



Australian Government
Department of Education and Training

Monthly Summary of International Student Data

January – May 2016

440,949

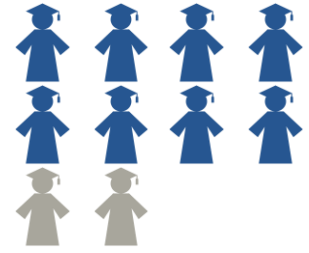
international students in
Australia so far in 2016

This is 11% more international students than up to May 2015.

More than

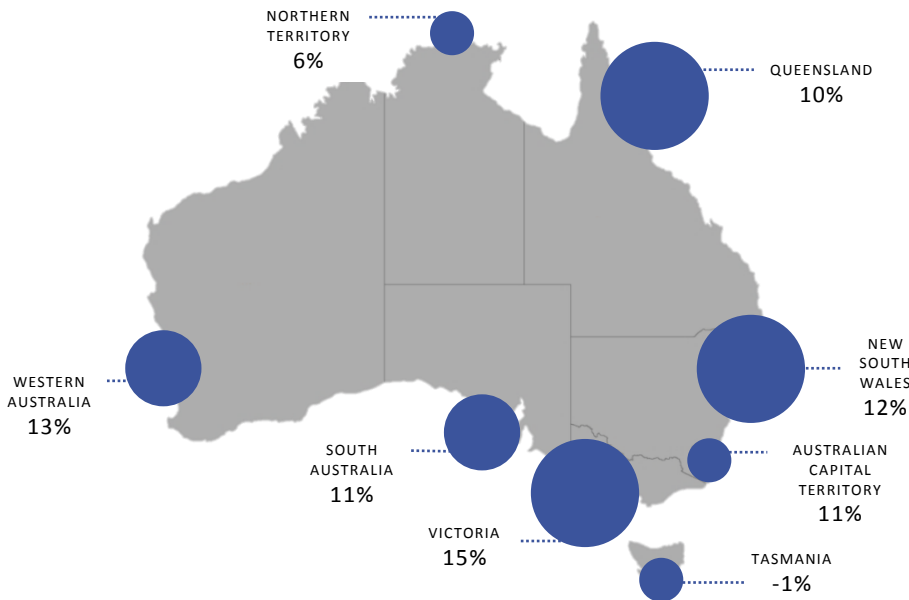
80%

of Australia's international
students come from Asia



State Commencements Growth

January - May



12.5%

increase in 2016
commencements

There have been 202,160 commencements so far in 2016.

Commencements are *new* enrolments (a subset of *all* enrolments).

500,189

international enrolments
so far in 2016

Enrolments show what courses international students are studying in the Higher education, VET, Schools, English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) and Non-award sectors.

There are more enrolments than students as many students study more than one course during a calendar year.

Top Three Nationalities Enrolments by Sector

January - May



Non-Award



Higher Education



ELICOS



Schools



VET



Full international student data tables are at:

<https://internationaleducation.gov.au/research/pages/data-and-research.aspx>