



# Activity indicators for Mines Safety

For three-month period 1 April – 30 June 2023

As Western Australia's safety regulator for the mining sector, WorkSafe Inspectors undertake regulatory activities, including site visits that can be proactive or reactive.

The following indicators represent significant compliance activities undertaken by WorkSafe Mines Safety Inspectors and highlights the Department's continued focus on transparency.

*Note: Due to the COVID-19 pandemic restrictions in 2022 and activities to support the commencement of the WHS legislation on 31 March 2022, less site visits were undertaken between January and June 2022.*



## Site visits

Site visit	Announced	Unannounced	Total
Proactive	86	12	98
Reactive	16	11	27
<b>Total</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>125</b>



## Regulatory actions



**117**

Improvement  
Notices issued



**22**

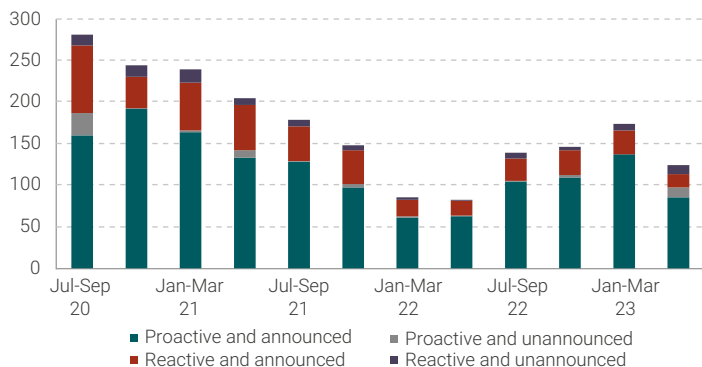
Prohibition  
Notices issued



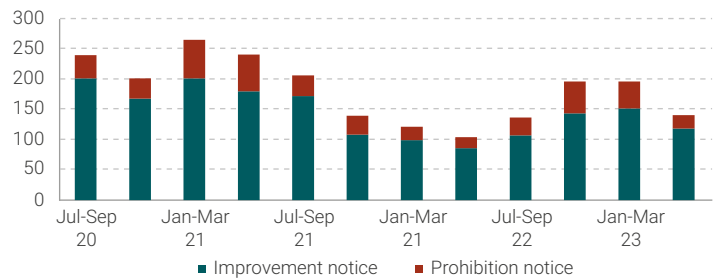
**128**

Complaints  
received

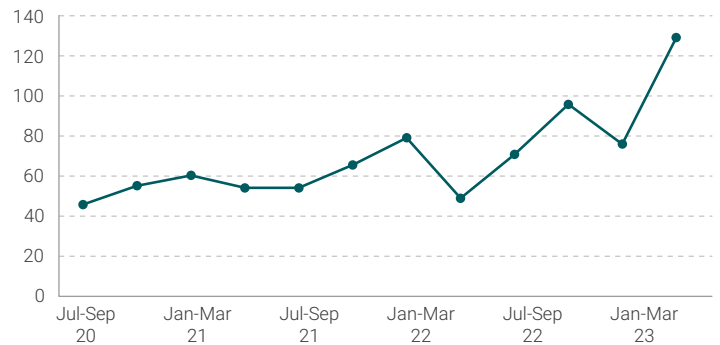
## Number of site visits



## Number of notices issued



## Number of new complaints received



## Definitions

- Site visits – as recorded on a site visit record (SVR) made by one or more inspectors. Each SVR represents one site visit. Site visit classifications include:
  - Proactive – a scheduled, planned visit
  - Reactive – an unplanned visit performed reacting to a notification or event
  - Announced – the site was made aware of the visit prior to the inspectors attending site
  - Unannounced – the site was not made aware of the visit prior to the inspectors attending site
- Improvement notices – the number of improvement notices issued
- Prohibition notices – the number of prohibition notices issued
- Complaints – the number of complaints received from industry and the public regarding alleged unsatisfactory conditions or practices at a mining operation