# **Practitioner lodgment service**

Confidence indicators, 7 August 2017



#### **OVERVIEW**

The practitioner lodgment service (PLS) is replacing the electronic lodgment service (ELS) as our main electronic lodgment channel for tax practitioners.

Closure of the ELS gateway commenced from 31 March 2017, and will continue on a form-by-form basis. 2017 FBT returns can now only be lodged through the PLS. Other income tax forms will be progressively removed from the ELS gateway throughout 2017–18.

Other forms, services and reports will be progressively removed from the ELS following consultation with software developers.

Ongoing access to the ELS as a safety net is dependent on progressing development of PLS products.

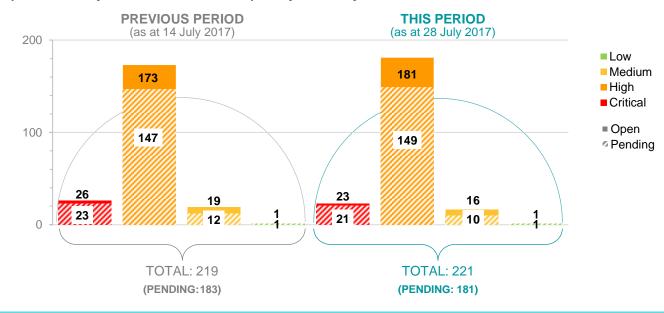
#### **ATO RUN & MANAGE TEAM**

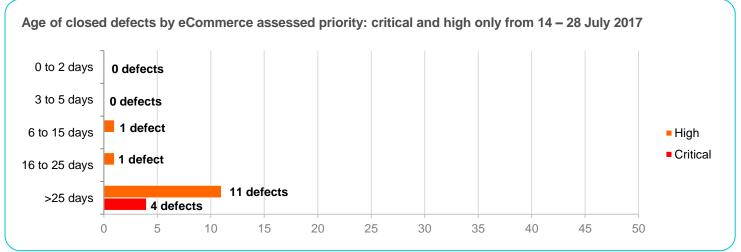
The ATO Run & Manage team has a key focus to fix critical system defects.

The backlog of defects will be addressed in Tax Time 17.

#### **TIME TO FIX**

Open defects by eCommerce assessed priority at 28 July 2017:





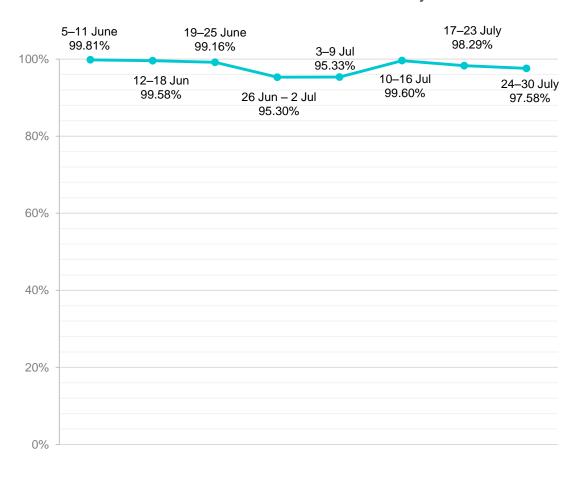
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### **QUALITY OF SERVICES/SPECIFICATIONS**

Advanced notifications for SBR2 production outages from 29 July–5 August 2017:

Outage start date	Advanced notification in days ( = 1 days)	
29 July	2.51 days	<b>3 3 (</b>
5 August	8.4 days	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 6

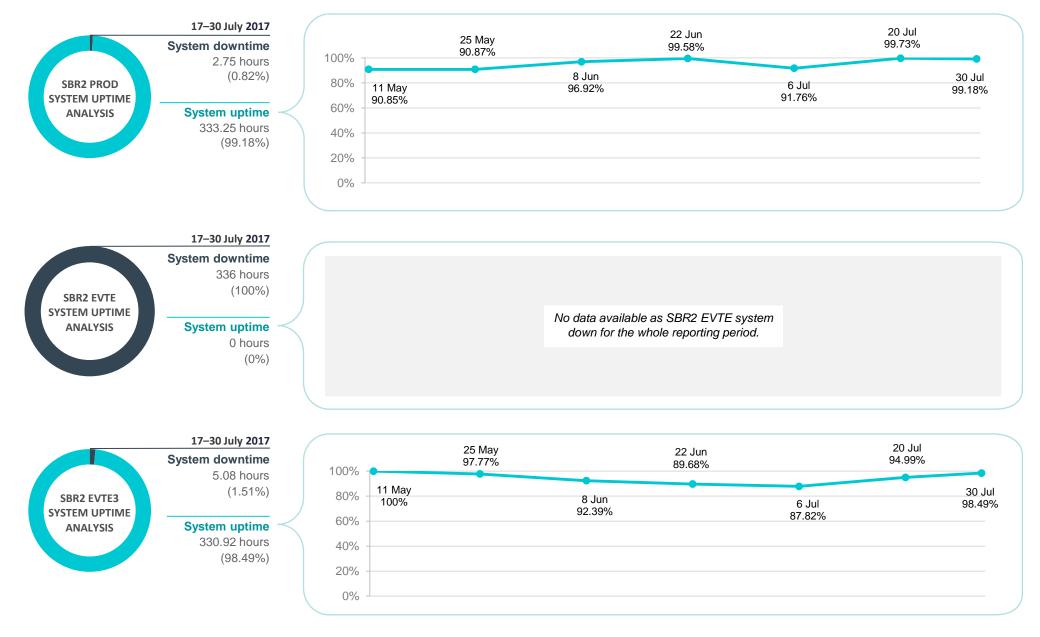
#### Successful transmissions in SBR2 PROD from 5 June - 30 July 2017:



#### **SUCCESSFUL SUBMISSIONS**

During the period from 24–30 July 2017 **97.58%** of PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 PROD processed successfully

#### **STABILITY**



#### PERFORMANCE AND CAPACITY



# 5 sec transmission target\*

For PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 PROD 24–30 July 2017:



4.33 sec

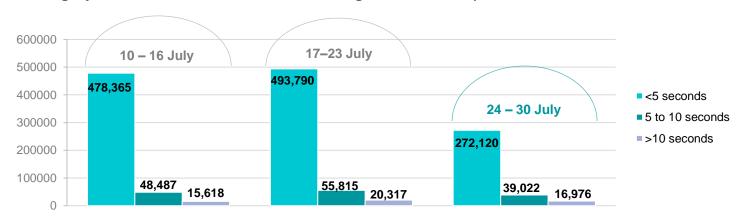






- PLS SRP transmissions found to have null transmission time have been excluded from the above stats.
- SBR2 provides real-time validation when tax practitioners lodge returns (ELS only receives lodgment without validation).
- Due to real-time validation, complex PLS returns may take longer than ELS.

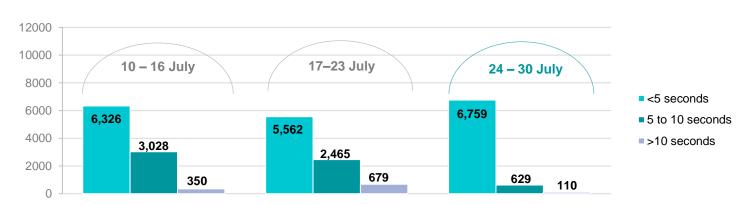
#### Fortnightly PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 PROD against different elapsed time bands:



Fortnightly PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 EVTE against different elapsed time bands:

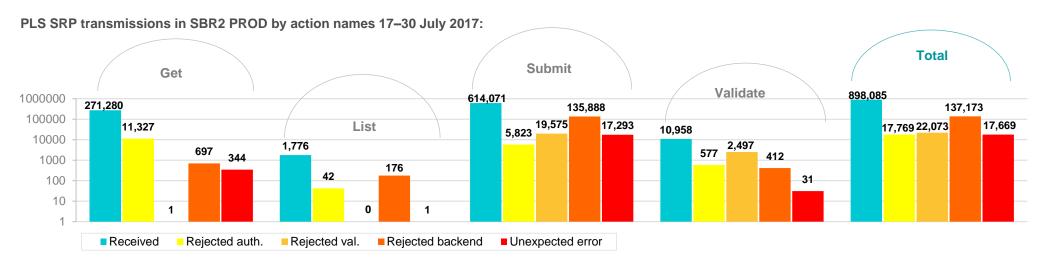
No data available as SBR2 EVTE system down for the whole reporting period.

#### Fortnightly PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 EVTE3 against different elapsed time bands:



<sup>\*</sup>Target time only. This is not a requirement of the service level agreement.

### PERFORMANCE AND CAPACITY (CONT.)



PLS SRP transmissions in SBR2 EVTE by action names 17–30 July 2017:





