



SkillSelect

SkillSelect is an online service that enables skilled workers interested in migrating to Australia to record their details to be considered for a skilled visa through an Expression of Interest (EOI). Intending migrants can be found and nominated for skilled visas by Australian employers or state and territory governments, or they could be invited by the Australian Government to lodge a visa application.

Reports that will be published

After each invitation round for the points based skilled migration visas, we will publish the lowest scoring points score that allowed an expression of interest (EOI) to be invited for each occupation group at a four-digit ANZSCO code level. This will give you an indication of your potential for receiving an invitation in future rounds.

When will the reports be published

Reports will be published on this page every month after each round of invitations is issued. We propose that the first report will be published in August 2012.

Occupation Ceilings

An occupation ceiling may be applied to invitations issued under the points based skilled migration program. This means there will be a limit on how many EOIs are selected for skilled migration from an occupation group. This ensures that the skilled migration program is not dominated by a small number of occupations.

When this limit is reached, no further invitations for that particular occupation group will be issued for that program year. Invitations would then be issued to other EOIs who have nominated available occupations even if they are lower ranking. For the state and territory nominated visas, a state or territory will not be able to nominate you if your nominated occupation has reached its occupation ceiling.

The below table shows the occupation ceiling for the 2012-2013 program year for each occupation on the skilled occupation lists at a four-digit ANZSCO code unit group.

ANZSCO code	Description	Occupation ceiling
1111	Chief Executives and Managing Directors	4260
1112	General Managers	3300
1211	Aquaculture Farmers	120
1212	Crop Farmers	2640
1213	Livestock Farmers	5400
1214	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmers	1860
1311	Advertising and Sales Managers	7740

1321	Corporate Services Managers	540
1322	Finance Managers	3420
1323	Human Resource Managers	3000
1324	Policy and Planning Managers	1740
1325	Research and Development Managers	540
1331	Construction Managers	4800
1332	Engineering Managers	960
1333	Importers, Exporters and Wholesalers	1560
1334	Manufacturers	1140
1335	Production Managers	3240
1336	Supply and Distribution Managers	1800
1341	Child Care Centre Managers	540
1342	Health and Welfare Services Managers	1260
1343	School Principals	1500
1344	Other Education Managers	780
1351	ICT Managers	2580
1391	Commissioned Officers (Management)	180
1392	Senior Non-commissioned Defence Force Members	No ceiling
3199	Other Specialist Managers	2400
1411	Cafe and Restaurant Managers	3660
1412	Caravan Park and Camping Ground Managers	180
1413	Hotel and Motel Managers	1380
1414	Licensed Club Managers	480
1419	Other Accommodation and Hospitality Managers	420
1421	Retail Managers	13140
1491	Amusement, Fitness and Sports Centre Managers	360
1492	Call or Contact Centre and Customer Service Managers	1980
1493	Conference and Event Organisers	1620
1494	Transport Services Managers	960
1499	Other Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers	4020
2111	Actors, Dancers and Other Entertainers	480
2112	Music Professionals	420
	Photographers	

2113		780
2114	Visual Arts and Crafts Professionals	480
2121	Artistic Directors, and Media Producers and Presenters	780
2122	Authors, and Book and Script Editors	420
2123	Film, Television, Radio and Stage Directors	660
2124	Journalists and Other Writers	1560
2211	Accountants	10440
2212	Auditors, Company Secretaries and Corporate Treasurers	960
2221	Financial Brokers	1200
2222	Financial Dealers	1140
2223	Financial Investment Advisers and Managers	2520
2231	Human Resource Professionals	4500
2232	ICT Trainers	180
2233	Training and Development Professionals	1860
2241	Actuaries, Mathematicians and Statisticians	420
2242	Archivists, Curators and Records Managers	300
2243	Economists	360
2244	Intelligence and Policy Analysts	1620
2245	Land Economists and Valuers	660
2246	Librarians	840
2247	Management and Organisation Analysts	2820
2249	Other Information and Organisation Professionals	840
2251	Advertising and Marketing Professionals	2940
2252	ICT Sales Professionals	900
2253	Public Relations Professionals	1260
2254	Technical Sales Representatives	2220
2311	Air Transport Professionals	660
2312	Marine Transport Professionals	540
2321	Architects and Landscape Architects	1500
2322	Cartographers and Surveyors	780
2323	Fashion, Industrial and Jewellery Designers	600
2324	Graphic and Web Designers, and Illustrators	3180
2325	Interior Designers	720

2326	Urban and Regional Planners	660
2331	Chemical and Materials Engineers	120
2332	Civil Engineering Professionals	2640
2333	Electrical Engineers	1260
2334	Electronics Engineers	480
2335	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	1620
2336	Mining Engineers	600
2339	Other Engineering Professionals	540
2341	Agricultural and Forestry Scientists	480
2342	Chemists, and Food and Wine Scientists	660
2343	Environmental Scientists	1620
2344	Geologists and Geophysicists	840
2345	Life Scientists	540
2346	Medical Laboratory Scientists	1260
2347	Veterinarians	480
2349	Other Natural and Physical Science Professionals	600
2411	Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teachers	1680
2412	Primary School Teachers	7620
2413	Middle School Teachers	60
2414	Secondary School Teachers	7020
2415	Special Education Teachers	840
2421	University Lecturers and Tutors	2280
2422	Vocational Education Teachers	2160
2491	Education Advisers and Reviewers	660
2492	Private Tutors and Teachers	1920
2493	Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages	180
2511	Dietitians	480
2512	Medical Imaging Professionals	1080
2513	Occupational and Environmental Health Professionals	1860
2514	Optometrists and Orthoptists	360
2515	Pharmacists	1380
2519	Other Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals	480
2521	Chiropractors and Osteopaths	240

2522	Complementary Health Therapists	480
2523	Dental Practitioners	720
2524	Occupational Therapists	720
2525	Physiotherapists	840
2526	Podiatrists	300
2527	Speech Professionals and Audiologists	420
2531	Generalist Medical Practitioners	3000
2532	Anaesthetists	120
2533	Internal Medicine Specialists	360
2534	Psychiatrists	300
2535	Surgeons	300
2539	Other Medical Practitioners	780
2541	Midwives	1020
2542	Nurse Educators and Researchers	360
2543	Nurse Managers	900
2544	Registered Nurses	13380
2611	ICT Business and Systems Analysts	1800
2612	Multimedia Specialists and Web Developers	420
2613	Software and Applications Programmers	5160
2621	Database and Systems Administrators, and ICT Security Specialists	2400
2631	Computer Network Professionals	1740
2632	ICT Support and Test Engineers	360
2633	Telecommunications Engineering Professionals	480
2711	Barristers	420
2712	Judicial and Other Legal Professionals	420
2713	Solicitors	3480
2721	Counsellors	1080
2722	Ministers of Religion	900
2723	Psychologists	1440
2724	Social Professionals	720
2725	Social Workers	1260
2726	Welfare, Recreation and Community Arts Workers	1800

3111	Agricultural Technicians	120
3112	Medical Technicians	1800
3113	Primary Products Inspectors	180
3114	Science Technicians	1200
3121	Architectural, Building and Surveying Technicians	3360
3122	Civil Engineering Draftspersons and Technicians	660
3123	Electrical Engineering Draftspersons and Technicians	480
3124	Electronic Engineering Draftspersons and Technicians	420
3125	Mechanical Engineering Draftspersons and Technicians	420
3126	Safety Inspectors	180
3129	Other Building and Engineering Technicians	1620
3131	ICT Support Technicians	3060
3132	Telecommunications Technical Specialists	360
3211	Automotive Electricians	420
3212	Motor Mechanics	5160
3221	Metal Casting, Forging and Finishing Trades Workers	180
3222	Sheetmetal Trades Workers	600
3223	Structural Steel and Welding Trades Workers	4860
3231	Aircraft Maintenance Engineers	780
3232	Metal Fitters and Machinists	7500
3233	Precision Metal Trades Workers	360
3234	Toolmakers and Engineering Patternmakers	120
3241	Panelbeaters	960
3242	Vehicle Body Builders and Trimmers	240
3243	Vehicle Painters	660
3311	Bricklayers and Stonemasons	1920
3312	Carpenters and Joiners	7140
3321	Floor Finishers	420
3322	Painting Trades Workers	2940
3331	Glaziers	600
3332	Plasterers	1620
3333	Roof Tilers	540
3334	Wall and Floor Tilers	1140

3334		1140
3341	Plumbers	5100
3411	Electricians	9000
3421	Airconditioning and Refrigeration Mechanics	1560
3422	Electrical Distribution Trades Workers	600
3423	Electronics Trades Workers	2160
3424	Telecommunications Trades Workers	960
3511	Bakers and Pastrycooks	2040
3512	Butchers and Smallgoods Makers	1380
3513	Chefs	4920
3514	Cooks	1800
3611	Animal Attendants and Trainers	780
3612	Shearers	240
3613	Veterinary Nurses	660
3621	Florists	420
3622	Gardeners	4140
3623	Greenkeepers	900
3624	Nurserypersons	360
3911	Hairdressers	3960
3921	Binders, Finishers and Screen Printers	300
3922	Graphic Pre-press Trades Workers	180
3923	Printers	720
3931	Canvas and Leather Goods Makers	120
3932	Clothing Trades Workers	420
3933	Upholsterers	180
3941	Cabinetmakers	1440
3942	Wood Machinists and Other Wood Trades Workers	420
3991	Boat Builders and Shipwrights	360
3992	Chemical, Gas, Petroleum and Power Generation Plant Operators	660
3993	Gallery, Library and Museum Technicians	420
3994	Jewellers	300
3995	Performing Arts Technicians	780
3996	Signwriters	360

3999	Other Miscellaneous Technicians and Trades Workers	1020
4111	Ambulance Officers and Paramedics	1080
4112	Dental Hygienists, Technicians and Therapists	360
4113	Diversional Therapists	300
4114	Enrolled and Mothercraft Nurses	1500
4115	Indigenous Health Workers	60
4116	Massage Therapists	840
4117	Welfare Support Workers	3120
4411	Defence Force Members - Other Ranks	No ceiling
4412	Fire and Emergency Workers	960
4413	Police	3000
4421	Prison Officers	840
4422	Security Officers and Guards	3180
4512	Driving Instructors	240
4513	Funeral Workers	240
4517	Travel Attendants	720
4518	Other Personal Service Workers	720
4523	Sports Coaches, Instructors and Officials	1980
4524	Sportspersons	900
5111	Contract, Program and Project Administrators	6420
5121	Office Managers	9600
5991	Conveyancers and Legal Executives	600
5992	Court and Legal Clerks	720
5996	Insurance Investigators, Loss Adjusters and Risk Surveyors	300
5999	Other Miscellaneous Clerical and Administrative Workers	1080
6111	Auctioneers, and Stock and Station Agents	120
6112	Insurance Agents	540
6121	Real Estate Sales Agents	5100
6392	Retail and Wool Buyers	240
7122	Drillers, Miners and Shot Firers	3060

Skilled Independent (subclass 189) visa

- » This points-based visa is for skilled workers who are not sponsored by an employer, a state or territory, or a family member.
- » A visa holder can live and work permanently anywhere in Australia.
- » Certain family members can be included in the application.

Skilled - Nominated (subclass 190) visa

- » This points-based visa is for skilled workers who are nominated by a state or territory.
- » A visa holder can live and work permanently anywhere in Australia.
- » Certain family members can be included in the application.

Skilled - Nominated or Sponsored (Provisional) (subclass 489) visa

- » This points-based visa is for skilled workers who are nominated by a state or territory or sponsored by an eligible relative living in a designated area in Australia.
- » The visa is valid for four years, and a visa holder must live and work in a specified regional area.
- » Certain family members can be included in the application.
- » This visa allows holders of visa subclasses 495, 496, 475 and 487 to stay in Australia for an additional year.

Subclass 457 visa

This visa allows a business to employ someone from outside Australia in a skilled job in Australia.

If you hold this visa, you can:

- » work in Australia for up to four years
- » bring your family with you
- » travel in and out of Australia as often as you want

Employer Nomination Scheme (subclass 186)

This visa is for skilled workers from outside Australia or skilled temporary residents who live and work in Australia. It has three streams.

- » The Temporary Residence Transition stream is for subclass 457 visa holders who have worked for two years and their employer wants to offer them a permanent position.
- » The Direct Entry stream is for people who have never, or only briefly, worked in the Australian labour market.
- » The Agreement stream is for people sponsored by an employer through a labour or regional migration agreement.

Regional Sponsored Migration Scheme (subclass 187)

This visa is for skilled workers from outside Australia or skilled temporary residents who live and work in regional Australia. It has three streams.

- » The Temporary Residence Transition stream is for subclass 457 visa holders who have worked for two years and their employer wants to offer them a permanent position.
- » The Direct Entry stream is for people who have never, or only briefly, worked in the Australian labour market.
- » The Agreements stream is for people sponsored by an employer through a labour or regional migration agreement.

Business Talent (Permanent) (subclass 132) visa

This visa has two streams.

- » The Significant Business History stream is for affluent owners or part owners of a business who want to have a major management role in a new or existing business in Australia.
- » The Venture Capital Entrepreneur stream is for people who have obtained at least AUD1 million in funding from an Australian venture capital firm.

Business Innovation and Investment (Provisional) (subclass 188) visa

The visa has two streams.

- » The Business Innovation stream is for people who want to own and manage a new or existing business in Australia.
- » The Investor stream is for people who want to make a designated investment in an Australian state or territory and want to maintain business and investment activity in Australia after the original investment has matured.

Business Innovation and Investment (Permanent) (subclass 888) visa

The visa has two streams:

- » the Business Innovation stream is for people who own and manage a business in Australia
- » the Investor stream is for people who have a designated investment in an Australian state or territory and want to maintain business and/or investment activity in Australia after the original investment has matured.

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