

STRATEGIC PROCUREMENT OUTLOOK

Statistics New Zealand

Period Covered:	1 July 2011 – 1 July 2012
Last Updated:	8 June 2011

Mission

Statistics New Zealand administers the Statistics Act 1975, leads the country's official statistics system and is the major producer of official statistics within New Zealand. The outcome sought from the Official Statistics System is that statistics are increasingly used to inform decisions and monitor and understand the state and progress of New Zealand.

Policies & Programmes

Statistics New Zealand's aims to ensure that New Zealand increasingly gets the statistical information it needs to grow and prosper. It has identified four strategic objectives:

- Working with partners to ensure that official statistics efficiently meet the country's needs for relevant, trustworthy, accessible information
- Obtaining more value from official statistics
- Transforming the way Statistics New Zealand delivers its services
- Creating a responsive, customer focused, influential, sustainable organisation.

Overarching Purchasing Objectives

- Information Technology services
- Policy and research programme support services

General Information

Total number of employees: As at 31/5/2011	869 =(FTE) (includes Core, Interviewers, Fixed term, and not casuals) 946 =Headcount
Head office:	Wellington
Other offices	Auckland, Christchurch
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