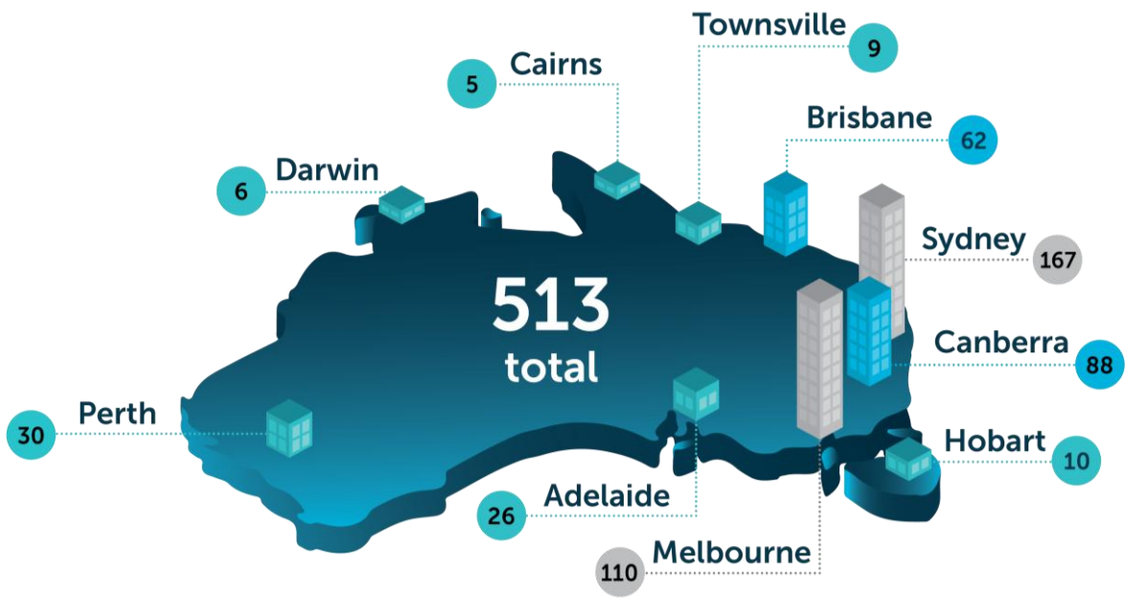
CDPP
Australia's Federal Prosecution Service

Who we are

The Director of Public Prosecutions is the leader of, and Accountable Authority for, the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (Cth) (CDPP) through which the Commonwealth conducts prosecutions of indictable and summary Commonwealth offences. The CDPP works in a dynamic and complex environment driven by the work of our partner agencies and the matters they refer. We prosecute matters covering a wide range of criminal conduct and offending increasingly occurs across state and international borders.

Total headcount by location



Diversity

(2026 APS Employee Census)



identified as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander



identified as LGBTIQA+

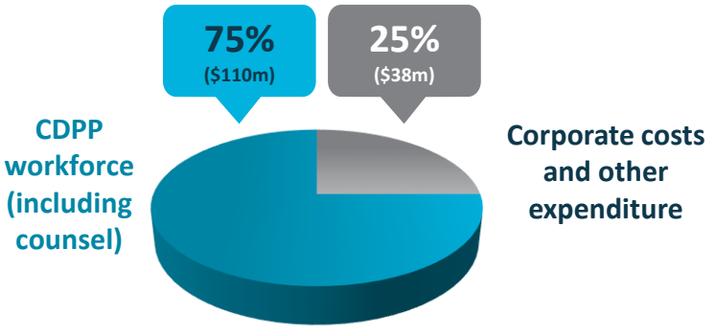


identified as having a disability

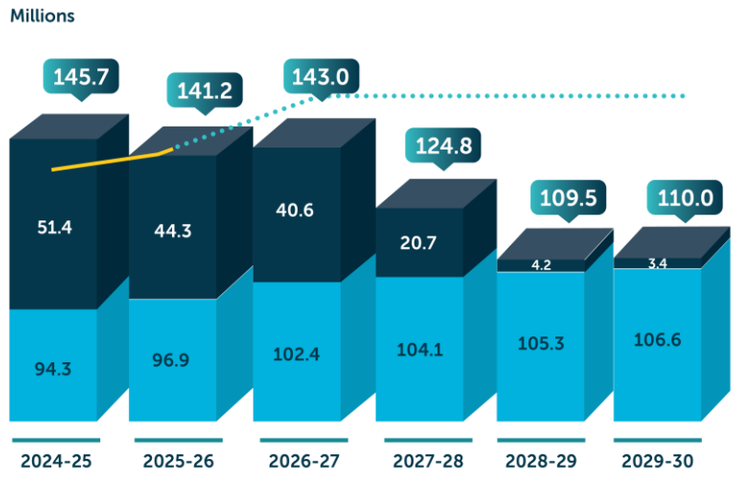


identified as Culturally & Linguistically Diverse

2026–27 Preliminary Budget ($148 million)



Ongoing vs non-ongoing funding



Legal and enabling headcount



Attendance type





of staff are female



of SES are female



of SES identify as Culturally & Linguistically Diverse

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