

Workplace agreement statistics (under the NDT) 28 March 2008 to 31 December 2008 inclusive

Table 1: Number of agreements and the number of employees covered by agreement type

Agreement Type	Number of agreements lodged	Number of employees covered	Percentage of employees covered
Employee collective agreement	3268	82609	21%
Union collective agreement	2598	220860	56%
Employer greenfields agreement	475	283	0%
Union greenfields agreement	168	600	0%
Individual transitional employment agreement (ITEA)	90600	90600	23%
Total	97109	394952	100%¹

Table 2: Number of employees covered by agreement type and state²

Employee state	Employee collective	Union collective	ITEA	Total
ACT	1395	3695	1249	6339
NSW	11603	44224	19219	75046
NT	390	6453	1938	8781
QLD	18561	42685	17176	78422
SA	4376	7789	6961	19126
TAS	3800	5207	1591	10598
VIC	13531	40026	15581	69138
WA	13487	19793	26885	60165
Multiple States ³	15437	50920	-	66357
Total	82580	220792	90600	393972

Table 3: Number of employees covered by agreement type and employer size

Employer size	Employee collective	Union collective	ITEA	Total
Less than 20 employees	9415	4337	3331	17083
20 – 99 employees	25151	16412	16596	58159
100 – 499 employees	22435	38025	32921	93381
More than 500 employees	25608	162086	37680	225374
Total	82609	220860	90528	393997

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¹ Due to rounding issues, the total percentages do not add up to 100 per cent.

² All agreements that did not disclose a state, industry or employer size have been excluded. Therefore the totals in each table will not be equal.

³ These refer to collective agreements that cover employees in more than one state/territory.



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Table 4: Number of employees covered by agreement type and industry

Industry	Employee collective	Union collective	ITEA	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	10336	2547	7433	20316
Administrative and Support Services	1103	3994	498	5595
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1005	2899	1755	5659
Arts and Recreation Services	2708	2507	2027	7242
Construction	8961	14960	8926	32847
Education and Training	2473	4208	692	7373
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1608	17022	764	19394
Financial and Insurance Services	3266	2009	2919	8194
Health Care and Social Assistance	10240	42166	3037	55443
Information Media and Telecommunications	2126	2490	7035	11651
Manufacturing	8485	24033	7100	39618
Mining	3763	7623	13776	25162
Other Services	4096	9225	8319	21640
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	3465	133	2133	5731
Public Administration and Safety	3739	28174	585	32498
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	1052	703	2453	4208
Retail Trade	8817	14214	14444	37475
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	4220	39317	5220	48757
Wholesale Trade	1146	2636	1422	5204
Total	82609	220860	90538	394007

Table 5: Processing activity – agreements finalised to 31 December 2008

Number of workplace agreements lodged under the NDT	97109
Processing outcomes:	
Invalid	13087
NDT does not apply	833
Passed	30249
Failed, requires variation	3884
Passed following variation	187
Cease to operate	834
Total	49074