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| | | | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total |
| Apprenticeship | Arts, sport & recreation | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| | Automotive | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 642 | 406 | 0 | 1 048 | 635 | 357 | 1 | 993 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 651 | 375 | 0 | 1 026 | 509 | 285 | 0 | 794 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 728 | 526 | 1 | 1 255 | 342 | 277 | 0 | 619 |
| | Building & construction | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 769 | 559 | 2 | 2 330 | 609 | 205 | 0 | 814 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 1 133 | 363 | 3 | 1 499 | 634 | 246 | 0 | 880 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 968 | 306 | 0 | 1 274 | 674 | 208 | 0 | 882 |
| | Community services, health & education | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| | Electrical | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 217 | 276 | 1 | 1 494 | 707 | 309 | 1 | 1 017 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 861 | 254 | 0 | 1 115 | 695 | 274 | 1 | 970 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 873 | 282 | 1 | 1 156 | 628 | 247 | 1 | 876 |
| | Food | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 142 | 75 | 0 | 217 | 93 | 32 | 0 | 125 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 137 | 69 | 0 | 206 | 52 | 25 | 0 | 77 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 131 | 72 | 0 | 203 | 55 | 28 | 0 | 83 |
| | Hospitality & tourism | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 296 | 132 | 0 | 428 | 137 | 51 | 0 | 188 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 325 | 155 | 0 | 480 | 124 | 49 | 0 | 173 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 239 | 131 | 0 | 370 | 90 | 51 | 0 | 141 |
| | Light manufacturing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 238 | 81 | 0 | 319 | 128 | 37 | 0 | 165 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 195 | 47 | 0 | 242 | 106 | 32 | 0 | 138 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 153 | 49 | 0 | 202 | 89 | 40 | 0 | 129 |
| Metals, manufacturing & services | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 719 | 512 | 0 | 1 231 | 687 | 534 | 3 | 1 224 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 588 | 479 | 4 | 1 071 | 568 | 454 | 2 | 1 024 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 725 | 546 | 0 | 1 271 | 485 | 353 | 2 | 840 | |
| Primary industry | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 51 | 25 | 2 | 78 | 45 | 26 | 0 | 71 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 56 | 17 | 0 | 73 | 32 | 13 | 0 | 45 | |

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| | | | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total |
| Apprenticeship | Primary industry | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 53 | 21 | 0 | 74 | 29 | 16 | 0 | 45 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Process manufacturing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 99 | 9 | 0 | 108 | 53 | 31 | 0 | 84 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 50 | 43 | 0 | 93 | 30 | 39 | 0 | 69 |
| | Utilities, electrotechnology & printing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 59 | 18 | 0 | 77 | 64 | 38 | 0 | 102 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 484 | 140 | 0 | 624 | 189 | 86 | 0 | 275 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 440 | 148 | 0 | 588 | 201 | 71 | 0 | 272 |
| | Wholesale, retail & personal services | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 423 | 109 | 0 | 532 | 204 | 55 | 0 | 259 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 5 664 | 2 219 | 5 | 7 888 | 3 291 | 1 668 | 5 | 4 964 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 4 462 | 1 953 | 7 | 6 422 | 2 957 | 1 489 | 3 | 4 449 |
| Total | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 4 367 | 2 062 | 2 | 6 431 | 2 666 | 1 314 | 3 | 3 983 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 229 | 23 | 0 | 252 | 210 | 22 | 0 | 232 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 250 | 18 | 0 | 268 | 208 | 22 | 0 | 230 | |
| Traineeship | Arts, sport & recreation | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 279 | 43 | 0 | 322 | 223 | 14 | 0 | 237 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 79 | 64 | 0 | 143 | 25 | 31 | 1 | 57 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 84 | 52 | 0 | 136 | 46 | 37 | 0 | 83 |
| | Automotive | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 69 | 68 | 1 | 138 | 35 | 29 | 0 | 64 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 518 | 226 | 0 | 744 | 99 | 149 | 1 | 249 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 297 | 108 | 0 | 405 | 93 | 85 | 0 | 178 |
| | Building & construction | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 401 | 158 | 9 | 568 | 188 | 58 | 0 | 246 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 331 | 445 | 0 | 1 776 | 873 | 265 | 3 | 1 141 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 1 002 | 334 | 0 | 1 336 | 780 | 228 | 2 | 1 010 |
| Community services, health & education | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 893 | 344 | 1 | 1 238 | 607 | 169 | 0 | 776 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 3 430 | 1 177 | 1 | 4 608 | 1 551 | 504 | 1 | 2 056 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 2 867 | 891 | 37 | 3 795 | 1 498 | 553 | 0 | 2 051 | |
| Finance, property & business services | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 2 405 | 790 | 69 | 3 264 | 1 277 | 383 | 48 | 1 708 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 105 | 190 | 0 | 295 | 49 | 146 | 0 | 195 | |
| | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 68 | 159 | 0 | 227 | 47 | 135 | 0 | 182 | |
| Food | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Traineeship | Food | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 64 | 159 | 0 | 223 | 65 | 124 | 0 | 189 |
| | Hospitality & tourism | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 2 216 | 618 | 2 | 2 836 | 931 | 490 | 5 | 1 426 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 2 163 | 397 | 2 | 2 562 | 910 | 172 | 2 | 1 084 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 1 757 | 472 | 3 | 2 232 | 1 239 | 207 | 1 | 1 447 |
| | Light manufacturing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 30 | 22 | 0 | 52 | 13 | 19 | 0 | 32 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 59 | 18 | 0 | 77 | 21 | 15 | 0 | 36 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 20 | 21 | 0 | 41 | 21 | 12 | 0 | 33 |
| | Metals, manufacturing & services | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 183 | 76 | 0 | 259 | 49 | 84 | 0 | 133 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 49 | 55 | 0 | 104 | 45 | 37 | 0 | 82 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 78 | 45 | 0 | 123 | 84 | 27 | 0 | 111 |
| | Mining industry | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 235 | 1 313 | 2 | 1 550 | 33 | 540 | 0 | 573 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 209 | 1 118 | 0 | 1 327 | 63 | 660 | 1 | 724 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 328 | 1 543 | 0 | 1 871 | 89 | 557 | 0 | 646 |
| | Other | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Primary industry | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 87 | 406 | 7 | 500 | 74 | 227 | 3 | 304 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 95 | 339 | 6 | 440 | 50 | 199 | 5 | 254 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 115 | 294 | 1 | 410 | 79 | 184 | 2 | 265 |
| | Process manufacturing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 992 | 537 | 0 | 2 529 | 1 124 | 858 | 0 | 1 982 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 707 | 255 | 0 | 962 | 885 | 172 | 0 | 1 057 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 850 | 274 | 0 | 1 124 | 1 050 | 223 | 0 | 1 273 |
| | Public administration | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 200 | 17 | 1 | 218 | 248 | 22 | 0 | 270 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 171 | 42 | 0 | 213 | 129 | 13 | 2 | 144 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 136 | 61 | 2 | 199 | 140 | 17 | 0 | 157 |
| | Transport & storage | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 154 | 324 | 2 | 1 480 | 825 | 121 | 5 | 951 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 1 070 | 277 | 5 | 1 352 | 552 | 87 | 2 | 641 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 952 | 153 | 6 | 1 111 | 576 | 155 | 4 | 735 |
| | Utilities, electrotechnology & printing | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 362 | 174 | 0 | 536 | 293 | 137 | 1 | 431 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 299 | 130 | 0 | 429 | 249 | 62 | 0 | 311 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 324 | 70 | 0 | 394 | 172 | 80 | 0 | 252 |

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| | | | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total | Perth | Rural WA | Other | Total |
| Traineeship | Wholesale, retail & personal services | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 1 331 | 326 | 0 | 1 657 | 631 | 182 | 0 | 813 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 1 127 | 326 | 0 | 1 453 | 795 | 186 | 1 | 982 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 1 105 | 297 | 0 | 1 402 | 762 | 208 | 0 | 970 |
| | Total | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2015 | 13 484 | 5 938 | 15 | 19 437 | 7 028 | 3 797 | 20 | 10 845 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2016 | 10 517 | 4 519 | 50 | 15 086 | 6 371 | 2 663 | 15 | 9 049 |
| | | 12 months to 31 Dec, 2017 | 9 776 | 4 792 | 92 | 14 660 | 6 607 | 2 447 | 55 | 9 109 |

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