

**Statistics on the General Employment Policy, the Admission Scheme for Mainland Talents and Professionals  
and the Quality Migrant Admission Scheme**

General Employment Policy	2014			2015			2016		
	No. of Applications								
	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved
Jan	2 711	2 696	2 387	3 212	3 289	3 120	3 533	3 098	2 917
Feb	2 378	2 420	2 157	2 533	1 899	1 793	2 593	2 947	2 793
Mar	3 069	3 029	2 729	3 054	3 721	3 546	2 753	2 771	2 600
Apr	2 807	2 763	2 470	2 568	2 546	2 410	2 921	2 688	2 487
May	3 176	3 172	2 935	2 870	2 688	2 552	2 790	2 695	2 523
Jun	2 883	2 902	2 483	3 107	3 106	2 916	3 439	3 374	3 143
Jul	3 274	3 111	2 783	3 379	3 323	3 119	3 231	3 391	3 140
Aug	3 217	3 323	2 982	3 147	3 376	3 192	3 644	3 606	3 338
Sep	3 137	3 090	2 813	3 328	3 194	2 968	3 642	3 698	3 433
Oct	3 145	3 252	2 955	2 929	2 923	2 756	3 415	3 356	3 087
Nov	2 805	2 946	2 673	3 429	3 595	3 356	3 882	3 831	3 619
Dec	2 643	2 595	2 309	2 864	2 888	2 675	3 093	3 091	2 917
<b>Total</b>	<b>35 245</b>	<b>35 299</b>	<b>31 676</b>	<b>36 420</b>	<b>36 548</b>	<b>34 403</b>	<b>38 936</b>	<b>38 546</b>	<b>35 997</b>

Admission Scheme for Mainland Talents and Professionals	2014			2015			2016		
	No. of Applications								
	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved
Jan	893	967	803	853	734	613	855	874	768
Feb	719	519	455	802	883	713	804	742	616
Mar	903	1 004	850	826	896	747	993	1 076	940
Apr	899	871	693	749	753	631	1 067	1 021	823
May	970	910	759	896	821	674	1 070	1 019	905
Jun	1 058	1 011	892	1 037	1 034	933	982	994	786
Jul	1 111	1 166	997	1 061	977	848	927	952	747
Aug	920	938	751	917	935	811	1 171	1 135	959
Sep	867	844	713	960	903	751	1 156	1 105	982
Oct	900	829	722	862	960	785	940	998	803
Nov	737	851	758	986	930	829	1 286	1 290	1 090
Dec	1 006	1 053	920	1 085	1 035	894	1 000	1 101	985
<b>Total</b>	<b>10 983</b>	<b>10 963</b>	<b>9 313</b>	<b>11 034</b>	<b>10 861</b>	<b>9 229</b>	<b>12 251</b>	<b>12 307</b>	<b>10 404</b>

Quality Migrant Admission Scheme	2014			2015			2016		
	No. of Applications								
	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved	Received	Processed	Approved
Jan	188	93	27	168	133	23	152	246	5
Feb	253	140	19	118	132	26	84	57	1
Mar	184	261	34	198	339	28	112	207	16
Apr	254	102	18	233	90	27	155	63	13
May	190	149	28	127	97	29	173	89	24
Jun	153	335	25	135	294	21	155	327	9
Jul	200	103	32	138	84	19	137	24	8
Aug	182	273	39	162	96	17	156	119	18
Sep	289	379	32	133	282	12	107	158	12
Oct	213	145	24	174	94	9	104	73	14
Nov	113	239	26	136	95	14	131	47	15
Dec	122	338	34	107	113	15	109	163	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>2 341</b>	<b>2 557</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>1 829</b>	<b>1 849</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>1575</b>	<b>1 573</b>	<b>156</b>