

National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P27b- Proportion of Indigenous 20-64 year olds with or working towards a post-school qualification in AQF Certificate III, IV, Diploma or Advanced Diploma (Survey data), 2010

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Indicator
Short name:	Proportion of Indigenous 20-64 year olds with or working towards a post-school qualification in AQF Certificate III, IV, Diploma or Advanced Diploma, 2010
METEOR identifier:	396918
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Superseded 04/04/2011
Description:	Proportion of people aged 20–64 years with post school qualifications in Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Certificate III or above, or are currently studying, by Indigenous status.
Rationale:	Post secondary education leads to better employment prospects and for Indigenous persons will help to achieve the target to halve the gap in employment outcomes within a decade.
Indicator set:	National Indigenous Reform Agreement (2010) Community Services (retired) , Superseded 04/04/2011
Outcome area:	The Indigenous workforce age population has the depth and breadth of skills and capabilities required for the 21st century labour market Indigenous , Standard 21/07/2010
Data quality statement:	National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P27b-Proportion of Indigenous 20–64 year olds with or working towards post school qualification in AQF Certificate III, IV, Diploma and Advanced Diploma (Survey data), 2010 QS Community Services (retired) , Superseded 04/04/2011

Collection and usage attributes

Population group age from:	20 years
Population group age to:	64 years
Computation description:	Presentation: Number and percentage, including confidence intervals and relative standard errors for percentages. percentages are calculated for: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completed study/currently studying• Level of study (completed study only)
Computation:	100 x (Numerator ÷ Denominator)
Numerator:	People aged 20–64 years who have attained post school qualifications in AQF Certificate III or above, or are currently studying.

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Level of current study

Data Source

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey](#)

[\(NATSISS\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey
Supplementary Indigenous numerator data source in between Census years

Data Element / Data Set

Level of current study

Data Source

[ABS Survey of Education and Work \(SEW\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey
Supplementary non-Indigenous numerator data source in between Census years

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

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[Person—level of highest educational attainment, code NN](#)

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[Person—student/employment training indicator, code N](#)

Data Source

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Denominator:

Total population of people aged 20–64 years.

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey \(NATSISS\)](#)

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Data source type: Survey
Supplementary Indigenous denominator data source in between Census years

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

[ABS Survey of Education and Work \(SEW\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey
Supplementary non-Indigenous denominator data source in between Census years

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

Data Source

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Data source type: Survey

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

Data Source

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Data source type: Survey

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code \(ASGC 2006\) NNNNN](#)

Data Source

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Data source type: Survey

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code \(ASGC 2008\) NNNNN](#)

Data Source

[ABS Survey of Education and Work \(SEW\)](#)

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Data source type: Survey

Comments:

Required disaggregation: National and state/territory by Indigenous status

Available disaggregation: National and state/territory by

- Completed study/currently studying
- Level of study (completed study only)

Most recent data available for 2010 CRC baseline report: 2008 NATSISS (Indigenous) and SEW 2008 (non-Indigenous).

Currently, the NATSISS does not provide information on level of qualification for those working towards qualification (only for those who have completed).

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage
Data type: Real
Unit of measure: Person
Format: NN.N

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Socioeconomic Factors](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources:

Data Source

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey \(NATSISS\)](#)

Frequency

Every 6 years.

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Data Source

[ABS Survey of Education and Work \(SEW\)](#)

Frequency

Annual

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Accountability attributes

Organisation responsible for providing data: Australian Bureau of Statistics

Further data development / collection required: Specification: Interim

Work is required to collect data by qualification level of current study. The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) is exploring options for collecting level and field of current study in future household surveys, commencing with General Social Survey (GSS) 2010.

Other issues caveats: At this stage, the ABS informs that information is only available on qualification levels for those who have completed studies (not those who are currently studying).

The SEW does not include people living in very remote areas which may affect the comparability of results

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Has been superseded by [National Indigenous Reform Agreement: PI 27b- Proportion of Indigenous 20-64 year olds with or working towards a post-school qualification in Certificate III or above \(Survey data\), 2011](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 01/07/2012

See also [National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P27a-Proportion of Indigenous 20-64 year olds with or working towards a post-school qualification in AQF Certificate III, IV, Diploma or Advanced Diploma \(Census data\), 2010](#)

[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 04/04/2011