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Topic: ABC staff - Sydney Based and value of ABC resources

Senator Xenophon, Nick asked:

Senator XENOPHON: Well, on notice, can you tell me what proportion of ABC staff are in Sydney and the value of ABC resources, in terms of the budget, that have been spent in Sydney

longitudinally over the last five years? **Ms Guthrie:** I can take that on notice

Answer:

The ABC does not record its budget in this manner but the table below captures an assessment of ABC Sydney budgets and staff from 2011-12 to 2015-16.

		\$'m Budget						
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16			
Sydney	248	252	253	263	296			
% of Total Budget	27.2%	27.1%	26.7%	27.7%	31.4%			

	Equivalent Full Time Employees in Sydney						
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16		
Sydney	2,107.22	2,188.62	2,237.61	2,084.47	2,145.65		
% of Total FTE Staff	45.78%	46.92%	47.82%	48.33%	51.3%		