

Senate Community Affairs Committee
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Topic: Family Tax Benefit

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Senator Cash asked:

Could you provide a breakdown of the number of people who receive FTB Part A and FTB Part B who are holders of a temporary visa by number of children and ATI? Please provide the figures for the 2011/2012 financial year and to date.

Answer: This answer relates to special/temporary visa statuses which allow the individual eligible to claim family tax benefit including: spouse/partner (provisional), extended eligibility (spouse/partner), special category (New Zealand), temporary business, skilled, student, prospective marriage, criminal justice and bridging visas.

It is not possible to provide final figures for the 2011-12 financial year until after the claim period ends on 1 July 2014.

At 29 June 2012, there were approximately 2,250 FTB customers with a special/temporary visa status. Their adjusted taxable income and number of FTB children details are included below.

Number of FTB Children	FTB-A Customers	FTB-B Customers	FTB Customers
1	1490	1390	1560
2	460	410	480
3	150	130	160
4	50	40	50
5 or more	20	20	20
Total	2160	1990	2250

Adjusted Taxable Income (\$)	FTB-A Customers	FTB-B Customers	FTB Customers
\$0 to less than \$20,000	380	380	380
\$20,000 to less than \$40,000	560	550	560
\$40,000 to less than \$60,000	550	520	550
\$60,000 to less than \$80,000	350	270	350
\$80,000 to less than \$100,000	270	160	270
\$100,000 to less than \$150,000	40	110	130
Over \$150,000	0	0	0
Total	2160	1990	2250

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At 28 September 2012, there were approximately 2,130 FTB customers with a special/temporary visa status. Their adjusted taxable income and number of FTB children details are included below.

Number of FTB Children	FTB-A Customers	FTB-B Customers	FTB Customers
1	1390	1310	1460
2	430	380	450
3	140	130	150
4	40	40	40
5 or more	20	20	20
Total	2020	1880	2130

Adjusted Taxable Income (\$)	FTB-A Customers	FTB-B Customers	FTB Customers
\$0 to less than \$20,000	330	330	330
\$20,000 to less than \$40,000	510	500	510
\$40,000 to less than \$60,000	520	500	520
\$60,000 to less than \$80,000	350	280	350
\$80,000 to less than \$100,000	260	150	260
\$100,000 to less than \$150,000	50	110	150
Over \$150,000	0	0	0
Total	2020	1880	2130

Notes:

The adjusted taxable income presented is the combined estimated income of the customer and their partner.

Numbers have been rounded. Totals may not equal the sum of each row due to rounding.