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Workplace Gender Auditing analysing your audit data, 2021

INDICATOR 3: EQUAL REMUNERATION



In the room today



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80 entities

Ways of working



Safety and Support

Your EAP Provider
1800 Respect | Safe Steps



Chat Function

Ask questions, note comments
We will monitor and respond



Session Focus

Focus on analysing your data
Not challenges completing template
Not challenges with manipulating data

Context for data analysis support



The Commission is working on troubleshooting the reporting template.

GenderWorks is developing data analysis guidance on behalf of the Commission

AGEP is supporting entities to prepare for GEAP formulation

.v3 due for release by end June

Indicator 3 – Data for Analysis

Equal remuneration for work of equal or comparable value across all levels of the workforce, regardless of gender



Workforce data

Table 3.1 – gender

Sheet 3a – intersectional gender



No Employee Experience data

Indicator 3 – Data for Analysis

Equal remuneration for work of equal or comparable value across all levels of the workforce, regardless of gender

Legally, employers must pay men and women equally for work of equal or comparable value

In practice, currently in Australia we see a gender pay gap favouring men for full-time workers in all industries and occupational categories.

Culturally, we need to address pay gap data through initiatives like flexible work arrangements, balanced workforce composition, equitable recruitment and promotion practices.



What's in your Workforce dataset?

Table 3.1: Average annualized full-time equivalent salary gap between genders

***note: this is the assumed format for Table 3.1. Please check Indicative Reporting template v3 (once released) for final format*

Classification	Employee Level (your organisation's terminology)	Employment basis	Mean - Annualised Base Salary			Median - Annualised Base Salary			Mean - Total Remuneration			Median - Total Remuneration		
			Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender
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		Casual Salary Gap (%)												

1. You input 3 salary measures (**base salary**, **fixed remuneration** and **total remuneration**) in your Unit Level Upload.
2. The worksheet then calculates **average (mean and median) salary figures (base salary and total remuneration)** for women, men and self-described gender (this will not be displayed, it is a back-end calculation)
3. The worksheet uses these average salary figures to calculate differences between women's and men's average salaries & between people of self-described gender and men's average salaries
4. The worksheet calculates **FTE salary gap (\$ and %)** based on these mean and median figures (these will be displayed in your dataset, as shown in Table 3.1 above)



What's in your workforce dataset?

A simple example for the calculation of a salary gap (a \$ figure and a %)

For the VPS workforce we know the following:

men's median salary = \$97,744

women's median salary = \$87,282

Salary gap as a \$ figure = $\$97,744 - \$87,282 = \$10,462$

Salary gap as a % = $\frac{\$97,744 - \$87,282}{\$97,744}$ as a % = 10.7%



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4. Shows salary gap calculated based on mean salary (average salary for W,M,S in each group) & median salary (mid-point salary for W,M,S in each group)

Mean (average) and median (mid-point)

1. Shows salary gap within each classification group

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			Base Salary						Total Remuneration					

2 Shows salary gap, for FT, PT, CE within each classification group

3. Shows salary gap for base salary and total remuneration



What's in your Workforce dataset?

Sheet 3a: Example of disaggregation by gender and by Aboriginality

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1. Shows salary gap within each classification group

Mean (average) and median (mid-point)

Classification by reporting level to CEO/head of business i) enter 0 for the CEO; ii) enter -1 to -15	Employee Level (your organisation's terminology)	Employment basis	Identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander														
			Mean - Annualised Base Salary			Median - Annualised Base Salary			Mean - Total Remuneration			Median - Total Remuneration					
			Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender	Women	Men	Self Described Gender			
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In sheet 3a you may have tables for Aboriginality, age, disability, cultural identity (ethnicity and race), religion, sexual orientation,



Analysing your workforce dataset

Key principles

- Always disaggregate by *gender*, as your primary measure.
- You may be disaggregating by *intersectional demographics* if you have data available

Additional components of the data to reflect on

- Classification level – within and between (*where possible, if you have classified by reporting level*)
- Employment basis – FT, PT, Casual
- Remuneration type – base salary and total remuneration
- Average figures – mean or median



Analysing your workforce dataset

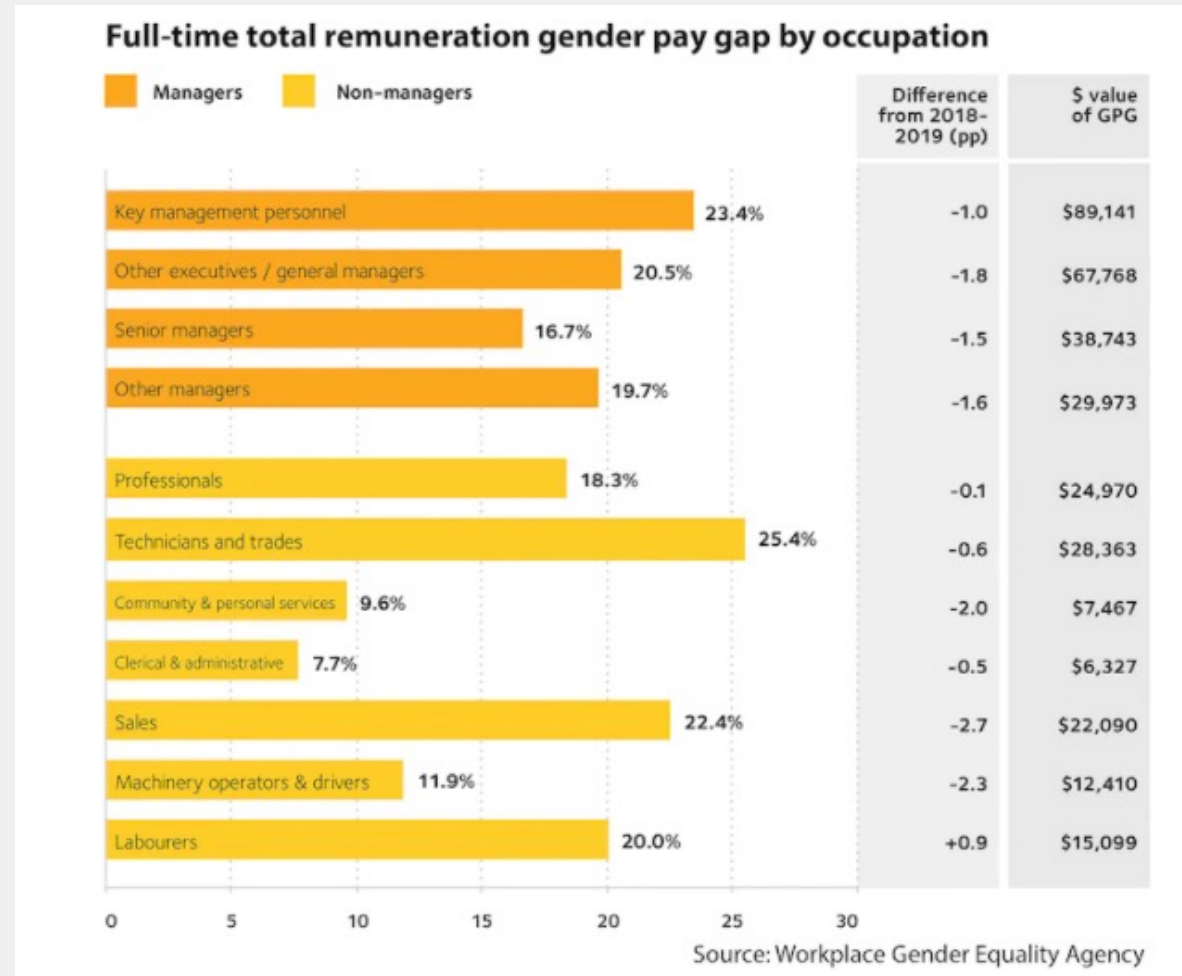
What kind of things might you look for in this data?

- Compare your FT and PT gender pay gap within classifications
- Compare your FT gender pay gap (mean salary) across classifications
- Compare your FT gender pay gap (median salary) across classifications
- Compare your PT gender pay gap (mean salary) across classifications
- Compare your PT gender pay gap (median salary) across classifications

Analysing your data



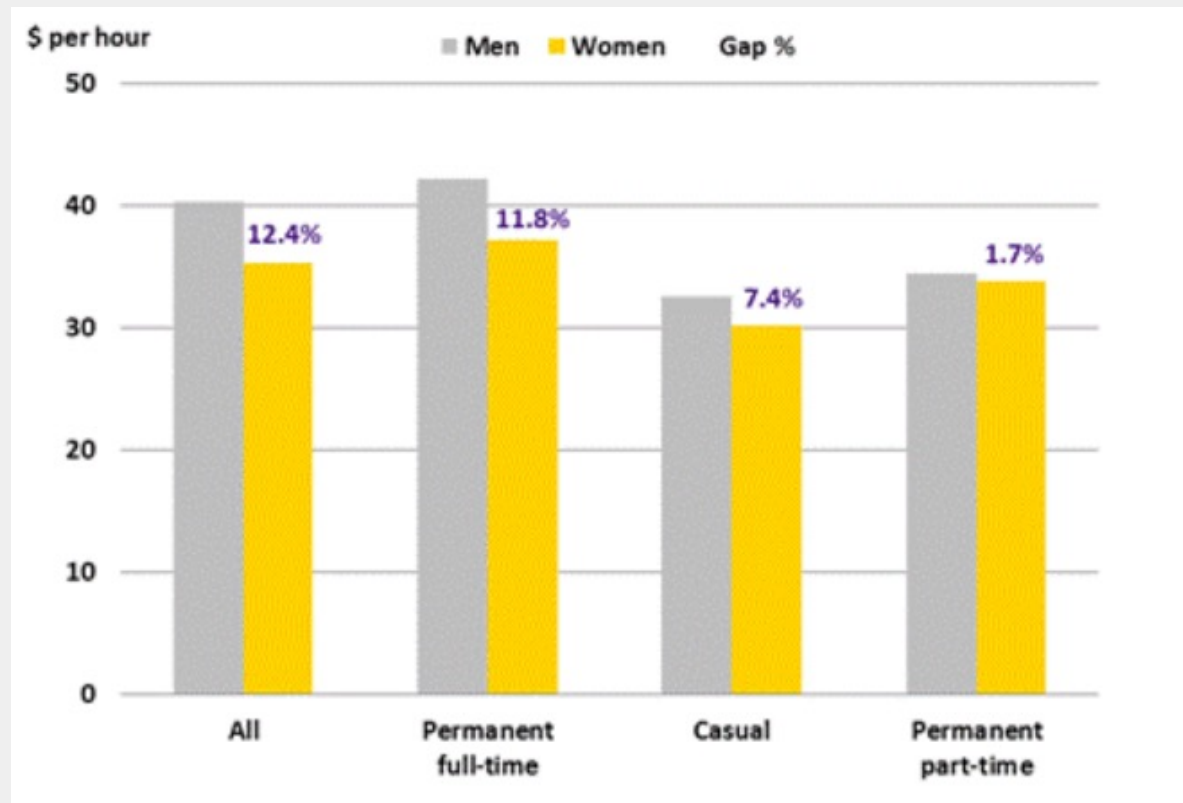
Example:
Gender pay gap
by mgmt. level &
by occupational
grouping



Analysing your data



Example: Wage gap by gender and employment type



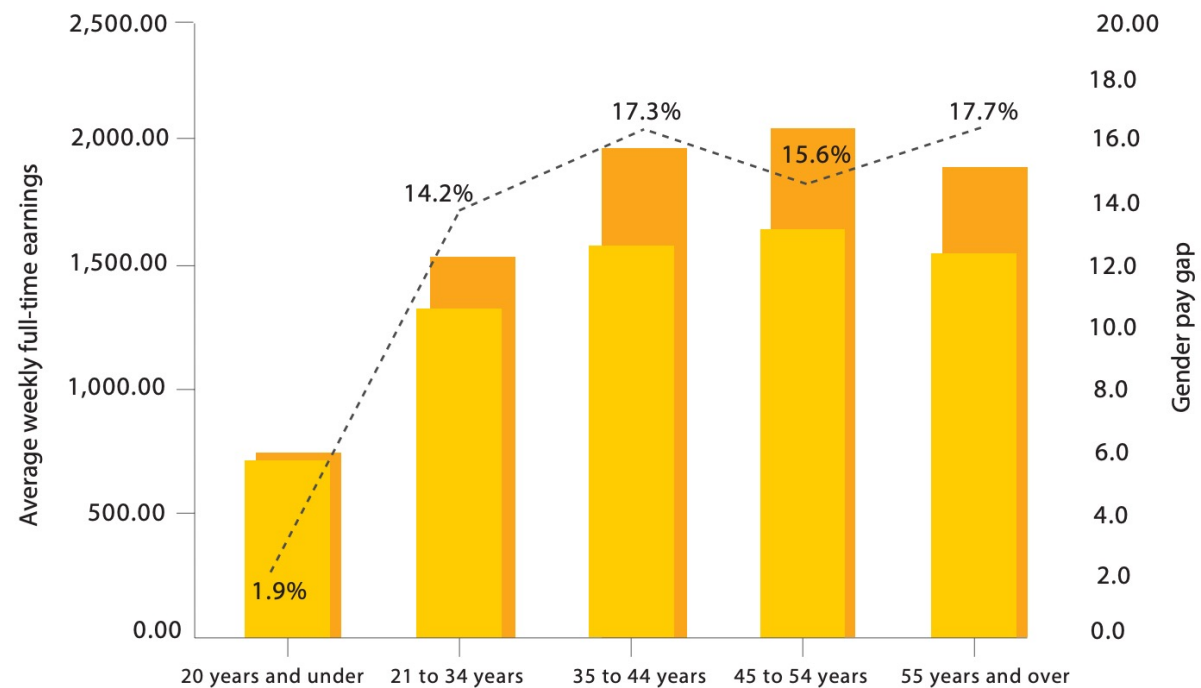
* Note this example graphs hourly wage gap (not annualized base salary gap or total remuneration gap) by gender and employment type. Graph provided only as an example for discussion

Analysing your data



Example: Gender pay gap by age

Figure 4: Average weekly full-time earnings and gender pay gap by age, August 2020



* Note this example graphs gap in full-time earnings (not annualized base salary gap or total remuneration gap) by gender and age. Provided only as an example for discussion.



Questions

20 minutes

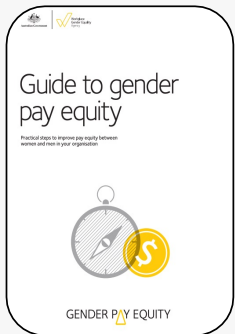
Useful resources



Workplace Gender Equality Agency (WGEA)

www.fairwork.gov.au

- *Gender pay equity: best practice guide*



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www.wgea.gov.au/pay-and-gender

- *Guide to gender pay equity*
- *The gender pay gap calculator*
- *Australia's gender pay gap statistics February 2021*
- + many other resources*

You can also visit the Commission's *Leading Practice Resources* page for more information: <https://www.genderequalitycommission.vic.gov.au/leading-practice-resources>

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