2024 APS Employee Census Highlights Report: NEMA 398 of 450 88% 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.

Index	Score	Variance from 2023	Variance from APS overall	Variance from specialist agencies
Engagement Index	72	0	-2	-4
Immediate Supervisor Index	74	0	-3	-3
SES Manager Index	71	+4	+2	0
Communication Index	64	+3	-5	-5
Enabling Innovation Index	63	0	-2	-3
Wellbeing Policies and Support Index	63	+3	-7	-9

Variance from medium sized agencies	Agency ranking (out of 104 agencies)
-3	92
-3	88
+1	43
-4	85
-2	83
-8	101

Section Description	Section
Employee engagement is more than simply job satisfaction or commitment to an organisation. It is	
the extent to which employees are motivated, inspired and enabled to improve an organisation's outcomes.	Employee engagement - say, stay, strive
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The Immediate Supervisor score assesses how employees view the leadership behaviours of their immediate supervisor in line with the APS Leadership Capability Framework.	Leadership - Immediate Supervisor
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The SES Manager Index assesses how employees view the leadership behaviours of their immediate SES manager in line with the APS Leadership Capability Framework.	Leadership - SES Manager
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The Innovation Index assesses both whether employees feel willing and able to be innovative, and whether their agency has a culture which enables them to be so.	Enabling Innovation
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The Wellbeing Index provides a measure of the practical and cultural elements that allow for a sustainable and healthy working environment.	Wellbeing Policies and Support
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Flexible work
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Sub Section	Question	% Positive	% Neutral	% Negative
	Overall, I am satisfied with my job	66%	14%	21%
	I am proud to work in my agency	72%	17%	11%
	I would recommend my agency as a good place to work	52%	23%	25%
	I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of my agency	88%	9%	3%
	I feel a strong personal attachment to my agency	58%	25%	16%
	I feel committed to my agency's goals	86%	10%	5%
	I suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	90%	8%	3%
	I am happy to go the 'extra mile' at work when required	90%	7%	3%
	I work beyond what is required in my job to help my agency achieve its objectives	80%	16%	4%
	My agency really inspires me to do my best work every day	55%	25%	20%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor engages with staff on how to respond to future challenges	77%	10%	13%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor can deliver difficult advice whilst maintaining relationships	76%	13%	11%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor invites a range of views, including those different to their own	79%	9%	12%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor encourages my team to regularly review and improve our work	79%	12%	9%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor is invested in my development	72%	15%	13%
Immediate Supervisor	My supervisor ensures that my workgroup delivers on what we are responsible for	84%	8%	8%
	My supervisor provides me with helpful feedback to improve my performance	71%	18%	11%
	My immediate supervisor encourages me	76%	15%	10%
	My supervisor actively ensures that everyone can be included in workplace activities	81%	8%	11%
	My supervisor encourages me to take on new tasks and gain experience doing things I've never done before	79%	10%	11%
SES Manager	My SES manager clearly articulates the direction and priorities for our area	72%	13%	15%
SES Manager	My SES manager presents convincing arguments and persuades others towards an outcome	71%	18%	11%
SES Manager	My SES manager promotes cooperation within and between agencies	79%	14%	7%
SES Manager	My SES manager encourages innovation and creativity	73%	16%	11%

SES Manager	My SES manager creates an environment that enables us to deliver our best	70%	15%	15%
SES Manager	My SES manager ensures that work effort contributes to the strategic direction	82%	12%	6%
	of the agency and the APS In my agency, the SES work as a team	39%	25%	36%
	In my agency, the SES clearly articulate the direction and priorities for our			
	agency	54%	18%	28%
	My SES manager routinely promotes the use of data and evidence to deliver outcomes	71%	20%	9%
Communication	My supervisor communicates effectively	75%	9%	16%
Communication	My SES manager communicates effectively	73%	15%	13%
Communication	Internal communication within my agency is effective	41%	23%	35%
Change	When changes occur, the impacts are communicated well within my workgroup	58%	20%	22%
Change	Staff are consulted about change at work	41%	32%	27%
Change	Change is managed well in my agency	29%	25%	46%
Enabling innovation	I believe that one of my responsibilities is to continually look for new ways to improve the way we work	82%	13%	6%
Enabling innovation	My immediate supervisor encourages me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	74%	13%	13%
Enabling innovation	People are recognised for coming up with new and innovative ways of working	57%	23%	19%
Enabling innovation	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	47%	33%	20%
Enabling innovation	My agency recognises and supports the notion that failure is a part of innovation	38%	31%	31%
Wellbeing policies and support	I am satisfied with the policies/practices in place to help me manage my health and wellbeing	54%	27%	20%
Wellbeing policies and support	My agency does a good job of communicating what it can offer me in terms of health and wellbeing	54%	28%	18%
Wellbeing policies and support	My agency does a good job of promoting health and wellbeing	50%	25%	25%
Wellbeing policies and support	I think my agency cares about my health and wellbeing	53%	24%	22%
Wellbeing policies and support	I believe my immediate supervisor cares about my health and wellbeing	84%	8%	8%
Wellbeing	If I felt it was needed, I would feel comfortable discussing my mental health and wellbeing with my supervisor	72%	11%	17%

Wellbeing	The people in my workgroup are able to bring up problems and tough issues	74%	13%	13%
Wellbeing	I receive the respect I deserve from my colleagues at work	76%	15%	9%
Wellbeing	My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	67%	16%	16%
	I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, my request would be given reasonable consideration	75%	9%	15%
	I am supported to use my expertise to provide frank and fearless advice	57%	20%	23%
	The people in my workgroup demonstrate stewardship The culture in my agency supports people to act with integrity I believe strongly in the purpose and objectives of the APS I feel a strong personal attachment to the APS	72% 61% 84% 57%	18% 20% 13% 30%	9% 20% 3% 13%
	My workgroup considers the people and businesses affected by what we do	82%	12%	6%
	I am satisfied with the recognition I receive for doing a good job	65%	20%	15%
	I am fairly remunerated (e.g. salary, superannuation) for the work that I do	68%	15%	18%
	I am satisfied with my non-monetary employment conditions (e.g. leave, flexible work arrangements, other benefits)	73%	16%	11%
	I am satisfied with the stability and security of my job	77%	14%	9%
	I understand how my role contributes to achieving an outcome for the Australian public	89%	8%	3%
	I am clear what my duties and responsibilities are	62%	25%	13%
	I have a choice in deciding how I do my work	61%	26%	13%
	Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	64%	16%	20%
	My workgroup has the appropriate skills, capabilities and knowledge to perform well	73%	14%	13%
	My workgroup has the tools and resources we need to perform well	53%	17%	30%
	The people in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	70%	14%	15%
	My job gives me opportunities to utilise my skills	75%	11%	14%
	In the last 12 months, the formal learning I have accessed has improved my performance	56%	28%	16%
	My Agency takes actions to prioritise a positive workplace culture	61%	20%	18%
	I personally take concrete actions to contribute towards a positive workplace culture	90%	9%	1%
	I am clear about the expectations of me and my accountabilities	79%	11%	9%

I have regular discussions with my immediate supervisor about my progress	66%	18%	15%	
I regularly self-reflect on my progress and how I can continue to build my skills	91%	7%	2%	
I am satisfied that I can access relevant learning and development opportunities to continue to build my skills	64%	21%	16%	
I have the right amount of guidance from my immediate supervisor to do my work	72%	14%	14%	
My immediate supervisor supports me to ensure I maintain a healthy work-life balance	79%	12%	9%	
My Agency supports appropriate work, health and safety practices	66%	19%	15%	
I understand how my work connects to other parts of NEMA	73%	12%	15%	
I have regular opportunities to connect to my peers	67%	21%	12%	

Variance from 2023	Variance from APS overall	Variance from specialist agencies	Variance from medium sized agencies
-2	-9	-12	-10
-1	-6	-11	-8
-2	-19	-22	-20
+5 +4	+2 -5	-2	-2
+4 +6	-5 0	-8 -2	-6 -2
-2	+3	0	+1
-4	-1	-2	-2
-4	-1	-1	-2
+3	-5	-8	-8
+4	-3	-3	-3
0	-4	-3	-3
+1	-3	-4	-3
-1	-3	-2	-2
-1	-6	-6	-6
0	-4	-5	-4
-1	-8	-6	-7
0	-2	-2	-2
+1	-3	-3	-2
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+9	+3	0	+3
+5	-16	-16	-15
+9	-10	-13	-10
+6	-10	-10	-10
+5	-14	-13	-13
-3	+3	-1	0
+1	+2	0	0
+11	0	-2	-1
+2	-3	-6	-5
+8	-3	-2	-2
+5	-14	-16	-14
+13	-12	-16	-14
+8	-16	-18	-16
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+3	-7	-12	-10
-	-9	-10	-9
-	-4	-7	-7
-	-16	-18	-17
-2	-2	-1	-2
-2	-8	-2	-5
-	-3	-6	-5
-	-5	-0	-5
+3	-3	-6	-4
+2	+5	+4	+3
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Section Description	Section	Sub Section
	Wellbeing	
	Flexible work	

The working away from the office responses present how often employees worked away from the office/worked from home during a usual working week. It includes the responses for all employees, not just those who indicated they accessed working from home as a flexible working arrangement.	Flexible work
	Flexible work
	Performance
	Performance
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	Performance
Employees who indicated that they wanted to leave their current position as soon as possible or	Performance
within the next 12 months were asked what their plans were.	Retention
	Retention
Employees were also asked for the primary reason behind their desire to leave and could select one response from a list of items. Only the five reasons for leaving with the highest proportion of responses are presented here. These may vary between agencies, work units and with results for the APS overall.	Retention
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	Retention
	Retention

	Retention	
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. Only the three types of discrimination with the highest proportion of responses are presented here. These may vary between agencies, work units and with results for the APS overall.	Unacceptable behaviour	Discrimination
	Unacceptable behaviour	Discrimination
	Unacceptable behaviour Unacceptable behaviour Unacceptable behaviour Unacceptable behaviour Unacceptable behaviour	Discrimination Discrimination Discrimination Discrimination Discrimination
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 options with the highest proportion of responses are presented here. These may vary between agencies, work units and with results for the APS overall.	Unacceptable behaviour	Harassment and bullying
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	Unacceptable behaviour	Harassment and bullying
	Unacceptable behaviour	Harassment and bullying
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Employees who indicated that they had witnessed potential corrupt behaviour were asked to describe the behaviour. Employees could select one or more responses from a list of items. Only the three types of corrupt behaviours with the highest proportion of responses are presented here. These may vary between agencies and with results for the APS overall.	Unacceptable behaviour	Corruption

Unacceptable behaviour	Corruption
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Question	Question Response
In general, would you say that your health is:	Excellent
In general, would you say that your health is:	Very good
In general, would you say that your health is:	Good
In general, would you say that your health is:	Fair
In general, would you say that your health is:	Poor
What best describes your current workload?	Well above capacity – too much work
What best describes your current workload?	Slightly above capacity – lots of work to do
What best describes your current workload?	At capacity – about the right amount of work to do
What best describes your current workload?	Slightly below capacity – available for more work
What best describes your current workload?	Well below capacity – not enough work
How often do you find your work stressful?	Always
How often do you find your work stressful?	Often
How often do you find your work stressful?	Sometimes
How often do you find your work stressful?	Rarely
How often do you find your work stressful?	Never
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?	To a very large extent
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?	To a large extent
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?	Somewhat
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?	To a small extent
To what extent is your work emotionally demanding?	To a very small extent
I feel burned out by my work	Strongly agree
I feel burned out by my work	Agree
I feel burned out by my work	Neither agree nor disagree
I feel burned out by my work	Disagree
I feel burned out by my work	Strongly disagree
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	Part time
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	Flexible hours of work
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	Compressed work week
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	Job sharing
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	Working away from the office/working from home
Do you currently access any of the following flexible working arrangements? [Multiple Response]	None of the above

Working away from the office	None of the time
Working away from the office	All of the time
Working away from the office	Some of the time as a regular arrangement
Working away from the office	Only on an irregular basis
Working away from the office	Did not disclose their arrangement
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance	Excellent
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance	Very good
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance	Average
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance	Below average
In the last month, please rate your workgroup's overall performance	Well below average
Which of the following statements best reflects your current thoughts about working in your current position?	I want to leave my position as soon as possible
Which of the following statements best reflects your current thoughts about working in your current position?	I want to leave my position within the next 12 months
Which of the following statements best reflects your current thoughts about working in your current position?	I want to stay working in my position for the next one to two years
Which of the following statements best reflects your current thoughts about working in your current position?	I want to stay working in my position for at least the next three years
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	I am planning to retire
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	I am pursuing another position within my agency
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	I am pursuing a position in another agency
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	I am pursuing work outside the APS
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	It is the end of my non-ongoing, casual or contracted employment
What best describes your plans involved with leaving your current position?	Other
What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (5 highest responses):	I wish to pursue a promotion opportunity
What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (5 highest responses):	Senior leadership is of a poor quality
What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (5 highest responses):	My immediate supervisor's leadership is of a poor quality
What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (5 highest responses):	Other

What is the primary reason behind your desire to leave your current position? (5 highest responses):	I am expected to do more work than I reasonably can
During the last 12 months and in the course of your employment, have you experienced discrimination on the basis of your background or a personal characteristic?	Yes
During the last 12 months and in the course of your employment, have you experienced discrimination on the basis of your background or a personal characteristic? Did this discrimination occur in your current agency? Did this discrimination occur in your current agency? Basis for the discrimination that you experienced (3 highest responses): Basis for the discrimination that you experienced (3 highest responses):	No Yes No Gender Other Age
During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to harassment or bullying in your current workplace?	Yes
During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to harassment or bullying in your current workplace? During the last 12 months, have you been subjected to harassment or bullying in your current workplace?	Not sure
Types of harassment or bullying experienced (3 highest responses): Types of harassment or bullying experienced (3 highest responses): Types of harassment or bullying experienced (3 highest responses):	Interference with work tasks (e.g. withholding needed information, undermining or sabotage) Verbal abuse (e.g. offensive language, derogatory remarks, shouting or screaming) Deliberate exclusion from work-related activities I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies
Did you report the harassment or bullying? Did you report the harassment or bullying? Did you report the harassment or bullying?	and procedures It was reported by someone else I did not report the behaviour
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your duties, in the last 12 months have you witnessed another APS employee in your agency engaging in behaviour that you consider may be serious enough to be viewed as corruption?	Yes

Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your duties, in the last 12 months have you	
witnessed another APS employee in your agency engaging in behaviour that you consider may be	No
serious enough to be viewed as corruption?	
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your duties, in the last 12 months have you	
witnessed another APS employee in your agency engaging in behaviour that you consider may be	Not sure
serious enough to be viewed as corruption?	
Excluding behaviour reported to you as part of your duties, in the last 12 months have you	
witnessed another APS employee in your agency engaging in behaviour that you consider may be	Would prefer not to answer
serious enough to be viewed as corruption?	
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?	I reported the behaviour in accordance with my agency's policies
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour:	and procedures
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?	It was reported by someone else
Did you report the potentially corrupt behaviour?	I did not report the behaviour
How do you describe your gender?	Man or male
How do you describe your gender?	Woman or female
How do you describe your gender?	Non-binary
How do you describe your gender?	I use a different term
How do you describe your gender?	Prefer not to say
Do you identify as an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person?	Yes
Do you identify as an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person?	No
Do you have an ongoing disability?	Yes
Do you have an ongoing disability?	No
Do you have carer responsibilities?	Yes
Do you have carer responsibilities?	No
Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, Intersex, Queer,	Yes
Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?	163
Do you identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and/or gender diverse, Intersex, Queer,	No
Questioning and/or Asexual (LGBTIQA+)?	NO
Do you identify as culturally and linguistically diverse?	Yes
Do you identify as culturally and linguistically diverse?	No
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Australian (excluding Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander)
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	New Zealander (excluding Maori)
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Maori, Melanesian, Papuan, Micronesian, and Polynesian
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Anglo-European
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	North-West European (excluding Anglo-European)
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	Southern and Eastern European
How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response]	South-East Asian

How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] North-East Asian How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] Southern and Central Asian How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] North American How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] South and Central American and Caribbean Islander How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] North African and Middle Eastern How would you describe your cultural background? [Multiple Response] Sub-Saharan African Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent? Yes Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent? No Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent? Maybe Do you consider yourself to be neurodivergent? I am unsure what neurodivergent means

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11%	-1	0	-1	0
36%	+5	+1	-1	0
35%	-2	-3	-1	-2
15%	+1	+1	+3	+3
3%	-2	0	+1	0
26%	-3	+3	+4	+2
39%	-2	-1	-1	-1
22%	+4	-9	-8	-7
10%	+1	+4	+3	+4
3%	0	+2	+2	+2
7%	0	+2	+3	+3
26%	-3	+1	+3	+3
46%	-3	-3	-4	-4
20%	+6	+1	-1	0
1%	0	-1	-2	-1
10%	+1	+3	+4	+3
25%	-2	+4	+7	+6
35%	-2	-3	-2	-2
21%	-1	-3	-6	-4
9%	+4	-1	-3	-2
12%	0	+4	+6	+5
24%	-2	+1	+3	+3
27%	-2	-5	-3	-4
32%	+4	+3	0	+1
5%	0	-3	-4	-4
6%	+1	-7	-8	-6
16%	-3	-11	-17	-12
6%	+2	+1	+2	+1
0%	0	0	0	0
62%	+6	0	-8	-7
29%	-4	+6	+11	+10

38%	-	0	+8	+7
4%	_	-1	-2	-4
44%	-	-2	- -7	-5
13%	-	+4	+1	+2
0%	-	0	0	0
26%	+1	-1	-4	-2
50%	0	-5	-4	-5
19%	-2	+3	+5	+5
3%	-1	+1	+2	+1
2%	+1	+1	+1	+1
18%	+6	+9	+10	+10
27%	+1	+4	+6	+5
38%	-4	0	-3	-3
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17%	-2	-13	-13	-11
0%	-6	-5	-4	-3
21%	+1	-22	-7	-9
54%	+2	+27	+18	+18
10%	+2	0	-4	-2
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90%	+6	-1	-3	-2
5%	0	+1	+2	+1
3%	-2	+1	+1	+1
10%	-10	-11	-6	-5
0%	-30	-16	-14	-17
90%	+40	+27	+19	+22
36%	+2	-1	-3	0
60%	-1	+1	+3	+1
1%	-1	0	0	0
0%	0	0	0	0
4%	0	0	0	0
2%	0	-1	-1	-1
98%	0	+1	+1	+1
10%	+2	-1	+1	+1
90%	-2	+1	-1	-1
36%	-1	-7	-5	-5
64%	+1	+7	+5	+5
11%	0	+2	0	0
89%	0	-2	0	0
18%	-	-7	-6	-5
82%	-	+7	+6	+5
76%	+2	+9	+6	+6
2%	0	-1	-1	0
2%	0	+1	0	0
1%	-2	-1	0	-1
14%	-1	+1	0	0
2%	0	-1	-2	-1
3%	-2	-3	-3	-2
6%	+2	-5	-3	-3

2%	+1	-1	-2	-1
2%	-1	-2	-2	-1
0%	0	0	-1	-1
1%	+1	0	0	0
1%	0	-1	-1	-1
1%	0	0	0	0
11%	+2	+3	+2	+2
74%	-10	+1	-1	+1
10%	-	+1	-1	0
5%	-2	-4	-1	-3

Suggested Questions to Focus On	Question	% Positive
1.	I am supported to use my expertise to provide frank and fearless advice	57%
2.	My agency inspires me to come up with new or better ways of doing things	47%
3.	The culture in my agency supports people to act with integrity	61%
4.	My agency supports and actively promotes an inclusive workplace culture	67%
5.	Where appropriate, I am able to take part in decisions that affect my job	64%
6.	Internal communication within my agency is effective	41%

Variance from 2023	Variance from APS overall	Variance from specialist agencies	Variance from medium sized agencies
-	-9	-10	-9
+2	-3	-6	-5
-	-16	-18	-17
+3	-14	-13	-12
-2	-7	-10	-9
+5	-16	-16	-15

% 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.

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.

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%.