



## Freedom of Information Request FA 21/09/00586

### Response:

Please provide for each subclasses: 100, 300, 309, 801, 820 –  
1) Number of pending visas applications at 01/07/2020

2a) Number of visas applications lodged

2b) Number of visas refused, approved and withdrawn between 01/07/2020 and 30/06/2021

3) Average processing time for visa application lodged between 01/07/2020 and 30/06/2021

#### 1) Subclass 100, 300, 309, 801 and 820 visa applications on hand (pending) as at 30 June 2021

Sum of On Hand	Snapshot Date
Visa Subclass	30/06/2021
100 Partner	47,726
300 Prospective Marriage	4,564
309 Partner (Provisional)	22,049
801 Partner	84,281
820 Partner	37,496
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>196,116</b>

#### Notes:

1. Partner visa applications involve a two stage process, and the Partner (Provisional) (subclass 309) visa must be lodged with the Partner (Migrant) (subclass 100) visa. The Partner (Provisional) (subclass 820) visa must be lodged with the Partner (Migrant) (subclass 801) visa. The two applications are counted separately, and in the majority of cases decided at different times. The total on hand figures above therefore represent the total of on hand applications, and not the total of individuals.

2. A Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa holder is permitted to enter Australia with their spouse and apply for a Partner (Subclass 820/810) visa. The Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa is counted separately from the Partner (Temporary) (subclass 820) visa and the Partner (Permanent) (subclass 801) visa.

3. As data is drawn from a dynamic system environment, the information is correct at the time of clearance and figures may differ slightly from previous or future reporting.

#### 2a) Subclass 100, 300, 309, 801 and 820 visa applications lodged 2020-21 to 30 June 2021

Sum of Lodged	Financial Year
Visa Subclass	2020-21 to 30/06/2021
100 Partner	14,402
300 Prospective Marriage	2,506
309 Partner (Provisional)	14,394
801 Partner	27,425
820 Partner	27,425
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>86,152</b>

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2. A Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa holder is permitted to enter Australia with their spouse and apply for a Partner (Subclass 820/810) visa. The Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa is counted separately from the Partner (Temporary) (subclass 820) visa and the Partner (Permanent) (subclass 801) visa.
3. As data is drawn from a dynamic system environment, the information is correct at the time of clearance and figures may differ slightly from previous or future reporting.

**2b) Subclass 100, 300, 309, 801 and 820 visa applications granted, refused and withdrawn 2020-21 to 30 June 2021**

Sum of Finalised		Financial Year
Visa Subclass	Outcome	2020-21 to 30/06/2021
100 Partner	Granted	15,186
	Refused	1,135
	Withdrawn	832
<b>100 Partner Total</b>		<b>17,153</b>
300 Prospective Marriage	Granted	2,038
	Refused	280
	Withdrawn	874
<b>300 Prospective Marriage Total</b>		<b>3,192</b>
309 Partner (Provisional)	Granted	20,893
	Refused	933
	Withdrawn	687
<b>309 Partner (Provisional) Total</b>		<b>22,513</b>
801 Partner	Granted	31,923
	Refused	511
	Withdrawn	1,514
<b>801 Partner Total</b>		<b>33,948</b>
820 Partner	Granted	51,108
	Refused	308
	Withdrawn	1,189
<b>820 Partner Total</b>		<b>52,605</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>129,411</b>

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1. Partner visa applications involve a two stage process, and the Partner (Provisional) (subclass 309) visa must be lodged with the Partner (Migrant) (subclass 100) visa. The Partner (Temporary) (subclass 820) visa must be lodged with the Partner (Permanent) (subclass 801) visa. The two applications are counted separately, and in the majority of cases decided at different times.
2. A Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa holder is permitted to enter Australia with their spouse and apply for a Partner (Subclass 820/810) visa. The Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa is counted separately from the Partner (Temporary) (subclass 820) visa and the Partner (Permanent) (subclass 801) visa.

3. As data is drawn from a dynamic system environment, the information is correct at the time of clearance and figures may differ slightly from previous or future reporting. Average processing time for visas applications lodged between 01/07/2020 and 30/06/2021

### 3) Subclass 100, 300, 309, 801 and 820 processing times – 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021

	75th percentile	90th percentile	75th percentile (calendar days)	90th percentile (calendar days)
100 Partner	17 Months	22 Months	526	682
300 Prospective Marriage	22 Months	28 Months	672	847
309 Partner (Provisional)	18 Months	23 Months	561	709
801 Partner	12 Months	21 Months	373	626
820 Partner	23 Months	27 Months	687	819

#### Caveats:

1. What is a percentile? A percentile is a measure used in statistics indicating the value below which a given percentage of observations in a group of observations falls.
2. Partner visa applications involve a two stage process, and the two applications must be lodged together. That is, the offshore Partner (Provisional) (subclass 309) visa is lodged with the Partner (Migrant) (subclass 100) visa; and the onshore Partner (Temporary) (subclass 820) visa is lodged with the Partner (Residence) (subclass 801) visa. The two applications are counted separately, and in the majority of cases decided at different times.
3. A Prospective Marriage (Subclass 300) visa holder is permitted to enter Australia with their spouse and apply for a Partner (Subclass 820/810) visa.