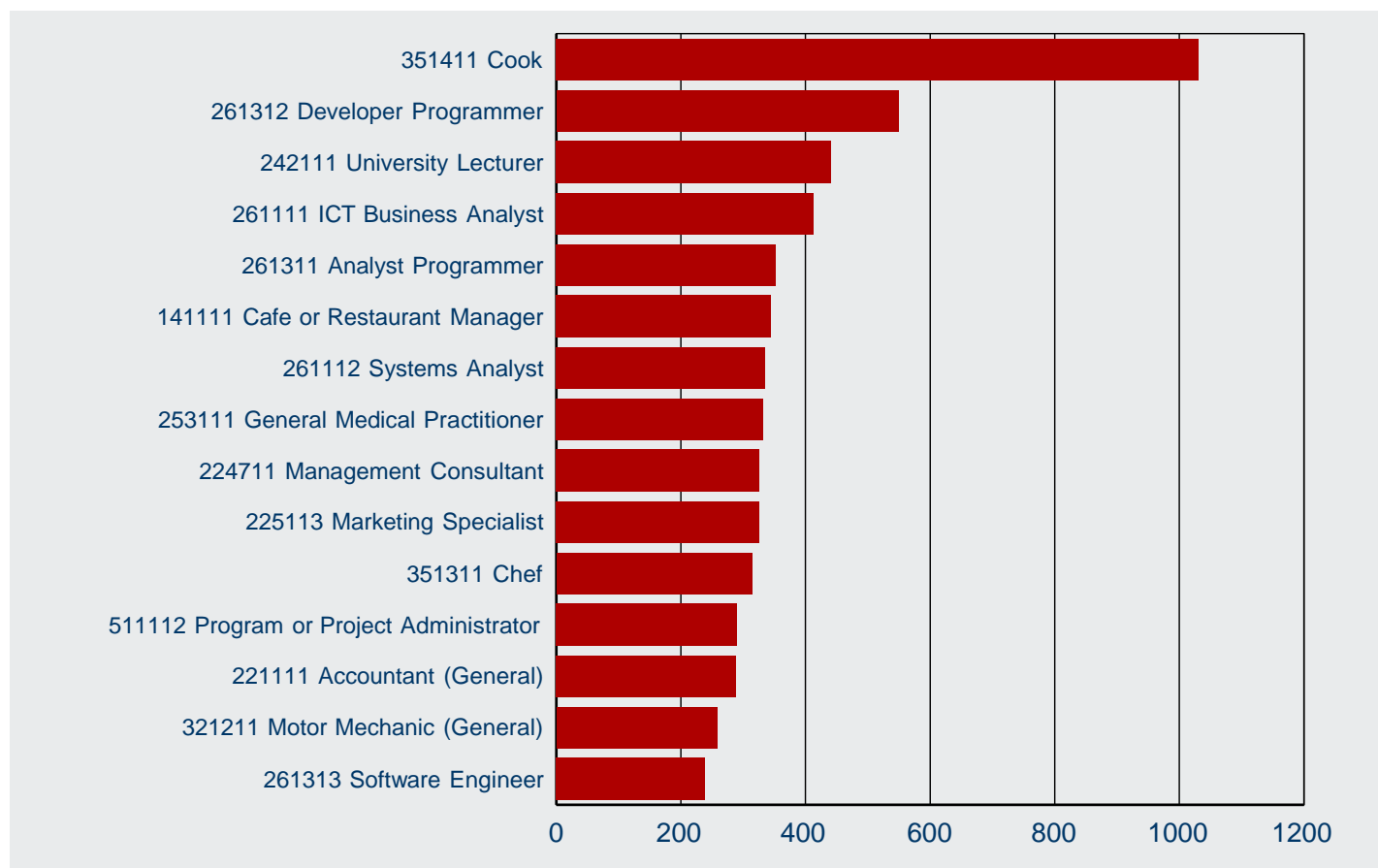
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	1 870	2 200	17.8%	15.3%
2 Professionals	8 570	7 720	-9.9%	53.7%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	2 650	3 730	41.1%	25.9%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	220	310	40.3%	2.2%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	310	350	14.0%	2.4%
6 Sales Workers	10	30	130.8%	0.2%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	40	40	0.0%	0.3%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	10	< 5	-72.7%	0.0%
Total	13 680	14 390	5.2%	100.0%

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Table 8.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
351411 Cook	500	1 030	107.0%	7.2%
261312 Developer Programmer	720	550	-23.4%	3.8%
242111 University Lecturer	470	440	-5.6%	3.1%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	360	410	13.8%	2.9%
261311 Analyst Programmer	420	350	-16.2%	2.4%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	140	350	151.8%	2.4%
261112 Systems Analyst	290	340	15.1%	2.3%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	330	330	0.3%	2.3%
224711 Management Consultant	510	330	-36.1%	2.3%
225113 Marketing Specialist	260	330	25.9%	2.3%
351311 Chef	230	310	37.1%	2.2%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	280	290	4.3%	2.0%
221111 Accountant (General)	240	290	21.0%	2.0%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	130	260	94.0%	1.8%
261313 Software Engineer	280	240	-13.4%	1.7%
Other Occupations	8 530	8 550	0.2%	59.4%
Total	13 680	14 390	5.2%	100.0%

Graph 8.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

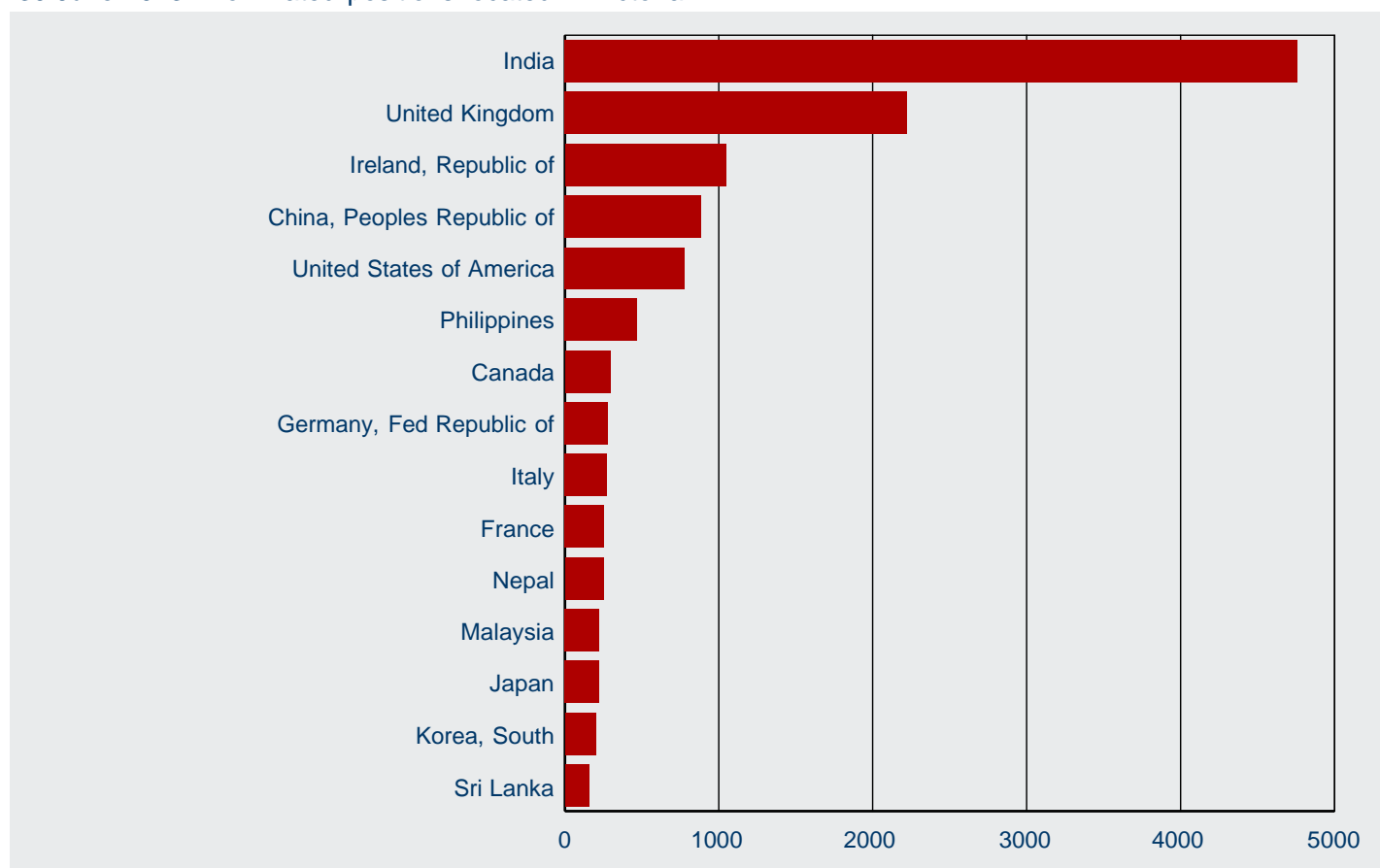


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Table 8.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
India	4 030	4 760	18.1%	33.1%
United Kingdom	2 590	2 220	-14.2%	15.4%
Ireland, Republic of	1 060	1 050	-1.1%	7.3%
China, Peoples Republic of	570	880	55.4%	6.1%
United States of America	850	780	-7.9%	5.4%
Philippines	470	470	0.0%	3.3%
Canada	340	300	-13.7%	2.1%
Germany, Fed Republic of	330	280	-14.5%	1.9%
Italy	180	270	55.1%	1.9%
France	270	250	-5.6%	1.8%
Nepal	140	250	86.7%	1.8%
Malaysia	260	230	-14.4%	1.6%
Japan	200	220	10.9%	1.6%
Korea, South	150	200	33.8%	1.4%
Sri Lanka	140	160	13.0%	1.1%
Other Countries	2 120	2 070	-1.9%	14.4%
Total	13 680	14 390	5.2%	100.0%

Graph 8.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria



9 WA

Table 9.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Sponsor Industry	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	600	850	42.2%	5.8%
Administrative and Support Services	110	70	-38.2%	0.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	120	190	49.2%	1.3%
Arts and Recreation Services	40	40	2.5%	0.3%
Construction	4 100	3 320	-18.8%	22.7%
Education and Training	340	370	7.9%	2.5%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	350	460	32.3%	3.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	220	270	20.8%	1.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 260	1 160	-8.5%	7.9%
Information Media and Telecommunications	390	390	0.5%	2.7%
Manufacturing	1 440	1 070	-26.0%	7.3%
Mining	3 630	2 760	-24.0%	18.8%
Other Services	1 650	1 760	6.4%	12.0%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	830	710	-15.0%	4.8%
Public Administration and Safety	80	70	-19.5%	0.5%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	100	70	-35.0%	0.4%
Retail Trade	400	490	21.1%	3.3%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	250	190	-23.5%	1.3%
Wholesale Trade	150	210	41.2%	1.4%
Not Recorded	210	230	7.0%	1.6%
Total	16 290	14 660	-10.0%	100.0%

Table 9.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Western Australia

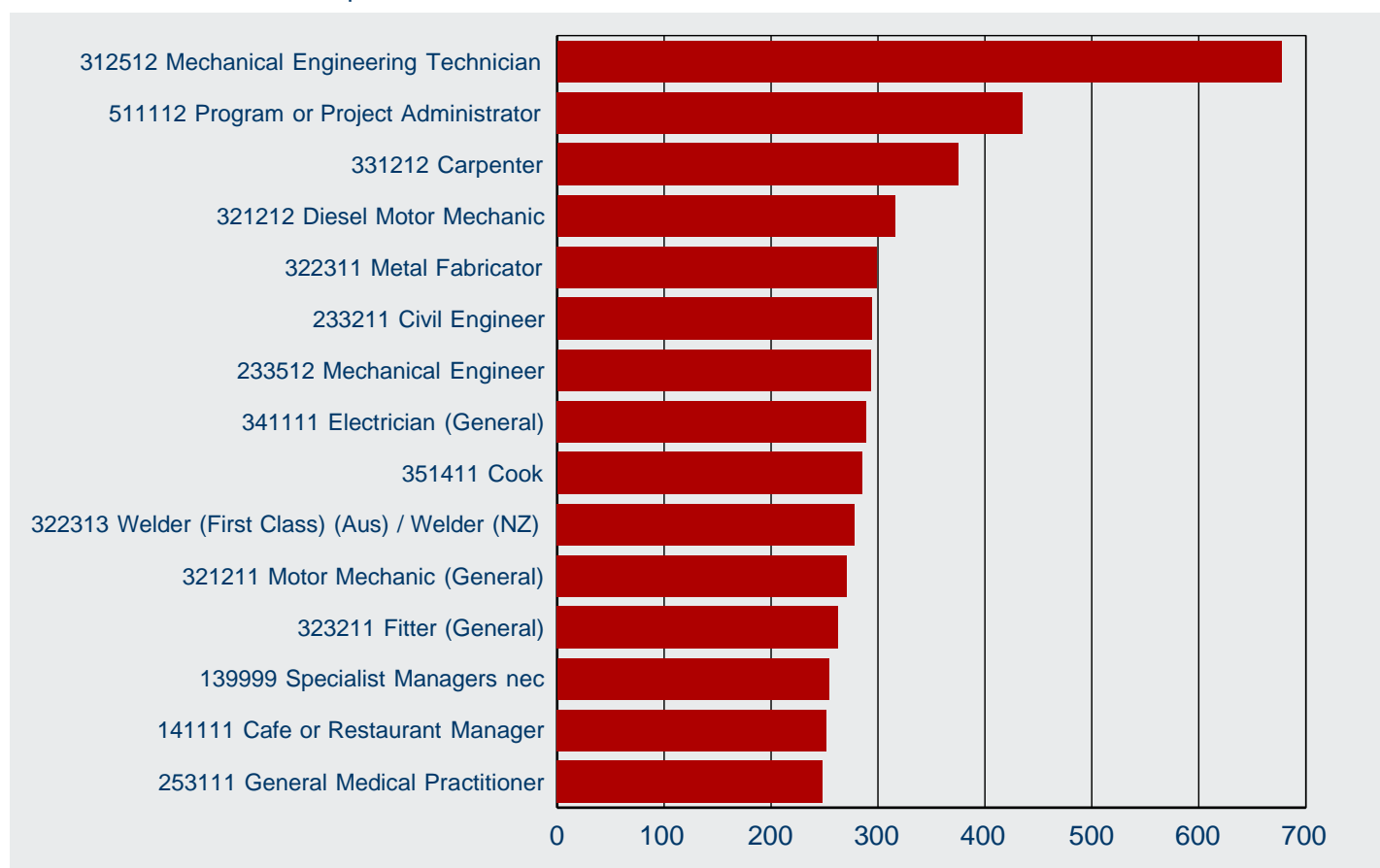
Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	2 120	2 110	-0.6%	14.4%
2 Professionals	6 550	5 500	-15.9%	37.5%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	6 380	6 000	-5.9%	41.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	130	180	41.4%	1.2%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	570	590	3.5%	4.0%
6 Sales Workers	10	80	777.8%	0.5%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	250	140	-44.6%	0.9%
8 Labourers	290	50	-82.6%	0.3%
Not Recorded	10	10	71.4%	0.1%
Total	16 290	14 660	-10.0%	100.0%

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Table 9.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Nominated Occupation	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	570	680	18.4%	4.6%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	440	440	-2.0%	3.0%
331212 Carpenter	290	380	30.2%	2.6%
321212 Diesel Motor Mechanic	330	320	-5.1%	2.2%
322311 Metal Fabricator	400	300	-25.1%	2.0%
233211 Civil Engineer	570	290	-48.0%	2.0%
233512 Mechanical Engineer	320	290	-8.2%	2.0%
341111 Electrician (General)	280	290	1.8%	2.0%
351411 Cook	200	290	45.4%	1.9%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	480	280	-42.3%	1.9%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	220	270	21.0%	1.8%
323211 Fitter (General)	420	260	-37.4%	1.8%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	370	250	-31.9%	1.7%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	140	250	86.7%	1.7%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	170	250	46.7%	1.7%
Other Occupations	11 090	9 830	-11.4%	67.0%
Total	16 290	14 660	-10.0%	100.0%

Graph 9.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia



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Table 9.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

Citizenship Country	2011-12 to 30/06/12	2012-13 to 30/06/13	% Change from 2011-12	2011-12 as % of Total
United Kingdom	4 530	3 470	-23.3%	23.7%
Ireland, Republic of	2 120	2 470	16.5%	16.9%
Philippines	2 170	1 560	-28.0%	10.6%
United States of America	1 120	990	-11.8%	6.8%
India	900	960	6.5%	6.6%
China, Peoples Republic of	640	600	-5.8%	4.1%
Korea, South	160	390	145.0%	2.7%
South Africa	530	360	-31.9%	2.4%
Canada	360	340	-6.4%	2.3%
France	250	260	3.2%	1.7%
Malaysia	310	240	-20.9%	1.7%
Italy	200	230	16.9%	1.6%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	320	210	-34.4%	1.4%
Germany, Fed Republic of	270	190	-29.3%	1.3%
Belgium	130	170	37.3%	1.2%
Other Countries	2 300	2 210	-3.9%	15.1%
Total	16 290	14 660	-10.0%	100.0%

Graph 9.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 30 June 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

