

INCOME MANAGEMENT SUMMARY – 1 JANUARY 2016

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Notes:

1. Any variance from data reported prior to 28 August 2015 is due to a change in reporting method for the Income Management programme to conform to the Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS). The data represents the current residential address of income managed customers within designated statistical area(s). Any inconsistencies from data reported previously can be attributed to the fact that customers may have moved from the location at which they were originally triggered to the programme.
2. To prevent customers from being identified, numbers below 5, or percentages that would identify groups of less than 5, are not provided.
3. Full time students receiving ABSTUDY or Austudy are not included in the granted exemptions, full-time student data, as those payments are not subject to the Disengaged Youth or Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient Measures of income management.

Acronyms

CP	Child Protection Measure of Income Management
Dis. Youth	Disengaged Youth Measure of Income Management
Ind. Status	Indigenous Status
Long – Term	Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient Measure of Income Management
SPAR	Supporting People at Risk Measure of Income Management
VIM	Voluntary Income Management
VUL (Youth)	Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient Measure (Youth Triggers)
VUL (SWA)	Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient Measure (Social Worker Assessed)

Table 1: Total number of people on Income Management¹

	Total	Indigenous %	VIM	CP	VUL (SWA)	VUL (Youth)	Dis. Youth	Long-Term	SPAR	Cape York
Northern Territory	20,940	87%	3,303	90	164	451	4,172	12,544	216	0
Alice Springs	5,405	93%	1,005	44	26	116	1,007	3,134	73	0
Barkly	1,508	96%	250	12	10	43	324	863	6	0
Katherine	3,444	94%	592	<5	n/p	62	703	2,021	34	0
Daly-Tiwi-West Arnhem	4,076	94%	727	10	35	44	920	2,317	23	0
East Arnhem	2,836	97%	481	14	29	15	590	1,693	14	0
Rest of Northern Territory	3,671	53%	248	n/p	n/p	171	628	2,516	66	0
Western Australia	1,859	67%	1,464	230	n/p	33	37	78	<5	0
Kimberley	860	96%	735	54	0	n/p	24	41	<5	0
Goldfields (<i>Ng Lands, Laverton and Kiwirrkurra</i>)	182	99%	149	n/p	12	8	<5	6	0	0
Greater Perth	744	24%	539	168	<5	14	n/p	14	0	0
Rest of Western Australia	73	70%	41	<5	<5	n/p	n/p	17	0	0
South Australia	1,001	44%	346	22	n/p	512	23	77	<5	0
Greater Adelaide (<i>Playford</i>)	631	20%	128	18	<5	439	6	36	0	0
Western & West Coast (<i>Ceduna Region</i>)	51	94%	27	0	7	14	<5	<5	0	0
APY Lands	231	97%	183	<5	n/p	12	n/p	n/p	<5	0
Rest of South Australia	88	49%	8	<5	0	47	10	21	<5	0
Victoria	388	18%	180	<5	6	157	8	35	0	<5
Shepparton	288	17%	175	0	<5	108	0	0	0	<5
Rest of Victoria	100	19%	5	<5	<5	49	8	35	0	0
New South Wales	281	17%	34	<5	23	177	n/p	35	0	0
Greater Sydney (<i>Bankstown</i>)	195	9%	n/p	<5	23	119	<5	16	0	0
Rest of NSW	86	35%	<5	0	0	58	n/p	19	0	0
	Total	Indigenous %	VIM	CP	VUL (SWA)	VUL (Youth)	Dis. Youth	Long-Term	SPAR	Cape York
Queensland	1,841	29%	235	<5	29	1,314	42	84	<5	135
Greater Brisbane (<i>Logan</i>)	970	16%	157	<5	11	784	<5	13	0	0

Rockhampton	427	30%	63	0	12	346	<5	n/p	0	0
Far North (<i>Cape York</i>)	118	97%	0	0	0	<5	0	<5	0	114
Rest of Queensland	326	45%	15	0	6	n/p	37	63	<5	21
Australian Capital Territory	<5	n/p	0	0	0	<5	0	<5	0	0
Tasmania	n/p	n/p	0	0	0	n/p	<5	0	0	0
Unknown/Missing	19	n/p	<5	<5	<5	0	<5	n/p	0	0
Total	26,347	78%	5,564	350	257	2,658	4,296	12,865	136	221

Table 2: Granted Exemptions

Reason	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous
Parenting requirements	1,705	40%	60%
Paid employment	106	24%	76%
Full time student ³	500	7%	93%
New apprentice	18	33%	67%
Special benefit	<5	n/a	n/a

Table 3: Vulnerable Youth Trigger Exclusions

Reason	
Impracticable	99
Well-being placed at risk	39
Total granted exclusions	138

Table 4: Matched Savings and Voluntary Incentive Payments (VIP)

Number of Matched Savings Payments Granted		76
Number of People who have received one or more VIP		10,244
People who have received one or more VIP –	Indigenous	13%
	Non-Indigenous	87%
Total number of VIP's paid		48,999

Table 5: Reviews and Appeals

Status	Review Officer Appeals Received	Administrative Appeals Tribunal first review (formerly Social Security Appeals Tribunal) Appeals decided	Administrative Appeals Tribunal Second Review (formerly Administrative Appeals Tribunal) Appeals Decided
<i>Outcome for Quarter 2 2015-2016 Financial Year</i>			
Lodged	18	0	0
Affirmed	13	0	0
Set Aside	4	0	0
Varied	0	0	0
Withdrawn	0	1	0

Table 6: Number of People on Voluntary Income Management for more than 14 Weeks

Northern Territory	3,058
— <i>Alice Springs</i>	954
— <i>Barkley</i>	226
— <i>Daly-Tiwi-West Arnhem</i>	672
— <i>East Arnhem</i>	430
— <i>Katherine</i>	546
— <i>Rest of Northern Territory</i>	230
Western Australia	1,241
— <i>Goldfields (includes Ng Lands, Laverton & Kiwirrkurra)</i>	117
— <i>Greater Perth</i>	490
— <i>Kimberley</i>	597
— <i>Rest of Western Australia</i>	37
South Australia	296
— <i>APY Lands</i>	155
— <i>Greater Adelaide (includes Playford)</i>	111
— <i>Western and West Coast (includes Ceduna region)</i>	23
— <i>Rest of South Australia</i>	7
Queensland	215
— <i>Greater Brisbane (includes Logan)</i>	147
— <i>Rockhampton</i>	55
— <i>Rest of Queensland</i>	13
Victoria	167
— <i>Shepparton</i>	162
— <i>Rest of Victoria</i>	5
New South Wales	30
Total	5,007