National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P21a-Employment to population ratio, for the working age population (15-64 years) (Census Data), 2010

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Indicator
Short name:	Employment to population ratio, for the working age population (15-64 years) (Census Data), 2010
METEOR identifier:	396621
Registration status:	Community Services (retired), Superseded 04/04/2011
Description:	Proportion of the working aged population employed.
Rationale:	Participation in employment has important consequences for living standards, social and emotional wellbeing and participation in the community. This is a key measure of the target to halve the gap in Indigenous employment outcomes between Indigenous and non-Indigenous Australians within a decade.
Indicator set:	National Indigenous Reform Agreement (2010) Community Services (retired), Superseded 04/04/2011
Outcome area:	Indigenous people of working age participate effectively in all sectors and at all levels of the labour market Indigenous, Standard 21/07/2010
Data quality statement:	National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P21a-Employment to population ratio, for the working age population (15-64 years) (Census Data), 2010 QS Community Services (retired), Superseded 04/04/2011

Collection and usage attributes

Population group age from:	15 years
Population group age to:	64 years
Computation description:	Presentation: Number, percentage, rate ratio and rate difference
Computation:	100 x (Numerator ÷ Denominator)
Numerator:	Number of people aged 15–64 years employed.

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—labour force status, code N

Data Source

ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Supplementary numerator data source

Data Element / Data Set

Person—age, total years N[NN]

Data Source

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Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Supplementary numerator data source

Denominator: Total population of people aged 15–64 years

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—age, total years N[NN]

Data Source

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Data source type: Census

Supplementary denominator data source

Data Element / Data Set

Person—estimated resident population of Australia, total people N[N(7)]

Data Source

ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Supplementary denominator data source

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—Indigenous status, code N

Data Source

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Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code (ASGC 2006) NNNNN

Data Source

ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing

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Data source type: Census

Comments: Disaggregation: National and state/territory by Indigenous status

Most recent data available for 2010 CRC baseline report: 2006 (Census)

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Person

Format: N[N].N

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: Socioeconomic Factors

Data source attributes

Data sources:

Data Source

ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing

Frequency

Every 5 years

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Accountability attributes

Organisation responsible for providing data: Australian Bureau of Statistics

Further data development / collection required: Specification: Long-term

Other issues caveats: The Indigenous undercount in the Census may introduce bias into the results for Indigenous disaggregation, which may affect comparability across states and territories.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Has been superseded by National Indigenous Reform Agreement: PI 21a-Employment to population ratio, for the working age population (15-64 years) (Census Data), 2011
Indigenous, Superseded 01/07/2012

See also National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P21b-Employment to population ratio, for the working age population (15-64 years) (Survey Data), 2010
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Indigenous, Superseded 01/07/2012