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ABOUT THIS REPORT

This report provides monthly and program year data on the Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visa program administered by the Department of Home Affairs (the department). The report has been provided to assist policymakers and stakeholder organisations.

This report is published every six months. Current and previous versions of the report are available on the department's website. These reports are available [at www.homeaffairs.gov.au/research-and-statistics/statistics/visa-statistics/visit](http://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/research-and-statistics/statistics/visa-statistics/visit)

Data is sourced from several departmental visa processing and recording systems. Data can be dynamic and there can be delays in transmission of information from the department's global operations. Variations in figures between this report and previous reports can occur. Due to these issues, data from the current financial year should always be considered provisional. “

Further information about the Working Holiday Maker visa program is available on the department's website at:

[Working Holiday Maker \(WHM\) program \(homeaffairs.gov.au\)](http://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/working-holiday-maker-program)

[Working Holiday visa \(subclass 417\) \(homeaffairs.gov.au\)](http://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/working-holiday-visa-subclass-417)

[Work and Holiday visa \(subclass 462\) \(homeaffairs.gov.au\)](http://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/working-holiday-visa-subclass-462)

Additional statistics for the Working Holiday Maker visa program are available on www.data.gov.au by searching “Working Holiday”

NOTES ON STATISTICAL TABLES PRESENTED BY CITIZENSHIP COUNTRY

A result of 'na' indicates that the country did not have a Working Holiday Maker arrangement with Australia during the specified period. This may be because the arrangement had not yet commenced or the arrangement is no longer in place. Refer to the table '*Australia's Working Holiday Maker arrangements*' in the '*Background to the Working Holiday Maker visa program*' section

A citizenship country of 'Not Specified' can result from eligible dual nationality applicants where the non-eligible nationality has been recorded for the WHM application.

Note 1: Data in years prior to 2017-18 was revised on 1 October 2019, due to better source data becoming available. This may result in minor discrepancies with previously published statistics.

ENQUIRIES

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DEFINITION OF TERMS

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.
Granted:	Unless otherwise specified, the number of visas granted includes all visa grants.
Snapshot date:	The snapshot date is a point in time at which a count is undertaken. In this report, the number of visa holders in Australia at a point in time is used.
Visa applicant:	Used to refer to clients applying for a visa.
Working Holiday Maker:	Refers collectively to both the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa and the Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa.

BACKGROUND TO THE WORKING HOLIDAY MAKER VISA PROGRAM

The purpose of the Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visa program is to foster people-to-people links between Australia and partner countries, with particular emphasis on young adults. It has been in existence since 1975. Today, the WHM visa program includes two subclasses: the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa and the Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa. Partner countries initially comprised a relatively small number of Commonwealth countries. The program now has 50 partner countries and regions from across the world.

Australia has an overarching bilateral arrangement, usually in the form of a Memorandum of Understanding, with each partner country or region. Of the 50 partner countries or regions, 19 are Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa arrangements, and 31 are Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa arrangements. The key difference between the two visas is that Work and Holiday visa arrangements generally have caps on the number of first visas granted in each program year and additional eligibility requirements.

WHM arrangements are largely reciprocal, providing Australians with similar opportunities overseas. In considering whether to add new WHM partner countries, the Australian Government considers a range of factors, including the ability of the prospective partner to offer reciprocity to Australians, and the strength of existing people-to-people links.

1.1. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- WHM (both Working Holiday and Work and Holiday) visa applicants must:
- be aged 18-30 (inclusive) at time of application. For Canada, France, Denmark, Ireland, Italy and The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (including British National Overseas passport holders) the age is 18-35 (inclusive).
- hold a passport from an eligible partner country or region. A list of eligible countries and regions is provided in the 'Australia's Working Holiday Maker Visa Arrangements' section of this report.
- not be accompanied by dependent children during their stay in Australia.
- meet financial, health and character requirements.

Work and Holiday visa applicants must meet additional requirements, which vary between partner countries, based on the agreements set out in their individual MOUs.

More information on specific eligibility requirements for Work and Holiday visa applicants is available on the department's website at <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/6-month-work-limitation>

1.2. WORKING WHILE IN AUSTRALIA

All WHMs may work for the full duration of their 12 month stay in Australia but generally cannot remain with any one employer for longer than six months (by operation of mandatory visa condition 8547), unless an exemption applies or they have obtained written permission from the department.

More information on the circumstances in which WHMs can work longer than six months with the same employer is available on the department's website at <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/6-month-work-limitation>

1.3. STUDYING WHILE IN AUSTRALIA

All WHMs are entitled to study for a period of up to four months during their 12-month stay in Australia

1.4. SECOND AND THIRD WORKING HOLIDAY VISAS

First-time Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holders who complete three months of 'specified subclass 417 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a second Working Holiday visa. Second Working Holiday visa holders who complete six months of 'specified subclass 417 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a third Working Holiday visa.

Specified subclass 417 work includes work in the agriculture, mining, construction, tourism and hospitality industries, as well as bushfire and natural disaster recovery work, and critical COVID-19 work in the healthcare and medical sectors.

For the purposes of second and third Working Holiday visa eligibility, eligible work types, dates and postcodes are available on the department's website at <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/specified-work-417>

1.5. SECOND AND THIRD WORK AND HOLIDAY VISAS

First-time Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa holders who complete three months of 'specified subclass 462 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a second Work and Holiday visa. Second Work and Holiday visa holders who complete six months of 'specified subclass 462 work' during their stay become eligible to apply for a third Work and Holiday visa.

Specified subclass 462 work includes work in the agriculture, construction, tourism and hospitality industries, bushfire and natural disaster recovery work and critical COVID-19 work in the healthcare and medical sectors.

For the purposes of second and third Work and Holiday visa eligibility, eligible work types, dates and postcodes are available on the department's website at <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/what-we-do/whm-program/specified-work-conditions/specified-work-462>

The department continues to accept specified work under critical COVID-19 healthcare and medical sectors performed after 31 January 2020 for applicants who apply for a second or third WHM visa.

1.6. PROCESSING TIMES

Working Holiday Maker visa processing times are available from department's website at

<https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-processing-times/global-visa-processing-times>

The published processing times are updated monthly to reflect current caseloads and processing pressures.

Processing times are impacted each month by changes in application volumes, seasonal peaks, complex cases and incomplete applications.

AUSTRALIA'S WORKING HOLIDAY MAKER VISA ARRANGEMENTS

Commencement Date	Country / Region	Type of Arrangement	Cap*
1975	United Kingdom	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	Ireland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1975	Canada	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 December 1980	Japan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
22 December 1980	Netherlands (formalised 2006)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 1995	Republic of Korea	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 1996	Malta	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2000	Germany	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Sweden	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Norway	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2001	Denmark	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
15 September 2001	Hong Kong (HKSAR of the PRC)	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 May 2002	Finland	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 July 2002	Cyprus	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
2 January 2004	Italy	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20 February 2004	France	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 November 2004	Taiwan	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 November 2004	Belgium	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
20 May 2005	Estonia	Working Holiday (SC 417)	N/A
1 August 2005	Thailand	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,000
1 March 2006	Chile	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
31 March 2007	Türkiye	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
31 October 2007	United States of America	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	N/A
1 February 2009	Malaysia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,100
1 July 2009	Indonesia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	4,612
29 February 2012	Argentina	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
1 April 2013	Uruguay	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 August 2014	Poland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
23 November 2014	Portugal	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
23 November 2014	Spain	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	3,400
21 September 2015	China (excl. SARs)	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	5,000
1 January 2016	Slovak Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1000
1 January 2016	Slovenia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 June 2016	Israel	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
1 January 2017	Hungary	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 January 2017	San Marino	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 January 2017	Luxembourg	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 March 2017	Vietnam	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
1 August 2017	Singapore	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	2,500
1 October 2017	Peru	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1,500
15 February 2018	Austria	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 March 2018	Czech Republic	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 July 2019	Ecuador	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 July 2019	Greece	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 January 2022	Switzerland	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200
1 July 2022	Brazil	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	500
1 July 2022	Mongolia	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
1 July 2023	Papua New Guinea	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	100
16 September 2024	India	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	1000
8 September 2023	Philippines**	Work and Holiday (SC 462)	200

*Note - the above 'cap' figures show the number of Work & Holiday (subclass 462) grant places available per program year by country.

**Note - An MOU arrangement has been signed with Philippines for Work & Holiday (subclass 462), but it has not been implemented yet.

COUNTRIES WITH WHICH AUSTRALIA IS CURRENTLY NEGOTIATING NEW WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA ARRANGEMENTS (AS AT 30 JUNE 2025)

Please note that bilateral negotiations are complex and can take several years to conclude. Nationals from the following countries will not be able to apply for a Work and Holiday visa until an arrangement has been signed and implemented.

1. Andorra
2. Costa Rica
3. Croatia
4. Fiji
5. Iceland
6. Latvia
7. Lithuania
8. Mexico
9. Monaco
10. Panama
11. Paraguay
12. Solomon Islands
13. Philippines – this arrangement has been signed, but it is yet to be implemented.

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KEY STATISTICS

This executive summary covers the WHM program from 1 July 2025 to 31 December 2025 (six months of the 2025-26 program year).

The WHM program has been tracking at an upward trend since full re-opening of Australia's borders following the COVID-19 pandemic. Both lodgements and grants of WHM visas have increased in the six-month period to 31 December 2025 compared to the same period of 2024. The increase in demand of the WHM program can be attributed to program setting changes, including age increases and specified work changes.

- As at 31 December 2025, there were 179,386 WHM (subclass 417 and subclass 462) visa holders in Australia, up from 164,055 at 31 December 2024.
- A total of 165,782 WHM (subclass 417 and subclass 462) visas granted, compared with 175,070 visa grants in the same period in 2024, including:
 - 83,493 first, 31,622 second and 18,377 third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants
 - 18,255 first, 8,163 second and 5,870 third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants
- The United Kingdom, France, Italy, Republic of Ireland, Fed Republic of Germany were the top five citizenship countries of the Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants in the six-month period to 31 December 2025 cumulatively accounting for 72.9 per cent of the total.
- Indonesia, The People's Republic of China, United States, Thailand, Spain and Argentina were the top five citizenship countries of the Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants in the six-month period to 31 December 2025, cumulatively accounting for 58.2 per cent of the total.

1. APPLICATIONS LODGED FOR WHM PROGRAM

In the six months to 31 December 2025, 179,080 visa applications were lodged across the total WHM program, a 2.6 per cent increase compared to 174,539 in the same period of 2024.

For Working Holiday (subclass 417), first visa applications decreased by - 2.5 per cent to 84,464, second visa applications decreased by - 22.4 per cent to 33,530, and third visa applications increased by 80.7 per cent to 20,536.

For Work and Holiday (subclass 462), first visa applications increased by 26.7 per cent to 13,757, second visa applications decreased by 3.0 per cent to 8,216 and third visa applications increased 54.2 per cent to 5,894.

2. VISAS GRANTED

WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA PROGRAM

In the six months to 31 December 2025, a total of 165,782 visa applications were granted for the Working Holiday program, compared to 175,070 in the same six months of 2024.

FIRST WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA PROGRAM

A total of 83,493 first Working Holiday visas were granted in the six months to 31 December 2025. This is a 3.3 per cent decrease compared to 86,372 in the same six months of 2024.

Top five countries or regions for first Working Holiday visa grants for 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 were:

1. United Kingdom (20,702)
2. France (17,714)
3. Fed Republic of Germany (7,968)
4. Italy (7,651)
5. South Korea (6,251)

SECOND WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA PROGRAM

A total of 31,622 second Working Holiday visas were granted in the six months to 31 December 2025. This is a 25.3 per cent decrease compared to 42,340 in the same six months of 2024.

The top five countries or regions for second Working Holiday visa grants for 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 were:

1. United Kingdom (12,501)
2. France (4,408)
3. Ireland (3,188)
4. Italy (2,688)
5. Taiwan (2,161)

In 2025-26 to 31 December 2025, 47.8 per cent of those granted a second Working Holiday visa did not nominate an industry. This is due to the Australia-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement (Australia-UK FTA), which exempts UK passport holders from having to meet the specified work requirement if they applied on or after 1 July 2024 for a second or third Working Holiday visa.

For the remainder who did nominate an industry, 27.3 per cent nominated *agriculture, forestry & fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken "specified work" to acquire eligibility. A further 13.9 per cent nominated *accommodation & food services*, 8.3 per cent nominated *construction* and 2.6 per cent nominated *mining*.

THIRD WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA PROGRAM

A total of 18,377 third Working Holiday visas were granted in the six months to 31 December 2025. This is a 78.1 per cent increase compared to 10,316 in the same six months of 2024.

The top five countries or regions for third Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa grants for 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 were:

1. United Kingdom (9,555)
2. Ireland (2,375)
3. France (1,506)
4. Taiwan (1,314)
5. Italy (1,174)

In the six months to 31 December 2025, 59.6 per cent of those granted a third Working Holiday visa did not nominate an industry.

This is due to the Australia-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement (Australia-UK FTA), which exempts UK passport holders from needing to meet the specified work requirement if they applied on or after 1 July 2024 for a second or third Working Holiday visa.

For the remainder who did nominate an industry, 16.3 percent nominated *agriculture, forestry & fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken “specified work” in order to acquire eligibility. A further 9.7 per cent nominated *accommodation & food services*, 9.6 per cent nominated *construction* and 4.9 per cent nominated *mining*.

WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA PROGRAM

In the six months to 31 December 2025, a total of 32,288 visa applications were granted, compared to 36,040 visas granted in the same six months of 2024.

FIRST WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA PROGRAM

A total of 18,255 first Work and Holiday visas were granted in the six months to December 2025. This is a 19.9 per cent decrease compared to 22,801 visas granted in the same period in 2024.

The top five countries or regions for first Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa grants in 2025-26 to 31 December 2026 were:

1. Peoples Republic of China (excl SARs) (3,661)
2. United States of America (3,171)
3. Thailand (1,779)
4. Spain (1,548)
5. Chile (1,193)

SECOND WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA PROGRAM

A total of 8,163 second Work and Holiday visas were granted in the six months to December 2025. This is an 14.2 per cent decrease compared to 9,516 visas granted in the same period in 2024.

The top five countries or regions for second Work and Holiday visa grants in 2024-25 to June were:

1. Indonesia (2,218)
2. Spain (980)
3. Argentina (757)
4. Chile (706)
5. Thailand (692)

In 2024-25, 52.4 per cent of those granted a second Work and Holiday visa nominated *agriculture, forestry & fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken ‘specified work’ in order to acquire eligibility. A further 33.5 per cent nominated *accommodation & food services*, and 5.9 per cent nominated *construction*.

THIRD WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA PROGRAM

In the six months to 31 December 2025, a total of 5,870 third Work and Holiday visas were granted. This is a 57.7 per cent increase compared to 3,723 visas granted in the same six months of 2024.

The top five countries or regions for third Work and Holiday visa grants in 2024-25 were:

1. Indonesia (2,332)
2. Vietnam (622)
3. Argentina (580)
4. Thailand (569)
5. Chile (366)

In 2024-25, 55.8 per cent of those granted a third Work and Holiday visa nominated *agriculture, forestry & fishing* as the industry in which they had undertaken “specified work” in order to acquire eligibility. A further 31.0 per cent nominated *accommodation & food services* and 5.9 per cent nominated *construction*.

3. GRANT RATES

WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA PROGRAM

The grant rate for first Working Holiday visas in the six-month period ending 31 December 2025 was 99.4 per cent. The grant rate for second Working Holiday visas was 98.1 per cent. The grant rate for third Working Holiday visas was 99.1 per cent.

WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA PROGRAM

The grant rate for first Work and Holiday visas in the six-month period ending 30 December 2025 was 96.4 per cent. The grant rate for second Work and Holiday visas was 98.8 per cent. The grant rate for third Work and Holiday visas was 99.5 per cent.

The generally high grant rates for WHM visas are indicative of the low-risk nature of this caseload. Online lodgement for this caseload also contributes to the high grant rate. Several automated eligibility checks occur during online lodgement, alerting clients early in the application process if they do not meet visa requirements.

4. WORKING HOLIDAY MAKERS IN AUSTRALIA

WORKING HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 417) VISA HOLDERS

As at 31 December 2025, there were 179,386 Working Holiday visa holders in Australia. This is a 9.3 per cent increase compared to 164,055 on 31 December 2024.

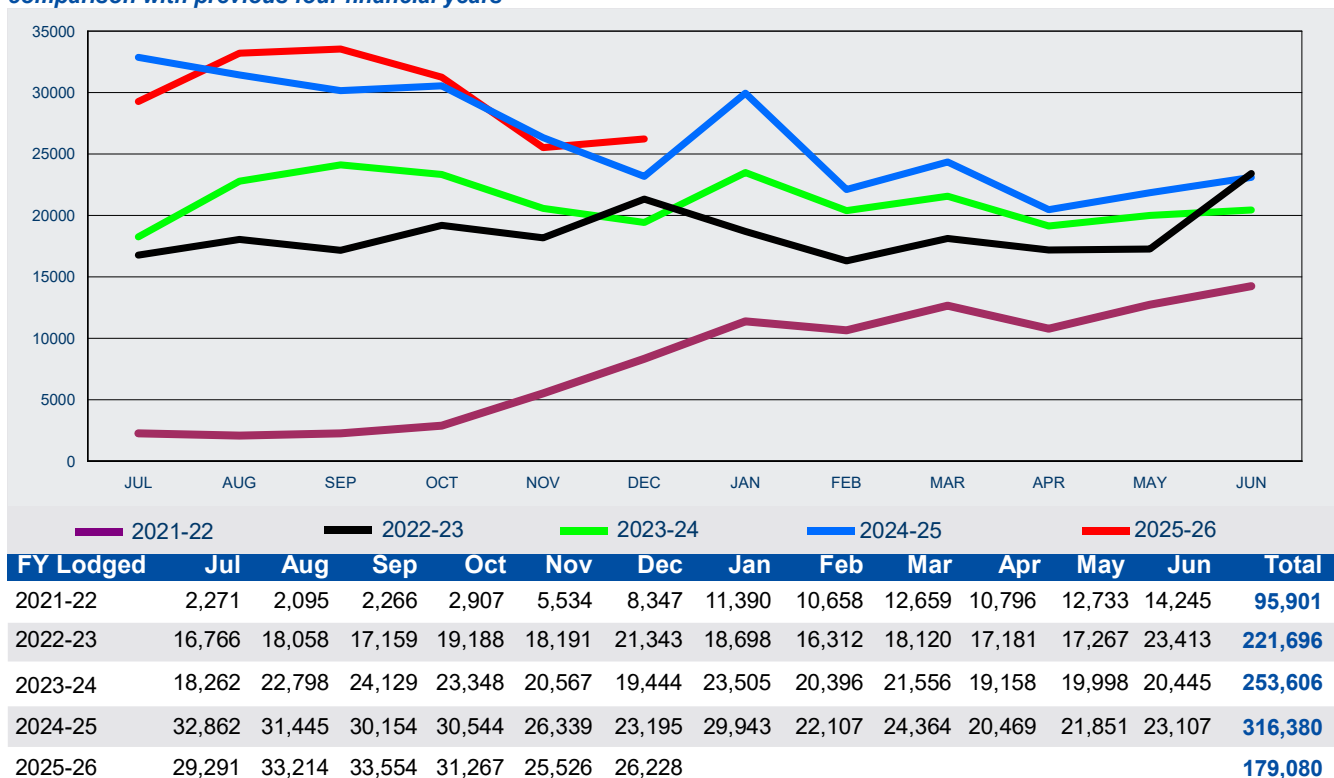
WORK AND HOLIDAY (SUBCLASS 462) VISA HOLDERS

As at 31 December 2025, there were 46,365 Work and Holiday visa holders in Australia. This is a 10.0 per cent increase compared to 42,132 on 31 December 2024.

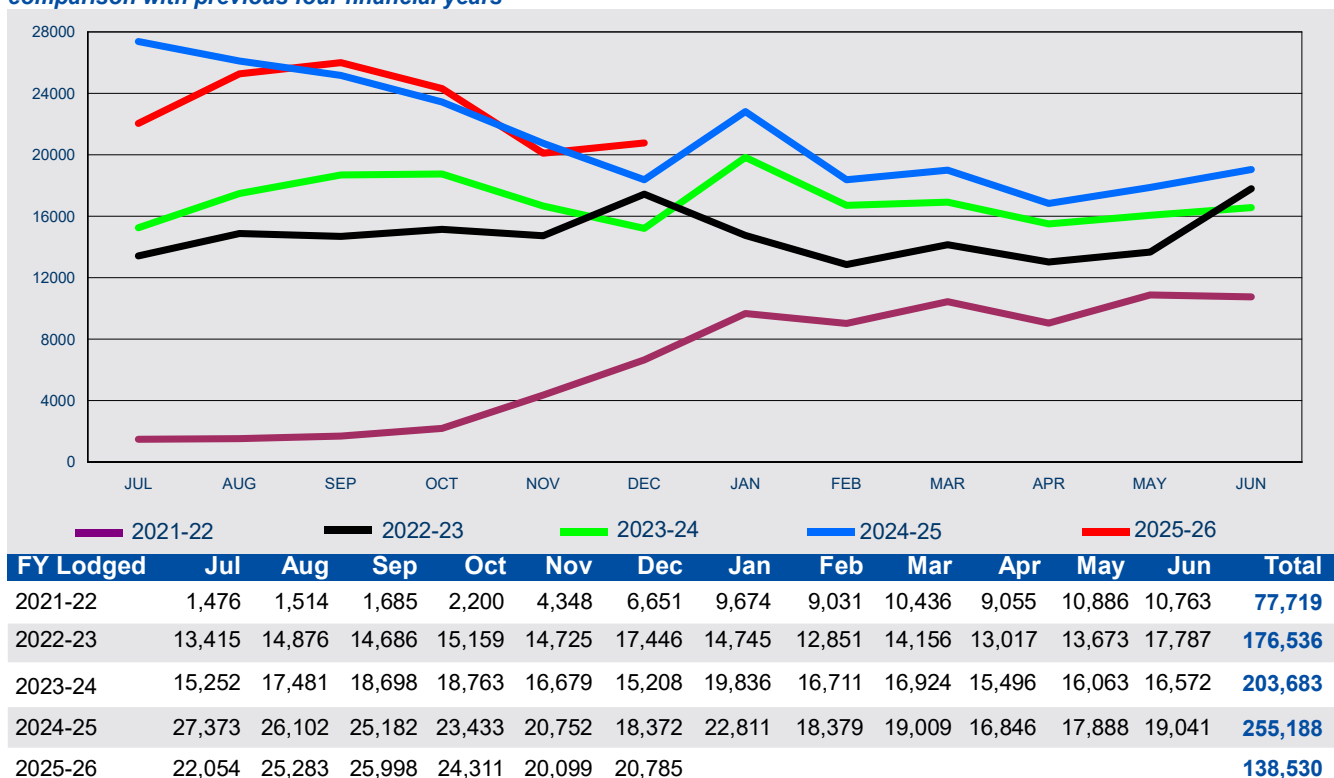
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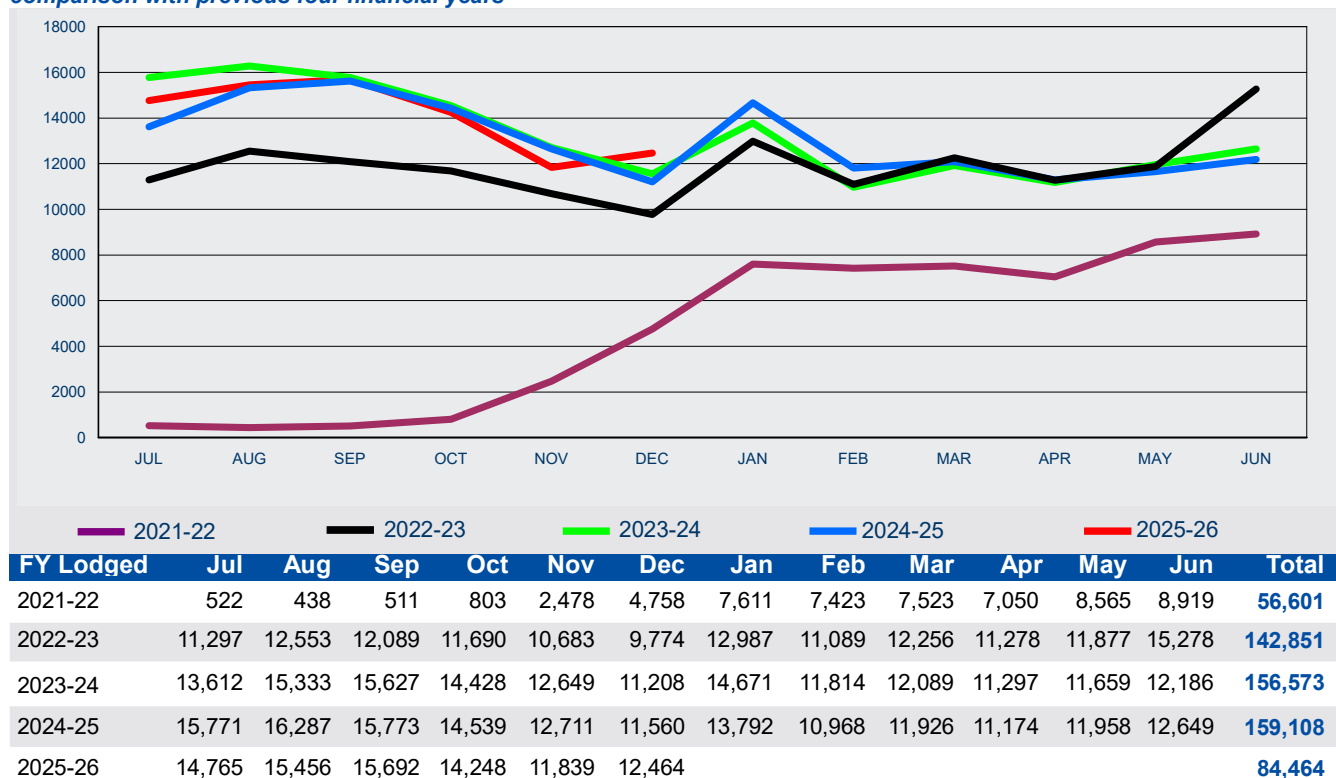


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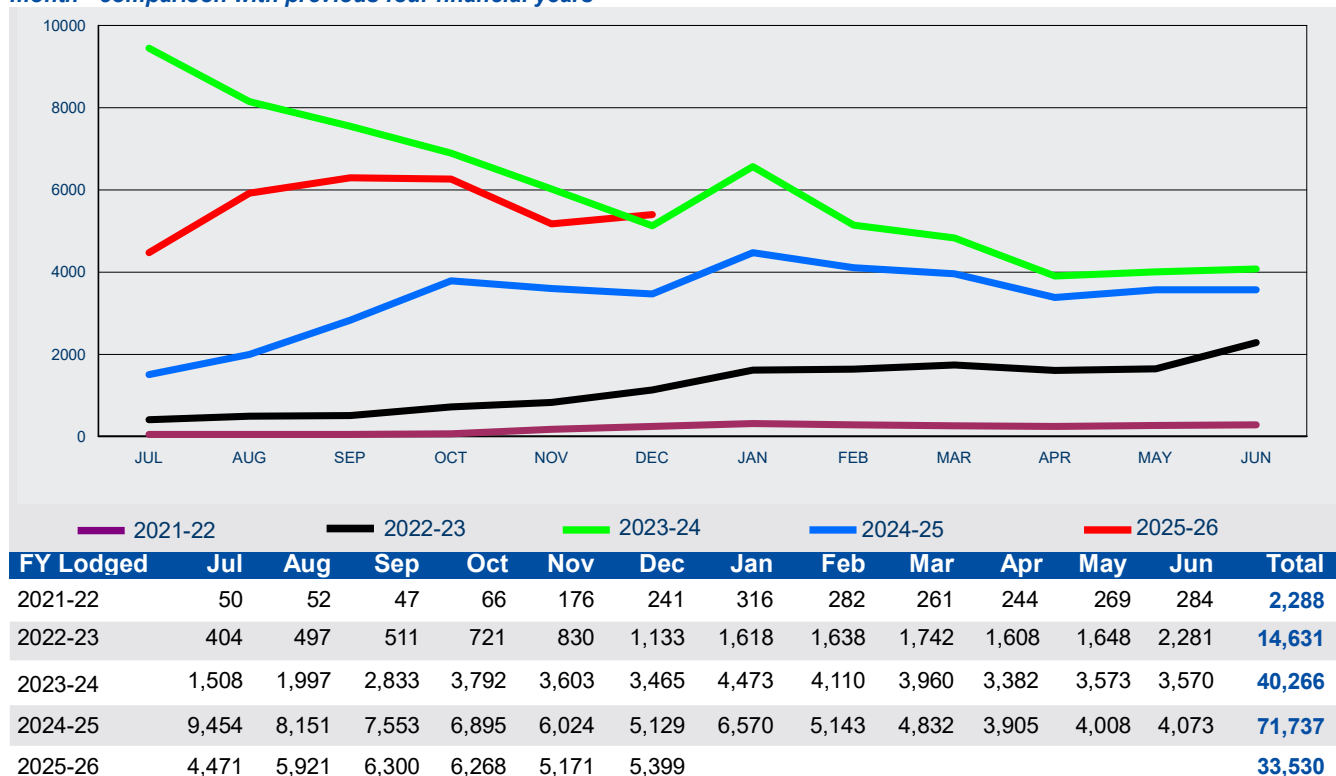


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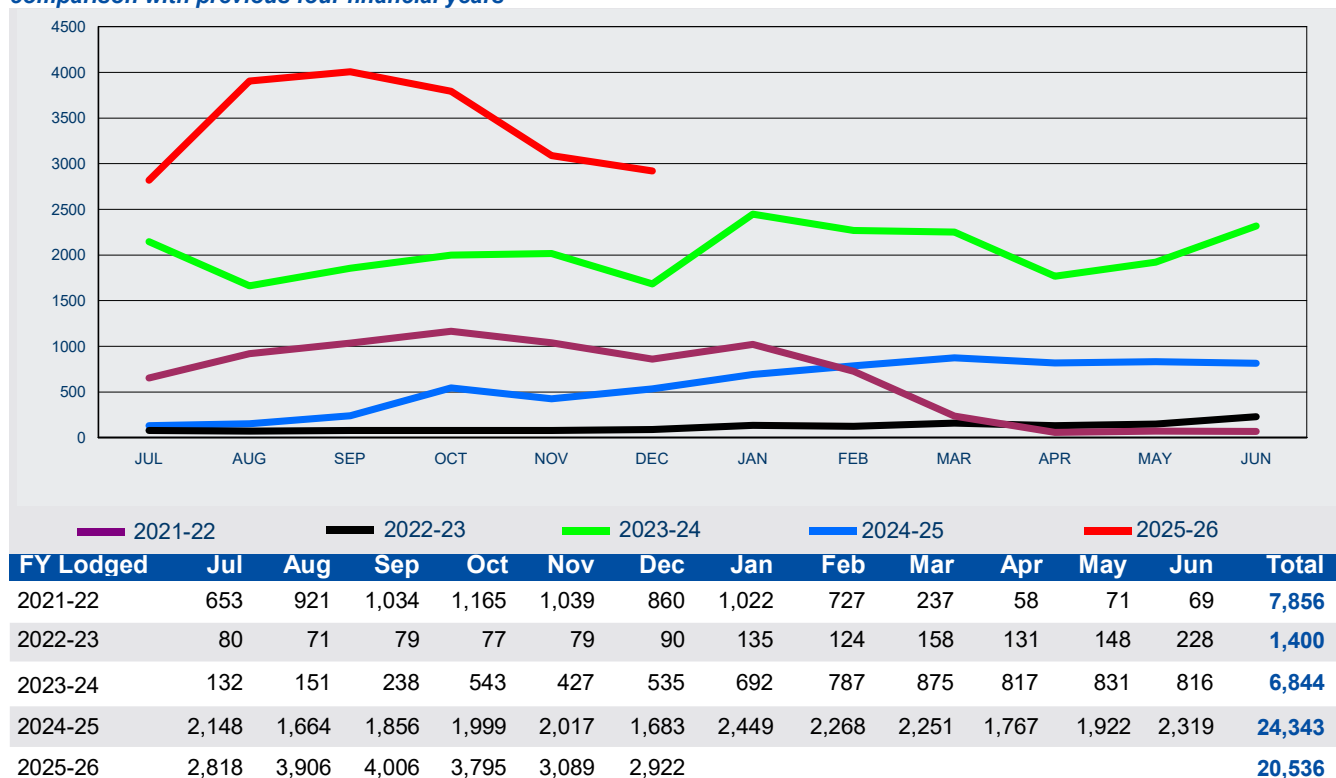


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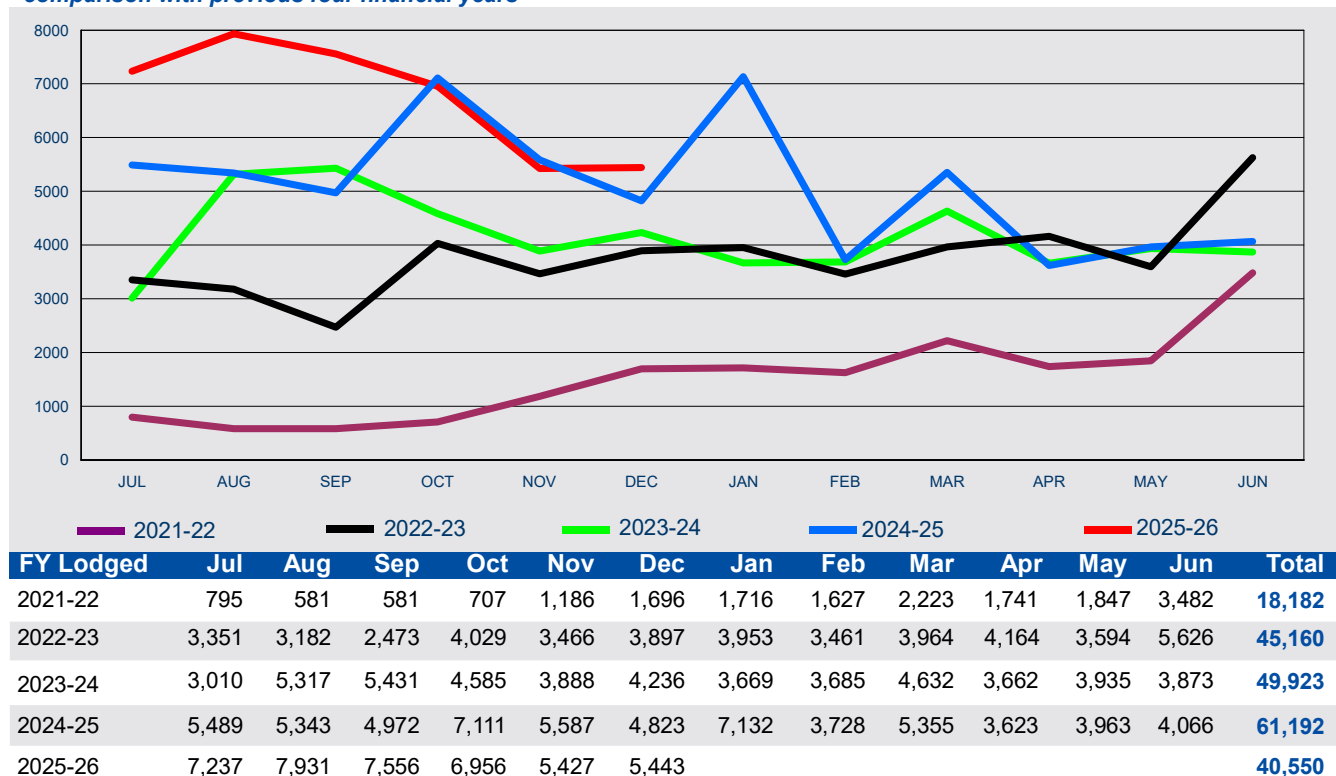


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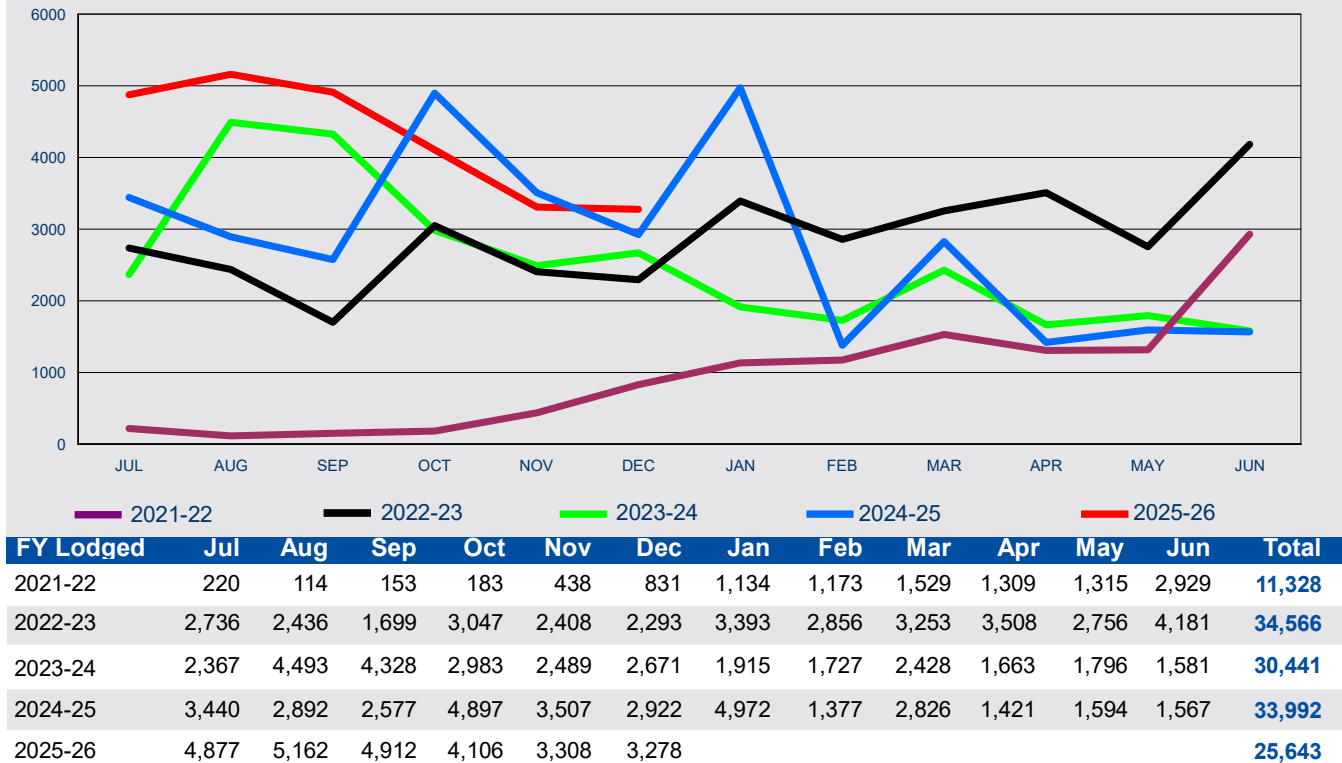


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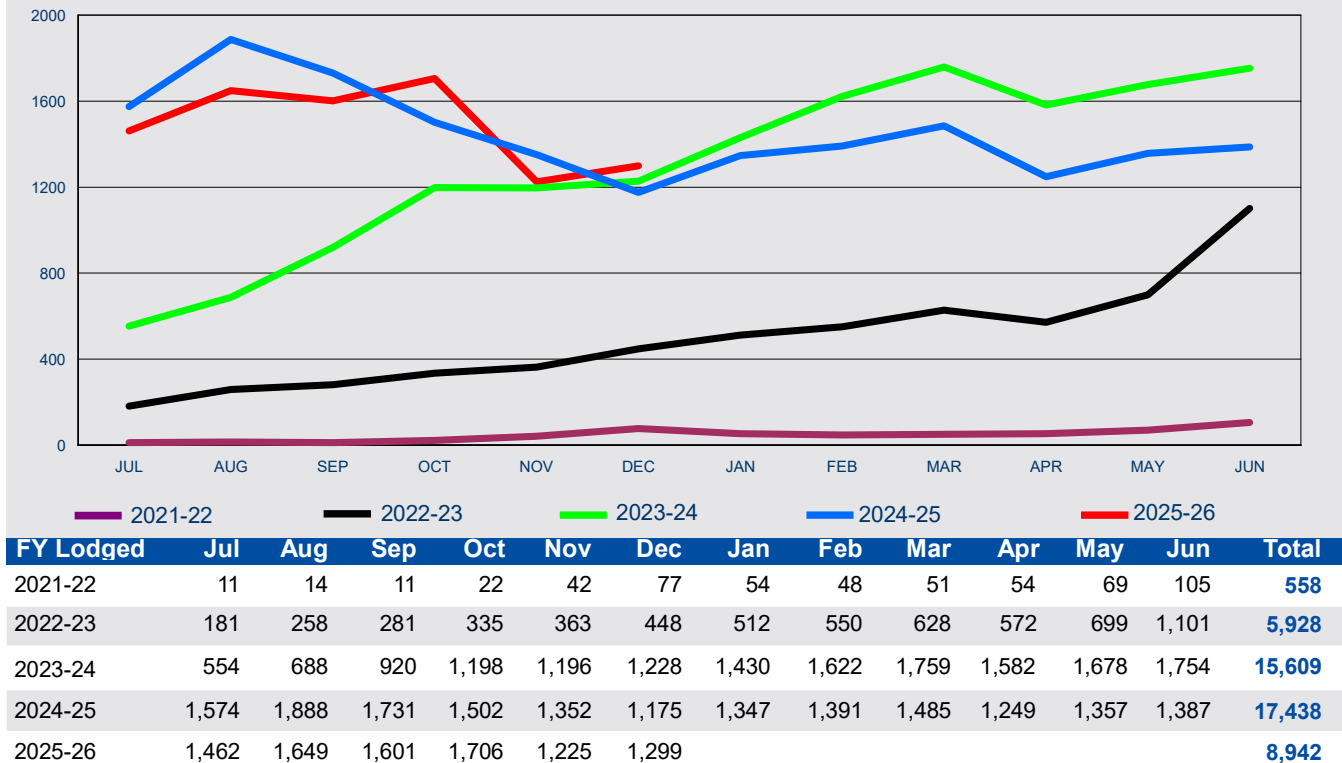


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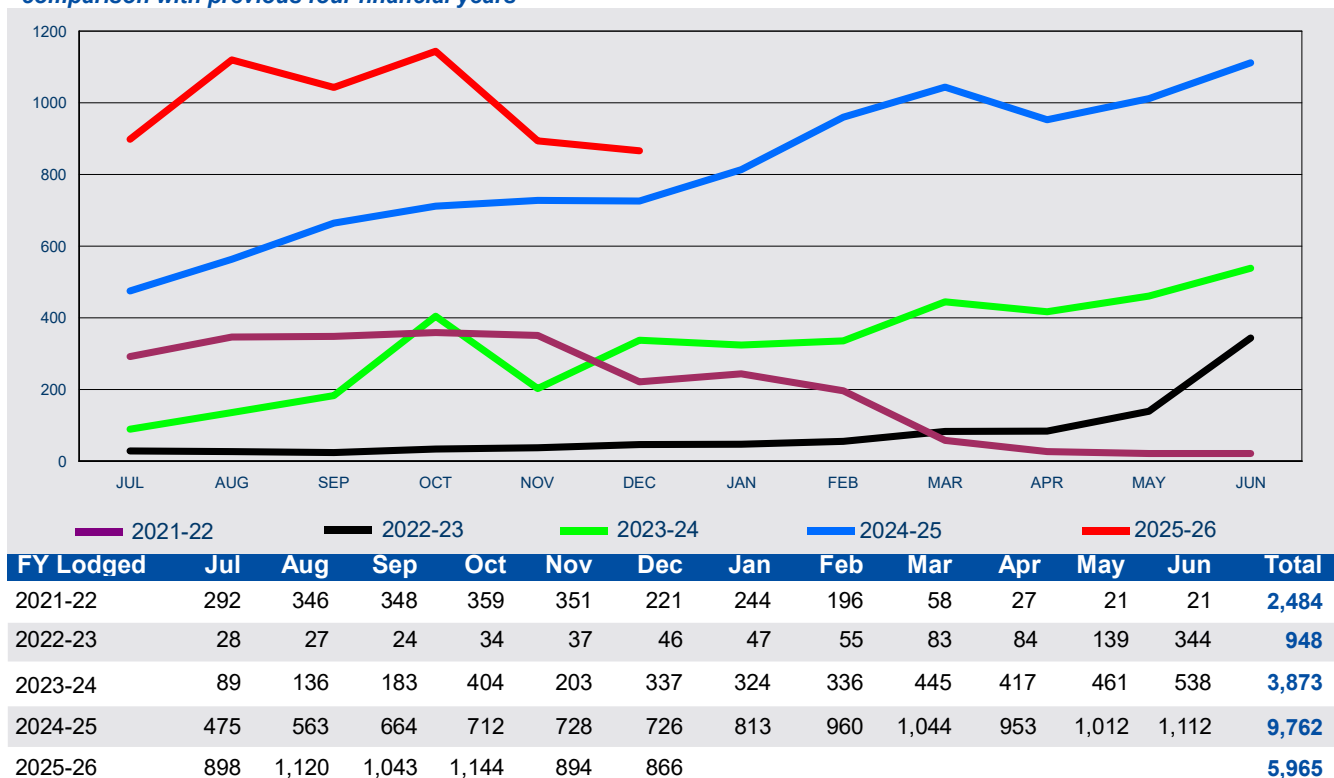


1.08 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



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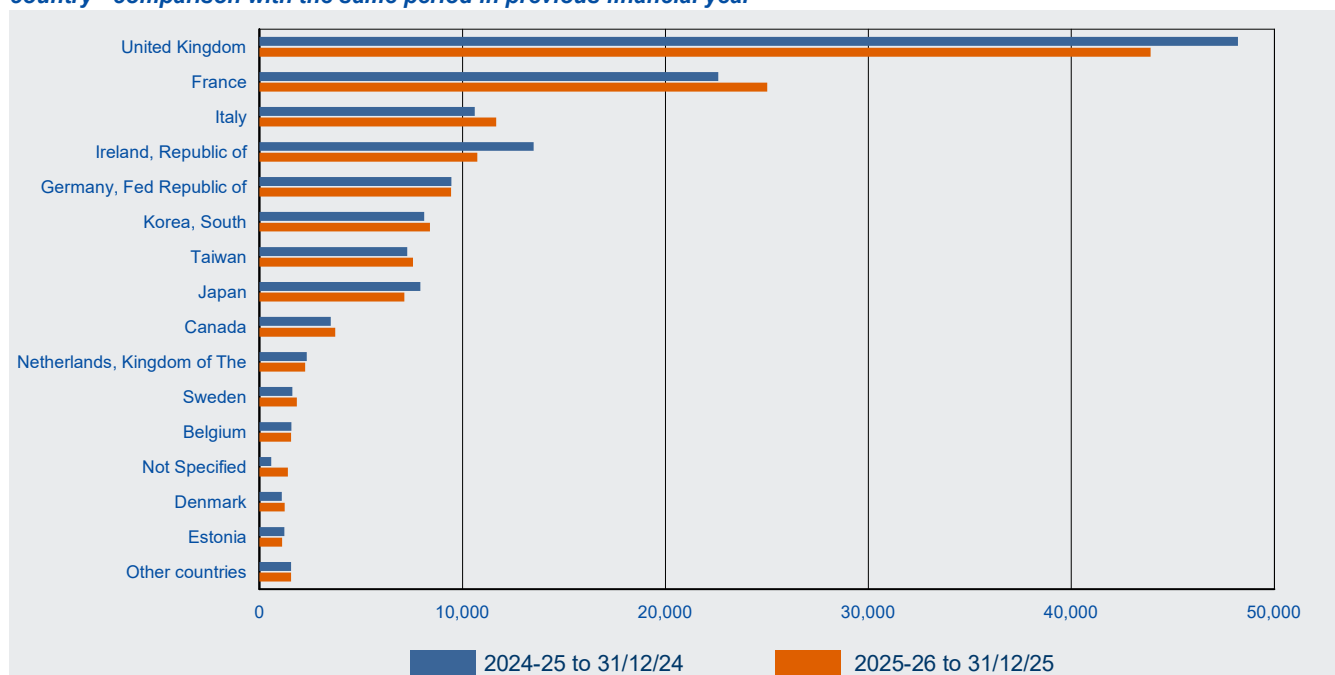


1.10 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications lodged in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by visa subclass and visa type - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	82,857	73,716	86,641	72,467	84,464
Second visa	17,198	23,068	43,206	28,531	33,530
Third visa	2,026	4,818	11,367	12,976	20,536
All 417 Working Holiday	102,081	101,602	141,214	113,974	138,530
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	19,331	11,110	20,235	13,757	25,643
Second visa	5,784	9,825	9,222	8,216	8,942
Third visa	1,352	2,521	3,868	5,894	5,965
All 462 Work and Holiday	26,467	23,456	33,325	27,867	40,550
All Working Holiday Maker	128,548	125,058	174,539	141,841	179,080

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1.11 Number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



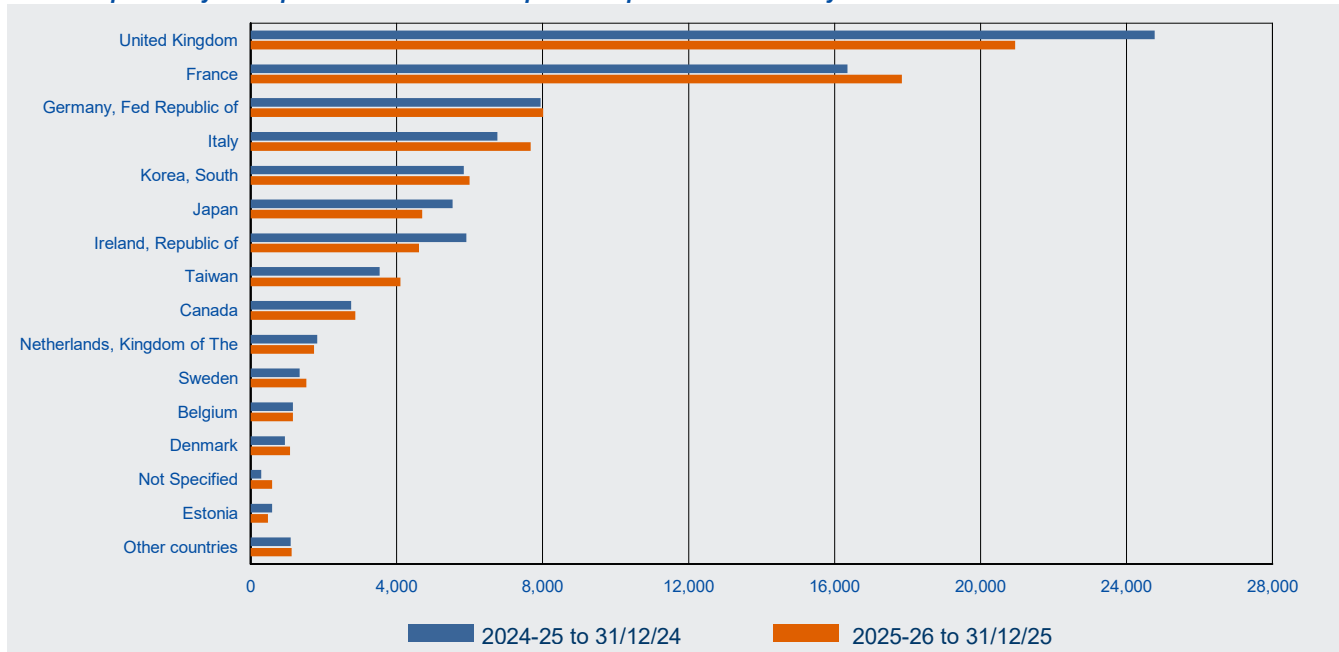
Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
United Kingdom	48,213	43,908	-8.9%	31.7%
France	22,610	25,011	10.6%	18.1%
Italy	10,605	11,660	9.9%	8.4%
Ireland, Republic of	13,513	10,728	-20.6%	7.7%
Germany, Fed Republic of	9,447	9,439	-0.1%	6.8%
Korea, South	8,121	8,398	3.4%	6.1%
Taiwan	7,277	7,560	3.9%	5.5%
Japan	7,926	7,132	-10.0%	5.1%
Canada	3,513	3,733	6.3%	2.7%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	2,327	2,254	-3.1%	1.6%
Sweden	1,619	1,837	13.5%	1.3%
Belgium	1,575	1,562	-0.8%	1.1%
Denmark	1,101	1,245	13.1%	0.9%
Estonia	1,224	1,113	-9.1%	0.8%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	713	680	-4.6%	0.5%
Finland	427	472	10.5%	0.3%
Norway	335	335	0.0%	0.2%
Malta	49	34	-30.6%	0.0%
Cyprus	34	29	-14.7%	0.0%
Not Specified	585	1,400	139.3%	1.0%
Total	141,214	138,530	-1.9%	100.0%

Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

Note 2: Graph above shows top 15 countries only, the remaining countries are grouped under 'Other countries'.

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1.12 Number of first Work and Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



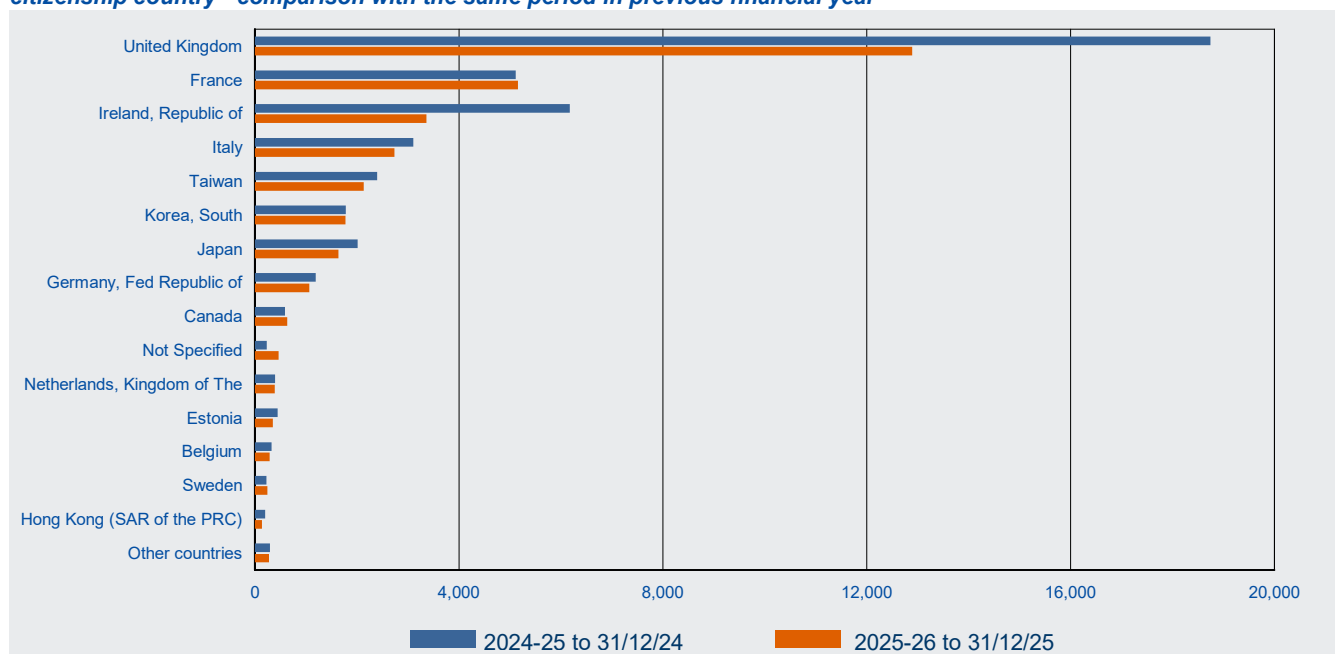
Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
United Kingdom	24,771	20,950	-15.4%	24.8%
France	16,350	17,841	9.1%	21.1%
Germany, Fed Republic of	7,949	8,012	0.8%	9.5%
Italy	6,765	7,675	13.5%	9.1%
Korea, South	5,837	5,996	2.7%	7.1%
Japan	5,531	4,701	-15.0%	5.6%
Ireland, Republic of	5,915	4,612	-22.0%	5.5%
Taiwan	3,537	4,108	16.1%	4.9%
Canada	2,750	2,873	4.5%	3.4%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	1,823	1,736	-4.8%	2.1%
Sweden	1,345	1,527	13.5%	1.8%
Belgium	1,160	1,156	-0.3%	1.4%
Denmark	936	1,084	15.8%	1.3%
Estonia	585	479	-18.1%	0.6%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	431	465	7.9%	0.6%
Finland	325	349	7.4%	0.4%
Norway	280	273	-2.5%	0.3%
Cyprus	23	21	-8.7%	0.0%
Malta	36	20	-44.4%	0.0%
Not Specified	292	586	100.7%	0.7%
Total	86,641	84,464	-2.5%	100.0%

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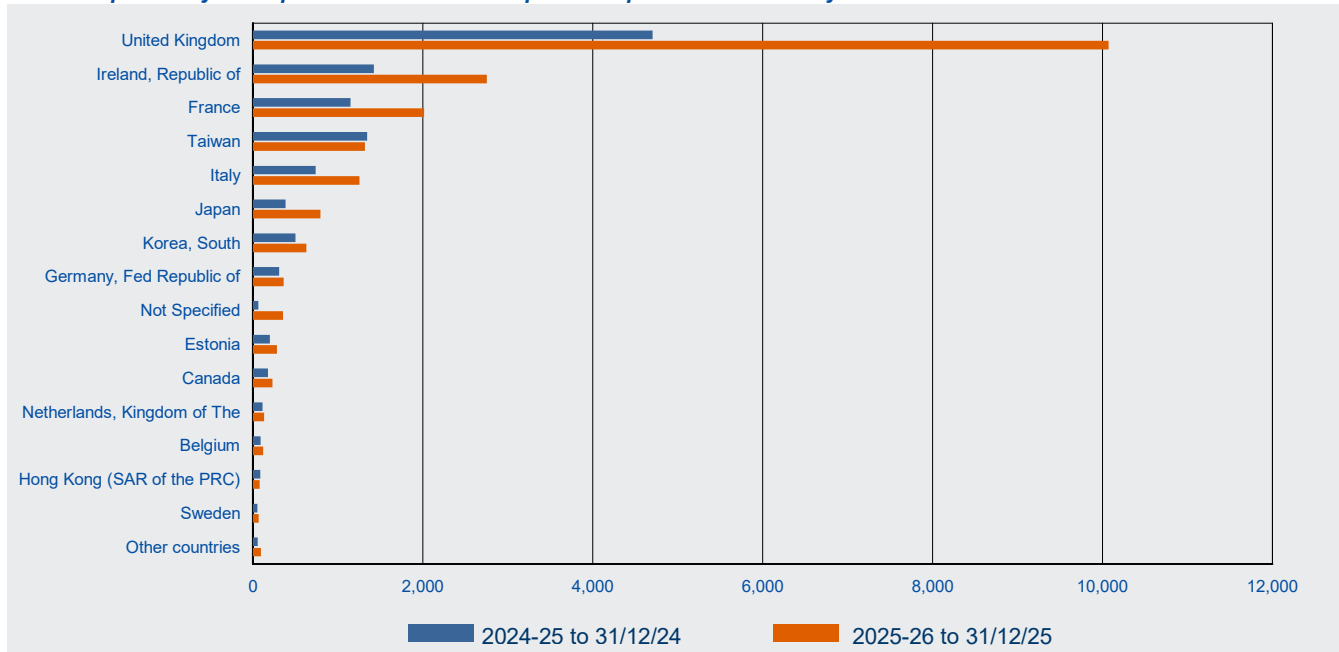
Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
United Kingdom	18,740	12,889	-31.2%	38.4%
France	5,114	5,155	0.8%	15.4%
Ireland, Republic of	6,176	3,364	-45.5%	10.0%
Italy	3,105	2,733	-12.0%	8.2%
Taiwan	2,397	2,134	-11.0%	6.4%
Korea, South	1,783	1,773	-0.6%	5.3%
Japan	2,012	1,639	-18.5%	4.9%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1,192	1,066	-10.6%	3.2%
Canada	586	630	7.5%	1.9%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	394	389	-1.3%	1.2%
Estonia	442	352	-20.4%	1.0%
Belgium	325	288	-11.4%	0.9%
Sweden	221	242	9.5%	0.7%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	198	138	-30.3%	0.4%
Denmark	141	121	-14.2%	0.4%
Finland	79	100	26.6%	0.3%
Norway	52	44	-15.4%	0.1%
Malta	10	8	-20.0%	0.0%
Cyprus	8	<5	-62.5%	0.0%
Not Specified	231	462	100.0%	1.4%
Total	43,206	33,530	-22.4%	100.0%

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1.14 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



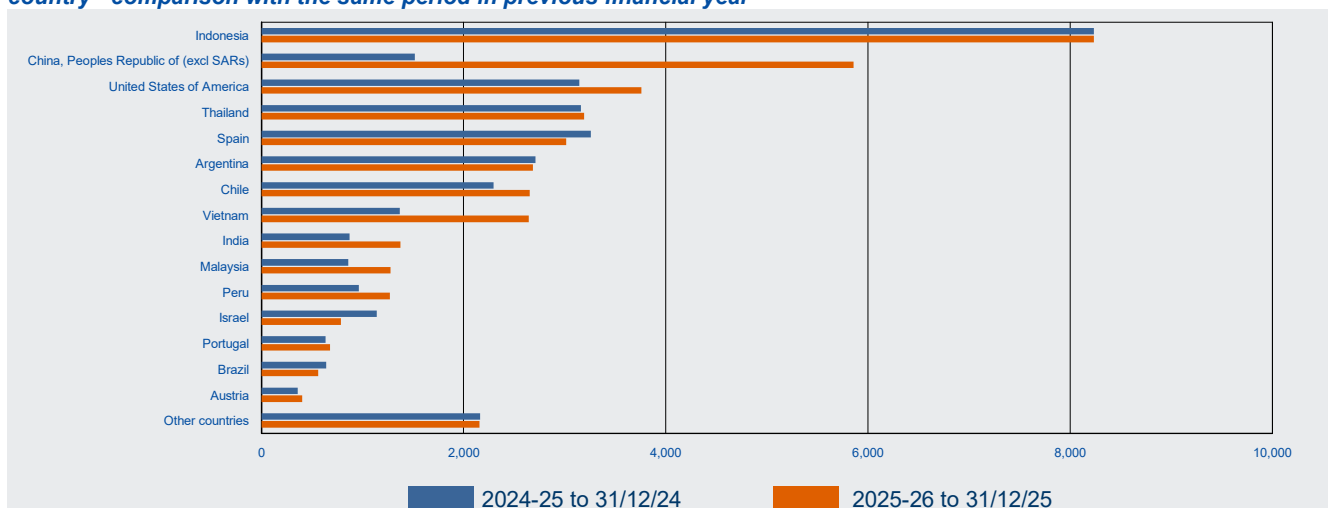
Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
United Kingdom	4,702	10,069	114.1%	49.0%
Ireland, Republic of	1,422	2,752	93.5%	13.4%
France	1,146	2,015	75.8%	9.8%
Taiwan	1,343	1,318	-1.9%	6.4%
Italy	735	1,252	70.3%	6.1%
Japan	383	792	106.8%	3.9%
Korea, South	501	629	25.5%	3.1%
Germany, Fed Republic of	306	361	18.0%	1.8%
Estonia	197	282	43.1%	1.4%
Canada	177	230	29.9%	1.1%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	110	129	17.3%	0.6%
Belgium	90	118	31.1%	0.6%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	84	77	-8.3%	0.4%
Sweden	53	68	28.3%	0.3%
Denmark	24	40	66.7%	0.2%
Finland	23	23	0.0%	0.1%
Norway	< 5	18	500.0%	0.1%
Malta	< 5	6	100.0%	0.0%
Cyprus	< 5	5	66.7%	0.0%
Not Specified	62	352	467.7%	1.7%
Total	11,367	20,536	80.7%	100.0%

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1.15 Number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
Indonesia	8,236	8,236	0.0%	20.3%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	1,518	5,857	285.8%	14.4%
United States of America	3,145	3,759	19.5%	9.3%
Thailand	3,159	3,193	1.1%	7.9%
Spain	3,259	3,014	-7.5%	7.4%
Argentina	2,712	2,684	-1.0%	6.6%
Chile	2,297	2,655	15.6%	6.5%
Vietnam	1,370	2,644	93.0%	6.5%
India	871	1,376	58.0%	3.4%
Malaysia	860	1,277	48.5%	3.1%
Peru	963	1,272	32.1%	3.1%
Israel	1,140	786	-31.1%	1.9%
Portugal	635	677	6.6%	1.7%
Brazil	639	560	-12.4%	1.4%
Austria	358	402	12.3%	1.0%
Poland	342	392	14.6%	1.0%
Uruguay	251	276	10.0%	0.7%
Singapore	288	249	-13.5%	0.6%
Czechia	159	220	38.4%	0.5%
Switzerland	250	213	-14.8%	0.5%
Hungary	114	131	14.9%	0.3%
Ecuador	164	122	-25.6%	0.3%
Papua New Guinea	51	107	109.8%	0.3%
Slovakia	102	99	-2.9%	0.2%
Mongolia	182	70	-61.5%	0.2%
Turkiye	86	69	-19.8%	0.2%
Greece	50	36	-28.0%	0.1%
Slovenia	35	29	-17.1%	0.1%
Luxembourg	18	15	-16.7%	0.0%
San Marino	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.0%
Philippines				
Not Specified	69	129	87.0%	0.3%
Total	33,325	40,550	21.7%	100.0%

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1.17 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



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1.18 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications lodged in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous financial year



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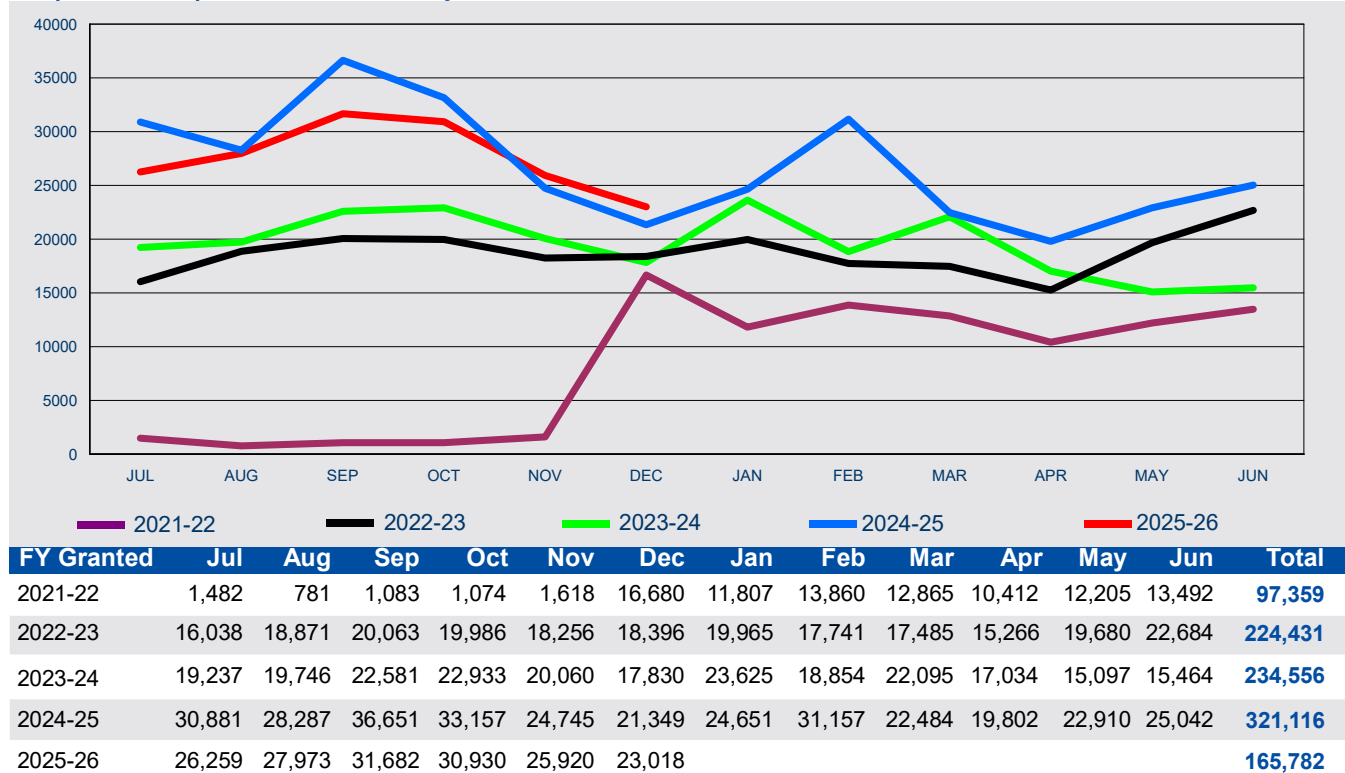
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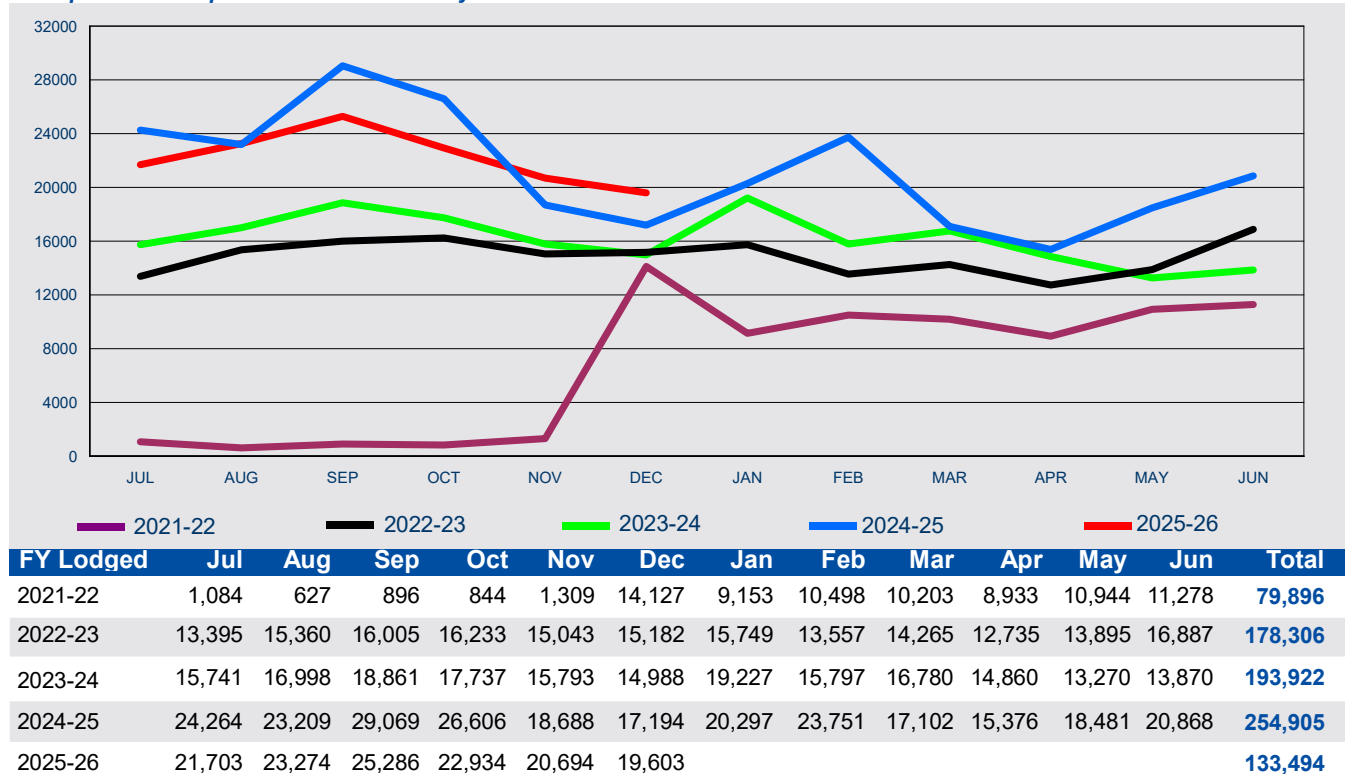
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2.01 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by month - comparison with previous four financial years

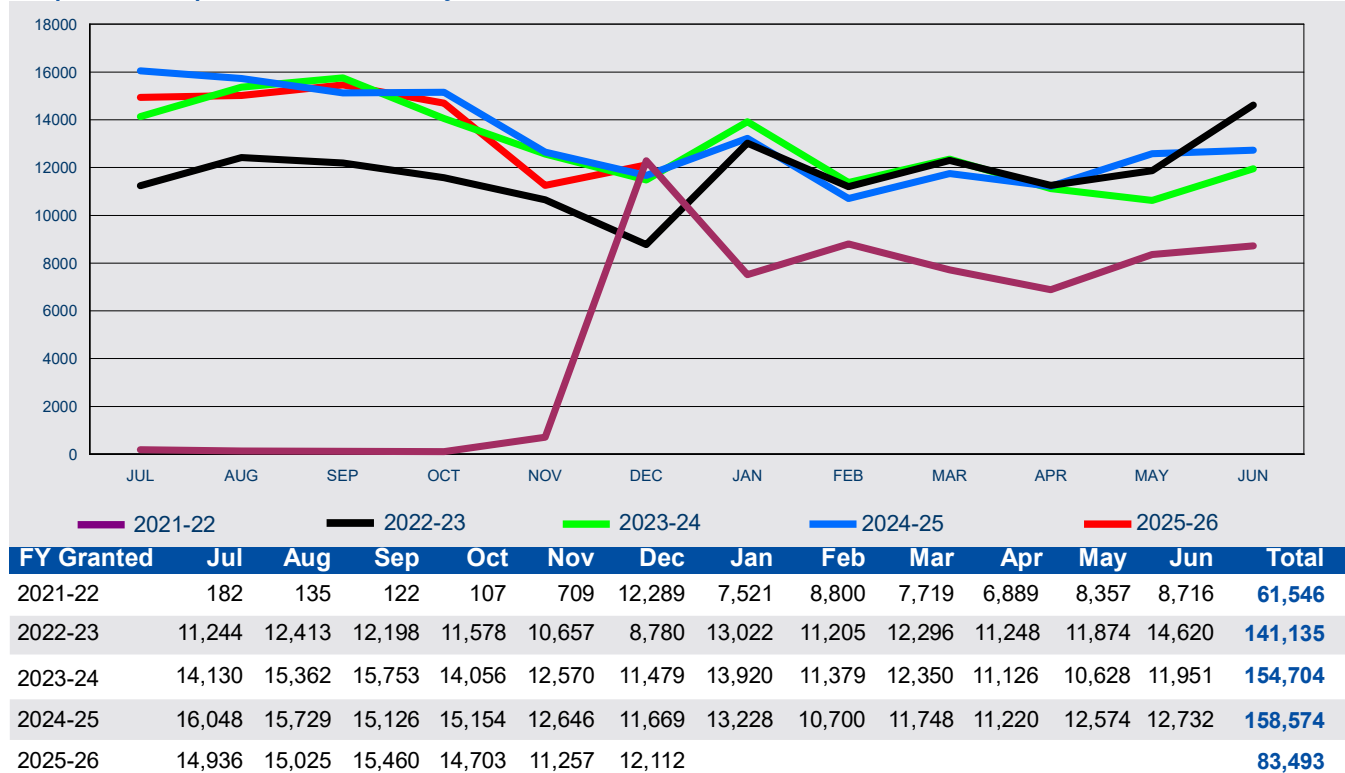


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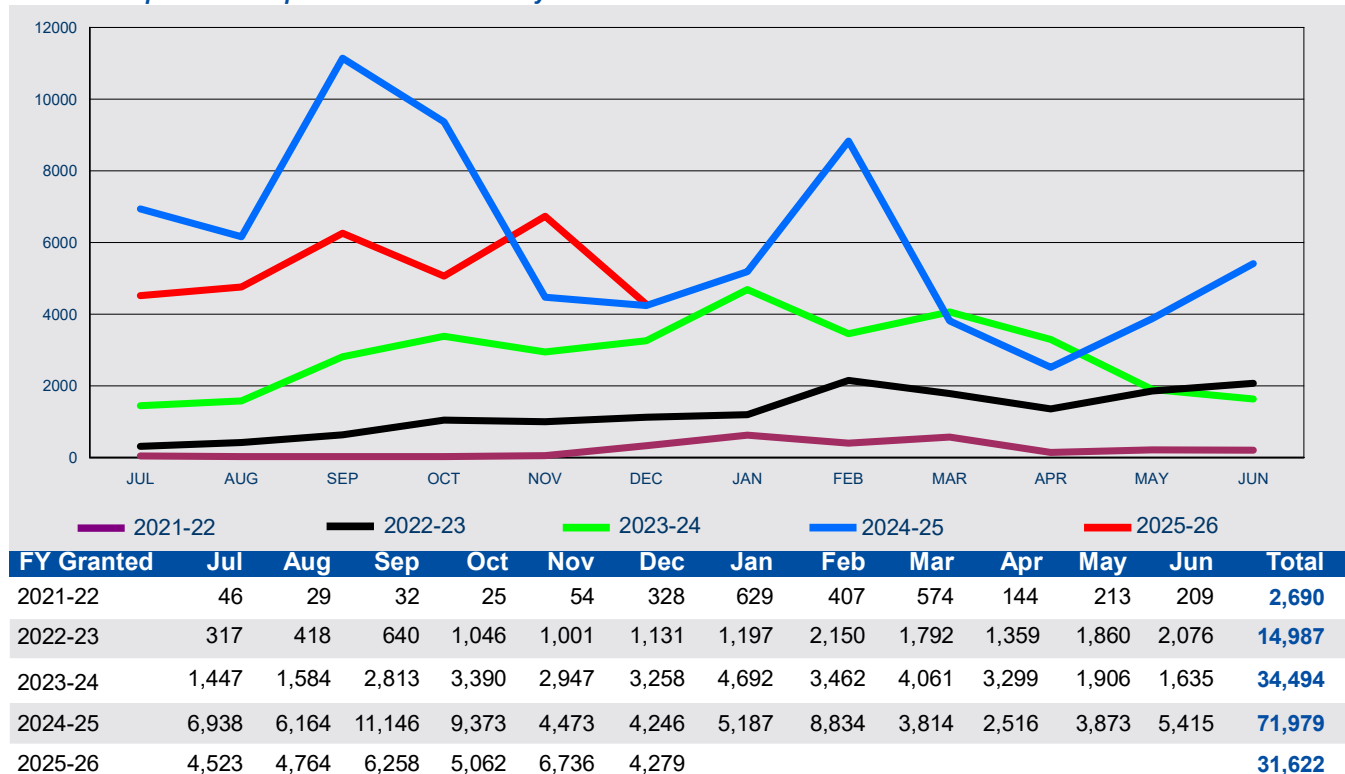


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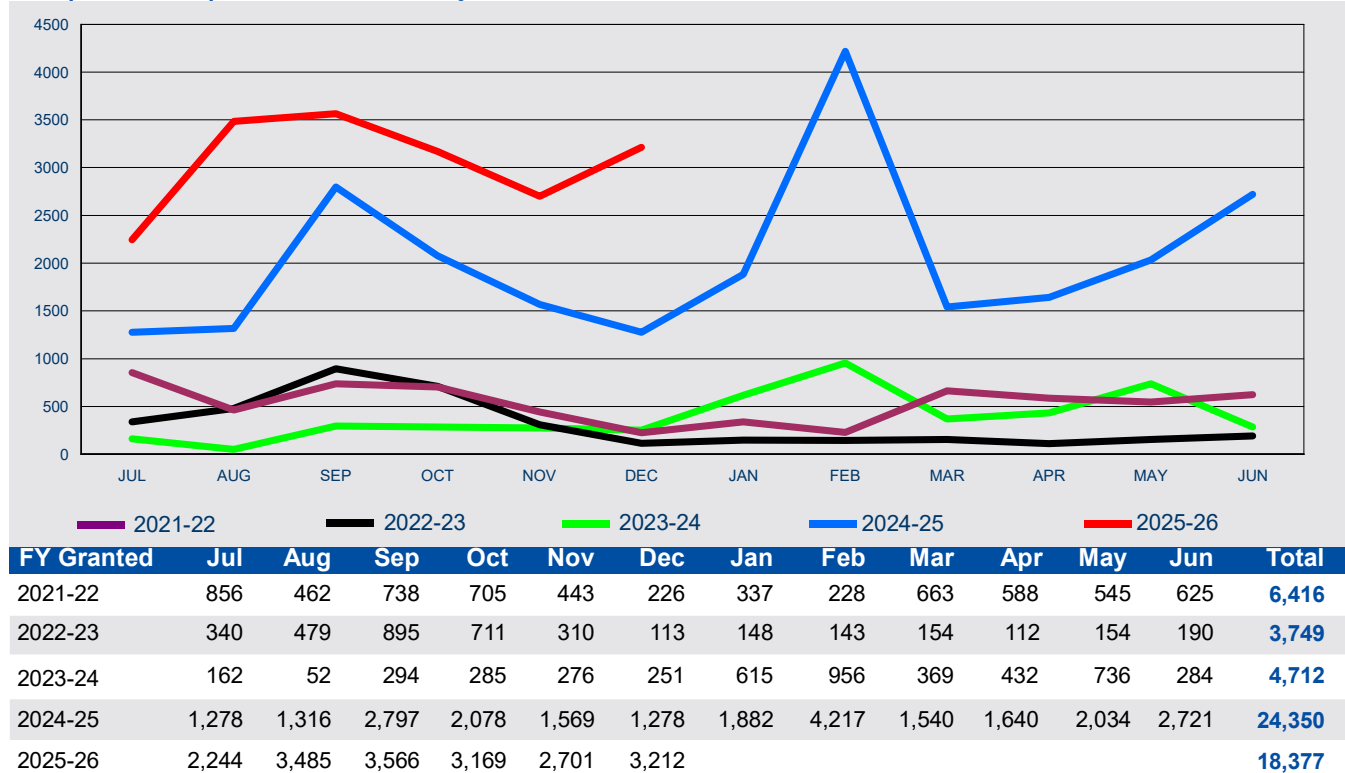


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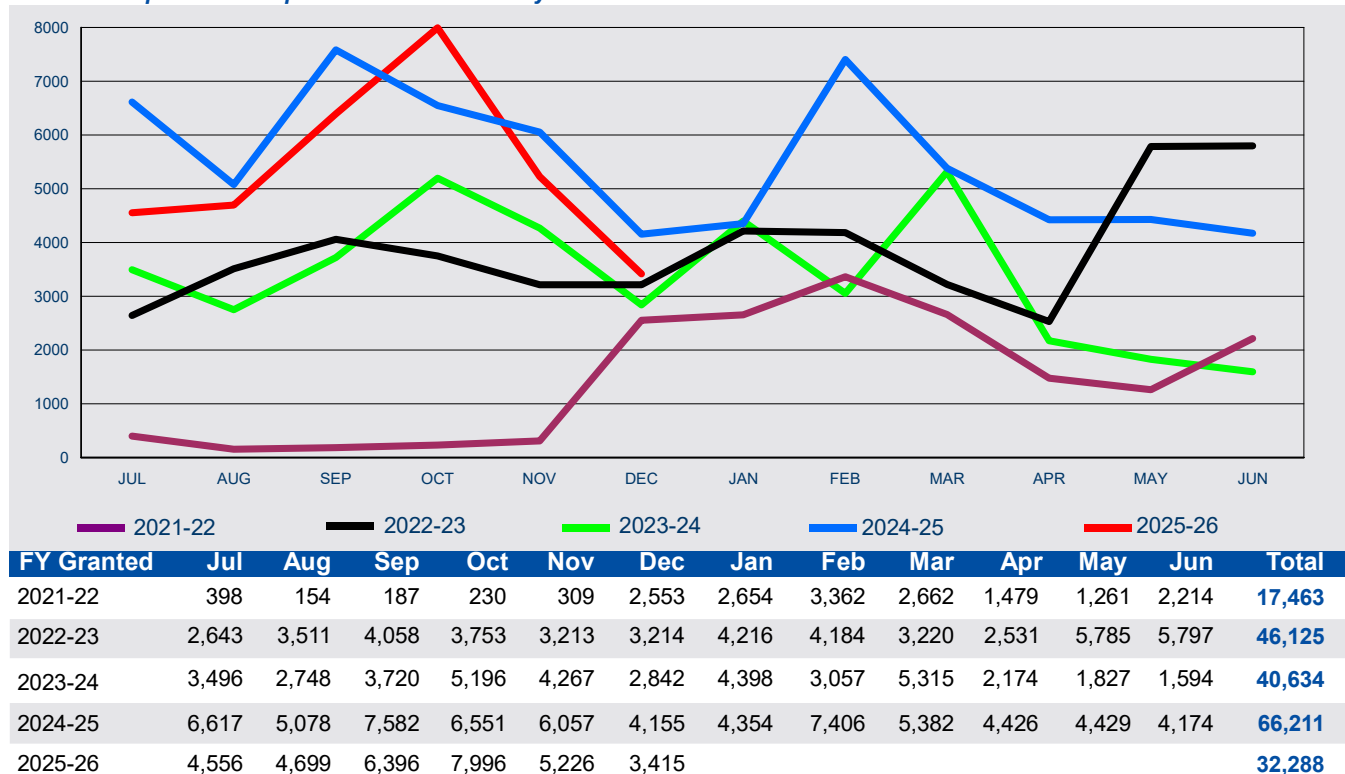


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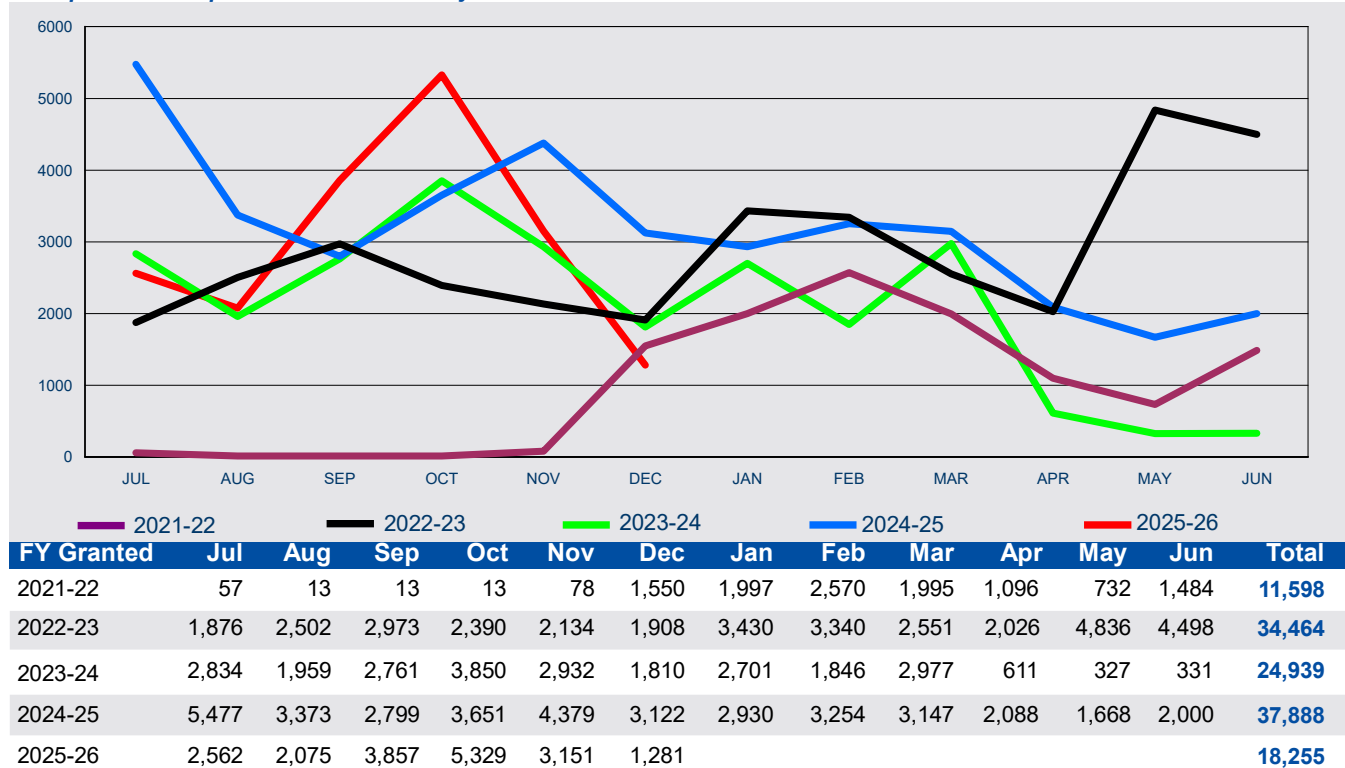


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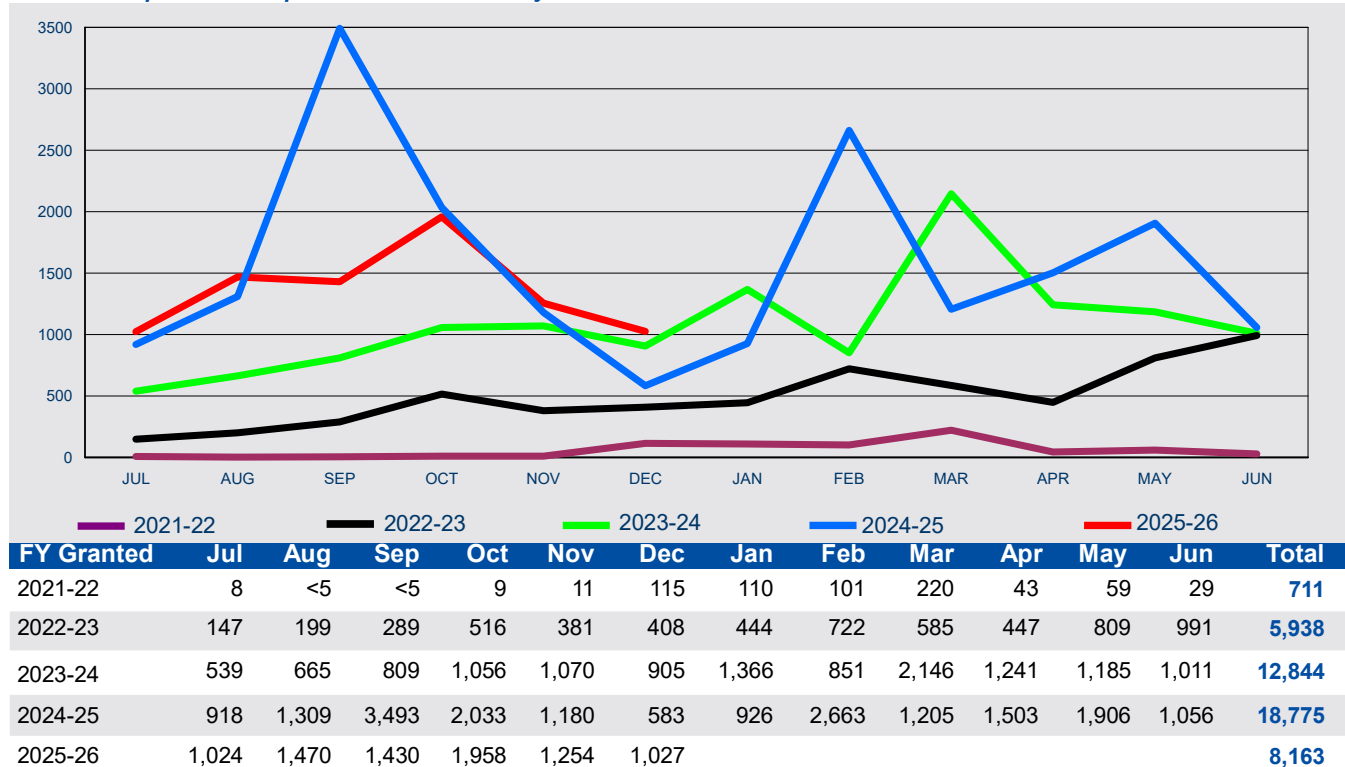


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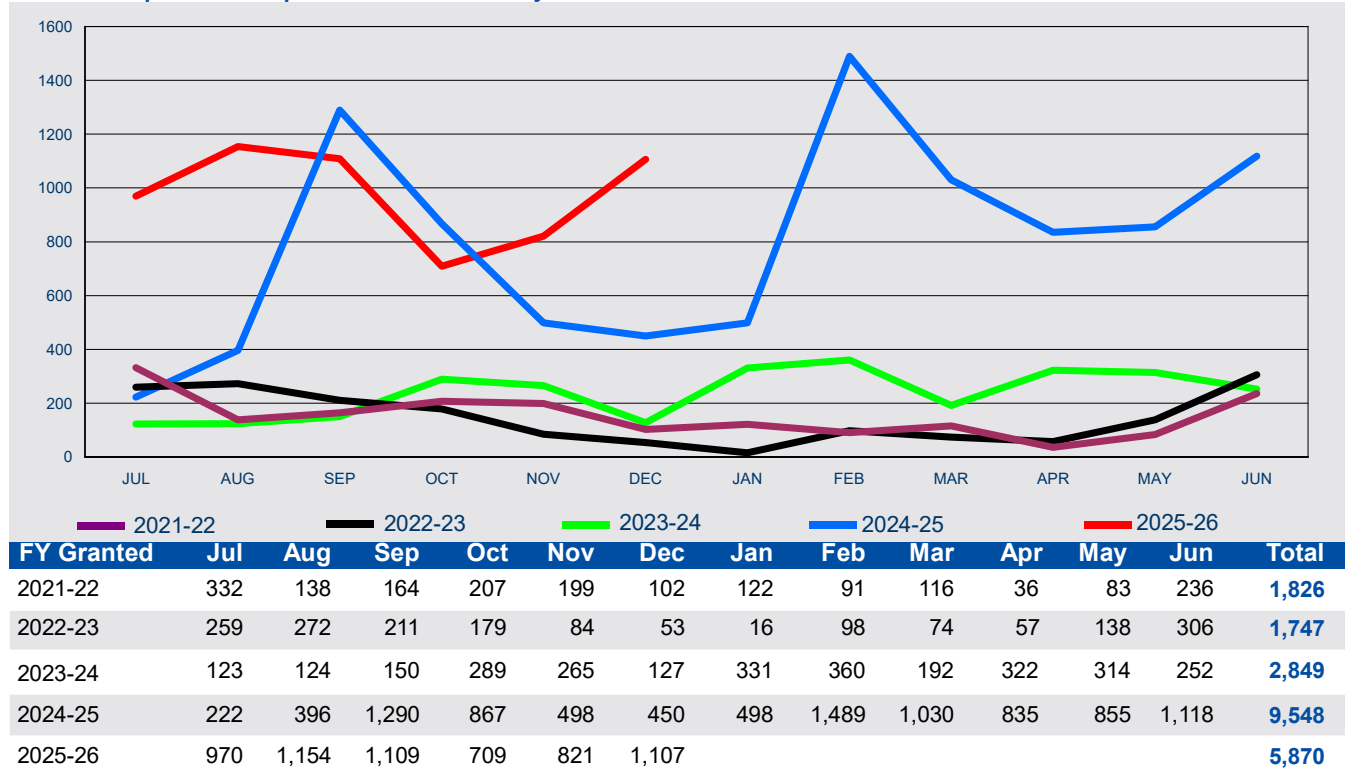


2.08 Number of second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



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2.09 Number of third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by month - comparison with previous four financial years



2.10 Total number of Working Holiday Maker visa applications granted in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by visa subclass and visa type - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
417 Working Holiday					
417 Working Holiday First visa	83,350	71,354	86,372	72,202	83,493
417 Working Holiday Second visa	15,439	19,055	42,340	29,639	31,622
417 Working Holiday Third visa	1,320	3,392	10,316	14,034	18,377
417 Working Holiday Offshore nil VAC visa	<5	0	0	0	0
417 Working Holiday Onshore nil VAC visa	7	<5	<5	0	<5
All 417 Working Holiday	100,118	93,804	139,030	115,875	133,494
462 Work and Holiday					
462 Work and Holiday First visa	16,146	8,793	22,801	15,087	18,255
462 Work and Holiday Second visa	5,044	7,800	9,516	9,259	8,163
462 Work and Holiday Third visa	1,078	1,771	3,723	5,825	5,870
462 Work and Holiday Offshore nil VAC visa	0	<5	0	0	0
462 Work and Holiday Onshore nil VAC visa	<5	0	0	0	0
All 462 Work and Holiday	22,269	18,365	36,040	30,171	32,288
All Working Holiday Maker	122,387	112,169	175,070	146,046	165,782

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2.11 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as a % of Total
United Kingdom	4,885	20,125	26,572	47,960	42,759	-10.8%	32.0%
France	2,107	14,345	16,188	21,632	23,628	9.2%	17.7%
Italy	1,658	8,301	7,369	10,285	11,514	11.9%	8.6%
Ireland, Republic of	2,680	10,138	10,723	13,233	10,144	-23.3%	7.6%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1,595	7,895	7,838	9,275	9,244	-0.3%	6.9%
Korea, South	854	6,754	6,650	8,376	8,620	2.9%	6.5%
Taiwan	1,047	7,527	6,687	7,619	7,428	-2.5%	5.6%
Japan	1,426	5,056	6,846	7,844	7,110	-9.4%	5.3%
Canada	1,086	3,107	3,033	3,340	3,562	6.6%	2.7%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	393	2,113	2,175	2,277	2,164	-5.0%	1.6%
Sweden	166	1,171	1,377	1,552	1,783	14.9%	1.3%
Belgium	229	1,143	1,182	1,502	1,480	-1.5%	1.1%
Denmark	146	825	1,071	1,075	1,218	13.3%	0.9%
Estonia	157	911	828	1,135	1,030	-9.3%	0.8%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	201	765	581	657	661	0.6%	0.5%
Finland	69	384	388	406	439	8.1%	0.3%
Norway	59	215	279	322	314	-2.5%	0.2%
Malta	26	59	42	48	32	-33.3%	0.0%
Cyprus	7	31	37	34	23	-32.4%	0.0%
Not Specified	96	353	252	458	341	-25.5%	0.3%
Total	18,887	91,218	100,118	139,030	133,494	-4.0%	100.0%

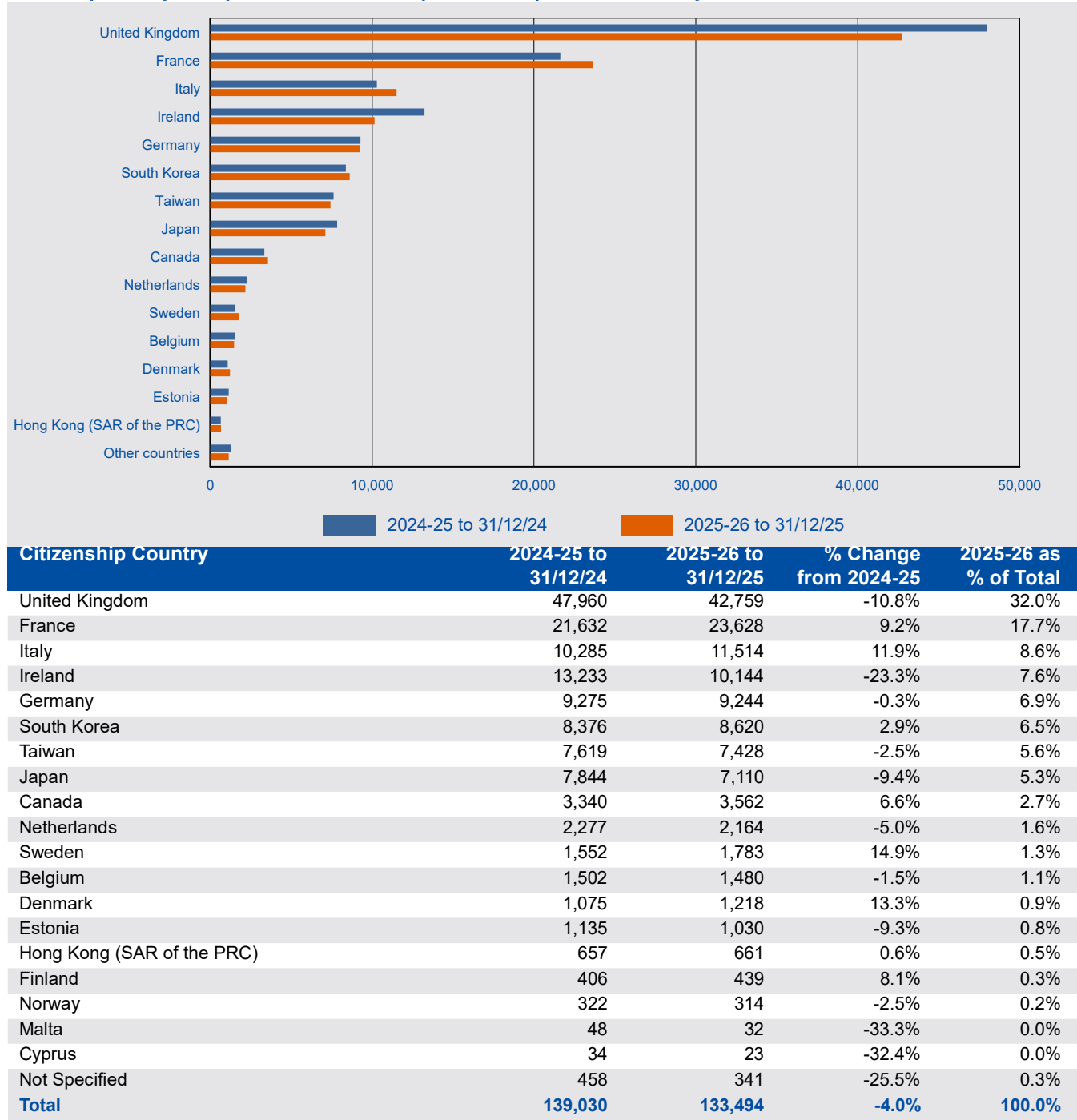
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2.12 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous four financial years

Citizenship Country	2021-22 to 31/12/21	2022-23 to 31/12/22	2023-24 to 31/12/23	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as a % of Total
Indonesia	262	2,984	4,285	8,187	4,690	-42.7%	14.5%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	359	1,369	1,133	1,339	4,652	247.4%	14.4%
United States of America	1,150	2,557	2,742	3,199	3,622	13.2%	11.2%
Thailand	96	1,212	2,593	3,061	3,040	-0.7%	9.4%
Spain	197	1,568	1,903	3,847	2,794	-27.4%	8.7%
Argentina	443	2,444	2,145	3,346	2,370	-29.2%	7.3%
Chile	609	2,225	1,278	2,909	2,265	-22.1%	7.0%
Vietnam	244	1,978	1,904	2,369	1,961	-17.2%	6.1%
Malaysia	48	552	509	1,150	1,147	-0.3%	3.6%
Peru	99	629	554	1,200	1,107	-7.8%	3.4%
India	na	na	na	706	986	39.7%	3.1%
Israel	28	879	767	1,206	691	-42.7%	2.1%
Portugal	29	274	383	572	560	-2.1%	1.7%
Brazil	na	252	365	650	529	-18.6%	1.6%
Poland	38	245	247	367	322	-12.3%	1.0%
Austria	17	161	237	348	280	-19.5%	0.9%
Uruguay	33	150	146	275	263	-4.4%	0.8%
Singapore	72	163	230	311	203	-34.7%	0.6%
Switzerland	na	165	203	217	179	-17.5%	0.6%
Czechia	40	116	128	163	173	6.1%	0.5%
Ecuador	16	112	117	177	118	-33.3%	0.4%
Hungary	16	93	93	126	99	-21.4%	0.3%
Slovakia	13	69	59	93	69	-25.8%	0.2%
Papua New Guinea	na	na	9	34	48	41.2%	0.1%
Mongolia	na	100	112	38	33	-13.2%	0.1%
Turkiye	14	36	61	37	30	-18.9%	0.1%
Slovenia	< 5	30	36	33	21	-36.4%	0.1%
Greece	< 5	16	19	38	20	-47.4%	0.1%
Luxembourg	< 5	11	11	20	14	-30.0%	0.0%
San Marino	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.0%
Not Specified	0	< 5	0	21	< 5	-95.2%	0.0%
Total	3,831	20,392	22,269	36,040	32,288	-10.4%	100.0%

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2.13 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year

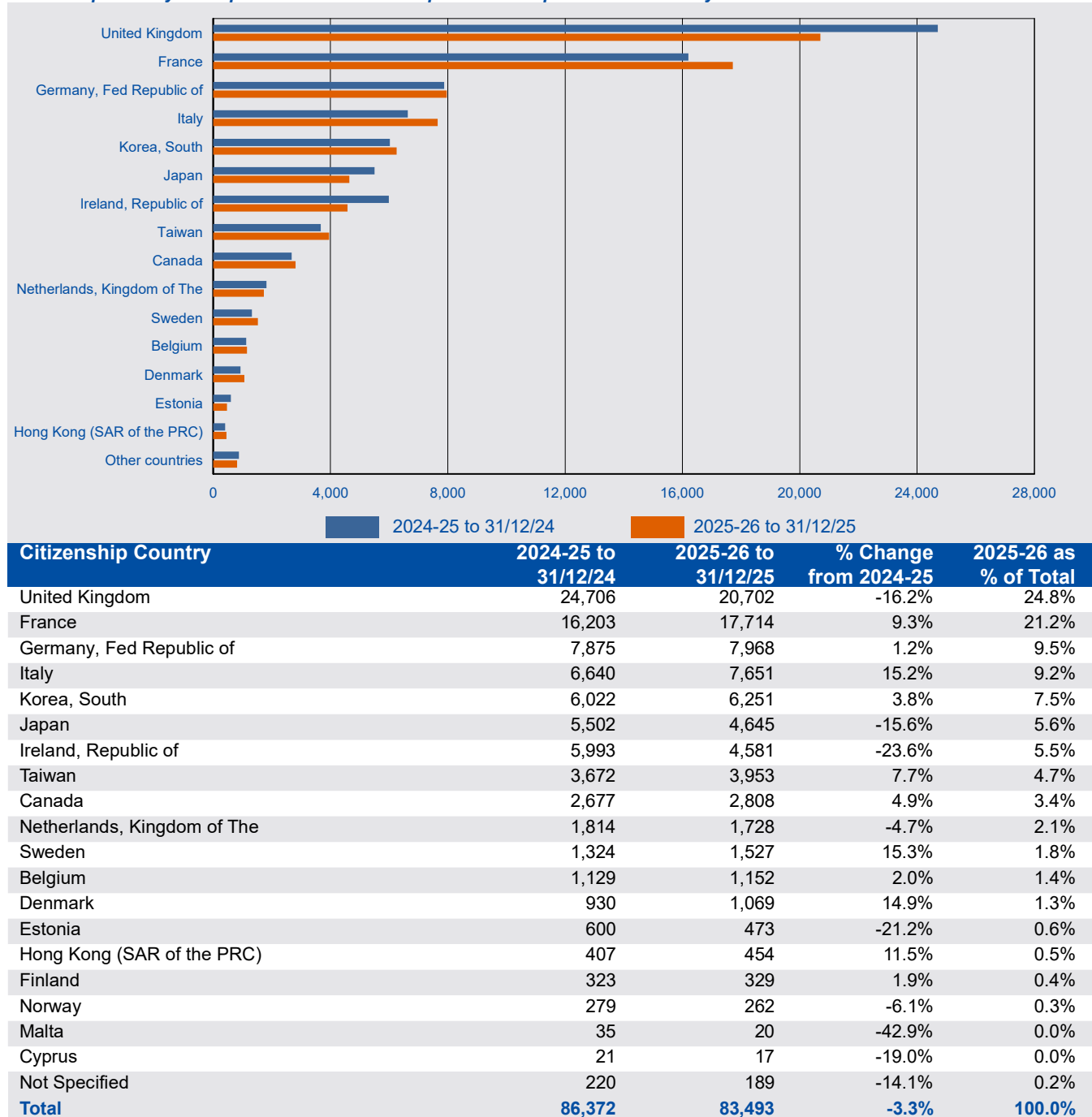


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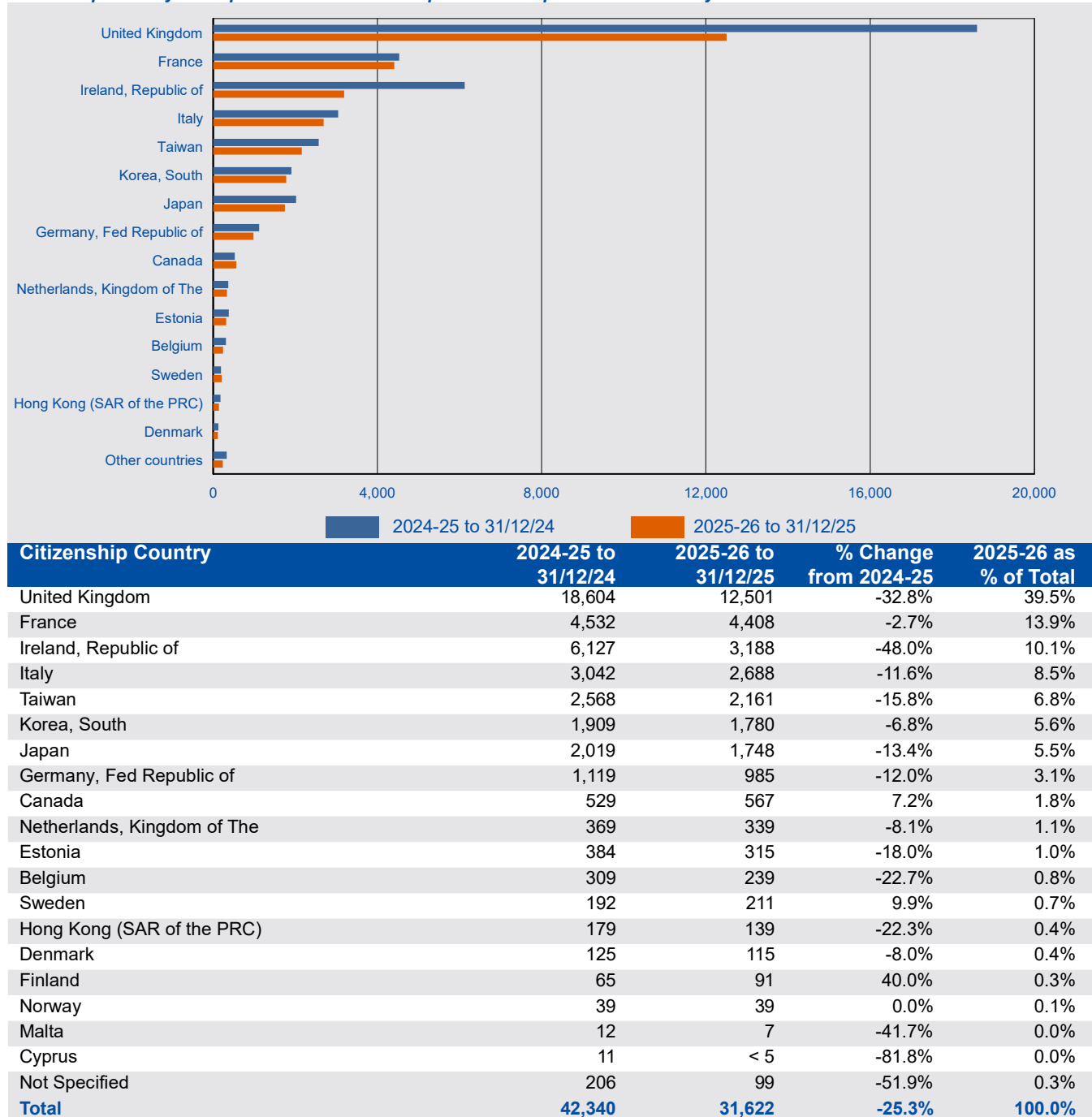


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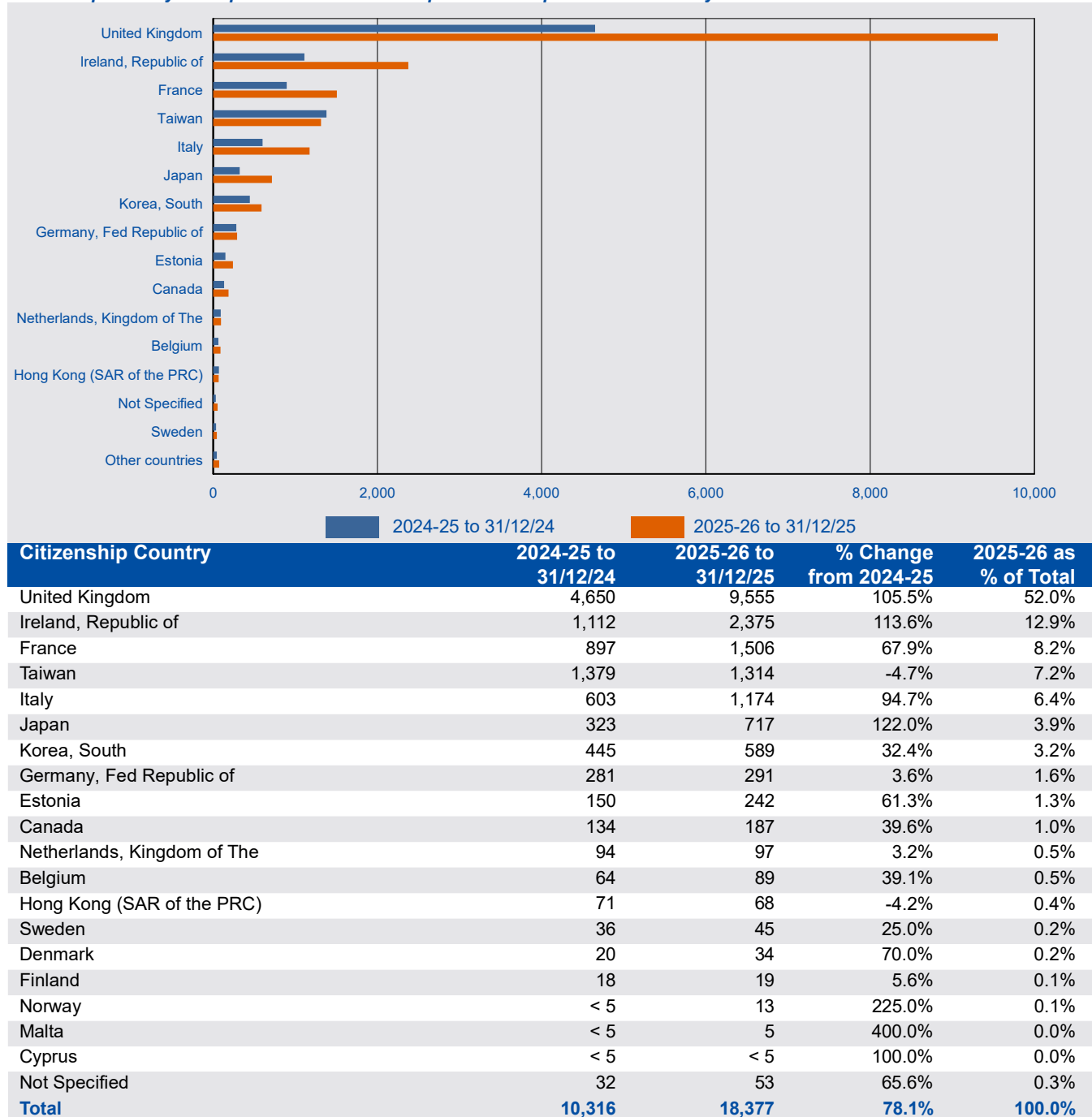


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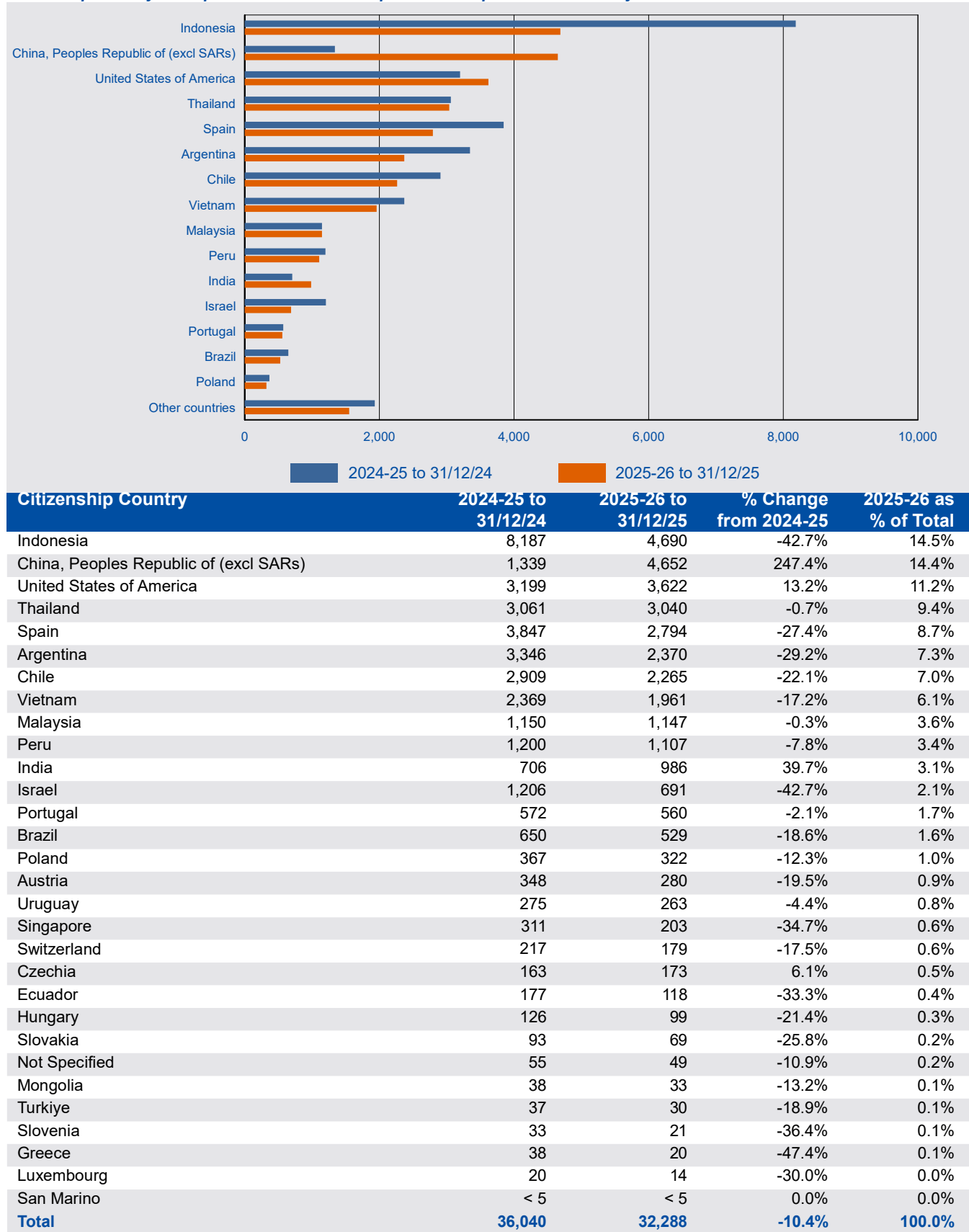


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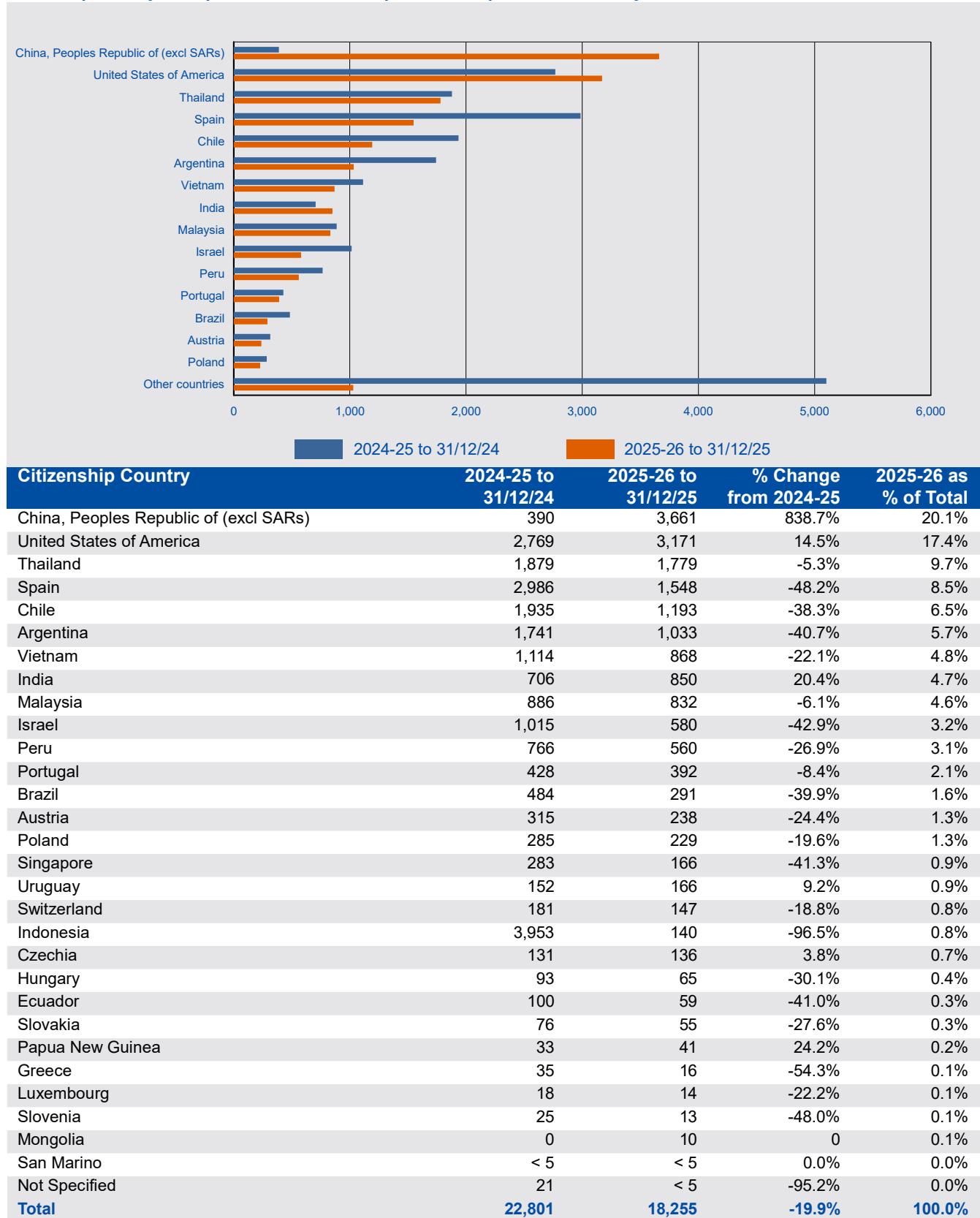


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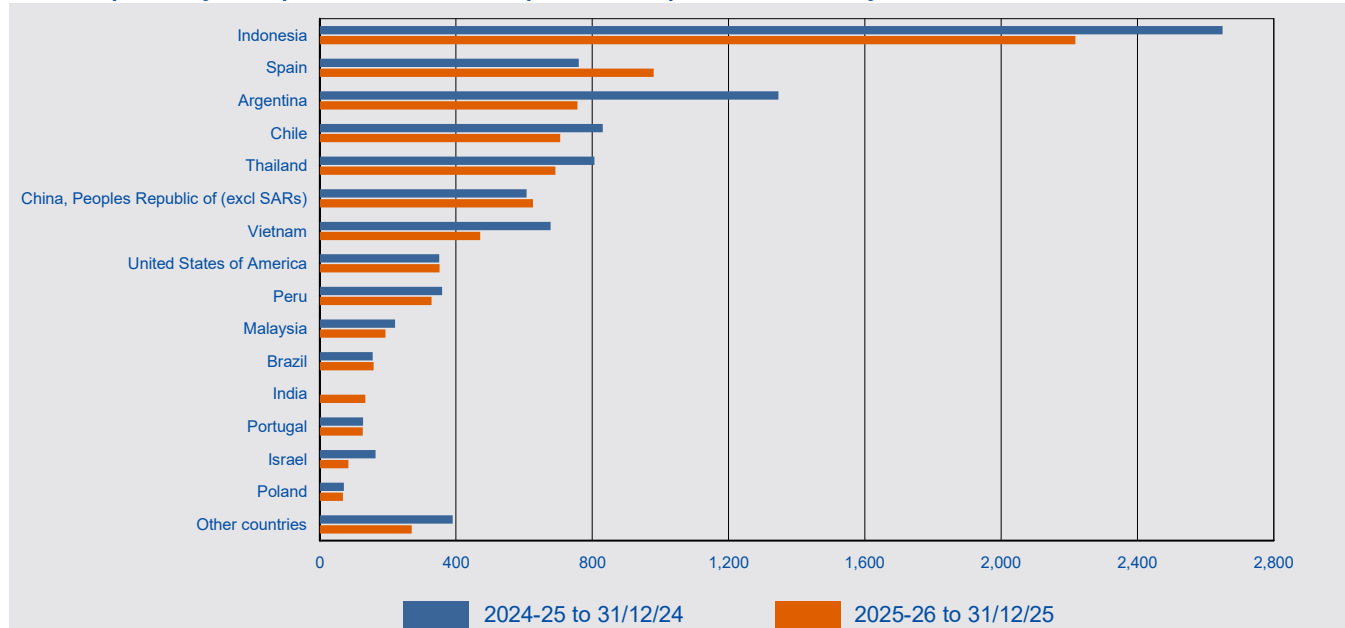


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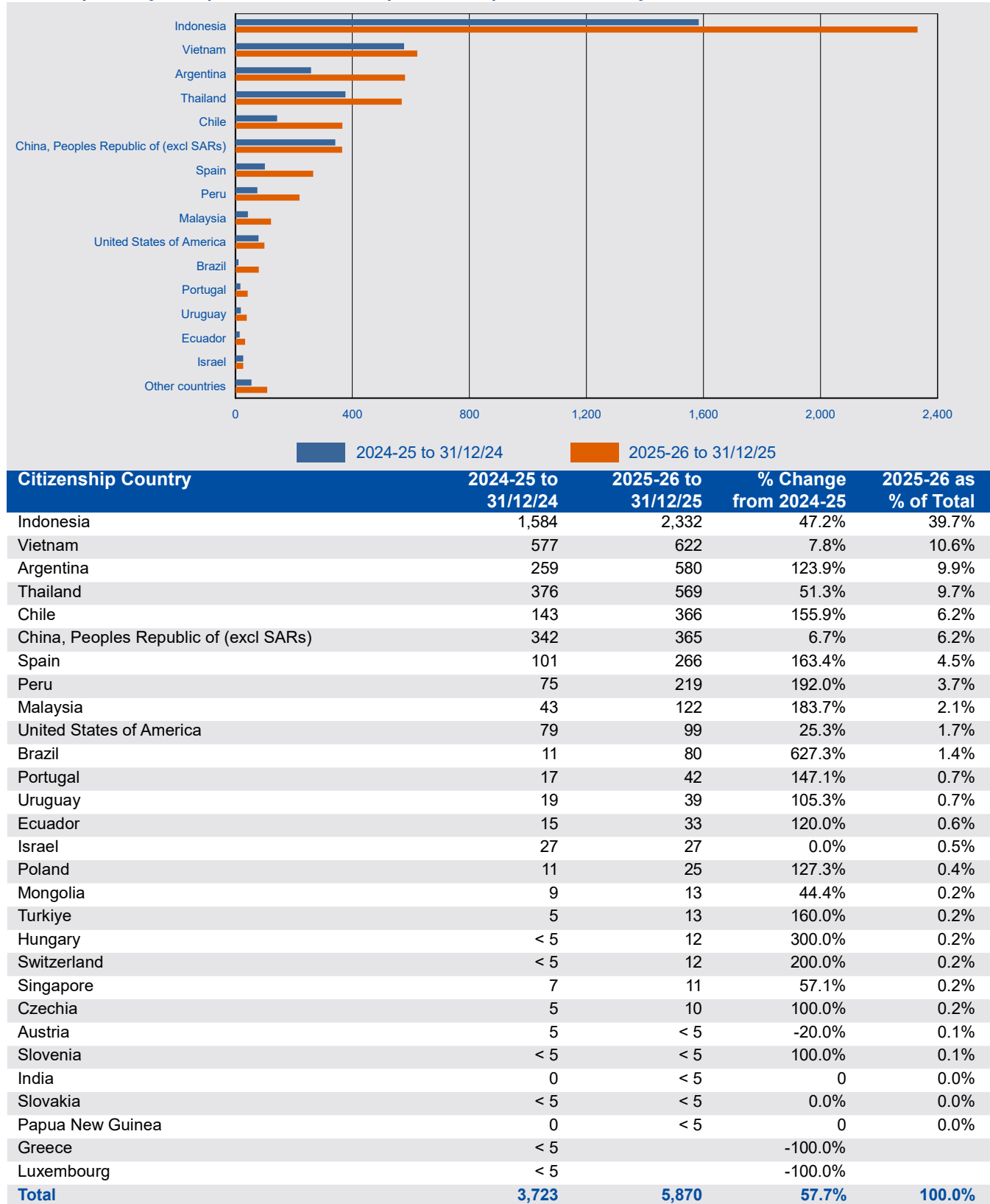
Citizenship Country	2024-25 to 31/12/24	2025-26 to 31/12/25	% Change from 2024-25	2025-26 as % of Total
Indonesia	2,650	2,218	-16.3%	27.2%
Spain	760	980	28.9%	12.0%
Argentina	1,346	757	-43.8%	9.3%
Chile	831	706	-15.0%	8.6%
Thailand	806	692	-14.1%	8.5%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	607	626	3.1%	7.7%
Vietnam	678	471	-30.5%	5.8%
United States of America	351	352	0.3%	4.3%
Peru	359	328	-8.6%	4.0%
Malaysia	221	193	-12.7%	2.4%
Brazil	155	158	1.9%	1.9%
India	0	134	0	1.6%
Portugal	127	126	-0.8%	1.5%
Israel	164	84	-48.8%	1.0%
Poland	71	68	-4.2%	0.8%
Uruguay	104	58	-44.2%	0.7%
Austria	28	38	35.7%	0.5%
Czechia	27	27	0.0%	0.3%
Ecuador	62	26	-58.1%	0.3%
Singapore	21	26	23.8%	0.3%
Hungary	30	22	-26.7%	0.3%
Switzerland	32	20	-37.5%	0.2%
Turkiye	32	17	-46.9%	0.2%
Slovakia	15	12	-20.0%	0.1%
Mongolia	29	10	-65.5%	0.1%
Papua New Guinea	< 5	6	500.0%	0.1%
Greece	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.0%
Slovenia	6	< 5	-33.3%	0.0%
Luxembourg	< 5		-100.0%	
Total	9,516	8,163	-14.2%	100.0%

Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

Note 2: Graph above shows top 15 countries only, the remaining countries are grouped under 'Other countries'.

2 Granted

2.20 Number of third Working and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same period in the previous financial year

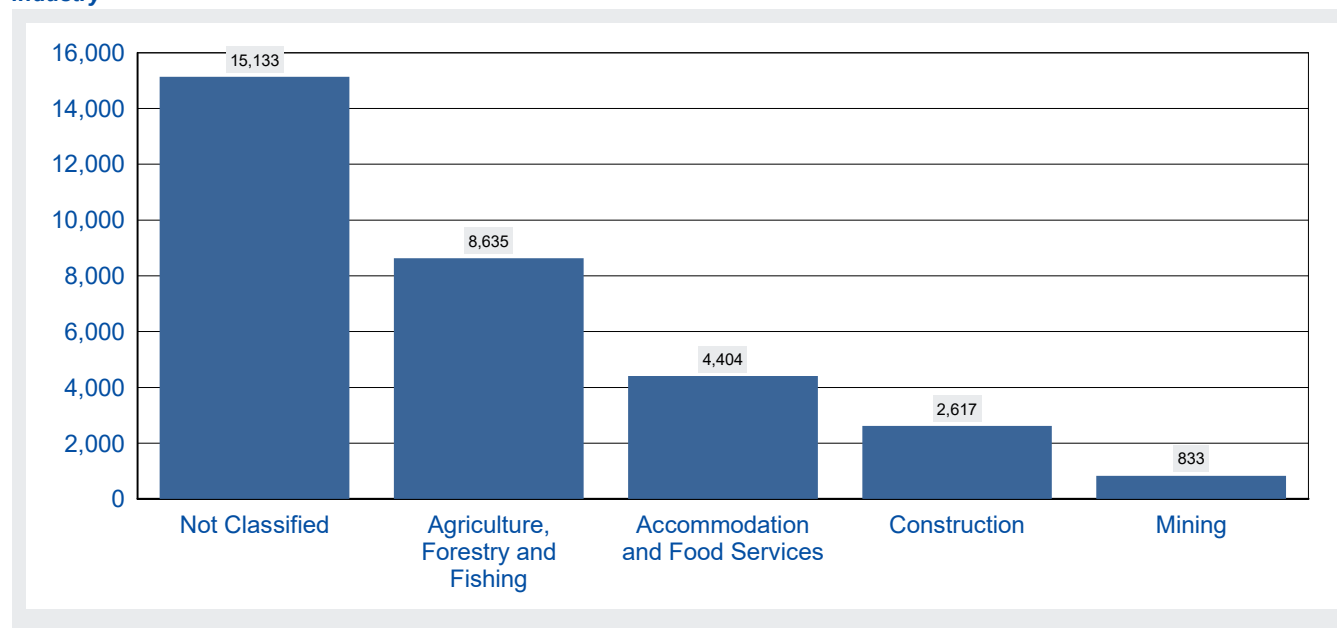


Note 1: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

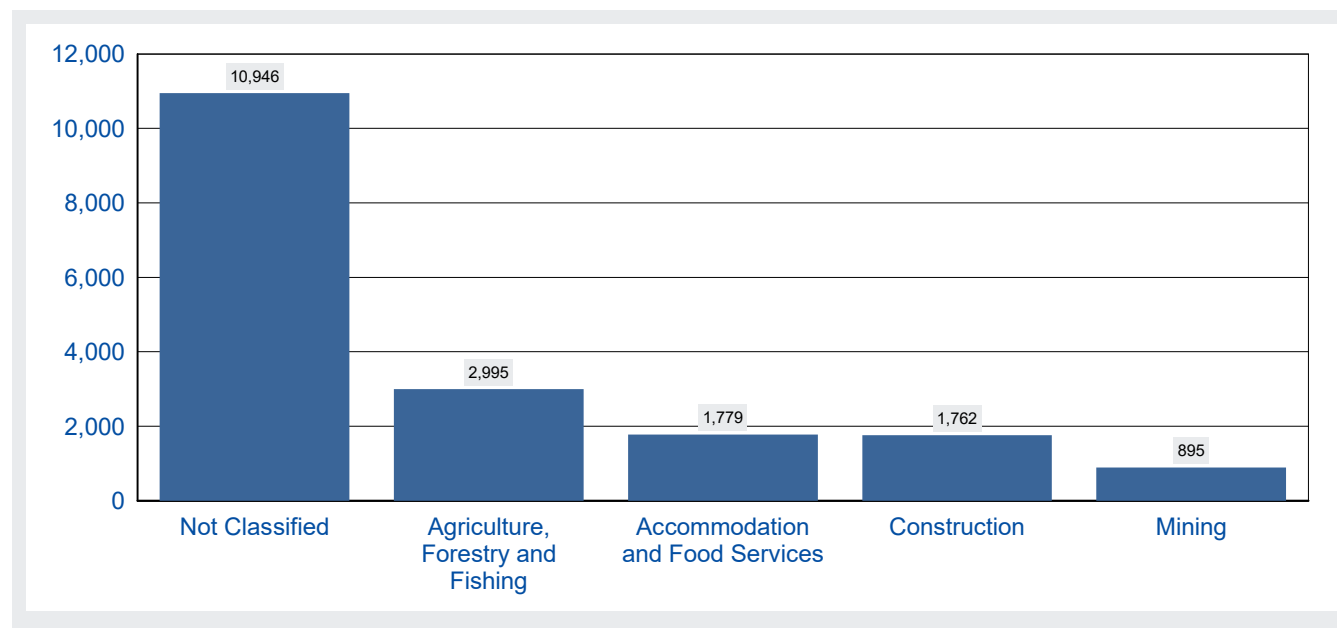
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2 Granted

2.21 Second Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by employer industry

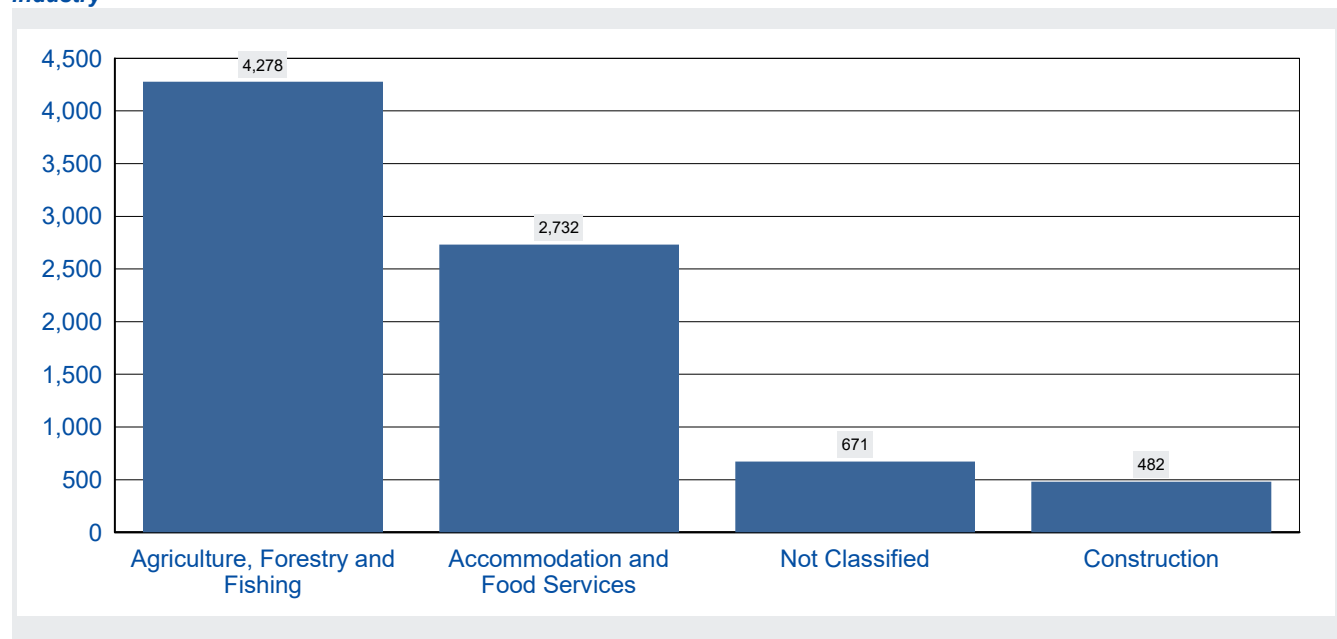


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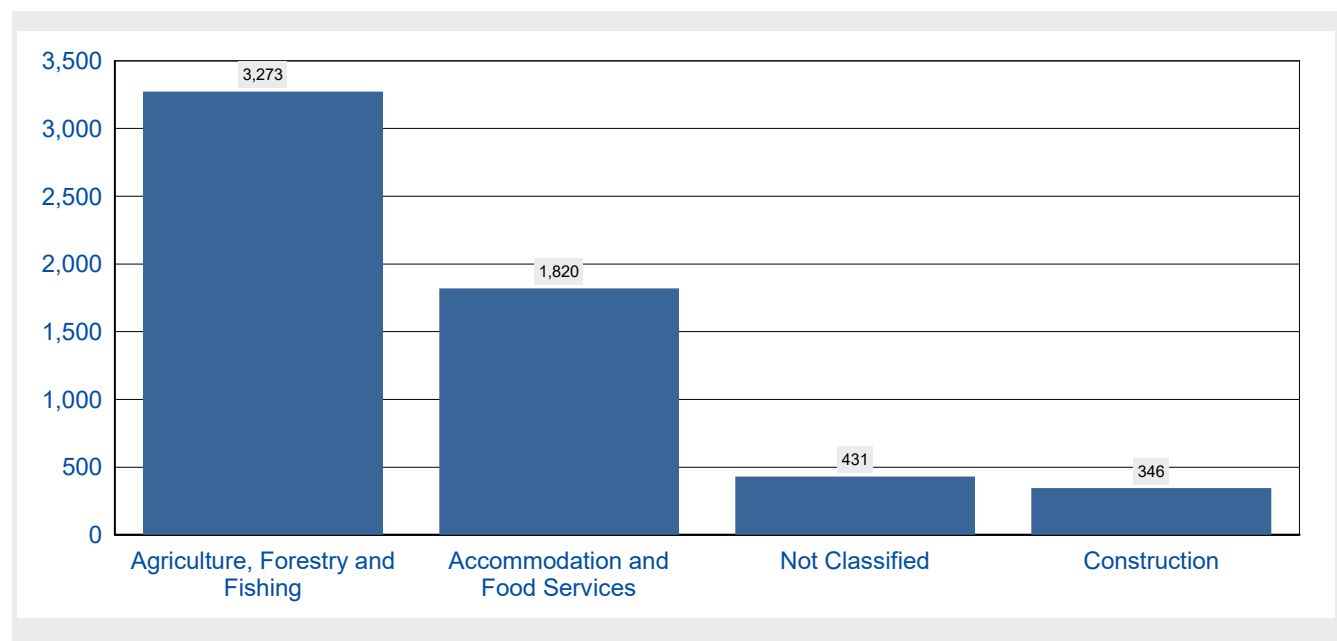


2 Granted

2.23 Second Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by employer industry



2.24 Third Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications granted in 2025-26 to 31 December 2025 by employer industry



3 Grant Rate

For this section, grant rates have been shown.

A grant rate is defined as:

$$\frac{\text{Number of grants}}{\text{Number of decisions}} \times 100$$

where the number of decisions equals the number of grants plus the number of refusals.

3 Grant rate

3.01 Grant rate of Working Holiday Maker visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by visa type and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%	99.4%
Second visa	99.6%	99.7%	99.8%	99.4%	98.1%
Third visa	98.5%	99.6%	99.8%	99.7%	99.1%
Onshore nil VAC visa	87.5%	42.9%	40.0%	0.00%	50.0%
Offshore nil VAC visa	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
All 417 Working Holiday	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%	99.7%	99.0%
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	97.2%	96.7%	97.0%	95.4%	96.4%
Second visa	99.8%	99.9%	99.7%	99.7%	98.8%
Third visa	98.9%	99.8%	100.0%	99.8%	99.5%
Onshore nil VAC visa	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Offshore nil VAC visa	0.00%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
All 462 Work and Holiday	97.9%	98.3%	98.0%	97.5%	97.6%
All Working Holiday Maker	99.4%	99.6%	99.5%	99.2%	98.8%

3 Grant rate

3.02 Grant rate for Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
<i>subclass 417 first visa</i>					
United Kingdom	99.8%	99.7%	99.8%	99.6%	99.2%
France	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%	99.6%
Germany	99.9%	99.9%	100.0%	99.9%	99.8%
Italy	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%	99.7%
South Korea	99.3%	99.9%	99.9%	99.7%	98.7%
Japan	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%	99.4%
Ireland	99.8%	99.8%	99.9%	99.8%	99.2%
Taiwan	99.4%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.1%
Canada	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.5%
Netherlands	99.8%	100.0%	99.9%	99.9%	99.5%
Sweden	99.7%	99.2%	99.9%	99.8%	99.4%
Belgium	99.6%	99.8%	99.6%	99.8%	99.3%
Denmark	99.8%	99.8%	99.7%	99.8%	99.7%
Estonia	100.0%	99.6%	100.0%	99.7%	99.3%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	98.3%	100.0%	99.5%	99.4%	96.3%
Finland	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.3%
Norway	99.2%	99.5%	100.0%	100.0%	99.2%
Malta	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cyprus	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Not Specified	95.1%	96.6%	98.6%	94.4%	85.1%
All subclass 417 first visa	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%	99.4%

3 Grant rate

3.02 Grant rate for Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods (continued)

Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
<i>subclass 417 second visa</i>					
United Kingdom	99.2%	99.5%	99.8%	99.6%	99.3%
France	99.7%	99.7%	99.8%	99.0%	96.6%
Ireland	99.8%	99.6%	99.7%	99.1%	97.4%
Italy	99.9%	99.8%	99.8%	99.7%	99.2%
Taiwan	99.9%	99.9%	99.7%	99.7%	98.0%
South Korea	99.8%	99.8%	99.5%	99.3%	97.8%
Japan	99.8%	99.6%	99.9%	99.1%	96.8%
Germany	99.8%	99.5%	99.7%	99.6%	97.7%
Canada	98.5%	98.7%	99.6%	98.9%	97.9%
Netherlands	99.6%	100.0%	99.7%	99.3%	97.9%
Estonia	99.6%	99.4%	100.0%	99.6%	97.8%
Belgium	99.3%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.9%
Sweden	98.4%	98.1%	99.4%	99.3%	96.7%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.8%
Denmark	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	98.8%	97.4%
Finland	100.0%	100.0%	97.0%	98.5%	98.9%
Norway	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Malta	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cyprus	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Not Specified	92.7%	96.5%	96.2%	92.5%	66.8%
All subclass 417 second visa	99.6%	99.7%	99.8%	99.4%	98.1%

3 Grant rate

3.02 Grant rate for Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods (continued)

Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
<i>subclass 417 third visa</i>					
United Kingdom	97.0%	99.4%	99.8%	99.8%	99.6%
Ireland	99.0%	100.0%	99.6%	99.5%	98.3%
France	99.3%	99.7%	99.5%	99.6%	97.9%
Taiwan	98.9%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	98.2%
Italy	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	99.5%
Japan	100.0%	98.8%	99.6%	100.0%	99.1%
South Korea	98.9%	99.2%	99.7%	99.5%	98.9%
Germany	98.5%	99.3%	99.6%	99.1%	98.6%
Estonia	96.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.2%	97.9%
Canada	93.7%	100.0%	100.0%	99.5%	98.9%
Netherlands	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.2%	100.0%
Belgium	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.8%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	75.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Sweden	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	93.7%
Denmark	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.1%
Finland	83.3%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Norway	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Malta	100.0%	75.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cyprus	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Not Specified	100.0%	84.6%	96.9%	96.4%	74.6%
All subclass 417 third visa	98.5%	99.6%	99.8%	99.7%	99.1%
All 417 Working Holiday	99.7%	99.8%	99.9%	99.7%	99.0%

Note: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

3 Grant rate

3.03 Grant rate for Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods

Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
subclass 462 first visa					
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	92.5%	83.3%	96.0%	96.8%	98.0%
United States of America	99.2%	99.6%	99.6%	99.8%	98.6%
Thailand	99.6%	93.4%	99.3%	97.0%	97.4%
Spain	97.1%	95.1%	97.7%	90.0%	98.7%
Chile	96.1%	98.4%	96.7%	96.3%	95.5%
Argentina	97.1%	98.8%	97.9%	92.6%	93.2%
India	na	na	91.6%	89.6%	92.6%
Vietnam	97.9%	99.5%	97.4%	91.9%	96.2%
Malaysia	92.0%	92.8%	93.9%	97.2%	96.7%
Israel	99.7%	98.8%	98.9%	98.9%	99.6%
Peru	95.6%	97.6%	95.9%	97.1%	96.8%
Portugal	96.1%	91.7%	95.7%	85.8%	97.0%
Brazil	91.6%	94.0%	96.8%	69.5%	95.7%
Austria	83.9%	65.1%	82.6%	79.1%	83.5%
Poland	96.7%	87.3%	95.3%	91.6%	91.2%
Singapore	89.0%	84.1%	83.2%	85.4%	88.7%
Uruguay	95.7%	100.0%	97.4%	87.0%	93.2%
Switzerland	90.7%	61.1%	89.1%	100.0%	89.6%
Czechia	96.4%	92.7%	96.3%	87.0%	89.4%
Indonesia	99.4%	96.7%	98.8%	93.0%	94.5%
Hungary	91.9%	92.5%	93.0%	88.0%	92.8%
Ecuador	100.0%	100.0%	98.0%	00.0%	93.6%
Slovakia	98.1%	100.0%	93.8%	95.9%	94.8%
Not Specified	27.2%	53.3%	61.3%	50.0%	60.0%
Greece	95.0%	100.0%	94.5%	93.3%	88.8%
Luxembourg	69.2%	80.0%	94.7%	100.0%	93.3%
Slovenia	96.7%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mongolia	98.9%	100.0%	0.00%	88.4%	100.0%
San Marino	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Turkiye	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%	98.9%	0.00%
All subclass 462 first visa	97.2%	96.7%	97.0%	95.4%	96.4%

3 Grant rate

3.03 Grant rate for Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods (continued)

Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
subclass 462 second visa					
Indonesia	99.7%	100.0%	99.8%	99.8%	99.5%
Spain	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	99.5%	98.8%
Argentina	100.0%	99.9%	99.7%	99.6%	98.8%
Chile	100.0%	99.8%	99.8%	99.6%	98.8%
Thailand	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	99.6%	99.7%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	100.0%	99.8%	99.8%	99.3%	99.2%
Vietnam	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	98.1%
United States of America	95.8%	98.9%	98.3%	98.7%	96.4%
Peru	100.0%	100.0%	99.7%	100.0%	98.4%
Malaysia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.4%
Brazil	100.0%	96.7%	99.3%	100.0%	98.7%
India	na	na	0.00%	100.0%	97.1%
Portugal	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.1%	98.4%
Israel	100.0%	98.9%	97.6%	98.0%	92.3%
Poland	100.0%	100.0%	97.2%	100.0%	98.5%
Uruguay	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Austria	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	95.0%
Czechia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Ecuador	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Singapore	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hungary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	95.6%
Switzerland	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Turkiye	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mongolia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	76.9%
Slovakia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Greece	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Slovenia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Not Specified	0.00%	33.3%	50.0%	91.6%	66.6%
Luxembourg	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%
All subclass 462 second visa	99.8%	99.9%	99.7%	99.7%	98.8%

3 Grant rate

3.03 Grant rate for Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa applications decided in the 6 month period ending 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with previous four periods (continued)

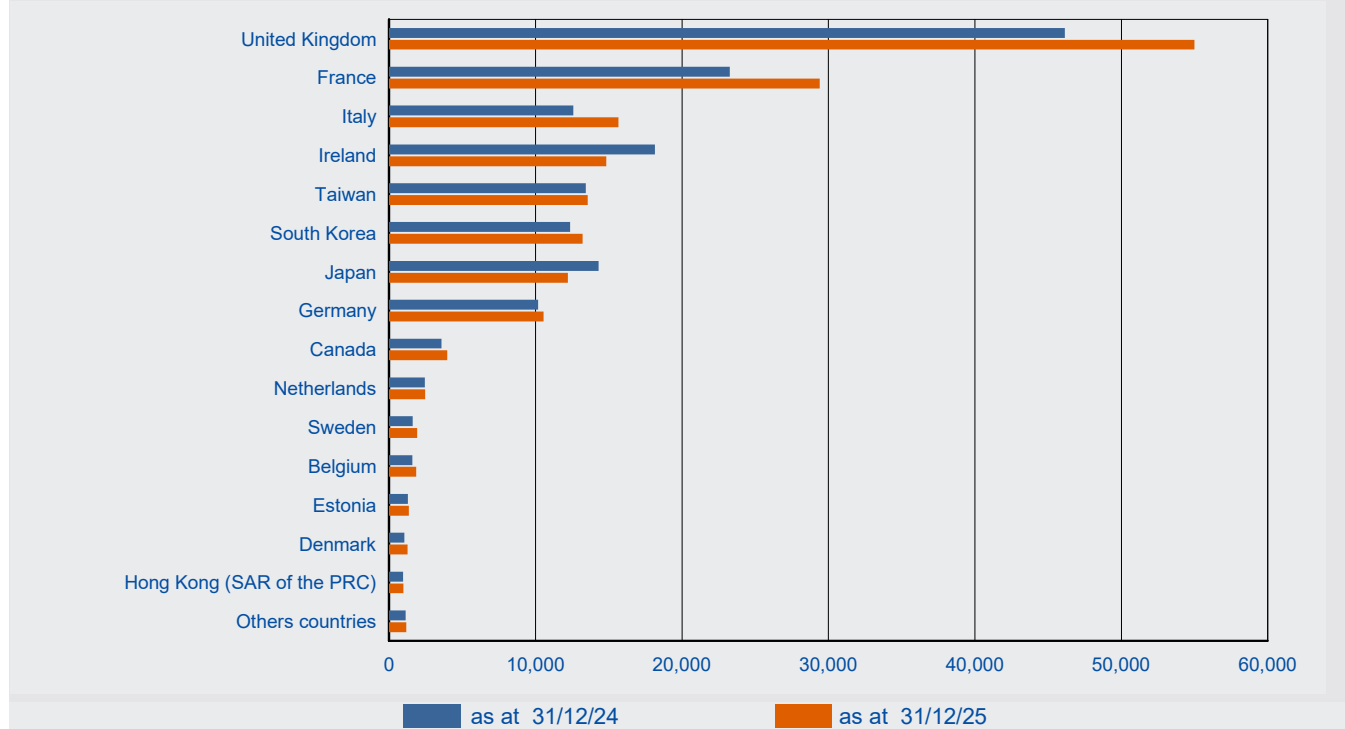
Citizenship Country	01/07/23 to 31/12/23	01/01/24 to 30/06/24	01/07/24 to 31/12/24	01/01/25 to 30/06/25	01/07/25 to 31/12/25
subclass 462 third visa					
Indonesia	97.2%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%	99.8%
Vietnam	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.7%	99.3%
Argentina	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	99.6%
Thailand	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	99.6%
Chile	91.3%	100.0%	100.0%	99.4%	99.4%
China, Peoples Republic of (excl SARs)	100.0%	99.4%	100.0%	100.0%	99.7%
Spain	100.0%	97.1%	100.0%	99.3%	98.5%
Peru	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.4%	99.5%
Malaysia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.1%
United States of America	100.0%	98.0%	100.0%	97.1%	97.0%
Brazil	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	98.7%
Portugal	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	97.6%
Uruguay	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Ecuador	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Israel	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	93.1%
Poland	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mongolia	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Turkiye	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hungary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Switzerland	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Singapore	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Czechia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Austria	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Slovenia	100.0%	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
India	na	na	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%
Slovakia	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Greece	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%
Luxembourg	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%	100.0%	0.00%
Not Specified	0.00%	100.0%	0.00%	0.00%	100.0%
All subclass 462 third visa	98.9%	99.8%	100.0%	99.8%	99.5%
All 462 Work and Holiday	97.9%	98.3%	98.0%	97.5%	97.6%

Note: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

4 Visa Holders in Australia

4 Visa holders in Australia

4.01 Total number of Working Holiday (subclass 417) visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same date in the previous year

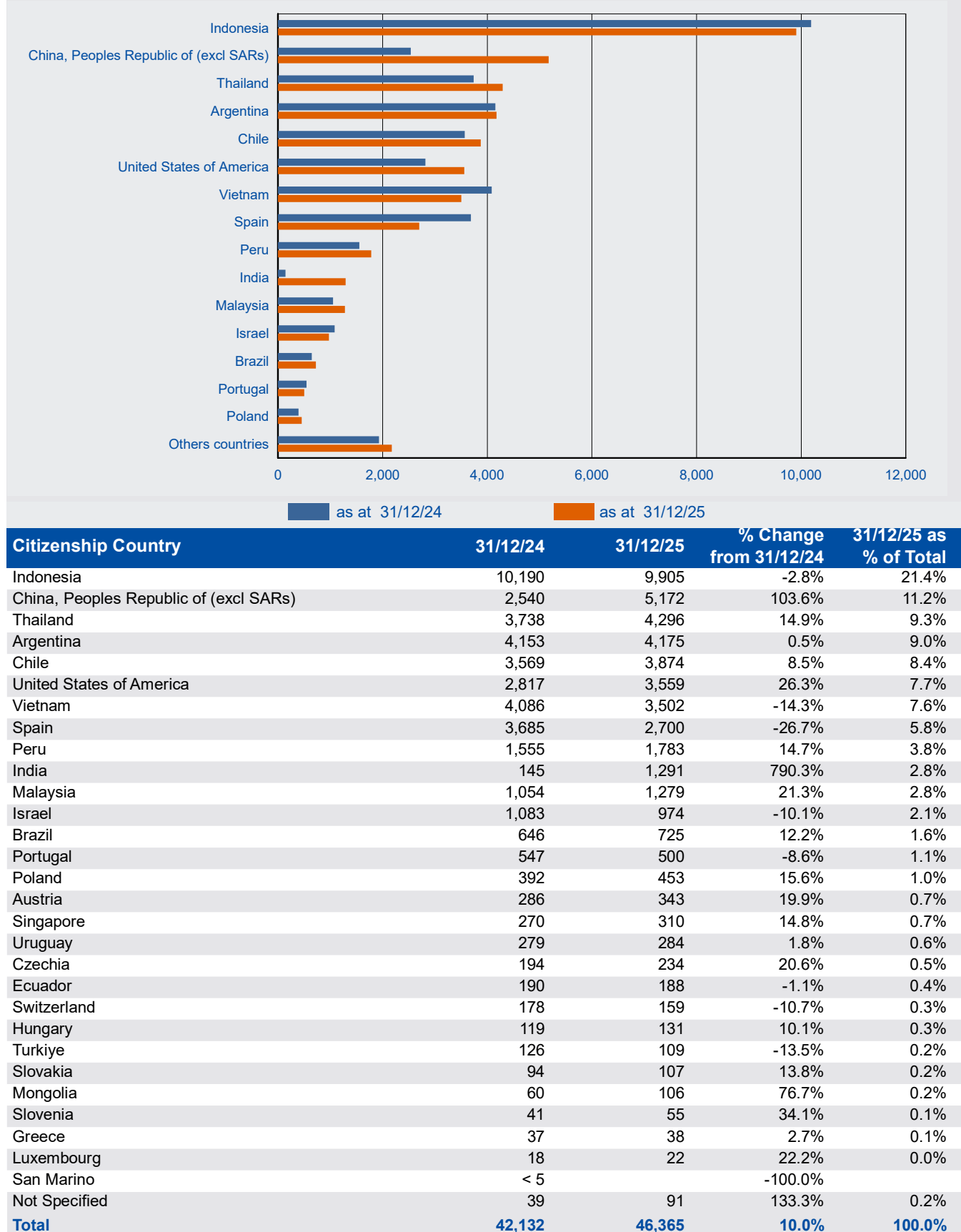


Citizenship Country	31/12/24	31/12/25	% Change from 31/12/24	31/12/25 as % of Total
United Kingdom	46,129	54,989	19.2%	30.7%
France	23,256	29,398	26.4%	16.4%
Italy	12,574	15,654	24.5%	8.7%
Ireland	18,146	14,833	-18.3%	8.3%
Taiwan	13,437	13,558	0.9%	7.6%
South Korea	12,367	13,215	6.9%	7.4%
Japan	14,302	12,220	-14.6%	6.8%
Germany	10,186	10,558	3.7%	5.9%
Canada	3,575	3,964	10.9%	2.2%
Netherlands	2,449	2,470	0.9%	1.4%
Sweden	1,616	1,910	18.2%	1.1%
Belgium	1,595	1,859	16.6%	1.0%
Estonia	1,292	1,354	4.8%	0.8%
Denmark	1,052	1,261	19.9%	0.7%
Hong Kong (SAR of the PRC)	955	975	2.1%	0.5%
Finland	496	534	7.7%	0.3%
Norway	356	336	-5.6%	0.2%
Malta	54	45	-16.7%	0.0%
Cyprus	40	22	-45.0%	0.0%
Not Specified	178	231	29.8%	0.1%
Total	164,055	179,386	9.3%	100.0%

Note: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

4 Visa holders in Australia

4.02 Total number of Work and Holiday (subclass 462) visa holders in Australia as at 31 December 2025 by citizenship country - comparison with the same date in the previous year



Note: Further information on statistical tables presented by citizenship country can be found on page 1 under 'About this report'

4 Visa holders in Australia

4.03 Working Holiday Maker visa holders in Australia at 31 December 2025 by visa type and visa subclass - comparison with previous four periods

Visa Subclass	31/12/23	30/06/24	31/12/24	30/06/25	31/12/25
417 Working Holiday					
First visa	105,107	97,223	105,889	92,107	106,044
Second visa	22,055	30,432	47,282	52,844	47,746
Third visa	2,058	4,342	10,835	19,663	25,594
Onshore nil VAC visa	5,424	2,670	17	5	2
Offshore nil VAC visa	1,858	731	32	1	0
All 417 Working Holiday	136,502	135,398	164,055	164,620	179,386
462 Work and Holiday					
First visa	22,657	21,539	21,114	20,718	20,247
Second visa	7,926	12,480	15,002	15,619	14,006
Third visa	1,661	3,120	6,007	10,013	12,112
Onshore nil VAC visa	1,206	488	3	1	0
Offshore nil VAC visa	485	191	6	0	0
All 462 Work and Holiday	33,935	37,818	42,132	46,351	46,365
All Working Holiday Maker	170,437	173,216	206,187	210,971	225,751