

Apprentices and trainees 2019 - March quarter

NORTHERN TERRITORY



3405 in training as at 31 March 2019 (up 10.5% from March 2018)



2.6% of workers were employed as an apprentice or trainee



8.4% of employed workers within the trade occupations were an apprentice or trainee

Commencements 12 months ending 31 March 2019

(% change from previous 12 months)



2405 commencements (up 23.7% from March 2018)



810 trades (up 23.5% from March 2018)



1595 non-trades (up 23.9% from March 2018)



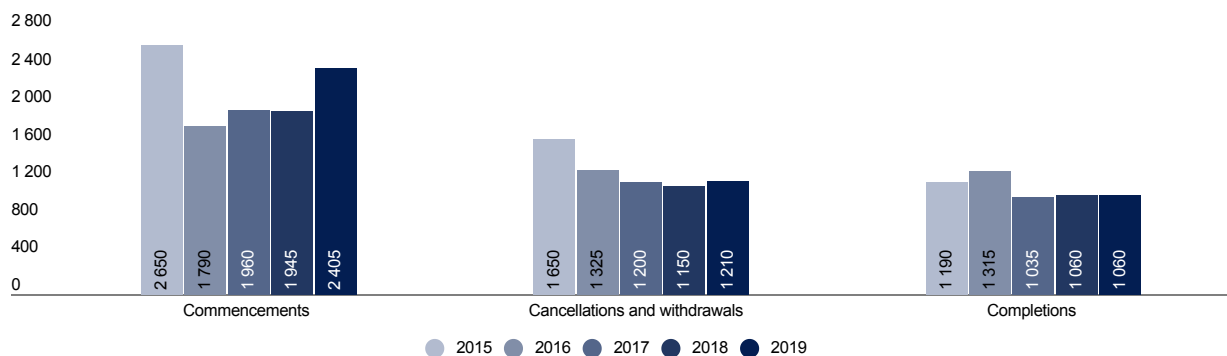
1395 males (up 18.0% from March 2018)



1010 females (up 32.7% from March 2018)

Northern Territory in summary

12 months ending 31 March

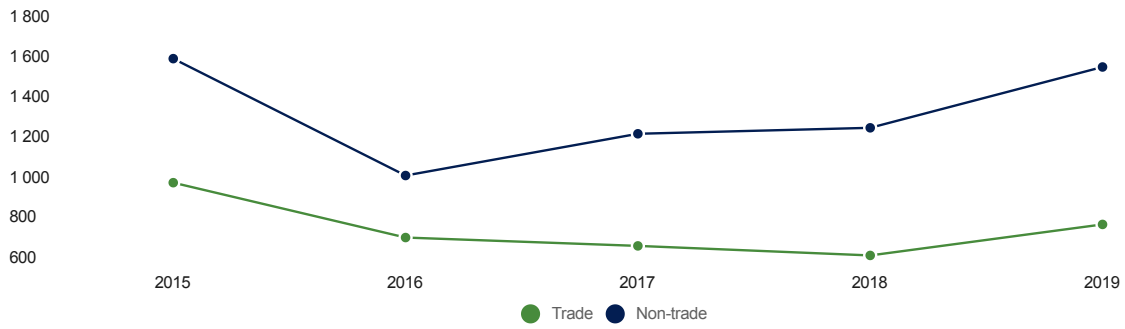


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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2018 to 2019 (% change)	2015 to 2019 (% change)
Commencements	2 650	1 790	1 960	1 945	2 405	23.7	-9.3
Cancellations and withdrawals	1 650	1 325	1 200	1 150	1 210	5.1	-26.6
Completions	1 190	1 315	1 035	1 060	1 060	0.1	-10.8
In training	3 825	3 220	3 130	3 080	3 405	10.5	-11.0

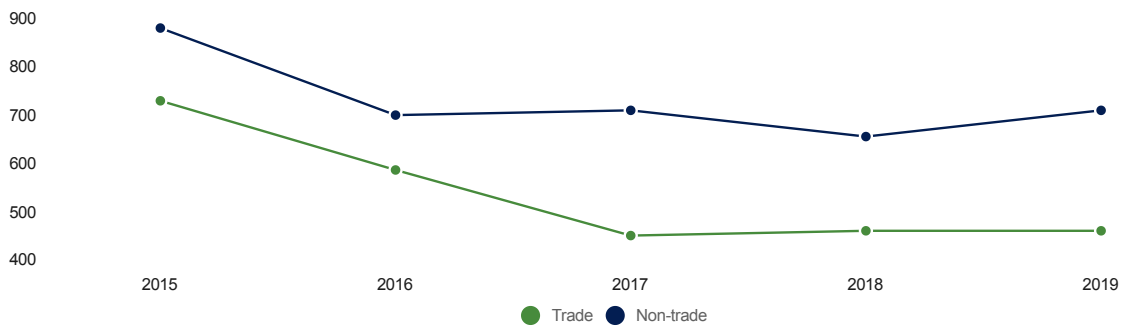
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Commencements



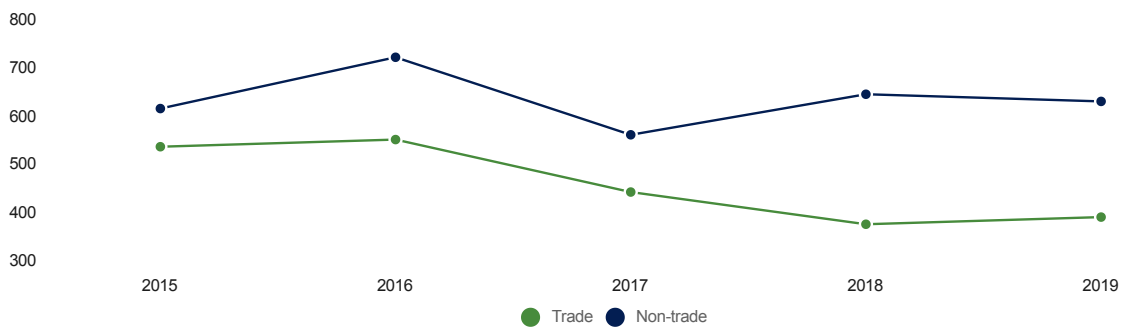
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Cancellations and withdrawals



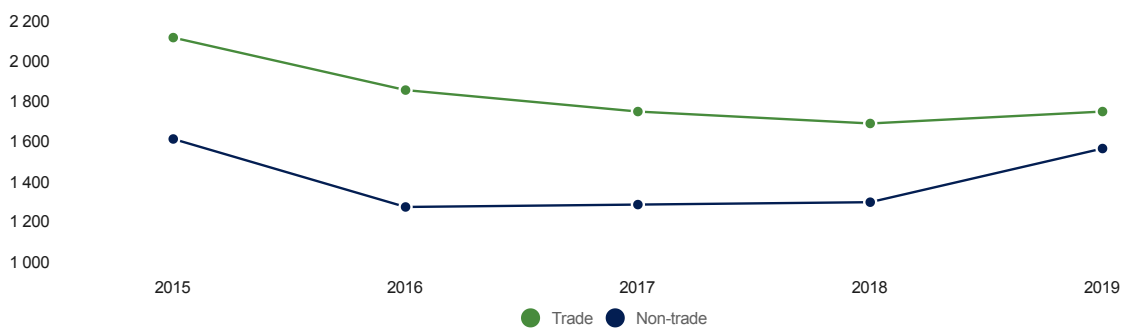
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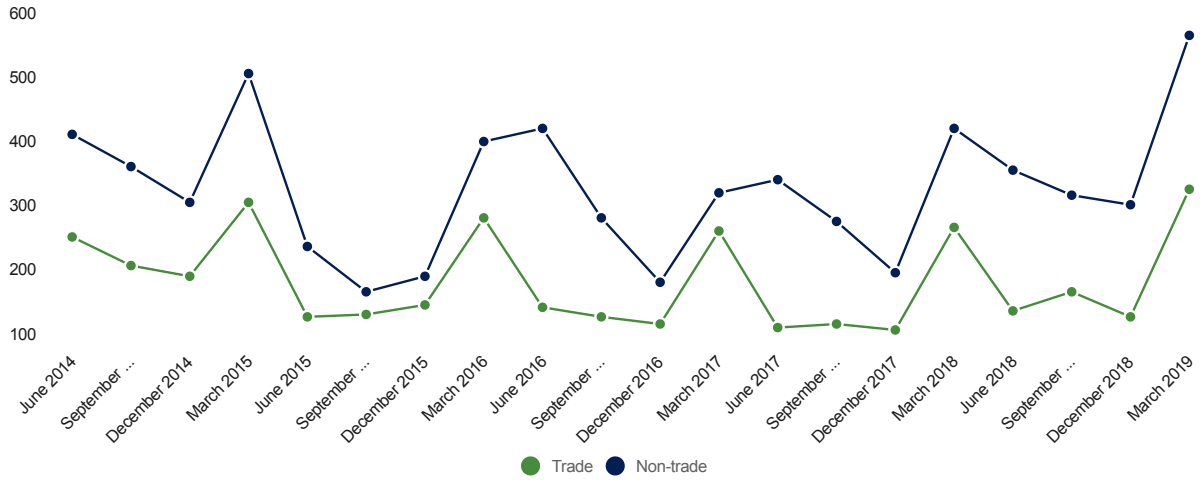


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Northern Territory quarterly training activity

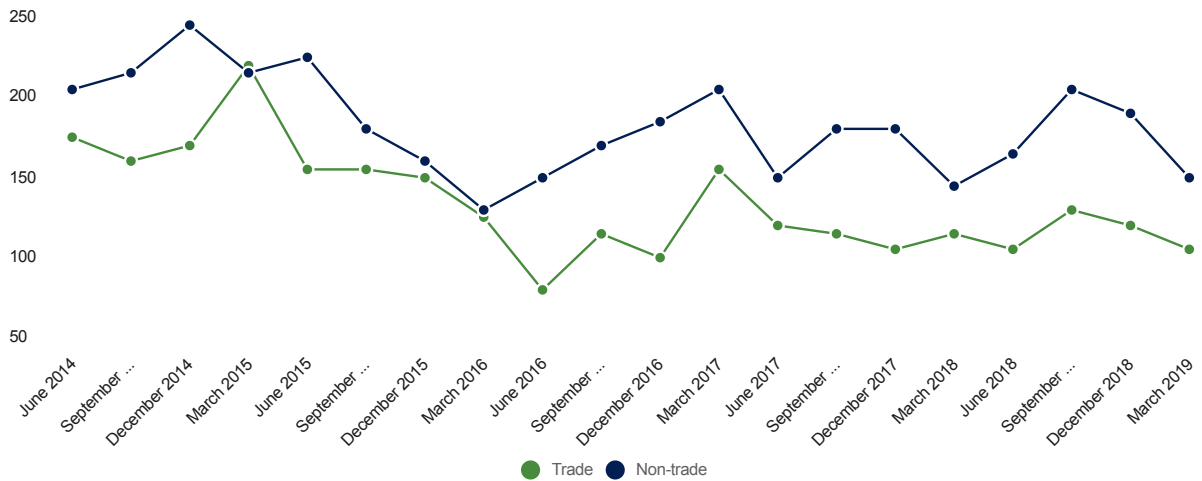
(Quarterly activity over the last five years)

Commencements



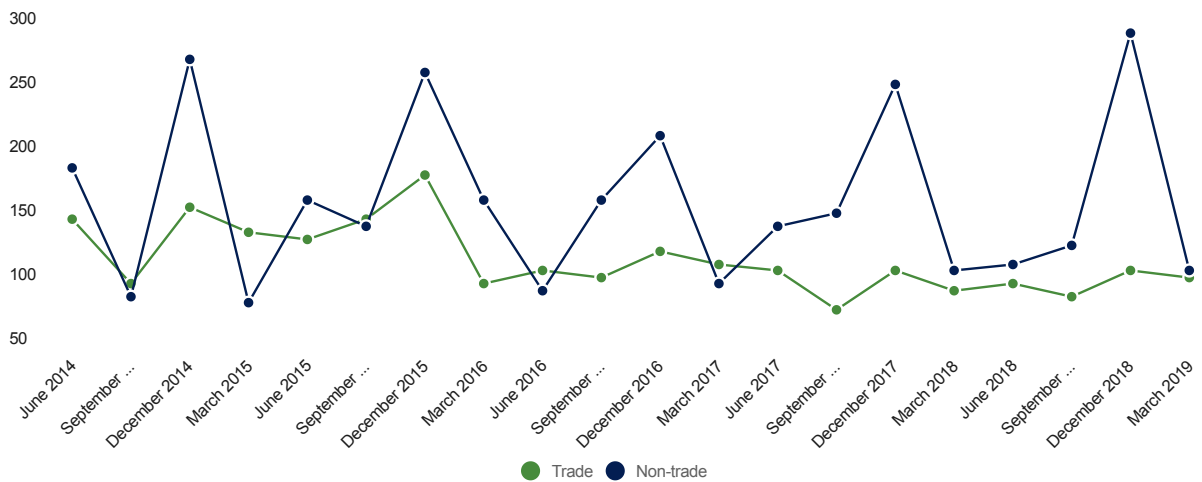
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Cancellations and withdrawals



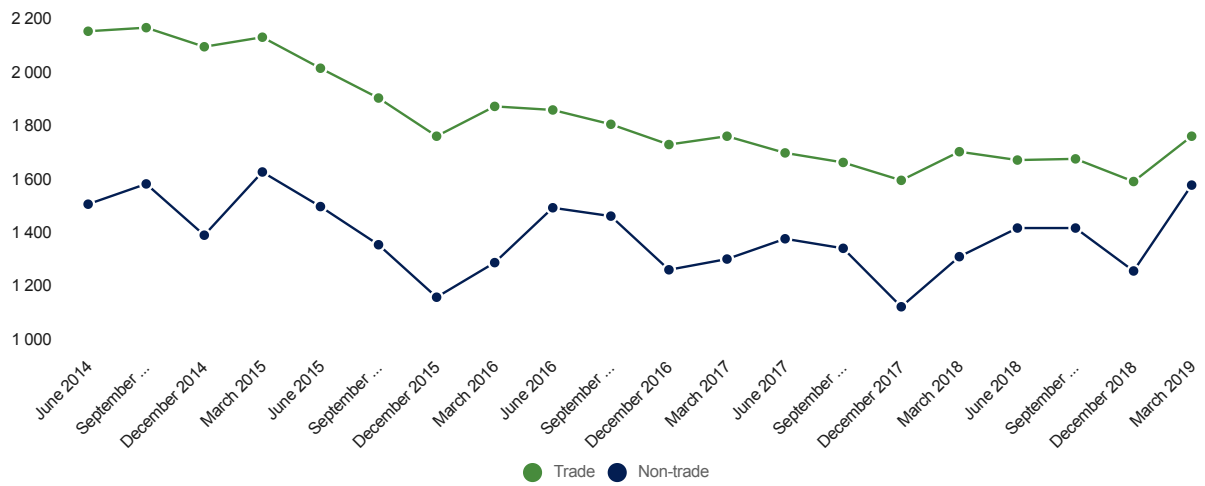
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In training at the end of the quarter



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	Commencements	Cancellations and withdrawals	Completions	In training at the end of the quarter
June 2014	690	390	340	3 720
September 2014	595	385	190	3 815
December 2014	525	425	435	3 555
March 2015	840	445	220	3 825
June 2015	390	395	300	3 580
September 2015	330	345	295	3 330
December 2015	360	320	455	2 980
March 2016	710	265	270	3 220
June 2016	595	240	210	3 415
September 2016	430	295	270	3 340
December 2016	325	295	340	3 060
March 2017	610	365	220	3 130
June 2017	480	280	255	3 140
September 2017	420	310	235	3 070
December 2017	330	295	365	2 785
March 2018	720	270	205	3 080
June 2018	520	280	215	3 155
September 2018	510	345	220	3 160
December 2018	455	320	405	2 915
March 2019	915	265	220	3 405

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What's happened in the Northern Territory in the last year...

(Change in numbers from 12 months ending 31 March 2018)

Commencements

↑ INCREASE	↓ DECREASE
+330 Full-time (+22.2%)	-20 Managers (-44.8%)
+320 Private sector (+19.9%)	-15 Engineering, ICT and science technicians (-23.6%)
+315 Certificate III (+23.3%)	
+310 Non-trade (+23.9%)	
+280 Newly commencing worker (+18.3%)	
+250 Female (+32.7%)	
+240 25 to 44 years (+41.4%)	
+155 Community and personal service workers (+34%)	
+60 Automotive and engineering trades workers (+30.5%)	

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Cancellations and withdrawals

↑ INCREASE	↓ DECREASE
+80 Private sector (+8.4%)	-15 Government (-16%)
+65 Female (+15.5%)	-10 Clerical and administrative workers (-7.2%)
+60 Sales workers (+64.3%)	-10 Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers (-7.8%)
+60 Non-trade (+8.7%)	-5 Male (-0.7%)
+55 Two years or less (+5.8%)	-5 Certificate IV (-5.8%)
+40 Certificate III (+5.1%)	-5 25 to 44 years (-0.9%)
+40 Full-time (+4.7%)	
+35 Existing worker (+13.8%)	
+30 19 years and under (+9.7%)	
+15 Skilled animal and horticultural workers (+174%)	

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Completions

↑ INCREASE	↓ DECREASE
+90 Community and personal service workers (+49.7%)	-40 Machinery operators and drivers (-50.2%)
+30 Certificate IV (+49.1%)	-30 Automotive and engineering trades workers (-26%)
+30 Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers (+22.8%)	-20 Existing worker (-8.5%)
+30 25 to 44 years (+8.3%)	-20 20 to 24 years (-5.5%)
+20 Full-time (+2.1%)	-15 Part-time (-8%)
+20 Newly commencing worker (+2.5%)	-15 Certificate I or II (-9.6%)
+15 Trade (+3.6%)	-15 Non-trade (-2%)
+10 More than two years (+3.3%)	-10 Two years or less (-1.4%)
+5 Male (+0.8%)	-5 Female (-1.1%)

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In training as at 31 March

↑ INCREASE	↓ DECREASE
+265 Non-trade (+19.7%)	-35 Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers (-5.8%)
+210 Full-time (+8.5%)	-5 Managers (-15.5%)
+185 Certificate III (+7.7%)	
+180 Female (+19.5%)	
+175 25 to 44 years (+16.6%)	
+165 Existing worker (+23.9%)	
+165 Private sector (+6.3%)	
+130 Community and personal service workers (+25.4%)	
+55 Automotive and engineering trades workers (+10.8%)	

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Note: The counts contained in the table show the largest differences (increases and/or decreases) in numbers within each demographic category and have been rounded to the nearest five.

Northern Territory demographic overview

12 months ending 31 March 2015 to 2019

Commencements

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2018 to 2019 (% change)	2015 to 2019 (% change)
AGE							
19 years and under	920	660	725	775	815	5.4	-11.3
20 to 24 years	530	420	470	460	515	11.6	-3.3
25 to 44 years	960	575	620	575	815	41.4	-15.0
45 years and over	240	135	140	135	260	95.1	8.0
SEX							
Male	1 635	1 105	1 175	1 185	1 395	18.0	-14.4
Female	1 020	685	785	760	1 010	32.7	-1.0
FULL-TIME STATUS							
Full-time	2 090	1 410	1 495	1 475	1 805	22.2	-13.7
Part-time	560	380	465	470	600	28.4	7.2
EMPLOYER TYPE							
Government	185	140	125	170	285	68.6	54.1
Private sector	2 245	1 475	1 695	1 605	1 925	19.9	-14.3
Group training scheme	220	175	140	170	195	15.3	-11.0
TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Engineering, ICT and science technicians	140	40	45	65	50	-23.6	-63.7
Automotive and engineering trades workers	255	195	220	195	255	30.5	1.1
Construction trades workers	135	135	125	110	140	24.5	2.6
Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers	195	195	170	170	180	6.9	-7.3
Food trades workers	65	75	55	55	60	13.1	-3.0
Skilled animal and horticultural workers	15	15	20	10	40	234.4	150.8
Other technicians and trades workers	210	90	65	45	80	79.9	-62.5
NON-TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Managers	125	55	60	40	20	-44.8	-82.2
Professionals	10	10	35	5	45	800.5	462.8
Community and personal service workers	565	370	445	450	605	34.0	6.9
Clerical and administrative workers	295	215	210	175	200	14.0	-31.9
Sales workers	185	165	180	190	265	39.4	43.2
Machinery operators and drivers	110	95	110	135	160	16.9	48.3
Labourers	355	135	220	295	305	3.5	-14.3
AQF QUALIFICATION LEVEL							
Certificate I or II	520	240	265	300	320	7.0	-37.8
Certificate III	1 785	1 325	1 385	1 360	1 675	23.3	-6.0
Certificate IV	235	140	185	205	215	4.7	-8.3
Diploma/advanced diploma	115	85	125	75	190	147.3	68.5
EXISTING WORKER							
Existing worker	620	420	385	415	595	43.6	-4.2
Newly commencing worker	2 030	1 370	1 575	1 530	1 810	18.3	-10.8
TOTAL	2 650	1 790	1 960	1 945	2 405	23.7	-9.3

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Cancellations and withdrawals

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2018 to 2019 (% change)	2015 to 2019 (% change)
AGE							
19 years and under	490	405	320	300	330	9.7	-32.7
20 to 24 years	445	355	365	335	355	6.2	-19.9
25 to 44 years	565	465	420	425	420	-0.9	-25.6
45 years and over	145	105	90	90	100	14.7	-30.4
SEX							
Male	970	825	695	740	735	-0.7	-24.5
Female	680	500	500	415	480	15.5	-29.7
FULL-TIME STATUS							
Full-time	1 265	1 055	915	875	915	4.7	-27.8
Part-time	385	270	285	280	295	6.4	-22.8
EMPLOYER TYPE							
Government	70	70	95	90	75	-16.0	3.0
Private sector	1 410	1 100	1 005	965	1 045	8.4	-25.7
Group training scheme	170	155	100	95	90	-8.1	-47.2
TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Engineering, ICT and science technicians	105	40	30	25	20	-19.5	-82.3
Automotive and engineering trades workers	225	180	140	140	135	-2.6	-39.2
Construction trades workers	95	100	90	90	95	3.6	2.8
Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers	135	130	100	110	100	-7.8	-25.9
Food trades workers	65	55	40	55	55	0.5	-12.0
Skilled animal and horticultural workers	15	10	15	10	20	174.0	69.1
Other technicians and trades workers	115	90	55	50	50	-0.4	-56.5
NON-TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Managers	75	60	45	25	20	-19.2	-74.5
Professionals	5	0	10	10	10	-2.7	11.6
Community and personal service workers	295	240	280	225	230	2.8	-22.4
Clerical and administrative workers	185	160	120	125	115	-7.2	-37.1
Sales workers	145	90	125	90	150	64.3	3.1
Machinery operators and drivers	55	60	60	70	70	4.7	31.7
Labourers	135	105	90	130	135	2.5	-1.0
AQF QUALIFICATION LEVEL							
Certificate I or II	255	165	145	155	165	5.1	-35.4
Certificate III	1 190	995	875	835	875	5.1	-26.4
Certificate IV	125	110	120	115	110	-5.8	-13.9
Diploma/advanced diploma	80	55	55	50	65	31.3	-21.4
EXISTING WORKER							
Existing worker	365	270	270	240	270	13.8	-25.9
Newly commencing worker	1 285	1 055	925	915	940	2.9	-26.8
DURATION UNTIL CANCELLED/WITHDRAWN							
Two years or less	1 440	1 175	1 005	985	1 045	5.8	-27.7
More than two years	210	150	195	165	170	1.5	-19.3
TOTAL	1 650	1 325	1 200	1 150	1 210	5.1	-26.6

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Completions

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2018 to 2019 (% change)	2015 to 2019 (% change)
AGE							
19 years and under	230	210	185	220	210	-6.5	-10.5
20 to 24 years	365	425	350	390	370	-5.5	0.7
25 to 44 years	460	545	405	360	390	8.3	-15.8
45 years and over	130	135	95	90	95	7.8	-26.2
SEX							
Male	725	875	680	645	650	0.8	-10.0
Female	465	440	355	410	410	-1.1	-12.1
FULL-TIME STATUS							
Full-time	1 020	1 135	855	845	865	2.1	-15.2
Part-time	170	180	180	215	195	-8.0	15.2
EMPLOYER TYPE							
Government	80	100	75	75	75	2.9	-5.9
Private sector	1 015	1 130	895	910	910	0.0	-10.4
Group training scheme	90	85	65	75	75	-1.9	-20.0
TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Engineering, ICT and science technicians	70	70	25	25	35	21.9	-51.6
Automotive and engineering trades workers	150	150	135	120	90	-26.0	-40.6
Construction trades workers	85	85	70	65	55	-15.3	-37.7
Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers	140	140	145	130	160	22.8	13.3
Food trades workers	20	25	25	15	30	80.8	61.8
Skilled animal and horticultural workers	5	5	5	10	15	41.0	158.5
Other technicians and trades workers	80	95	50	25	25	6.6	-69.0
NON-TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Managers	65	40	40	40	10	-73.1	-82.4
Professionals	5	5	10	30	0	0.0	0.0
Community and personal service workers	270	270	220	180	270	49.7	-0.4
Clerical and administrative workers	125	125	95	95	80	-18.8	-38.6
Sales workers	65	70	80	115	85	-25.3	35.3
Machinery operators and drivers	35	70	50	80	40	-50.2	10.5
Labourers	70	165	85	125	170	36.4	133.0
AQF QUALIFICATION LEVEL							
Certificate I or II	175	215	145	160	145	-9.6	-16.3
Certificate III	815	925	770	785	785	-0.4	-4.0
Certificate IV	145	140	60	60	90	49.1	-36.9
Diploma/advanced diploma	55	35	55	50	40	-20.0	-27.2
EXISTING WORKER							
Existing worker	325	355	240	230	210	-8.5	-35.6
Newly commencing worker	860	955	795	830	850	2.5	-1.5
ACTUAL DURATION OF TRAINING							
Two years or less	785	940	700	725	715	-1.4	-8.9
More than two years	405	375	335	335	345	3.3	-14.6
TOTAL	1 190	1 315	1 035	1 060	1 060	0.1	-10.8

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In training as at 31 March

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2018 to 2019 (% change)	2015 to 2019 (% change)
AGE							
19 years and under	1 075	850	845	840	885	5.3	-17.6
20 to 24 years	1 045	990	970	965	980	1.6	-6.5
25 to 44 years	1 400	1 140	1 090	1 060	1 235	16.6	-12.1
45 years and over	300	240	225	215	305	41.1	2.0
SEX							
Male	2 670	2 265	2 195	2 150	2 295	6.7	-14.1
Female	1 150	955	935	925	1 105	19.5	-3.9
FULL-TIME STATUS							
Full-time	3 120	2 600	2 520	2 485	2 695	8.5	-13.5
Part-time	705	625	610	595	705	18.8	0.1
EMPLOYER TYPE							
Government	250	230	190	200	330	66.9	31.8
Private sector	3 270	2 735	2 700	2 645	2 815	6.3	-13.9
Group training scheme	300	255	240	235	260	10.7	-14.6
TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Engineering, ICT and science technicians	160	70	55	70	65	-3.4	-57.8
Automotive and engineering trades workers	635	550	530	510	565	10.8	-11.4
Construction trades workers	340	320	320	305	340	10.5	0.0
Electrotechnology and telecommunications trades workers	625	625	595	580	545	-5.8	-12.4
Food trades workers	115	120	120	115	100	-12.6	-13.4
Skilled animal and horticultural workers	30	25	30	20	30	44.9	13.8
Other technicians and trades workers	265	185	150	135	145	9.5	-44.6
NON-TRADES (Occupation, ANZSCO group)							
Managers	140	95	65	40	35	-15.5	-76.0
Professionals	15	20	40	10	40	382.9	175.8
Community and personal service workers	585	470	445	510	640	25.4	10.1
Clerical and administrative workers	310	250	245	200	210	5.2	-31.8
Sales workers	190	210	190	185	220	21.4	16.9
Machinery operators and drivers	140	120	150	145	200	36.6	45.5
Labourers	280	155	205	255	260	2.7	-7.6
AQF QUALIFICATION LEVEL							
Certificate I or II	395	270	255	245	265	10.1	-32.5
Certificate III	2 970	2 585	2 485	2 415	2 605	7.7	-12.4
Certificate IV	305	215	225	265	285	8.0	-7.2
Diploma/advanced diploma	150	150	170	155	250	59.1	65.4
EXISTING WORKER							
Existing worker	945	780	680	685	845	23.9	-10.6
Newly commencing worker	2 875	2 445	2 450	2 395	2 555	6.7	-11.1
TOTAL	3 825	3 220	3 130	3 080	3 405	10.5	-11.0

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Unknown data have not been reported in any tables, whereas the total includes all contracts, including those with unknown status. Hence, some figures in the tables may not sum to the total.

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