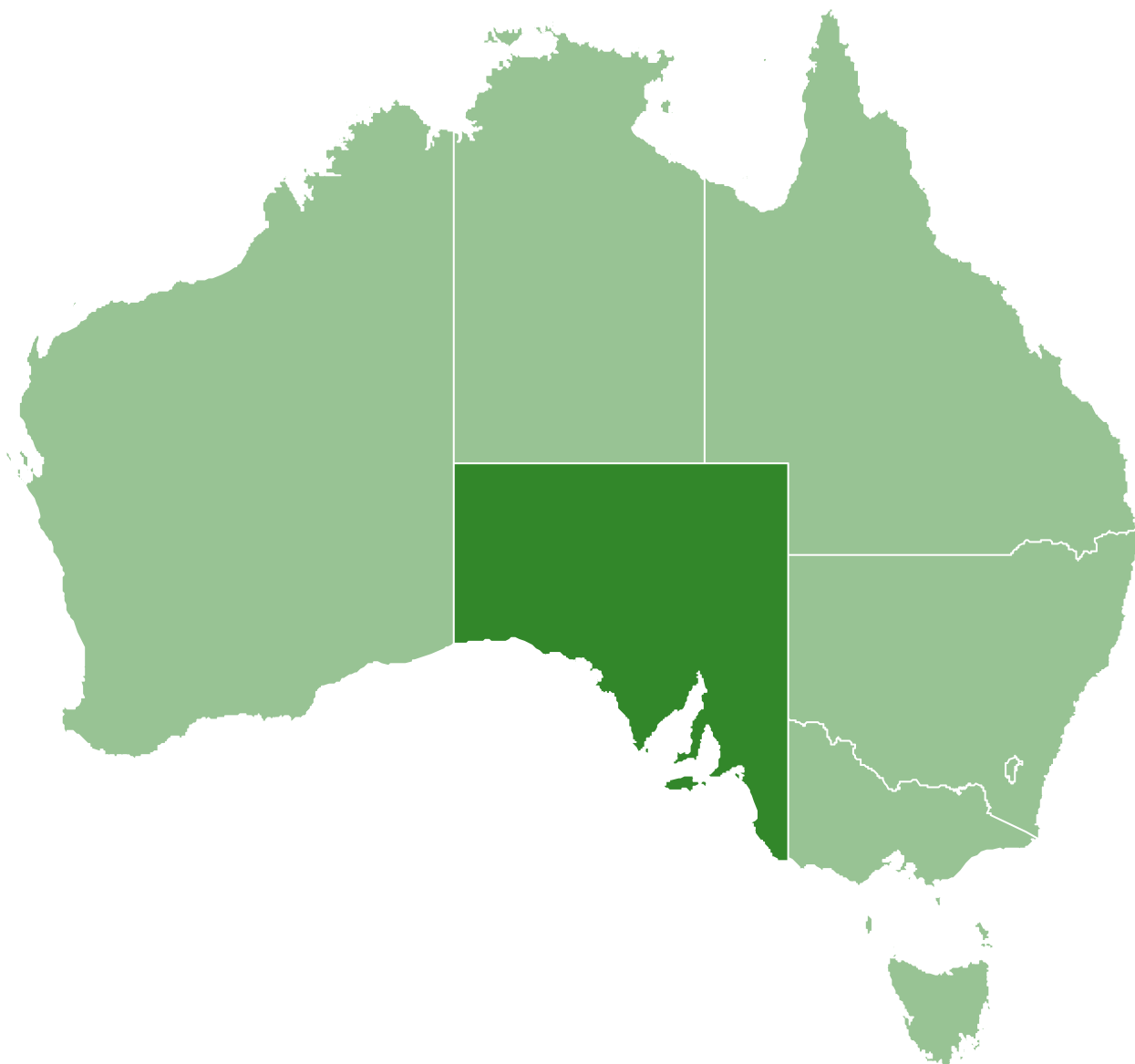


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Commencements highlights

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3 680 commencements (up **72.9%** from September quarter 2020)



1 500 trades (up **55.2%** from September quarter 2020)



2 175 non-trades (up **87.6%** from September quarter 2020)



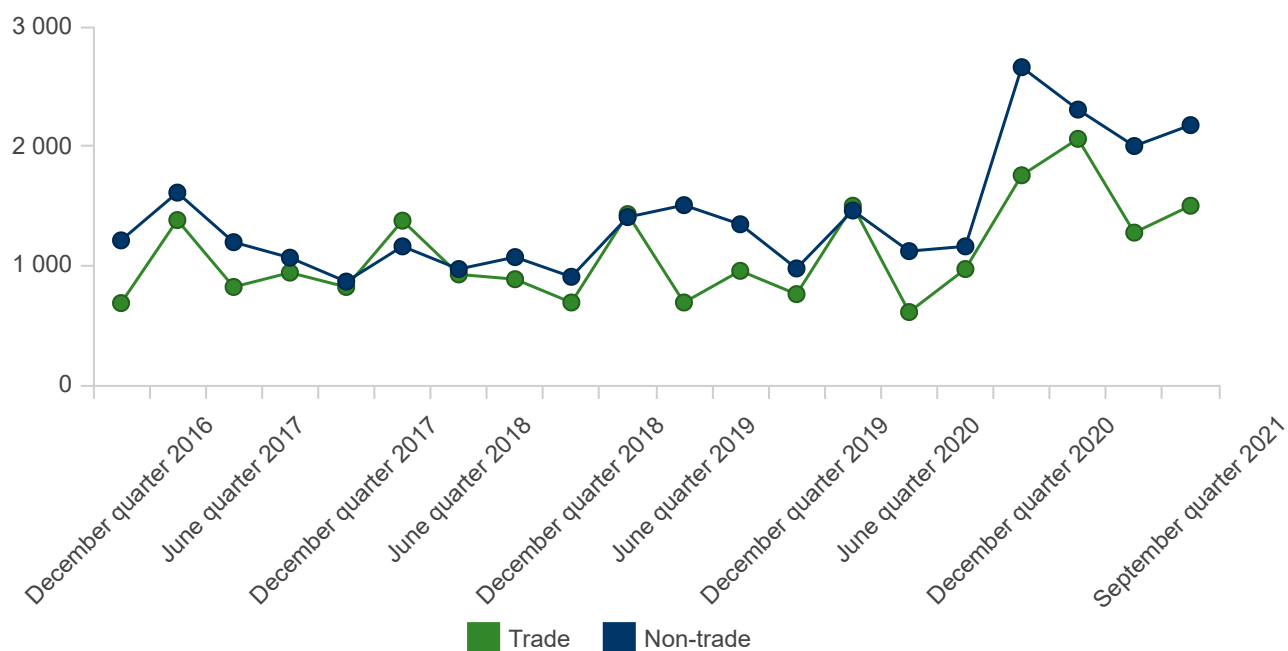
2 250 males (up **64.6%** from September quarter 2020)



1 430 females (up **87.7%** from September quarter 2020)

Commencements trends

Quarterly



Change in commencements numbers

from September quarter 2020 to September quarter 2021

Other Technicians and Trades Workers (Trade)

↑ 125 (103.3%)

Clerical and Administrative Workers (Non-trade)

↑ 375 (126.9%)

Private sector

↑ 1 220 (73.0%)

Newly commencing worker

↑ 1 375 (88.4%)

Certificate III

↑ 1 115 (64.4%)

Full-time

↑ 1 010 (64.7%)

30 to 39 years

↑ 350 (125.2%)

Note: The numbers above are the largest absolute changes (increases or decreases) within each demographic category. A dash means a percentage change has not been calculated due to small base numbers.

Commencements time series for trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 270 | 230 | 270 | 200 | 290 | 7.1 | 44.7 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 260 | 215 | 250 | 240 | 315 | 20.5 | 32.6 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 165 | 210 | 165 | 175 | 290 | 74.5 | 66.5 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 5 | 20 | 25 | 60 | 130 | 1 744.7 | 118.9 |
| Food Trades Workers | 100 | 90 | 85 | 105 | 105 | 2.5 | -3.3 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 90 | 70 | 110 | 120 | 245 | 174.1 | 103.3 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 50 | 50 | 50 | 70 | 135 | 179.7 | 86.5 |
| Total | 940 | 885 | 955 | 970 | 1 500 | 59.7 | 55.2 |

Commencements time series for non-trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 220 | 305 | 360 | 295 | 670 | 207.0 | 126.9 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 185 | 260 | 310 | 190 | 445 | 139.3 | 131.8 |
| Labourers | 145 | 145 | 105 | 180 | 145 | 0.4 | -19.5 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 155 | 90 | 165 | 75 | 260 | 64.5 | 249.0 |
| Managers | 5 | 5 | 45 | 75 | 110 | 2641.4 | 48.2 |
| Professionals | 0 | 5 | 15 | 25 | 55 | - | 116.8 |
| Sales Workers | 355 | 265 | 345 | 320 | 495 | 38.8 | 55.3 |
| Total | 1 065 | 1 070 | 1 345 | 1 160 | 2 175 | 104.2 | 87.6 |

Cancellations and withdrawals



Cancellations / withdrawals highlights

as at September quarter 2021



1 325 cancellations / withdrawals (up **66.4%** from September quarter 2020)



700 trades (up **77.2%** from September quarter 2020)



625 non-trades (up **55.7%** from September quarter 2020)



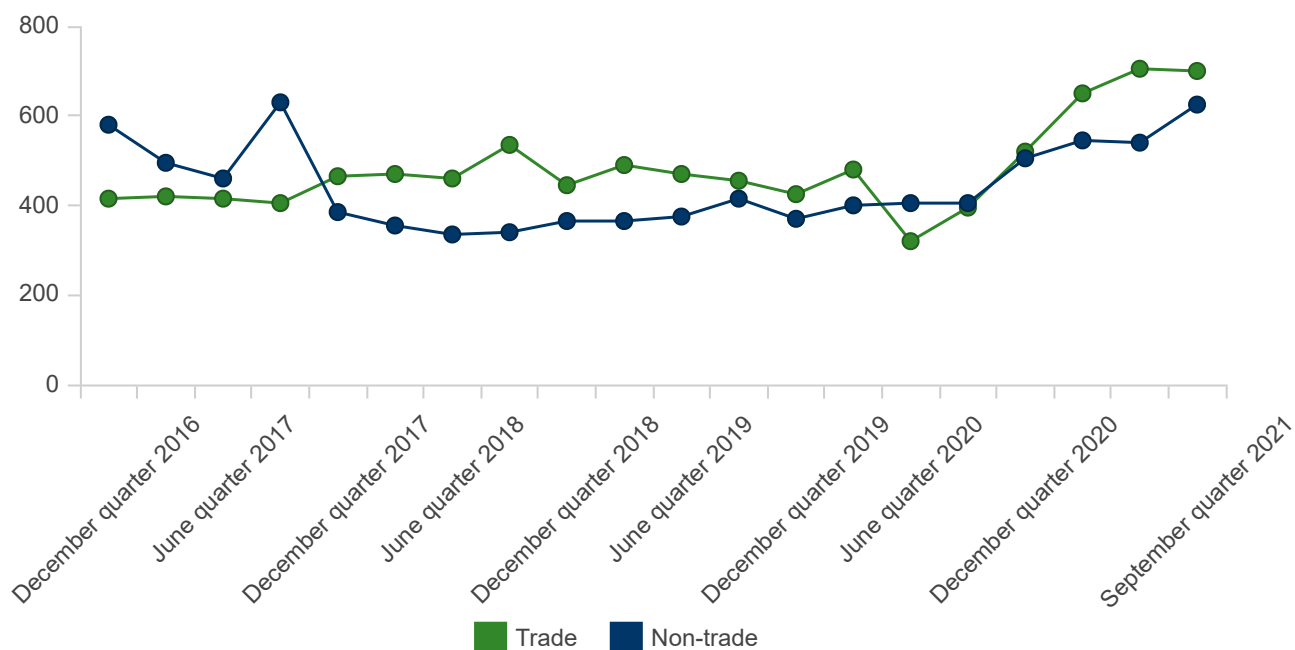
835 males (up **68.2%** from September quarter 2020)



495 females (up **63.3%** from September quarter 2020)

Cancellations / withdrawals trends

Quarterly



Change in cancellations / withdrawals numbers

from September quarter 2020 to September quarter 2021

| |
|--|
| Construction Trades Workers (Trade) |
| ↑ 85 (91.1%) |
| Community and Personal Service Workers (Non-trade) |
| ↑ 80 (116.8%) |
| Private sector |
| ↑ 410 (65.8%) |
| Newly commencing worker |
| ↑ 465 (75.6%) |
| Certificate III |
| ↑ 450 (72.5%) |
| Full-time |
| ↑ 410 (66.2%) |
| 15 to 19 years |
| ↑ 185 (84.5%) |

Note: The numbers above are the largest absolute changes (increases or decreases) within each demographic category. A dash means a percentage change has not been calculated due to small base numbers.

Cancellations / withdrawals time series for trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 105 | 145 | 135 | 115 | 170 | 65.7 | 50.9 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 115 | 140 | 120 | 95 | 180 | 58.0 | 91.1 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 45 | 60 | 65 | 60 | 105 | 126.3 | 67.2 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 0 | 10 | 0 | 20 | 15 | 767.7 | -7.1 |
| Food Trades Workers | 70 | 80 | 65 | 35 | 70 | -0.5 | 89.1 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 50 | 80 | 50 | 55 | 110 | 113.9 | 106.0 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 20 | 20 | 15 | 15 | 45 | 147.9 | 202.5 |
| Total | 405 | 535 | 455 | 395 | 700 | 72.2 | 77.2 |

Cancellations / withdrawals time series for non-trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 95 | 85 | 145 | 120 | 195 | 107.0 | 58.9 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 65 | 65 | 80 | 65 | 145 | 118.3 | 116.8 |
| Labourers | 75 | 85 | 70 | 40 | 85 | 12.4 | 108.2 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 45 | 35 | 30 | 55 | 40 | -18.2 | -30.2 |
| Managers | 10 | 0 | 10 | 45 | 30 | 158.2 | -30.6 |
| Professionals | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 20 | 891.6 | 536.9 |
| Sales Workers | 330 | 70 | 80 | 70 | 115 | -65.9 | 62.2 |
| Total | 630 | 340 | 415 | 405 | 625 | -0.1 | 55.7 |

Completions



Completions highlights

as at September quarter 2021



1 360 completions (up **52.8%** from September quarter 2020)



685 trades (up **61.0%** from September quarter 2020)



670 non-trades (up **45.2%** from September quarter 2020)



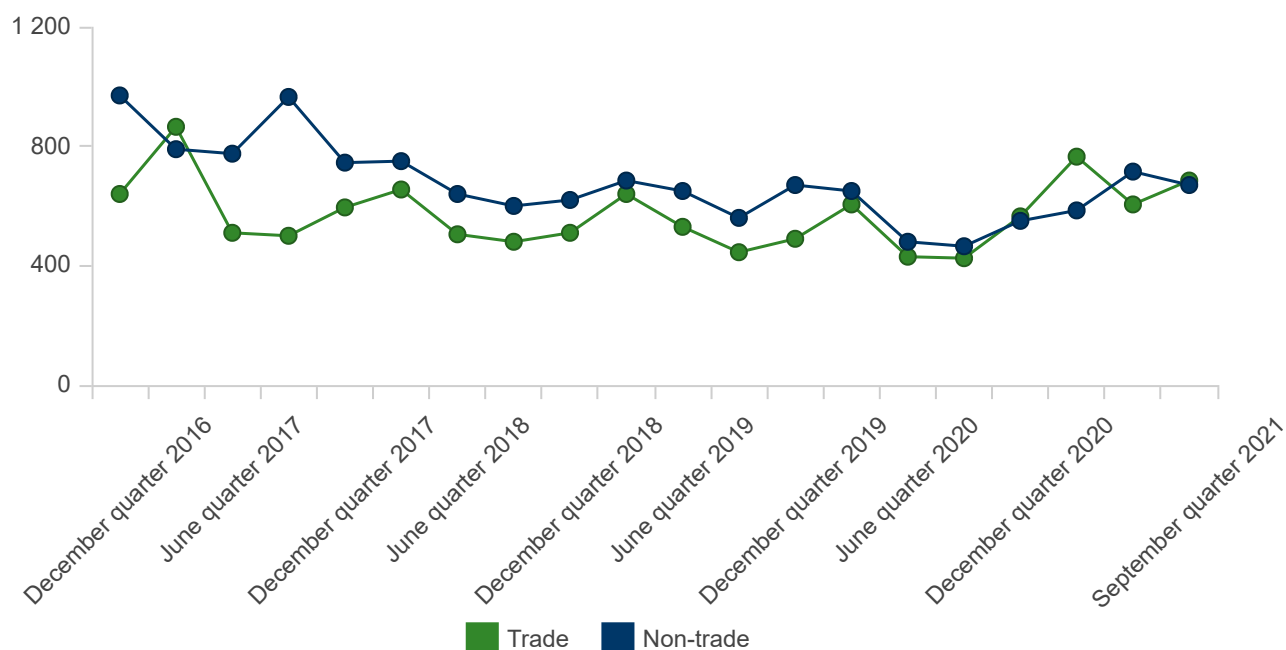
880 males (up **52.3%** from September quarter 2020)



480 females (up **53.8%** from September quarter 2020)

Completions trends

Quarterly



Change in completions numbers

from September quarter 2020 to September quarter 2021

Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers (Trade)

↑ 100 (97.5%)

Clerical and Administrative Workers (Non-trade)

↑ 75 (63.5%)

Private sector

↑ 280 (40.2%)

Newly commencing worker

↑ 340 (44.2%)

Certificate III

↑ 410 (53.4%)

Full-time

↑ 355 (53.1%)

20 to 24 years

↑ 220 (53.2%)

Note: The numbers above are the largest absolute changes (increases or decreases) within each demographic category. A dash means a percentage change has not been calculated due to small base numbers.

Completions time series for trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 125 | 125 | 120 | 105 | 205 | 67.3 | 97.5 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 125 | 135 | 125 | 120 | 185 | 51.9 | 57.1 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 120 | 105 | 90 | 85 | 155 | 31.1 | 89.5 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 5 | 5 | 5 | 15 | 15 | 241.9 | 31.5 |
| Food Trades Workers | 55 | 45 | 40 | 40 | 35 | -38.0 | -7.0 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 55 | 45 | 45 | 45 | 55 | -2.6 | 14.0 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 30 | 58.3 | 35.7 |
| Total | 500 | 480 | 445 | 425 | 685 | 36.7 | 61.0 |

Completions time series for non-trade occupations

as at September quarter 2021

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 125 | 115 | 185 | 115 | 190 | 49.2 | 63.5 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 105 | 105 | 150 | 55 | 105 | 1.8 | 90.6 |
| Labourers | 95 | 60 | 45 | 35 | 35 | -63.2 | -7.6 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 60 | 90 | 40 | 55 | 70 | 19.9 | 22.0 |
| Managers | 10 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 50 | 298.9 | 857.2 |
| Professionals | 5 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 14.0 | -62.0 |
| Sales Workers | 570 | 230 | 130 | 180 | 225 | -60.8 | 22.7 |
| Total | 965 | 600 | 560 | 465 | 670 | -30.4 | 45.2 |

In-training



In-training highlights

as at September quarter 2021



24 650 in-training (up **33.8%** from 30 September 2020)



2.8% of workers were employed as an apprentice or trainee



11.9% of employed workers within the trade occupations were an apprentice or trainee



14 120 trades (up **19.4%** from 30 September 2020)



10 530 non-trades (up **59.6%** from 30 September 2020)



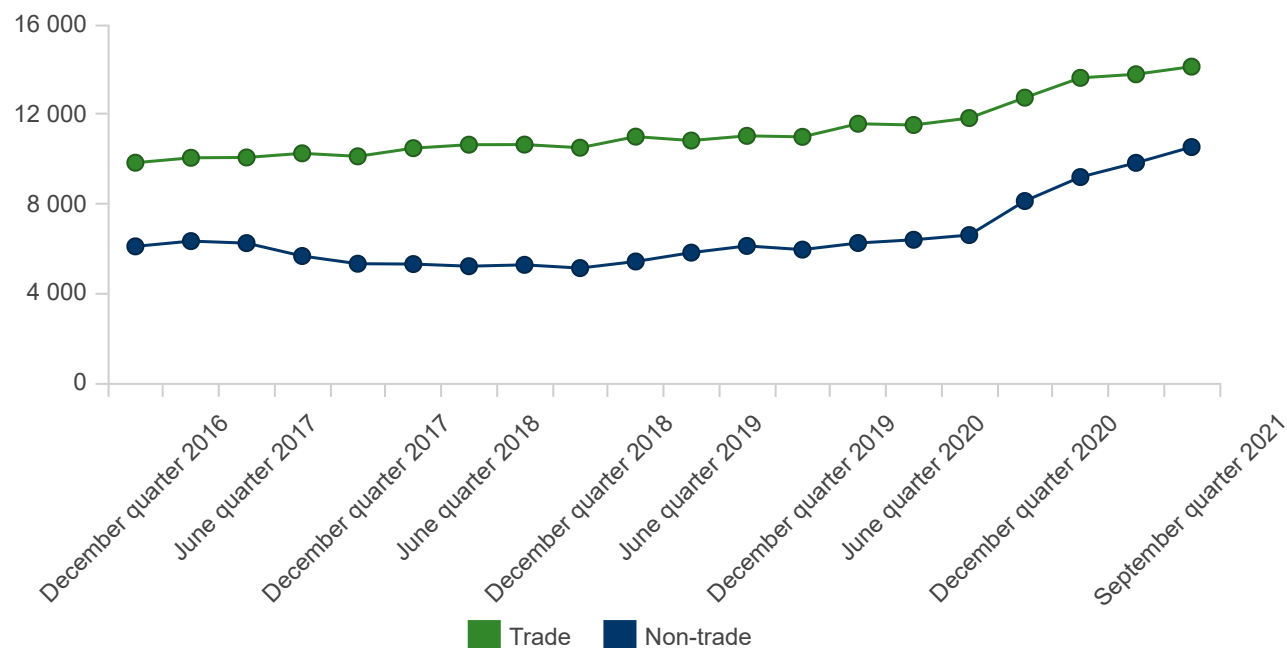
17 320 males (up **25.9%** from 30 September 2020)



7 330 females (up **56.9%** from 30 September 2020)

In-training trends

Quarterly



Change in in-training numbers

from 30 September 2020 to September 2021



Note: The numbers above are the largest absolute changes (increases or decreases) within each demographic category. A dash means a percentage change has not been calculated due to small base numbers.

In-training time series for trade occupations

as at September 2021

| Trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 2 750 | 2 930 | 3 145 | 3 300 | 3 545 | 28.9 | 7.5 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 2 785 | 2 940 | 2 990 | 3 120 | 3 580 | 28.5 | 14.7 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 2 135 | 2 310 | 2 475 | 2 750 | 3 190 | 49.3 | 16.0 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 110 | 120 | 150 | 275 | 545 | 402.6 | 96.2 |
| Food Trades Workers | 995 | 910 | 860 | 845 | 1 080 | 8.7 | 27.9 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 1 025 | 980 | 975 | 1 020 | 1 435 | 40.1 | 41.2 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 445 | 450 | 440 | 515 | 740 | 66.5 | 44.0 |
| Total | 10 250 | 10 640 | 11 030 | 11 825 | 14 120 | 37.8 | 19.4 |

In-training time series for non-trade occupations

as at September 2021

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 Sep Qtr | 2018 Sep Qtr | 2019 Sep Qtr | 2020 Sep Qtr | 2021 Sep Qtr | % change 2017- 2021 | % change 2020- 2021 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 875 | 860 | 1 220 | 1 320 | 2 810 | 220.8 | 113.0 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 1 085 | 1 180 | 1 185 | 1 325 | 2 105 | 94.4 | 58.7 |
| Labourers | 655 | 715 | 735 | 845 | 1 510 | 131.1 | 78.6 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 780 | 655 | 920 | 830 | 975 | 24.8 | 17.3 |
| Managers | 180 | 115 | 205 | 425 | 570 | 214.5 | 33.2 |
| Professionals | 40 | 35 | 60 | 105 | 275 | 629.7 | 166.9 |
| Sales Workers | 2 050 | 1 710 | 1 790 | 1 750 | 2 285 | 11.4 | 30.8 |
| Total | 5 665 | 5 270 | 6 115 | 6 600 | 10 530 | 85.9 | 59.6 |

Time series

| Quarter | Commencements | Cancellations and withdrawals | Completions | In-training at the end of the quarter |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|
| December quarter 2016 | 1 895 | 1 000 | 1 610 | 15 920 |
| March quarter 2017 | 2 990 | 920 | 1 655 | 16 380 |
| June quarter 2017 | 2 015 | 880 | 1 285 | 16 305 |
| September quarter 2017 | 2 005 | 1 035 | 1 470 | 15 915 |
| December quarter 2017 | 1 685 | 850 | 1 340 | 15 440 |
| March quarter 2018 | 2 530 | 830 | 1 405 | 15 785 |
| June quarter 2018 | 1 895 | 795 | 1 145 | 15 845 |
| September quarter 2018 | 1 955 | 875 | 1 080 | 15 910 |
| December quarter 2018 | 1 600 | 810 | 1 130 | 15 625 |
| March quarter 2019 | 2 835 | 860 | 1 325 | 16 415 |
| June quarter 2019 | 2 195 | 845 | 1 180 | 16 630 |
| September quarter 2019 | 2 300 | 870 | 1 005 | 17 145 |
| December quarter 2019 | 1 730 | 800 | 1 160 | 16 935 |
| March quarter 2020 | 2 960 | 880 | 1 255 | 17 815 |
| June quarter 2020 | 1 725 | 725 | 915 | 17 905 |
| September quarter 2020 | 2 130 | 795 | 890 | 18 425 |
| December quarter 2020 | 4 415 | 1 025 | 1 110 | 20 855 |
| March quarter 2021 | 4 370 | 1 195 | 1 355 | 22 805 |
| June quarter 2021 | 3 275 | 1 240 | 1 320 | 23 610 |
| September quarter 2021 | 3 680 | 1 325 | 1 360 | 24 650 |

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Commencements



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15 740 commencements (up 84.2% from 2020)



6 595 trades (up 72.1% from 2020)



9 145 non-trades (up 94.1% from 2020)



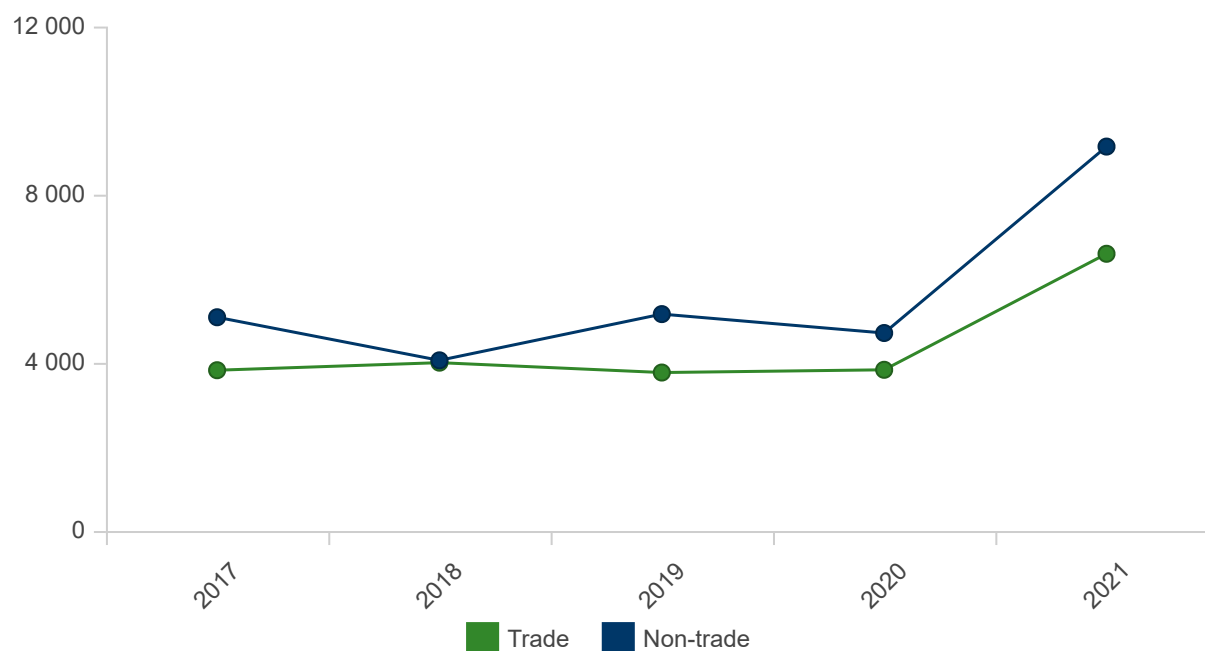
9 670 males (up 77.9% from 2020)



6 065 females (up 95.2% from 2020)

Commencements trends

12 months ending 30 September



Change in commencements numbers

from 2020 to 2021

| |
|---|
| Construction Trades Workers (Trade) |
| ↑ 655 (70.7%) |
| Clerical and Administrative Workers (Non-trade) |
| ↑ 1 625 (129.8%) |
| Private sector |
| ↑ 5 930 (90.7%) |
| Newly commencing worker |
| ↑ 5 800 (91.4%) |
| Certificate III |
| ↑ 5 325 (78.6%) |
| Full-time |
| ↑ 5 100 (79.6%) |
| 15 to 19 years |
| ↑ 1 940 (52.9%) |

Note: The numbers above are the largest absolute changes (increases or decreases) within each demographic category. A dash means a percentage change has not been calculated due to small base numbers.

Commencements time series for trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

| Trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 1 110 | 1 135 | 1 135 | 975 | 1 435 | 29.2 | 47.6 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 1 020 | 1 030 | 910 | 930 | 1 585 | 55.4 | 70.7 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 670 | 795 | 790 | 785 | 1 225 | 82.5 | 55.4 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 60 | 90 | 90 | 230 | 440 | 605.7 | 91.1 |
| Food Trades Workers | 420 | 355 | 330 | 310 | 570 | 35.5 | 82.0 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 340 | 390 | 330 | 365 | 865 | 153.8 | 136.5 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 205 | 210 | 185 | 240 | 480 | 136.8 | 101.9 |
| Total | 3 825 | 4 005 | 3 770 | 3 835 | 6 595 | 72.4 | 72.1 |

Commencements time series for non-trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 895 | 905 | 1 445 | 1 250 | 2 875 | 221.2 | 129.8 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 880 | 905 | 960 | 995 | 1 785 | 103.0 | 79.2 |
| Labourers | 535 | 575 | 590 | 590 | 1 130 | 111.3 | 91.3 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 625 | 435 | 645 | 400 | 745 | 19.4 | 86.3 |
| Managers | 30 | 15 | 140 | 300 | 420 | 1212.6 | 40.5 |
| Professionals | 15 | 15 | 50 | 95 | 255 | 1398.1 | 170.9 |
| Sales Workers | 2 100 | 1 210 | 1 325 | 1 080 | 1 930 | -8.1 | 79.0 |
| Total | 5 085 | 4 060 | 5 160 | 4 710 | 9 145 | 79.8 | 94.1 |

Cancellations and withdrawals



Cancellations / withdrawals highlights

12 months ending 30 September 2021



4 785 cancellations / withdrawals (up 49.5% from 2020)



2 575 trades (up 58.4% from 2020)



2 210 non-trades (up 40.2% from 2020)



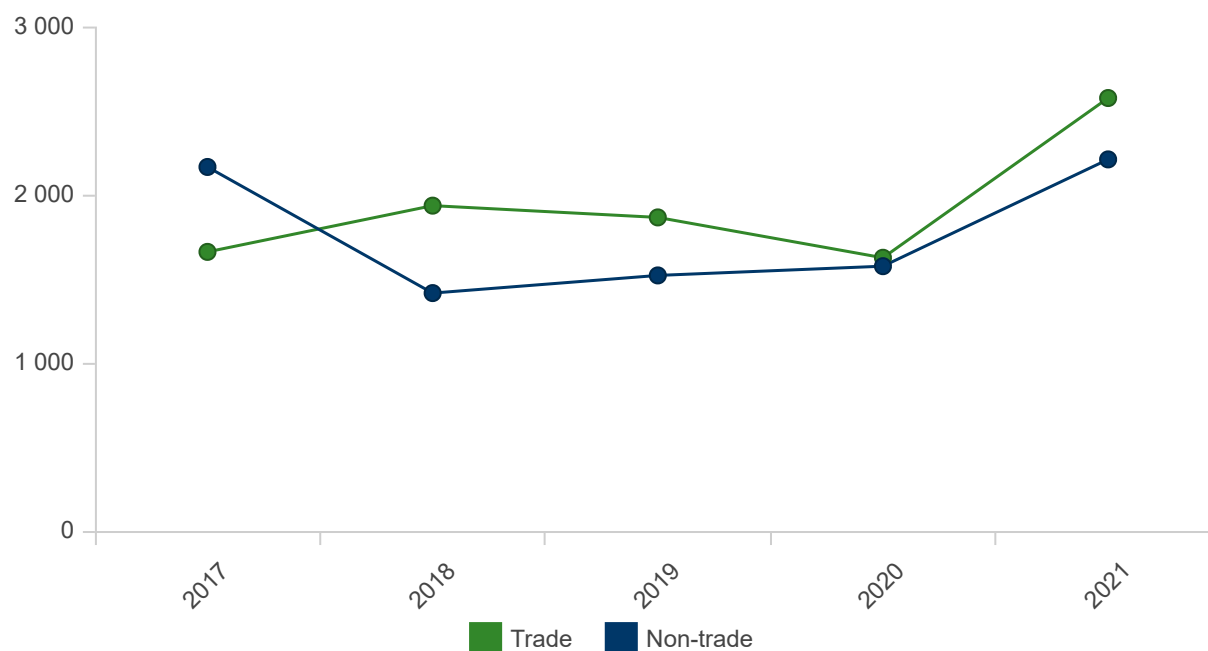
3 010 males (up 48.5% from 2020)



1 775 females (up 51.1% from 2020)

Cancellations / withdrawals trends

12 months ending 30 September



Change in cancellations / withdrawals numbers

from 2020 to 2021

| |
|---|
| Construction Trades Workers (Trade) |
| ↑ 275 (66.8%) |
| Clerical and Administrative Workers (Non-trade) |
| ↑ 195 (38.3%) |
| Private sector |
| ↑ 1 175 (45.5%) |
| Newly commencing worker |
| ↑ 1 160 (42.0%) |
| Certificate III |
| ↑ 1 165 (43.1%) |
| Full-time |
| ↑ 1 135 (43.7%) |
| 15 to 19 years |
| ↑ 435 (42.4%) |

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Cancellations / withdrawals time series for trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

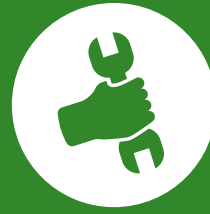
| Trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 395 | 505 | 515 | 490 | 640 | 61.1 | 30.2 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 445 | 510 | 495 | 415 | 690 | 54.9 | 66.8 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 175 | 225 | 250 | 210 | 375 | 115.5 | 77.9 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 20 | 20 | 15 | 35 | 100 | 420.4 | 167.0 |
| Food Trades Workers | 325 | 340 | 280 | 195 | 280 | -13.1 | 43.1 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 230 | 250 | 240 | 215 | 345 | 50.7 | 60.9 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 75 | 85 | 75 | 60 | 145 | 95.3 | 135.5 |
| Total | 1 660 | 1 935 | 1 865 | 1 625 | 2 575 | 54.8 | 58.4 |

Cancellations / withdrawals time series for non-trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 320 | 320 | 480 | 505 | 700 | 118.8 | 38.3 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 300 | 250 | 270 | 385 | 505 | 69.2 | 30.5 |
| Labourers | 285 | 305 | 305 | 190 | 245 | -13.5 | 30.6 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 130 | 165 | 135 | 175 | 165 | 25.3 | -6.1 |
| Managers | 55 | 15 | 15 | 55 | 140 | 146.6 | 147.4 |
| Professionals | 10 | 5 | 10 | 15 | 35 | 367.7 | 128.8 |
| Sales Workers | 1 070 | 365 | 310 | 250 | 420 | -60.7 | 69.3 |
| Total | 2 165 | 1 415 | 1 520 | 1 575 | 2 210 | 2.1 | 40.2 |

Completions



Completions highlights

12 months ending 30 September 2021



5 145 completions (up 21.9% from 2020)



2 620 trades (up 34.5% from 2020)



2 525 non-trades (up 11.2% from 2020)



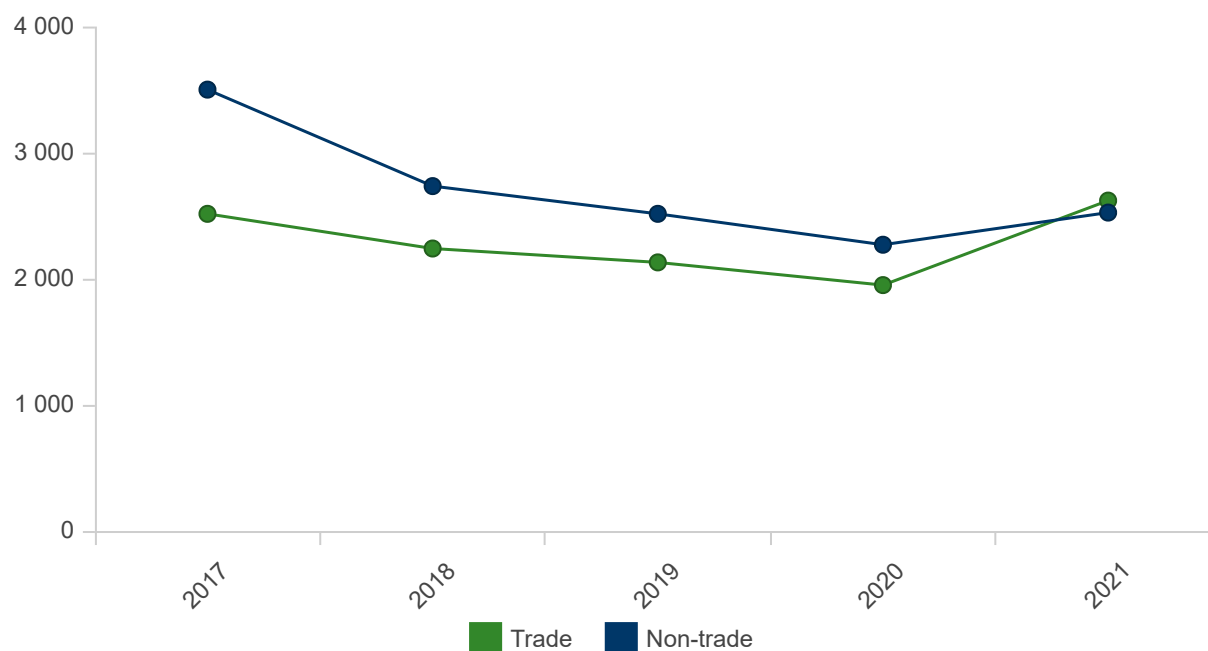
3 500 males (up 29.3% from 2020)



1 645 females (up 8.7% from 2020)

Completions trends

12 months ending 30 September



Change in completions numbers

from 2020 to 2021

Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers (Trade)

↑ 290 (61.2%)

Managers (Non-trade)

↑ 115 (867.2%)

Private sector

↑ 605 (18.2%)

Newly commencing worker

↑ 475 (13.1%)

Certificate III

↑ 705 (18.8%)

Full-time

↑ 705 (21.8%)

20 to 24 years

↑ 380 (19.6%)

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Completions time series for trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

| Trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers | 715 | 580 | 555 | 470 | 760 | 6.7 | 61.2 |
| Construction Trades Workers | 555 | 590 | 570 | 570 | 720 | 30.1 | 26.9 |
| Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers | 595 | 505 | 490 | 415 | 595 | 0.2 | 43.1 |
| Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians | 50 | 40 | 35 | 55 | 65 | 32.2 | 17.5 |
| Food Trades Workers | 250 | 180 | 165 | 155 | 125 | -49.0 | -18.4 |
| Other Technicians and Trades Workers | 225 | 235 | 210 | 190 | 240 | 6.4 | 27.8 |
| Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers | 130 | 110 | 110 | 95 | 115 | -11.8 | 18.5 |
| Total | 2 515 | 2 240 | 2 130 | 1 950 | 2 620 | 4.3 | 34.5 |

Completions time series for non-trade occupations

12 months ending 30 September

| Non-trade occupations | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change 2017-2021 | % change 2020-2021 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Clerical and Administrative Workers | 500 | 555 | 565 | 570 | 645 | 29.6 | 13.7 |
| Community and Personal Service Workers | 565 | 490 | 620 | 425 | 415 | -26.2 | -2.7 |
| Labourers | 290 | 205 | 240 | 230 | 175 | -39.3 | -23.5 |
| Machinery operators and Drivers | 160 | 345 | 225 | 255 | 310 | 92.7 | 23.4 |
| Managers | 80 | 45 | 20 | 15 | 125 | 57.2 | 867.2 |
| Professionals | 20 | 10 | 15 | 30 | 35 | 57.7 | 18.3 |
| Sales Workers | 1 885 | 1 085 | 830 | 750 | 815 | -56.9 | 8.6 |
| Total | 3 500 | 2 735 | 2 515 | 2 270 | 2 525 | -27.9 | 11.2 |

Time series

| 12 months ending 30 September | Commencements | Cancellations and withdrawals | Completions |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|-------------|
| 2017 | 8 910 | 3 830 | 6 015 |
| 2018 | 8 065 | 3 350 | 4 975 |
| 2019 | 8 925 | 3 380 | 4 645 |
| 2020 | 8 545 | 3 200 | 4 220 |
| 2021 | 15 740 | 4 785 | 5 145 |

Additional Information

Note that the percentages presented in this product are reported to one decimal place. All other numbers, after aggregation, have been rounded to the nearest five. Rounding can lead to instances where the numbers in the body of a given table might not add to the rounded totals.

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.

As the vocations approved to be under an apprenticeship or traineeship training contract are not consistent across all jurisdictions, NCVER has adopted a Trade/Non-trade categorisation for the purpose of the National Apprentices and Trainees Collection with 'Trades' classified as all occupations listed under ANZSCO major group '3-Technicians and trades workers' and 'Non-trades' classified as all other major occupations groups 1-2 and 4-8 (ANZSCO, First edition, Revision 2). ANZSCO has been back-cast by NCVER to 1994 for reporting purposes. For further information on the methodology, see <https://www.ncver.edu.au/research-and-statistics/publications/all-publications/anzsco-imputation-in-the-nationalapprentice-and-trainee-collection>.

In September 2016, NCVER implemented a number of collection and system changes and as such some activity may differ to that reported in previous publications. These changes included implementation of release 7.0 of the AVETMIS Standard for apprentices and trainees, and migration of the historical data collections to a new database.

For more detailed information refer to the 'Apprentices and trainees 2021 September quarter: DataBuilder' available at <https://www.ncver.edu.au/research-and-statistics/data/databuilder>. The DataBuilder allows users to quickly create customised tables using the latest Apprentice and trainee data, filter by a selection of variables and compare training activity over time. Users can view quarterly and annual data for commencements, completions, cancellations/withdrawals and in-training.

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