

# Australian Public Service **Employee Census 2021**10 May–11 June







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# RESPONSES: 213 of 322

RESPONSE RATE: 66%



#### **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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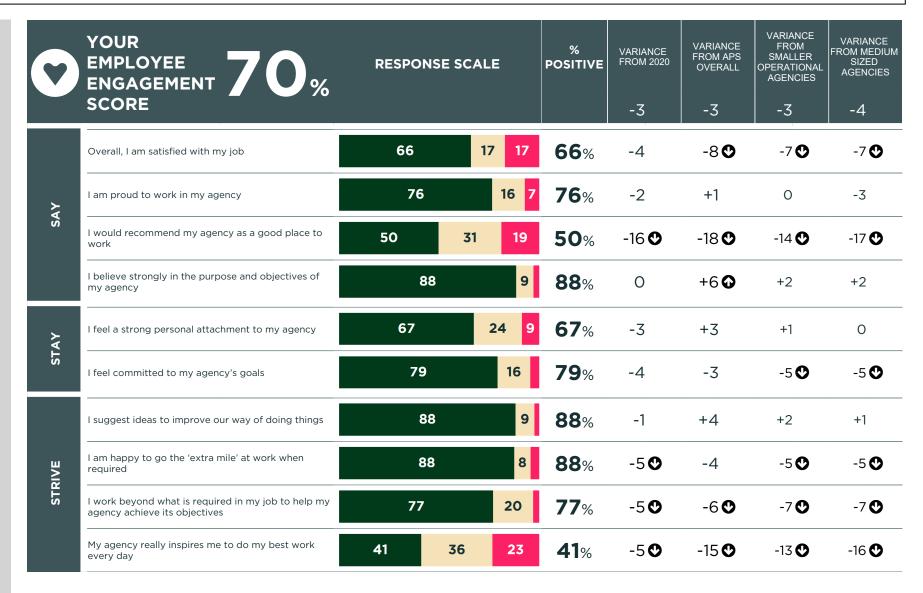


### **EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: SAY, STAY, STRIVE**



#### HOW **ENGAGED IS** YOUR TEAM?

**EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT SCORES** AREN'T JUST ABOUT HOW MUCH PEOPLE LIKE WORKING FOR AN AGENCY, IT IS A MEASURE OF THE **EMOTIONAL CONNECTION AND** COMMITMENT **EMPLOYEES HAVE TO** WORKING FOR THE AGENCY.



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## **LEADERSHIP**

IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My supervisor engages with staff on how to respond to future challenges	73	15 12	<b>73</b> %	-1	-6 <b>©</b>	-4	-5 <b>•</b>
My supervisor can deliver difficult advice whilst maintaining relationships	73	17 10	<b>73</b> %	-1	-5♥	-3	-4
My supervisor invites a range of views, including those different to their own	73	16 11	<b>73</b> %	-	-7 <b>♥</b>	-5♥	-6♥
My supervisor encourages my team to regularly review and improve our work	73	18 9	<b>73</b> %	0	-7 <b>♥</b>	-4	-5♥
My supervisor is invested in my development	69	20 11	69%	-1	-5♥	-2	-4
My immediate supervisor encourages me	73	17 10	<b>73</b> %	-1	-2	-1	-2
My supervisor ensures that my workgroup delivers on what we are responsible for	79	15	<b>79</b> %	-2	-7 <b>♥</b>	-6♥	-6♥
My supervisor provides me with helpful feedback to improve my performance	68	21 11	68%	-	-6♥	-4	-5♥

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## **LEADERSHIP**

IMMEDIATE SES MANAGER	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My SES manager clearly articulates the direction and priorities for our area	51	25 24	<b>51</b> %	0	-16 👁	-8 👁	-14 <b>O</b>
My SES manager presents convincing arguments and persuades others towards an outcome	46	32 22	46%	-	-15 👁	-10 👁	-15 <b>♥</b>
My SES manager promotes cooperation within and between agencies	53	31 15	<b>53</b> %	+5 <b>•</b>	-13 👁	-7 <b>•</b>	-13 👁
My SES manager encourages innovation and creativity	47	34 19	<b>47</b> %	-	-17 👁	-11 👁	-15 👁
My SES manager creates an environment that enables us to deliver our best	44	32 24	44%	-	-17 <b>O</b>	-11 👁	-16 <b>O</b>
My SES manager ensures that work effort contributes to the strategic direction of the agency and the APS	64	25 11	64%	+4	-9♥	-4	-10 👁
ALL SES	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
In my agency, the SES work as a team	27 28	46	<b>27</b> %	-7 <b>•</b>	-26 <b>©</b>	-19 👁	-22 <b>0</b>
In my agency, the SES clearly articulate the direction and priorities for our agency	37 2	24 39	<b>37</b> %	-5 <b>♥</b>	-23 <b>O</b>	-12 <b>O</b>	-18 <b>O</b>

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## **COMMUNICATION AND CHANGE**

	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My supervisor communicates effectively	74	12 13	<b>74</b> %	-5♥	-7 <b>♥</b>	-5♥	-6 <b>•</b>
My SES manager communicates effectively	50	19 30	<b>50</b> %	-1	-19 ♥	-11 👁	<b>-</b> 17 <b>♥</b>
In my agency, communication between SES and other employees is effective	27 19	54	<b>27</b> %	-8 <b>©</b>	-24 <b>O</b>	-16 ♥	-19 ♥
Internal communication within my agency is effective	28 20	52	28%	-7 <b>©</b>	-30♥	-23♥	-27♥
When changes occur, the impacts are communicated well within my workgroup	63	15 21	63%	0	-3	-1	-2
Staff are consulted about change at work	28 36	35	28%	-12 <b> </b>	-17 ♥	-15 ♥	-14 <b>O</b>
Change is managed well in my agency	21 30	49	21%	-14 👁	-22♥	-16 ♥	<b>-</b> 17 <b>♥</b>

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## **WORKPLACE CONDITIONS**

	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	82	12	<b>82</b> %	-3	-2	-3	-4
I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	69	26	69%	-2	+80	0	0
Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	66	17 17	66%	-	-1	-2	-3
I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	80	15	80%	-2	+2	+2	+2
I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	65	17 18	65%	-2	-1	+2	0
I am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	57	16 27	<b>57</b> %	-6♥	-80	-4	-5♥
I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	73	15 13	<b>73</b> %	-13 ♥	-4	-5♥	-4
I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	74	14 12	<b>74</b> %	-3	-6♥	+6 <b>⊙</b>	-3
I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	70	19 12	70%	-	-6♥	-10 <b>O</b>	-8♥

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	RESPONSE SCALE	% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	56 35 10	56%	-5♥	-8 <b>O</b>	-2	-4
I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public	90	90%	-3	0	+1	0
I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS	85 13	85%	-2	+3	+4	+3

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	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
What best describes your current workload?						
Well above capacity - too much work		26%	<b>+9</b>	+2	-2	-3
Slightly above capacity - lots of work to do		43%	-2	+3	+5♠	+3
At capacity - about the right amount of work to do		24%	-6♥	-4	-3	-1
Slightly below capacity - available for more work		6%	0	0	0	+1
Well below capacity - not enough work		0%	-1	-1	0	0

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# **INCLUSION**

	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	65	24 11	<b>65</b> %	-10 👁	-14 <b>O</b>	-11 👁	-12 <b>O</b>
My supervisor actively supports people from diverse backgrounds	73	23	<b>73</b> %	-	-7 <b>♥</b>	-4	-4
I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	77	17	<b>77</b> %	+2	-3	-3	-3

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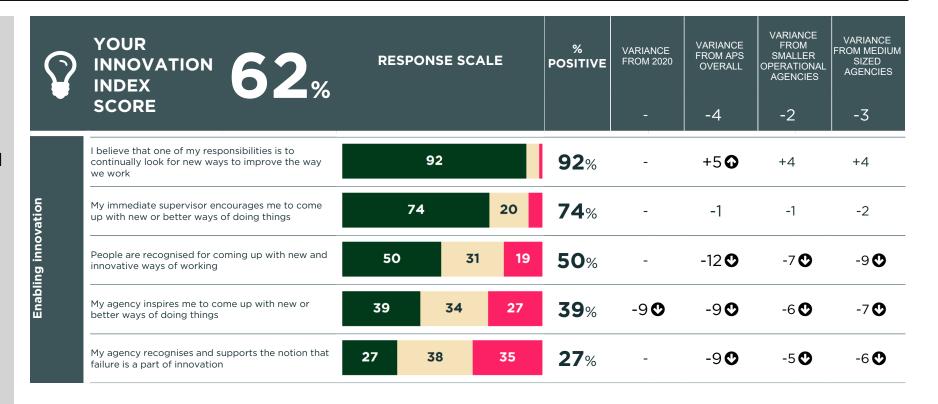
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#### **ENABLING INNOVATION**



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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.



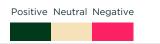
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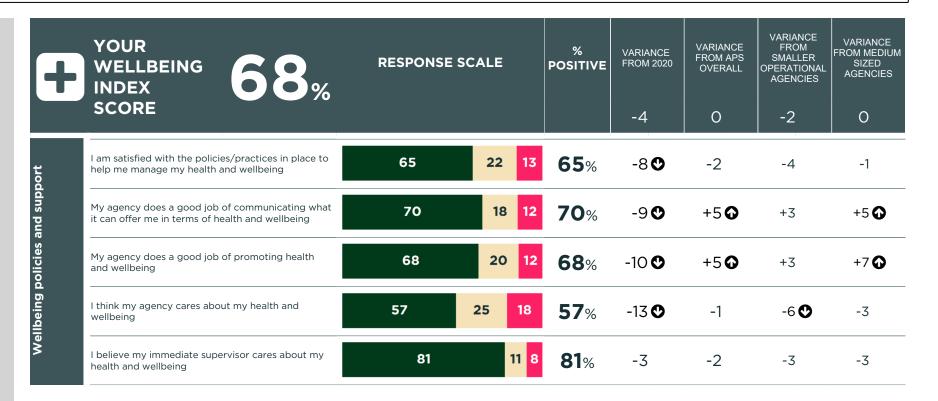
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#### WELLBEING POLICIES AND SUPPORT



#### **WELLBEING**

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



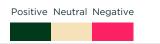
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# **WELLBEING**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAI AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUN SIZED AGENCIES
How often do you find your work stressful?						
Always		5%	-	0	0	-1
Often		24%	-	-4	-6♥	-5♥
Sometimes		50%	-	+2	+3	+3
Rarely		18%	-	+3	+3	+3
Never		1%	-	0	0	0
Fo what extent is your work emotionally demanding?						
To a very large extent		8%	+4	0	-1	-1
To a large extent		20%	-1	-3	-3	-3
Somewhat		40%	+80	0	0	+1
To a small extent		21%	-80	-1	0	-1
To a very small extent		11%	-3	+4	+3	+3

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# **WELLBEING**

RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUI SIZED AGENCIES
	12%	+3	+3	+2	+2
	21%	-4	-4	-4	-3
	28%	-3	-3	-2	-2
	<b>33</b> %	+4	+5 <b>0</b>	+5 <b>0</b>	+5 <b>0</b>
	<b>5</b> %	0	-2	-2	-2
	11%	-	-1	-1	0
	28%	-	-7♥	-7 <b>©</b>	-7♥
	44%	-	<b>+9</b>	+7 <b></b>	+8♠
	12%	-	-2	0	-1
	4%	-	0	+1	+1
	RESPONSE SCALE	12% 21% 28% 33% 5% 11% 28% 44% 12%	12% +3   21% -4   28% -3   33% +4   5%   0     11% -   28% -   44% -   12% -   12% -	RESPONSE SCALE       %       VARIANCE FROM 2020       FROM APS OVERALL         12%       +3       +3         21%       -4       -4         28%       -3       -3         33%       +4       +5 ©         5%       0       -2         11%       -       -1         28%       -       -7 ©         44%       -       +9 ©         12%       -       -2	RESPONSE SCALE       %       VARIANCE FROM 2020       VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL       FROM APS SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES         12%       +3       +3       +2         21%       -4       -4       -4         28%       -3       -3       -2         33%       +4       +5

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# **PERFORMANCE**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance:						
Excellent		<b>25</b> %	-	-2	-2	-3
Very good		<b>55</b> %	-	0	+2	+2
Average		16%	-	0	0	0
Below average		<b>3</b> %	-	+1	+1	+1
Well below average		1%	-	0	0	0
In the last month, please rate your agency's success in meeting its goals and objectives:						
Excellent		<b>7</b> %	-	-9 <b>0</b>	-6 <b>•</b>	-7 <b>•</b>
Very good		<b>39</b> %	-	-17 ♥	-11 👁	-16 ♥
Average		<b>37</b> %	-	+13 🐼	+80	+12 🚱
Below average		9%	-	+6 <b>☆</b>	+4	+5♠
Well below average		8%	-	+6 <b>♦</b>	+6 🚱	+6�

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# **PERFORMANCE**

	RESPONSE SCALE		% POSITIVE	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	79	13 8	<b>79</b> %	-6 <b>•</b>	-2	-2	-3
My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	40 25	35	40%	-7 <b>©</b>	-24 <b>O</b>	-20 <b>O</b>	-20♥
The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	74	19	<b>74</b> %	-4	-3	-2	-3
My workgroup can readily adapt to new priorities and tasks	78	17	<b>78</b> %	-7 <b>•</b>	-8♥	-7♥	-8♥
The people in my workgroup cooperate to get the job done	87	9	87%	+1	0	+1	-1

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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 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM 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		12%	-	+2	+3	+2
I want to leave my position within the next 12 months		<b>17</b> %	-	-6♥	-4	-5♥
I want to stay working in my position for the next one to two years		<b>38</b> %	-	+1	0	-1
I want to stay working in my position for at least the next three years		<b>34</b> %	-	+2	+2	+4
What best describes your plans involved with leaving	your current position?	<b>7</b> %	-	+1	+3	+2
I am pursuing another position within my agency		<b>7</b> %	-	-35♥	-10 👁	-17 <b>O</b>
I am pursuing a position in another agency		<b>49</b> %	-	+240	+8�	+10 🐼
I am pursuing work outside the APS		<b>14</b> %	-	+3	-4	-2
It is the end of my non-ongoing, casual or contracted employment		4%	-	0	-2	
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### **RETENTION**



EMPLOYEES WHO
WANTED TO LEAVE
WERE ASKED FOR THE
PRIMARY REASON
BEHIND THEIR DESIRE
TO LEAVE AND COULD
SELECT ONE
RESPONSE FROM A
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	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
	What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (3 highest responses):					
	There is a lack of future career opportunities in my agency	20%	-	-	-	-
E	Senior leadership is of a poor quality	15%	-	-	-	-
D	I do not have a sense of belonging to my workgroup or agency	13%	-	-	-	-

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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.

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DISCRIMINATION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
During the last 12 months and in the course of your discrimination on the basis of your background or a						
Yes		10%	-3	-2	+1	+1
No		90%	+3	+2	-1	-1
Did this discrimination occur in your current agency	?					
Yes		95%	+7 <b>•</b>	+1	+1	+3
No		<b>5</b> %	-7 <b>♥</b>	-1	-1	-3
Basis for the discrimination that you experienced (3	highest responses):					
Gender		<b>55</b> %	-	-	-	-
Age		50%	-	-	-	-
Caring responsibilities		30%	-	-	-	-

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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 TYPES OF HARASSMENT OR **BULLYING WITH THE** HIGHEST PROPORTION OF RESPONSES ARE PRESENTED HERE. THESE MAY VARY BETWEEN AGENCIES. WORK UNITS AND WITH RESULTS FOR THE APS OVERALL.

HARASSMENT AND BULLYING	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUM SIZED AGENCIES
During the last 12 months, have you been subjected t workplace?	o harassment or bullying in your current					
Yes		15%	+4	+3	+3	+4
No		<b>74</b> %	-7♥	-80	-80	-9♥
Not sure		11%	+3	+50	+5 <b>0</b>	+5♠
Verbal abuse (e.g. offensive language, derogatory remarks,		40%				
shouting or screaming)  Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)  Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rule (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)	es Table 1	30% 20%	-	-		- - -
Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)  Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rule (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to	es Table 1	<b>30</b> %	-	-		-
Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)  Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rule (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)	PS PS	<b>30</b> %	- - -	-4	- - -11 <b>♥</b>	4
Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage)  Inappropriate and unfair application of work policies or rule (e.g. performance management, access to leave, access to learning and development)  Did you report the harassment or bullying?  I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's		<b>30</b> % <b>20</b> %	- - -	-4 +9 <b>•</b>	- - -11 <b>♥</b> +9 <b>♦</b>	-4 +9 <b>•</b>

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### **UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR**



EMPLOYEES WHO
INDICATED THAT THEY
HAD WITNESSED
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CORRUPTION	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUN SIZED AGENCIES
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your duti witnessed another APS employee in your agency engaging to be viewed as corruption?						
Yes		9%	+6 <b>₽</b>	+5 <b>♠</b>	+4	+5♠
No		<b>81</b> %	-4	-9 <b>0</b>	-6 <b>©</b>	-9 <b>0</b>
Not sure		8%	-1	+3	+2	+4
Would prefer not to answer		2%	0	0	0	0
appointing them to positions without proper regard to merit  Nepotism-preferential treatment of family members, such as appointing them to positions without proper regard to merit  Acting (or failing to act) in the presence of an undisclosed conflict of interest		72% 56% 17%	-	- - -	-	-
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?						
I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies and procedures		0%	-	-20 <b>♥</b>	-15 🔮	-18 <b>O</b>
It was reported by someone else		12%	-	-4	-2	0
I did not report the behaviour		88%	-	+23 <b>6</b>	+17 🐼	+18 🚱
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# **DEMOGRAPHICS**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL	VARIANCE FROM MEDIUN SIZED
How do you describe your gender?					AGENCIES	AGENCIES
Man or male		41%	+3	+4	+4	+3
Woman or female		<b>54</b> %	-2	-5♥	-5♥	-4
Non-binary		0%	-	0	0	0
I use a different term		0%	-	0	0	0
Prefer not to say		<b>5</b> %	-1	+2	+1	+1
Do you identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander perso	n?					
Yes		2%	0	-2	-3	-1
No		98%	0	+2	+3	+1
Do you have an ongoing disability?						
Yes		9%	+1	-1	+1	+1
No		91%	-1	+1	-1	-1

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# **DEMOGRAPHICS**

	RESPONSE SCALE	%	VARIANCE FROM 2020	VARIANCE FROM APS OVERALL	VARIANCE FROM SMALLER OPERATIONAL AGENCIES	VARIANCE FROM MEDIL SIZED AGENCIES
Do you have carer responsibilities?						
Yes		<b>42</b> %	+3	+2	+3	+1
No		58%	-3	-2	-3	-1
Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, Intersex, Queer, Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?						
Yes		11%	+2	+3	+3	+3
No		89%	-2	-3	-3	-3
n which country were you born?						
Australia		<b>77</b> %	-	0	+1	0
Other country		<b>23</b> %	-	0	-1	0
Do you speak a language other than English at home?						
No, English only		84%	-	+3	+2	+2
Yes, other		16%	-	-3	-2	-2

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### 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?	Areas we need to focus of plans:
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?	WHAT ARE THE KEY THINGS WE NEED THERE BETTER?

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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

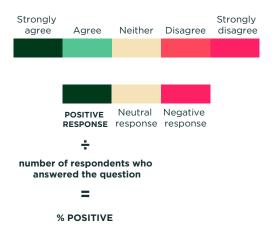
	PRIORITISE 3 AREAS FOR ACTION	TIMESCALES	OWNER	RESOURCES REQUIRED	TARGET/SUCCESS MEASURE
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2					
3					

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#### % 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	5 = 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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