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Explanatory notes:

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

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Definition of Terms:

ANZSCO Major Group:	Major Group is the highest level in the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) 1st Edition produced by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS).
ANZSIC:	Australian and New Zealand Standard Industry Classification 2006 Edition produced by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS). Prior to November 2008, ANZSIC 1993 was used to record industry. Data recorded using ANZSIC 1993 has been converted to ANZSIC 2006 using concordance tables provided by the ABS.
Applicant Type:	<p>Under the Migration Regulations 1994 (the Regulations), there are two types of applicants. These are primary applicants and secondary applicants. These terms are defined below.</p> <p>If the table or graph heading includes the word 'primary', such as 'primary applications' or 'primary visa holders', dependants (secondary applicants) are not included.</p>
Independent Executive:	Formerly, a group within subclass 457 who did not require a sponsor. They are now included in the Business Skills categories. A small number of visa applications for Independent Executives were finalised in the current year.
Last Visa Held:	This refers to the last substantive visa held by a visa holder (that is, the last visa other than a bridging visa) prior to a point in time. The last visa held may have expired or still be in effect.
Nominated Base Salary:	Represents the gross annual salary based on a 38 hour week that the employer has indicated they will pay to the primary visa holder. These amounts do not include the value of salary packaged items, bonuses, commissions or other payments listed in the schedule to the legislative instrument specifying Minimum Salary Levels for the Subclass 457 program.
Nominated Occupation:	The occupation of the nominated position that the primary visa holder will be filling in Australia while holding the Subclass 457 visa based on the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) 1st Edition.
Nominated Position Location:	The State or Territory where the visa holder will be working. This may be different from the business address of the sponsor and/or the visa processing office.
Nominated Total Remuneration:	The total value of the salary package including base salary, allowances, bonuses and superannuation.
Pathway:	A visa holder moving from one type of visa to another type of visa. Most commonly used in relation to visa applicants moving from a temporary visa to a permanent/provisional visa. The original visa is determined by the last visa held prior to permanent/provisional visa grant and the visa applicant may be onshore or offshore.
Permanent/provisional visa:	A visa subclass which is countable for the purposes of the migration program.
Primary Applicant:	The primary applicant is the person who must satisfy the primary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Migration Regulations.
Primary Application:	An application lodged by a primary applicant.
Secondary Applicant:	Secondary applicants must satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a visa under the Regulations. In this case, a secondary applicant is generally a dependant of the primary applicant.
Secondary Application:	A visa application lodged by a secondary applicant.
Sponsor Industry:	The industry self-identified by the sponsoring client using the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industry Classification (ANZSIC) 2006 edition.

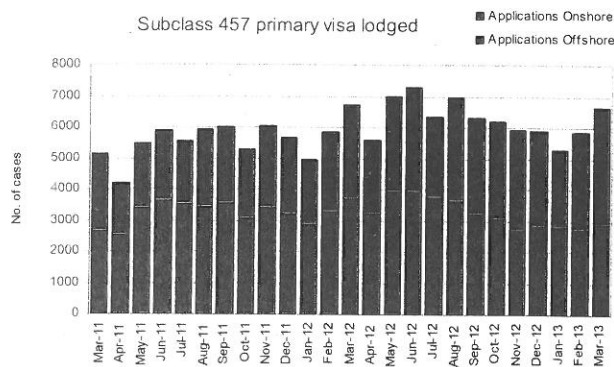
Trends in the subclass 457 Temporary Work (Skilled) visa program in the 2012-13 program year¹ to 31 March 2013

Key points

- The number of subclass 457 primary visa applications lodged in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 was 7.0 per cent higher than the same period last program year.
- The number of onshore primary visa lodgements in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 increased 27.4 per cent compared with the same period last program year.
- The number of subclass 457 primary visas granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 was 1.7 per cent higher than the same period last program year.
- However, there has been a general downtrend in visa grants since the peak in August 2012. This downward grant trend continued in March 2013.
- The number of primary visa holders, while 19.2 per cent higher than March 2012, decreased by 1.8 per cent in March 2013 as compared to February 2013.

Visa application trends

The number of subclass 457 primary visa applications lodged in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 was 7.0 per cent higher than the same period last program year. Compared with the previous month, the number of primary applications lodged in March 2013 was 12.5 per cent higher.



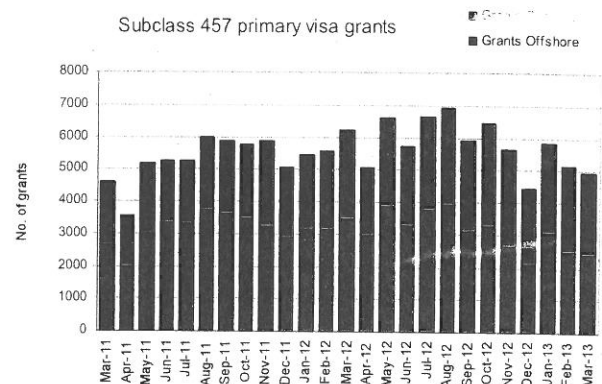
In 2012-13 to 31 March 2013, primary applications lodged offshore were 8.0 per cent lower compared to the same period last program year. The number of primary applications offshore for March 2013 was 5.8 per cent higher compared with February 2013.

The number of onshore primary applications in the 2012-13 program year to 31 March 2013 was 27.4 per cent higher than the same period in the last program year. Primary applications lodged onshore for March 2013 were 18.3 per cent higher than in February 2013.

The number of ANZSCO Major Group 3 (Technicians and Trades Workers) primary applications was 16.1 per cent higher in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013, compared with the same period last program year. During the same period, the number of ANZSCO Major Group 1 (Managers) primary applications increased by 37.5 per cent while Major Group 2 (Professionals) primary applications decreased by 8.2 per cent.

Visa grant trends²

The number of subclass 457 primary visas granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 was 1.7 per cent higher than the same period last program year. However, there has been a general downward trend in visa grants since the peak in August 2012. Compared with the previous month, the number of primary visas granted in March 2013 was 3.5 per cent lower.



In 2012-13 to 31 March 2013, offshore primary visa grants were 10.4 per cent lower compared with the same period last program year. The number of offshore primary visas granted in March 2013 was 3.6 per cent lower than in February 2013.

In 2012-13 to 31 March 2013, onshore primary visa grants were 18.7 per cent higher than the same period last program year. The number of onshore primary visas granted in March 2013 was 3.4 per cent lower than in February 2013.

In 2012-13 to 31 March 2013, 66.0 per cent of primary visa grants were to Managers and Professionals and 26.7 per cent were to Technicians and Trades Workers.³

² The rate at which visa applications are processed is subject to a number of variables including: the number of working days in a month, the number of public holidays and the occurrence of school holidays.

³ The Department of Immigration and Citizenship replaced the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations (ASCO) with the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) from 1 July 2010. This will affect comparisons between the earlier period and the subsequent program years.

¹ Program year corresponds to financial year.

The majority of primary subclass 457 visa grants in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 were for positions in New South Wales (34.2 per cent), Western Australia (22.0 per cent) and Victoria (21.1 per cent). These states were also the top three nominated locations for primary subclass 457 visa grants in the previous program year.

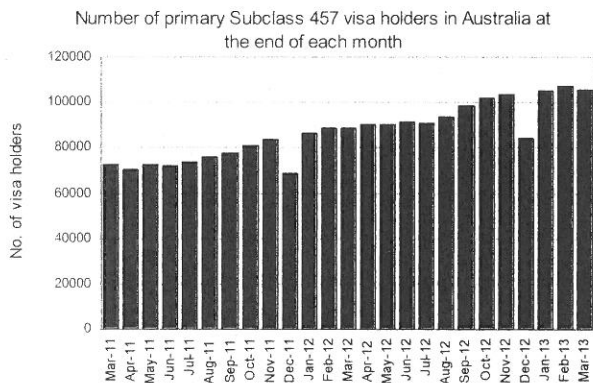
The top three industries for primary visa grants in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 were Other Services (11.8 per cent), Construction (11.8 per cent) and Health Care and Social Assistance (11.6 per cent).

Primary subclass 457 visa grants to Cooks represented 4.2 per cent of total primary grants in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 compared to 2.1 per cent for the same period in the previous year. Cooks were the number one ranked occupation for primary visa grants. Primary visa grants to Program or Project Administrators were ranked second and registered 3.3 per cent of total primary visa grants. They were followed by primary grants to Developer Programmers which registered 2.6 per cent of total primary visa grants.

The top three citizenship countries for primary visa grants in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 were India (20.3 per cent), the United Kingdom (20.0 per cent) and the Republic of Ireland (9.9 per cent).

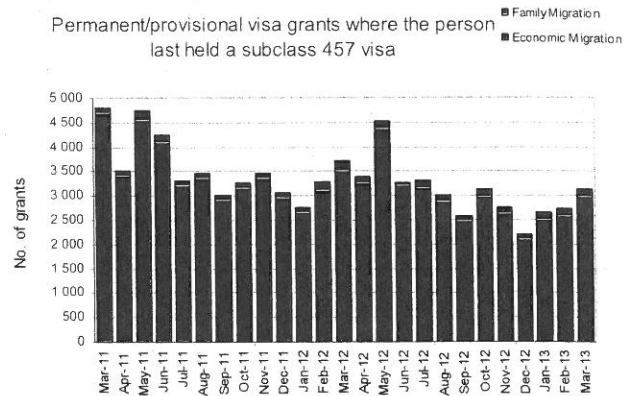
Number of primary subclass 457 visa holders in Australia

The number of primary visa holders in Australia on 31 March 2013 was 105 600. This reflected an increase of 19.2 per cent compared with the same date in the previous program year. Compared with 28 February 2013, the number of subclass 457 primary visa holders in Australia decreased by 1.8 per cent.



Flow of subclass 457 visa holders to permanent residence

To end March 2012-13, the number of subclass 457 visa holders granted a permanent residence/provisional visa was down 13.4 per cent compared with the same period last program year.



Compared with the previous month, the number of subclass 457 visa holders who were granted a permanent residence/provisional visa in March 2013 was 15.8 per cent higher.

Number of permanent / provisional visa grants in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 where the previous visa held was a subclass 457 visa

Permanent Visa	Grants to subclass 457 holders	% of total
ENS	12 500	49.2%
RSMS	5 040	19.8%
LA	1 000	3.9%
Skilled Independent	4 160	16.4%
Other skilled	1 340	5.3%
Sub-total Skilled stream	24 030	94.6%
Partner	1 230	4.8%
Other family	150	0.6%
Sub-total Family stream	1 380	5.4%
Total	25 410	100.0%

The majority (94.6 per cent) of permanent visa grants to subclass 457 visa holders in March 2013 were in the Skilled stream and 5.4 per cent were in the Family stream.

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Table 1.01 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

	2011-12 Applications Lodged	2012-13 to 31/03/13 Applications Lodged	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	910	740	-19.2%	1.3%
New South Wales	16 810	18 990	13.0%	34.1%
Northern Territory	750	720	-3.9%	1.3%
Queensland	8 560	9 010	5.2%	16.2%
South Australia	1 350	1 660	22.6%	3.0%
Tasmania	220	320	46.4%	0.6%
Victoria	10 540	11 690	10.9%	21.0%
Western Australia	12 480	11 890	-4.7%	21.4%
Not Recorded	370	620	69.6%	1.1%
Total	51 980	55 630	7.0%	100.0%

Table 1.02 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry

	2012-13 Applications Lodged	2011-12 to 31/03/12 Applications Lodged	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	3 010	5 990	99.4%	5.8%
Administrative and Support Services	250	230	-6.0%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	770	1 300	68.7%	2.3%
Arts and Recreation Services	640	560	-12.1%	1.0%
Construction	6 880	6 410	-6.8%	11.5%
Education and Training	2 490	2 600	4.5%	4.7%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	800	950	19.0%	1.7%
Financial and Insurance Services	1 750	1 710	-2.2%	3.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	6 150	5 860	-4.7%	10.5%
Information Media and Telecommunications	5 670	5 090	-10.1%	9.2%
Manufacturing	3 230	3 070	-5.0%	5.5%
Mining	4 850	3 780	-22.1%	6.8%
Other Services	6 240	6 720	7.7%	12.1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	3 370	4 290	27.3%	7.7%
Public Administration and Safety	360	380	4.1%	0.7%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1 290	350	-72.6%	0.6%
Retail Trade	1 640	2 870	74.8%	5.2%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	650	860	31.8%	1.5%
Wholesale Trade	990	1 370	38.0%	2.5%
Not Recorded	960	1 230	28.7%	2.2%
Total	51 980	55 630	7.0%	100.0%

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Table 1.03 Number of primary applications lodged in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated occupation

	2012-13 31/03/13	2012-13 31/03/12	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	7 370	10 130	37.5%	18.2%
2 Professionals	28 130	25 810	-8.2%	46.4%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	12 810	14 860	16.1%	26.7%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	510	730	43.8%	1.3%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	1 930	2 210	14.7%	4.0%
6 Sales Workers	50	220	367.4%	0.4%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	350	360	4.9%	0.7%
8 Labourers	400	120	-71.0%	0.2%
Not Recorded	450	1 190	166.5%	2.1%
Total	51 980	55 630	7.0%	100.0%

Table 1.04 Number of applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated position location and applicant type

	Primary Applications	% of Primary Applications	Secondary Applications	% of Secondary Applications	Total Applications	Total as % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	670	1.3%	590	1.3%	1 260	1.3%
New South Wales	17 730	34.2%	14 260	32.5%	31 980	33.4%
Northern Territory	680	1.3%	490	1.1%	1 170	1.2%
Queensland	8 540	16.5%	7 940	18.1%	16 470	17.2%
South Australia	1 500	2.9%	1 420	3.2%	2 920	3.0%
Tasmania	300	0.6%	210	0.5%	510	0.5%
Victoria	10 920	21.1%	9 090	20.7%	20 010	20.9%
Western Australia	11 420	22.0%	9 440	21.5%	20 860	21.8%
Not Recorded	70	0.1%	470	1.1%	540	0.6%
Total	51 800	100.0%	43 900	100.0%	95 700	100.0%

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Table 1.05 Top 15 Citizenship countries for applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by applicant type

	Primary Applications	% of Primary Applications	Secondary Applications	% of Secondary Applications	Total Applications	% of Total Applications
India	10 530	20.3%	9 550	21.8%	20 080	21.0%
United Kingdom	10 380	20.0%	8 520	19.4%	18 900	19.8%
Ireland, Republic of	5 140	9.9%	2 840	6.5%	7 970	8.3%
Philippines	3 260	6.3%	2 870	6.5%	6 130	6.4%
United States of America	3 050	5.9%	2 250	5.1%	5 300	5.5%
China, Peoples Republic of	2 690	5.2%	2 090	4.8%	4 780	5.0%
South Africa	840	1.6%	1 500	3.4%	2 340	2.4%
Korea, South	1 010	2.0%	1 030	2.3%	2 040	2.1%
Canada	1 260	2.4%	760	1.7%	2 010	2.1%
France	1 040	2.0%	810	1.8%	1 850	1.9%
Germany, Fed Republic of	990	1.9%	540	1.2%	1 520	1.6%
Nepal	700	1.3%	600	1.4%	1 300	1.4%
Italy	810	1.6%	470	1.1%	1 280	1.3%
Japan	640	1.2%	620	1.4%	1 260	1.3%
Malaysia	760	1.5%	470	1.1%	1 230	1.3%
Other countries	8 710	16.8%	8 990	20.5%	17 700	18.5%
Total	51 800	100.0%	43 900	100.0%	95 700	100.0%

Table 1.06 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by government sector and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Australian Government	30	40	0	10	10	0	30	10	0	140
State/Territory Govt	90	1 010	120	480	250	60	770	520	0	3 300
Local Government	0	10	0	20	0	0	10	30	0	70
Non-government	550	16 670	550	8 020	1 230	240	10 110	10 860	70	48 300
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800
Govt % of Total	17.9%	6.0%	18.5%	6.0%	17.5%	20.3%	7.4%	4.9%	0.0%	6.8%

Table 1.07 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

	2012-13	2012-13 % of Total	2012-13 % of Total
Australian Capital Territory	900	670	-26.3%
New South Wales	16 830	17 730	5.3%
Northern Territory	740	680	-8.0%
Queensland	8 460	8 540	0.9%
South Australia	1 340	1 500	11.3%
Tasmania	220	300	33.5%
Victoria	10 260	10 920	6.5%
Western Australia	11 990	11 420	-4.8%
Not Recorded	220	70	-68.2%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%

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Table 1.08 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

	ACT	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Other	Total	
Accommodation and Food Services	\$55 400	\$55 700	\$55 100	\$54 500	\$53 700	\$54 200	\$54 500	\$55 300	< 5	\$55 000
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$77 100	< 5	\$76 500	< 5		\$60 600	\$88 200		\$76 800
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	\$58 000	\$63 300	\$56 800	\$62 200	\$66 800	\$73 700	\$63 900	< 5	\$69 800
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	\$98 500	\$57 800	\$63 800	\$85 500	< 5	\$75 700	\$59 800		\$85 800
Construction	\$60 000	\$74 800	\$83 600	\$101 500	\$62 600	< 5	\$69 600	\$98 000	\$102 500	\$90 000
Education and Training	\$84 600	\$79 100	\$76 900	\$77 300	\$80 900	\$88 600	\$75 900	\$81 400		\$78 700
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services		\$77 800	\$75 200	\$128 500	\$77 500	\$71 900	\$82 900	\$89 800	< 5	\$95 100
Financial and Insurance Services	\$102 200	\$107 800	\$71 500	\$93 000	\$82 600	\$57 200	\$90 700	\$98 300		\$101 800
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$74 600	\$76 600	\$79 600	\$83 000	\$80 400	\$90 900	\$78 100	\$85 500		\$79 800
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$82 300	\$81 200	\$57 400	\$76 600	\$82 800	\$67 600	\$78 900	\$75 900	< 5	
Manufacturing	< 5	\$92 900	\$54 200	\$69 600	\$66 900	\$80 100	\$79 900	\$68 400	\$116 700	\$77 100
Mining		\$104 900	\$100 100	\$118 300	\$123 600	\$116 200	\$139 700	\$119 000	\$89 700	\$118 700
Other Services	\$75 800	\$76 400	\$90 400	\$70 200	\$74 300	\$76 700	\$70 800	\$97 600	\$64 700	\$79 200
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$94 000	\$82 600	\$106 100	\$103 500	\$88 700	\$126 900	\$77 500	\$98 200	< 5	\$85 300
Public Administration and Safety	\$103 400	\$83 800	\$78 700	\$84 200	\$102 600	\$106 700	\$83 600	\$91 300		\$86 100
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$74 700	< 5	\$69 100	\$109 900		\$72 100	\$56 700	< 5	\$71 400
Retail Trade	\$56 200	\$73 800	\$55 500	\$58 300	\$59 600	< 5	\$79 000	\$57 200	< 5	\$69 000
Transport Postal and Warehousing	\$96 300	\$87 600	\$70 400	\$85 100	\$80 100		\$81 300	\$75 400	< 5	\$82 700
Wholesale Trade	< 5	\$86 100	\$67 900	\$107 100	\$62 100	< 5	\$84 400	\$94 000		\$88 800
Not Recorded	\$117 400	\$103 600	< 5	\$110 800	\$1007 800	\$83 500	\$90 300	\$119 900	\$102 200	\$128 200
Total	\$77 100	\$79 200	\$77 600	\$85 200	\$90 500	\$82 800	\$75 400	\$93 400	\$315 800	\$83 000

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Table 1.09 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Other	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	\$56 900	\$56 700	\$55 600	\$55 100	\$55 100	\$54 200	\$54 800	\$56 500	< 5	\$55 800
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	\$78 500	< 5	\$78 100	< 5		\$63 100	\$88 500		\$77 900
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	\$59 800	\$63 300	\$57 300	\$65 700	\$67 900	\$77 700	\$66 100		\$61 900
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	\$99 800	\$57 800	\$65 400	\$85 800	< 5	\$77 600	\$61 200		\$87 200
Construction	\$61 900	\$78 900	\$96 200	\$119 700	\$64 600	< 5	\$72 700	\$114 900	\$122 200	\$102 600
Education and Training	\$90 100	\$81 500	\$77 200	\$82 400	\$83 400	\$91 100	\$77 500	\$87 900		\$82 000
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services		\$82 500	\$70 800	\$147 400	\$102 800	\$100 300	\$94 700	\$93 000	< 5	\$104 500
Financial and Insurance Services	\$103 400	\$119 700	\$71 500	\$102 200	\$99 300	\$57 200	\$103 200	\$114 400		\$114 000
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$78 700	\$78 500	\$80 500	\$88 700	\$81 000	\$93 700	\$80 800	\$87 400		\$82 500
Information Media and Telecommunications	\$95 500	\$86 800	\$59 800	\$82 100	\$90 100	\$83 400	\$84 800	\$79 200	< 5	\$85 600
Manufacturing	< 5	\$104 600	\$55 600	\$74 400	\$72 100	\$95 600	\$105 400	\$72 400	< 5	\$88 400
Mining		\$113 000	\$115 500	\$133 900	\$134 300	\$120 100	\$186 000	\$141 400	\$107 600	
Other Services	\$83 800	\$81 100	\$92 400	\$77 900	\$81 400	\$93 800	\$79 400	\$105 900	\$72 100	\$88 100
Professional, Scientific and Technical	\$96 400	\$88 100	\$106 100	\$108 400	\$98 600	\$126 900	\$83 100	\$100 200	< 5	\$90 300
Public Administration and Safety	\$116 700	\$86 200	\$83 800	\$94 000	\$116 700	\$117 500	\$87 900	\$118 600		\$95 000
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	\$77 200	< 5	\$70 600	\$109 900		\$73 900	\$57 300	< 5	\$73 400
Retail Trade	\$57 000	\$77 200	\$56 300	\$59 500	\$61 700	< 5	\$81 800	\$58 300	< 5	\$71 400
Transport Postal and Warehousing	\$96 600	\$96 400	\$71 400	\$89 400	\$90 900		\$88 100	\$84 500		\$90 000
Wholesale Trade	< 5	\$95 700	\$81 600	\$116 400	\$64 400	< 5	\$91 100	\$102 300		\$97 100
Not Recorded	< 5	\$85 100		\$186 400		< 5	\$81 300	\$78 400	< 5	\$105 800
Total	\$81 800	\$83 600	\$83 500	\$93 500	\$82 300	\$88 100	\$81 800	\$103 800	\$105 200	\$89 300

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Table 1.10 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry

Accommodation and Food Services	2 570	4 850	89.1%	9.4%
Administrative and Support Services	240	220	-5.9%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	710	1 110	56.5%	2.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	670	490	-26.3%	0.9%
Construction	6 900	6 090	-11.7%	11.8%
Education and Training	2 560	2 560	0.2%	4.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	800	900	12.4%	1.7%
Financial and Insurance Services	1 870	1 680	-10.1%	3.2%
Health Care and Social Assistance	6 270	6 010	-4.2%	11.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	5 750	4 960	-13.8%	9.6%
Manufacturing	3 010	2 980	-1.0%	5.7%
Mining	4 690	3 760	-19.9%	7.2%
Other Services	5 780	6 140	6.3%	11.8%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	3 420	4 280	25.2%	8.3%
Public Administration and Safety	360	370	3.3%	0.7%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1 380	320	-77.1%	0.6%
Retail Trade	1 530	2 290	49.9%	4.4%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	650	770	19.0%	1.5%
Wholesale Trade	950	1 180	24.6%	2.3%
Not Recorded	870	840	-4.2%	1.6%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%	100.0%

Table 1.11 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

Accommodation and Food Services	60	1 800	50	970	70	10	1 310	580	< 5	4 850
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	100	< 5	20	< 5	0	50	60	0	220
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	270	10	490	50	50	110	140	< 5	1 110
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	260	10	60	30	< 5	110	30	0	490
Construction	50	1 210	160	1 420	160	< 5	570	2 510	10	6 090
Education and Training	170	770	20	480	150	30	680	270	0	2 560
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	160	10	210	30	10	110	370	< 5	900
Financial and Insurance Services	10	1 010	10	110	20	10	340	190	0	1 680
Health Care and Social Assistance	120	2 110	40	1 010	390	80	1 340	910	0	6 010
Information Media and Telecommunications	30	3 050	10	240	20	10	1 280	310	< 5	4 960
Manufacturing	< 5	720	70	450	140	10	730	860	10	2 980
Mining	0	180	70	980	120	20	140	2 260	10	3 760
Other Services	100	2 410	50	740	100	10	1 350	1 370	10	6 140
Professional, Scientific and Technical	40	1 610	20	430	50	10	1 550	580	< 5	4 280
Public Administration and Safety	30	50	120	30	20	10	70	50	0	370
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	140	< 5	60	10	0	50	50	< 5	320
Retail Trade	30	910	30	360	40	< 5	530	390	< 5	2 290
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	220	10	150	20	0	200	160	< 5	770
Wholesale Trade	< 5	490	10	190	60	< 5	290	140	0	1 180
Not Recorded	10	260	< 5	150	20	40	130	210	20	840
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800

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Table 1.12 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation

	2011-12 Number	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	7 230	8 530	18.0%	16.5%
2 Professionals	28 710	25 650	-10.6%	49.5%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	11 810	13 850	17.3%	26.7%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	450	610	34.4%	1.2%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	1 820	2 020	10.7%	3.9%
6 Sales Workers	40	170	312.5%	0.3%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	320	350	7.8%	0.7%
8 Labourers	360	80	-77.2%	0.2%
Not Recorded	210	550	156.5%	1.1%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%	100.0%

Table 1.13 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	90	3 410	70	1 520	180	40	1 620	1 590	10	8 530
2 Professionals	440	9 980	280	3 640	780	190	6 010	4 320	20	25 650
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	110	3 020	290	2 420	380	60	2 820	4 740	20	13 850
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	210	20	80	20	0	150	130	< 5	610
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	10	940	20	290	40	< 5	290	420	< 5	2 020
6 Sales Workers	< 5	60	< 5	30	< 5	0	20	50	0	170
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	10	10	170	10	0	30	120	0	350
8 Labourers	0	10	0	30	10	0	0	40	0	80
Not Recorded	0	90	0	350	80	< 5	< 5	10	20	550
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800

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Table 1.14 Average nominated base salary for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	\$86 800	\$104 900	\$95 400	\$111 100	\$104 800	\$86 900	\$102 500	\$128 900	\$117 900	\$109 700
2 Professionals	\$81 300	\$78 900	\$88 700	\$89 600	\$84 100	\$83 800	\$77 400	\$102 300	\$376 800	\$84 600
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$57 100	\$58 900	\$64 500	\$68 400	\$108 300	\$77 400	\$57 300	\$75 600	\$396 800	\$67 900
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	\$56 300	\$63 900	\$54 700	\$58 700	\$82 500		\$62 500	\$57 500		\$61 600
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	\$55 000	\$60 900	\$59 200	\$80 800	\$65 600	< 5	\$63 600	\$87 200		\$69 800
6 Sales Workers	< 5	\$67 500	< 5	\$53 800	< 5		\$74 300	\$54 400		\$60 600
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$78 200	\$81 800	\$97 700	\$129 400		\$81 200	\$101 200		\$96 900
8 Labourers		\$50 900		\$57 700	\$51 000			\$56 900		\$56 900
Not Recorded		\$51 000		\$51 700	\$51 200	< 5	< 5	\$50 600		\$51 500
Total	\$77 100	\$79 200	\$77 600	\$85 200	\$90 500	\$82 800	\$75 400	\$93 400	\$315 800	\$83 000

Table 1.15 Average nominated total remuneration for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
1 Managers	\$92 800	\$112 600	\$104 900	\$124 700	\$114 900	\$91 600	\$114 600	\$150 600	\$129 100	\$121 800
2 Professionals	\$86 600	\$83 600	\$97 600	\$99 200	\$87 800	\$88 400	\$83 900	\$115 600	\$115 600	\$91 600
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	\$59 100	\$60 300	\$67 700	\$72 700	\$62 700	\$80 700	\$60 600	\$80 300	\$72 400	\$69 700
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	\$58 700	\$65 100	\$55 200	\$60 100	\$83 900		\$64 400	\$61 000		\$63 500
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	\$56 800	\$61 900	\$61 500	\$89 700	\$69 600	< 5	\$67 600	\$98 600		\$74 400
6 Sales Workers	< 5	\$68 800	< 5	\$54 500	< 5		\$74 600	\$54 600		\$61 200
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers		\$78 300	\$81 800	\$101 900	\$138 500		\$107 700	\$115 500		\$106 500
8 Labourers		\$50 900		\$58 400	\$51 000			\$58 500		\$57 100
Not Recorded		\$51 300		\$51 700	\$51 200	< 5	< 5	\$53 700		\$51 600
Total	\$81 800	\$83 600	\$83 500	\$93 500	\$82 300	\$88 100	\$81 800	\$103 800	\$105 200	\$89 300

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Table 1.16 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by skill level of the nominated occupation

	2011-12 1/03/12	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Skill Level 1	34 740	31 260	-10.0%	60.3%
Skill Level 2	7 440	9 520	28.0%	18.4%
Skill Level 3	7 860	9 980	27.0%	19.3%
Skill Level 4	440	480	8.2%	0.9%
Skill Level 5	270	20	-92.1%	0.0%
Not Recorded	210	550	156.5%	1.1%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%	100.0%

Table 1.17 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by skill level of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

Nominated Occupation Skill Level	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec	Total
Skill Level 1	490	12 070	320	4 600	920	230	7 110	5 500	30	31 260
Skill Level 2	90	3 230	120	1 700	190	50	1 600	2 530	10	9 520
Skill Level 3	80	2 300	230	1 680	300	20	2 180	3 190	10	9 980
Skill Level 4	< 5	30	10	210	10	0	40	170	0	480
Skill Level 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	20
Not Recorded	0	90	0	350	80	< 5	< 5	10	20	550
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800

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Table 1.18 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013

	2011-12 No. of Applications	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change on 2011/12	2012-13 to 31/03/13 of Total
351411 Cook	1 070	2 160	101.6%	4.2%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	1 620	1 700	4.9%	3.3%
261312 Developer Programmer	1 550	1 320	-14.6%	2.6%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	450	1 300	189.1%	2.5%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	1 130	1 230	8.5%	2.4%
225113 Marketing Specialist	1 100	1 180	7.5%	2.3%
242111 University Lecturer	1 190	1 140	-4.1%	2.2%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	1 250	970	-22.9%	1.9%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	890	950	6.2%	1.8%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	740	940	27.6%	1.8%
221111 Accountant (General)	750	910	21.7%	1.8%
224711 Management Consultant	1 210	900	-25.9%	1.7%
149212 Customer Service Manager	270	880	225.6%	1.7%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	1 140	840	-26.0%	1.6%
351311 Chef	600	800	32.1%	1.5%
Other Occupations	35 990	34 600	-3.9%	66.8%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%	100.0%

Table 1.19 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No. Spec.	Total
351411 Cook	20	710	10	470	30	10	740	170	< 5	2 160
511112 Program or Project Administrator	10	850	10	240	40	< 5	240	310	< 5	1 700
261312 Developer Programmer	10	760	0	70	10	< 5	420	60	0	1 320
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	560	10	270	20	< 5	240	180	0	1 300
253111 General Medical Practitioner	10	300	10	240	170	30	280	190	0	1 230
225113 Marketing Specialist	< 5	740	< 5	100	10	0	240	80	< 5	1 180
242111 University Lecturer	60	360	10	190	80	30	320	110	0	1 140
139999 Specialist Managers nec	10	360	10	190	20	10	160	210	0	970
261111 ICT Business Analyst	20	490	0	80	< 5	0	300	70	< 5	950
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	0	80	10	180	30	40	80	520	< 5	940
221111 Accountant (General)	10	470	10	110	10	< 5	200	90	0	910
224711 Management Consultant	10	390	< 5	90	10	< 5	250	150	< 5	900
149212 Customer Service Manager	10	450	10	170	10	< 5	120	110	0	880
253112 Resident Medical Officer	20	170	10	200	60	30	180	170	0	840
351311 Chef	10	270	10	140	10	0	230	120	< 5	800
Other Occupations	440	10 790	560	5 810	1 000	140	6 920	8 880	60	34 600
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800

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Table 1.20 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013

	2011-12 100%	2012-13 100%	Change from 2011-12	2012-13 % of Total
India	8 910	10 530	18.3%	20.3%
United Kingdom	12 060	10 380	-13.9%	20.0%
Ireland, Republic of	4 710	5 140	9.1%	9.9%
Philippines	3 510	3 260	-7.2%	6.3%
United States of America	3 660	3 050	-16.6%	5.9%
China, Peoples Republic of	1 770	2 690	51.4%	5.2%
Canada	1 500	1 260	-16.0%	2.4%
France	1 060	1 040	-2.4%	2.0%
Korea, South	630	1 010	59.9%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	1 230	990	-19.9%	1.9%
South Africa	1 200	840	-29.6%	1.6%
Italy	650	810	25.0%	1.6%
Malaysia	920	760	-17.9%	1.5%
Nepal	340	700	106.8%	1.3%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	680	680	0.0%	1.3%
Other Countries	8 130	8 680	6.7%	16.7%
Total	50 950	51 800	1.7%	100.0%

Table 1.21 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not Spec.	Total
India	110	4 420	40	1 410	160	40	3 620	730	< 5	10 530
United Kingdom	90	3 640	160	1 600	330	40	1 750	2 770	20	10 380
Ireland, Republic of	50	1 410	110	630	120	10	840	1 960	10	5 140
Philippines	40	710	110	610	170	< 5	350	1 270	< 5	3 260
United States of America	60	910	30	580	90	30	560	790	10	3 050
China, Peoples Republic of	60	990	10	410	80	10	660	460	< 5	2 690
Canada	20	280	20	350	60	20	230	280	< 5	1 260
France	30	440	10	150	20	< 5	190	200	< 5	1 040
Korea, South	40	420	10	150	20	< 5	150	240	0	1 010
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	360	10	200	30	10	210	150	< 5	990
South Africa	10	190	20	190	40	10	100	290	0	840
Italy	10	300	10	100	20	< 5	210	170	0	810
Malaysia	10	180	10	120	50	10	180	200	0	760
Nepal	10	410	10	60	10	< 5	170	40	< 5	700
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	10	160	< 5	250	30	20	70	130	< 5	680
Other Countries	120	2 930	130	1 730	270	100	1 630	1 750	20	8 680
Total	670	17 730	680	8 540	1 500	300	10 920	11 420	70	51 800

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Table 1.22 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry and nominated position location

	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	TAS	WA	NT	ACT	Other	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	110	3 170	110	1 640	120	20	2 330	1 130	20	8 640
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	260	10	40	10	0	90	160	< 5	570
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	490	10	780	80	30	240	260	10	1 910
Arts and Recreation Services	10	510	110	110	40	10	180	80	10	1 040
Construction	130	3 140	250	2 830	330	10	1 550	4 890	20	13 140
Education and Training	260	1 560	30	800	250	40	1 280	470	< 5	4 690
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	370	20	410	80	10	260	640	< 5	1 800
Financial and Insurance Services	20	2 710	20	280	40	10	870	350	< 5	4 300
Health Care and Social Assistance	280	4 400	70	2 230	780	180	2 780	1 870	20	12 600
Information Media and Telecommunications	90	5 620	20	500	50	10	2 260	530	10	9 090
Manufacturing	20	1 790	90	1 080	280	20	1 510	2 200	10	6 990
Mining	< 5	470	140	2 170	250	50	270	4 900	20	8 270
Other Services	210	5 280	100	1 540	260	20	2 790	2 710	20	12 920
Professional, Scientific and Technical	70	2 790	40	880	110	10	2 570	1 100	10	7 580
Public Administration and Safety	70	170	170	70	50	20	190	10	0	600
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	550	10	140	20	< 5	310	120	0	1 160
Retail Trade	60	1 810	60	770	90	10	1 210	820	10	4 850
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	490	20	300	30	< 5	380	390	10	1 630
Wholesale Trade	10	1 140	10	310	90	< 5	650	280	< 5	2 480
Not Recorded	10	470	10	170	20	10	170	100	0	1 110
Total	1 370	37 190	1 270	17 020	2 960	450	21 890	23 180	270	105 600

Table 1.23 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	TAS	WA	NT	ACT	Other	Total
1 Managers	170	6 980	140	2 900	370	70	3 450	3 370	40	17 500
2 Professionals	880	20 820	550	7 750	1 640	320	11 980	8 960	90	52 990
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	250	6 440	510	4 760	720	50	5 470	9 350	60	27 610
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	30	440	30	160	30	< 5	280	250	< 5	1 210
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	30	2 140	30	600	60	< 5	600	880	10	4 350
6 Sales Workers	10	90	< 5	40	< 5	0	40	50	< 5	220
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	30	< 5	190	10	0	40	230	0	500
8 Labourers	0	60	10	50	20	0	0	60	0	210
Not Recorded	0	200	0	560	120	< 5	30	30	70	1 010
Total	1 370	37 190	1 270	17 020	2 960	450	21 890	23 180	270	105 600

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Table 1.24 Number of primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 March 2013 by skill level of the nominated occupation and nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	NT Spr	Total
Skill Level 1	980	25 700	620	9 840	1 940	390	14 560	11 580	120	65 720
Skill Level 2	180	6 460	220	3 020	330	50	3 170	4 450	40	17 910
Skill Level 3	200	4 710	410	3 350	550	20	4 080	6 790	50	20 160
Skill Level 4	10	110	20	250	30	0	50	290	0	760
Skill Level 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	40	0	40
Not Recorded	0	200	0	560	120	< 5	30	30	70	1 010
Total	1 370	37 190	1 270	17 020	2 960	450	21 890	23 180	270	105 600

Table 1.25 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	NT Spr	Total
511112 Program or Project Administrator	30	1 980	20	490	50	< 5	520	690	10	3 790
351411 Cook	40	1 220	20	780	30	10	1 220	350	< 5	3 660
225113 Marketing Specialist	10	1 740	< 5	240	30	< 5	550	150	< 5	2 730
139999 Specialist Managers nec	20	1 000	20	440	30	10	530	490	< 5	2 530
253111 General Medical Practitioner	30	640	30	520	310	50	590	360	10	2 530
261312 Developer Programmer	20	1 170	< 5	120	10	0	740	90	0	2 140
224711 Management Consultant	20	880	< 5	220	20	< 5	590	290	< 5	2 020
242111 University Lecturer	70	650	10	310	150	30	560	190	0	1 970
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	30	800	30	350	30	< 5	390	320	10	1 950
221111 Accountant (General)	10	960	20	220	20	10	430	210	< 5	1 880
223112 Recruitment Consultant	< 5	1 040	10	160	20	< 5	300	340	< 5	1 870
351311 Chef	20	560	30	320	20	10	520	310	10	1 800
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	10	910	< 5	210	30	< 5	410	200	10	1 790
253112 Resident Medical Officer	50	350	40	360	170	60	400	320	0	1 750
233211 Civil Engineer	10	340	10	400	40	< 5	140	650	< 5	1 590
Other Occupations	990	22 970	1 030	11 900	2 000	270	14 000	18 230	220	71 610
Total	1 370	37 190	1 270	17 020	2 960	450	21 890	23 180	270	105 600

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Table 1.26 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary visa holders in Australia as at 31 March 2013 by nominated position location

United Kingdom	230	9 910	330	3 870	720	90	4 730	6 350	70	26 290
India	200	6 050	100	2 090	310	70	5 470	1 160	20	15 450
Ireland, Republic of	120	3 890	200	1 610	210	10	2 080	4 040	20	12 190
Philippines	110	1 490	230	1 390	350	10	730	2 990	10	7 300
United States of America	100	2 020	50	1 120	140	40	1 060	1 330	20	5 870
China, Peoples Republic of	90	1 580	20	680	150	10	1 080	910	10	4 510
Canada	50	730	30	750	110	30	480	520	10	2 690
South Africa	20	570	40	600	130	20	320	810	10	2 520
France	50	1 100	10	300	50	10	480	400	10	2 400
Germany, Fed Republic of	30	920	30	290	60	10	500	340	< 5	2 170
Korea, South	40	840	10	270	30	10	300	240	10	1 750
Japan	10	710	10	260	40	< 5	340	230	10	1 610
Italy	10	600	10	190	30	< 5	410	320	< 5	1 580
Malaysia	30	340	10	210	110	20	400	390	< 5	1 170
Brazil	20	430	< 5	430	20	< 5	130	140	< 5	1 170
Nepal	20	630	10	130	10	< 5	310	60	< 5	1 170
Other Countries	250	5 400	200	2 830	510	120	3 090	2 970	70	15 440
Total	1 370	37 190	1 270	17 020	2 960	450	21 890	23 180	270	105 600

Table 1.27 Applications granted for a permanent/provisional visa in 2012-13 as at 31 March 2013 where the applicant last held a Subclass 457 visa

1.1.1 Economic Migration	Employer Nomination Scheme	17 810	12 500	-29.8%	49.2%
	Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme	5 400	5 040	-6.5%	19.8%
	Labour Agreement	60	1 000	1479.4%	3.9%
	Skilled Independent	3 260	4 160	27.6%	16.4%
	Other Skilled	1 470	1 340	-8.3%	5.3%
	Sub-total	27 990	24 030	-14.1%	94.6%
1.1.2 Family Migration	Partner	1 190	1 230	3.5%	4.8%
	Other Family	150	150	-0.7%	0.6%
	Sub-total	1 340	1 380	3.1%	5.4%
Total applications granted:		29 330	25 410	-13.4%	100.0%

Note 1: A permanent or provisional visa is a visa subclass which is countable towards the migration program outcome.

Note 2: In determining the last visa held, bridging visas have been excluded.

2 ACT

Australian Capital Territory

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Table 2.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

	2011-12 2011/12	2012-13 2012/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	20	60	195.2%	9.3%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	-75.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	10	< 5	-85.7%	0.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	< 5	< 5	-75.0%	0.2%
Construction	60	50	-5.5%	7.8%
Education and Training	190	170	-10.6%	25.3%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Financial and Insurance Services	20	10	-72.2%	0.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	230	120	-46.6%	18.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	80	30	-61.3%	4.7%
Manufacturing	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.6%
Other Services	160	100	-35.5%	15.0%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	40	40	-12.2%	5.4%
Public Administration and Safety	50	30	-46.3%	4.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	10	< 5	-20.0%	0.6%
Retail Trade	20	30	88.2%	4.8%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	< 5	10	100.0%	0.9%
Wholesale Trade	10	< 5	-66.7%	0.3%
Not Recorded	< 5	10	75.0%	1.1%
Total	900	670	-26.3%	100.0%

Table 2.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

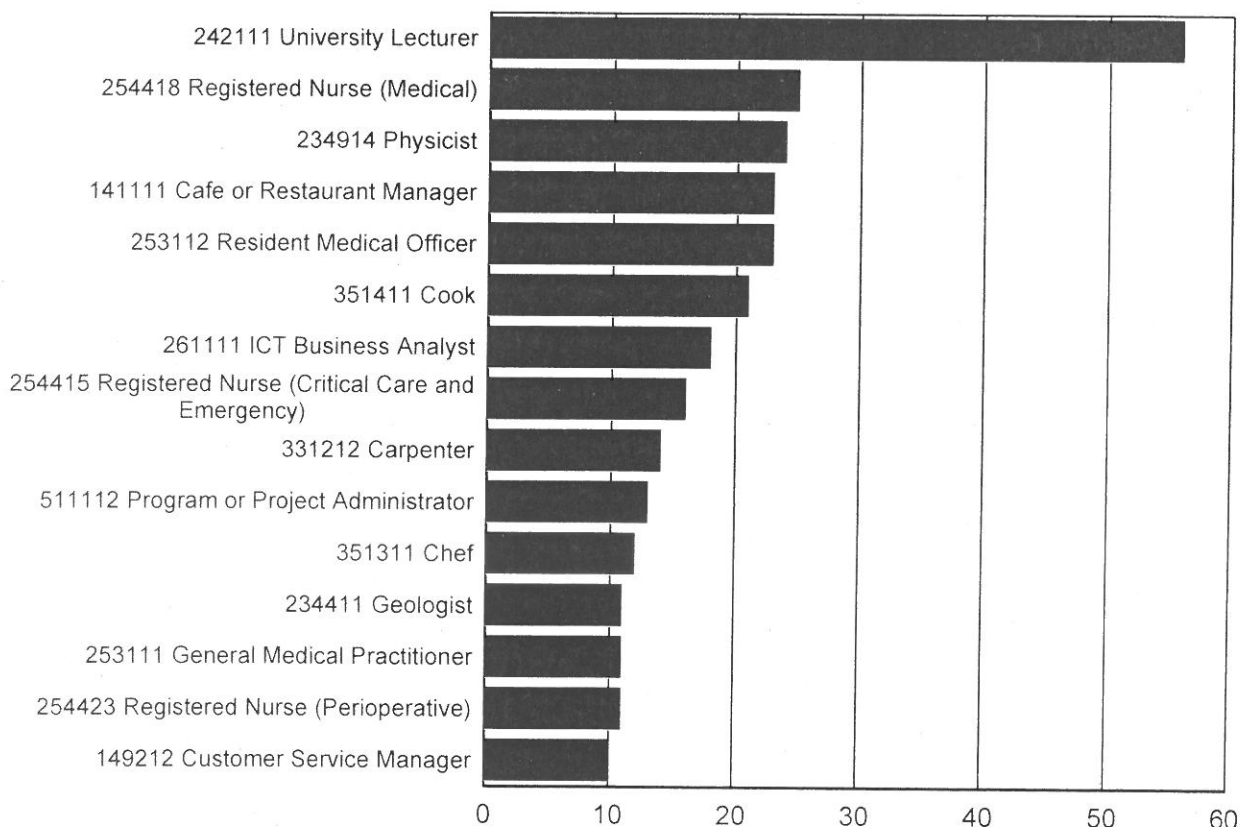
	2011-12 2011/12	2012-13 2012/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	80	90	11.1%	13.5%
2 Professionals	710	440	-37.9%	66.6%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	80	110	33.3%	16.2%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	10	-40.0%	0.9%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	20	10	-6.7%	2.1%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	< 5	100.0%	0.6%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	900	670	-26.3%	100.0%

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Table 2.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

242111 University Lecturer	40	60	27.3%	8.4%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	100	30	-75.0%	3.8%
234914 Physicist	30	20	-29.4%	3.6%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	10	20	228.6%	3.5%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	30	20	-25.8%	3.5%
351411 Cook	10	20	133.3%	3.2%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	50	20	-62.5%	2.7%
254415 Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	20	20	-15.8%	2.4%
331212 Carpenter	10	10	75.0%	2.1%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	10	10	-7.1%	2.0%
351311 Chef	10	10	140.0%	1.8%
234411 Geologist	< 5	10	266.7%	1.7%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	20	10	-50.0%	1.7%
254423 Registered Nurse (Perioperative)	10	10	-15.4%	1.7%
149212 Customer Service Manager	< 5	10	400.0%	1.5%
Other Occupations	540	380	-30.6%	56.7%
Total	900	670	-26.3%	100.0%

Graph 2.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

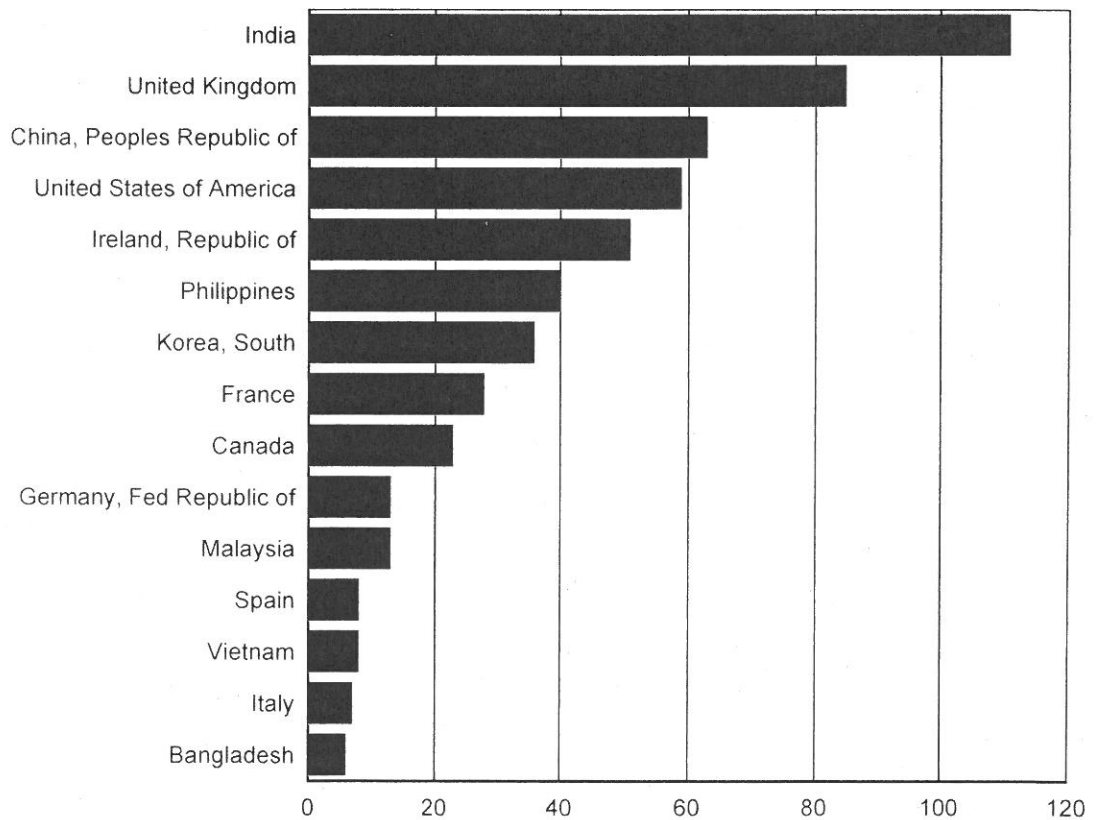


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Table 2.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory

India	230	110	-51.7%	16.7%
United Kingdom	170	90	-48.8%	12.8%
China, Peoples Republic of	40	60	70.3%	9.5%
United States of America	80	60	-26.3%	8.9%
Ireland, Republic of	50	50	0.0%	7.7%
Philippines	50	40	-25.9%	6.0%
Korea, South	20	40	100.0%	5.4%
France	20	30	16.7%	4.2%
Canada	30	20	-23.3%	3.5%
Germany, Fed Republic of	30	10	-48.0%	2.0%
Malaysia	20	10	-18.8%	2.0%
Spain	10	10	14.3%	1.2%
Vietnam	10	10	33.3%	1.2%
Italy	10	10	-12.5%	1.1%
Bangladesh	10	10	20.0%	0.9%
Other Countries	150	110	-21.4%	17.1%
Total	900	670	-26.3%	100.0%

Graph 2.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Australian Capital Territory



3 NSW

New South Wales

3 NSW

Table 3.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in New South Wales

	2011-12 Number	2012-13 Number	% Change 2011-12	2012-13 %
Accommodation and Food Services	900	1 800	99.2%	10.2%
Administrative and Support Services	110	100	-14.3%	0.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	170	270	53.4%	1.5%
Arts and Recreation Services	290	260	-9.4%	1.5%
Construction	1 210	1 210	-0.1%	6.8%
Education and Training	760	770	1.6%	4.3%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	170	160	-4.7%	0.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	1 120	1 010	-9.4%	5.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 960	2 110	7.8%	11.9%
Information Media and Telecommunications	3 530	3 050	-13.6%	17.2%
Manufacturing	750	720	-5.0%	4.0%
Mining	200	180	-11.6%	1.0%
Other Services	2 190	2 410	9.8%	13.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	1 260	1 610	28.2%	9.1%
Public Administration and Safety	80	50	-34.9%	0.3%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	570	140	-74.5%	0.8%
Retail Trade	580	910	56.7%	5.1%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	180	220	20.1%	1.2%
Wholesale Trade	440	490	12.6%	2.8%
Not Recorded	350	260	-27.4%	1.4%
Total	16 830	17 730	5.3%	100.0%

Table 3.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in New South Wales

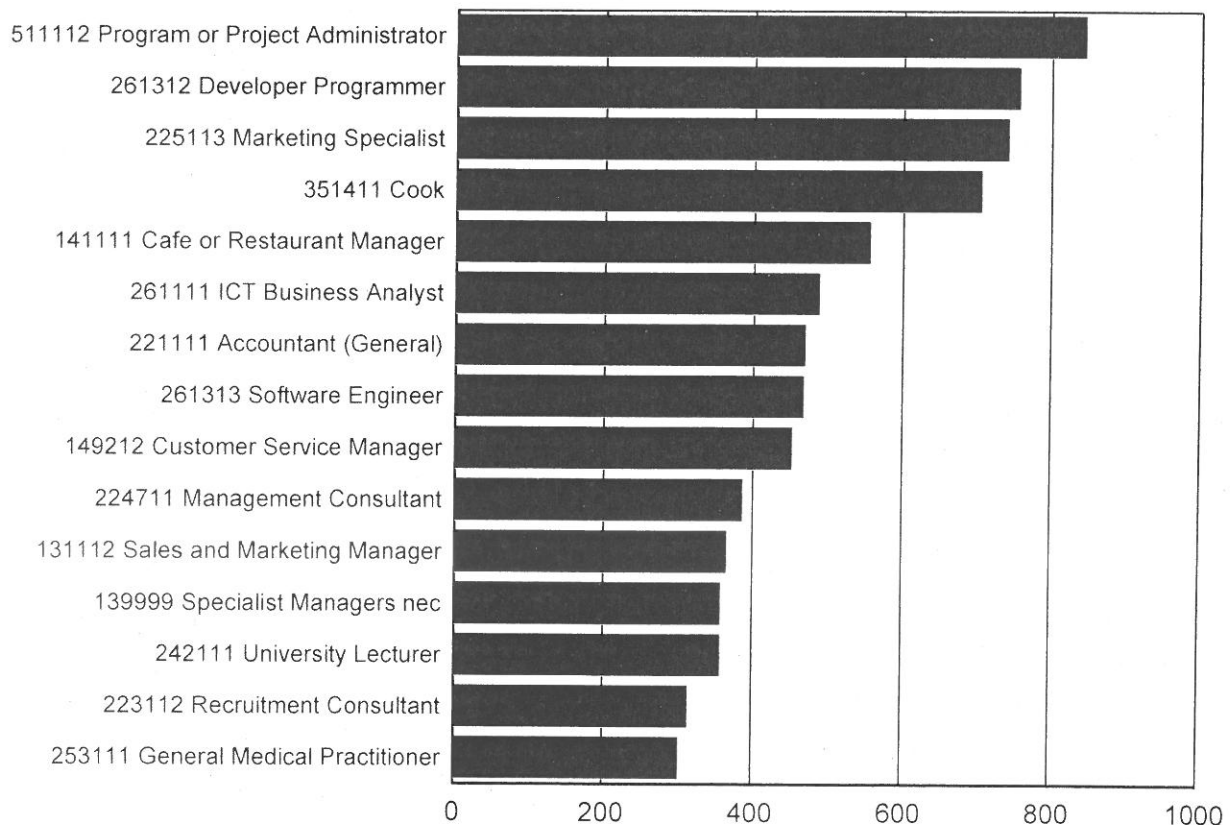
	2011-12 Number	2012-13 Number	% Change 2011-12	2012-13 %
1 Managers	2 660	3 410	28.3%	19.2%
2 Professionals	10 550	9 980	-5.3%	56.3%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	2 560	3 020	18.0%	17.0%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	150	210	44.8%	1.2%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	830	940	14.3%	5.3%
6 Sales Workers	20	60	256.3%	0.3%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	20	10	-40.9%	0.1%
8 Labourers	30	10	-73.3%	0.0%
Not Recorded	30	90	180.6%	0.5%
Total	16 830	17 730	5.3%	100.0%

3 NSW

Table 3.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

511112 Program or Project Administrator	790	850	7.8%	4.8%
261312 Developer Programmer	820	760	-7.5%	4.3%
225113 Marketing Specialist	730	740	2.3%	4.2%
351411 Cook	360	710	98.9%	4.0%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	160	560	254.1%	3.1%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	400	490	22.3%	2.8%
221111 Accountant (General)	370	470	28.4%	2.7%
261313 Software Engineer	380	470	22.8%	2.6%
149212 Customer Service Manager	120	450	277.5%	2.6%
224711 Management Consultant	470	390	-17.8%	2.2%
131112 Sales and Marketing Manager	370	370	-1.1%	2.1%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	420	360	-14.6%	2.0%
242111 University Lecturer	350	360	1.7%	2.0%
223112 Recruitment Consultant	420	320	-24.1%	1.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	270	300	10.6%	1.7%
Other Occupations	10 420	10 150	-2.6%	57.3%
Total	16 830	17 730	5.3%	100.0%

Graph 3.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

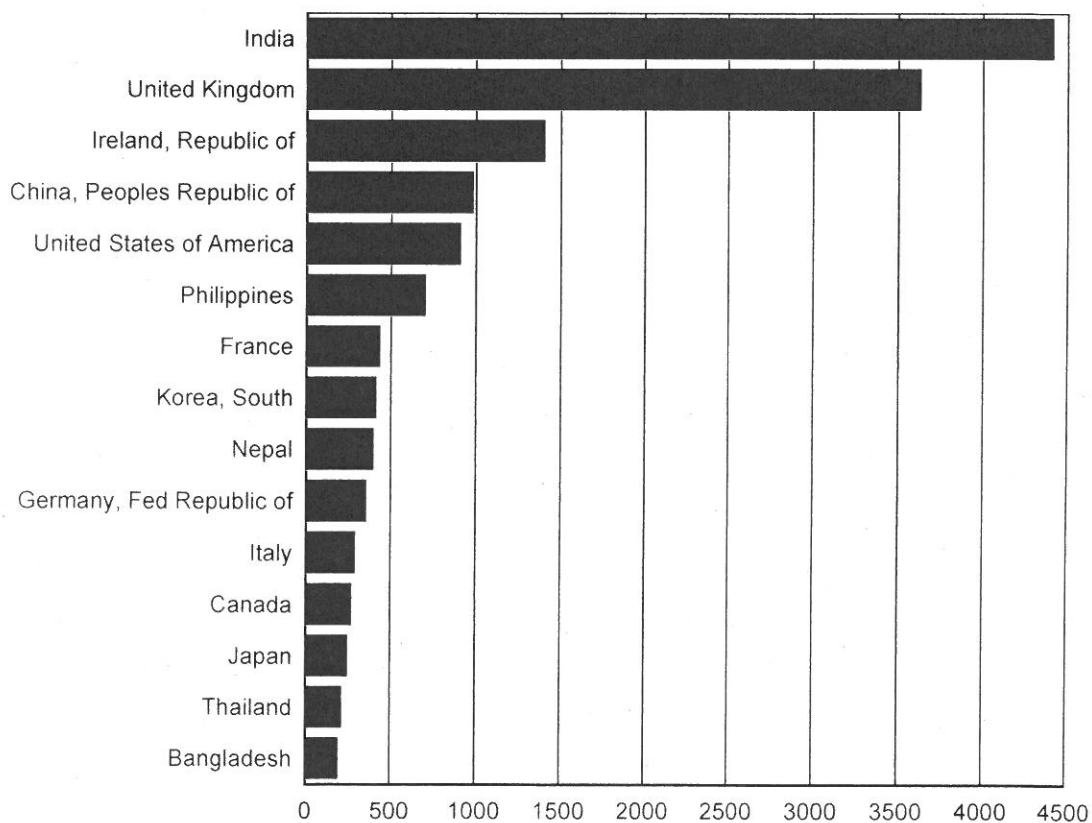


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Table 3.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales

India	3 850	4 420	14.9%	24.9%
United Kingdom	3 900	3 640	-6.8%	20.5%
Ireland, Republic of	1 500	1 410	-6.3%	7.9%
China, Peoples Republic of	620	990	59.2%	5.6%
United States of America	1 120	910	-18.1%	5.2%
Philippines	700	710	0.3%	4.0%
France	460	440	-3.3%	2.5%
Korea, South	280	420	47.9%	2.4%
Nepal	160	410	153.1%	2.3%
Germany, Fed Republic of	470	360	-23.8%	2.0%
Italy	230	300	27.5%	1.7%
Canada	400	280	-30.3%	1.6%
Japan	240	250	5.4%	1.4%
Thailand	90	220	150.0%	1.2%
Bangladesh	100	200	108.3%	1.1%
Other Countries	2 710	2 790	2.7%	15.7%
Total	16 830	17 730	5.3%	100.0%

Graph 3.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in New South Wales



4 NT

Northern Territory

4 NT

Table 4.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

	2011-12	2012-13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 % of total
Accommodation and Food Services	50	50	-3.9%	7.2%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	-75.0%	0.1%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	< 5	10	166.7%	1.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	160	10	-96.2%	0.9%
Construction	180	160	-12.4%	23.0%
Education and Training	10	20	77.8%	2.4%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	10	-20.0%	1.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	10	10	-30.0%	1.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	40	40	7.9%	6.1%
Information Media and Telecommunications	10	10	33.3%	1.8%
Manufacturing	30	70	103.1%	9.6%
Mining	110	70	-42.0%	9.6%
Other Services	60	50	-5.5%	7.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	20	20	-5.3%	2.7%
Public Administration and Safety	10	120	853.0%	18.3%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	< 5	33.3%	0.6%
Retail Trade	20	30	72.2%	4.6%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	10	-14.3%	0.9%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	10	400.0%	0.7%
Not Recorded	10	< 5	-50.0%	0.4%
Total	740	680	-8.0%	100.0%

Table 4.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

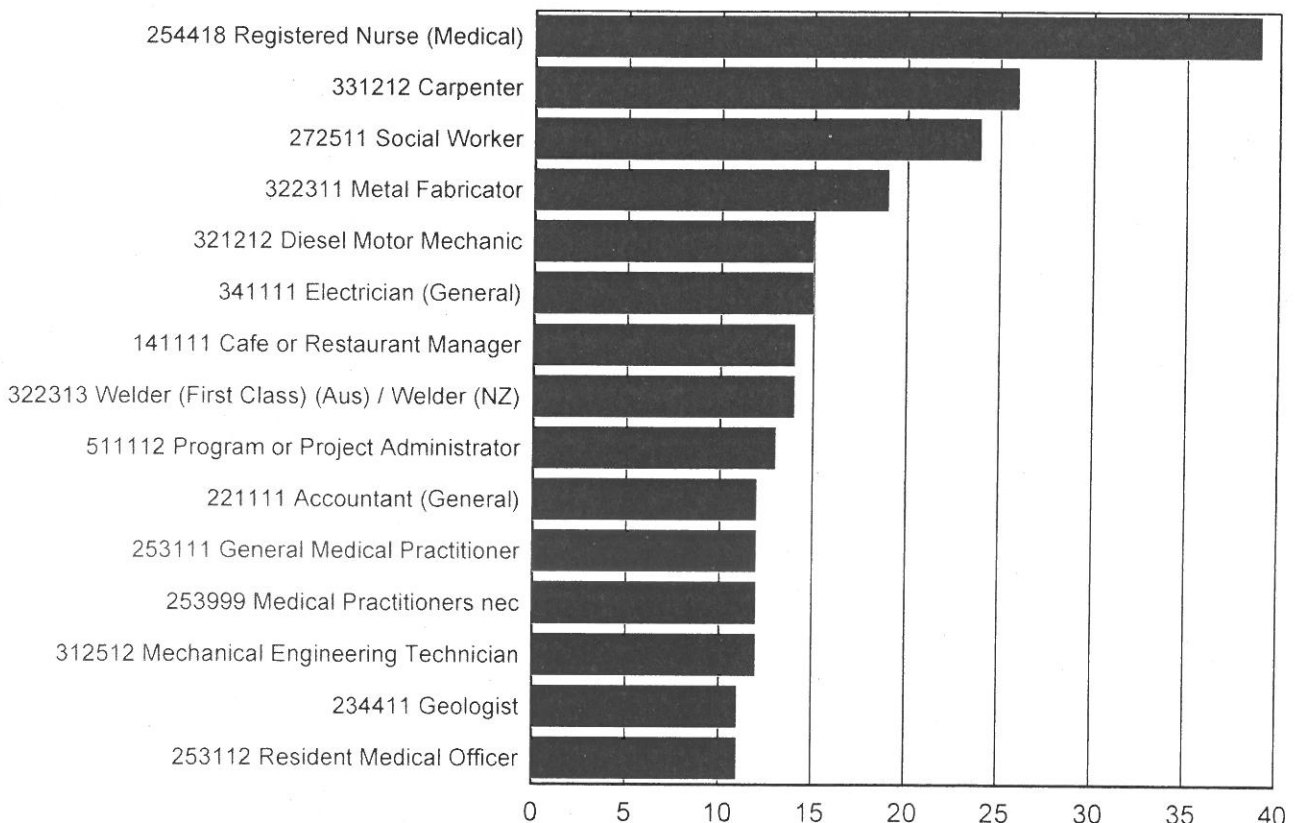
	2011-12	2012-13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 % of total
1 Managers	70	70	-1.4%	10.6%
2 Professionals	370	280	-24.2%	41.2%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	240	290	21.2%	42.2%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	20	60.0%	2.4%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	20	20	-16.7%	2.2%
6 Sales Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	0.3%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	< 5	10	133.3%	1.0%
8 Labourers	30	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Total	740	680	-8.0%	100.0%

4 NT

Table 4.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	70	40	-40.9%	5.8%
331212 Carpenter	10	30	160.0%	3.8%
272511 Social Worker	10	20	300.0%	3.5%
322311 Metal Fabricator	10	20	171.4%	2.8%
321212 Diesel Motor Mechanic	10	20	114.3%	2.2%
341111 Electrician (General)	10	20	36.4%	2.2%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	20	10	-30.0%	2.1%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	10	10	55.6%	2.1%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	10	-18.8%	1.9%
221111 Accountant (General)	10	10	0.0%	1.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	20	10	-47.8%	1.8%
253999 Medical Practitioners nec	< 5	10	500.0%	1.8%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	30	10	-63.6%	1.8%
234411 Geologist	10	10	37.5%	1.6%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	20	10	-47.6%	1.6%
Other Occupations	490	430	-11.8%	62.0%
Total	740	680	-8.0%	100.0%

Graph 4.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

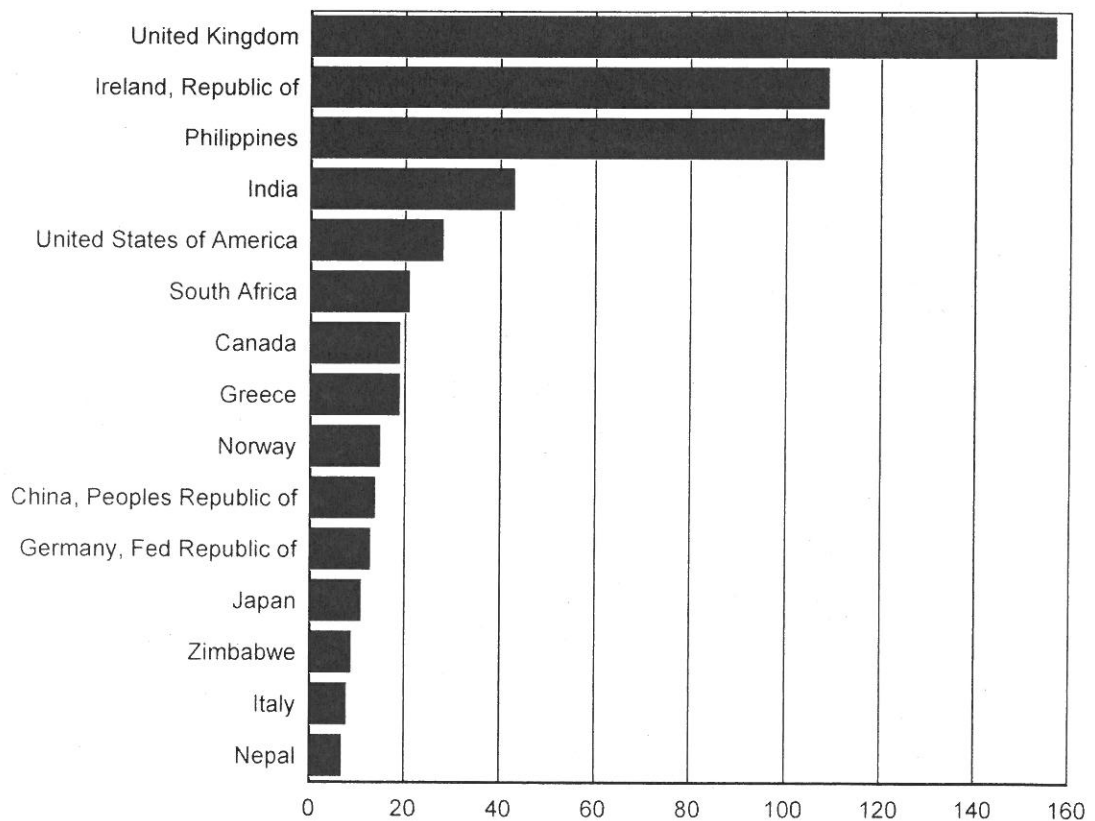


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Table 4.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory

United Kingdom	190	160	-15.6%	23.2%
Ireland, Republic of	60	110	98.2%	16.1%
Philippines	120	110	-10.7%	16.0%
India	80	40	-48.8%	6.4%
United States of America	40	30	-22.2%	4.1%
South Africa	20	20	-12.5%	3.1%
Canada	20	20	5.6%	2.8%
Greece	< 5	20	1 800.0%	2.8%
Norway	< 5	20	650.0%	2.2%
China, Peoples Republic of	< 5	10	250.0%	2.1%
Germany, Fed Republic of	20	10	-13.3%	1.9%
Japan	10	10	22.2%	1.6%
Zimbabwe	10	10	12.5%	1.3%
Italy	< 5	10	700.0%	1.2%
Nepal	10	10	16.7%	1.0%
Other Countries	170	100	-42.2%	14.2%
Total	740	680	-8.0%	100.0%

Graph 4.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Northern Territory



5 QLD

Queensland

5 QLD

Table 5.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Queensland

	2011-12 to 31/03/12	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011/12	2012-13 as % of total
Accommodation and Food Services	470	970	104.2%	11.3%
Administrative and Support Services	20	20	-10.5%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	270	490	82.9%	5.8%
Arts and Recreation Services	50	60	23.9%	0.7%
Construction	1 560	1 420	-8.5%	16.7%
Education and Training	510	480	-5.9%	5.6%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	190	210	9.3%	2.5%
Financial and Insurance Services	140	110	-18.8%	1.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 140	1 010	-10.9%	11.8%
Information Media and Telecommunications	280	240	-15.5%	2.8%
Manufacturing	510	450	-12.9%	5.2%
Mining	1 390	980	-29.5%	11.4%
Other Services	700	740	4.7%	8.6%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	480	430	-10.3%	5.0%
Public Administration and Safety	40	30	-32.5%	0.3%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	100	60	-35.8%	0.7%
Retail Trade	240	360	49.0%	4.2%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	120	150	27.1%	1.8%
Wholesale Trade	120	190	53.7%	2.2%
Not Recorded	140	150	8.9%	1.7%
Total	8 460	8 540	0.9%	100.0%

Table 5.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Queensland

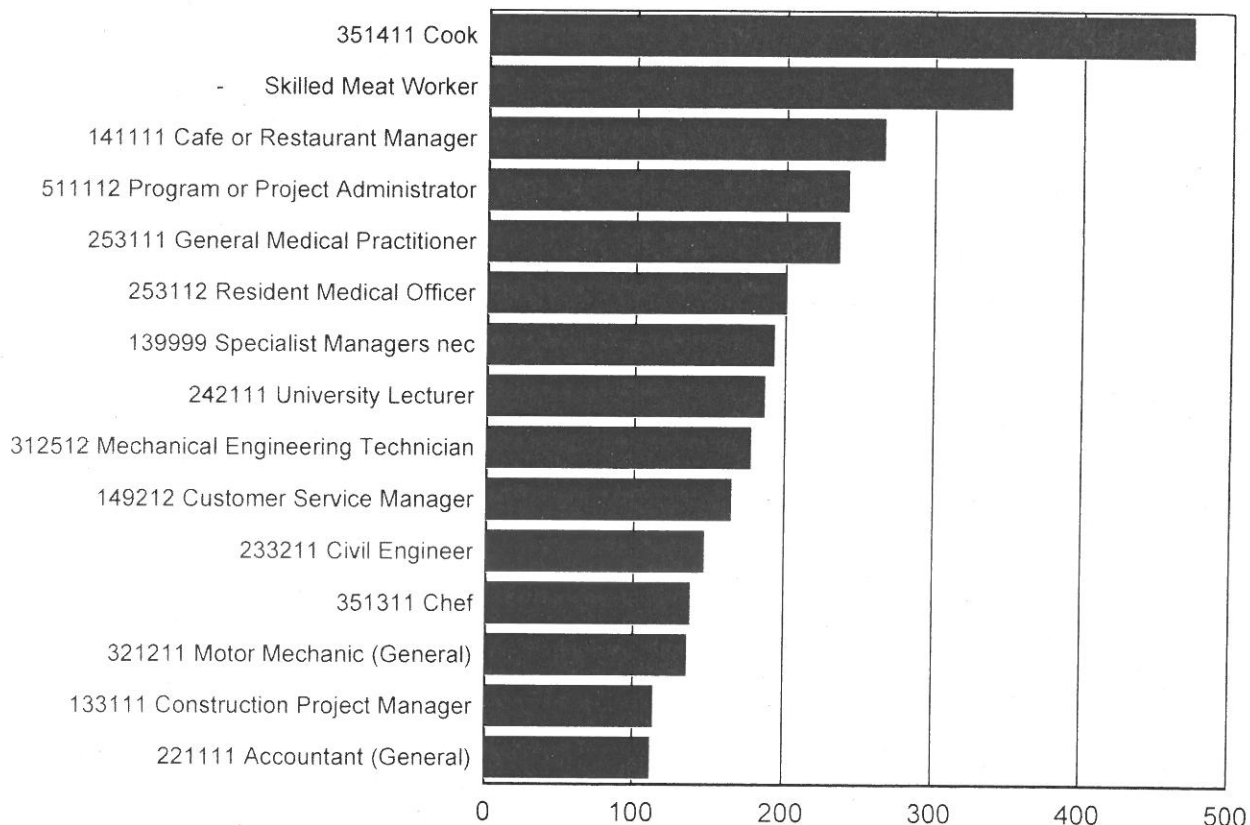
	2011-12 to 31/03/12	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011/12	2012-13 as % of total
1 Managers	1 240	1 520	22.6%	17.8%
2 Professionals	4 440	3 640	-18.2%	42.6%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	2 180	2 420	10.9%	28.3%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	80	80	6.5%	1.0%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	280	290	3.5%	3.4%
6 Sales Workers	< 5	30	2 900.0%	0.4%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	90	170	93.3%	2.0%
8 Labourers	10	30	163.6%	0.3%
Not Recorded	130	350	166.7%	4.1%
Total	8 460	8 540	0.9%	100.0%

5 QLD

Table 5.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

351411 Cook	200	470	135.8%	5.6%
- Skilled Meat Worker	130	350	166.7%	4.1%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	70	270	309.2%	3.1%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	240	240	2.5%	2.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	250	240	-4.8%	2.8%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	190	200	5.2%	2.4%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	260	190	-24.6%	2.3%
242111 University Lecturer	220	190	-13.4%	2.2%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	140	180	26.2%	2.1%
149212 Customer Service Manager	30	170	385.3%	1.9%
233211 Civil Engineer	220	150	-34.4%	1.7%
351311 Chef	140	140	0.0%	1.6%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	80	140	65.9%	1.6%
133111 Construction Project Manager	140	110	-16.2%	1.3%
221111 Accountant (General)	90	110	22.2%	1.3%
Other Occupations	6 070	5 390	-11.2%	63.2%
Total	8 460	8 540	0.9%	100.0%

Graph 5.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

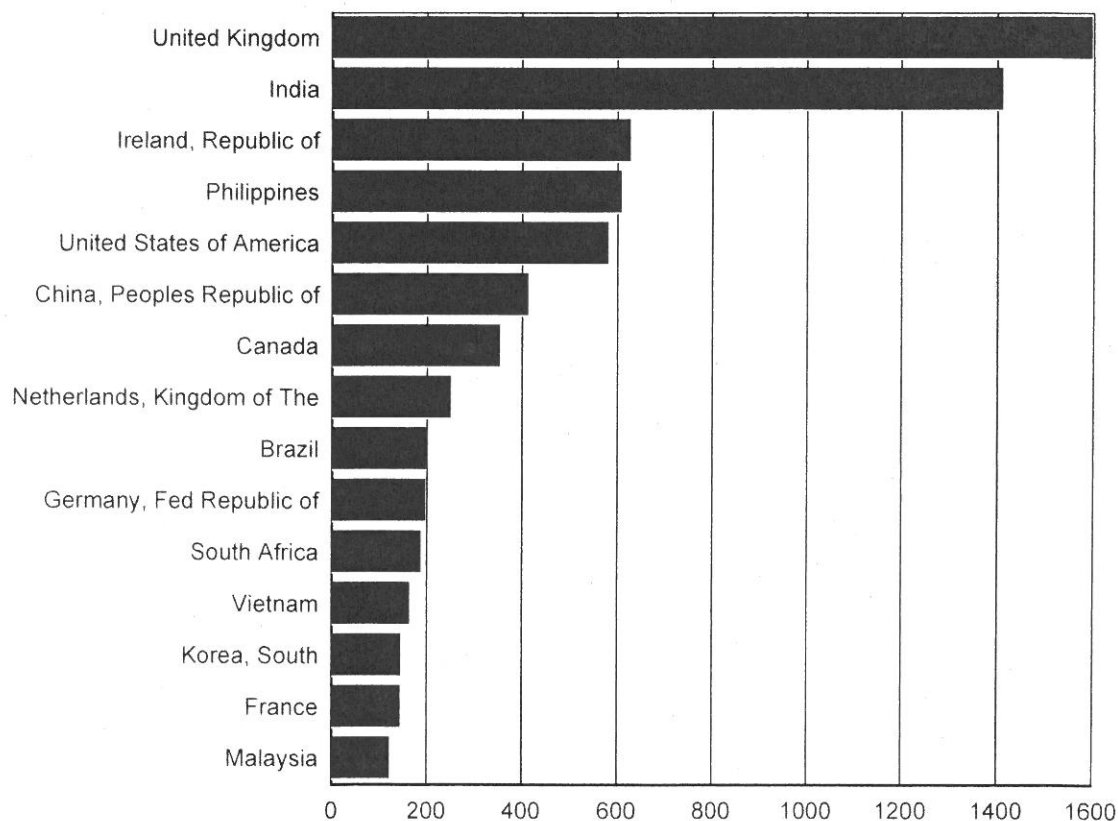


5 QLD

Table 5.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland

United Kingdom	1 930	1 600	-17.1%	18.7%
India	840	1 410	68.0%	16.5%
Ireland, Republic of	670	630	-6.3%	7.3%
Philippines	670	610	-8.6%	7.1%
United States of America	840	580	-30.8%	6.8%
China, Peoples Republic of	260	410	58.8%	4.8%
Canada	450	350	-21.7%	4.1%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	160	250	57.9%	2.9%
Brazil	160	200	22.1%	2.3%
Germany, Fed Republic of	180	200	12.5%	2.3%
South Africa	310	190	-39.5%	2.2%
Vietnam	20	160	583.3%	1.9%
Korea, South	100	150	46.0%	1.7%
France	120	150	20.8%	1.7%
Malaysia	140	120	-15.3%	1.4%
Other Countries	1 610	1 530	-4.9%	17.0%
Total	8 460	8 540	0.9%	100.0%

Graph 5.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Queensland



6 SA

South Australia

6 SA

Table 6.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in South Australia

	2012-13 2012-13 2012	2012-13 2012-13 2011	% Change 2012-13 2012	% of Total 2012-13 2012
Accommodation and Food Services	20	70	231.8%	4.9%
Administrative and Support Services	< 5	< 5	200.0%	0.2%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	40	50	28.6%	3.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	50	30	-33.3%	2.3%
Construction	100	160	51.0%	10.5%
Education and Training	130	150	16.9%	10.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	40	30	-21.6%	1.9%
Financial and Insurance Services	20	20	-10.5%	1.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	390	390	0.0%	25.8%
Information Media and Telecommunications	40	20	-43.9%	1.5%
Manufacturing	90	140	62.8%	9.4%
Mining	130	120	-7.6%	8.1%
Other Services	120	100	-12.2%	6.8%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	60	50	-22.2%	3.3%
Public Administration and Safety	20	20	9.1%	1.6%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	< 5	10	400.0%	0.3%
Retail Trade	30	40	8.8%	2.5%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	10	20	111.1%	1.3%
Wholesale Trade	20	60	150.0%	4.0%
Not Recorded	30	20	-37.5%	1.3%
Total	1 340	1 500	11.3%	100.0%

Table 6.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in South Australia

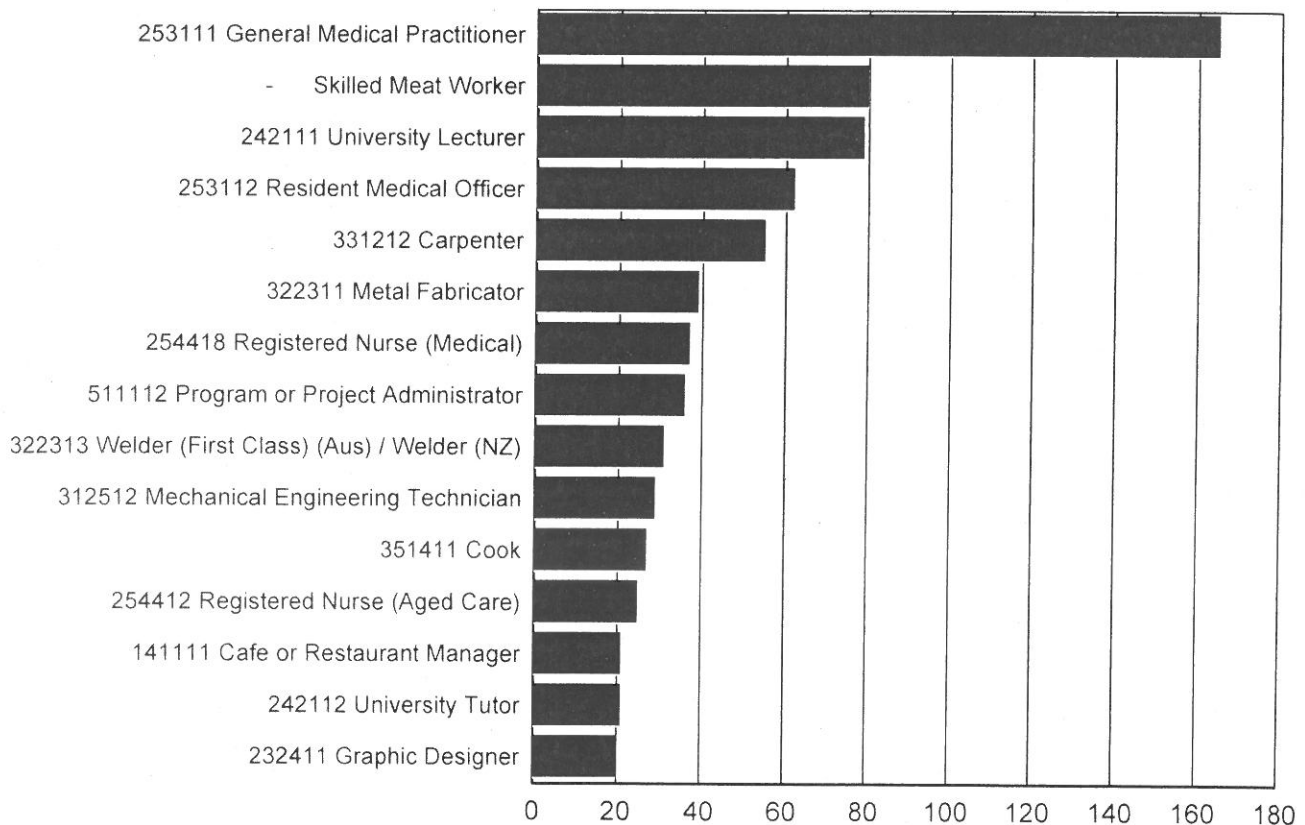
	2012-13 2012-13 2012	2012-13 2012-13 2011	% Change 2012-13 2012	% of Total 2012-13 2012
1 Managers	140	180	27.8%	12.3%
2 Professionals	880	780	-11.3%	52.0%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	260	380	46.9%	25.6%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	10	20	25.0%	1.0%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	20	40	100.0%	2.8%
6 Sales Workers	0	< 5	0.0%	0.1%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	10	10	16.7%	0.5%
8 Labourers	10	10	-50.0%	0.4%
Not Recorded	10	80	566.7%	5.4%
Total	1 340	1 500	11.3%	100.0%

6 SA

Table 6.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

253111 General Medical Practitioner	150	170	13.8%	11.0%
- Skilled Meat Worker	10	80	566.7%	5.4%
242111 University Lecturer	100	80	-20.2%	5.3%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	100	60	-38.0%	4.1%
331212 Carpenter	10	60	358.3%	3.7%
322311 Metal Fabricator	20	40	160.0%	2.6%
254418 Registered Nurse (Medical)	30	40	15.6%	2.5%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	20	40	89.5%	2.4%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	20	30	34.8%	2.1%
312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	20	30	61.1%	1.9%
351411 Cook	10	30	285.7%	1.8%
254412 Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	20	30	31.6%	1.7%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	< 5	20	950.0%	1.4%
242112 University Tutor	0	20	0.0%	1.4%
232411 Graphic Designer	30	20	-37.5%	1.3%
Other Occupations	810	770	-5.0%	51.4%
Total	1 340	1 500	11.2%	...

Graph 6.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

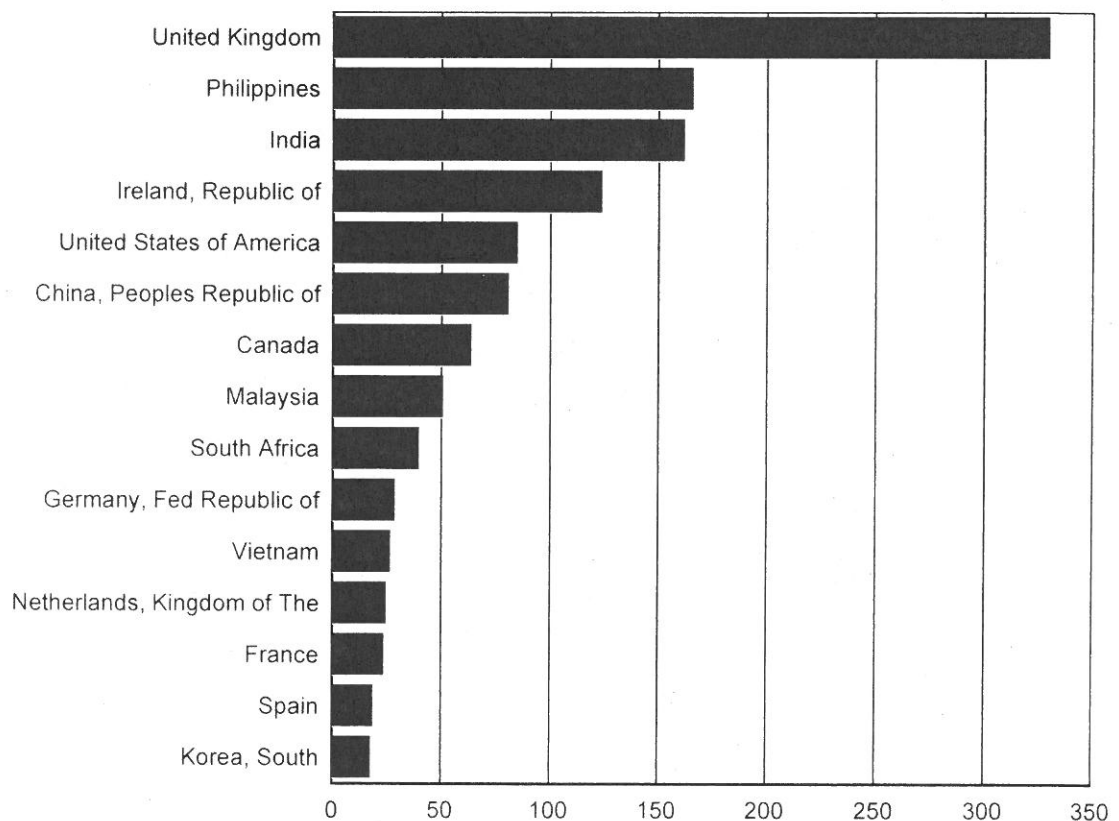


6 SA

Table 6.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia

United Kingdom	330	330	-0.6%	22.1%
Philippines	100	170	74.7%	11.1%
India	140	160	14.1%	10.8%
Ireland, Republic of	60	120	103.3%	8.3%
United States of America	100	90	-14.1%	5.7%
China, Peoples Republic of	60	80	35.0%	5.4%
Canada	60	60	12.3%	4.3%
Malaysia	60	50	-16.4%	3.4%
South Africa	50	40	-18.4%	2.7%
Germany, Fed Republic of	60	30	-52.5%	1.9%
Vietnam	10	30	170.0%	1.8%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	10	30	92.3%	1.7%
France	40	20	-31.4%	1.6%
Spain	20	20	18.8%	1.3%
Korea, South	10	20	63.6%	1.2%
Other Countries	240	250	3.7%	16.7%
Total	1 340	1 500	11.3%	100.0%

Graph 6.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in South Australia



7 TAS

Tasmania

7 TAS

Table 7.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Tasmania

	2011-12 as % of Total	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	< 5	10	150.0%	3.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	20	50	187.5%	15.6%
Arts and Recreation Services	10	< 5	-83.3%	0.3%
Construction	10	< 5	-20.0%	1.4%
Education and Training	30	30	-9.1%	10.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	10	10	120.0%	3.7%
Financial and Insurance Services	< 5	10	66.7%	1.7%
Health Care and Social Assistance	80	80	-6.0%	26.8%
Information Media and Telecommunications	< 5	10	1 000.0%	3.7%
Manufacturing	10	10	66.7%	3.4%
Mining	20	20	-27.3%	5.4%
Other Services	10	10	55.6%	4.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	10	10	-14.3%	2.0%
Public Administration and Safety	10	10	-37.5%	1.7%
Retail Trade	< 5	< 5	-50.0%	0.0%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Wholesale Trade	< 5	< 5	-75.0%	0.3%
Not Recorded	10	40	760.0%	14.6%
Total	220	300	33.5%	100.0%

Table 7.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Tasmania

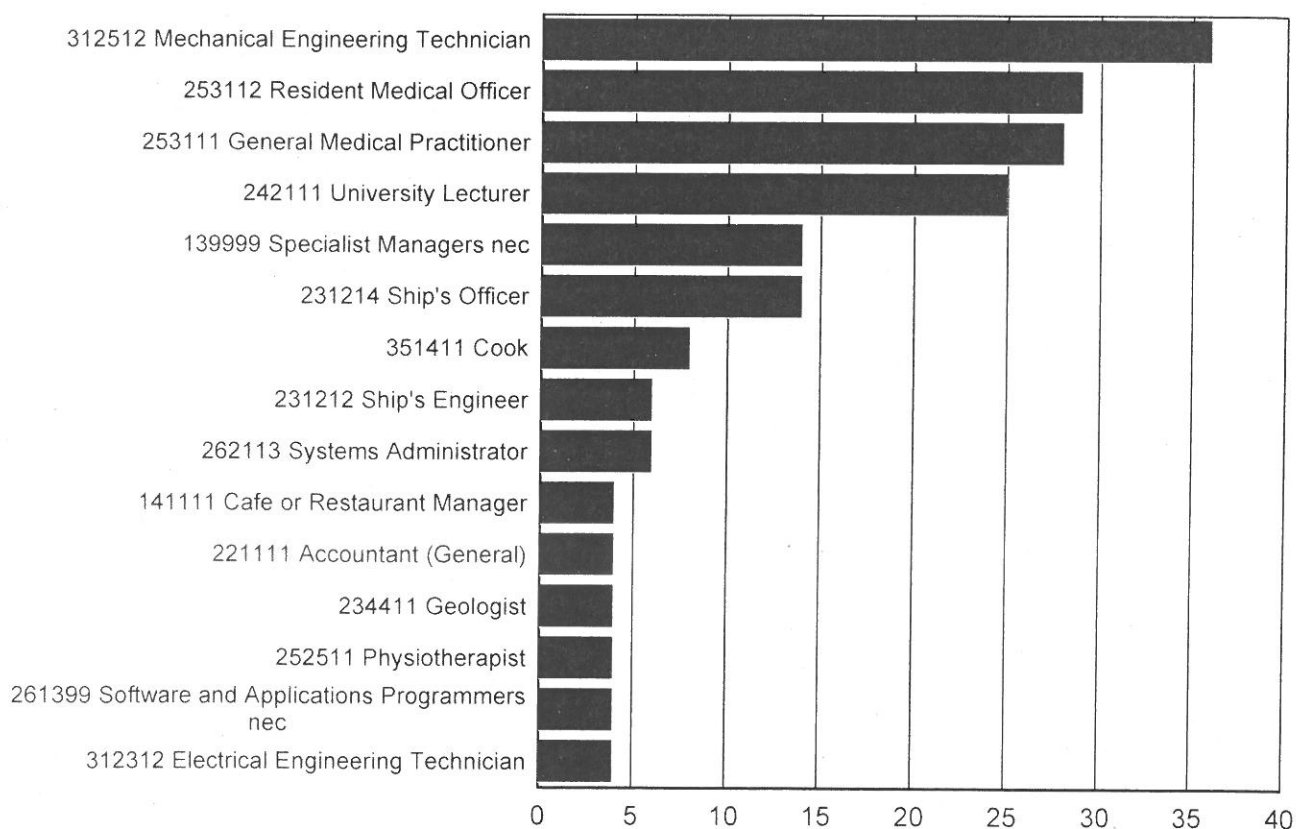
	2011-12 as % of Total	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	30	40	57.1%	14.9%
2 Professionals	160	190	14.0%	63.4%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	20	60	177.3%	20.7%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	< 5	0	-100.0%	0.0%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.7%
6 Sales Workers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	< 5	< 5	0.0%	0.3%
Total	220	300	33.5%	100.0%

7 TAS

Table 7.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	< 5	40	1 100.0%	12.2%
253112 Resident Medical Officer	40	30	-23.7%	9.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	10	30	100.0%	9.5%
242111 University Lecturer	30	30	-3.8%	8.5%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	10	10	180.0%	4.7%
231214 Ship's Officer	0	10	0.0%	4.7%
351411 Cook	< 5	10	700.0%	2.7%
231212 Ship's Engineer	0	10	0.0%	2.0%
262113 Systems Administrator	0	10	0.0%	2.0%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	0	< 5	0.0%	1.4%
221111 Accountant (General)	< 5	< 5	0.0%	1.4%
234411 Geologist	< 5	< 5	100.0%	1.4%
252511 Physiotherapist	< 5	< 5	300.0%	1.4%
261399 Software and Applications Programmers nec	0	< 5	0.0%	1.4%
312312 Electrical Engineering Technician	0	< 5	0.0%	1.4%
Other Occupations	130	110	-17.3%	35.6%
Total	220	300	33.5%	100.0%

Graph 7.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

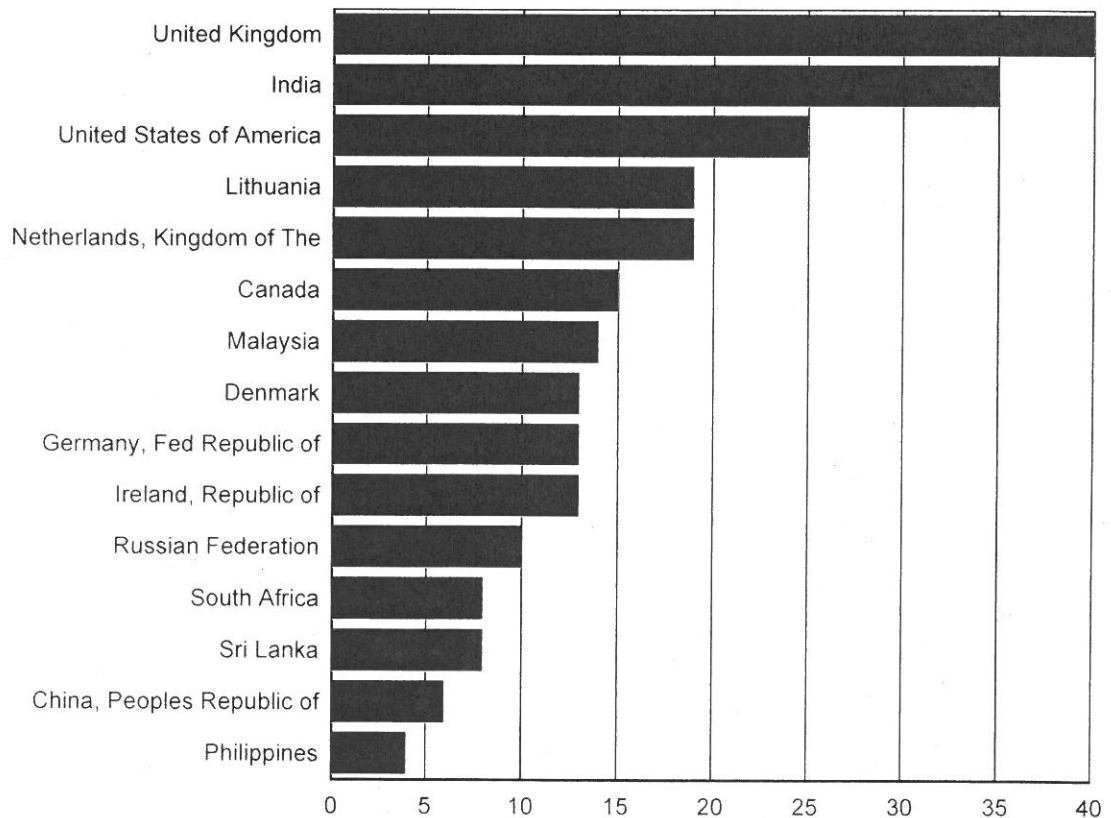


7 TAS

Table 7.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania

United Kingdom	50	40	-16.7%	13.6%
India	20	40	118.8%	11.9%
United States of America	20	30	47.1%	8.5%
Lithuania	0	20	0.0%	6.4%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	0	20	0.0%	6.4%
Canada	10	20	25.0%	5.1%
Malaysia	20	10	-22.2%	4.7%
Denmark	0	10	0.0%	4.4%
Germany, Fed Republic of	10	10	44.4%	4.4%
Ireland, Republic of	< 5	10	225.0%	4.4%
Russian Federation	< 5	10	900.0%	3.4%
South Africa	10	10	33.3%	2.7%
Sri Lanka	10	10	0.0%	2.7%
China, Peoples Republic of	10	10	-25.0%	2.0%
Philippines	< 5	< 5	0.0%	1.4%
Other Countries	70	50	-24.3%	18.0%
Total	220	300	33.5%	100.0%

Graph 7.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Tasmania



8 VIC

Victoria

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Table 8.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Victoria

	2012-13 1/07/12 to 31/03/13	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011	2011
Accommodation and Food Services	640	1 310	105.0%	12.0%
Administrative and Support Services	30	50	48.4%	0.4%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	100	110	17.5%	1.0%
Arts and Recreation Services	80	110	40.0%	1.0%
Construction	690	570	-17.2%	5.2%
Education and Training	670	680	0.4%	6.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	120	110	-4.3%	1.0%
Financial and Insurance Services	410	340	-17.8%	3.1%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 410	1 340	-4.5%	12.3%
Information Media and Telecommunications	1 540	1 280	-16.5%	11.8%
Manufacturing	590	730	23.8%	6.7%
Mining	160	140	-13.8%	1.3%
Other Services	1 330	1 350	1.2%	12.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	920	1 550	68.8%	0.0%
Public Administration and Safety	80	70	-21.7%	0.0%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	620	50	-91.9%	0.5%
Retail Trade	370	530	42.3%	4.8%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	140	200	47.8%	1.9%
Wholesale Trade	240	290	20.3%	2.7%
Not Recorded	140	130	-8.1%	1.1%
Total	10 260	10 920	6.5%	100.0%

Table 8.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Victoria

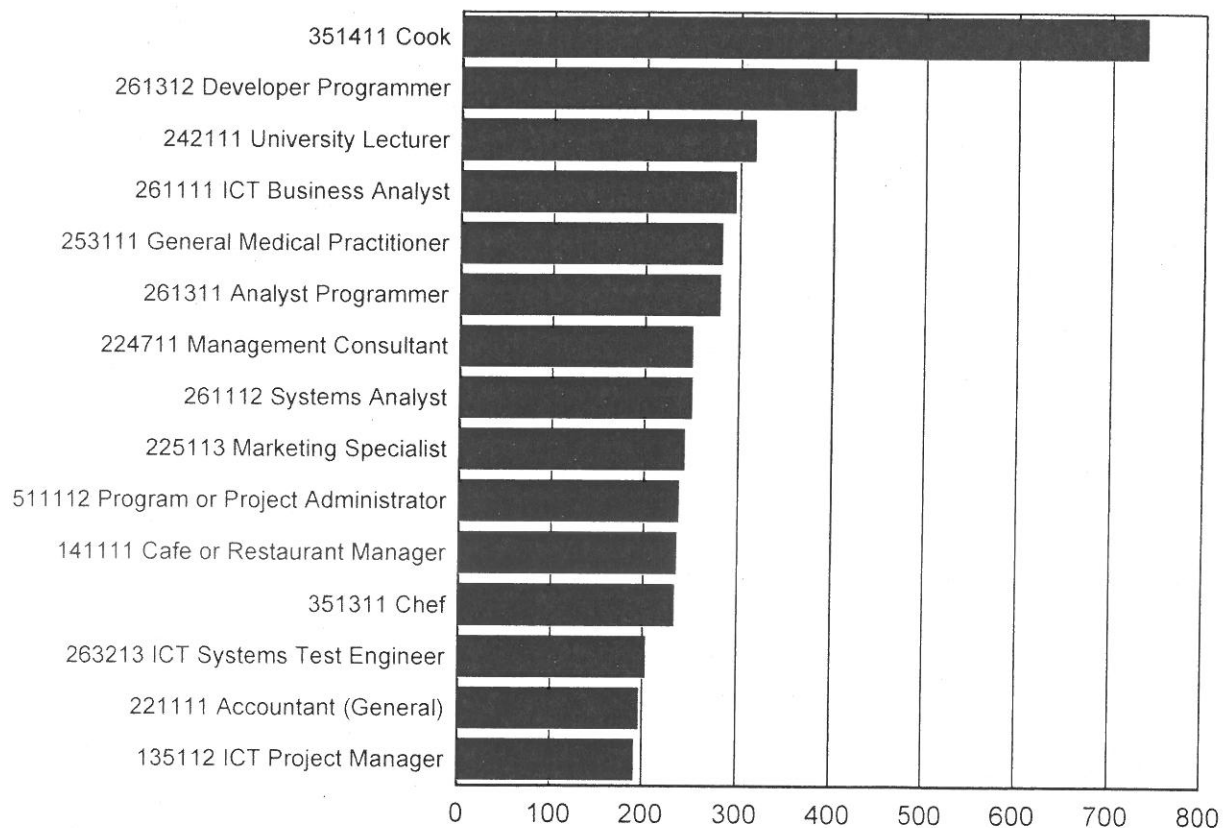
	2012-13 to 31/03/13	2012-13 to 31/03/13	% Change from 2011	2011
1 Managers	1 430	1 620	13.3%	14.8%
2 Professionals	6 560	6 010	-8.5%	55.0%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	1 900	2 820	47.9%	25.8%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	90	150	56.4%	1.3%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	230	290	25.4%	2.6%
6 Sales Workers	10	20	45.5%	0.1%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	30	30	13.8%	0.3%
8 Labourers	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Not Recorded	10	< 5	-71.4%	0.0%
Total	10 260	10 920	6.5%	100.0%

8 VIC

Table 8.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

351411 Cook	330	740	125.0%	6.8%
261312 Developer Programmer	550	420	-23.0%	3.9%
242111 University Lecturer	350	320	-8.9%	2.9%
261111 ICT Business Analyst	280	300	6.1%	2.7%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	280	280	1.1%	2.6%
261311 Analyst Programmer	300	280	-6.4%	2.6%
224711 Management Consultant	380	250	-34.3%	2.3%
261112 Systems Analyst	210	250	22.4%	2.3%
225113 Marketing Specialist	190	240	27.7%	2.2%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	210	240	15.5%	2.2%
141111 Cafe or Restaurant Manager	100	240	131.4%	2.2%
351311 Chef	150	230	61.4%	2.1%
263213 ICT Systems Test Engineer	130	200	60.6%	1.9%
221111 Accountant (General)	160	200	23.1%	1.8%
135112 ICT Project Manager	150	190	27.2%	1.8%
Other Occupations	6 510	6 540	0.5%	59.9%
Total	10 260	10 920	6.5%	100.0%

Graph 8.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

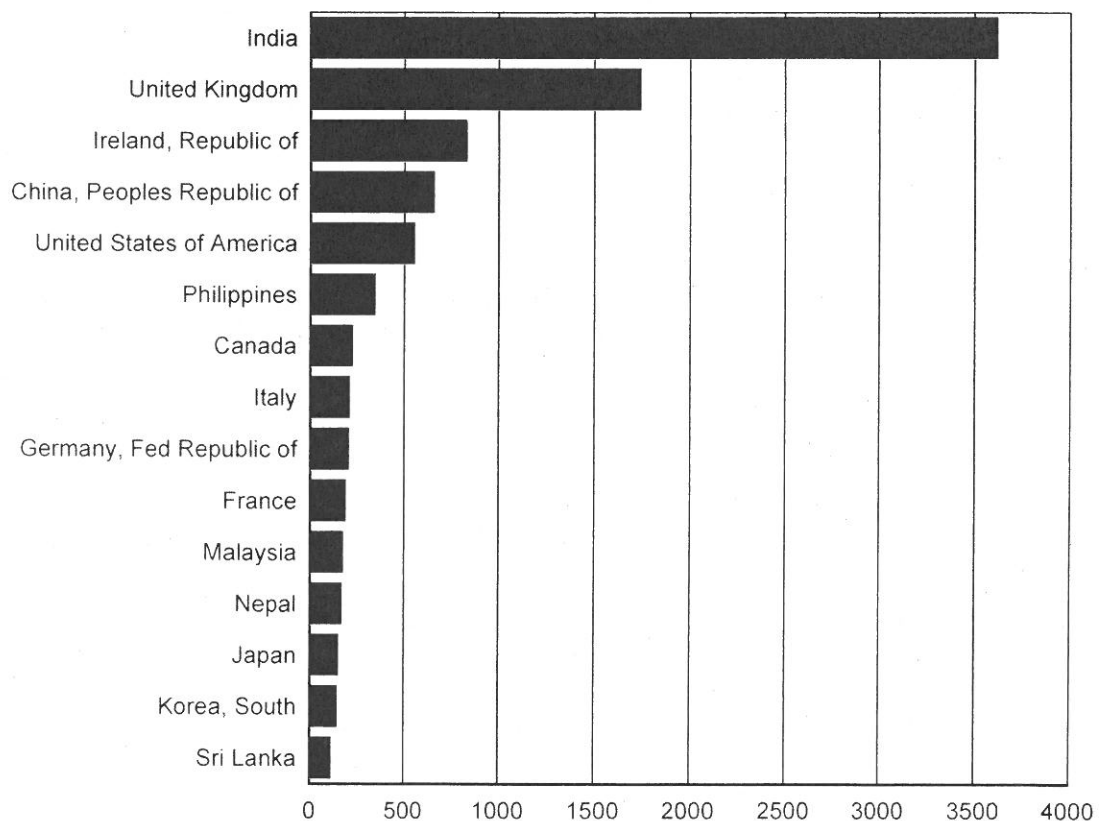


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Table 8.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria

India	3 010	3 620	20.3%	33.2%
United Kingdom	2 000	1 750	-12.7%	16.0%
Ireland, Republic of	830	840	0.7%	7.7%
China, Peoples Republic of	410	660	61.9%	6.1%
United States of America	640	560	-12.8%	5.1%
Philippines	360	350	-1.4%	3.2%
Canada	260	230	-10.5%	2.1%
Italy	130	210	68.5%	2.0%
Germany, Fed Republic of	250	210	-16.7%	1.9%
France	210	190	-7.7%	1.8%
Malaysia	210	180	-14.3%	1.6%
Nepal	90	170	101.2%	1.6%
Japan	140	160	9.8%	1.4%
Korea, South	110	150	33.0%	1.4%
Sri Lanka	100	120	19.4%	1.1%
Other Countries	1 520	1 530	0.3%	14.0%
Total	10 260	10 920	6.5%	100.0%

Graph 8.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Victoria



9 WA

Western Australia

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Table 9.01 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by sponsor industry - nominated positions located in Western Australia

	2011-12 2011/12	2012-13 2012/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
Accommodation and Food Services	440	580	32.0%	5.1%
Administrative and Support Services	60	60	-6.5%	0.5%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	100	140	35.0%	1.2%
Arts and Recreation Services	30	30	-15.2%	0.2%
Construction	3 080	2 510	-18.4%	22.0%
Education and Training	250	270	10.1%	2.4%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	270	370	38.5%	3.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	150	190	20.8%	1.6%
Health Care and Social Assistance	1 010	910	-10.1%	8.0%
Information Media and Telecommunications	270	310	16.2%	2.7%
Manufacturing	1 010	860	-15.3%	7.5%
Mining	2 650	2 260	-14.9%	19.8%
Other Services	1 200	1 370	14.0%	12.0%
Professional, Scientific and Technical	630	580	-7.8%	5.1%
Public Administration and Safety	60	50	-20.0%	0.4%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	80	50	-45.2%	0.4%
Retail Trade	260	390	51.0%	3.4%
Transport Postal and Warehousing	180	160	-11.4%	1.4%
Wholesale Trade	110	140	31.8%	1.2%
Not Recorded	150	210	44.9%	1.9%
Total	11 990	11 420	-4.8%	100.0%

Table 9.02 Number of primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 by Major Group of the nominated occupation - nominated positions located in Western Australia

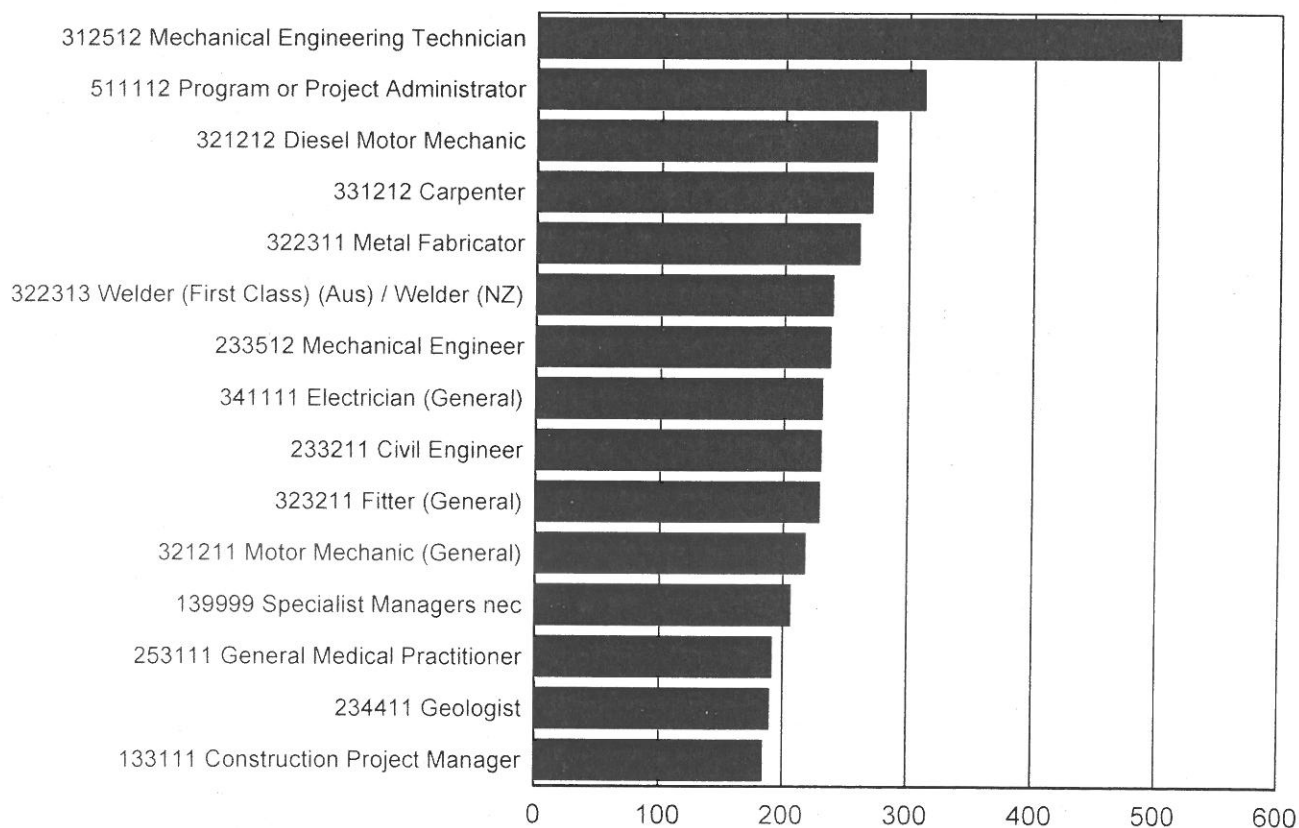
	2011-12 2011/12	2012-13 2012/13	% Change from 2011-12	2012-13 as % of Total
1 Managers	1 550	1 590	2.3%	13.9%
2 Professionals	4 950	4 320	-12.7%	37.8%
3 Technicians and Trades Workers	4 510	4 740	5.1%	41.6%
4 Community and Personal Service Workers	100	130	38.9%	1.2%
5 Clerical and Administrative Workers	430	420	-1.6%	3.7%
6 Sales Workers	10	50	575.0%	0.5%
7 Machinery Operators and Drivers	170	120	-33.5%	1.0%
8 Labourers	280	40	-86.2%	0.3%
Not Recorded	< 5	10	233.3%	0.1%
Total	11 990	11 420	-4.8%	100.0%

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Table 9.03 Top 15 nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

312512 Mechanical Engineering Technician	400	520	29.4%	4.5%
511112 Program or Project Administrator	340	310	-9.0%	2.7%
321212 Diesel Motor Mechanic	220	270	26.3%	2.4%
331212 Carpenter	200	270	32.8%	2.4%
322311 Metal Fabricator	240	260	7.0%	2.3%
322313 Welder (First Class) (Aus) / Welder (NZ)	270	240	-10.8%	2.1%
233512 Mechanical Engineer	240	240	0.0%	2.1%
341111 Electrician (General)	200	230	13.7%	2.0%
233211 Civil Engineer	450	230	-48.4%	2.0%
323211 Fitter (General)	300	230	-22.3%	2.0%
321211 Motor Mechanic (General)	130	220	71.1%	1.9%
139999 Specialist Managers nec	280	210	-26.6%	1.8%
253111 General Medical Practitioner	130	190	51.2%	1.7%
234411 Geologist	400	190	-52.1%	1.7%
133111 Construction Project Manager	240	190	-24.2%	1.6%
Other Occupations	7 950	7 610	-4.2%	66.7%
Total	11 990	11 420	-4.8%	100.0%

Graph 9.04 Top 15 Nominated occupations for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia



9 WA

Table 9.05 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

United Kingdom	3 450	2 770	-19.7%	24.3%
Ireland, Republic of	1 520	1 960	29.3%	17.2%
Philippines	1 500	1 270	-15.2%	11.2%
United States of America	810	790	-2.5%	7.0%
India	720	730	0.7%	6.4%
China, Peoples Republic of	370	460	25.1%	4.0%
South Africa	400	290	-27.2%	2.6%
Canada	270	280	4.5%	2.4%
Korea, South	100	240	141.8%	2.1%
France	190	200	4.8%	1.7%
Malaysia	240	200	-19.4%	1.7%
Italy	150	170	12.9%	1.5%
Germany, Fed Republic of	210	150	-31.8%	1.3%
Indonesia	120	140	14.8%	1.2%
Netherlands, Kingdom of The	260	130	-49.0%	1.2%
Other Countries	1 670	1 640	-1.9%	14.4%
Total	11 990	11 420	-4.8%	100.0%

Graph 9.06 Top 15 citizenship countries for primary applications granted in 2012-13 to 31 March 2013 - nominated positions located in Western Australia

