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About this report

This report provides data about the permanent Migration Program administered by the Department of Home Affairs (the Department). This report does not include data on the permanent Humanitarian Program.

This report is published annually.

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For privacy reasons, < 5 has been used where a number in a table is between 1 and 4. In instances where this figure is deducible from a provided total, the next lowest number is masked accordingly to maintain privacy.

Historical Migration Program reports are available on the Department of Home Affairs website (<https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/research-and-statistics/statistics/visa-statistics/live/migration-program>).

Enquiries

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Definition of terms

Activity:	For the purposes of Migration Program reporting, this refers to visa processing activity status and includes counts of lodgements, finalisation types (grant, refusal, withdrawal) and applications onhand. Activity data may also include second stage permanent applications that do not count toward the Migration Program ceiling.
ANZSCO:	Occupation data in this report utilises the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO). ANZSCO is a standardised classification framework for collection, publication and analysis of occupation data. Further information on ANZSCO is available on the Australian Bureau of Statistics website (https://www.abs.gov.au).
Citizenship country:	The country of citizenship of the visa applicant or visa holder. Where a visa applicant or visa holder has more than one citizenship country, either the citizenship of the travel document or the citizenship nominated by the visa applicant is used.
Decisions:	A visa processing activity outcome where a decision-maker (including system-generated decision-making) grants or refuses a visa application.
Finalisations:	A visa processing activity outcome where a decision-maker grants or refuses a visa application, or the application is otherwise finalised by client withdrawal.
In Australia:	In this report, this term refers to the location of the client at the time the application was lodged. An applicant in Australia may already hold a visa of the same kind or may be applying for another type of visa.
Lodged:	Lodged is the count of applications receipted in a departmental office or submitted electronically.
Onhand:	A visa application that has been lodged but has not been finalised at a point in time. An application that is onhand may also be referred to as 'in the pipeline'.
Outside Australia:	In this report, this term refers to the location of the client at the time of lodging the application.
Outcome:	For the purposes of Migration Program reporting, outcome refers to the number of visas granted that count toward the Migration Program. Outcome includes primary applicants as well as secondary/dependant applicants.

Where a visa has a permanent residence pathway, eg from a provisional or 'first stage' visa to a permanent or 'second stage' visa, the applicant is counted to the Migration Program at grant of the provisional visa.

Some visas granted during a program year may not count toward the Migration Program ceiling, for example:

- If a person has been previously granted a visa which counted toward the Migration Program, that person will not be counted again.
- When a visa is granted and subsequently cancelled in the same program year, the grant is excluded for the purposes of Migration Program outcome reporting.
- When a Partner visa applicant does not progress to the second stage (permanent) visa, a place is returned to the program.
- If a Business Innovation and Investment visa (granted in an earlier year) is cancelled, a place is returned to the program in the year of cancellation.

Places:	In this report, each grant that counts toward the Migration Program outcome is a place delivered against the ceiling of Migration Program places for the year. Where referring to Migration Program outcome within the report, the terms 'grant' and 'place' may be used interchangeably.
Primary applicant:	The primary applicant is the person who must satisfy the primary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Migration Regulations. Also known as the principal applicant.
Secondary applicant:	Secondary applicants must satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Migration Regulations. A secondary applicant is generally a dependant of the primary applicant.
Region (major):	The major geographical region in which the country of citizenship of the applicant is located. Region groupings are determined based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics Standard Classification of Countries (SACC), 2016.
Region (minor):	The minor geographical region in which the country of citizenship of the applicant is located. Region groupings are determined based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics Standard Classification of Countries (SACC), 2016.

Background to the Migration Program

Australia's Migration Program is set annually, and runs from 1 July to 30 June of each financial year. The size and composition of the Migration Program is set each year through the Australian Government's Budget process.

There are four streams in the Migration Program:

- The **Skill stream** is designed to improve the productive capacity of the economy and fill skill shortages in the labour market, including those in regional Australia.
- The **Family stream** is predominantly made up of Partner category visas, enabling Australian citizens and permanent residents to reunite with family members from overseas.
- The **Special Eligibility stream** covers visas for those in special circumstances that do not fit into the other streams. This can include permanent residents returning to the country after a period away.
- The **Child stream** provides migration avenues for children of Australian citizens and permanent residents and is demand driven.

Calculating the Migration Program Outcome

The Skill and Family streams include 'two-stage' visas, which provide a permanent residence pathway for visa holders from a provisional or 'first stage' visa to a permanent or 'second stage' visa. While such pathways involve the grant of two visas, to avoid double counting, the visa holder is counted to the Migration Program at grant of the provisional or 'first stage' visa only.

In addition to 'second stage' visas, some other visas granted may not count toward the Migration Program outcome in the following circumstances:

- if a person has been previously granted a visa which counted toward the Migration Program, that person will not be counted again.
- when a visa is granted and subsequently cancelled in the same program year.
- when a Partner visa applicant does not progress to the second stage (permanent) visa, a place is returned to the program.
- if a Business Innovation and Investment visa (granted in an earlier year) is cancelled under certain powers, a place is returned to the program in the year of cancellation.

Executive Summary

The total permanent Migration Program outcome for 2021-22 was **143,556** places.

The breakdown for each of the streams within the Migration Program was as follows:

- **89,063** places were delivered in the Skill stream;
- **51,288** places were delivered in the Family stream; and
- **199** places were delivered in the Special Eligibility stream.
- The outcome of Child stream for the year was **3,006** places.

For the 2021-22 program year, the Migration Program outcome was closer to the two-thirds/one-third split seen in recent history between the Skill and Family streams, after delivering a fifty-fifty split in 2020-21.

Overall Migration Program lodgements increased by 17.1 per cent from 157,989 in 2020-21 to 185,030 in 2021-22.

COVID-19 continued to have a major influence on the delivery of the Migration Program in 2021-22. The global impact of COVID-19 saw disruptions to supporting services such as English Language testing, biometrics and health and character checking. The Department took COVID-19 disruptions into account in processing throughout the year, for example in providing extended time periods for applicants to complete requirements where appropriate.

On 5 March 2022, two new permanent residence visa streams for Hong Kong and British National Overseas (BNO) passport holders were introduced as part of the Australian Government's commitment to strengthening ties with Hong Kong. The two new visa streams, which are part of the Skilled stream, are:

- Subclass 191 – the Hong Kong (regional) stream — for primary visa holders who were usually resident in Australia for a continuous period of at least three years immediately before applying and who lived, worked and studied exclusively in a designated regional area for that period, while holding the qualifying visa. This visa is part of the Skilled Regional sub category, in the overall Regional category.
- Subclass 189 – the Hong Kong stream — for primary visa holders who were usually resident in Australia for a continuous period of at least four years immediately before applying, and who held the qualifying visa during that period.

Skill Stream

The Minister for Immigration, Citizenship, Migrant Services and Multicultural Affairs has authority to redistribute places across the Skill stream of the Migration Program in order to maximise outcomes.

Skill stream visas are processed according to government policy priorities which are outlined in Ministerial Directions. More details regarding these priorities can be found at: Skilled visa processing priorities (homeaffairs.gov.au).

Visa processing continued to focus on onshore applicants and applicants in critical sectors and occupations. 67 per cent of applicants finalised in the Skill Stream in 2021-22 were onshore.

The Skill stream outcome was 89,063 places, which accounted for 63.4 per cent of the total 2021-22 Migration Program outcome (excluding Child stream).

Within the Skill stream:

- The Employer Sponsored category had an outcome of 26,103 places. Employer Sponsored visas comprised 29.3 per cent of the Skill stream outcome in 2021-22;
- The Skilled Independent category had an outcome of 5,864 places (6.6 per cent);
- The Regional category had an outcome of 18,223 (20.5 per cent of Skill outcome). Of this, 15,055 places were delivered in Skilled Work Regional, 3,123 places in Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional and 45 places in Skilled Regional.
- The State/Territory Nominated category had an outcome of 19,376 places (21.8 per cent);
- The Business Innovation and Investment Program (BIIP) had an outcome of 10,496 places (11.8 per cent);
- The Global Talent Independent had an outcome of 8,776 places (9.9 per cent); and
- The Distinguished Talent category had an outcome of 225 places (0.3 per cent).

The number of places delivered to Registered Nurses (4,786) was higher than any other occupation unit group across the Skill stream with the highest number of places delivered in the State/territory nominated (2,859) and Regional (1,162) categories for this group.

Skill stream lodgements increased by 25 per cent in the 2021-22 program year compared with 2020-21. There were 118,273 first stage applications received in the Skill stream in 2021-22 compared to 94,872 first stage applications in 2020-21. This increase was mainly attributed to the Regional (63 per cent), State/Territory nominated (61 per cent) and Employer sponsored (40 per cent) categories.

As at 30 June 2022, there were 119,587 first stage Skill applicants in the pipeline, an increase of 23 per cent compared to the pipeline as at 30 June 2021.

In the Skilled Independent category, there were 7,512 applications lodged in 2021-22 compared to 8,529 applications in 2020-21. In the Skilled Independent category, applicants located outside Australia accounted for 20.6 per cent of the 2021-22 outcome.

State and Territory Governments were able to nominate skilled migration applicants through three categories in 2021-22 – the State/Territory Nominated Category; the Business Innovation and Investment Category; and the Regional Category, through the Skilled Work Regional visa. Across these categories, Migration Program outcomes that involved a State or Territory Government nomination totalled 44,223 places, or 49.7 per cent of the Skill Stream of the Migration Program, broken down as follows:

- State/Territory Nominated – 19,376 places
- BIIP – 10,496 places
- Skilled Work Regional – 14,351 places¹

There were 10,496 places delivered in the Business Innovation and Investment program (BIIP). Lodgements decreased by 40 per cent in 2021-22, with 9,553 first stage applications made compared to 15,818 first stage applications made in 2020-21. Despite this, the BIIP pipeline decreased over the 2021-22 program year by 17 per cent, to 26,440 applications as at 30 June 2022 compared to 31,813 applications at 30 June 2021.

The Global Talent program has two categories; the Global Talent Independent category for applications identified for priority processing; and the Distinguished Talent category for non-priority applications. Individuals may submit an Expression of Interest (EOI) to be considered for priority processing of a Subclass 858 Global Talent visa (renamed from Distinguished Talent on 27 February 2021). EOI candidates who meet an income threshold and have achievements related to a target sector are identified as Global Talent Independent.

The Global Talent Independent Program made up 9.9 per cent of the Skill stream. Global Talent visa refusal rates in the Global Talent Independent category remained low (1%) for the 2021-22 program year. This is partially due to EOI screening. The successful EOI rate was 42.8 per cent in 2021-22 and 41.3% in 2020-21².

Places were delivered under the Global Talent Independent category in the following priority growth sectors:

- Digitech (29.5%)
- Health Industries (19.8%)
- Financial Services and FinTech (17.6%)
- Energy (10.5%)
- Agri-food and AgTech (5.3%)
- Defence, Advanced Manufacturing and Space (5.2%)
- Resources (4.9%)
- Infrastructure and Tourism (3.4%)
- Education (2.7%)
- Circular Economy (1.1%)

¹ Excludes the number of places delivered to family sponsored applicants in the Skilled Work Regional (Provisional) visa (subclass 491)

² Expression of Interest data is drawn from a dynamic environment and is correct at the time of publication. Figures may differ slightly from previous or future reporting.

Family Stream

The Family stream delivered 51,288 places, which accounted for 36.5 per cent of the total 2021-22 Migration Program outcome (excluding Child stream).

Within the Family stream:

- The Partner category had an outcome of 46,288 places. It comprised 90.3 per cent of the 2021-22 Family stream outcome;
- The outcome of the Contributory Parent and Non-Contributory Parent categories were 3,600 places and 900 places, respectively, a total of 4500 places; and
- The outcome of the Other Family category was 500 places.

Lodgements in the Family stream in 2021-22 were 4.6 per cent higher than in 2020-21.

The pipeline at 30 June 2022 for the Partner category was 56,168 applications, a decrease of 12.4 per cent compared to the pipeline of 64,111 at 30 June 2021.

The pipeline for the Parent category was 125,233 applications at 30 June 2022, increasing by 9.5 per cent compared to the pipeline of 114,359 applications at 30 June 2021.

The pipeline for the Other Family category was 8,569 at 30 June 2022, decreasing by 1.6 per cent compared to the pipeline of 8,712 applications at 30 June 2021.

Special Eligibility Stream

The Special Eligibility stream outcome was 199 places, which accounted for 0.14 per cent of the total 2021-22 Migration Program outcome.

Special Eligibility includes Ministerial Intervention cases and Former Resident applicants.

Child Stream

The Child stream delivered 3,006 places in 2021-22. The Child stream is a demand driven program, with a nominal allocation of 3,000 places.

Migration Program Outcome - Further Information

Source countries

The largest source citizenship countries of migrants in 2021-22 were:

- India with 24,324 places
- China with 18,240 places
- United Kingdom with 9,584 places
- Philippines with 8,591 places
- Nepal with 6,628 places
- Vietnam with 6,492 places
- New Zealand with 4,421 places
- Hong Kong with 4,237 places
- Pakistan with 3,734 places
- South Africa with 3,305 places

State/Territory of Intended Residence

Where applicants have specified where they intended to reside¹, they have indicated (these are ordered from highest to lowest):

New South Wales (NSW) – 44,940 places

Victoria (VIC) – 36,168 places

Queensland (QLD) – 18,591 places

Western Australia (WA) – 13,937 places

South Australia (SA) – 11,763 places

Tasmania (TAS) – 5,312 places

Australian Capital Territory (ACT) – 4,039 places

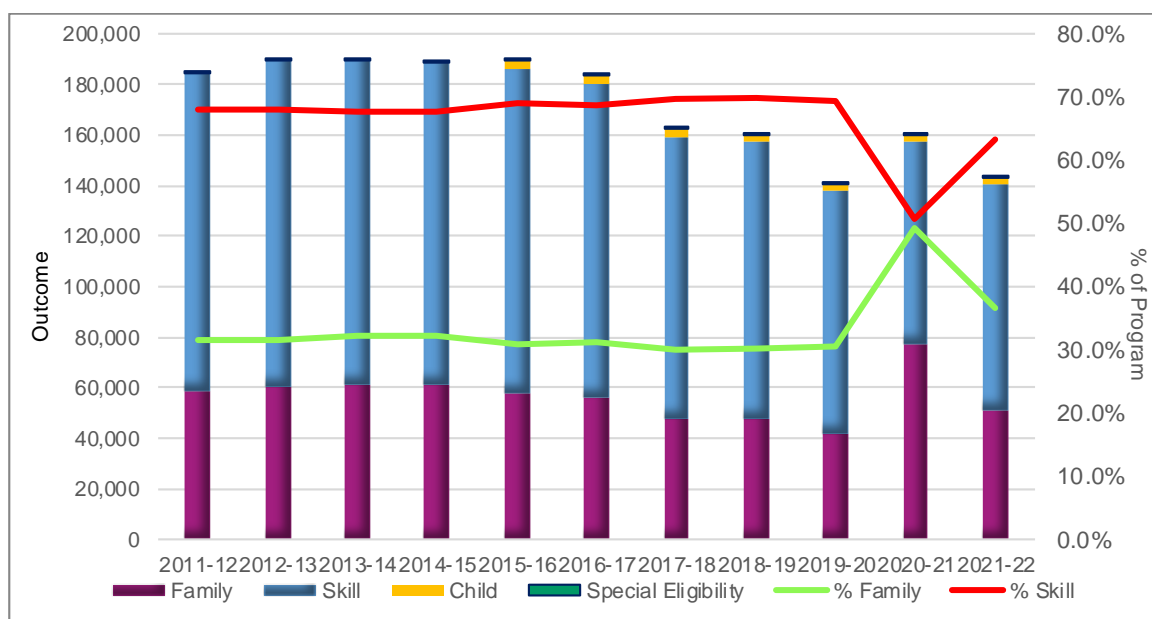
Northern Territory (NT) – 2,611 places

Not Specified – 6,195 places³

³ Not all visa classes require an applicant to declare at time of application where they intend to reside.

1. Migration Program Outcome 2021–22

1.1. Migration Program Outcome by stream

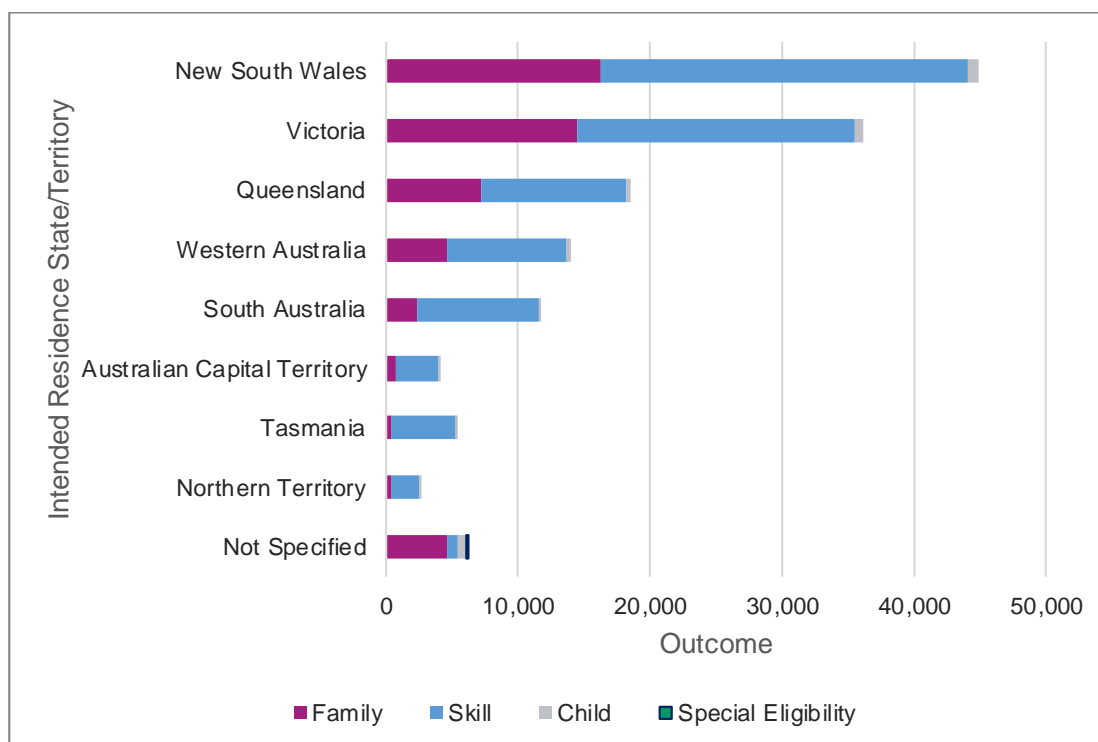


Outcome	Stream						
Year	Skill	Family	Child	Special Eligibility	Total	% Skill	% Family
2011-12	125,755	58,604	0	639	184,998	68.0%	31.7%
2012-13	128,973	60,185	0	842	190,000	67.9%	31.7%
2013-14	128,550	61,112	0	338	190,000	67.7%	32.2%
2014-15	127,774	61,085	0	238	189,097	67.6%	32.3%
2015-16	128,550	57,400	3,512	308	189,770	69.0%	30.8%
2016-17	123,567	56,220	3,400	421	183,608	68.6%	31.2%
2017-18	111,099	47,732	3,350	236	162,417	69.8%	30.0%
2018-19	109,713	47,247	3,248	115	160,323	69.8%	30.1%
2019-20	95,843	41,961	2,481	81	140,366	69.5%	30.4%
2020-21	79,620	77,372	3,006	54	160,052	50.7%	49.3%
2021-22	89,063	51,288	3,006	199	143,556	63.4%	36.5%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Child visa and Special Eligibility streams are excluded when calculating Skill/Family stream percentage of Migration Program outcome.

1.2. Migration Program Outcome by stream and intended residence state/territory

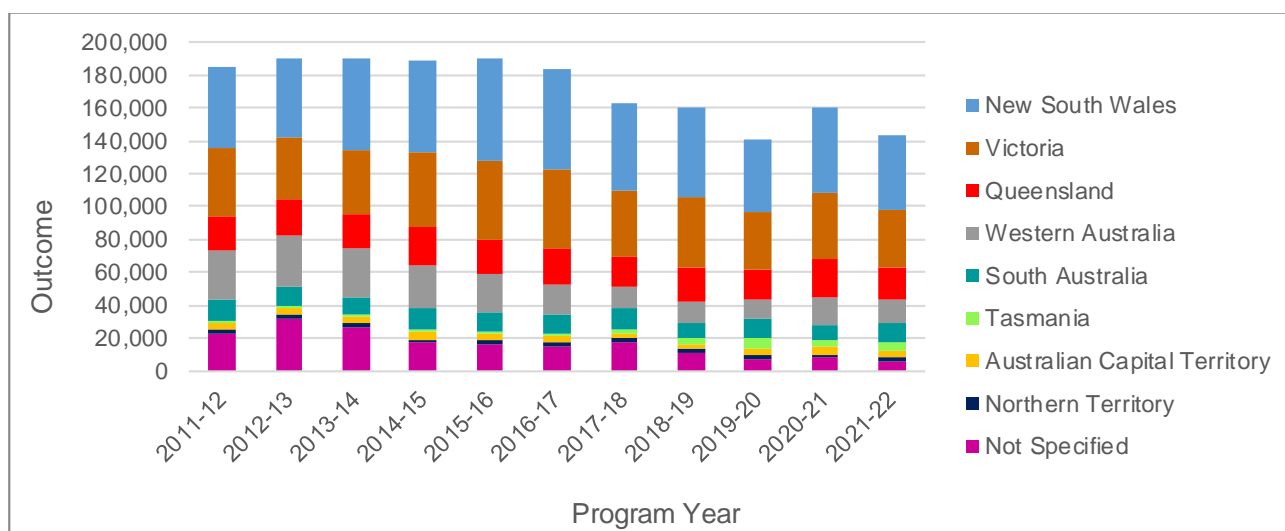


Outcome	Stream						
Intended Residence	Skill	Family	Child	Special Eligibility	2021-22 Total	2020-21 Total	% Variation
New South Wales	27,772	16,287	881	0	44,940	51,279	-12.4%
Victoria	21,009	14,553	606	0	36,168	40,114	-9.8%
Queensland	10,877	7,261	453	0	18,591	23,640	-21.4%
Western Australia	9,010	4,603	324	0	13,937	16,533	-15.7%
South Australia	9,287	2,347	129	0	11,763	9,829	19.7%
Australian Capital Territory	3,282	722	35	0	4,039	4,202	-3.9%
Tasmania	4,862	430	20	0	5,312	4,179	27.1%
Northern Territory	2,181	398	32	0	2,611	2,261	15.5%
Not Specified	783	4,687	526	199	6,195	8,015	-22.7%
Total	89,063	51,288	3,006	199	143,556	160,052	-10.3%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Intended residence state as recorded by applicant, otherwise grouped in 'Not Specified' (noting that not all visa classes require an applicant to declare at time of application where they intend to reside).

1.2.1. Migration Program Outcome by intended residence state – comparison with previous years



Outcome	Program Year										
Intended Residence	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
New South Wales	49,133	47,601	55,044	56,709	61,742	61,470	52,251	55,061	44,182	51,279	44,940
Victoria	41,278	38,479	39,840	45,307	47,516	47,549	41,005	42,624	34,189	40,114	36,168
Queensland	21,646	21,589	20,679	22,209	21,860	21,519	17,870	20,420	18,743	23,640	18,591
Western Australia	29,421	30,383	29,043	26,233	22,488	18,908	13,480	12,247	11,377	16,533	13,937
South Australia	13,093	11,891	10,714	13,486	12,461	11,062	12,017	10,115	11,996	9,829	11,763
Tasmania	1,267	1,193	1,132	1,085	1,180	2,004	2,775	3,247	6,152	4,179	5,312
Australian Capital Territory	4,150	4,143	4,345	4,464	3,260	3,707	3,277	3,408	4,370	4,202	4,039
Northern Territory	2,359	2,323	2,360	2,531	2,438	2,393	2,483	2,616	2,558	2,261	2,611
Not Specified	22,651	32,398	26,843	17,073	16,825	14,996	17,259	10,585	6,799	8,015	6,195
Total	184,998	190,000	190,000	189,097	189,770	183,608	162,417	160,323	140,366	160,052	143,556

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Intended residence state as recorded by applicant, otherwise grouped in 'Not Specified' (noting that not all visa classes require an applicant to declare at time of application where they intend to reside).

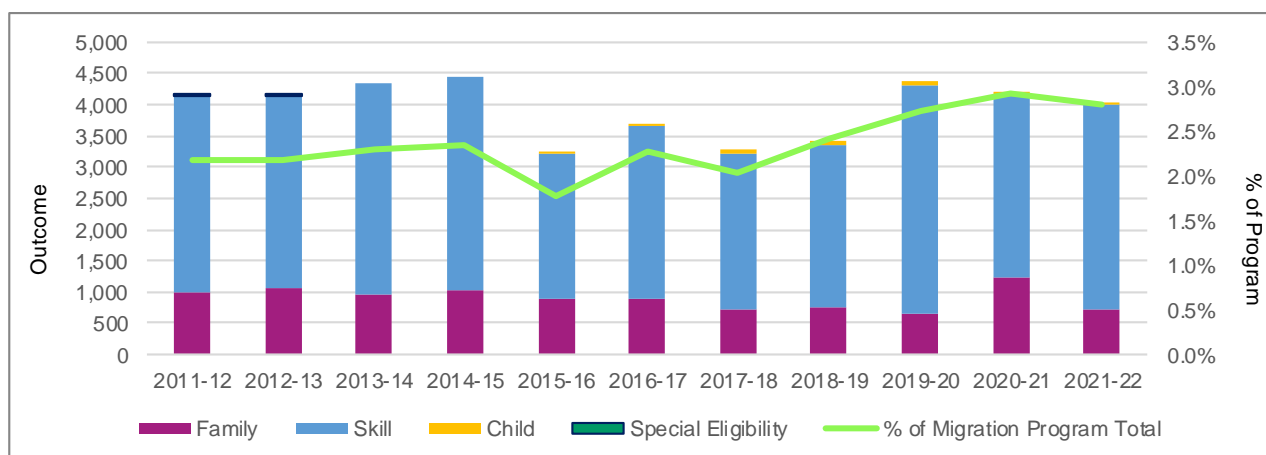
Note 3: Data sorted based on 2021-22 outcome (excluding Not Specified).

1.2.2. Migration Program Outcome: Australian Capital Territory by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Australian Capital Territory	Skill	Employer Sponsored	276
		Skilled Independent	66
		Regional	1,611
		State/Territory Nominated	1,061
		Business Innovation & Investment	64
		Global Talent (Independent)	191
		Distinguished Talent	13
	Skill Total		3,282
	Family	Partner	644
		Parent	<75
		Other Family	<5
	Family Total		722
	Child Total		35
Australian Capital Territory Total			4,039

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Australian Capital Territory by stream – comparison with previous years



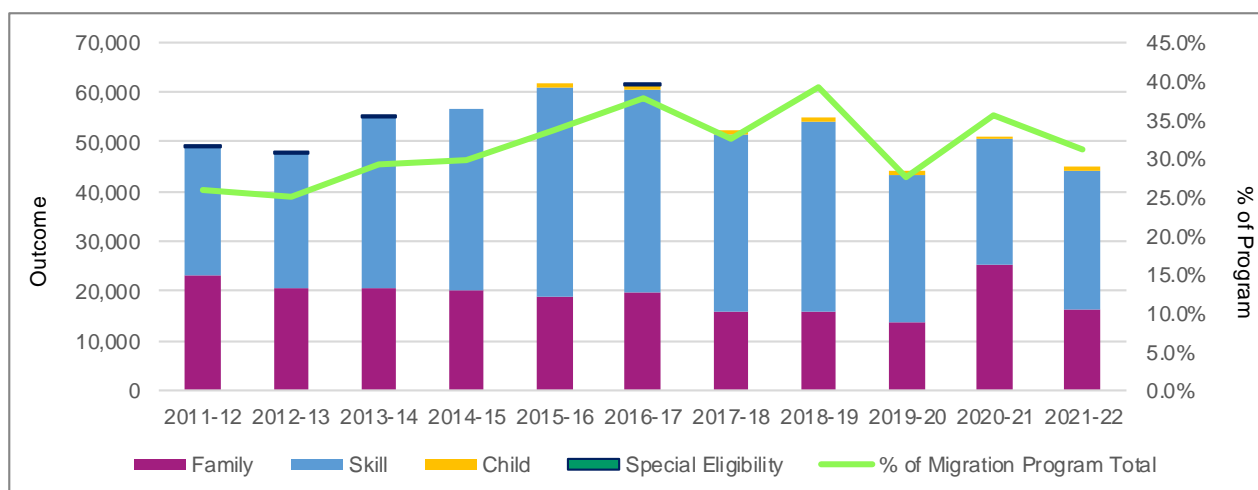
Program Year		2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Stream		3,146	3,093	3,386	3,450	2,317	2,755	2,501	2,619	3,664	2,906	3,282
Skill		999	1,049	959	1,014	904	898	733	741	638	1,248	722
Family		0	0	0	0	39	54	43	48	68	48	35
Child		5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Eligibility		4,150	4,143	4,345	4,464	3,260	3,707	3,277	3,408	4,370	4,202	4,039
ACT Total		2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%	1.8%	2.3%	2.0%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%	2.8%
% of Migration Program Total												

1.2.3. Migration Program Outcome: New South Wales by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
New South Wales	Skill	Employer Sponsored	10,936
		Skilled Independent	1,601
		Regional	3,779
		State/Territory Nominated	5,433
		Business Innovation & Investment	2,203
		Global Talent (Independent)	3,731
		Distinguished Talent	89
		Skill Total	27,772
	Family	Partner	14,327
		Parent	1,787
		Other Family	173
		Family Total	16,287
	Child Total	881	
New South Wales Total			44,940

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

New South Wales by stream – comparison with previous years



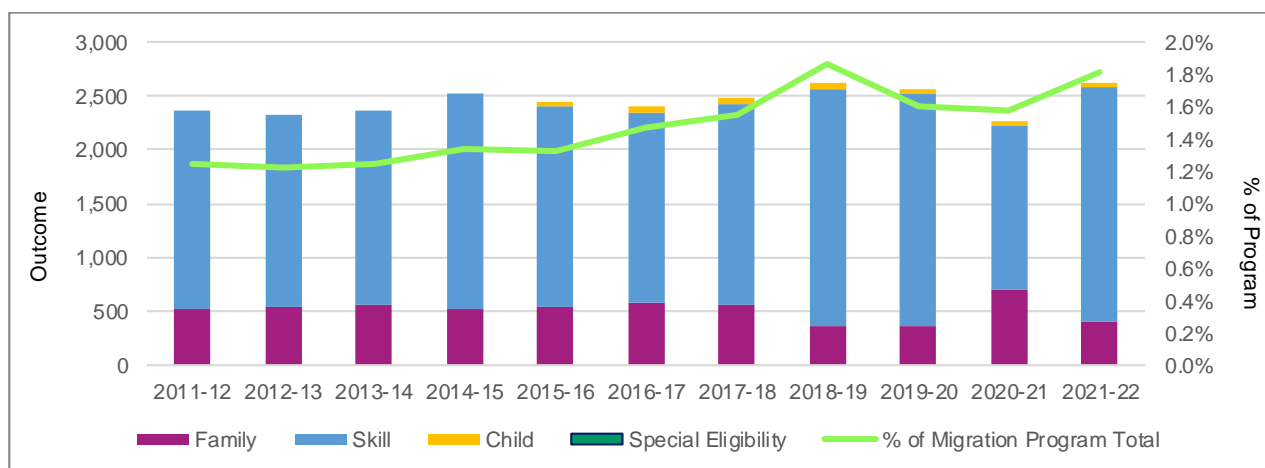
	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	25,661	26,921	34,589	36,509	42,189	40,704	35,576	38,383	29,776	25,216	27,772
Family	23,277	20,663	20,450	20,200	18,669	19,849	15,853	15,847	13,768	25,254	16,287
Child	0	0	0	0	884	911	822	831	638	809	881
Special Eligibility	195	17	5	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
NSW Total	49,133	47,601	55,044	56,709	61,742	61,470	52,251	55,061	44,182	51,279	44,940
% of Migration Program Total	25.9%	25.1%	29.1%	29.9%	33.6%	37.8%	32.6%	39.2%	27.6%	35.7%	31.3%

1.2.4. Migration Program Outcome: Northern Territory by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Northern Territory	Skill	Employer Sponsored	162
		Skilled Independent	44
		Regional	1,129
		State/Territory Nominated	796
		Business Innovation & Investment	<20
		Global Talent (Independent)	28
		Distinguished Talent	<5
	Skill Total		2,181
	Family	Partner	383
		Parent	10
		Other Family	5
	Family Total		398
	Child Total		32
Northern Territory Total			2,611

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Northern Territory by stream – comparison with previous years



	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	1,842	1,786	1,796	2,007	1,858	1,769	1,868	2,203	2,162	1,523	2,181
Family	517	537	564	524	539	583	556	360	365	702	398
Child	0	0	0	0	41	41	59	53	31	36	32
Special Eligibility	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT Total	2,359	2,323	2,360	2,531	2,438	2,393	2,483	2,616	2,558	2,261	2,611
% of Migration Program Total	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	1.5%	1.5%	1.9%	1.6%	1.6%	1.8%

1.2.5. Migration Program Outcome: Queensland by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Queensland	Skill	Employer Sponsored	3,375
		Skilled Independent	1,101
		Regional	2,024
		State/Territory Nominated	1,242
		Business Innovation & Investment	2,056
		Global Talent (Independent)	1,056
		Distinguished Talent	23
		Skill Total	10,877
	Family	Partner	6,747
		Parent	476
		Other Family	38
		Family Total	7,261
	Child Total	453	
Queensland Total			18,591

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Queensland by stream – comparison with previous years



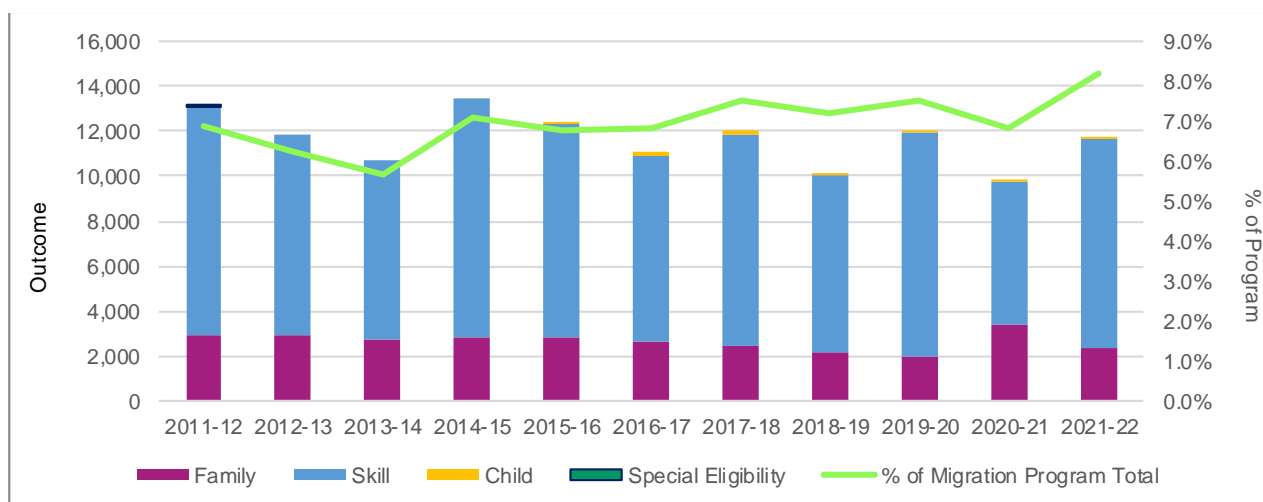
	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	13,984	13,447	13,421	14,713	14,354	14,175	11,100	13,588	12,763	11,613	10,877
Family	7,651	8,138	7,258	7,496	7,134	6,936	6,359	6,374	5,671	11,575	7,261
Child	0	0	0	0	372	408	411	458	309	452	453
Special Eligibility	11	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
QLD Total	21,646	21,589	20,679	22,209	21,860	21,519	17,870	20,420	18,743	23,640	18,591
% of Migration Program Total	11.4%	11.4%	10.9%	11.7%	11.9%	13.2%	11.1%	14.5%	11.7%	16.5%	13.0%

1.2.6. Migration Program Outcome: South Australia by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
South Australia	Skill	Employer Sponsored	488
		Skilled Independent	128
		Regional	3,844
		State/Territory Nominated	2,949
		Business Innovation & Investment	1,492
		Global Talent (Independent)	369
		Distinguished Talent	17
		Skill Total	9,287
	Family	Partner	2,066
		Parent	228
		Other Family	53
		Family Total	2,347
	Child Total	129	
South Australia Total			11,763

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

South Australia by stream – comparison with previous years



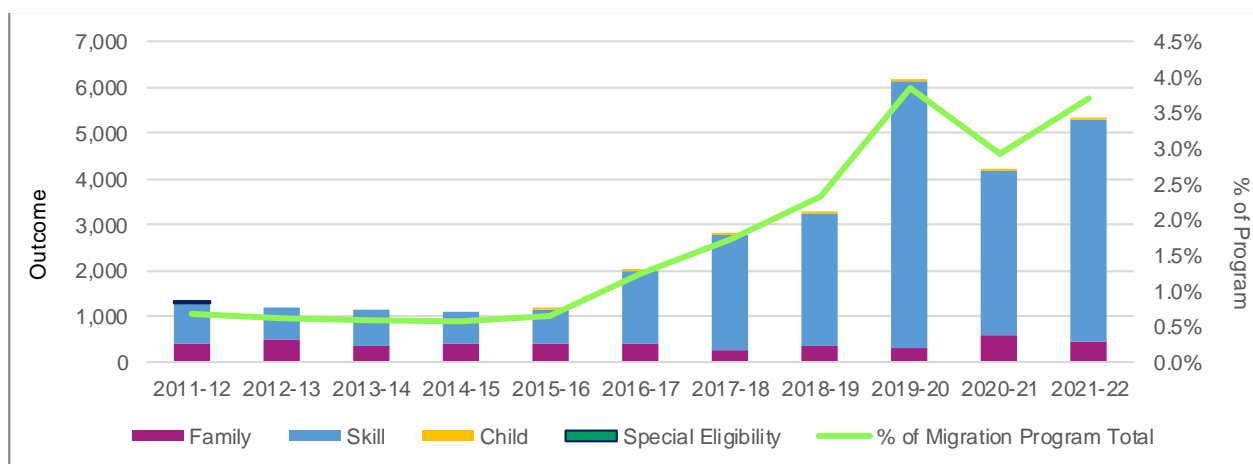
	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	10,195	8,934	7,980	10,701	9,504	8,238	9,422	7,840	9,969	6,320	9,287
Family	2,882	2,957	2,734	2,785	2,812	2,683	2,460	2,159	1,937	3,402	2,347
Child	0	0	0	0	145	141	135	116	90	107	129
Special Eligibility	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SA Total	13,093	11,891	10,714	13,486	12,461	11,062	12,017	10,115	11,996	9,829	11,763
% of Migration Program Total	6.9%	6.3%	5.7%	7.1%	6.8%	6.8%	7.5%	7.2%	7.5%	6.8%	8.2%

1.2.7. Migration Program Outcome: Tasmania by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Tasmania	Skill	Employer Sponsored	192
		Skilled Independent	33
		Regional	2,857
		State/Territory Nominated	1,679
		Business Innovation & Investment	36
		Global Talent (Independent)	56
		Distinguished Talent	9
		Skill Total	4,862
	Family	Partner	403
		Parent	<30
		Other Family	<5
	Family Total	430	
	Child Total	20	
Tasmania Total			5,312

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Tasmania by stream – comparison with previous years



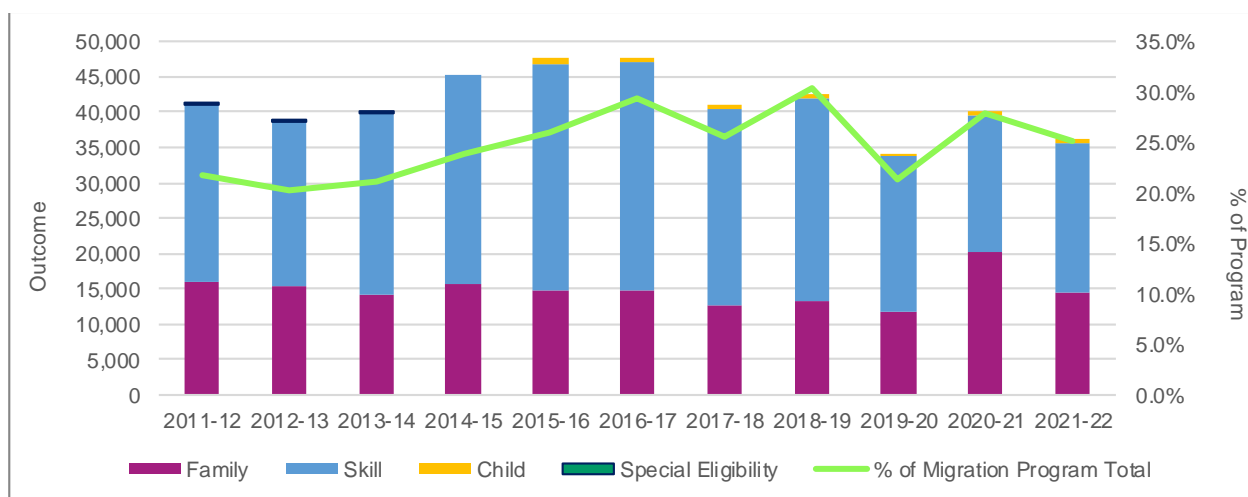
Program Year											
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	849	704	768	679	772	1,582	2,498	2,873	5,835	3,592	4,862
Family	415	489	364	406	386	405	265	348	302	574	430
Child	0	0	0	0	22	17	12	26	15	13	20
Special Eligibility	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TAS Total	1,267	1,193	1,132	1,085	1,180	2,004	2,775	3,247	6,152	4,179	5,312
% of Migration Program Total	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%	1.7%	2.3%	3.8%	2.9%	3.7%

1.2.8. Migration Program Outcome: Victoria by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Victoria	Skill	Employer Sponsored	7,736
		Skilled Independent	1,648
		Regional	1,430
		State/Territory Nominated	3,864
		Business Innovation & Investment	3,905
		Global Talent (Independent)	2,388
		Distinguished Talent	38
		Skill Total	21,009
	Family	Partner	12,932
		Parent	1,468
		Other Family	153
	Family Total	14,553	
	Child Total	606	
Victoria Total	36,168		

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Victoria by stream – comparison with previous years



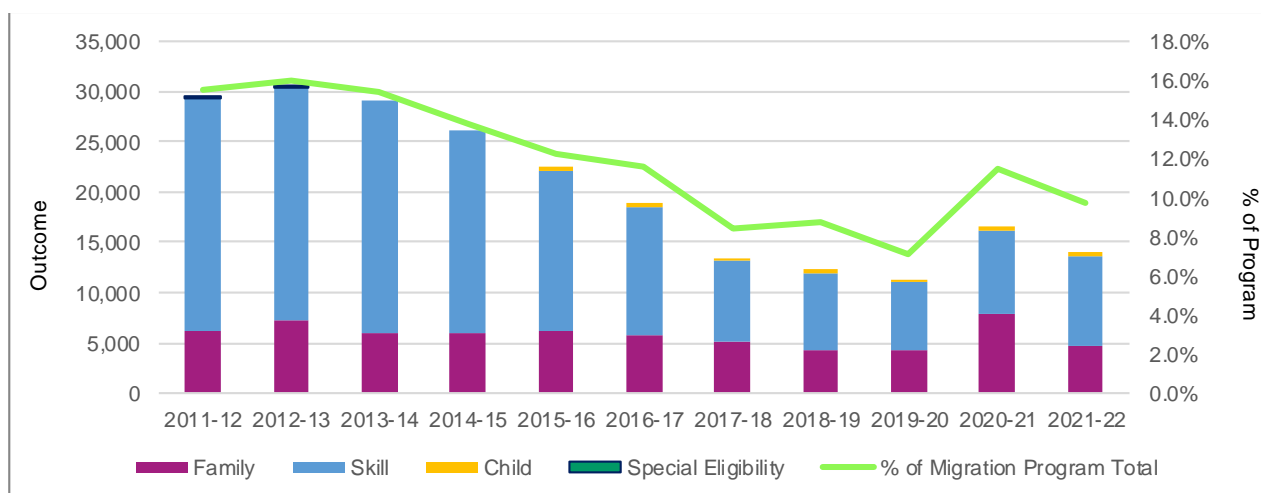
	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	25,085	23,136	25,513	29,630	32,206	32,197	27,685	28,828	21,850	19,469	21,009
Family	16,091	15,337	14,325	15,677	14,689	14,741	12,703	13,235	11,841	20,064	14,553
Child	0	0	0	0	621	611	617	561	498	581	606
Special Eligibility	102	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIC Total	41,278	38,479	39,840	45,307	47,516	47,549	41,005	42,624	34,189	40,114	36,168
% of Migration Program Total	21.7%	20.3%	21.1%	23.9%	25.9%	29.3%	25.6%	30.4%	21.4%	27.9%	25.2%

1.2.9. Migration Program Outcome: Western Australia by stream and visa category

Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2021-22 Total
Western Australia	Skill	Employer Sponsored	2,935
		Skilled Independent	795
		Regional	1,453
		State/Territory Nominated	2,348
		Business Innovation & Investment	697
		Global Talent (Independent)	757
		Distinguished Talent	25
	Skill Total		9,010
	Family	Partner	4,267
		Parent	304
		Other Family	32
	Family Total		4,603
	Child Total		324
Western Australia Total			13,937

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Western Australia by stream – comparison with previous years



	Program Year										
Stream	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skill	23,207	23,074	23,097	20,216	15,914	12,765	8,140	7,607	6,948	8,361	9,010
Family	6,190	7,306	5,946	6,017	6,206	5,770	5,048	4,283	4,184	7,844	4,603
Child	0	0	0	0	368	373	292	357	245	328	324
Special Eligibility	24	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WA Total	29,421	30,383	29,043	26,233	22,488	18,908	13,480	12,247	11,377	16,533	13,937
% of Migration Program Total	15.5%	16.0%	15.4%	13.8%	12.2%	11.6%	8.4%	8.7%	7.1%	11.5%	9.7%

1.2.10. Migration Program Outcome: State not specified by stream and visa category

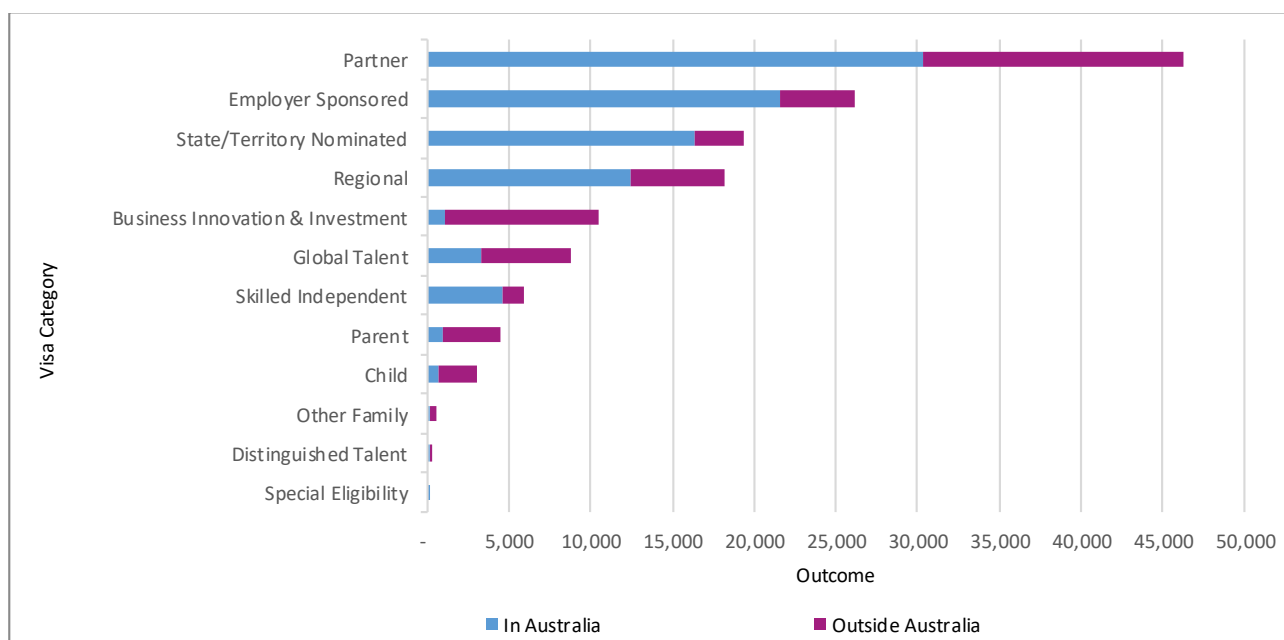
Intended Residence	Stream	Visa Category	2020-21 Total
Not Specified	Skill	Employer Sponsored	<5
		Skilled Independent	448
		Regional	96
		State/Territory Nominated	<5
		Business Innovation & Investment	25
		Global Talent (Independent)	200
		Distinguished Talent	7
	Skill Total		783
	Family	Partner	4,519
		Parent	128
		Other Family	40
	Family Total		4,687
	Special Eligibility Total		199
	Child Total		526
Not Specified Total			6,195

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Intended residence state as recorded by applicant, otherwise grouped in 'Not Specified'.

1.3. Migration Program Outcome by client location at time of application

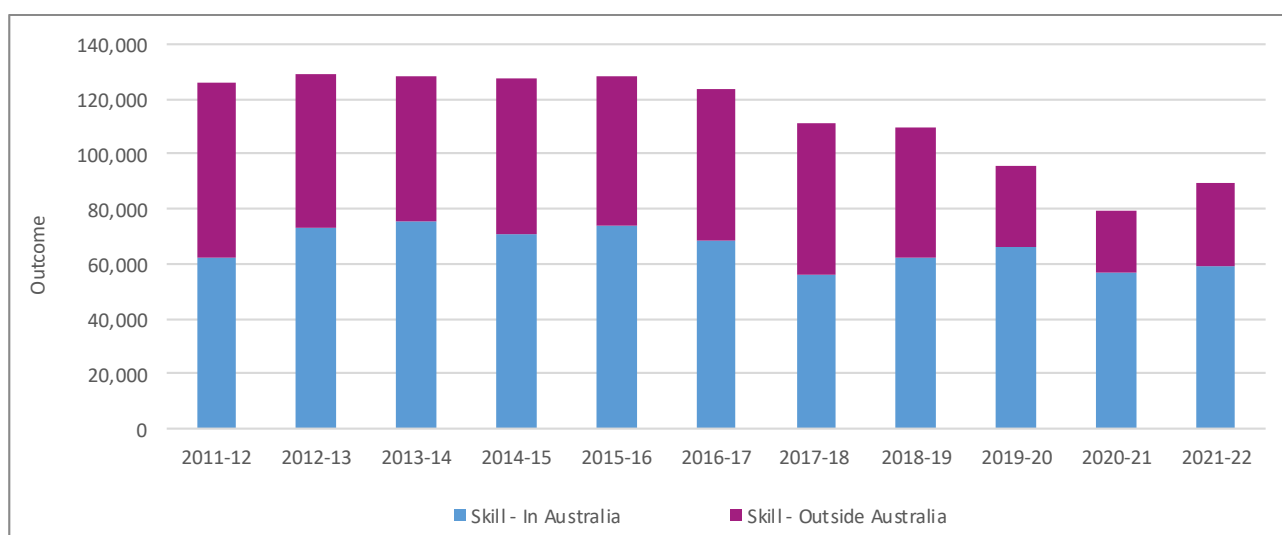
1.3.1. 2021–22 Migration Program Outcome by visa type and location of client at time of application



Outcome		Client Location		
Visa Stream	Visa Category	In Australia	Outside Australia	Total
Skill	Employer Sponsored	21,538	4,565	26,103
	Skilled Independent	4,655	1,209	5,864
	Regional	12,385	5,838	18,223
	State/Territory Nominated	16,373	3,003	19,376
	Business Innovation & Investment	1,024	9,472	10,496
	Global Talent	3,273	5,503	8,776
	Distinguished Talent	107	118	225
Skill Total		59,355	29,708	89,063
Family	Partner	30,310	15,978	46,288
	Parent	948	3,552	4,500
	Other Family	120	380	500
Family Total		31,378	19,910	51,288
Special Eligibility Total		199	0	199
Child Total		712	2,294	3,006
Migration Program Total		91,644	51,912	143,556

Note: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

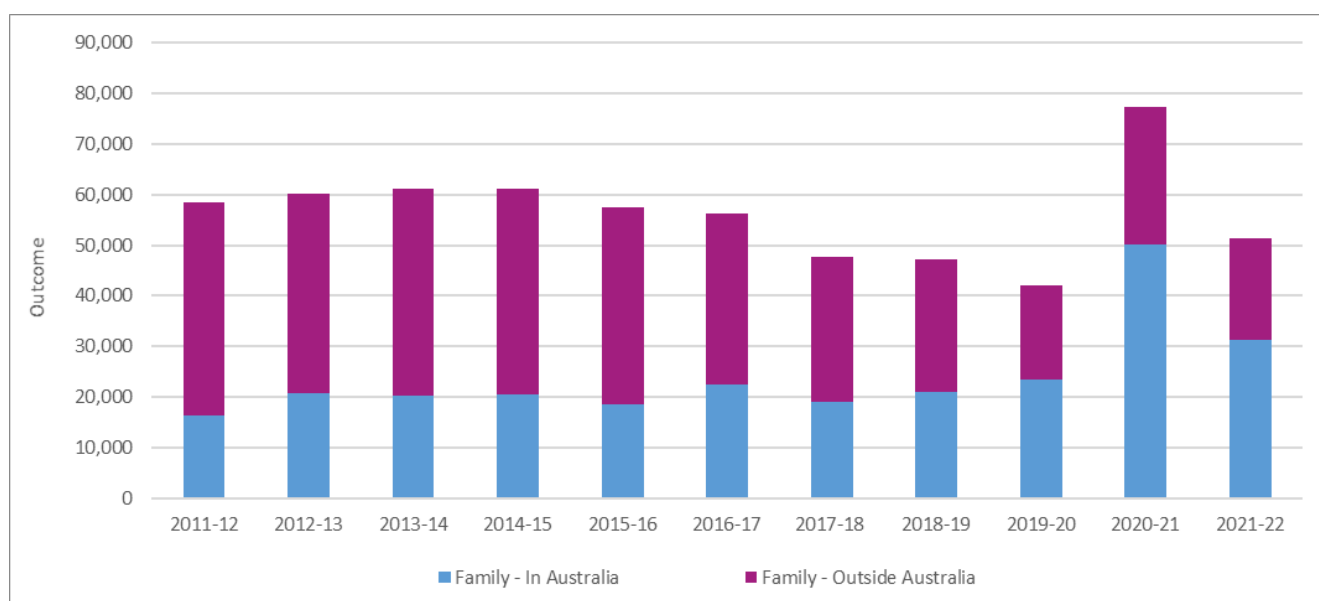
1.3.2. Migration Program Outcome (Skill stream): Location of client at time of application – comparison with previous years



Outcome	Program Year										
Client location at application	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
In Australia	62,374	73,368	75,221	70,751	74,126	68,869	55,853	62,366	66,133	56,687	59,535
% In Australia	50%	57%	59%	55%	58%	56%	50%	57%	69%	71%	67%
Outside Australia	63,381	55,605	53,329	57,023	54,424	54,698	55,246	47,347	29,710	22,933	29,708
% Outside Australia	50%	43%	41%	45%	42%	44%	50%	43%	31%	29%	33%
Skill Stream Total	125,755	128,973	128,550	127,774	128,550	123,567	111,099	109,713	95,843	79,620	89,243

Note: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

1.3.3. Migration Program Outcome (Family stream): Location of client at time of applications – comparison with previous years

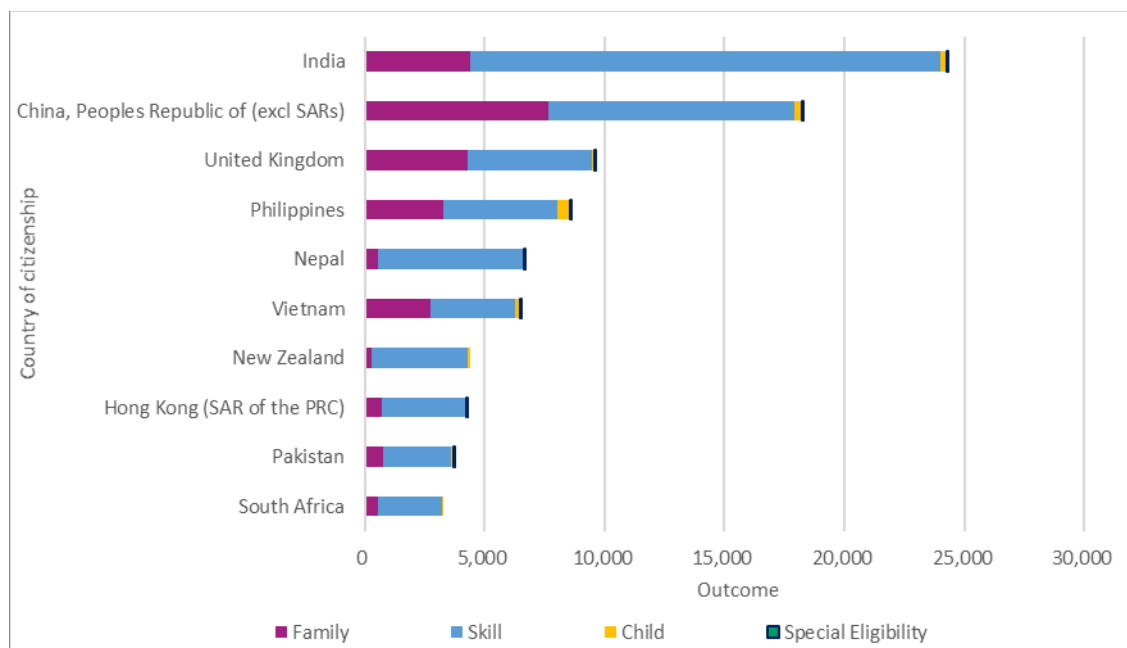


Outcome	Program Year										
Client location at application	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
In Australia	16,371	20,708	20,180	20,446	18,639	22,406	18,918	20,958	23,515	50,131	31,378
% In Australia	28%	34%	33%	33%	32%	40%	40%	44%	56%	65%	61%
Outside Australia	42,233	39,477	40,932	40,639	38,761	33,814	28,814	26,289	18,446	27,241	19,910
% Outside Australia	72%	66%	67%	67%	68%	60%	60%	56%	44%	35%	39%
Family Stream Total	58,604	60,185	61,112	61,085	57,400	56,220	47,732	47,247	41,961	77,372	51,288

Note: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

1.4. Migration Program Outcome by country and region of citizenship

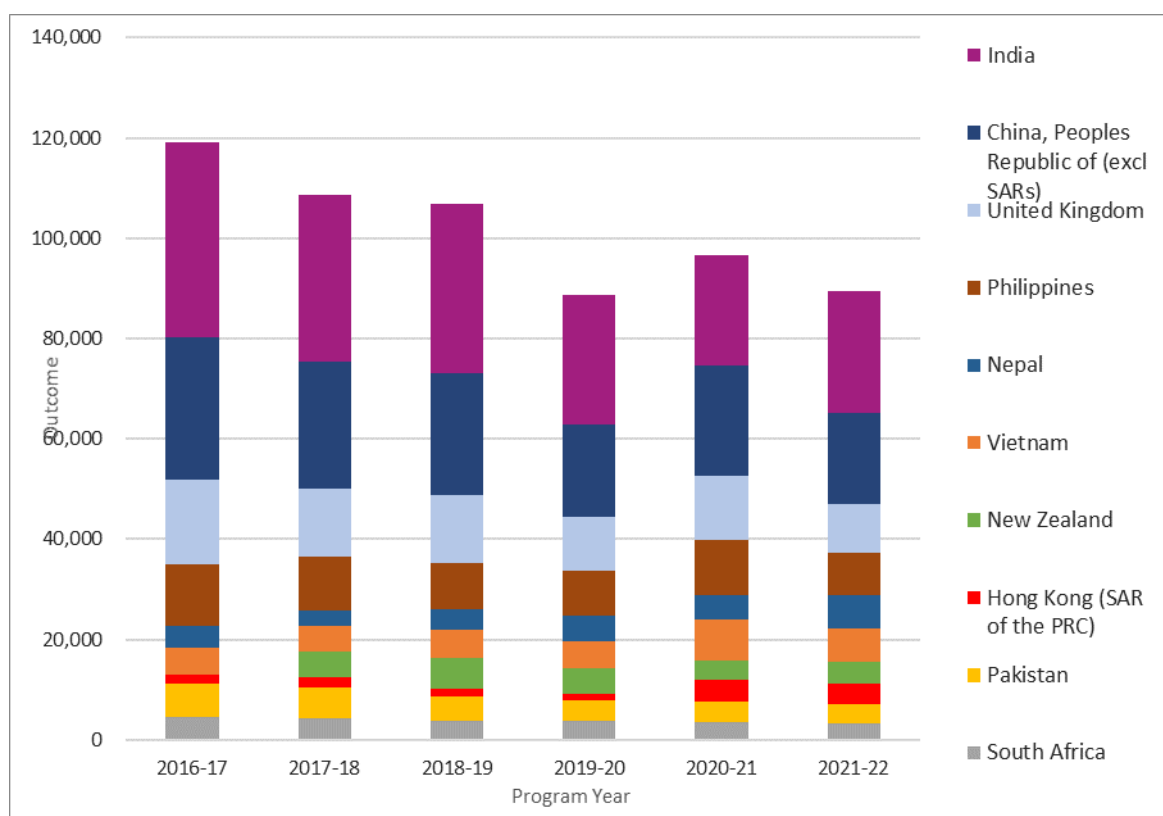
1.4.1. 2021–22 Migration Program Outcome: top 10 countries of citizenship by stream



Outcome	Stream				
Citizenship Country	Skill	Family	Special Eligibility	Child	Total
India	19,581	4,428	25	290	24,324
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	10,277	7,664	6	293	18,240
United Kingdom	5,185	4,276	25	98	9,584
Philippines	4,748	3,301	38	504	8,591
Nepal	6,048	553	<5	25	6,628
Vietnam	3,527	2,755	<5	207	6,492
New Zealand	4,005	271	0	145	4,421
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	3,500	713	<5	23	4,237
Pakistan	2,854	756	5	119	3,734
South Africa	2,683	556	0	66	3,305
Other	26,655	26,015	94	1,236	54,000
Total	89,063	51,288	199	3,006	143,556

Note: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

1.4.2. 2021–22 Migration Program Outcome: Top 10 countries of citizenship - comparison with previous years



Outcome	Program Year					
Citizenship Country	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
India	38,854	33,310	33,611	25,698	21,791	24,324
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	28,293	25,145	24,282	18,587	22,207	18,240
United Kingdom	17,038	13,654	13,689	10,681	12,703	9,584
Philippines	12,209	10,610	9,159	8,965	11,058	8,591
Nepal	4,290	3,067	4,096	5,048	4,714	6,628
Vietnam	5,493	5,124	5,532	5,398	8,120	6,492
New Zealand	0	5,295	6,209	4,997	3,978	4,421
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	1,795	1,928	1,647	1,391	4,312	4,237
Pakistan	6,556	6,235	4,739	4,136	4,121	3,734
South Africa	4,589	4,235	3,861	3,743	3,523	3,305
Other	64,491	53,814	53,498	51,722	63,525	54,000
Total	183,608	162,417	160,323	140,366	160,052	143,556

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: New Zealand grants were not counted toward the Migration Program outcome prior to 2017-18.

Note 3: Top 10 grouping based on 2021–22 outcome.

1.4.3. 2021–22 Migration Program Outcome: Top 10 countries of citizenship – rank comparison with previous years

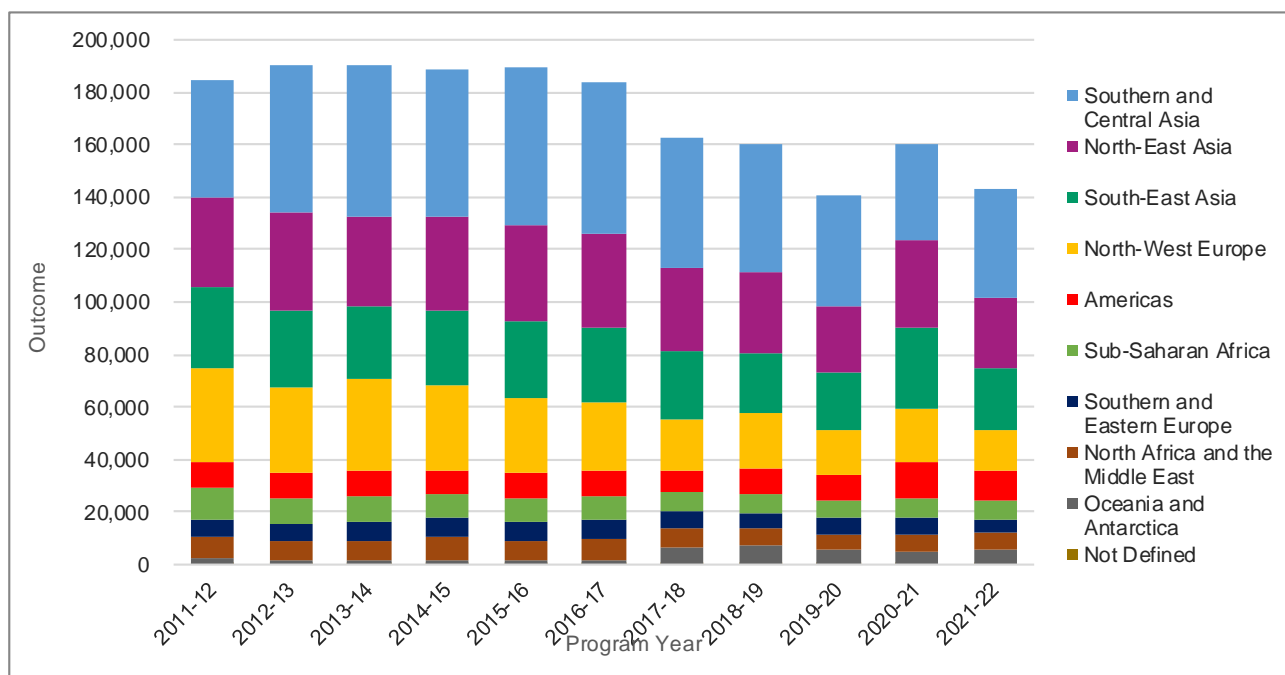
Outcome	Rank						Total
Citizenship Country	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2021-22
India	1	1	1	1	2	1	24,324
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	2	2	2	2	1	2	18,240
United Kingdom	3	3	3	3	3	3	9,584
Philippines	4	4	4	4	4	4	8,591
Nepal	8	10	8	6	7	5	6,628
Vietnam	6	7	6	5	5	6	6,492
New Zealand	N/A	6	5	7	11	7	4,421
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	20	18	22	23	8	8	4,237
Pakistan	5	5	7	8	9	9	3,734
South Africa	7	8	9	9	12	10	3,305

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

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Note 3: Top 10 grouping based on 2021–22 outcome.

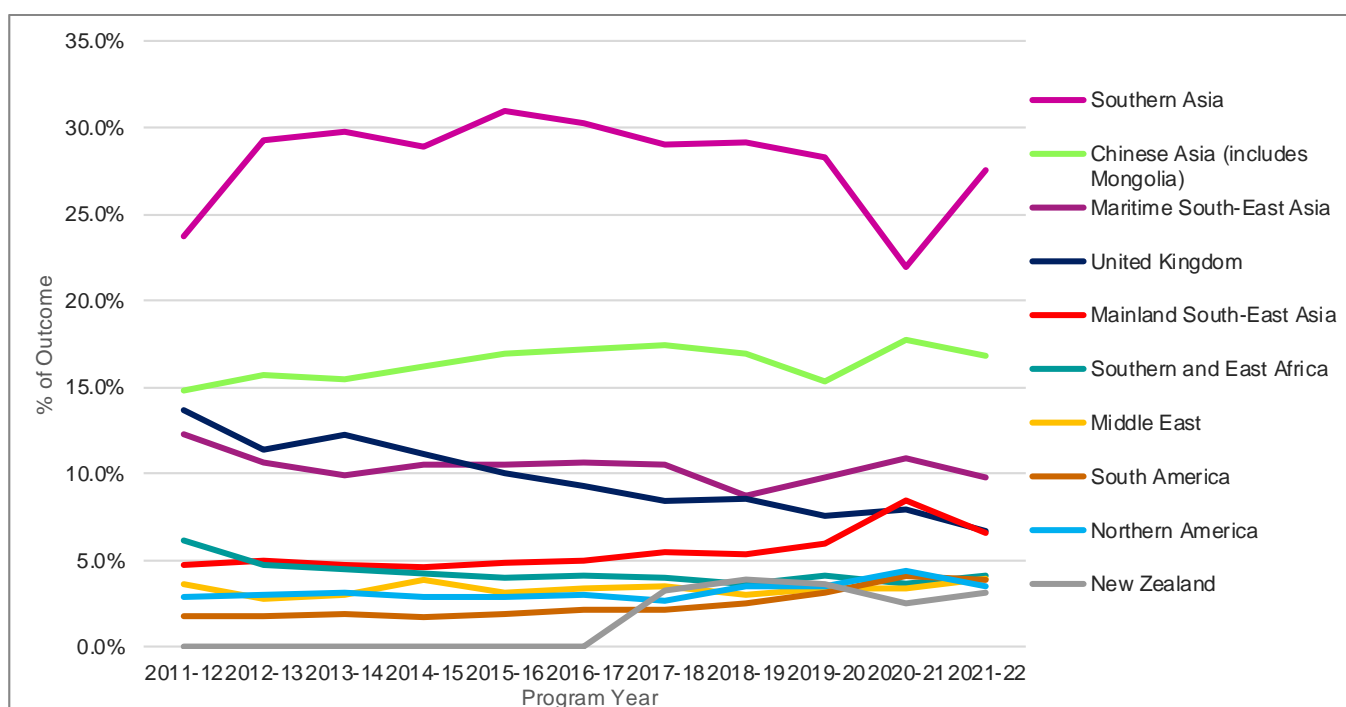
1.4.4. Migration Program Outcome 2011–12 to 2021–22 – by Region (Major)



Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Region is determined based on the country of citizenship of the applicant, and grouped according to the Australian Bureau of Statistics Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC) 2016.

1.4.5. Migration Program Outcome 2011–12 to 2021–22 – by Top 10 Region (Minor) and Percentage of Total



Outcome	Year										
Region (Minor)	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Southern Asia	23.7%	29.2%	29.7%	28.9%	31.0%	30.2%	29.0%	29.2%	28.3%	21.9%	27.6%
Chinese Asia (includes Mongolia)	14.8%	15.7%	15.4%	16.1%	16.9%	17.1%	17.4%	17.0%	15.3%	17.7%	16.8%
Maritime South-East Asia	12.3%	10.7%	9.9%	10.5%	10.5%	10.7%	10.5%	8.7%	9.7%	10.9%	9.7%
United Kingdom	13.7%	11.4%	12.2%	11.1%	10.0%	9.3%	8.4%	8.5%	7.6%	7.9%	6.7%
Mainland South-East Asia	4.7%	5.0%	4.8%	4.6%	4.9%	5.0%	5.4%	5.4%	5.9%	8.4%	6.6%
Southern and East Africa	6.1%	4.7%	4.4%	4.2%	4.0%	4.1%	3.9%	3.7%	4.1%	3.6%	4.1%
Middle East	3.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.8%	3.1%	3.4%	3.5%	3.0%	3.3%	3.3%	3.9%
South America	1.8%	1.8%	1.9%	1.7%	1.8%	2.1%	2.1%	2.6%	3.1%	4.1%	3.8%
Northern America	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	2.6%	3.5%	3.5%	4.4%	3.5%
New Zealand	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.3%	3.9%	3.6%	2.5%	3.1%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: New Zealand grants were not counted toward the Migration Program outcome prior to 2017-18.

Note 3: Region is determined based on the country of citizenship of the applicant. Terminology and grouping is according to the Australian Bureau of Statistics Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC) 2016.

1.4.6. Migration Program Outcome 2011–12 to 2021–22 – by Top 10 Region (Minor)

Outcome	Year										
Region (Minor)	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Southern Asia	43,935	55,527	56,432	54,642	58,740	55,515	47,181	46,781	39,696	35,102	39,550
Chinese Asia (includes Mongolia)	27,372	29,746	29,260	30,506	32,057	31,433	28,272	27,208	21,446	28,369	24,062
Maritime South-East Asia	22,700	20,247	18,783	19,901	19,915	19,635	16,987	13,975	13,679	17,385	13,948
United Kingdom	25,274	21,711	23,220	21,078	18,950	17,038	13,654	13,689	10,681	12,703	9,584
Mainland South-East Asia	8,783	9,415	9,025	8,675	9,291	9,187	8,804	8,611	8,292	13,514	9,428
Southern and East Africa	11,343	9,011	8,419	7,937	7,599	7,451	6,372	5,854	5,732	5,817	5,911
Middle East	6,710	5,238	5,684	7,186	5,900	6,195	5,613	4,836	4,641	5,285	5,624
South America	3,273	3,378	3,557	3,217	3,500	3,863	3,411	4,094	4,361	6,522	5,509
Northern America	5,364	5,656	5,893	5,441	5,458	5,381	4,298	5,566	4,938	7,000	4,965
New Zealand	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,295	6,209	4,997	3,978	4,421
Other	30,244	30,071	29,727	30,514	28,360	27,910	22,530	23,500	21,903	24,377	20,554
Total	184,998	190,000	190,000	189,097	189,770	183,608	162,417	160,323	140,366	160,052	143,556

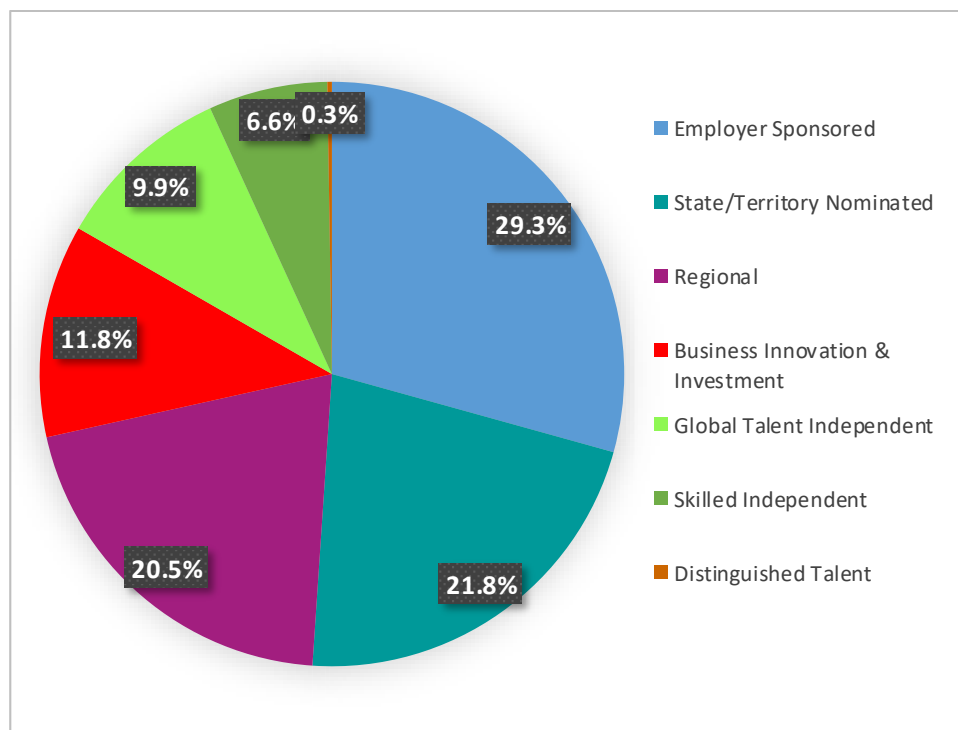
Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: New Zealand grants were not counted toward the Migration Program outcome prior to 2017-18.

Note 3: Region is determined based on the country of citizenship of the applicant. Terminology and grouping is according to the Australian Bureau of Statistics Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC) 2016

2. Skill stream

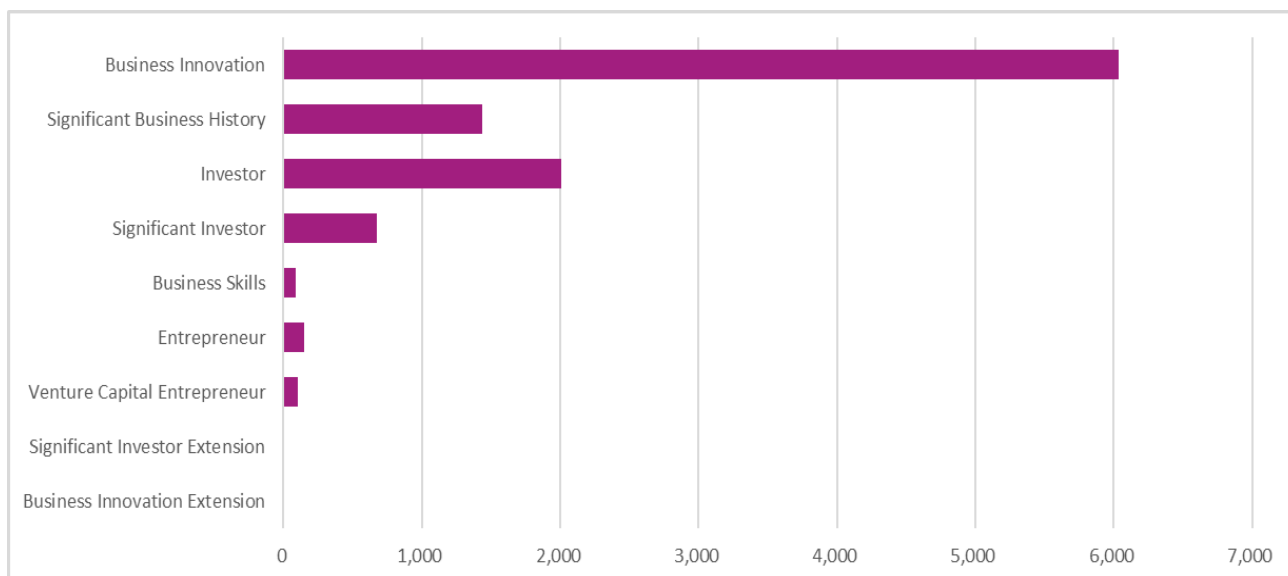
2.1. Composition of Migration Program Outcome 2021-22 Skill Stream



Visa Category	Total
Employer Sponsored	26,103
State/Territory Nominated	19,376
Regional	18,223
Business Innovation & Investment	10,496
Global Talent Independent	8,776
Skilled Independent	5,864
Distinguished Talent	225
Total	89,063

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

2.2. Migration Program Outcome: Business Innovation and Investment Program (BIIP) Category – by stream



Business Innovation and Investment Program (BIIP)	
Visa Stream	2021-22
Business Innovation	6,035
Significant Business History	1,437
Investor	2,007
Significant Investor	673
Business Skills	90
Entrepreneur	147
Venture Capital Entrepreneur	101
Significant Investor Extension	<5
Business Innovation Extension	<5
Total	10,496

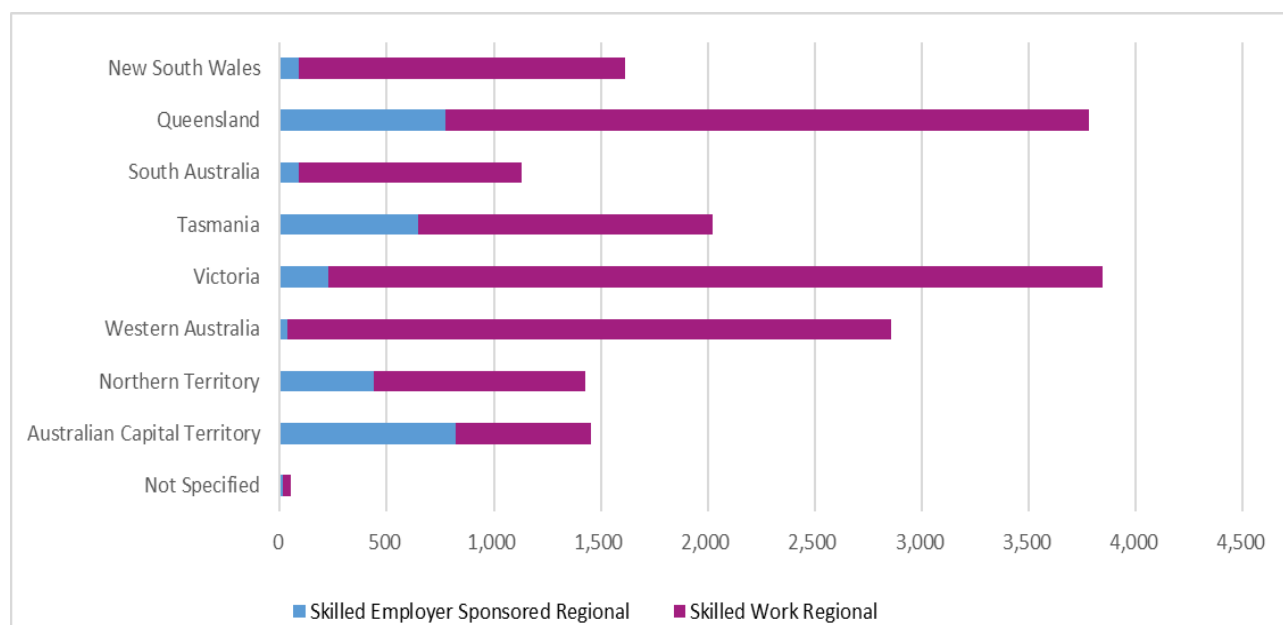
Note: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

2.3. Migration Program Outcome: Global Talent Independent Category – by priority growth sector

Global Talent	
Growth Sector	% of Total
DigiTech	29.5%
Health Industries	19.8%
Financial Services and FinTech	17.6%
Energy	10.5%
Agri-food and AgTech	5.3%
Defence, Advanced Manufacturing and Space	5.2%
Resources	4.9%
Infrastructure and Tourism	3.4%
Education	2.7%
Circular Economy	1.1%
Total	100%

Note: Global Talent Independent category commenced in the 2019–20 program year.

2.4. Migration Program Outcome: Regional Category – by Subcategory and State/Territory of Intended Residence



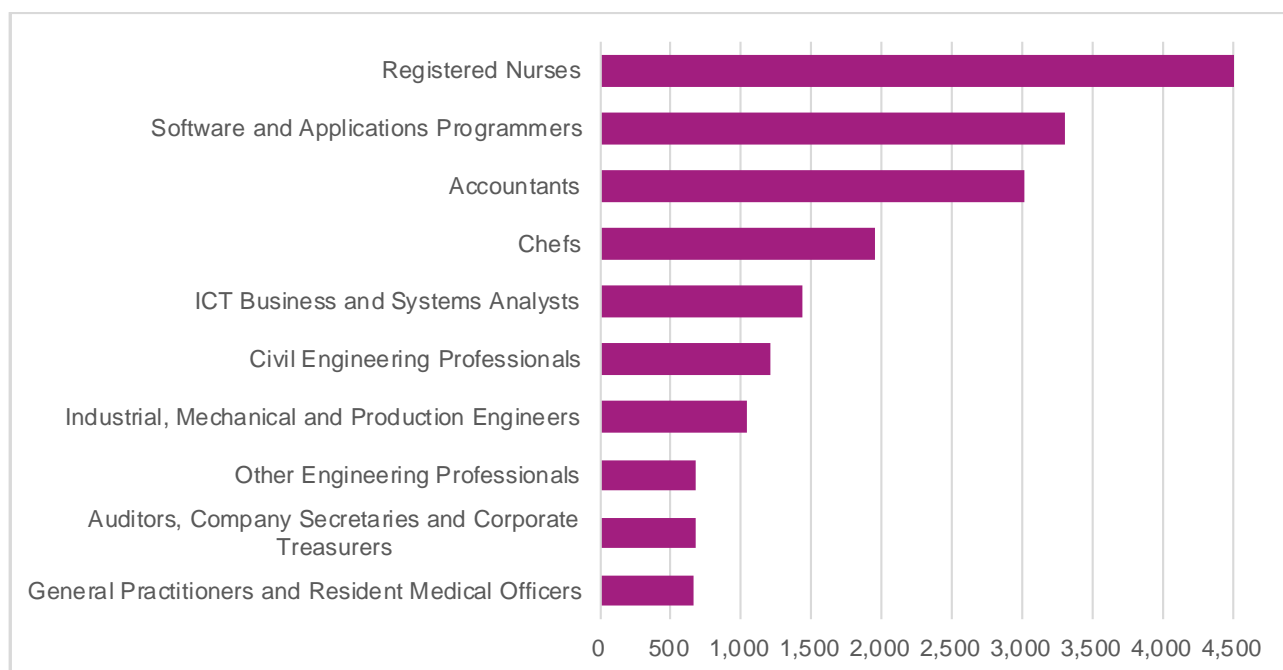
Outcome	Subcategory		
Intended Residence	Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional	Skilled Work Regional	Total
New South Wales	87	1,524	1,611
Queensland	773	3,006	3,779
South Australia	88	1,041	1,129
Tasmania	645	1,379	2,024
Victoria	225	3,619	3,844
Western Australia	33	2,824	2,857
Northern Territory	438	992	1,430
Australian Capital Territory	819	634	1,453
Not Specified	15	36	51
Total	3,123	15,055	18,178

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

Note 3: Outcomes from the Hong Kong stream in the Permanent Residence (Skilled Regional) (subclass 191) visa has not been included in this report.

2.5. Migration Program Outcome: Top 10 ANZSCO Occupation Unit Groups (Skill stream - primary applicants)



Outcome		
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group	Total
2544	Registered Nurses	4,786
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	3,297
2211	Accountants	3,011
3513	Chefs	1,948
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	1,429
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	1,203
2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	1,037
2339	Other Engineering Professionals	683
2212	Auditors, Company Secretaries and Corporate Treasurers	682
2531	General Practitioners and Resident Medical Officers	667

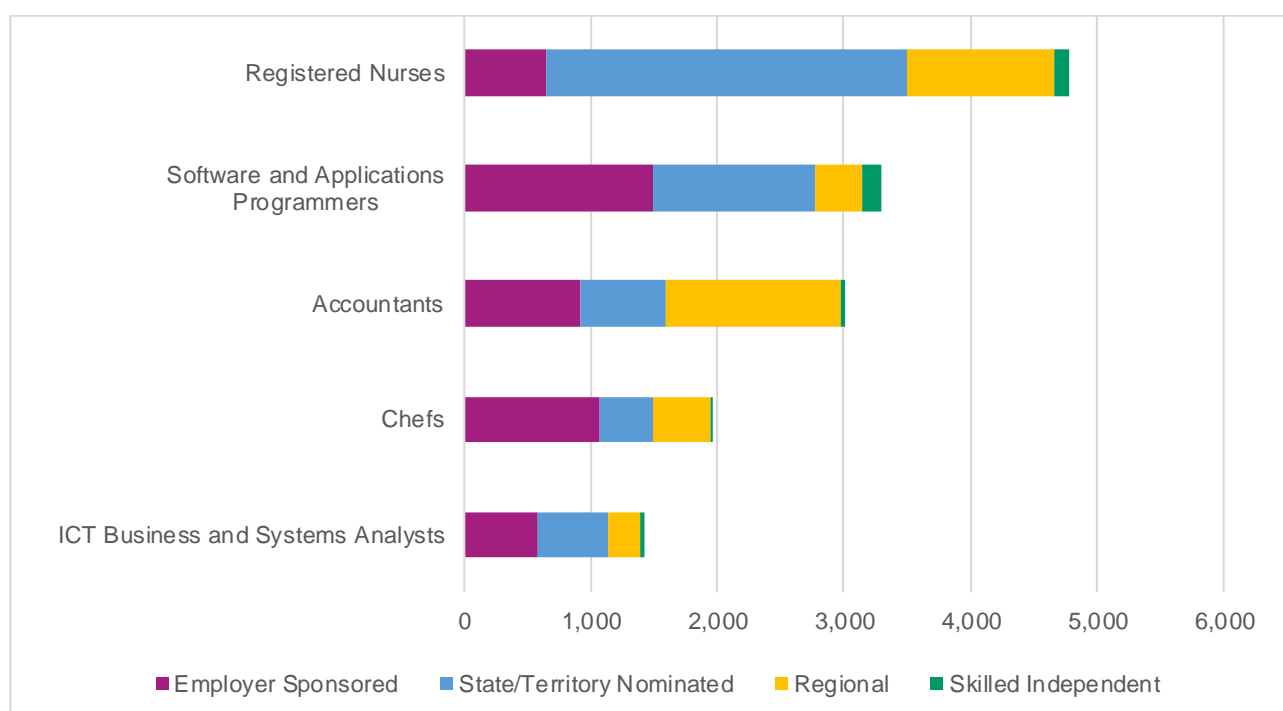
Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Note 3: Global Talent Independent category is not included in this table. Global Talent Independent applicants are grouped by growth sector (see table 2.3); occupation is not recorded for all applicants.

Note 4: Occupations that were not specified have been excluded.

2.6. Migration Program Outcome: Top five ANZSCO Occupation Unit Groups – by visa category (Skill stream – primary applicants)



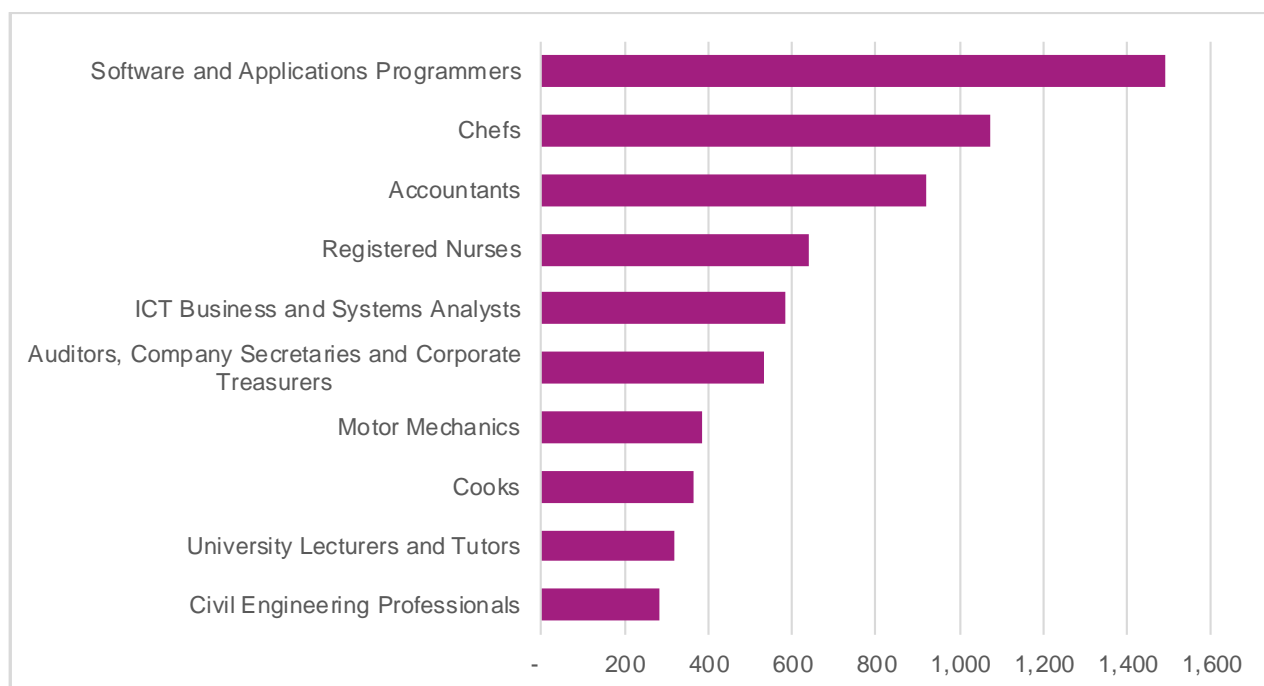
Outcome		Visa Category			
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group	Employer Sponsored	State/Territory Nominated	Regional	Skilled Independent
2544	Registered Nurses	642	2,859	1,162	123
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	1,492	1,277	377	151
2211	Accountants	922	673	1,376	40
3513	Chefs	1,074	425	448	<5
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	585	551	251	42

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Note 3: Occupations that were not specified have been excluded.

2.7. Migration Program Outcome: Employer Sponsored Category – by Occupation



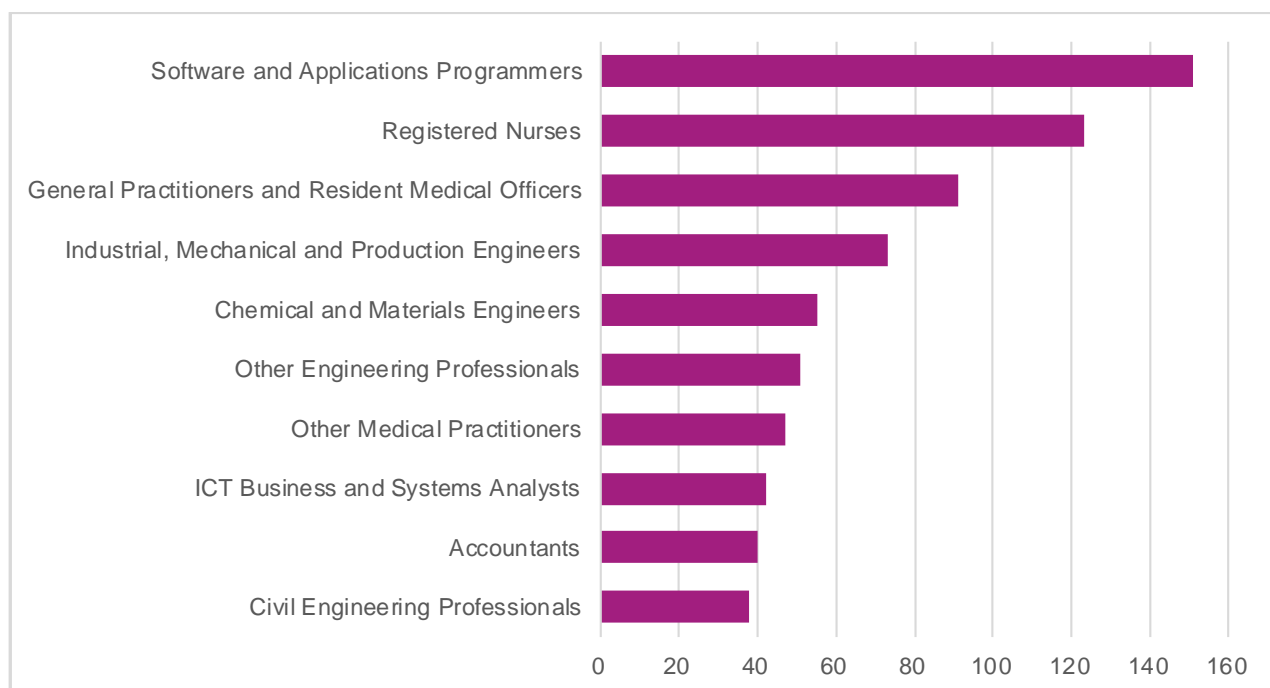
Outcome		
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group	Total
2613	Software and ApplicationsProgrammers	1,492
3513	Chefs	1,074
2211	Accountants	922
2544	Registered Nurses	642
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	585
2212	Auditors, Company Secretariesand Corporate Treasurers	533
3212	Motor Mechanics	385
3514	Cooks	363
2421	University Lecturersand Tutors	320
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	282

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Note 3: Occupations that were not specified have been excluded.

2.8. Migration Program Outcome: Skilled Independent Category – by Occupation



Outcome		
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group	Total
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	151
2544	Registered Nurses	123
2531	General Practitioners and Resident Medical Officers	91
2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	73
2331	Chemical and Materials Engineers	55
2339	Other Engineering Professionals	51
2539	Other Medical Practitioners	47
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	42
2211	Accountants	40
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	38

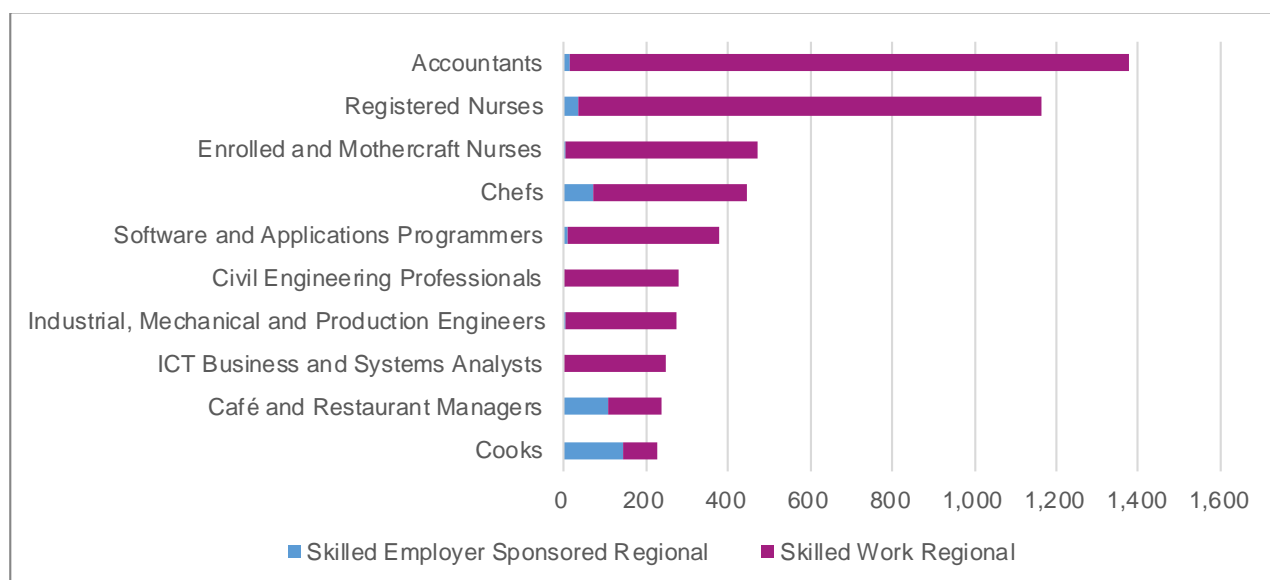
Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Note 3: Occupations that were not specified have been excluded.

2.9. Migration Program Outcome: Regional Category – by Occupation

2.9.1. Regional Category by Top 10 ANZSCO Occupation Unit Groups (primary applicants)



Outcome			
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Description	Total	
2211	Accountants	1,376	
2544	Registered Nurses	1,162	
4114	Enrolled and Mothercraft Nurses	472	
3513	Chefs	448	
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	377	
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	282	
2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	277	
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	251	
1411	Café and Restaurant Managers	238	
3514	Cooks	230	

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

Note 3: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

2.9.2. Regional Subcategories by Top 10 ANZSCO Occupation Unit Groups (primary applicants)

Skilled Employer Sponsored

Outcome			
ANZSCO	Occupation Unit Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Description	Total
	3514	Cooks	147
	1411	Cafe and Restaurant Managers	107
	3513	Chefs	72
	1421	Retail Managers	56
	3212	Motor Mechanics	52
	3223	Structural Steel and Welding Trades Workers	45
	2544	Registered Nurses	35
	3511	Bakers and Pastrycooks	33
	2251	Advertising and Marketing Professionals	32
	4211	Child Carers	27

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

Note 3: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Skilled Work Regional

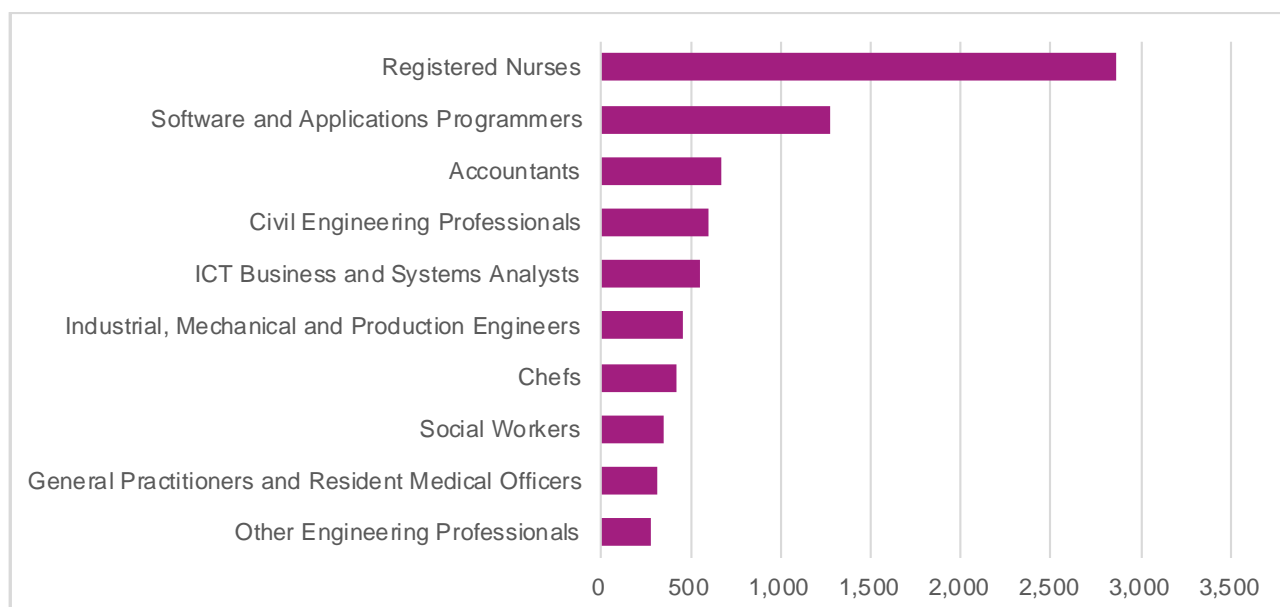
Outcome			
ANZSCO	Occupation Unit Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Description	Total
	2211	Accountants	1,359
	2544	Registered Nurses	1,127
	4114	Enrolled and Mothercraft Nurses	469
	3513	Chefs	376
	2613	Software and Applications Programmers	369
	2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	281
	2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	273
	2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	250
	2631	Computer Network Professionals	211
	2339	Other Engineering Professionals	174

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

Note 3: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

2.10. Migration Program Outcome: State/Territory Nominated Category – by Occupation



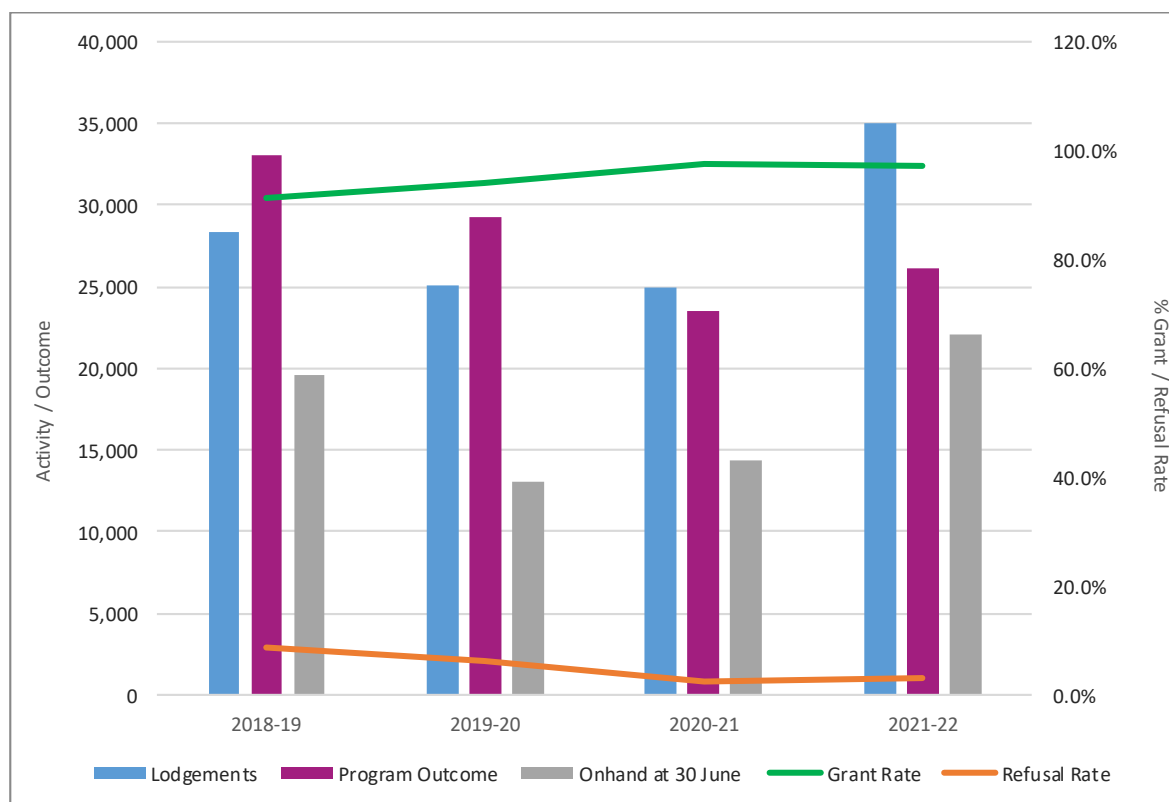
Outcome		
ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group Code	ANZSCO Occupation Unit Group	Total
2544	Registered Nurses	2,859
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	1,277
2211	Accountants	673
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	601
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	551
2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	458
3513	Chefs	425
2725	Social Workers	344
2531	General Practitioners and Resident Medical Officers	319
2339	Other Engineering Professionals	273

Note 1: Includes primary applicants only.

Note 2: Occupation information grouped according to Occupation Unit group level of the Australia and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Note 3: Occupations that were not specified have been excluded.

2.11. Employer Sponsored Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



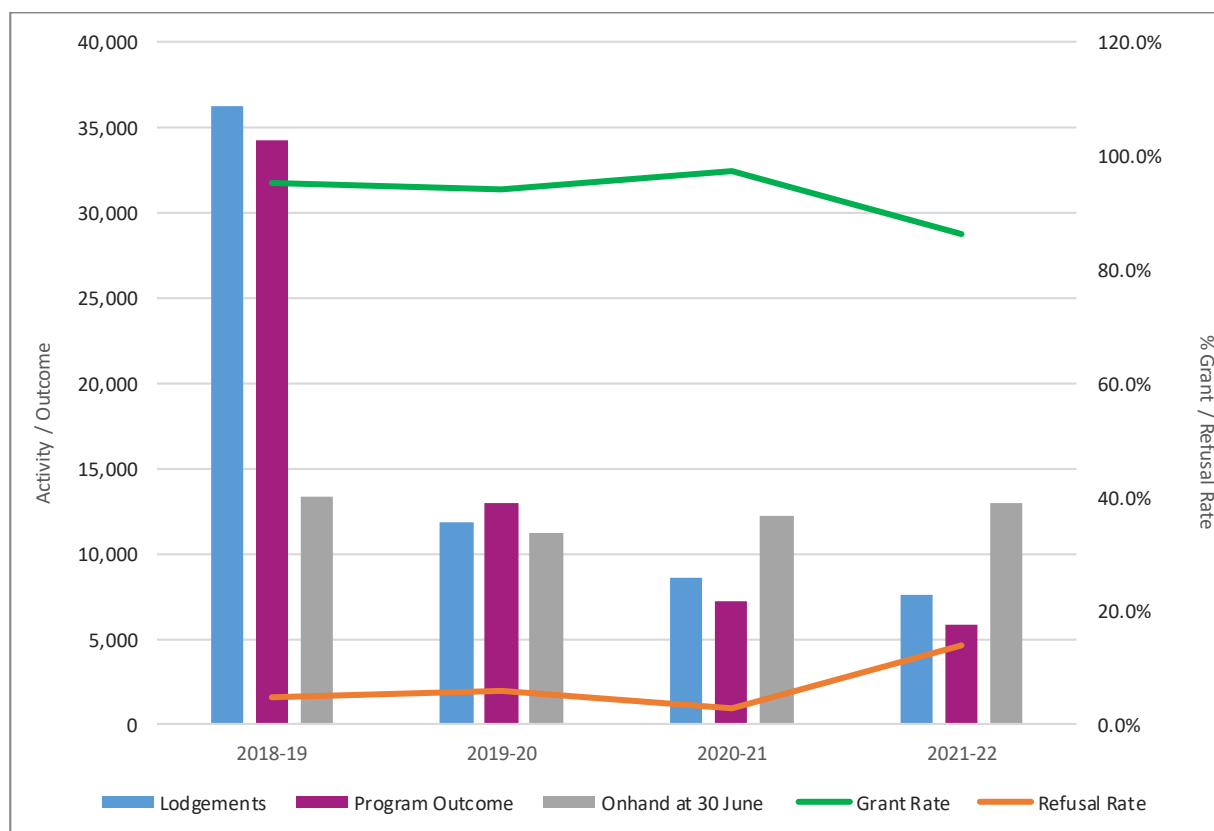
Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Employer Sponsored	Lodgements	28,370	25,096	24,997	34,980
	Program Outcome	33,025	29,261	23,503	26,103
	Onhand at 30 June	19,581	13,023	14,379	22,029
	Grant Rate	91.3%	94.0%	97.6%	97.1%
	Refusal Rate	8.7%	6.0%	2.4%	2.9%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 3: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

2.12. Skilled Independent Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



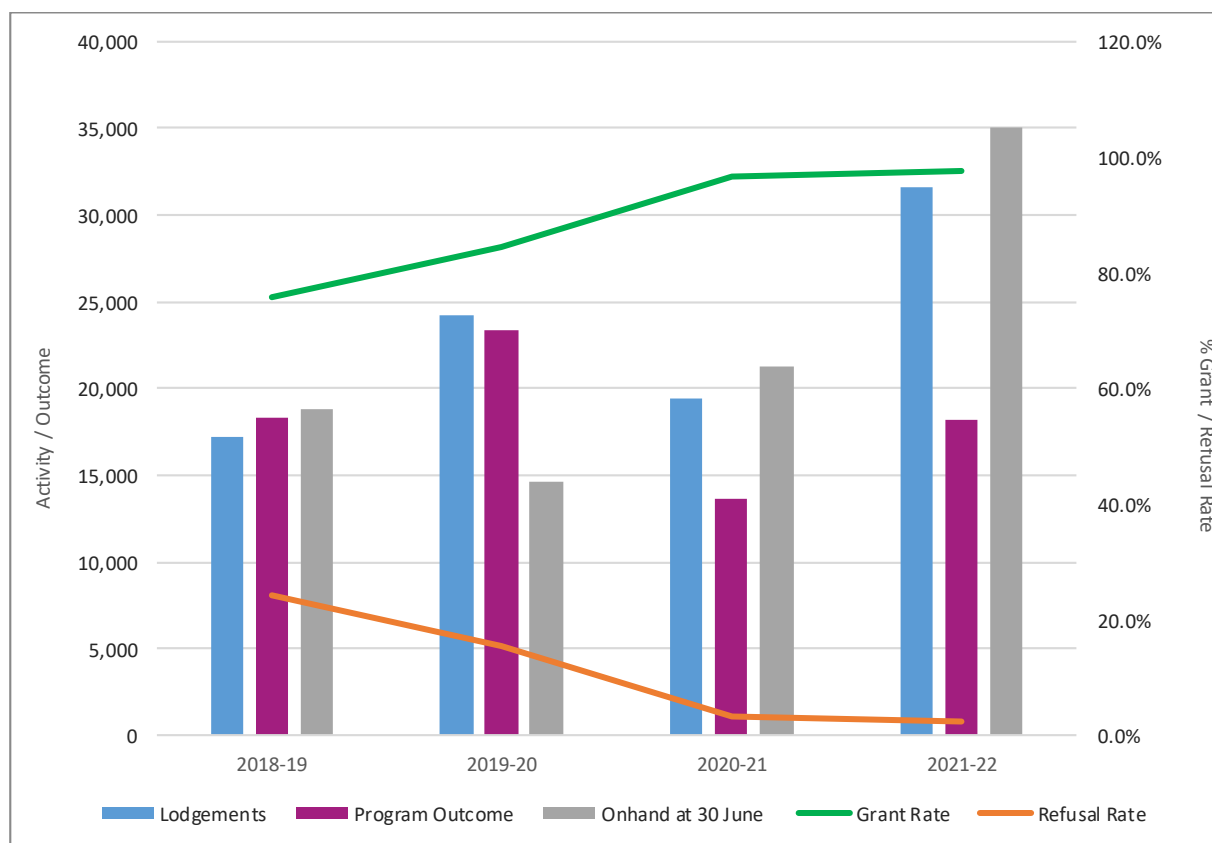
Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Skilled Independent	Lodgements	36,206	11,821	8,529	7,512
	Program Outcome	34,247	12,986	7,213	5,864
	Onhand at 30 June	13,322	11,226	12,240	13,001
	Grant Rate	95.2%	94.0%	97.2%	86.2%
	Refusal Rate	4.8%	6.0%	2.8%	13.8%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 3: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

2.13. Regional Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Regional	Lodgements	17,264	24,270	19,396	31,616
	Program Outcome	18,308	23,372	13,585	18,223
	Onhand at 30 June	18,747	14,615	21,214	35,067
	Grant Rate	75.8%	84.6%	96.6%	97.6%
	Refusal Rate	24.2%	15.4%	3.4%	2.4%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

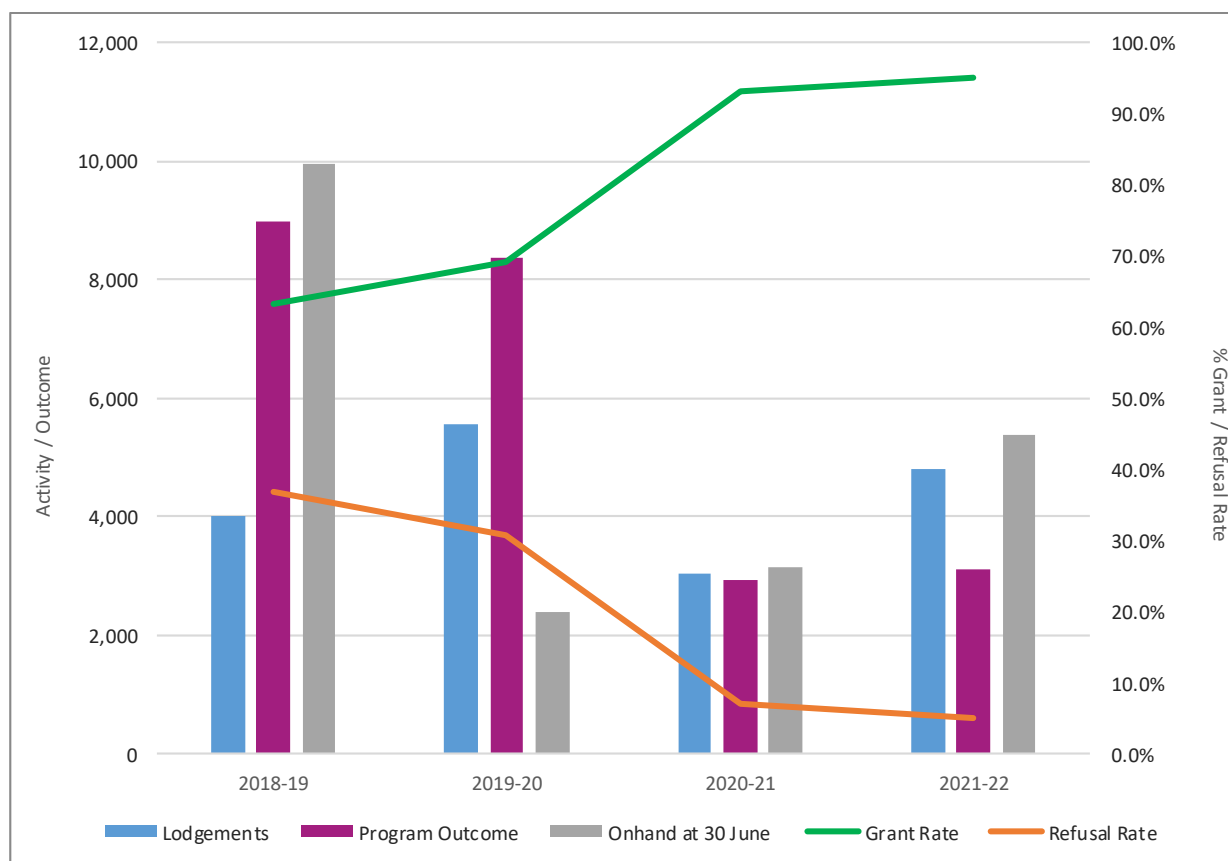
Note 2: Activity includes provisional (first stage) permanent migration applications only.

Note 3: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 4: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

Note 5: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

2.13.1. Regional – Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional subcategory: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Regional - Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional	Lodgements	4,015	5,571	3,032	4,799
	Program Outcome	8,987	8,372	2,910	3,123
	Onhand at 30 June	9,932	2,393	3,144	5,370
	Grant Rate	63.2%	69.2%	93.1%	95.0%
	Refusal Rate	36.8%	30.8%	6.9%	5.0%

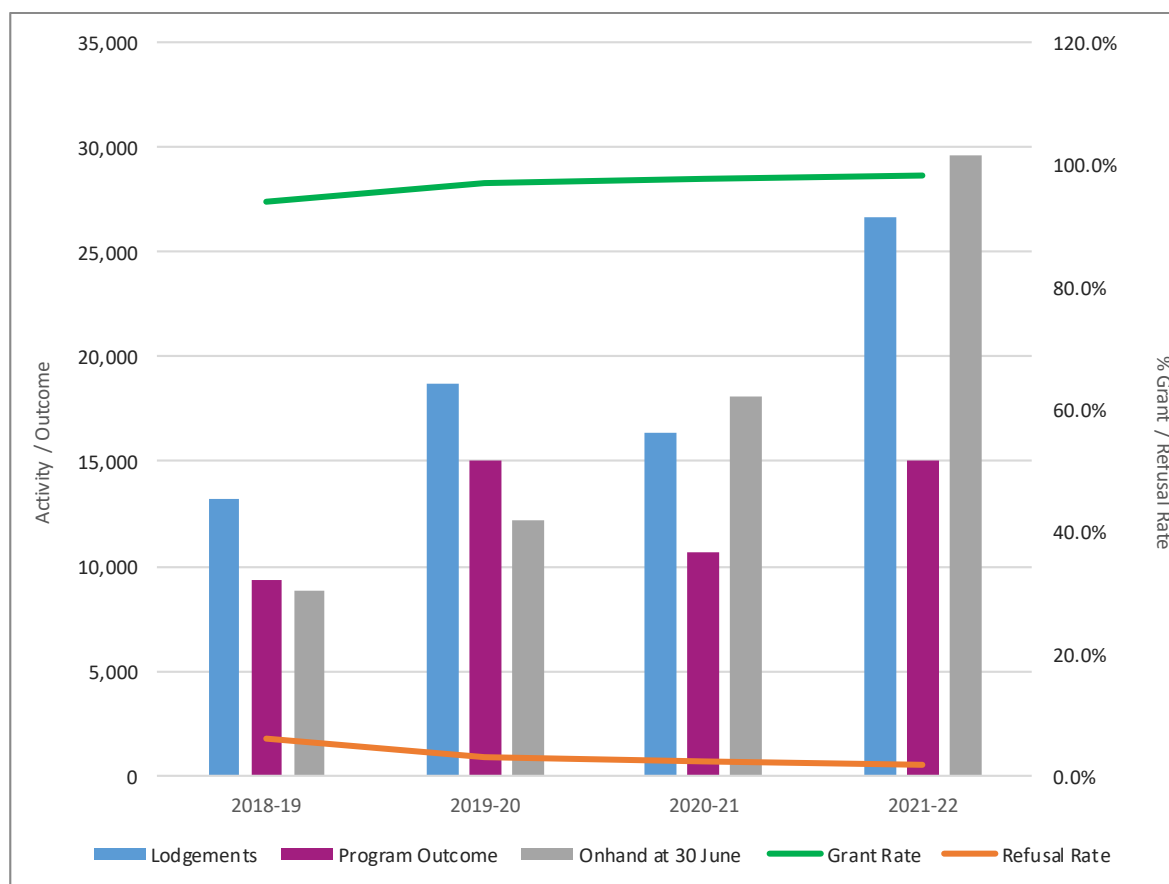
Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 3: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

Note 4: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

2.13.2. Regional – Skilled Work Regional subcategory: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Regional - Skilled Work Regional	Lodgements	13,249	18,699	16,364	26,686
	Program Outcome	9,321	15,000	10,675	15,055
	Onhand at 30 June	8,815	12,222	18,070	29,613
	Grant Rate	93.9%	96.9%	97.7%	98.2%
	Refusal Rate	6.1%	3.1%	2.3%	1.8%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

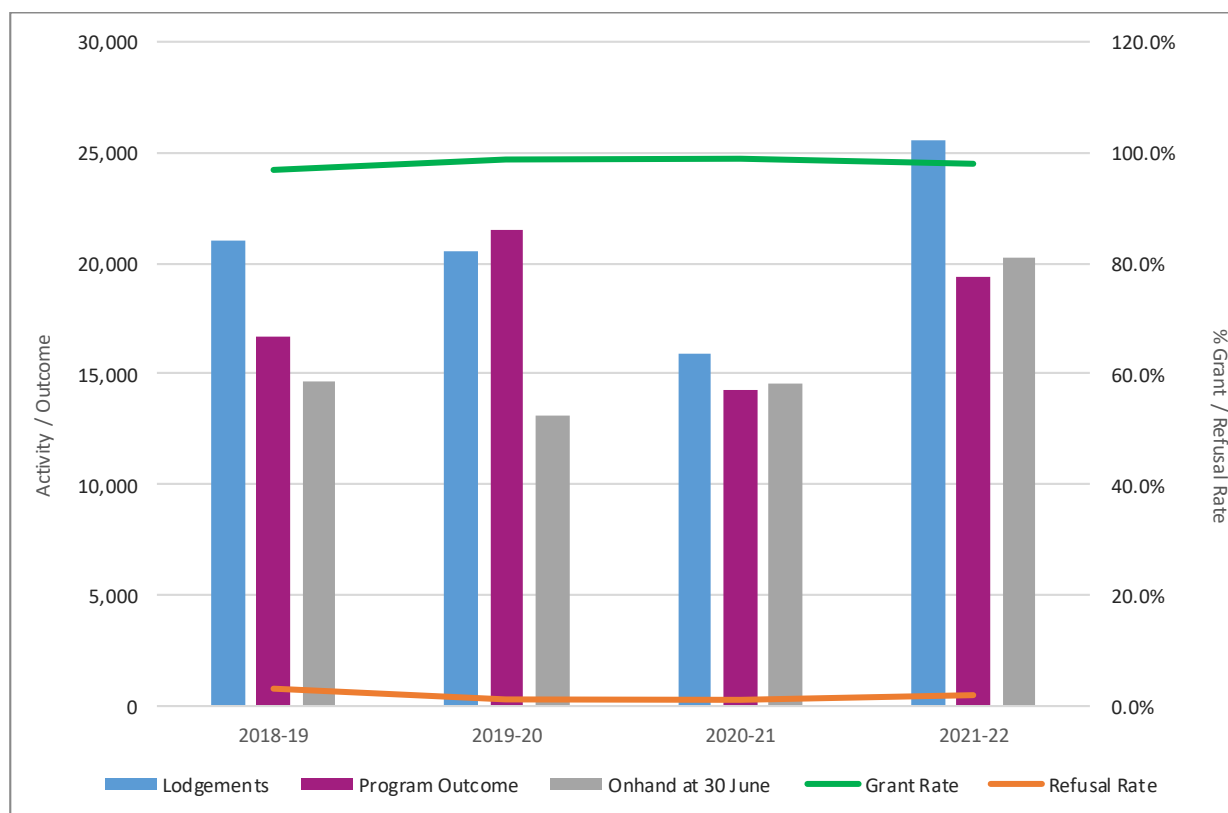
Note 2: Activity includes provisional (first stage) permanent migration applications only.

Note 3: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 4: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

Note 5: Includes both legacy and new regional visa subclasses.

2.14. State / Territory Nominated Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



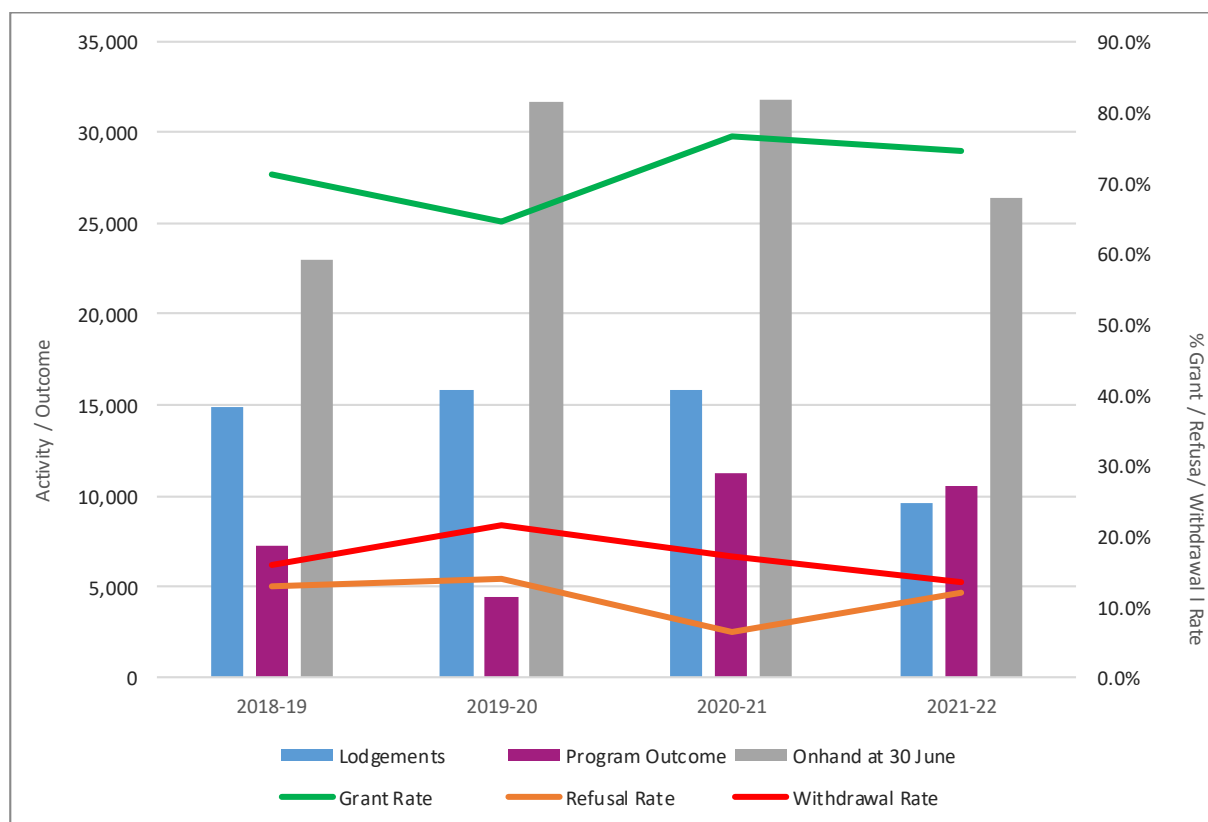
Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
State/Territory Nominated	Lodgements	20,992	20,512	15,904	25,578
	Program Outcome	16,673	21,495	14,268	19,376
	Onhand at 30 June	14,668	13,123	14,588	20,255
	Grant Rate	96.9%	98.7%	98.9%	97.9%
	Refusal Rate	3.1%	1.3%	1.1%	2.1%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 3: Data from previous years is grouped based on 2021-22 Skill stream categories.

2.15. Business Innovation and Investment Program (BIIP): comparison of processing activity and program outcome

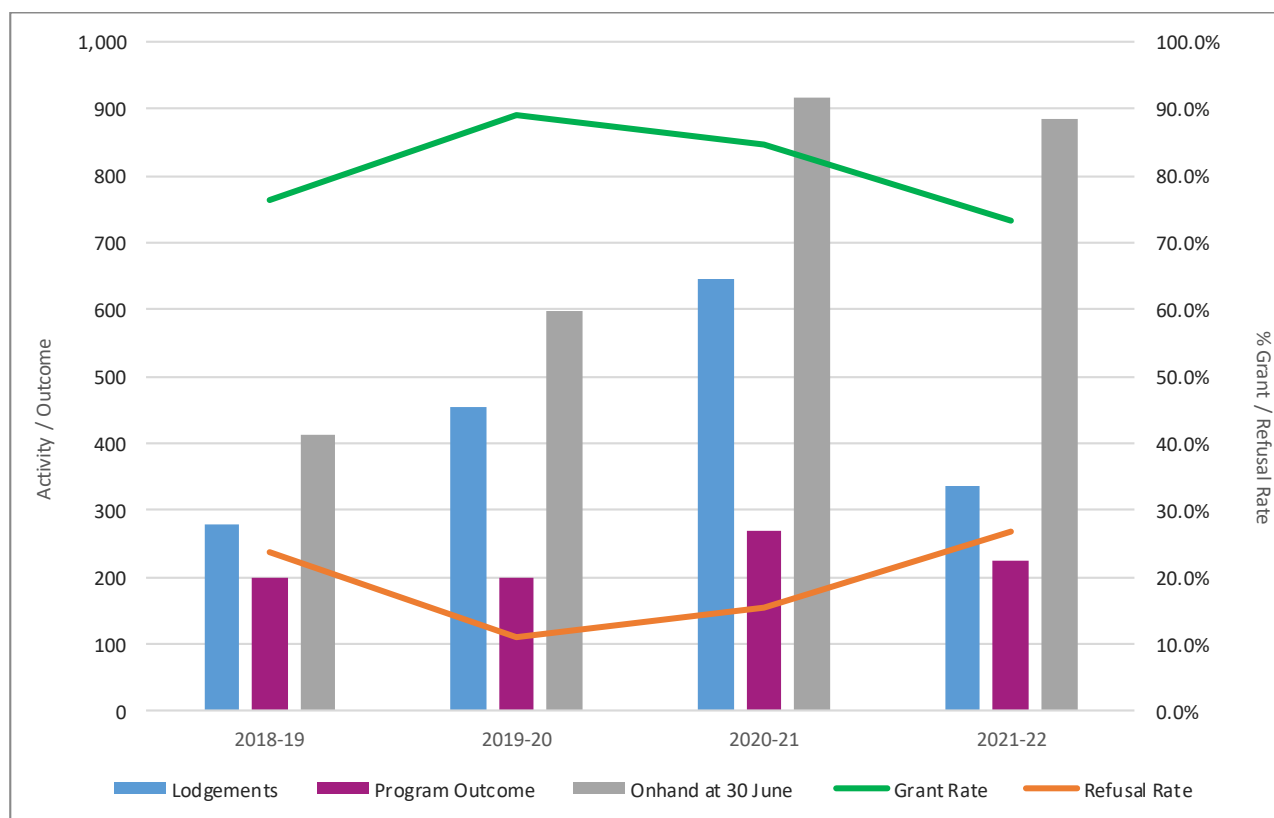


Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Business Innovation and Investment Program	Lodgements	14,922	15,784	15,818	9,553
	Program Outcome	7,261	4,420	11,198	10,496
	Onhand at 30 June	23,002	31,661	31,813	26,440
	Grant Rate	71.1%	64.5%	76.6%	74.5%
	Refusal Rate	13.0%	13.9%	6.4%	12.1%
	Withdrawal Rate	15.9%	21.5%	17.0%	13.5%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Activity includes provisional (first stage) permanent migration applications only.

2.16. Distinguished Talent Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome

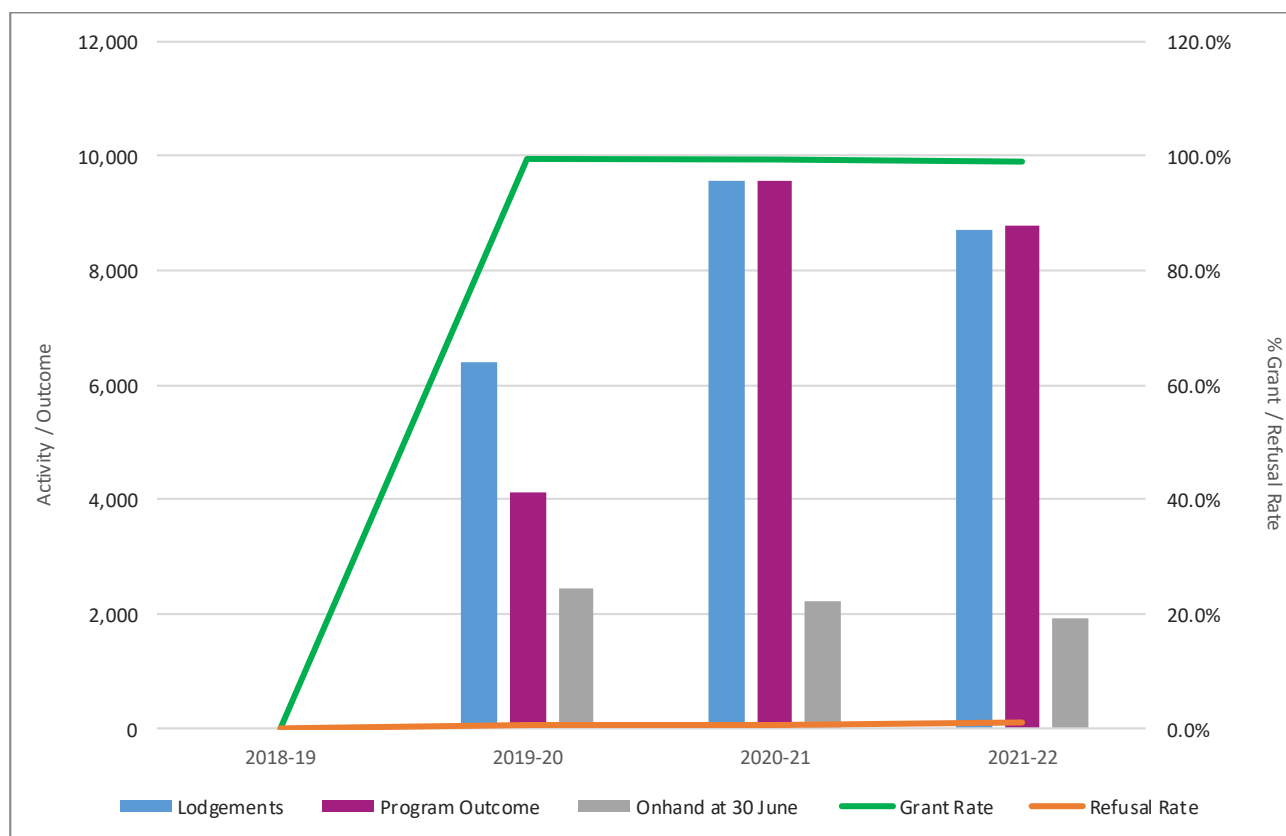


Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Distinguished Talent	Lodgements	278	454	646	336
	Program Outcome	200	200	269	225
	Onhand at 30 June	412	596	915	886
	Grant Rate	76.5%	89.0%	84.7%	73.2%
	Refusal Rate	23.5%	11.0%	15.3%	26.8%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

2.17. Global Talent Independent Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Global Talent Independent	Lodgements	0	6,417	9,582	8,698
	Program Outcome	0	4,109	9,584	8,776
	Onhand at 30 June	0	2,448	2,236	1,909
	Grant Rate	0.0%	99.5%	99.4%	99.0%
	Refusal Rate	0.0%	0.5%	0.6%	1.0%

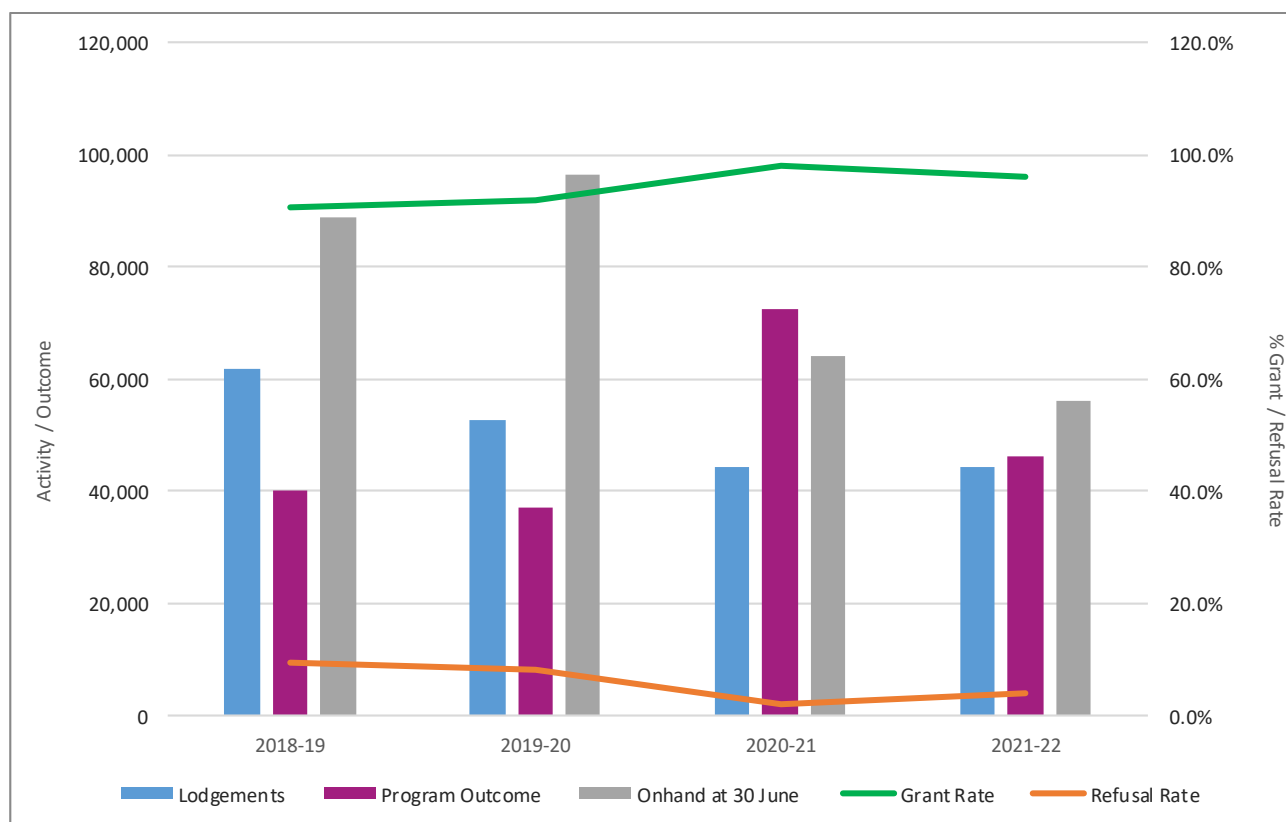
Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

Note 3: Global Talent category commenced in the 2019–20 program year.

3. Family stream

3.1. Partner Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



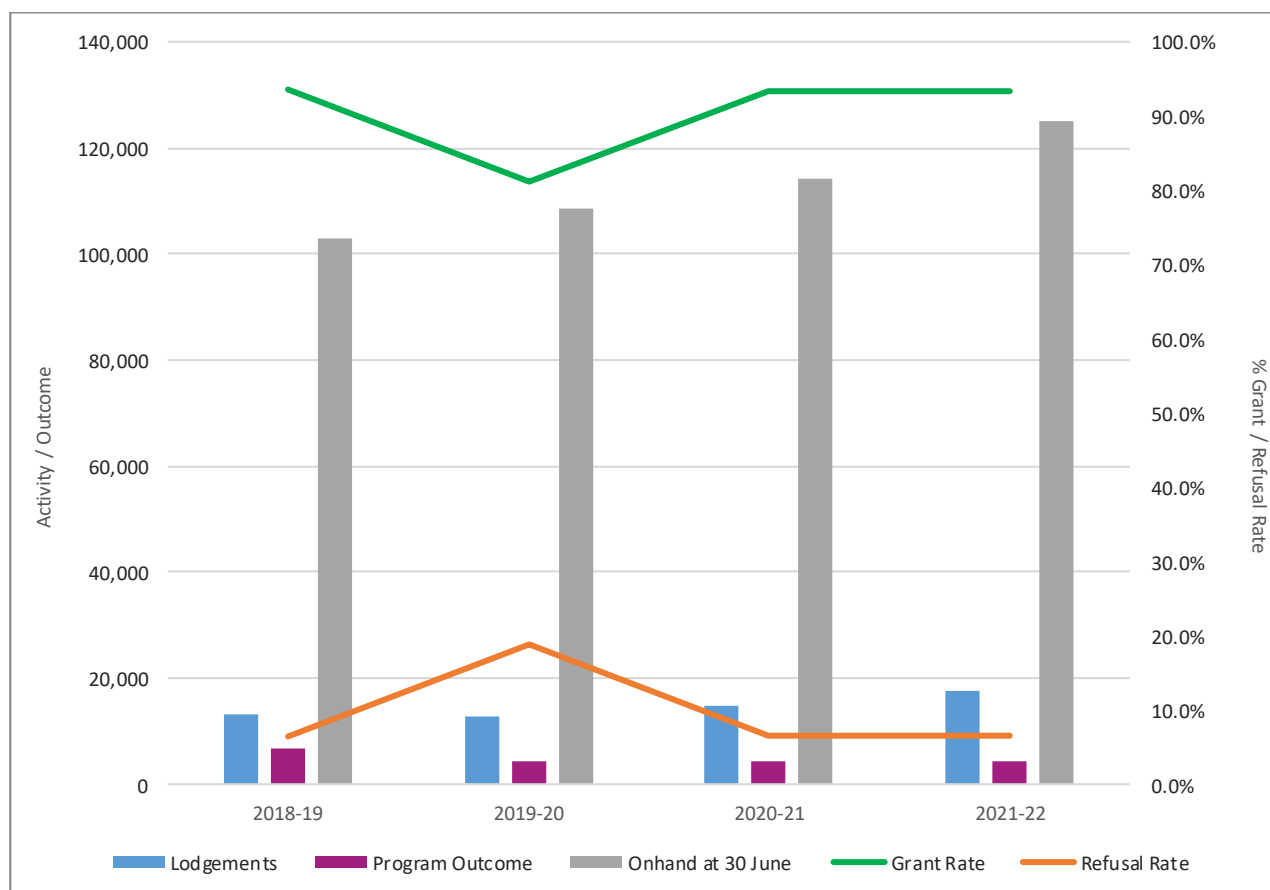
Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Partner	Lodgements	61,884	52,479	44,325	44,408
	Program Outcome	39,918	37,118	72,376	46,288
	Onhand at 30 June	88,660	96,361	64,111	56,168
	Grant Rate	90.6%	92.0%	98.0%	95.8%
	Refusal Rate	9.4%	8.0%	2.0%	4.2%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Activity includes provisional (first stage) permanent migration applications only.

Note 3: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

3.2. Parent Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome

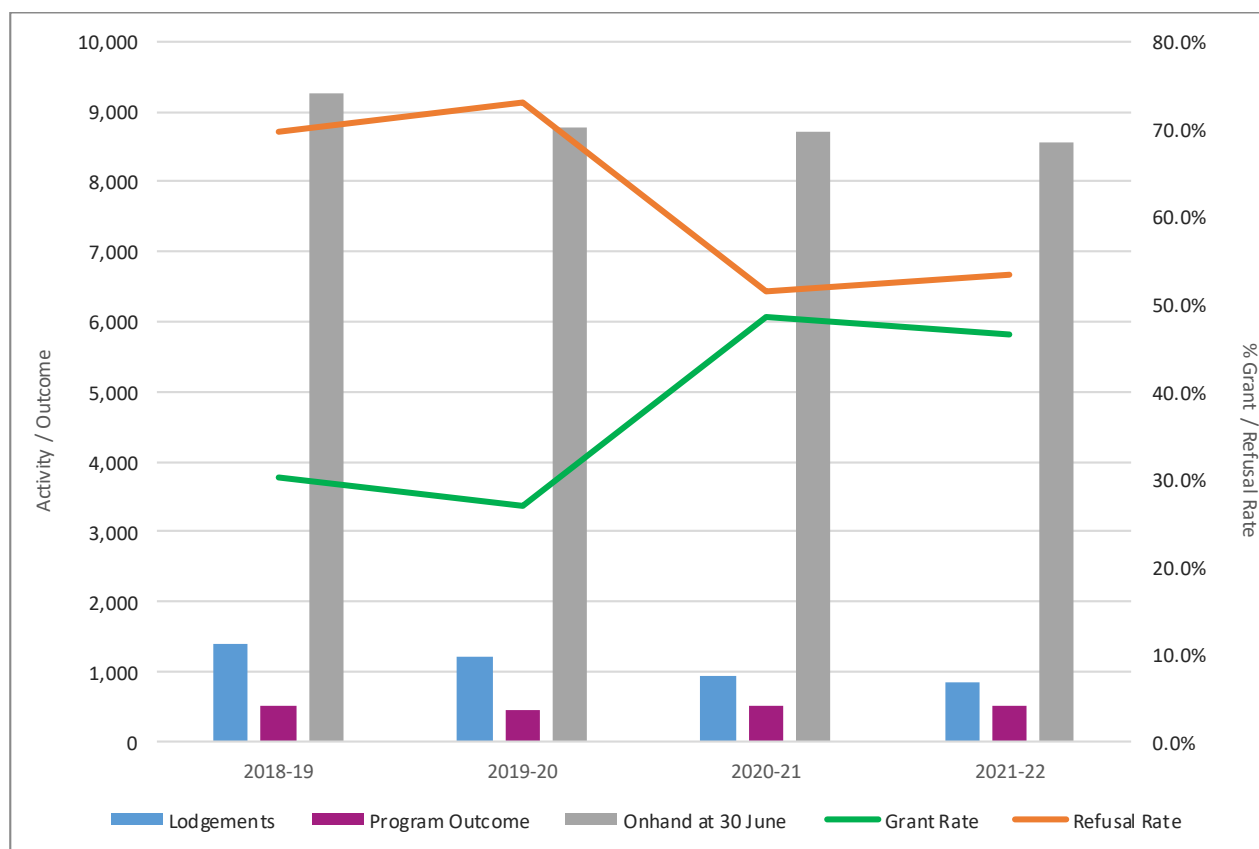


Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Parent	Lodgements	13,246	12,664	14,827	17,606
	Program Outcome	6,805	4,399	4,500	4,500
	Onhand at 30 June	102,854	108,659	114,359	125,233
	Grant Rate	93.6%	81.2%	93.3%	93.5%
	Refusal Rate	6.4%	18.8%	6.7%	6.5%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

3.3. Other Family Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome



Program Year					
Visa Category	Activity Type	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Other Family	Lodgements	1,391	1,215	947	861
	Program Outcome	524	444	496	500
	Onhand at 30 June	9,277	8,785	8,712	8,569
	Grant Rate	30.2%	26.9%	48.5%	46.6%
	Refusal Rate	69.8%	73.1%	51.5%	53.4%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

4. Special Eligibility stream

4.1. Special Eligibility Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome

Visa Category	Activity Type	Program Year			
		2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Special Eligibility	Lodgements	124	94	72	230
	Program Outcome	115	81	54	199
	Onhand at 30 June	13	6	14	20
	Grant Rate	100.0%	92.9%	97.0%	99.6%
	Refusal Rate	0.0%	7.1%	3.0%	0.4%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.

5. Child stream

5.1. Child Category: comparison of processing activity and program outcome

Visa Category	Activity Type	Program Year			
		2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Child	Lodgements	3,989	3,412	2,946	3,652
	Program Outcome	3,248	2,481	3,006	3,006
	Onhand at 30 June	3,112	3,638	3,034	3,499
	Grant Rate	88.2%	88.7%	87.0%	91.4%
	Refusal Rate	11.8%	11.3%	13.0%	8.6%

Note 1: Includes primary and secondary applicants.

Note 2: Grant/refusal rates calculated against total decisions (grant + refused); withdrawals are not included.