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About your report

The results in this report help your organisation build a positive workplace culture with integrity that live the public sector values.

Report contents

The visual on the right shows you what sections we've included in this report for your organisation's survey results.

Comparing data in this report

Your organisation took part in the survey in 2021 but not 2020.

This means you'll be able to compare about 73% of this year's survey with your previous results.

Rounding of percentages

In this report, we round numbers up or down to their nearest whole percentage.

This means some percentages may not add up to 100%.

Survey questions and definitions

Download Survey questions: People matter survey 2022 (DOCX, 55 pages) to see how we asked questions and defined concepts in the 2022 survey

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Privacy and anonymity

To protect you, we:

- use an anonymous survey link and everyone in your organisation receives the same survey link
- de-identify all survey response data provided to your organisation
- don't collect your name, date of birth or employee ID
- don't release results when fewer than 10 people in a work group have responded to the survey
- don't release employee opinion results for demographic groups where organisations have fewer than 30 responses in total
- don't link the free-text comment reporting to any other survey information

Read more in our privacy policy.

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Survey's theoretical framework

What this is

The framework provides an overview of the workplace factors and outcomes that the survey measures.

Why this is important

Based on theory and research, the framework focuses on core themes that help guide organisations in creating better workplaces.

We developed the framework in consultation with stakeholders from the public sector and Deakin University.

Our public sector values

The public sector values inform the professional and ethical conduct of everyone who works in the public sector.

As such, these values underpin the theoretical framework of the survey.

There's a strong link between workplace culture and how staff perceive their organisation lives the public sector values.

Senior leadership → **Organisation climate** → **Workgroup climate** → **Job and manager** → **Outcomes**

Senior leadership
- Lead the organisation
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- Collaboration

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Outcomes
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- Wellbeing – work-related stress
- Wellbeing – job-related affect
- Intention to stay
- Acting on negative behaviours
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The public sector values that underpin the framework and all public sector organisations

Responsiveness   Integrity   Impartiality   Accountability   Respect   Leadership   Human Rights

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Your comparator group

What this is

This is a list of similar organisations to yours.

We try to make sure they're in the same industry your organisation is in.

Some organisations may not have taken part in the survey previously. This means your comparator group may be different to previous years.

How we use this in your report

In this report, we compare your organisation's survey results to your comparator group's results.

This is so you can compare how your organisation is doing in your industry or to similar organisations.

We refer to your comparator group in this report as 'comparator'.

Australian Grand Prix Corporation

Emerald Tourist Railway Board

Greyhound Racing Victoria

Harness Racing Victoria

Royal Botanic Gardens Board

State Sport Centres Trust

Victorian Institute of Sport

Visit Victoria

Zoological Parks and Gardens Board

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Your response rate

What this is

This is how many staff in your organisation did the survey in 2022.

Why this is important

The higher the response rate, the more your results will reflect how staff feel.

If less than 100 completed the survey, consider how much one person could change your results.

For example, if only 25 people did the survey, 1 person would account for 4% of any result.

In this example, if your survey result and comparator group result or previous survey result are within 4% of each other, there is very little difference in the results.

How to read this

The number in the brackets () shows how many staff completed the survey this year.

We've also expressed this as a percentage of all the staff who work in your organisation.

2021	2022
73% **(84)**	**74%** **(90)**
Comparator 61%	Comparator 52%
Public Sector 39%	Public Sector 52%

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Scorecard: employee engagement index

What this is

Engaged employees are committed to their organisation's goals and values, and motivated to contribute to organisational success.

The employee engagement index is a score out of 100. It is a weighting of all engagement question responses.

The weightings for each engagement response are:

- strongly agree is 100 points
- agree is 75 points
- neither agree nor disagree is 50 points
- disagree is 25 points
- strongly disagree is 0 points

Why this is important

High engagement may lead to greater satisfaction and lower absences, turnover and workplace stress.

2021	
80	
Comparator	78
Public Sector	70

2022	
81	
Comparator	73
Public Sector	69

People outcomes

Engagement question results 1 of 2

What this is

This is the overall sense of pride, attachment, inspiration, motivation and advocacy your employees have for your organisation.

Your organisation's engagement index

Your 2022 index is 81.

Why this is important

High engagement drives greater productivity, employee wellbeing and lower absences, turnover and workplace stress.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.
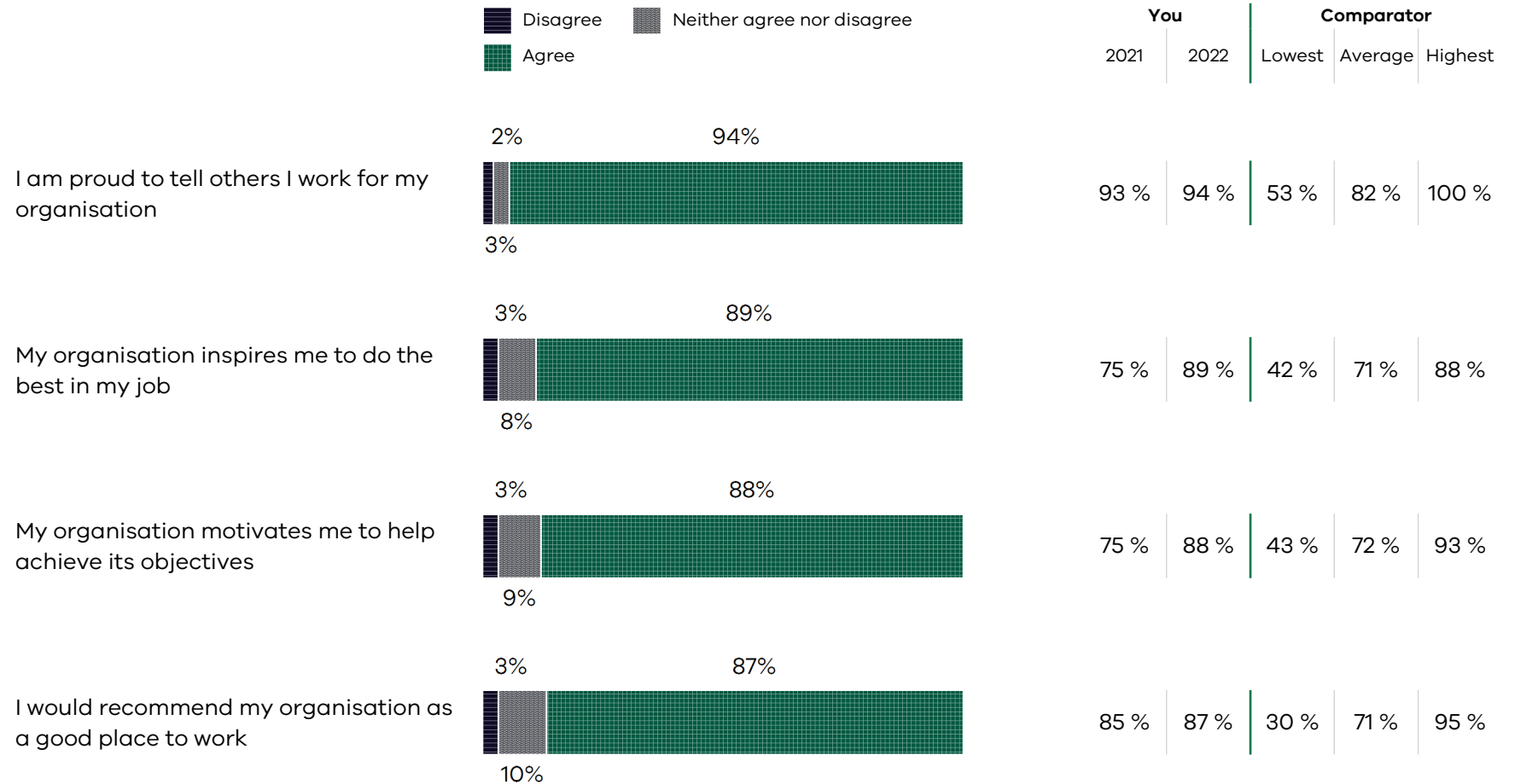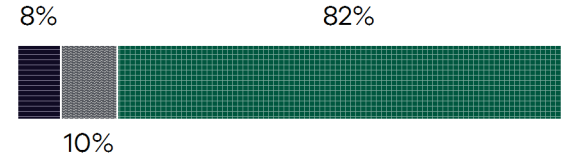
Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation'.

Survey question	Your results		Benchmark agree results				
			You		**Comparator**		
			2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	2% disagree, 3% neither, 94% agree		93 %	94 %	53 %	82 %	100 %
My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	3% disagree, 8% neither, 89% agree		75 %	89 %	42 %	71 %	88 %
My organisation motivates me to help achieve its objectives	3% disagree, 9% neither, 88% agree		75 %	88 %	43 %	72 %	93 %
I would recommend my organisation as a good place to work	3% disagree, 10% neither, 87% agree		85 %	87 %	30 %	71 %	95 %

Legend: ■ Disagree ▨ Neither agree nor disagree ▦ Agree

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Example

82% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation'.

Survey question

Your results

Benchmark agree results

■ Disagree   ▨ Neither agree nor disagree
▨ Agree

I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation

8%   82%

10%

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
	87 %	82 %	42 %	71 %	88 %
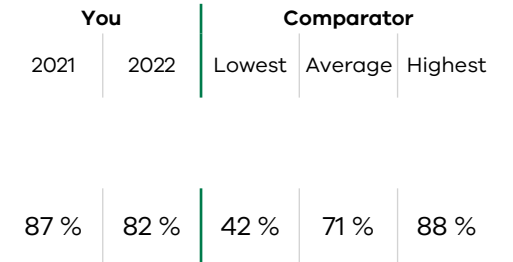
People outcomes

Scorecard: satisfaction, stress, intention to stay, inclusion

What this is

This scorecard provides overall results for satisfaction, high to severe work-related stress, intention to stay and inclusion.

There are more people outcomes scorecards throughout this report.

Why this is important

This page shows which outcomes are performing well and which outcomes you can look to improve.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about people outcomes.

Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 91% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Inclusion.

Compared to:

- 80% of staff at your comparator and 78% of staff across the public sector.
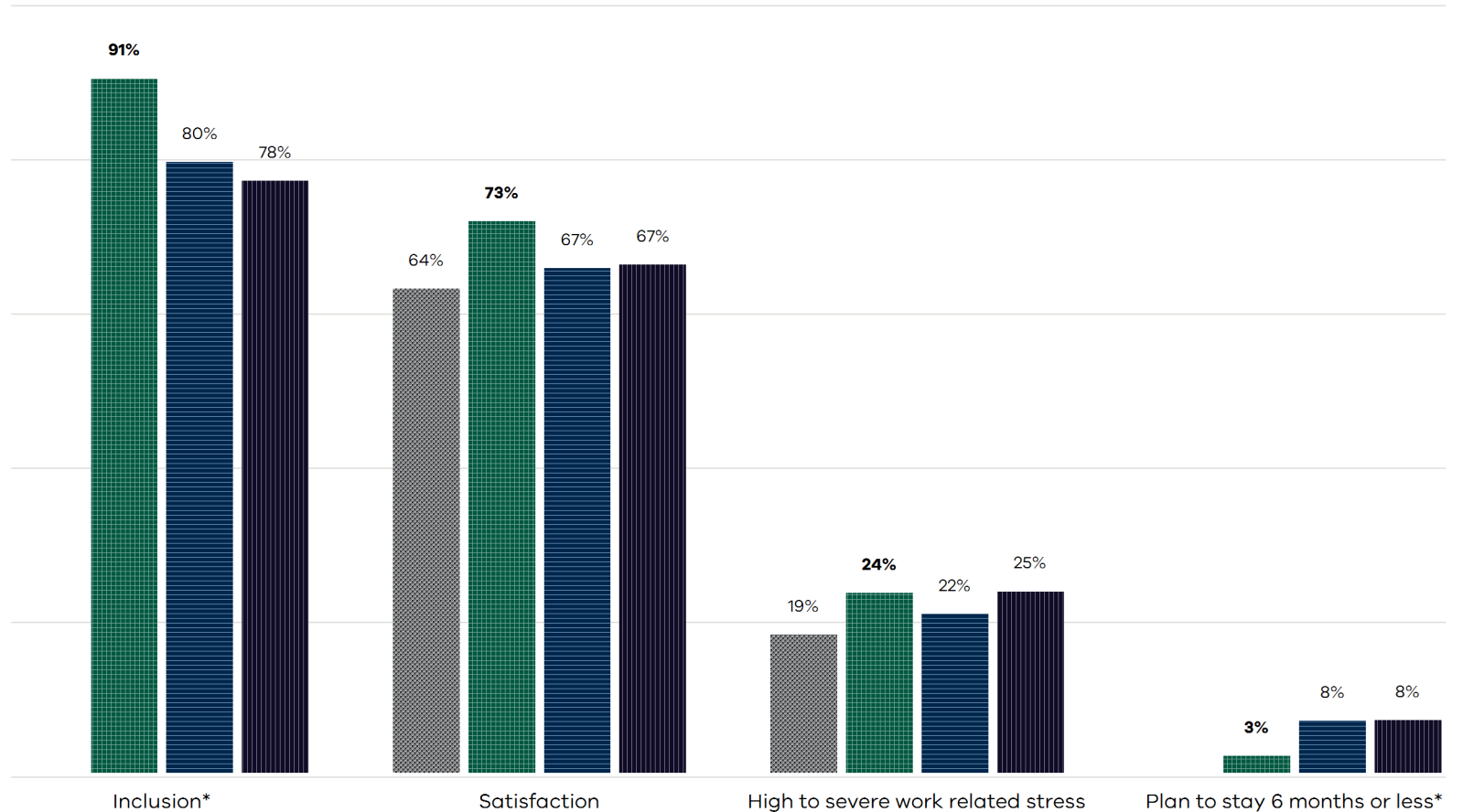
	Inclusion*	Satisfaction	High to severe work related stress	Plan to stay 6 months or less*
You 2021		64%	19%	
You 2022	91%	73%	24%	3%
Comparator 2022	80%	67%	22%	8%
Public sector 2022	78%	67%	25%	8%

*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey

Legend: You 2021 | You 2022 | Comparator 2022 | Public sector 2022

People outcomes

Satisfaction question results

What this is

This is how satisfied staff are with their jobs, work-life balance and career development.

Why this is important

High satisfaction may lead to improved engagement, performance and lower absences and turnover.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most satisfied.

'Satisfied' combines responses for satisfied and very satisfied and 'Dissatisfied' combines responses for dissatisfied and very dissatisfied.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

88% of your staff who did the survey were satisfied or very satisfied with 'Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark satisfied results

Legend:
- Dissatisfied (dark navy)
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied (grey)
- Satisfied (green)

	You		Comparator		
Survey question	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job	73 %	88 %	57 %	76 %	91 %
How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation	49 %	69 %	42 %	56 %	70 %
How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	70 %	61 %	35 %	68 %	77 %

Your results bars:
- Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job: 6% / 7% / 88%
- How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation: 10% / 21% / 69%
- How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job: 22% / 17% / 61%

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Work-related stress levels

What this is

This is the level of stress experienced by employees in response to work-related factors.

Why this is important

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

In this survey we asked staff to tell us their stress level.

The graph at the top shows how staff in your organisation rated their current levels of work-related stress.

The numbers below show the percentage of staff in your organisation who said they experienced high to severe stress in 2022 compared to 2021 and your comparator.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they had high to severe stress in 2022. This is compared to 22% of staff in your comparator group and 25% of staff across the public sector.

How would you rate your current level of work-related stress? (You 2022)

Category	Percentage
Nil	11%
Low / mild	38%
Moderate	27%
High	17%
Very high	6%
Severe	2%
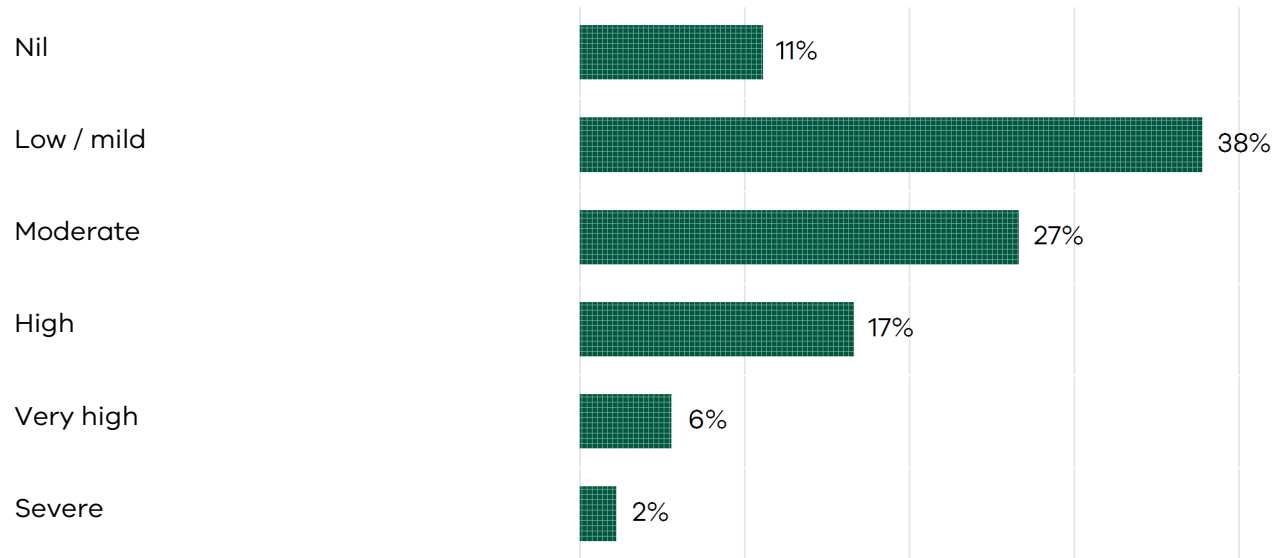
Reported levels of high to severe stress

2021		2022	
19%		**24%**	
Comparator	19%	Comparator	22%
Public Sector	26%	Public Sector	25%
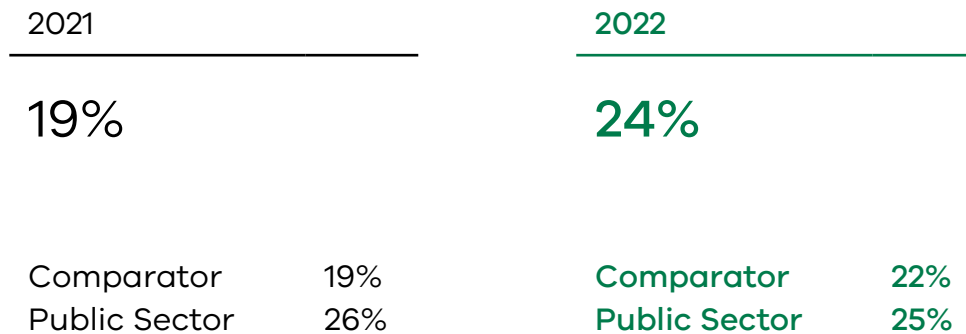
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Work-related stress causes

What this is

This is the main work-related causes of stress reported by staff.

Why this is important

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us if they have experienced mild to severe stress at work, as shown in the visual above the table.

If they answer yes, we ask them to tell us what caused the stress. They can select more than one cause.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 causes.

Example

89% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced mild to severe stress.

Of that 89%, 61% said the top reason was 'Workload'.

	80		10
	89%		11%

■ Experienced some work-related stress   ▦ Did not experience some work-related stress
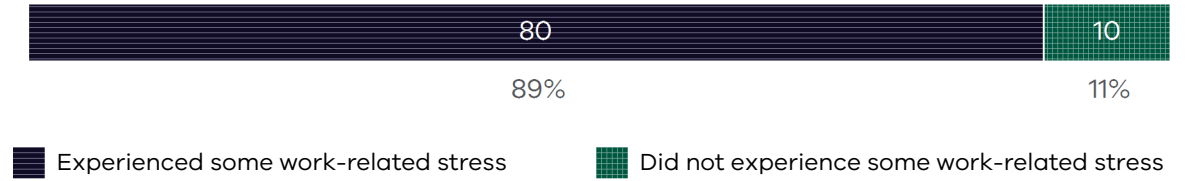
Of those that experienced work related stress it was from …	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator 2022	Public sector 2022
Workload	55%	61%	47%	51%
Time pressure	50%	58%	39%	44%
Work schedule or hours	14%	25%	11%	6%
Dealing with clients, patients or stakeholders	11%	15%	17%	15%
Competing home and work responsibilities	9%	14%	15%	14%
Management of work (e.g. supervision, training, information, support)	7%	9%	14%	12%
Other	8%	9%	10%	9%
Unclear job expectations	15%	9%	13%	14%
Organisation or workplace change	7%	8%	9%	13%
Content, variety, or difficulty of work	9%	6%	9%	11%

People outcomes

Intention to stay

What this is

This is what your staff intend to do with their careers in the near future.

Why this is important

In the public sector, we want to attract, keep, motivate and engage staff.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us how long they intend to work at their organisation.

Example

3% of your staff who did the survey said they intended to work for your organisation for 6 months or less.

Employees plan to work at your organisation for …	You 2022	Comparator 2022	Public sector 2022
6 months or less	3%	8%	8%
Over 6 months and up to 1 year	4%	9%	10%
Over 1 year and up to 3 years	34%	22%	25%
Over 3 years and up to 5 years	20%	14%	16%
Over 5 years	38%	47%	41%

People outcomes

Inclusion question results

What this is

This is how included staff feel in their workplace.

Why this is important

When people feel like they belong, they can bring their true selves and lived experience to their work and workplace. This leads to increased productivity, wellbeing and better outcomes for the community.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can be myself at work'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Agree

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I can be myself at work — 2% / 3% / 94%	Not asked	94 %	74 %	83 %	96 %
I feel as if I belong at this organisation — 3% / 9% / 88%	Not asked	88 %	53 %	78 %	96 %

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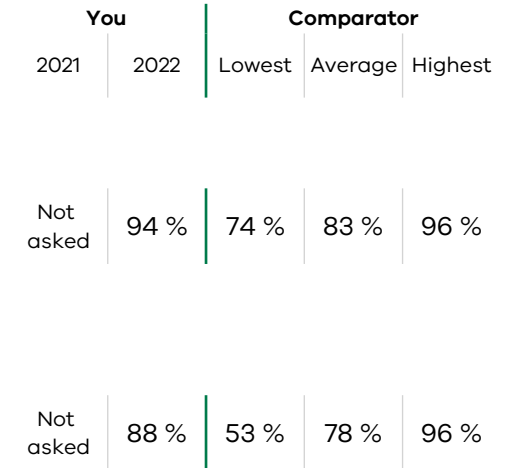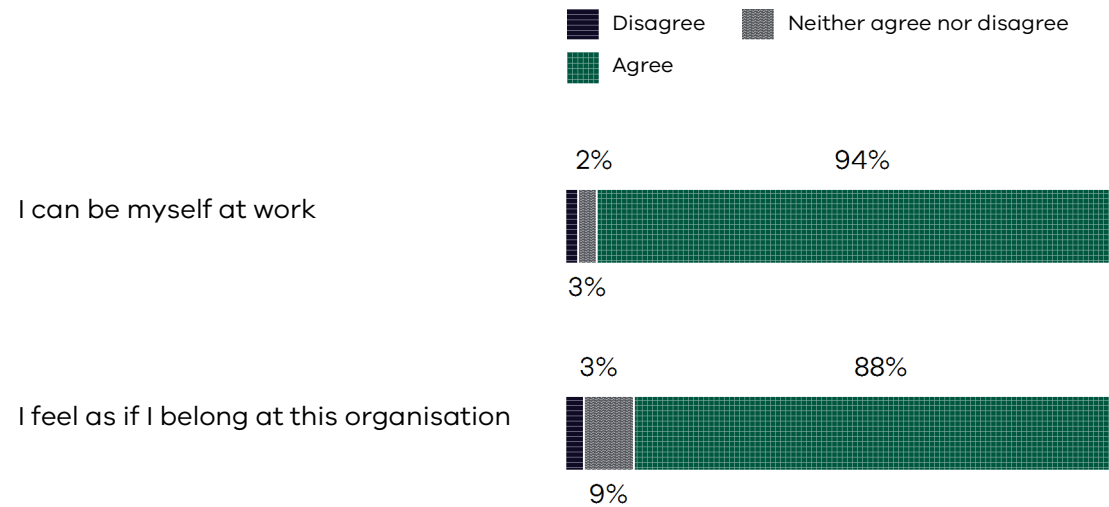
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Inclusion - Barriers to success

What this is

This is a list of things that staff felt were barriers to their success at work.

Why this is important

These results can show areas of focus for improvement to enable employee success in the workplace.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us if they have experienced any barriers to their success at work and what those barriers were. They can select more than one barrier.

In descending order, the table shows to top 10 answers.

Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they have experienced barriers to success in the last 12 months due to 'My age'.

Staff who experienced one or more barriers to success at work

15	75
17%	83%

■ Experienced barriers   ▦ Did not experience barriers
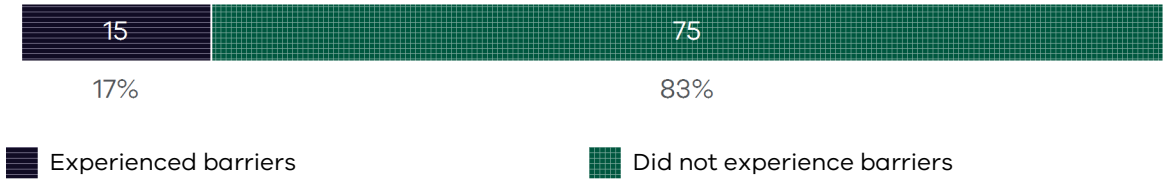
During the last 12 months, employees experienced barriers to their success due to ...	You 2022	Comparator 2022	Public sector 2022
My age	4%	7%	8%
My caring responsibilities	4%	6%	7%
My mental health	4%	8%	7%
My cultural background	2%	2%	3%
My physical features	1%	1%	1%
My sex	1%	6%	4%
My sexual orientation	1%	0%	1%

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Scorecard: emotional effects of work

What this is

This is the level of positive and negative feelings experienced by staff in the 3 months before the survey.

Why this is important

Positive feelings can lead to higher wellbeing and job satisfaction and a lower chance of burnout.

How to read this

Each label represents a question in the survey about emotional effects of work.

Each result is the percentage of staff who said they often, very often or always felt happy, enthusiastic, worried or miserable in the past 3 months.

You can compare these with your comparator and the public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 77% of your staff who did the survey said work made them feel happy in 2022, which is up from 57% in 2021

Compared to:

- 66% of staff at your comparator and 54% of staff across the public sector.

Thinking about the last three months, how often has work made you feel ...

Legend: You 2021, You 2022, Comparator 2022, Public sector 2022

Happy: 57%, 77%, 66%, 54%
Enthusiastic: 58%, 72%, 60%, 49%
Worried: 29%, 22%, 29%, 31%
Miserable: 14%, 14%, 15%, 17%
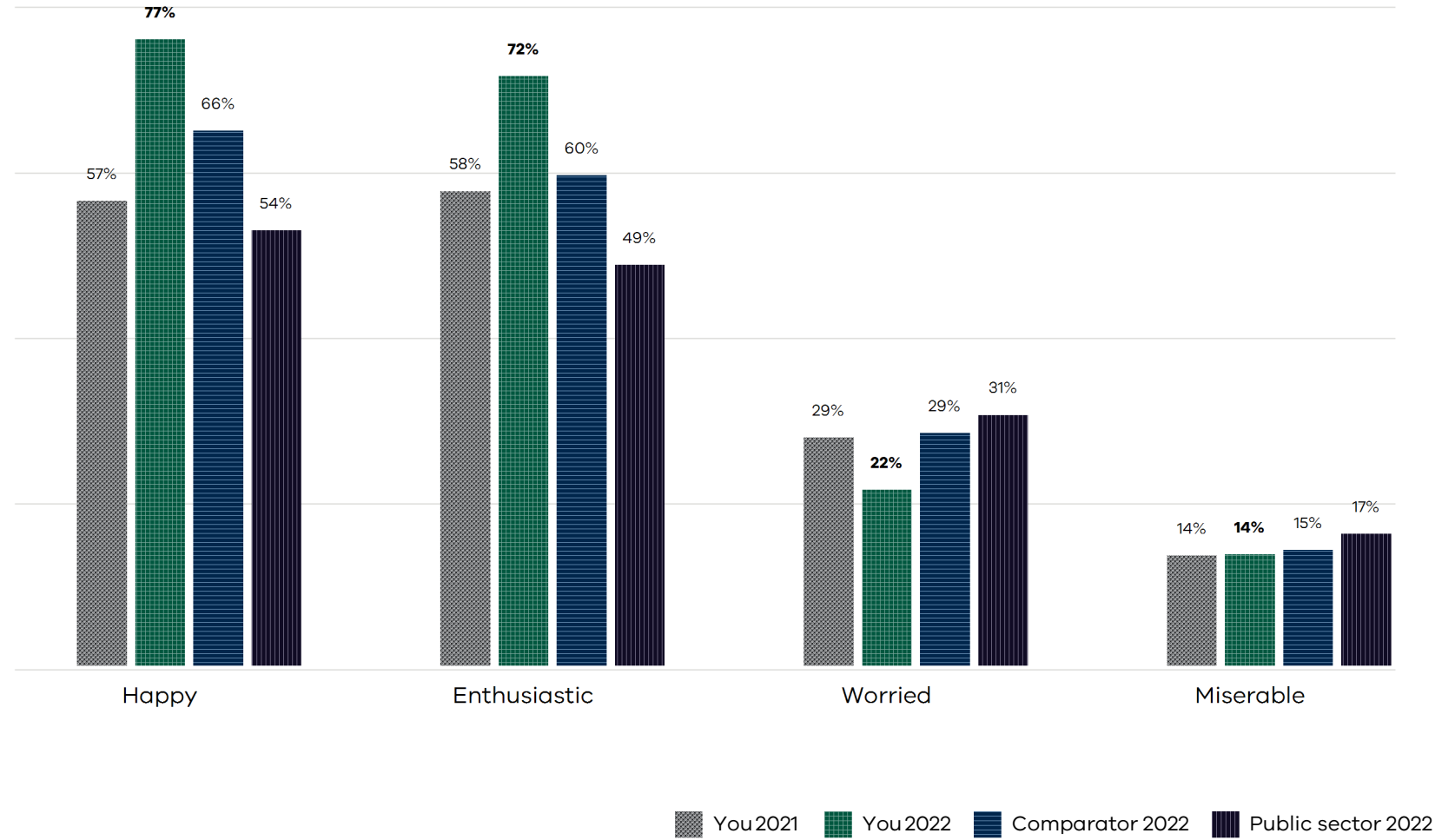
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Scorecard: negative behaviours

What this is

This is how many staff have experienced negative behaviours at work in the past 12 months.

Why this is important

Negative behaviours can be detrimental to health and wellbeing as well as performance and behaviour.

How to read this

Each label represents a question in the survey about negative behaviour.

Each result is the percentage of staff who said they experienced bullying, sexual harassment, discrimination or violence and aggression in the past 12 months.

You can compare these with your comparator and the public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 3% of your staff who did the survey stated they experienced 'Bullying' in the last 12 months which is down from 7% in 2021.

Compared to:

- 12% of staff at your comparator and 11% of staff across the public sector.

Chart: Negative behaviours by category

Category	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator 2022	Public sector 2022
Bullying	7%	3%	12%	11%
Violence or aggression	5%	3%	12%	10%
Discrimination	0%	1%	5%	5%
Sexual harassment	2%	0%	6%	4%

Legend: You 2021, You 2022, Comparator 2022, Public sector 2022
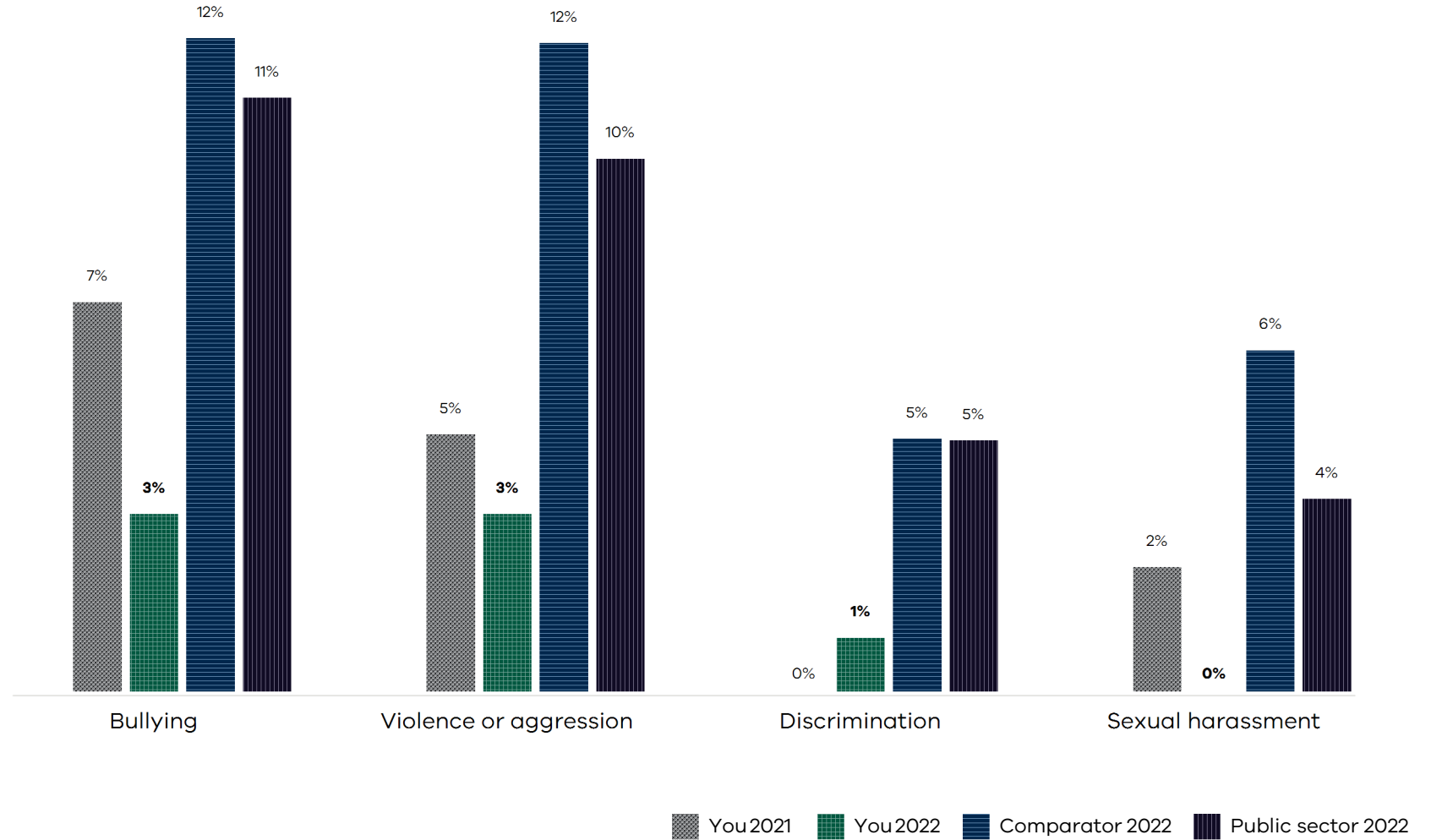
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Bullying

What this is

This is repeated unreasonable behaviour directed at an employee that creates a risk to their health and safety.

Why this is important

Bullying can have an immediate and long-term negative impact on those involved, including those who witness bullying.

Why there is no data here

We've not published the results for this section because less than 10 people said they experienced bullying.

We do this to protect the respondents.

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Discrimination

What this is

Discrimination is when a person treats, or proposes to treat, a person unfavourably because of their personal characteristics, such as their age or gender, or other attributes.

Why this is important

Staff expect to have a safe and inclusive working environment to work in that is free of discrimination.

Why there is no data here

We've not published the results for this section because less than 10 people said they experienced discrimination.

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Violence and aggression

What this is

This is when staff are abused, threatened or assaulted in a situation related to their work.

Why this is important

Violence and aggression can have an immediate and long-term negative impact of those involved, including those who witness violence and aggression.

Why there is no data here

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Highest scoring questions

What this is

These are the questions your organisation had the highest agreement or satisfaction with in 2022.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the highest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2022 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'you 2022 column'.

You can also compare your 2022 scores against your 2021 scores and your 2022 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Organisational integrity', the 'You 2022' column shows 99% of your staff agreed with 'My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights'.
In the 'Change from 2021' column, you have a 8% increase, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Highest scoring questions	You 2022	Change from 2021	Comparator 2022
Organisational integrity	My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights	99%	+8%	85%
Job enrichment	I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve it's goals	98%	Not asked in 2021	94%
Meaningful work	I achieve something important through my work	98%	+11%	91%
Meaningful work	I get a sense of accomplishment from my work	98%	+12%	86%
Job enrichment	I can use my skills and knowledge in my job	97%	Not asked in 2021	91%
Manager leadership	My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	97%	+3%	89%
Meaningful work	I can make a worthwhile contribution at work	97%	Not asked in 2021	95%
Organisational integrity	My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust	97%	–1%	85%
Safety climate	My organisation provides a physically safe work environment	97%	–2%	87%
Flexible working	My manager supports working flexibly	96%	Not asked in 2021	86%

Key differences

Lowest scoring questions

What this is

These are the questions your organisation had the lowest agreement or satisfaction with in 2022.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the lowest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2022 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'you 2022 column'.

You can also compare your 2022 scores against your 2021 scores and your 2022 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Workload', the 'You 2022' column shows 54% of your staff agreed with 'I have enough time to do my job effectively'.

In the 'Change from 2021' column, you have a 2% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question subgroup	Lowest scoring questions	You 2022	Change from 2021	Comparator 2022
Workload	I have enough time to do my job effectively	54%	-2%	57%
Learning and development	My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff	58%	-2%	49%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the way my learning and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months	59%	+10%	53%
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	59%	Not asked in 2021	33%
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	60%	-19%	53%
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	61%	-9%	68%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	64%	+0%	48%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the opportunities to progress in my organisation	66%	Not asked in 2021	47%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	66%	Not asked in 2021	44%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	67%	-6%	53%

Key differences

Most improved

What this is

This is where staff feel their organisation has most improved.

How to read this

Use this data to see if your organisation has a developing or changing trend.

In this table, your trend is shown in the 'Increase from 2021' column.

When you use this data, focus on the increase instead of individual numbers.

This is because the increase from 2021 shows you where the most positive changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Satisfaction', the 'You 2022' column shows 69% of your staff were satisfied with 'How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation'.
In the 'Increase from 2021' column, you have a 20% increase, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Most improved from last year	You 2022	Increase from 2021	Comparator 2022
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation	69%	+20%	56%
Collaboration	Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other	76%	+17%	58%
Satisfaction	Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job	88%	+15%	76%
Organisational integrity	My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination	92%	+15%	70%
Workload	The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do	70%	+14%	63%
Engagement	My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	89%	+14%	71%
Engagement	My organisation motivates me to help achieve its objectives	88%	+13%	72%
Learning and development	I am developing and learning in my role	80%	+12%	72%
Meaningful work	I get a sense of accomplishment from my work	98%	+12%	86%
Meaningful work	I achieve something important through my work	98%	+11%	91%

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Most declined

What this is

This is where staff feel their organisation has most declined.

How to read this

Use this data to see if your organisation has a developing or changing trend.

In this table, your trend is shown in the 'Decrease from 2021' column.

When you use this data, focus on the decrease instead of individual numbers.

This is because the decrease from 2021 shows you where the most negative changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Safety climate', the 'You 2022' column shows 60% of your staff agreed with 'My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress'.
In the 'Decrease from 2021' column, you have a 19% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question subgroup	Largest decline from last year	You 2022	Decrease from 2021	Comparator 2022
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	60%	-19%	53%
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	61%	-9%	68%
Collaboration	I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup	92%	-7%	85%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	67%	-6%	53%
Safety climate	Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment	68%	-5%	53%
Engagement	I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation	82%	-5%	71%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup has clear lines of responsibility	81%	-3%	71%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	87%	-3%	70%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work	81%	-2%	75%
Safety climate	My organisation provides a physically safe work environment	97%	-2%	87%

Key differences

Biggest positive difference from comparator

What this is

This is where your staff have agreed more to a question compared to staff at similar organisations.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the biggest positive difference with questions from the 2022 survey compared to your comparator group.

In this table, the difference to your comparator is shown in the 'difference' column.

Example

On the first row 'Taking action', the 'You 2022' column shows 83% of your staff agreed with 'I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey'.

The 'difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 31 percentage points higher in your organisation than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest positive difference from comparator	You 2022	Difference	Comparator 2022
Taking action	I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey	83%	+31%	52%
Organisational integrity	I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	73%	+26%	48%
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	59%	+26%	33%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	89%	+25%	64%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup acts fairly and without bias	94%	+23%	72%
Organisational integrity	My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination	92%	+22%	70%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	66%	+21%	44%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the opportunities to progress in my organisation	66%	+19%	47%
Safety climate	Senior leaders consider the psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity	79%	+19%	60%
Flexible working	I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, it would be given due consideration	90%	+18%	72%

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Biggest negative difference from comparator

What this is

This is where your staff have agreed less to a question compared to staff at similar organisations.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the biggest negative difference with questions from the 2022 survey compared to your comparator group.

In this table, the difference to your comparator is shown in the 'difference' column.

Example

On the first row 'Satisfaction', the 'You 2022' column shows 61% of your staff were satisfied with 'How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job'.

The 'difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 7 percentage points lower in your organisation than in your comparator.

Question subgroup	Biggest negative difference from comparator	You 2022	Difference	Comparator 2022
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	61%	-7%	68%
Workload	I have enough time to do my job effectively	54%	-3%	57%

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Taking action

What this is

This is how well staff feel their organisation takes action and makes improvements from your survey results.

Why this is important

If your organisation takes action as a result of survey results, your staff may feel their feedback is valuable.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

83% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey'.

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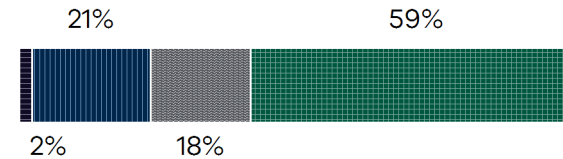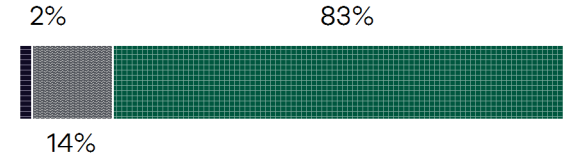
		You		Comparator		
		2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey	2% / 83% / 14%		Not asked	83 %	20 %	52 %	79 %
My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	21% / 59% / 2% / 18%		Not asked	59 %	11 %	33 %	48 %

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Senior leadership

What this is

This is how supported staff feel by senior leaders in their organisation and how well they believe senior leaders communicate.

Why this is important

Supportive senior leaders who communicate well mean staff may feel more connected to their work and organisation.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

88% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity'.

Survey question	Your results		You		Comparator		
			2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	2% ... 88% / 4% 6%		83 %	88 %	58 %	71 %	93 %
Senior leaders model my organisation's values	1% ... 87% / 3% 9%		86 %	87 %	45 %	69 %	88 %
Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	4% ... 79% / 17%		77 %	79 %	36 %	62 %	82 %

Legend: Disagree, Don't know, Neither agree nor disagree, Agree

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Scorecard

What this is

This scorecard provides overall results for each factor in the organisation climate part of the survey's theoretical framework.

Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about organisational climate.

Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 88% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Organisational integrity.

Compared to:

- 69% of staff at your comparator and 68% of staff across the public sector.
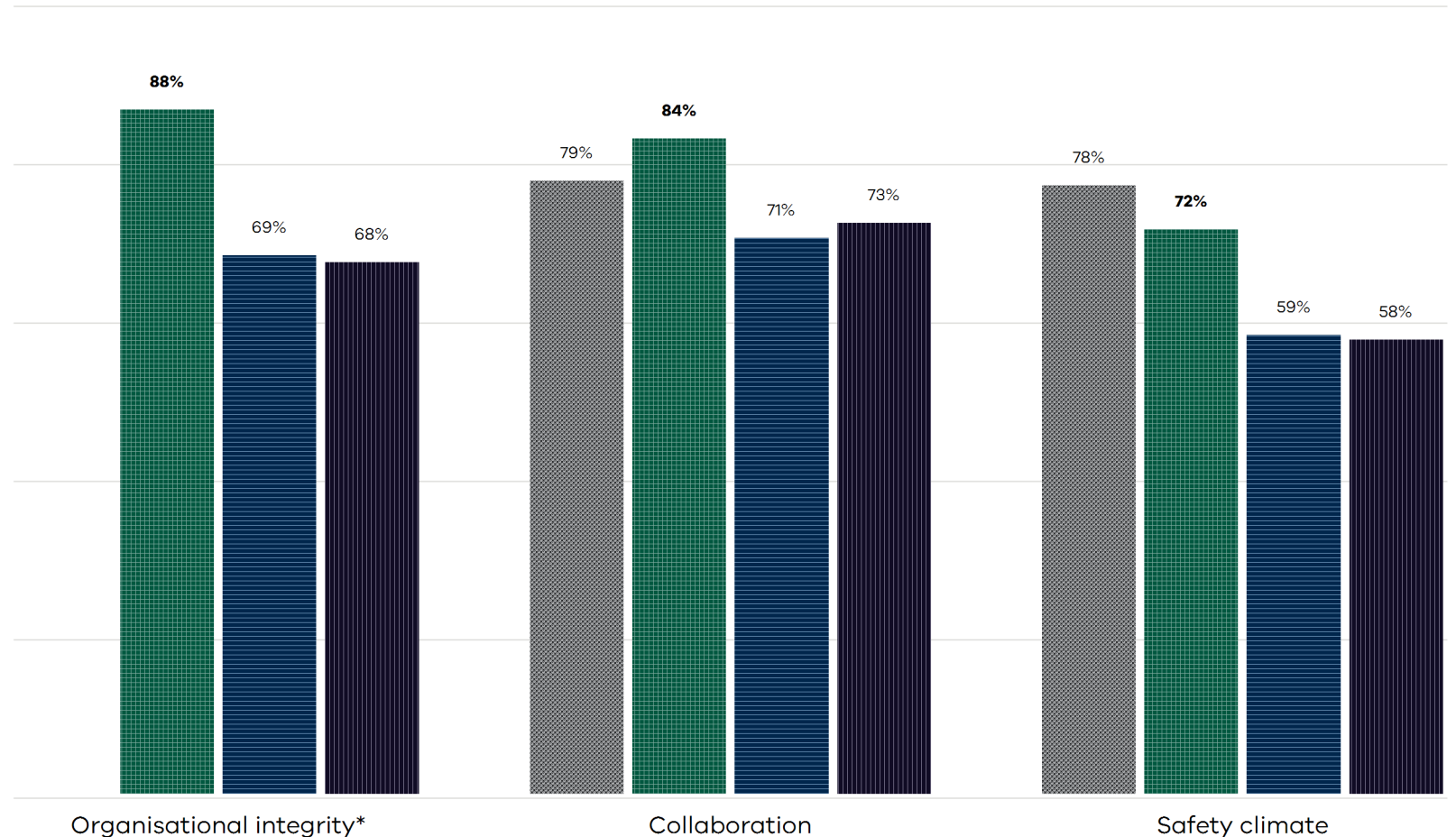
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Legend: You 2021 | You 2022 | Comparator 2022 | Public sector 2022

Organisational integrity*: You 2022 88%, Comparator 2022 69%, Public sector 2022 68%

Collaboration: You 2021 79%, You 2022 84%, Comparator 2022 71%, Public sector 2022 73%

Safety climate: You 2021 78%, You 2022 72%, Comparator 2022 59%, Public sector 2022 58%

Organisational climate

Organisational integrity 1 of 2

What this is

This is how much trust staff have in your organisation's ability to operate, implement policy and deliver services for Victorians.

Why this is important

We need the community to have high trust in how we work and what we do.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

99% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights'.

Survey question	Your results					

Legend: Disagree ■ | Neither agree nor disagree ■ | Don't know ■ | Agree ■

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights — 99%, 1%	90 %	99 %	68 %	85 %	91 %
My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust — 1%, 97%, 1%1%	98 %	97 %	72 %	85 %	95 %
My organisation encourages respectful workplace behaviours — 96%, 4%	92 %	96 %	66 %	85 %	98 %
My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination — 1%, 92%, 7%	77 %	92 %	47 %	70 %	88 %

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What this is

This is how much trust staff have in your organisation's ability to operate, implement policy and deliver services for Victorians.

Why this is important

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How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

89% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

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- Agree
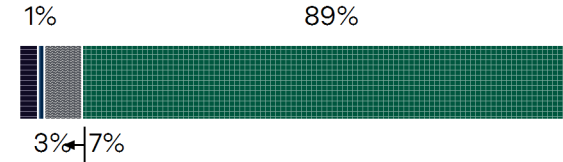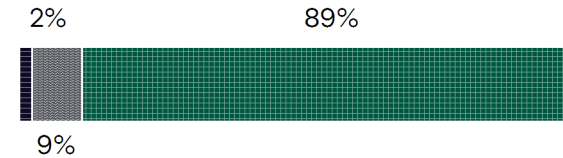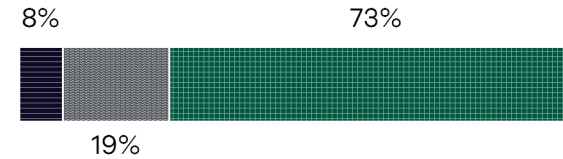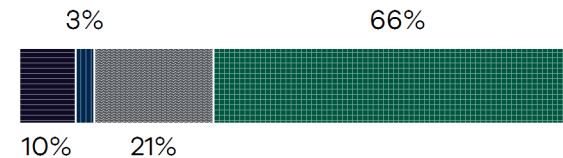
Survey question		You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	1% ... 89% / 3% ← 7%	Not asked	89 %	45 %	64 %	89 %
My organisation does not tolerate improper conduct	2% ... 89% / 9%	83 %	89 %	55 %	72 %	93 %
I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	8% ... 73% / 19%	Not asked	73 %	35 %	48 %	63 %
I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	3% ... 66% / 10% 21%	Not asked	66 %	31 %	44 %	59 %

Organisational climate

Collaboration

What this is

This shows how well the workgroups in your organisation work together and share information.

Why this is important

Improving these results can improve the cohesiveness of your organisation and allow for greater intra-organisational collaboration.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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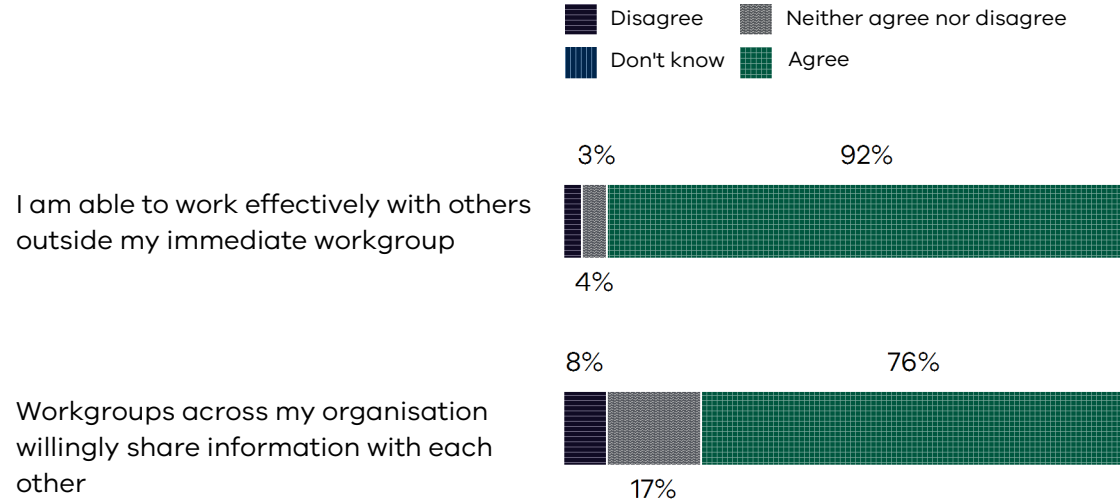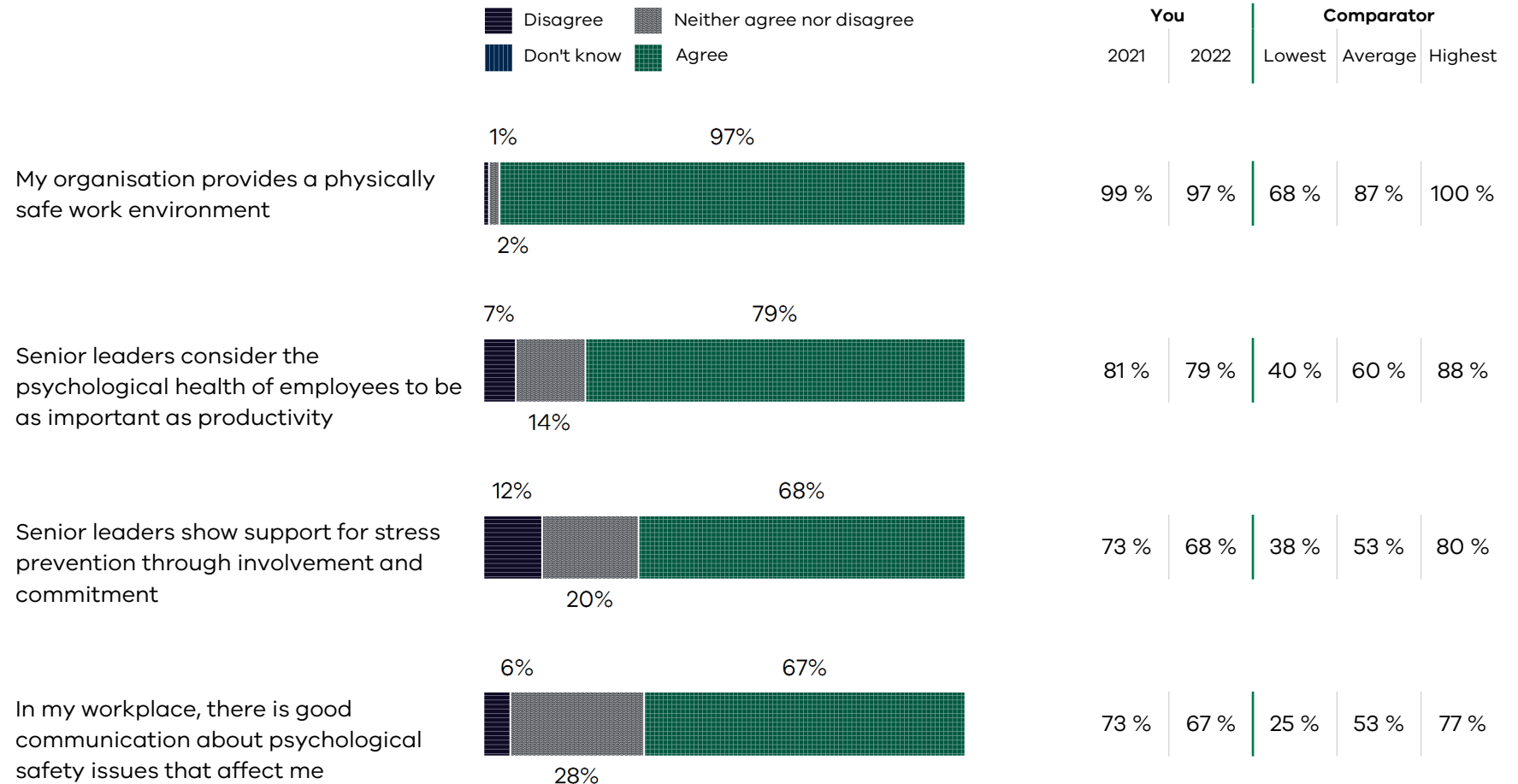
Example

92% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup'.

Legend:
- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup	3% / 4% / 92%	99 %	92 %	62 %	85 %	96 %
Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other	8% / 17% / 76%	58 %	76 %	28 %	58 %	93 %

Organisational climate

Safety climate 1 of 2

What this is

This is how well staff feel your organisation supports safety at work.

Why this is important

A safe workplace is a key outcome of Leading the way and the Victorian public sector mental health and wellbeing charter.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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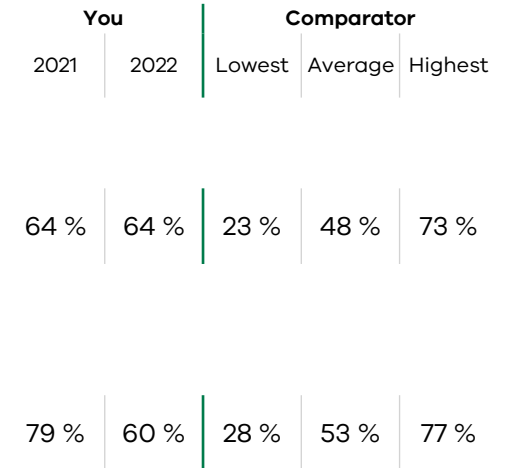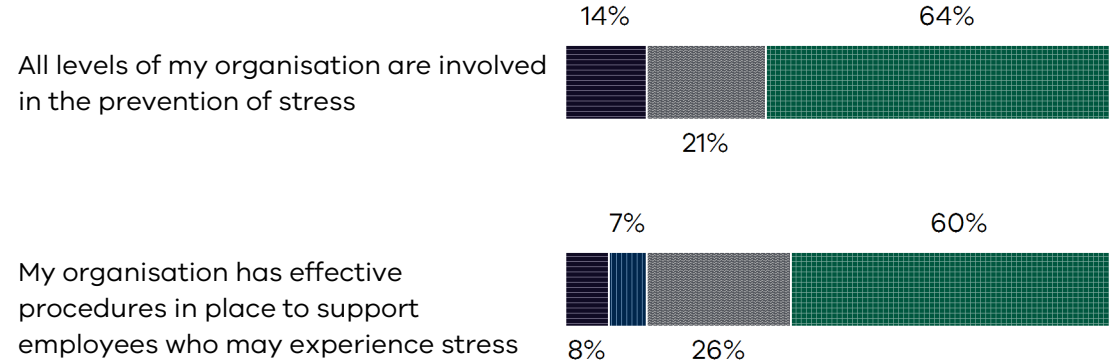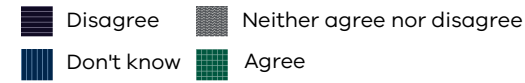
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97% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation provides a physically safe work environment'.

Legend: ■ Disagree ▦ Neither agree nor disagree ▥ Don't know ▦ Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
My organisation provides a physically safe work environment	1% / 2% / 97%	99 %	97 %	68 %	87 %	100 %
Senior leaders consider the psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity	7% / 14% / 79%	81 %	79 %	40 %	60 %	88 %
Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment	12% / 20% / 68%	73 %	68 %	38 %	53 %	80 %
In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	6% / 28% / 67%	73 %	67 %	25 %	53 %	77 %

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What this is

This is how well staff feel your organisation supports safety at work.

Why this is important

A safe workplace is a key outcome of Leading the way and the Victorian public sector mental health and wellbeing charter.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

64% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress'.

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Don't know | Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	14% / 21% / 64%	64 %	64 %	23 %	48 %	73 %
My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	7% / 8% / 26% / 60%	79 %	60 %	28 %	53 %	77 %

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What this is

This scorecard provides overall results for each factor in the workgroup climate part of the survey's theoretical framework.

Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about workgroup climate.

Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 89% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Safe to speak up which is up from 82% in 2021.

Compared to:

- 77% of staff at your comparator and 77% of staff across the public sector.
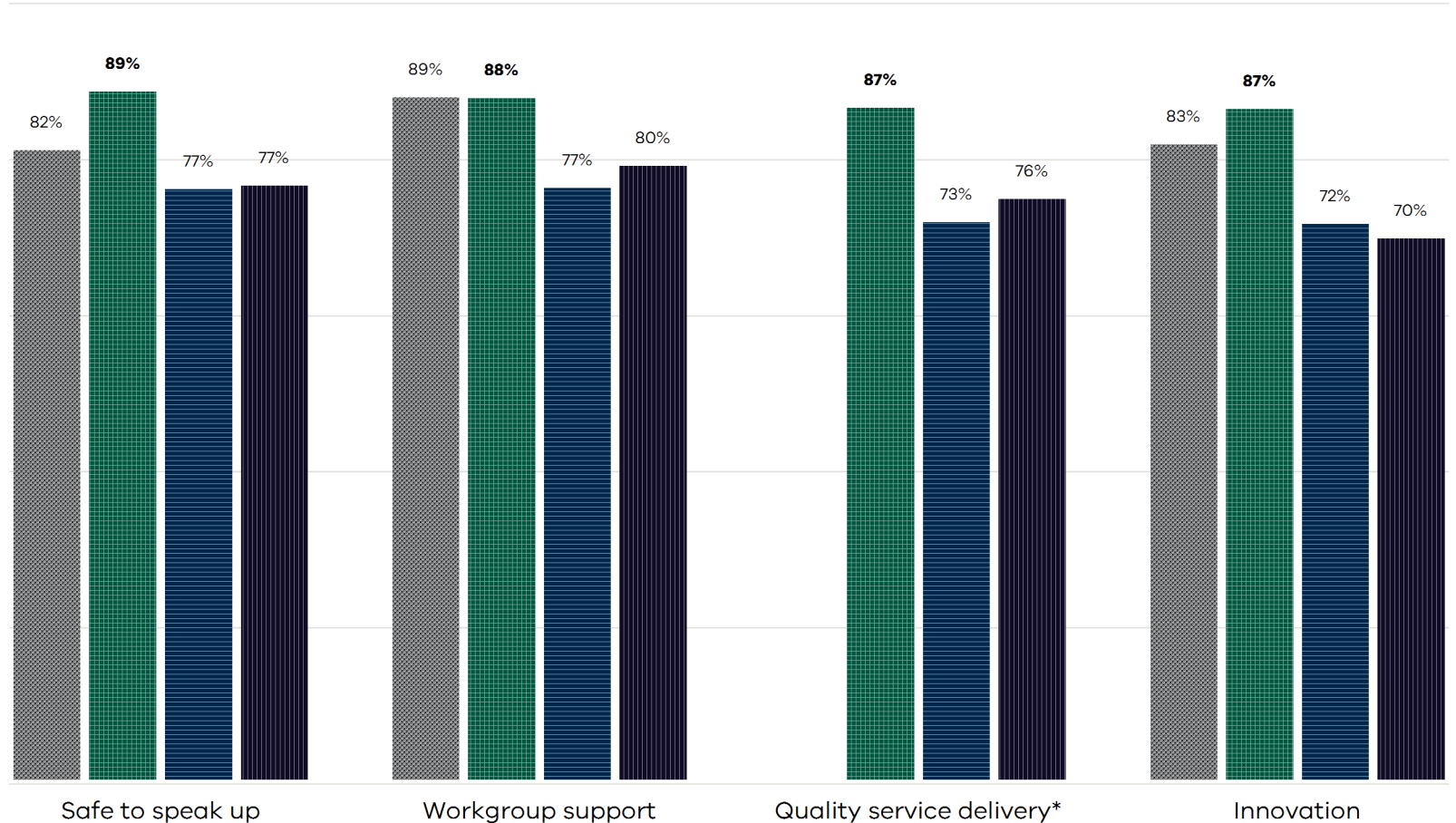
Safe to speak up: You 2021 82%, You 2022 89%, Comparator 2022 77%, Public sector 2022 77%

Workgroup support: You 2021 89%, You 2022 88%, Comparator 2022 77%, Public sector 2022 80%

Quality service delivery*: You 2022 87%, Comparator 2022 73%, Public sector 2022 76%

Innovation: You 2021 83%, You 2022 87%, Comparator 2022 72%, Public sector 2022 70%

*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey

Legend: You 2021, You 2022, Comparator 2022, Public sector 2022

Workgroup climate

Quality service delivery

What this is

This is how well workgroups in your organisation operate to deliver quality services.

Why this is important

The public sector must provide high-quality services in a timely way to meet the needs of Victorians.

Workgroups need to be motivated, make impartial decisions and have clear accountabilities.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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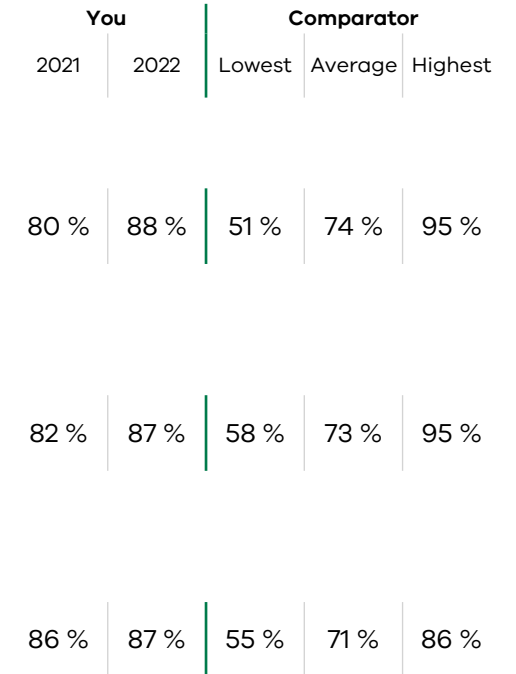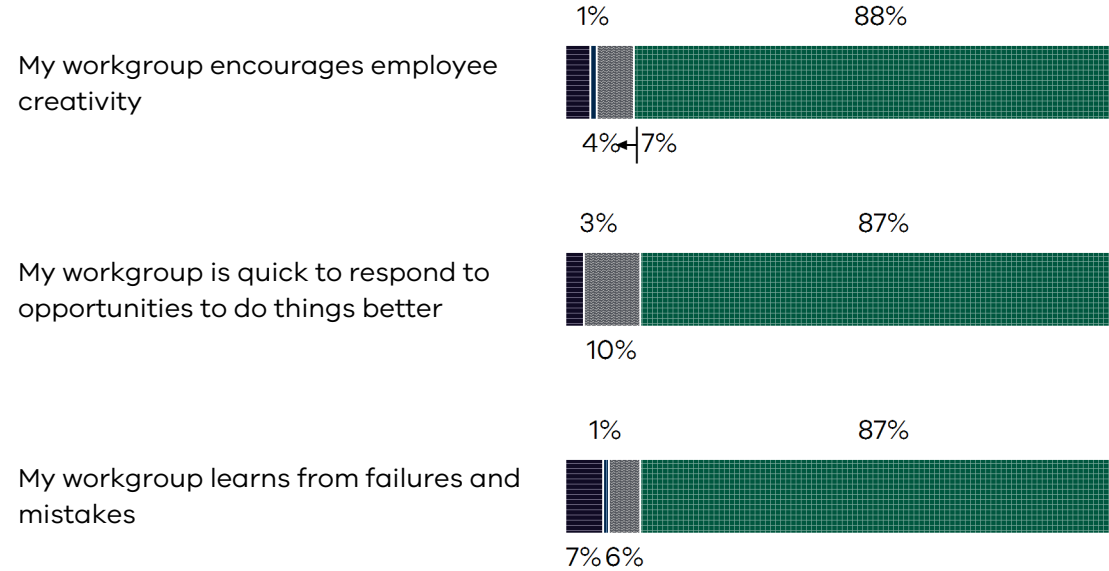
Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup acts fairly and without bias'.

Survey question	Your results			Benchmark agree results				

Legend:
- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

		You		Comparator		
Survey question		2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My workgroup acts fairly and without bias	3% / 94% / 2%	Not asked	94 %	60 %	72 %	88 %
My workgroup provides high quality advice and services	3% / 91% / 6%	Not asked	91 %	57 %	79 %	98 %
My workgroup uses its resources well	4% / 82% / 13%	Not asked	82 %	50 %	68 %	89 %
My workgroup has clear lines of responsibility	6% / 81% / 13%	85 %	81 %	52 %	71 %	88 %
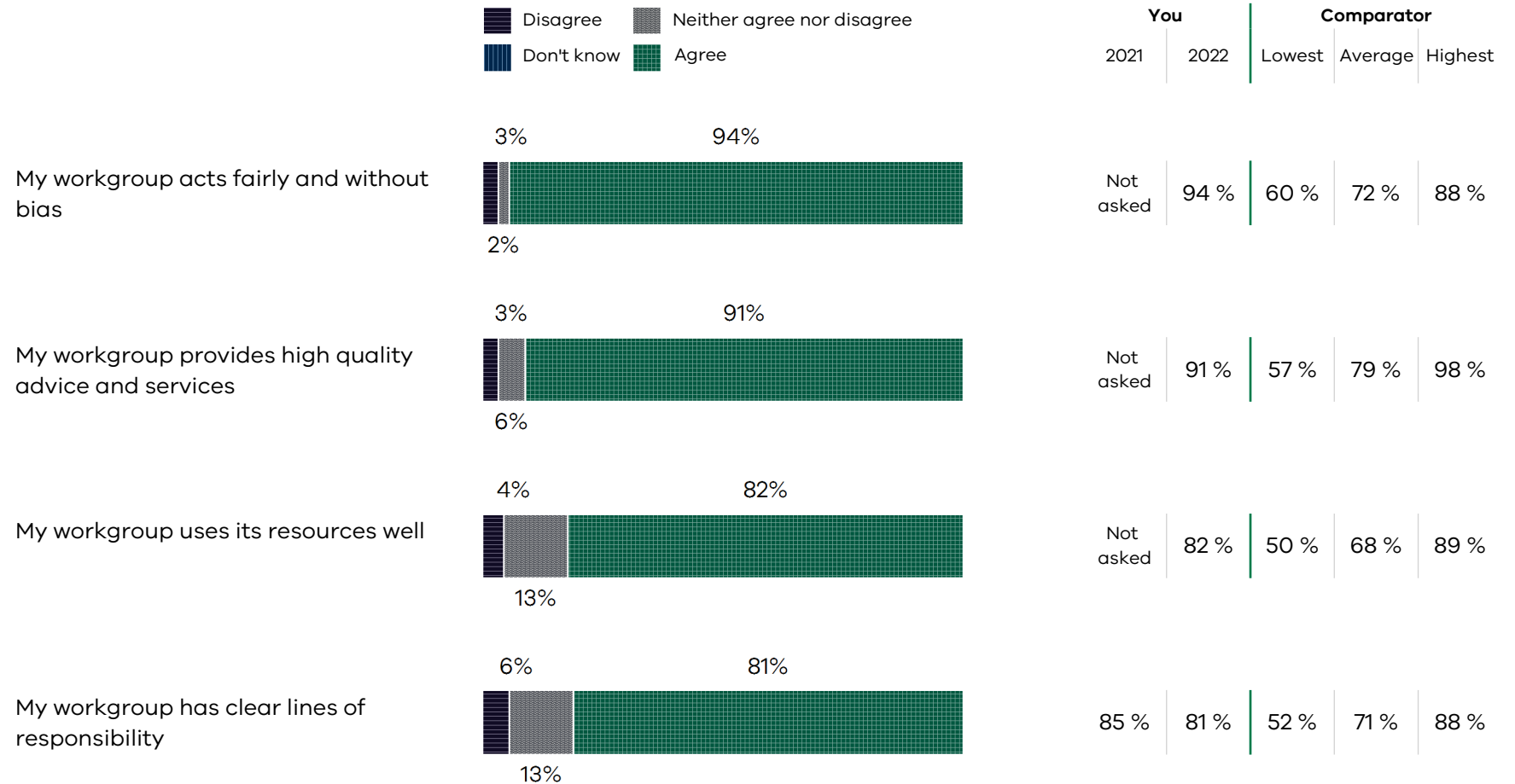
Workgroup climate

Innovation

What this is

This is how well staff feel their workgroup innovates its operations.

Why this is important

Innovation can reduce costs, create public value and lead to higher engagement.

How to read this

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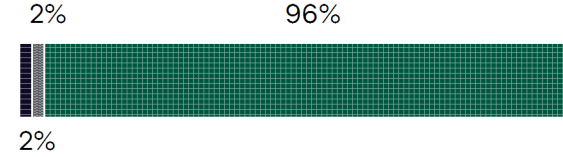
88% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup encourages employee creativity'.

Survey question	Your results						

Legend: ■ Disagree ▨ Neither agree nor disagree ▥ Don't know ▦ Agree

	You		**Comparator**		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My workgroup encourages employee creativity — 1% / 88% / 4% / 7%	80 %	88 %	51 %	74 %	95 %
My workgroup is quick to respond to opportunities to do things better — 3% / 87% / 10%	82 %	87 %	58 %	73 %	95 %
My workgroup learns from failures and mistakes — 1% / 87% / 7% / 6%	86 %	87 %	55 %	71 %	86 %

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Workgroup climate

Workgroup support 1 of 2

What this is

This is how well staff feel people work together and support each other in your organisation.

Why this is important

Collaboration can lead to higher team satisfaction, performance and effectiveness.

How to read this

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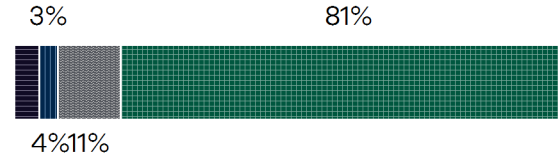Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

96% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done'.

Your results

Benchmark agree results

Legend	
Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree
Don't know	Agree

Survey question		You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done	2% / 96% / 2%	96 %	96 %	66 %	82 %	96 %
People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	1% / 92% / 2% 4%	94 %	92 %	73 %	82 %	100 %
People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	2% / 87% / 1% 10%	89 %	87 %	61 %	70 %	84 %
People in my workgroup are honest, open and transparent in their dealings	4% / 87% / 9%	80 %	87 %	62 %	75 %	93 %

Workgroup climate

Workgroup support 2 of 2

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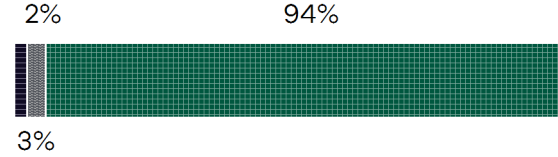81% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work'.

Disagree — Neither agree nor disagree

Don't know — Agree

People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work

3%   81%

4% 11%

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
	83 %	81 %	57 %	75 %	84 %

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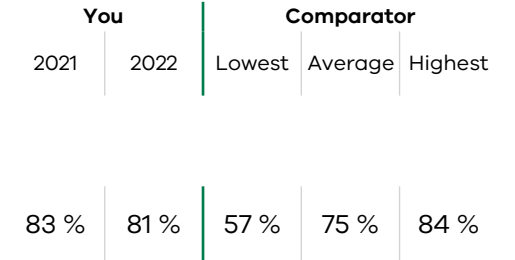
Workgroup climate

Safe to speak up

What this is

This is how freely and confidently staff feel they can talk about issues without fear of retribution.

Why this is important

Organisations with psychologically safe cultures empower staff to report negative behaviour and integrity issues.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel culturally safe at work'.
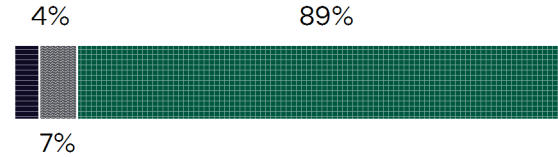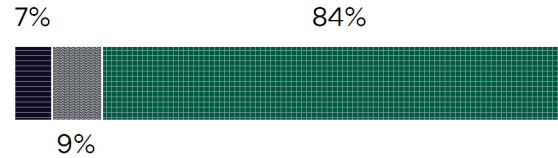
Survey question	Your results		You		Comparator		
			2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest

Legend: Disagree · Don't know · Neither agree nor disagree · Agree

I feel culturally safe at work
2% / 94% / 3%
You: 2021 87%, 2022 94% — Comparator: Lowest 68%, Average 85%, Highest 100%

I feel safe to challenge inappropriate behaviour at work
4% / 89% / 7%
You: 2021 80%, 2022 89% — Comparator: Lowest 59%, Average 73%, Highest 93%

People in my workgroup are able to bring up problems and tough issues
7% / 84% / 9%
You: 2021 79%, 2022 84% — Comparator: Lowest 59%, Average 72%, Highest 91%

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Job and manager factors

What this is

This scorecard provides overall results for each job and manager factor in the survey's theoretical framework.

Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

How to read this

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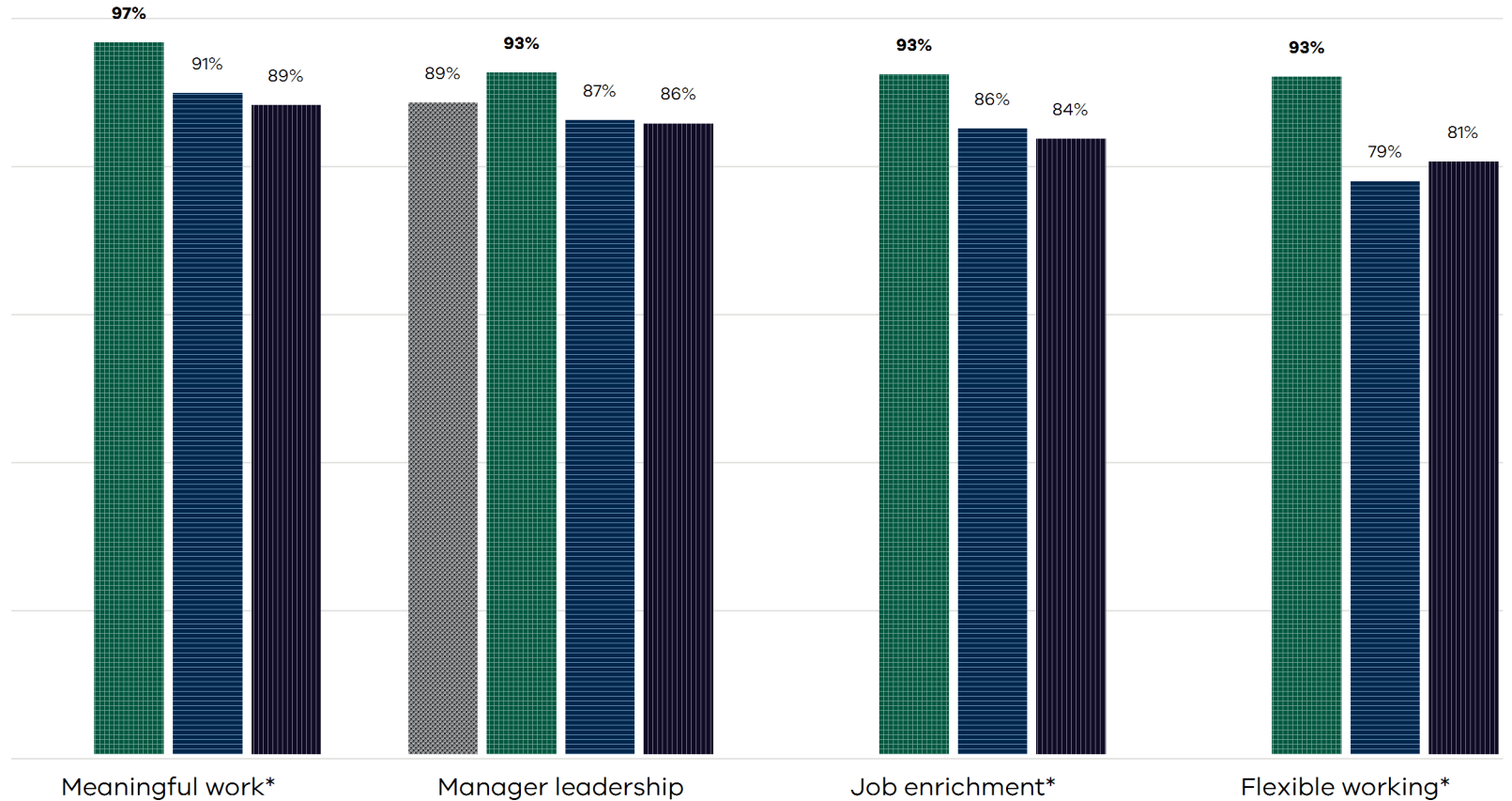
Example

In 2022:

- 97% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Meaningful work.

Compared to:

- 91% of staff at your comparator and 89% of staff across the public sector.

	Meaningful work*	Manager leadership	Job enrichment*	Flexible working*
You 2021		89%		
You 2022	97%	93%	93%	93%
Comparator 2022	91%	87%	86%	79%
Public sector 2022	89%	86%	84%	81%

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Legend: You 2021 | You 2022 | Comparator 2022 | Public sector 2022

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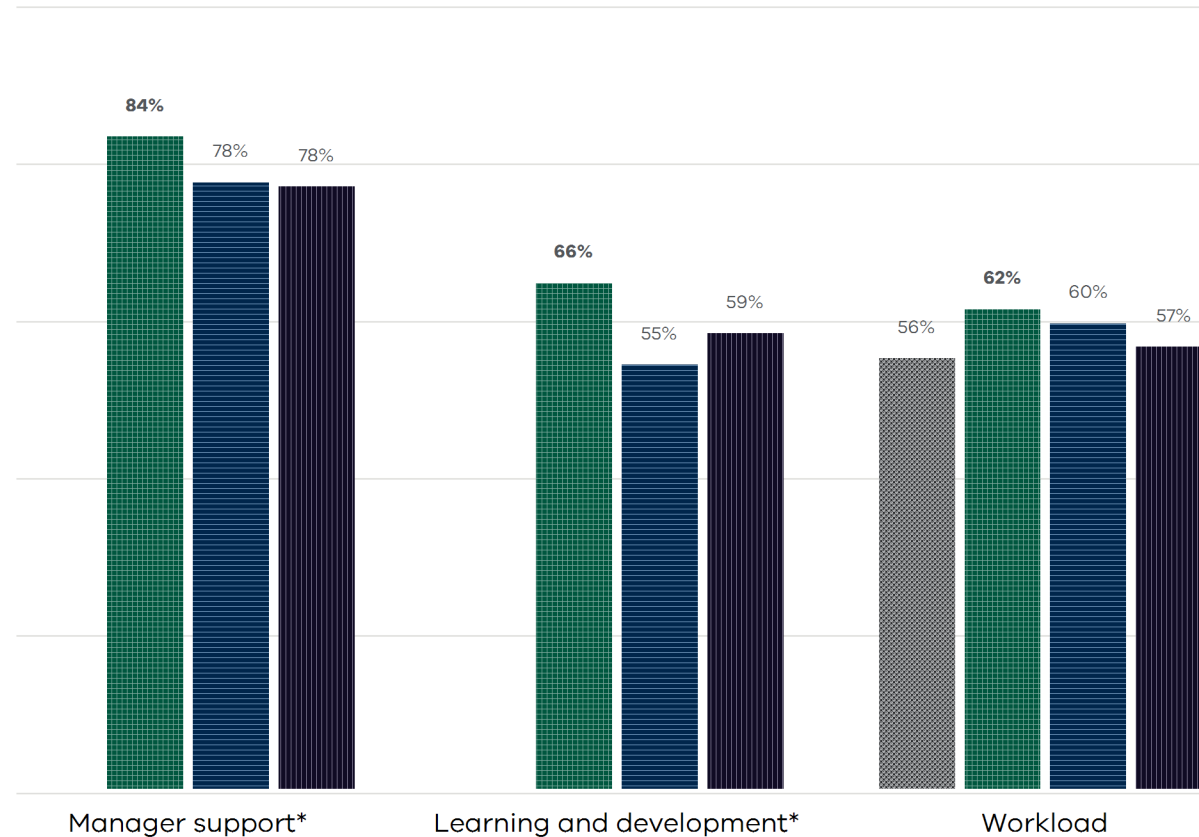
Example

In 2022:

- 84% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Manager support.

Compared to:

- 78% of staff at your comparator and 78% of staff across the public sector.

	Manager support*	Learning and development*	Workload
You 2021			56%
You 2022	84%	66%	62%
Comparator 2022	78%	55%	60%
Public sector 2022	78%	59%	57%

*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey

Legend: You 2021 · You 2022 · Comparator 2022 · Public sector 2022

Job and manager factors

Manager leadership

What this is

This is how well staff perceive their direct managers lead.

Why this is important

Great managers can foster the right environment for staff engagement.

They can act as role models for your organisation's strategy and values.

How to read this

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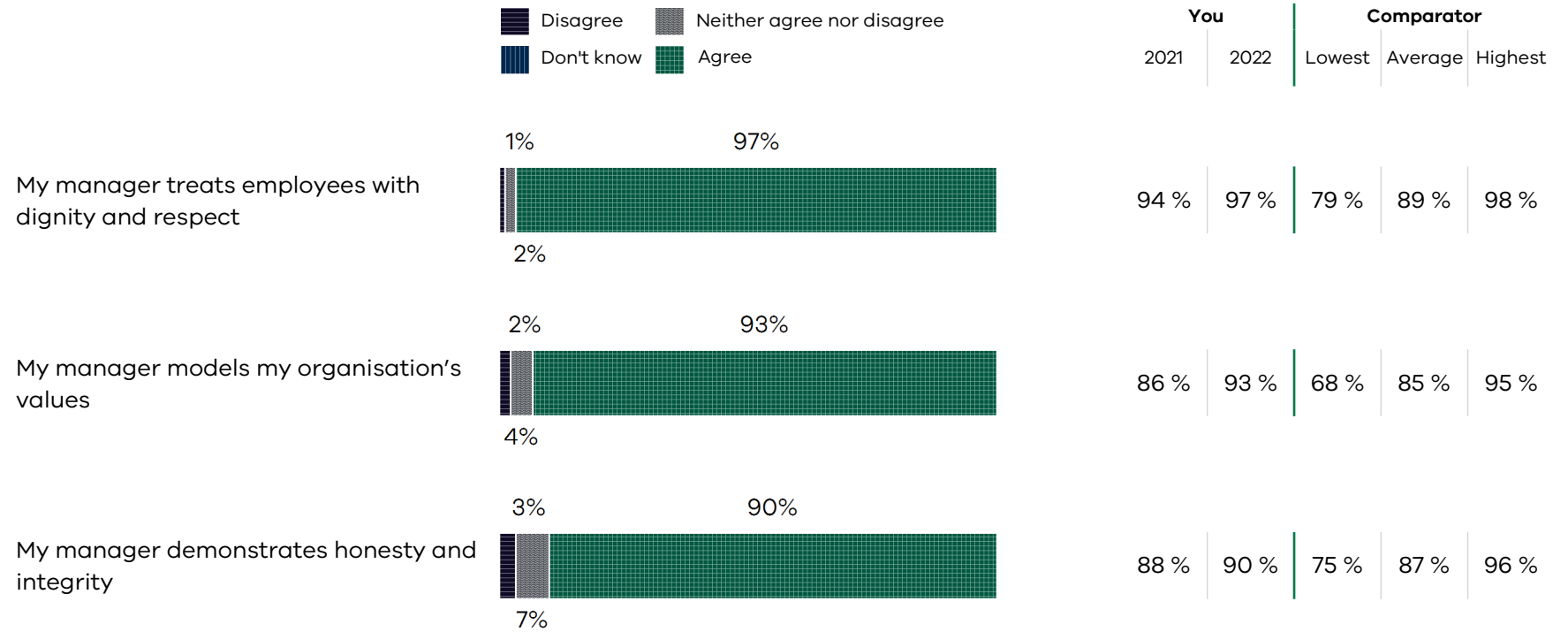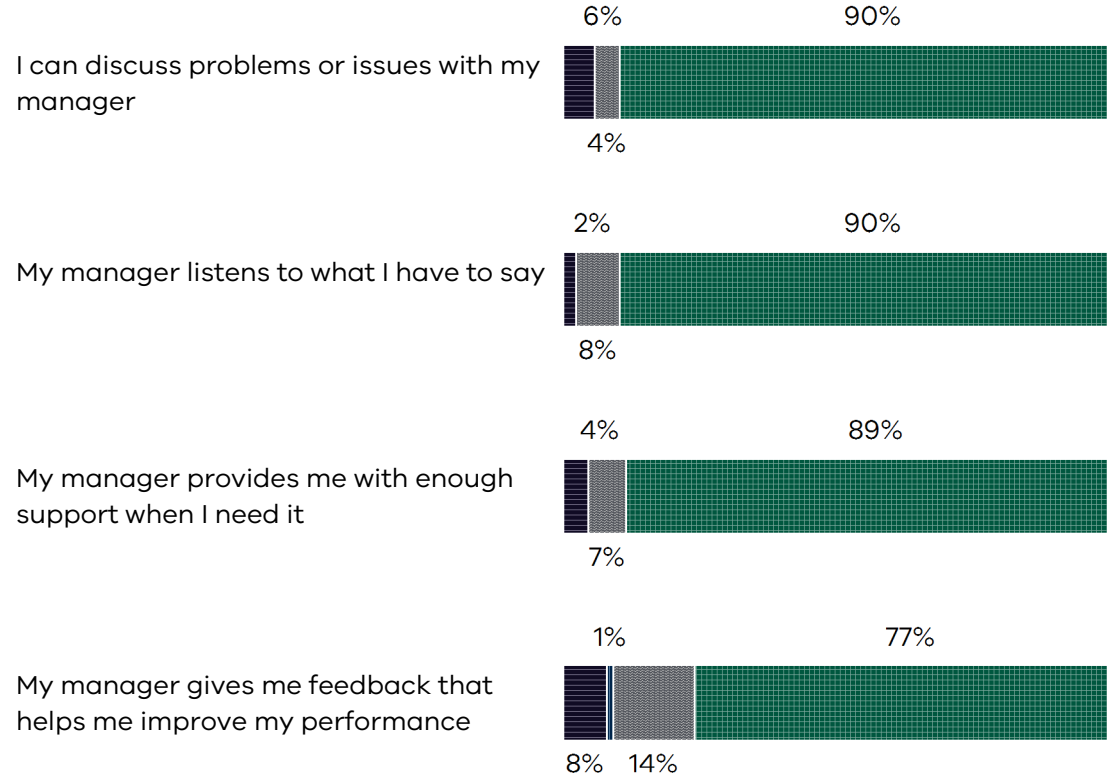Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

97% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

Legend: ■ Disagree ▦ Neither agree nor disagree ▥ Don't know ▓ Agree

Survey question		You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	1% / 97% / 2%	94 %	97 %	79 %	89 %	98 %
My manager models my organisation's values	2% / 93% / 4%	86 %	93 %	68 %	85 %	95 %
My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity	3% / 90% / 7%	88 %	90 %	75 %	87 %	96 %

Job and manager factors

What this is

This is how supported staff feel by their direct manager.

Why this is important

Supportive managers can give staff clarity, appreciation and positive feedback and coaching.

This can lead to higher satisfaction, performance and capacity to do work.

How to read this

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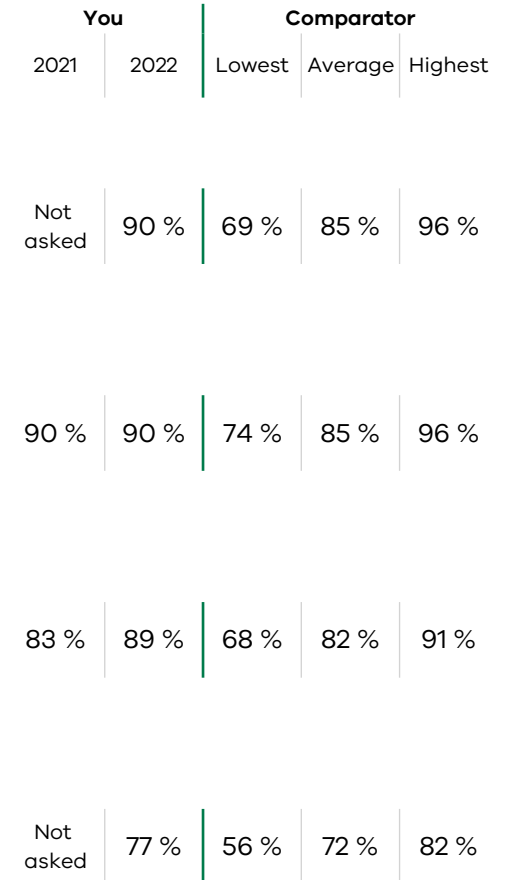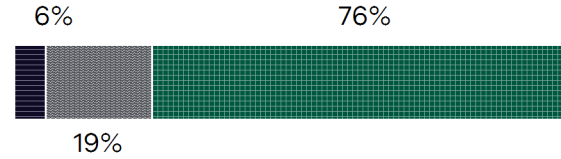
Example

90% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can discuss problems or issues with my manager'.

Survey question	Your results					

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Don't know | Agree

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results				
		You		**Comparator**		
		2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I can discuss problems or issues with my manager	6% / 4% / 90%	Not asked	90 %	69 %	85 %	96 %
My manager listens to what I have to say	2% / 8% / 90%	90 %	90 %	74 %	85 %	96 %
My manager provides me with enough support when I need it	4% / 7% / 89%	83 %	89 %	68 %	82 %	91 %
My manager gives me feedback that helps me improve my performance	1% / 8% / 14% / 77%	Not asked	77 %	56 %	72 %	82 %

Job and manager factors

Manager support 2 of 2

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Example

76% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work'.
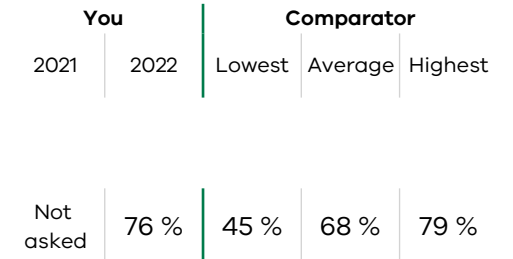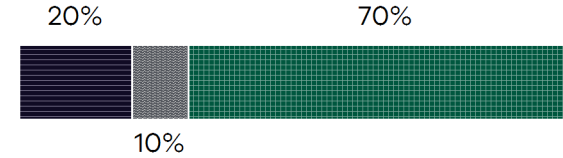
Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

Legend:
- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work	Not asked	76 %	45 %	68 %	79 %

Your results: 6% / 19% / 76%

Job and manager factors

Workload

What this is

This is how staff feel about workload and time pressure.

Why this is important

Workload and time pressure are the most prominent causes of work-related stress.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

70% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do'.
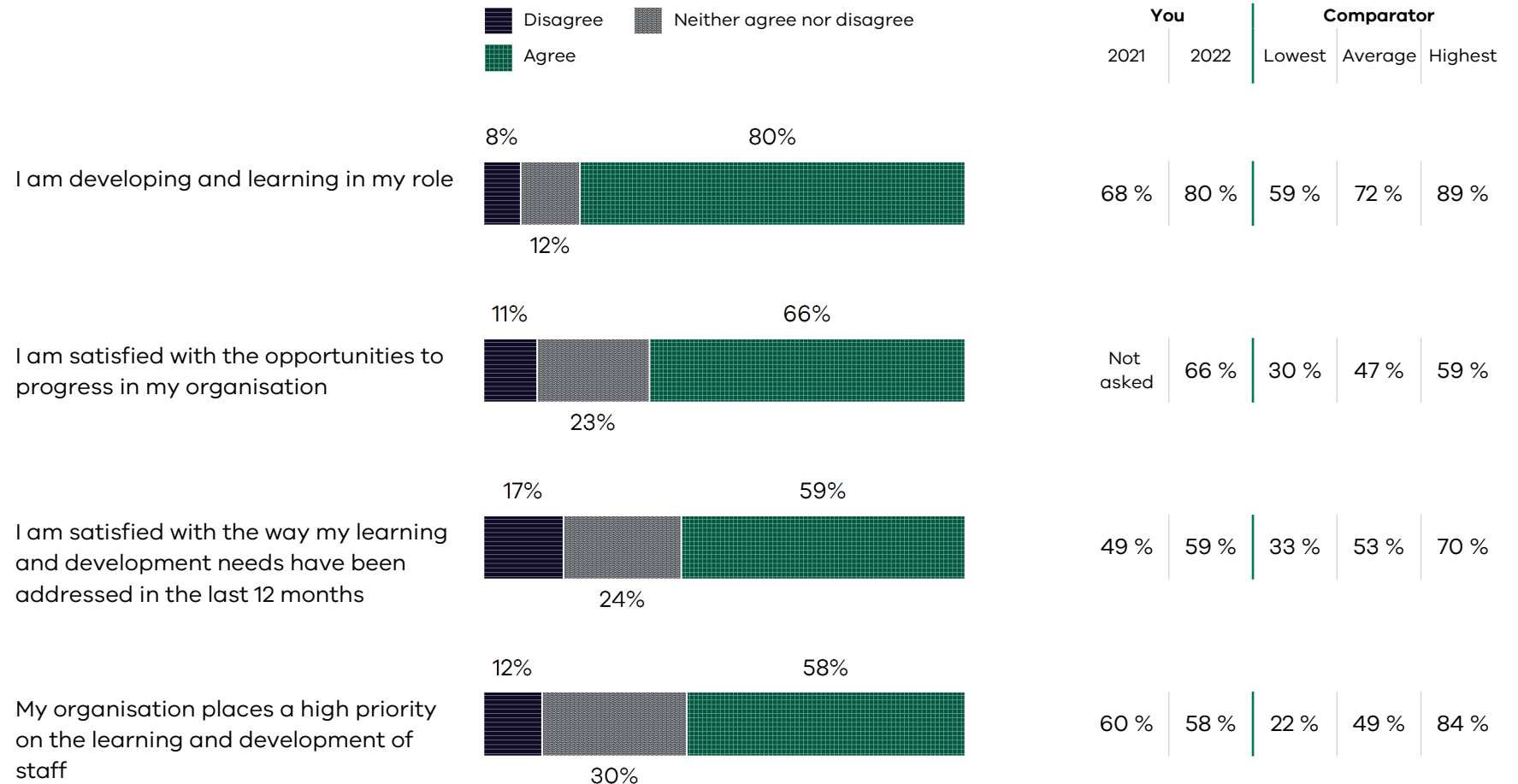
Survey question	Your results					

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Agree

Survey question	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do	56 %	70 %	40 %	63 %	70 %
I have enough time to do my job effectively	56 %	54 %	30 %	57 %	65 %

Your results bars:
- The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do: 20% Disagree, 10% Neither, 70% Agree
- I have enough time to do my job effectively: 23% Disagree, 22% Neither, 54% Agree
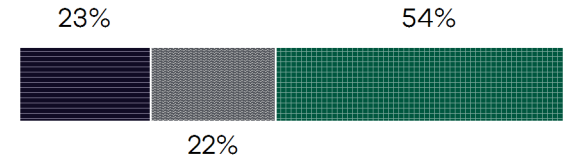
Job and manager factors

Learning and development

What this is

This is how well staff feel they can learn and grow in your organisation.

Why this is important

Good learning and career development can build engagement, efficiency and capability in organisations. It may also help staff retention.

How to read this

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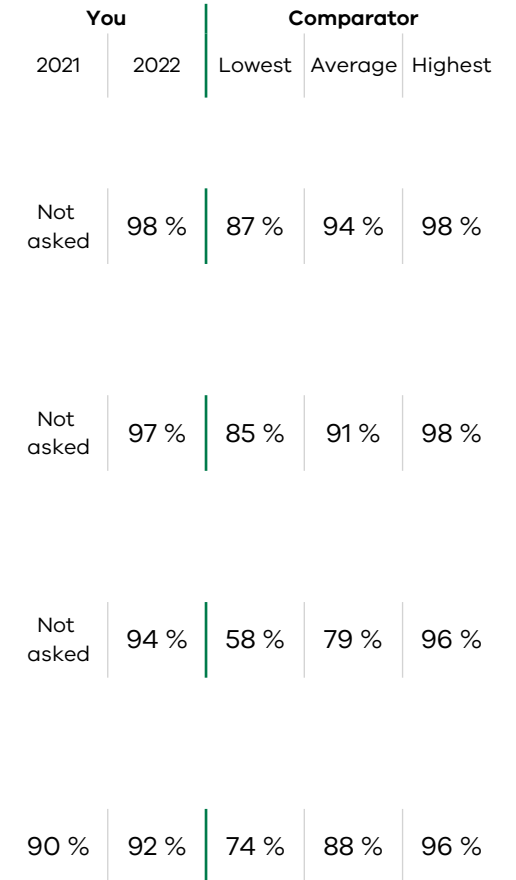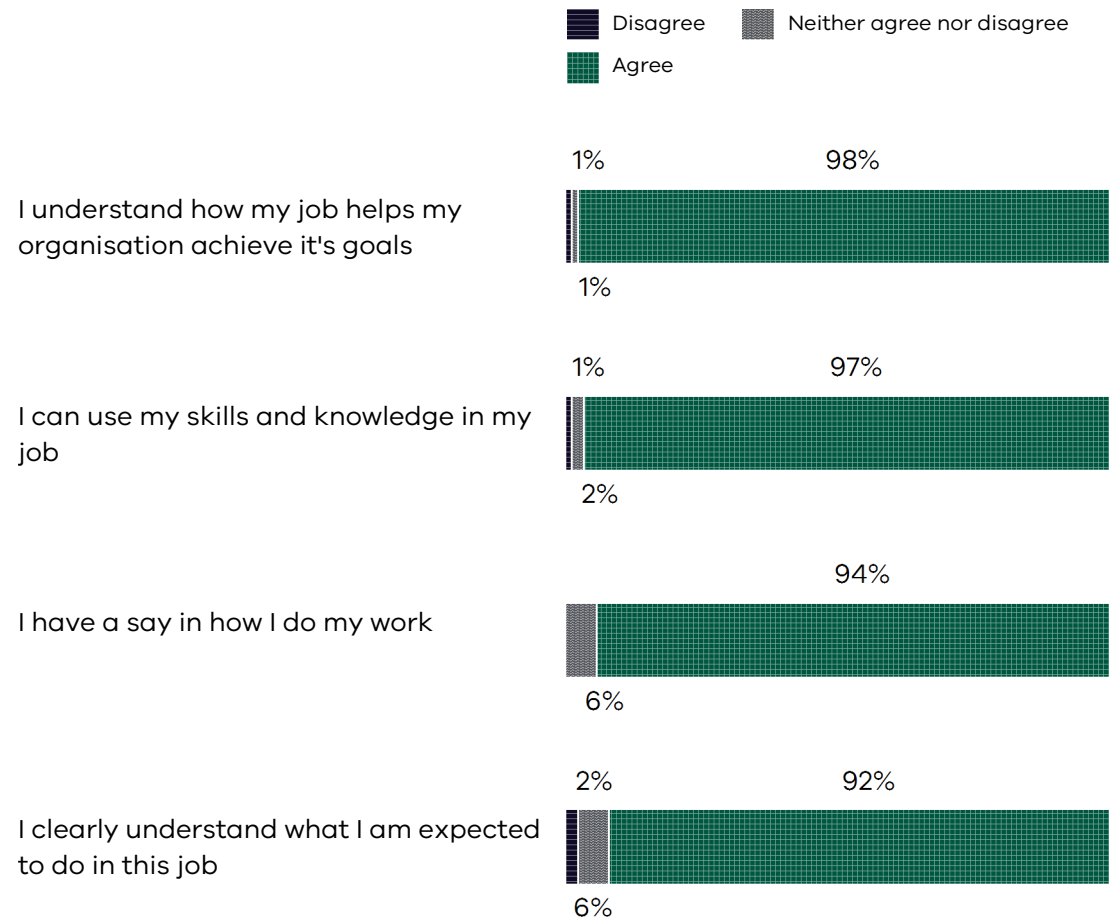
Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am developing and learning in my role'.

Legend: ■ Disagree ▨ Neither agree nor disagree ▦ Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
I am developing and learning in my role	8% / 12% / 80%	68 %	80 %	59 %	72 %	89 %
I am satisfied with the opportunities to progress in my organisation	11% / 23% / 66%	Not asked	66 %	30 %	47 %	59 %
I am satisfied with the way my learning and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months	17% / 24% / 59%	49 %	59 %	33 %	53 %	70 %
My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff	12% / 30% / 58%	60 %	58 %	22 %	49 %	84 %

Job and manager factors

What this is

This is how staff feel about their autonomy at work and role clarity.

Why this is important

Job enrichment is one of the main drivers of employee engagement and workplace wellbeing.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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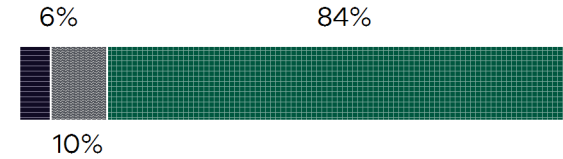
Example

98% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve it's goals'.

Survey question	Your results		Benchmark agree results				
			You		**Comparator**		
			2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve it's goals	1% / 98% / 1%		Not asked	98 %	87 %	94 %	98 %
I can use my skills and knowledge in my job	1% / 97% / 2%		Not asked	97 %	85 %	91 %	98 %
I have a say in how I do my work	94% / 6%		Not asked	94 %	58 %	79 %	96 %
I clearly understand what I am expected to do in this job	2% / 92% / 6%		90 %	92 %	74 %	88 %	96 %

Legend: ■ Disagree ▦ Neither agree nor disagree ▦ Agree

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Job and manager factors

Job enrichment 2 of 2

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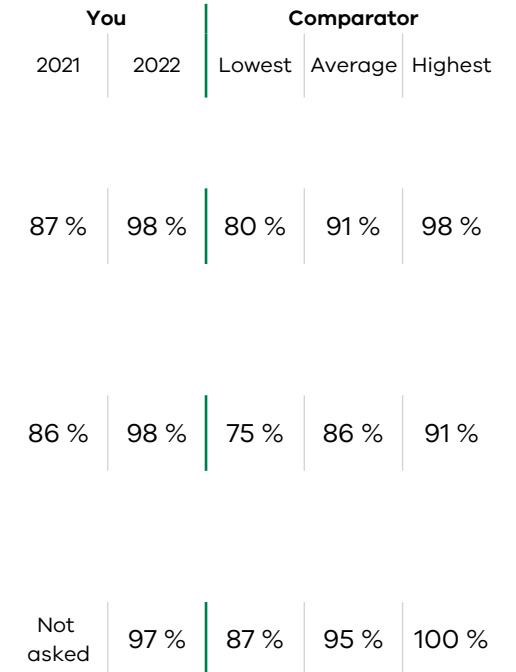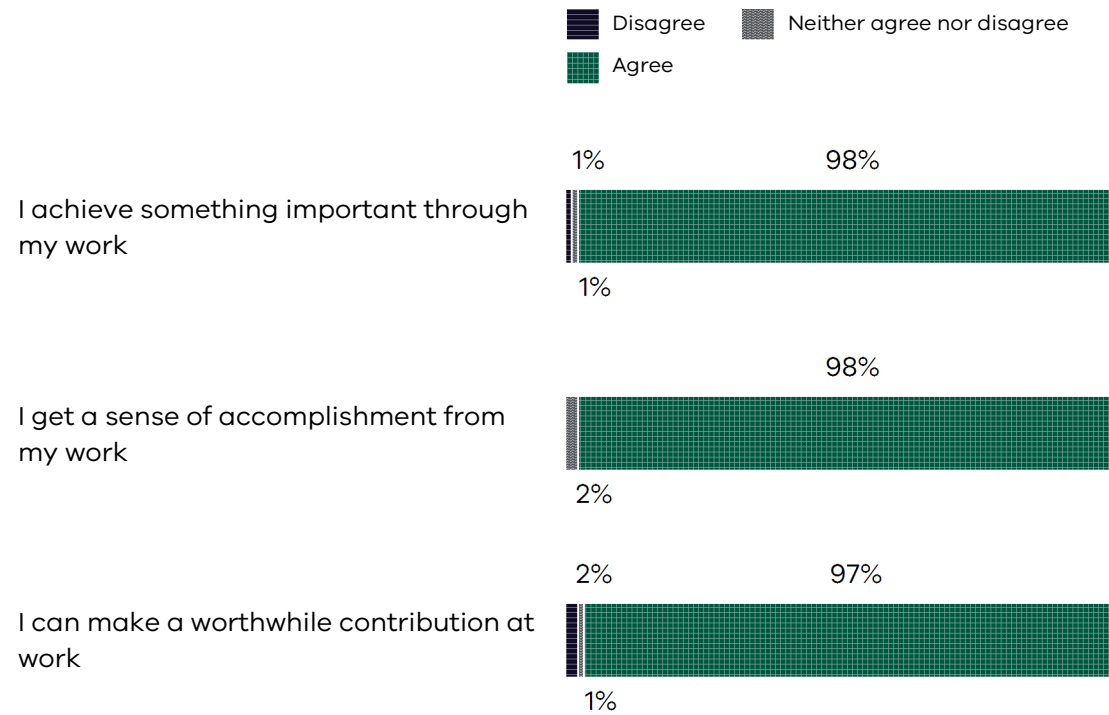
Example

84% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I have the authority to do my job effectively'.

Survey question

Your results

| ■ Disagree | ▨ Neither agree nor disagree |
| ▨ Agree | |

I have the authority to do my job effectively

6%   84%

10%

Benchmark agree results

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
	85 %	84 %	58 %	77 %	95 %

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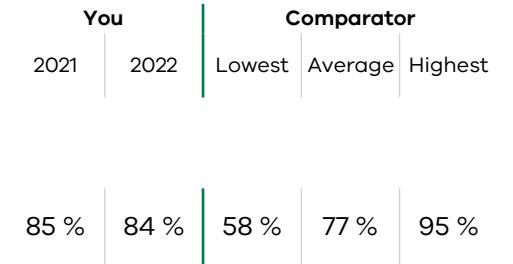
Job and manager factors

Meaningful work

What this is

This is how staff feel about their contribution and how worthwhile their work is.

Why this is important

Staff who feel their work is meaningful can help achieve individual, team and organisational outcomes.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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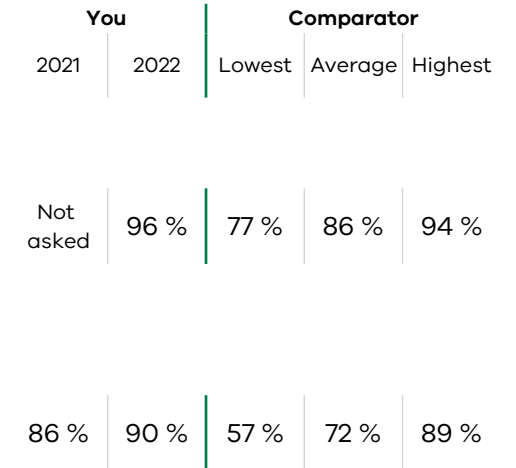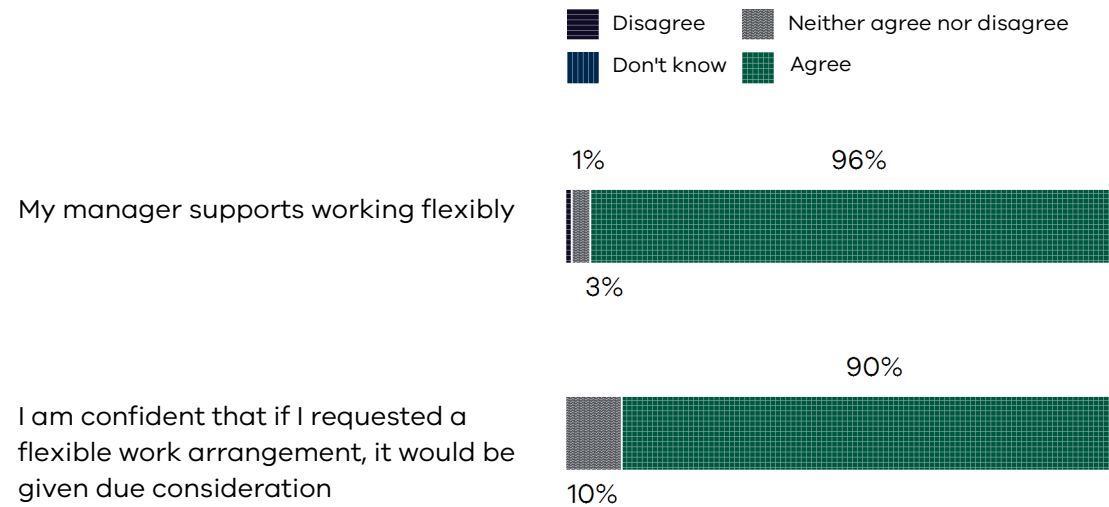
Example

98% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I achieve something important through my work'.

Survey question | Your results | Benchmark agree results

Legend:
- Disagree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

			You		Comparator		
Survey question	Your results		2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I achieve something important through my work	1% / 98% / 1%		87 %	98 %	80 %	91 %	98 %
I get a sense of accomplishment from my work	98% / 2%		86 %	98 %	75 %	86 %	91 %
I can make a worthwhile contribution at work	2% / 97% / 1%		Not asked	97 %	87 %	95 %	100 %

Job and manager factors

Flexible working

What this is

This is how well you organisation supports staff to work flexibly.

Why this is important

Supporting flexible working can improve employee wellbeing.

How to read this

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Example

96% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager supports working flexibly'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

			You		Comparator		
Survey question			2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My manager supports working flexibly	1% 96% 3%		Not asked	96 %	77 %	86 %	94 %
I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, it would be given due consideration	90% 10%		86 %	90 %	57 %	72 %	89 %

Legend: Disagree / Neither agree nor disagree / Don't know / Agree

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There's a strong link between workplace culture and how staff perceive their organisation lives the public sector values.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about public sector values.

Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

Example

In 2022:

- 93% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Respect , which is up 4% in 2021.

Compared to:

- 82% of staff at your comparator and 82% of staff across the public sector.

*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey

Legend: You 2021 | You 2022 | Comparator 2022 | Public sector 2022

Chart data:

Value	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator 2022	Public sector 2022
Respect	90%	93%	82%	82%
Responsiveness*		91%	79%	83%
Leadership	86%	90%	77%	76%
Integrity	86%	89%	76%	76%

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In 2022:

- 88% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Human rights , which is up 8% in 2021.

Compared to:

- 76% of staff at your comparator and 83% of staff across the public sector.
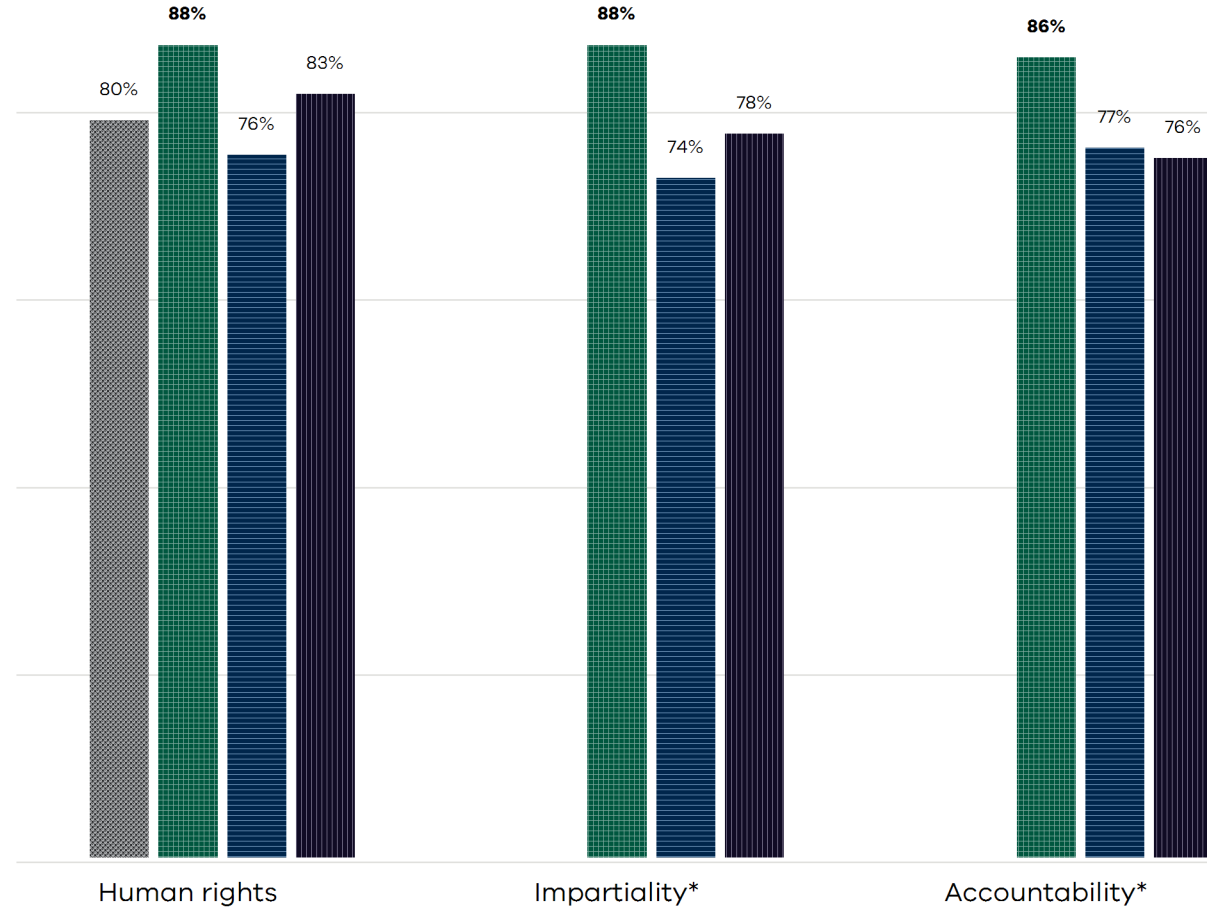
Human rights: 80%, 88%, 76%, 83%
Impartiality*: 88%, 74%, 78%
Accountability*: 86%, 77%, 76%

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Legend: You 2021 | You 2022 | Comparator 2022 | Public sector 2022

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Responsiveness

What this is

This is how responsive your staff feel they are to the community.

Why this is important

Staff need to feel they can adapt to the changing demands and circumstances of our clients and stakeholders.

How to read this

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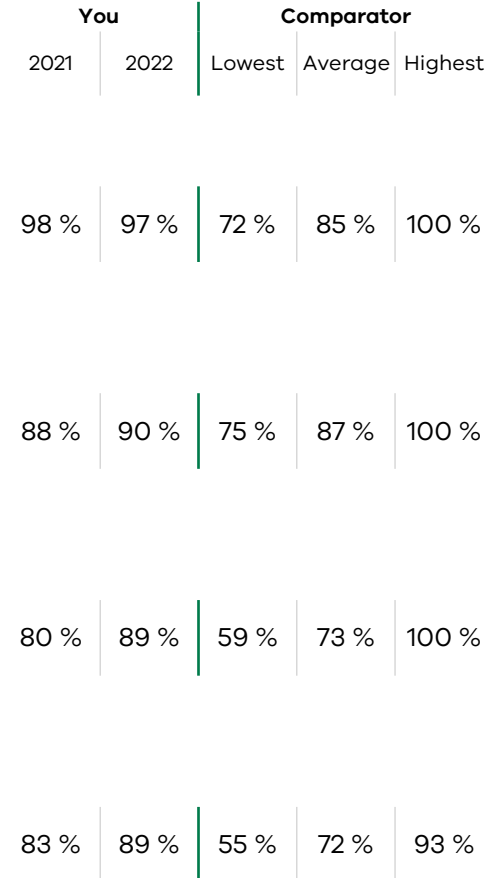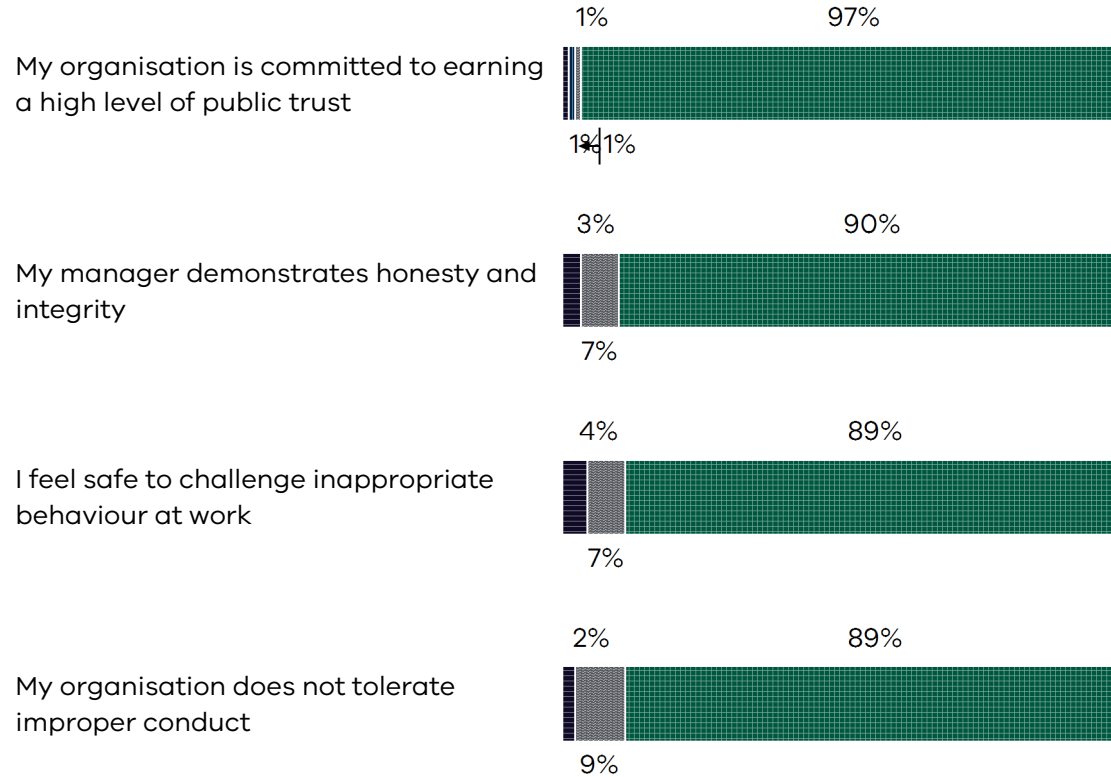
Example

91% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.

Legend	
■ Disagree	▨ Neither agree nor disagree
▥ Don't know	▤ Agree

My workgroup provides high quality advice and services

3%   91%

6%

	You		**Comparator**		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
	Not asked	91 %	57 %	79 %	100 %

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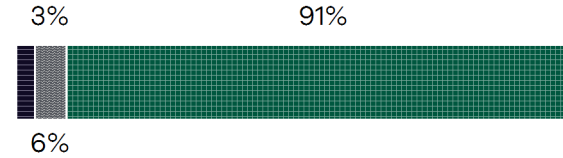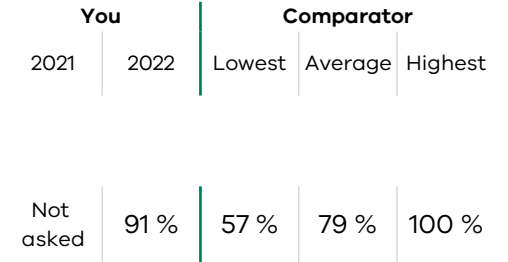
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Integrity 1 of 2

What this is

Integrity is being honest and transparent, conducting ourselves properly and using our powers responsibly.

Why this is important

The Victorian community need high trust in how everyone in the public sector works and what they do.

How to read this

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Example

97% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust'.

| Survey question | Your results | Benchmark agree results |

Legend: ■ Disagree ■ Neither agree nor disagree ■ Don't know ■ Agree

Survey question		You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust	1% / 97%	98 %	97 %	72 %	85 %	100 %
My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity	1% 1% / 3% 90% 7%	88 %	90 %	75 %	87 %	100 %
I feel safe to challenge inappropriate behaviour at work	4% 89% 7%	80 %	89 %	59 %	73 %	100 %
My organisation does not tolerate improper conduct	2% 89% 9%	83 %	89 %	55 %	72 %	93 %

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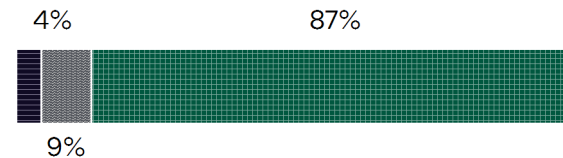
Survey question

Your results

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Don't know | Agree

Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity
2% / 88% / 4% 6%

People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest
2% / 87% / 1% 10%

People in my workgroup are honest, open and transparent in their dealings
4% / 87% / 9%

Benchmark agree results

Survey question	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	83 %	88 %	58 %	71 %	93 %
People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	89 %	87 %	61 %	70 %	100 %
People in my workgroup are honest, open and transparent in their dealings	80 %	87 %	62 %	76 %	100 %

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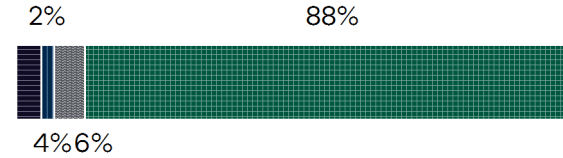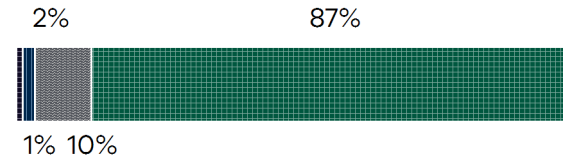
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Impartiality

What this is

Impartiality is how your staff feel an organisation makes informed decisions and provides stable advice on merit, without bias, favouritism or self interest.

Why this is important

We all have an obligation to be impartial and make objective and fair decisions that are open to scrutiny.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

94% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup acts fairly and without bias'.

Survey question

Your results

- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

My workgroup acts fairly and without bias

3% 94%
2%

People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work

3% 81%
4% 11%

Benchmark agree results

	You		Comparator		
	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My workgroup acts fairly and without bias	Not asked	94 %	60 %	72 %	100 %
People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work	83 %	81 %	57 %	75 %	88 %

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What this is

Accountability is if your staff feel they work to clear objectives in a transparent manner and can accept responsibility for decisions.

Why this is important

As we all make decisions on behalf of Victorians, we must be accountable in the resources we use.

How to read this

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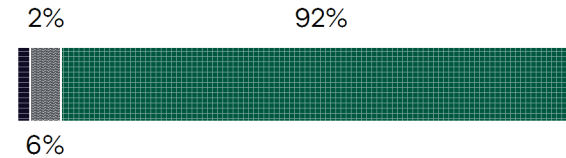
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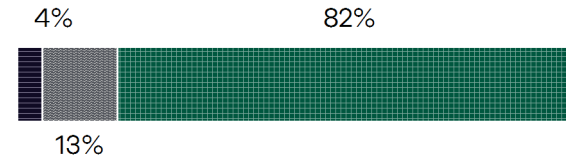Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Don't know | Agree
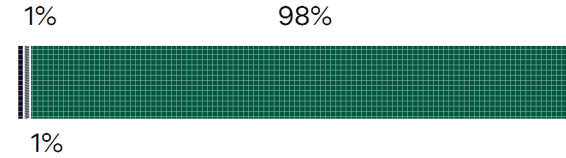
Survey question		You		Comparator		
		2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve it's goals	1% / 98% / 1%	Not asked	98 %	87 %	94 %	100 %
I clearly understand what I am expected to do in this job	2% / 92% / 6%	90 %	92 %	74 %	88 %	100 %
My workgroup uses its resources well	4% / 82% / 13%	Not asked	82 %	50 %	68 %	89 %
My workgroup has clear lines of responsibility	6% / 81% / 13%	85 %	81 %	52 %	71 %	100 %

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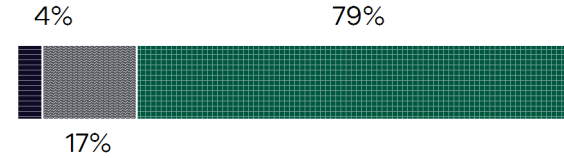Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

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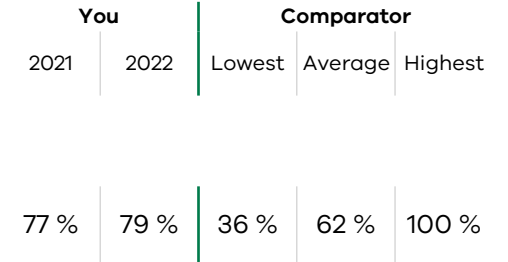79% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

Legend:
- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	4% / 17% / 79%	77 %	79 %	36 %	62 %	100 %

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What this is

Respect is how your staff feel they're treated in the workplace and community.

Why this is important

All staff need to treat their colleagues and Victorians with respect.

How to read this

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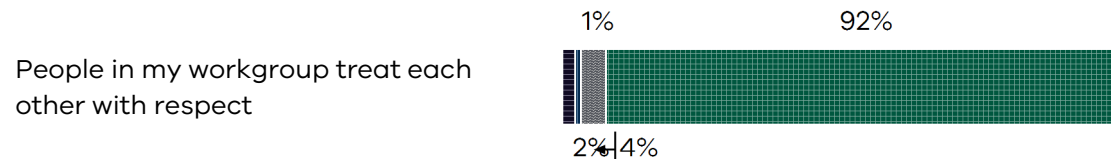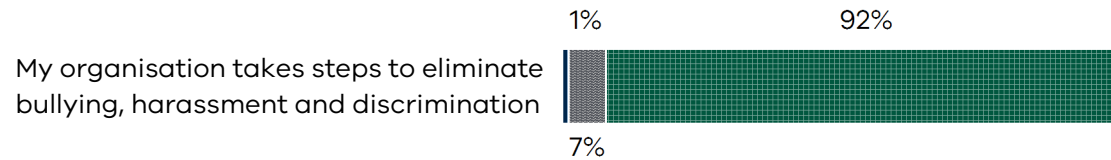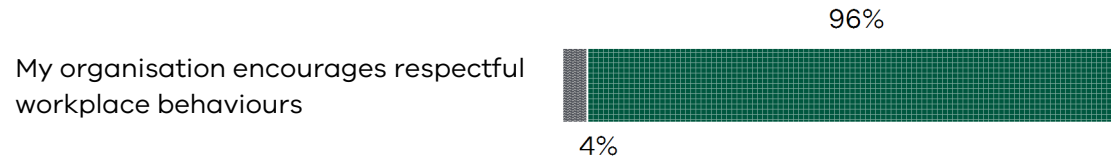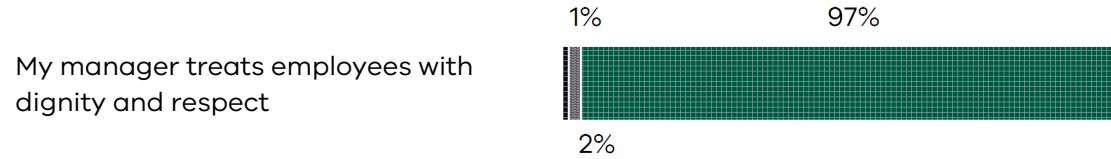
Example

97% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.

Survey question	Your results			Benchmark agree results				
				You		**Comparator**		
				2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	Disagree 1%, Agree 97%, Neither agree nor disagree 2%			94 %	97 %	79 %	89 %	100 %
My organisation encourages respectful workplace behaviours	Agree 96%, 4%			92 %	96 %	66 %	85 %	100 %
My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination	1%, Agree 92%, 7%			77 %	92 %	47 %	70 %	100 %
People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	1%, Agree 92%, 2% 4%			94 %	92 %	73 %	82 %	100 %

Legend: Disagree, Don't know, Neither agree nor disagree, Agree

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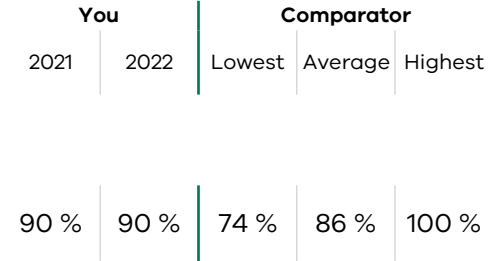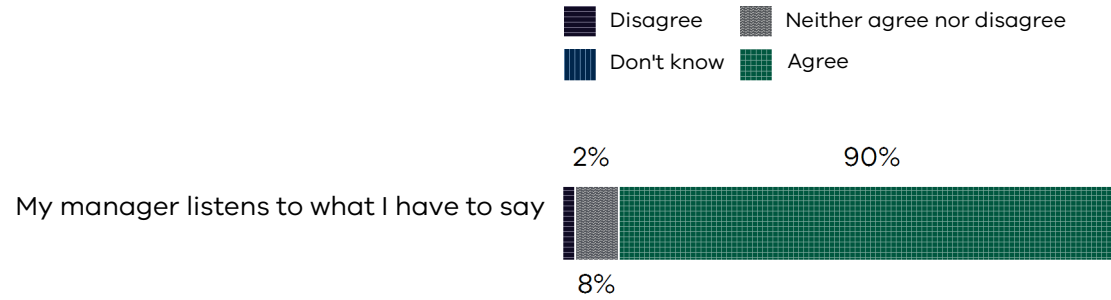
Example

90% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager listens to what I have to say'.

| Survey question | Your results | Benchmark agree results |

Survey question | **Your results** | **Benchmark agree results**

Legend:
- Disagree
- Don't know
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

	You		Comparator		
Survey question	2021	2022	Lowest	Average	Highest
My manager listens to what I have to say	90 %	90 %	74 %	86 %	100 %

Your results bar: 2% (Disagree), 8% (Neither agree nor disagree), 90% (Agree)

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Leadership

What this is

Leadership is how your staff feel an organisation implements and promotes the public sector values.

Why this is important

Good leadership plays a role in the development of workplace culture.

It also gives Victorians confidence that staff in the public sector behave to a high standard.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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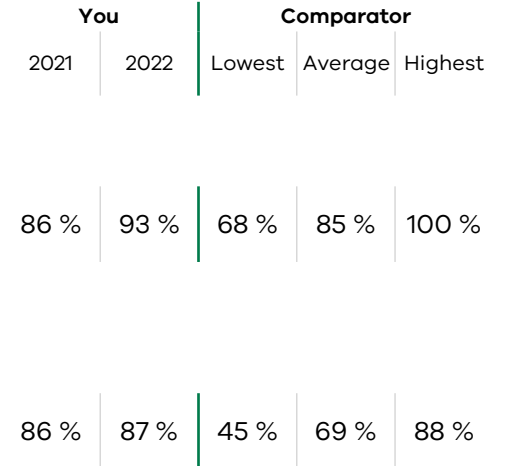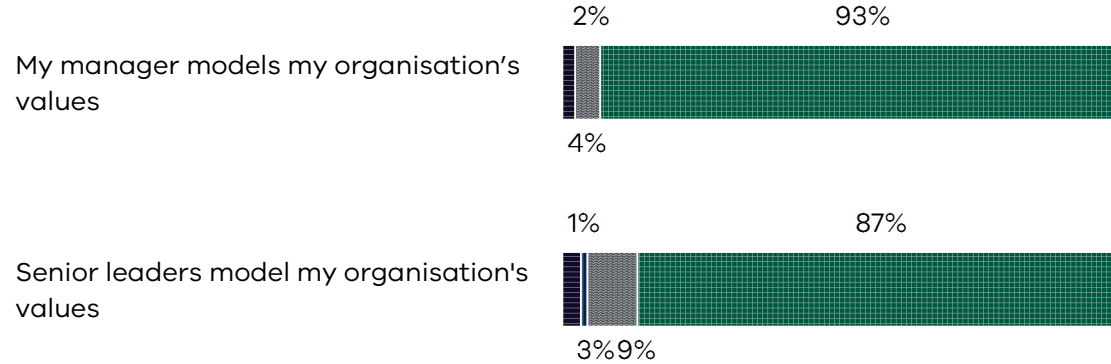
Example

93% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager models my organisation's values'.

Survey question	Your results	Benchmark agree results

Legend: Disagree, Don't know, Neither agree nor disagree, Agree

Survey question		You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
My manager models my organisation's values	Disagree 2%, 4%, Agree 93%	86 %	93 %	68 %	85 %	100 %
Senior leaders model my organisation's values	1%, 3% 9%, Agree 87%	86 %	87 %	45 %	69 %	88 %

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Human rights

What this is

Human rights is how your staff feel their organisation upholds basic human rights.

Why this is important

Using the Victorian Charter of Human Rights, organisations must consider human rights in how they work and act.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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99% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights'.
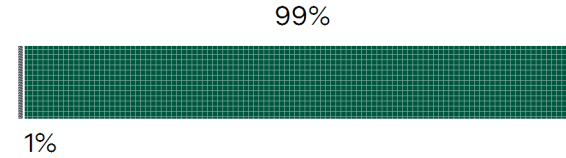
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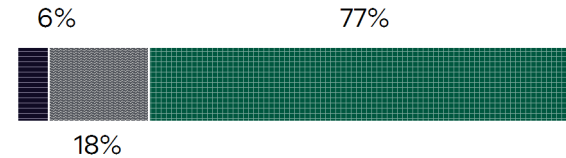- Neither agree nor disagree
- Agree

Survey question	Your results	You 2021	You 2022	Comparator Lowest	Comparator Average	Comparator Highest
My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights	99% Agree, 1% Disagree	90 %	99 %	68 %	85 %	100 %
I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work	6% Disagree, 18% Neither agree nor disagree, 77% Agree	69 %	77 %	43 %	67 %	88 %

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Custom questions

What this is

Your organisation asked 5 custom questions as part of the 2022 survey.
In this report, we've only included results for 3 custom questions, as your other custom question results contain sensitive information that only specific people in your organisation can see.

Why this is important

By asking custom questions, organisations make the survey more meaningful to their needs.

How to read this

Under 'Your results' in descending order, you can see the percentage of staff who agreed or disagreed with each question.

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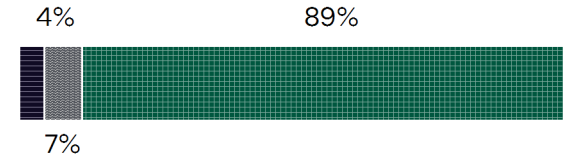
Example

89% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel well informed about the organisation's goals and priorities'.

Legend: Disagree | Neither agree nor disagree | Agree

I feel well informed about the organisation's goals and priorities

4%   89%
7%

Benchmark results

	You	
	2021	2022
I feel well informed about the organisation's goals and priorities	Not asked	89 %

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How to read this

The table shows you responses to the question 'What is your likely career plan for the next 2 years'.

Example

60% of staff who did the survey

responded 'Continue to work in my current workgroup within my organisation' to the question.

What is your likely career plan for the next 2 years	You 2021	You 2022
Continue to work in my current workgroup within my organisation	58%	60%
Don't know	12%	11%
Work in a different workgroup within my organisation	6%	11%
Stay at my organisation - Other	4%	9%
Take a career break	1%	4%
Leave my organisation - Other	5%	2%
Move to a private sector organisation	6%	1%
Move to another Victorian public sector organisation	5%	1%

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How to read this

The table shows you responses to the question 'What major factors are influencing your plan to leave your organisation'.

Example

50% of staff who did the survey

responded 'Better remuneration' to the question.

What major factors are influencing your plan to leave your organisation	You 2021	You 2022
Better remuneration	75%	50%
Excessive workload	44%	50%
Opportunity to broaden experience	56%	50%
Limited future career opportunities at my organisation	56%	38%
Poor organisational culture	0%	38%
Desire to relocate interstate or overseas	0%	25%
Lack of confidence in senior leadership	19%	25%
Limited developmental/educational opportunities at my organisation	44%	25%
Better location/reduced travel time	19%	13%
End of contract/secondment	0%	13%

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Workgroup climate

- Scorecard
- Quality service delivery
- Innovation
- Workgroup support
- Safe to speak up

Job and manager factors

- Scorecard
- Manager leadership
- Manager support
- Workload
- Learning and development
- Job enrichment
- Meaningful work
- Flexible working

Public sector values

- Scorecard
- Responsiveness
- Integrity
- Impartiality
- Accountability
- Respect
- Leadership
- Human rights

Custom questions

- Questions requested by your organisation

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Demographics

Age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation

What this is

This is how staff describe their age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

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Age	(n)	%
15-34 years	35	39%
35-54 years	45	50%
55+ years	6	7%
Prefer not to say	4	4%

How would you describe your gender?	(n)	%
Man	45	50%
Woman	40	44%
Prefer not to say	5	6%

Are you trans, non-binary or gender diverse?	(n)	%
No	84	93%
Prefer not to say	6	7%

To your knowledge, do you have innate variation(s) of sex characteristics (often called intersex)?*	(n)	%
No	80	89%
Don't know	4	4%
Prefer not to say	6	7%

How do you describe your sexual orientation?	(n)	%
Straight (heterosexual)	75	83%
Prefer not to say	7	8%
Gay or lesbian	4	4%
Bisexual	3	3%
Pansexual	1	1%

Demographics

Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander employees

What this is

This is staff who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

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Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	(n)	%
Yes	**1**	1%
Non Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	**87**	97%
Prefer not to say	**2**	2%

Demographics

Disability

What this is

This is staff who identify as a person with disability and how they share that information.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

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Do you identify as a person with a disability?	(n)	%
Yes	**4**	4%
No	**82**	91%
Prefer not to say	**4**	4%

Demographics

Cultural diversity 1 of 2

What this is

These are the personal characteristics of staff.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

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Country of birth	(n)	%
Born in Australia	**72**	80%
Not born in Australia	**12**	13%
Prefer not to say	**6**	7%

If you speak another language with your family or community, what language(s) do you speak?	(n)	%
Greek	**3**	21%
Other	**3**	21%
Italian	**2**	14%
Mandarin	**2**	14%
Vietnamese	**2**	14%
Cantonese	**1**	7%
German	**1**	7%
Hindi	**1**	7%
Macedonian	**1**	7%

Language other than English spoken with family or community	(n)	%
Yes	**14**	16%
No	**71**	79%
Prefer not to say	**5**	6%

Demographics

Cultural diversity 2 of 2

What this is

This is the cultural identity and religion of staff.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

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Cultural identity	(n)	%
Australian	67	74%
English, Irish, Scottish and/or Welsh	14	16%
Prefer not to say	7	8%
European (including Western, Eastern and South-Eastern Europe, and Scandinavia)	6	7%
East and/or South-East Asian	5	6%
New Zealander	2	2%
North American	1	1%
Other	1	1%
African	1	1%
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	1	1%

Religion	(n)	%
No religion	57	63%
Christianity	22	24%
Prefer not to say	7	8%
Other	3	3%
Hinduism	1	1%

Demographics

What this is

These are the employment characteristics of staff.

Why this is important

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Working arrangement	(n)	%
Full-Time	**85**	94%
Part-Time	**5**	6%

Gross base salary (ongoing/fixed term only)	(n)	%
Below $65k	**5**	6%
$65k to $95k	**42**	48%
$95k to $125k	**11**	13%
$125k or more	**24**	28%
Prefer not to say	**5**	6%

Organisational tenure	(n)	%
<1 year	**27**	30%
1 to less than 2 years	**9**	10%
2 to less than 5 years	**17**	19%
5 to less than 10 years	**22**	24%
10 to less than 20 years	**10**	11%
More than 20 years	**5**	6%

Management responsibility	(n)	%
Non-manager	**41**	46%
Other manager	**29**	32%
Manager of other manager(s)	**20**	22%

Employment type	(n)	%
Ongoing and executive	**82**	91%
Fixed term	**5**	6%
Other	**3**	3%

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Primary workplace location over the last 3 months	(n)	%
Melbourne CBD	63	70%
Melbourne: Suburbs	24	27%
Other	3	3%

What have been your main places of work over the last 3-months?	(n)	%
Your employer's office	76	84%
A frontline or service delivery location	12	13%
Home or private location	44	49%
A shared office space (where two or more organisations share the same workspace e.g. Gov hubs, suburban hubs etc.)	1	1%

Flexible work	(n)	%
Flexible start and finish times	48	53%
Working from an alternative location (e.g. home, hub/shared work space)	32	36%
No, I do not use any flexible work arrangements	28	31%
Using leave to work flexible hours	11	12%
Part-time	5	6%
Shift swap	4	4%
Other	4	4%
Working more hours over fewer days	4	4%
Job sharing	1	1%
Study leave	1	1%

Demographics

Adjustments

What this is

These are adjustments staff requested to perform in their role.

Why this is important

This shows organisations how flexible they are in adjusting for staff.

How to read this

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Have you requested any of the following adjustments at work?*	(n)	%
No, I have not requested adjustments	**70**	78%
Flexible working arrangements	**18**	20%
Physical modifications or improvements to the workplace	**5**	6%
Job redesign or role sharing	**3**	3%
Career development support strategies	**2**	2%

Why did you make this request?	(n)	%
Work-life balance	**13**	65%
Family responsibilities	**5**	25%
Caring responsibilities	**4**	20%
Health	**4**	20%
Other	**2**	10%

What was your experience with making the request?	(n)	%
The adjustments I needed were made and the process was satisfactory	**14**	70%
The adjustments I needed were made but the process was unsatisfactory	**5**	25%
The adjustments I needed were not made	**1**	5%

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Caring

What this is

These are staff-reported caring responsibilities.

Why this is important

This shows organisations what caring responsibilities their staff have.

How to read this

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Caring responsibility	(n)	%
None of the above	**51**	57%
Primary school aged child(ren)	**16**	18%
Secondary school aged child(ren)	**11**	12%
Child(ren) - younger than preschool age	**8**	9%
Frail or aged person(s)	**6**	7%
Prefer not to say	**4**	4%
Preschool aged child(ren)	**2**	2%
Person(s) with disability	**2**	2%
Person(s) with a medical condition	**1**	1%
Person(s) with a mental illness	**1**	1%

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