### Australian Public Service

# Employee Census **2022** 9 May –10 June



# Highlights Report ACIAR



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# responses: 79 of 88

RESPONSE RATE:	
90%	



## **EXPLORING YOUR RESULTS**



Take time to understand your report. Consider your response rate to determine how representative your results are of the views of your colleagues.



Most questions in this report have information about the proportion of colleagues responding positively, neutrally or negatively.



Identify the areas where you are performing well. These will tend to be high results which are notably above any comparative results. Celebrate these results.



Identify areas that need improvement. These will be the lower results, and/or those which are scoring notably below your comparators.



Generally a difference of -/+ 5 percentage points is worthy of attention, but the size of the group is important. Changes in small groups can be unreliable.

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# **EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: SAY, STAY, STRIVE**



# HOW ENGAGED IS YOUR TEAM?

EMPLOYEE
ENGAGEMENT IS MORE
THAN SIMPLY JOB
SATISFACTION OR
COMMITMENT TO AN
ORGANISATION. IT IS
THE EXTENT TO
WHICH EMPLOYEES
ARE MOTIVATED,
INSPIRED AND
ENABLED TO IMPROVE
AN ORGANISATION'S
OUTCOMES.

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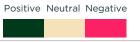
0	YOUR EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	INDEX SCORE			+3	+7	+5	+6�
	Overall, I am satisfied with my job	86 9	86%	+13 🚳	+12 🐼	+9 <b>0</b>	+11 🚱
SAY	I am proud to work in my agency	92	92%	+4	+16 🐼	+9 <b>0</b>	+13 🚱
, s	I would recommend my agency as a good place to work	87	<b>87</b> %	+210	+18 🚱	+13 🚱	+20 <b>6</b>
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of my agency	89 9	89%	0	+6�	0	0
STAY	I feel a strong personal attachment to my agency	79 13 8	<b>79</b> %	+2	+18 🚱	+11 🐼	+18 🗗
ST	I feel committed to my agency's goals	91 8	91%	+4	+8🟠	+4	+5 <b>₽</b>
	I suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	94	94%	0	+7 <b>0</b>	+4	+2
STRIVE	I am happy to go the 'extra mile' at work when required	95	95%	+4	+4	+3	+2
STR	I work beyond what is required in my job to help my agency achieve its objectives	89	89%	+4	+80	+7 <b>0</b>	+7 <b>&amp;</b>
	My agency really inspires me to do my best work every day	76 17	<b>76</b> %	+14 🚱	+19 🟠	+15 🟠	+17 🐼

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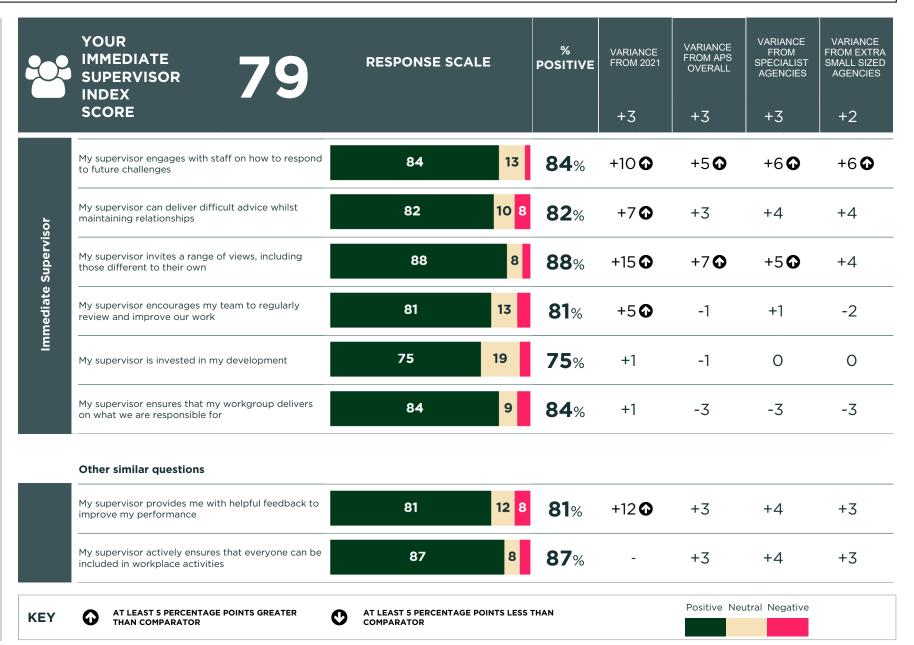


# **LEADERSHIP - IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR**



# IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR

THE IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR SCORE ASSESSES HOW EMPLOYEES VIEW THE LEADERSHIP BEHAVIOURS OF THEIR IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR IN LINE WITH THE APS LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY FRAMEWORK.



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# **LEADERSHIP - SES MANAGER**



#### SES MANAGER

THE SES MANAGER SCORE ASSESSES HOW EMPLOYEES VIEW THE LEADERSHIP BEHAVIOURS OF THEIR IMMEDIATE SES MANAGER IN LINE WITH THE APS LEADERSHIP CAPABILITY FRAMEWORK.

<b>-</b>	YOUR SES MANAGER LEADERSHIP INDEX	RESPONSE SCA	LE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
	SCORE				+1	+5 <b>&amp;</b>	+4	+3
	My SES manager clearly articulates the direction and priorities for our area	71	21 8	<b>71</b> %	+3	+2	+2	+5♠
	My SES manager presents convincing arguments and persuades others towards an outcome	79	11 10	<b>79</b> %	+10 🚱	+17 <b>ᢙ</b>	+15 🔷	+10 🐼
Manager	My SES manager promotes cooperation within and between agencies	81	16	81%	+10 🕥	+14 🕢	+12 🗖	+80
SES M	My SES manager encourages innovation and creativity	81	14	81%	+4	+15 🕢	+14 🚳	+12 🕢
	My SES manager creates an environment that enables us to deliver our best	73	21	<b>73</b> %	+11 🟠	+80	+7 <b>0</b>	+5 <b>0</b>
	My SES manager ensures that work effort contributes to the strategic direction of the agency and the APS	82	11	82%	+10 🚱	+9 <b>0</b>	+6 <b>♦</b>	+5♠
	Other similar questions							
	In my agency, the SES work as a team	60 2	0 20	60%	+17 🕥	+60	+80	+4
AII SES	In my agency, the SES clearly articulate the direction and priorities for our agency	63 1	7 21	63%	+17 🕥	-1	+1	+3
	In my agency, communication between SES and other employees is effective	59 2	5 16	<b>59</b> %	+16 🗨	+5 <b>0</b>	+7 <b>0</b>	+50
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# **COMMUNICATION AND CHANGE**



#### COMMUNICATION

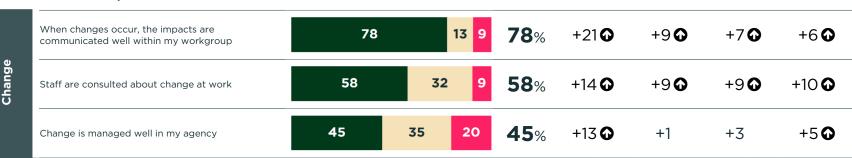
THE
COMMUNICATION
SCORE MEASURES
COMMUNICATION
AT THE INDIVIDUAL,
GROUP AND
AGENCY LEVEL.

<b>9</b>	YOUR COMMUNICATION INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021 +5	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL +3	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES +3	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES +3
tion	My supervisor communicates effectively	87	87%	+17 🕥	+6•	+60	+70
Communication	My SES manager communicates effectively	85	85%	+12 🕥	+15 ♠	+14 🚱	+14 🚱
Соп	Internal communication within my agency is effective	63 17 20	63%	+16 🚱	+6 <b>♠</b>	+6 <b>₽</b>	+6 🚱

#### **CHANGE**

EFFECTIVE
COMMUNICATION IS
AN IMPORTANT
PART OF ANY
CHANGE PROCESS.
NOTE THESE
QUESTIONS DO NOT
CONTRIBUTE TO
THE ABOVE INDEX
SCORE.

#### Other similar questions



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# **WORKPLACE CONDITIONS**

	RESPONSE SCAL	E	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	87	9	<b>87</b> %	-5♥	+80	+5 <b>0</b>	+3
I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	85	12	85%	+80	+21 <b>©</b>	+9 <b>•</b>	+11 🐼
Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	84	9	84%	+14 🚱	+15 ♠	+9 <b>0</b>	+70
I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	86	12	86%	+8 <b>♦</b>	+6♠	+5 <b>♠</b>	+80
I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	82	8 10	82%	+10 🗗	+15 ♠	+12 🕢	+11 🐼
I am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	70	17 13	<b>70</b> %	+3	+10 🕥	+11 🐼	+4
I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	78	14 8	<b>78</b> %	+8•	+2	-4	0
I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	75	12 13	<b>75</b> %	+5 <b>♠</b>	-5♥	-2	-5♥
I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	83	9 8	83%	+3	+5 <b>⊕</b>	-2	+1

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# **WORKPLACE CONDITIONS**

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	46 39 14	46%	-2	-16 <b>O</b>	-9 <b>0</b>	-7 <b>©</b>
I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public	95	95%	+6 <b>♠</b>	+2	+2	+3
I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS	77 20	<b>77</b> %	+1	-8 <b>0</b>	-6 <b>O</b>	-6 <b>©</b>
	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
What best describes your current workload?						
Well above capacity - too much work		<b>25</b> %	+3	+2	+1	-1
Slightly above capacity - lots of work to do		41%	+60	0	+1	-2
At capacity – about the right amount of work to do		<b>32</b> %	-6♥	+2	+2	+5♠
Slightly below capacity - available for more work		<b>3</b> %	-3	-3	-3	-1
Well below capacity - not enough work		0%	0	-1	-1	-1

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# **INCLUSION AND FLEXIBLE WORKING**

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	76 14 9	<b>76</b> %	+2	-2	-3	+1
My supervisor actively ensures that everyone can be included in workplace activities	87 8	<b>87</b> %	-	+3	+4	+3
I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	80 16	80%	-5♥	-2	-1	-1
	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]						
Part time		12%	+4	-3	-3	-4
Flexible hours of work		<b>31</b> %	+60	+50	-3	+4
Compressed work week		<b>3</b> %	0	0	0	0
Job sharing		0%	0	0	0	0
Working away from the office/working from home		<b>62</b> %	0	+80	-5 <b>O</b>	-6 <b>0</b>
None of the above		18%	-6 <b>0</b>	-9 <b>0</b>	0	+1
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# **ENABLING INNOVATION**



# **ENABLING INNOVATION**

THE INNOVATION SCORE ASSESSES BOTH WHETHER EMPLOYEES FEEL WILLING AND ABLE TO BE INNOVATIVE, AND WHETHER THEIR AGENCY HAS A CULTURE WHICH ENABLES THEM TO BE SO.

$\bigcirc$	YOUR ENABLING INNOVATION INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021 +4	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL +7 ••	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES +6
	I believe that one of my responsibilities is to	70 16	70	14.0			
	continually look for new ways to improve the way we work	79 16	79%	-14 🛇	-2	-6 <b>♥</b>	-6 <b>♥</b>
innovation	My immediate supervisor encourages me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	84 15	84%	+7 <b>0</b>	+10 🐼	+80	+6 🔂
	People are recognised for coming up with new and innovative ways of working	71 22	<b>71</b> %	+16 🚱	+11 🐼	+12 🕢	+15 🟠
Enabling	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	71 23	<b>71</b> %	+14 🟠	+19 🚱	+16 🚱	+16 🚱
	My agency recognises and supports the notion that failure is a part of innovation	68 26	68%	+20 🚳	+29 <b>0</b>	+28 🕶	+30 🏠

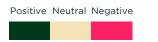
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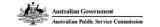


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# **WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT**



#### **WELLBEING**

THE WELLBEING SCORE PROVIDES A MEASURE OF THE PRACTICAL AND CULTURAL ELEMENTS THAT ALLOW FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND HEALTHY WORKING ENVIRONMENT.

+	YOUR WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT INDEX SCORE	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021 +6 &	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES +7
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oort	I am satisfied with the policies/practices in place to help me manage my health and wellbeing	76 20	76%	+8�	+11 🐼	+86	+10 🐼
and suppo	My agency does a good job of communicating what it can offer me in terms of health and wellbeing	78 16	78%	+9 <b>0</b>	+14 🐼	+10 🐼	+16 🚱
policies a	My agency does a good job of promoting health and wellbeing	77 15	<b>77</b> %	+19 🐼	+13 🚱	+10 🐼	+15 🚱
Wellbeing p	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	85 11	85%	+23 📭	+240	+16 🚱	+15 🚱
- We	I believe my immediate supervisor cares about my health and wellbeing	89 9	89%	+1	+4	+2	+1

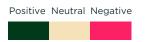
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# **WELLBEING**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
How often do you find your work stressful?						
Always		1%	-3	-3	-2	-3
Often		19%	-9 <b>0</b>	-7 <b>♥</b>	-5♥	-5♥
Sometimes		<b>51</b> %	+1	+1	+1	+2
Rarely		26%	+11 🐼	+80	+5♠	+5 <b>⊘</b>
Never		<b>3</b> %	0	+1	+1	+1
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?						
To a very large extent		<b>3</b> %	-1	-5♥	-3	-3
To a large extent		19%	-5♥	-2	+1	0
Somewhat		42%	-4	+3	+3	+4
To a small extent		<b>27</b> %	<b>+9</b>	+3	+1	+2
To a very small extent		9%	+1	0	-2	-3

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# **WELLBEING**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
I feel burned out by my work						
Strongly agree		1%	-7 <b>•</b>	-7 <b>•</b>	-6 <b>O</b>	-6 <b>0</b>
Agree		19%	-5♥	-5♥	-4	-1
Neither agree nor disagree		30%	-1	-2	0	0
Disagree		36%	+80	+7 <b>•</b>	+4	+3
Strongly disagree		14%	+5 <b>0</b>	+7 <b>0</b>	+6 🐼	+5 <b>0</b>
In general, would you say that your health is:						
Excellent		9%	-1	-1	-1	-2
Very good		45%	+9 <b>0</b>	+10 🐼	+9 <b>0</b>	+5 <b>0</b>
Good		36%	-11 👁	-1	0	+3
Fair		9%	+5 <b>0</b>	-5 <b>0</b>	-4	-3
Poor		0%	-3	-3	-3	-2

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# **PERFORMANCE**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance						
Excellent		24%	-2	-4	-5♥	-7♥
Very good		<b>62</b> %	+5 <b>⊘</b>	+7 <b>•</b>	+7 <b>0</b>	+9♠
Average		11%	-6♥	-4	-3	-4
Below average		4%	+4	+2	+2	+2
Well below average		0%	-1	-1	-1	0
In the last month, please rate your agency's success in meeting its goals and objectives						
Excellent		12%	-2	-4	-6♥	-9♥
Very good		56%	<b>+9</b>	+1	+1	+7♠
Average		28%	+1	+4	+6 <b>☆</b>	+3
Below average		4%	-7 <b>♥</b>	0	+1	0
Well below average		0%	-2	-2	-2	-1

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# **PERFORMANCE**

	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	91	91%	-2	+11 🐼	+8	+60
My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	82 13	82%	+20 <b>0</b>	+20 <b>0</b>	+22♠	+20 🕢
The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	78 17	<b>78</b> %	-11 ♥	0	-1	-1
My workgroup can readily adapt to new priorities and tasks	87 9	87%	+3	+2	+2	+1
The people in my workgroup cooperate to get the job done	87 8	87%	+3	-2	-3	-4

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# **RETENTION**



EMPLOYEES WHO
INDICATED THAT THEY
WANTED TO LEAVE
THEIR CURRENT
POSITION AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE OR WITHIN
THE NEXT 12 MONTHS
WERE ASKED WHAT
THEIR PLANS WERE.

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
Which of the following statements best reflects your current position?	current thoughts about working in your					
I want to leave my position as soon as possible		<b>3</b> %	-4	-6♥	-6♥	-7♥
I want to leave my position within the next 12 months		12%	-9♥	-11 👁	-10 ♥	-13 ♥
I want to stay working in my position for the next one to two years		<b>47</b> %	+14 🐼	+9 <b>0</b>	<b>+</b> 7 <b>♦</b>	+5 <b>♦</b>
I want to stay working in my position for at least the next three years		<b>38</b> %	-1	+80	+8	+16 🐼
Vhat best describes your plans involved with leaving  I am planning to retire	your current position?	0%	0	-6♥	-5♥	-4
I am pursuing another position within my agency		18%	+13 春	-22 <b>0</b>	-7 <b>©</b>	+80
I am pursuing a position in another agency		36%	-21♥	+11 🐼	+4	-15 🛡
I am pursuing work outside the APS		<b>27</b> %	+3	+15 🐼	<b>+9</b>	+10 🐼
It is the end of my non-ongoing, casual or contracted		10	. 4	114	. 10 🔨	
employment		18%	+4	+14 🕥	+12 🛇	+13 🏠
employment Other		18% 0%	0	-12 <b>©</b>	-12 <b>0</b>	+13 <b>↔</b>

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# **UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR**



EMPLOYEES WHO HAD PERCEIVED DISCRIMINATION IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS IN THE COURSE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT WERE ASKED WHAT THE BASIS WAS FOR THE DISCRIMINATION. EMPLOYEES COULD SELECT ONE OR MORE RESPONSES FROM A LIST OF ITEMS.

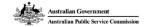
ONLY THE THREE
TYPES OF
DISCRIMINATION WITH
THE HIGHEST
PROPORTION OF
RESPONSES ARE
PRESENTED HERE.
THESE MAY VARY
BETWEEN AGENCIES,
WORK UNITS AND
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THE APS OVERALL.

DISCRIMINATION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES				
During the last 12 months and in the course of your discrimination on the basis of your background or a										
Yes		10%	0	0	+1	+2				
No		90%	0	0	-1	-2				
Did this discrimination occur in your current agency	?									
Yes The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.										
No	No The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.									

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# **UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR**



EMPLOYEES WHO
PERCEIVED
HARASSMENT OR
BULLYING IN THE LAST
12 MONTHS WERE
ASKED WHAT TYPE OF
HARASSMENT OR
BULLYING THEY
EXPERIENCED.
EMPLOYEES COULD
SELECT ONE OR MORE
RESPONSES FROM A
LIST OF ITEMS.

ONLY THE THREE
OPTIONS WITH THE
HIGHEST PROPORTION
OF RESPONSES ARE
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HARASSMENT AND BULLYING	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTR SMALL SIZE AGENCIES			
During the last 12 months, have you been subjected t workplace?	o harassment or bullying in your current								
Yes		5%	-4	-4	-3	-2			
No		89%	+70	+4	+2	+2			
Not sure		<b>5</b> %	-3	0	0	0			
Did you report the harassment or bullying?									
I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures  The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.									
It was reported by someone else	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.								

**KEY** 

I did not report the behaviour



The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.

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# **UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR**



EMPLOYEES WHO
INDICATED THAT THEY
HAD WITNESSED
POTENTIAL CORRUPT
BEHAVIOUR WERE
ASKED TO DESCRIBE
THE BEHAVIOUR.
EMPLOYEES COULD
SELECT ONE OR MORE
RESPONSES FROM A
LIST OF ITEMS.

ONLY THE THREE
TYPES OF CORRUPT
BEHAVIOURS WITH
THE HIGHEST
PROPORTION OF
RESPONSES ARE
PRESENTED HERE.
THESE MAY VARY
BETWEEN AGENCIES
AND WITH RESULTS
FOR THE APS
OVERALL.

CORRUPTION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	FROM APS OVERALL	FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	FROM EXTRA SMALL SIZED AGENCIES
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of y witnessed another APS employee in your agency may be serious enough to be viewed as corruption	engaging in behaviour that you consider					
Yes		<b>7</b> %	-9 <b>0</b>	+4	+4	+1
No		92%	+220	+1	+1	+6♠
Not sure		1%	-11 🗷	-2	-2	-3
Would prefer not to answer		0%	-1	-2	-2	-4

#### Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?

I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.
It was reported by someone else	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.
I did not report the behaviour	The data for this question has been hidden for anonymity reasons.

**KEY** 



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VARIANCE VARIANCE



# **DEMOGRAPHICS**

RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTR SMALL SIZE AGENCIES
	<b>33</b> %	+80	-4	-7♥	+2
	<b>63</b> %	-1	+4	+7 <b>•</b>	-2
	0%	-1	0	-1	-1
	0%	-1	0	0	0
	<b>4</b> %	-4	+1	0	0
	0%	-3	-4	-2	-1
	100%	+3	+4	+2	+1
	1%	-4	-9 <b>0</b>	-7 <b>©</b>	-6♥
	99%	+4	+90	+7 <b>&amp;</b>	+6 <b>۞</b>
	RESPONSE SCALE	33% 63% 0% 0% 4% 100%	33% +80   63% -1   0% -1   4% -4   100% +3   1% -4	RESPONSE SCALE       %       VARIANCE FROM 2021       FROM APS OVERALL         33%       +8	RESPONSE SCALE     %     VARIANCE FROM 2021     VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL     FROM APS OVERALL     FROM APS OVERALL     SPECIALIST AGENCIES       63%     -1     +4     +7

**KEY** 

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# **DEMOGRAPHICS**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2021	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SPECIALIST AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM EXTE SMALL SIZE AGENCIES
Oo you have carer responsibilities?						
Yes		46%	+1	+4	+6 🏠	+6•
No		<b>54</b> %	-1	-4	-6♥	-6 👁
oo you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, ntersex, Queer, Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?						
Yes		8%	+5 <b>0</b>	0	-2	-4
No		92%	-5♥	0	+2	+4
n which country were you born?						
Australia		<b>53</b> %	+3	-24 <b>O</b>	-23 ♥	-27 <b>O</b>
Other country		<b>47</b> %	-3	+24 <b>0</b>	+23♠	+27 <b>0</b>
Do you speak a language other than English at home?						
No, English only		60%	0	-20 <b>♥</b>	-21 <b>♥</b>	-25♥
Yes, other		40%	0	+20 🐼	+21 <b>0</b>	+25♠

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**KEY** 

# TIME TO TAKE ACTION

₩ CELEBRATE	Q INVESTIGATE FURTHER WITH OUR TEAMS	
What things do we do well?	Are there any other opportunities coming out of the results that we want to explore further?	А р
THINK ABOUT HOW WE CAN BUILD ON OUR STRENGTHS AND LEARN FROM WHAT WE ARE GOOD AT.	HOW COULD WE INVESTIGATE? THROUGH LOOKING AT THE DATA IN MORE DETAIL OR THROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH STAFF?	W HE

<u>~</u>	OPPORTUNITIES
Areas we nee plans:	ed to focus on and turn into action
WHAT ARE THE KEY HERE BETTER?	THINGS WE NEED TO IMPROVE TO MAKE WORKING



# USE THIS PAGE TO START YOUR LOCAL ACTION PLANS

IDENTIFY AREAS TO CELEBRATE, OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT AND AREAS WHICH YOU NEED TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER.

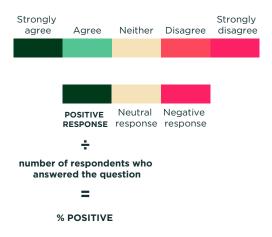
PRIORITISE 3 AREAS TO TAKE FORWARD

	PRIORITISE 3 AREAS FOR ACTION	TIMESCALES	OWNER	RESOURCES REQUIRED	TARGET/SUCCESS MEASURE
1					
2					
3					

## **GUIDE TO THIS REPORT**

#### % POSITIVE

WHERE RESULTS ARE SHOWN AS POSITIVE PERCENTAGES (% POSITIVE), THESE ARE CALCULATED BY ADDING TOGETHER POSITIVE RESPONSES ("STRONGLY AGREE" + "AGREE") AND DIVIDING BY THE NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS WHO ANSWERED THE QUESTION.



#### **ROUNDING**

RESULTS ARE PRESENTED AS WHOLE NUMBERS FOR EASE OF READING, WITH ROUNDING PERFORMED AT THE LAST STAGE OF CALCULATION FOR MAXIMUM ACCURACY. VALUES FROM X.00 TO X.49 ARE ROUNDED DOWN AND VALUES FROM X.50 TO X.99 ARE ROUNDED UP. THEREFORE IN SOME INSTANCES, RESULTS MAY NOT TOTAL 100%.

	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	NEITHER	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	TOTAL
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%
NUMBER OF POSITIVE	151 + 166 = 317					
% POSITIVE	317 ÷ 613 = 52%					

#### **ANONYMITY**

IT IS ENGINE'S PRACTICE NOT TO DISPLAY THE RESULTS OF GROUPS OF RESPONDENTS TO THE EXTENT WHERE THE ANONYMITY OF INDIVIDUALS MAY BE COMPROMISED. RESULTS WILL NOT BE SHOWN WHERE THERE ARE LESS THAN 10 RESPONDENTS IN A GROUP.

# COMPARISONS WITH RESULTS FROM PREVIOUS YEARS

THE METHOD OF ANALYSING AND REPORTING SPECIFIC RESULTS MAY BE PERIODICALLY REVIEWED AND REVISED. SUCH IMPROVEMENTS ARE APPLIED TO CURRENT DATA AND THAT OF PREVIOUS YEARS. FOR THIS REASON THE CURRENT REPORT IS ALWAYS THE MOST ACCURATE DATA SOURCE FOR APS EMPLOYEE CENSUS RESULTS, INCLUDING COMPARISONS WITH TIME SERIES DATA.

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