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# Top 5 reasons Australian's leave their jobs

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## The top 5 reasons people leave their jobs

We asked the Australian public what the number one driver was in their decision to quit their last job and the results are in. Here are the top five reasons people handed in their resignation.

### 1 MEDIOCRE MANAGEMENT

Poor management was the number one reason Australians left their last job and was a contributing factor for many more when it came time to leave.

What to do if management is an issue?

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## 2 NO ROADS AHEAD

A lack of career progression was the second most common reason why Australians resigned from their last role.

Career not going to plan?

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## 3 A FRESH START

Deciding to pursue a new career was the third most likely reason people left their previous role.



6 steps to a successful career change.

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## 4 A BAD ENVIRONMENT

Poor working conditions or being in a negative environment was the fourth most driver in the decision to quit their last job for Australians.

Is a toxic workplace warping your sense of what's normal?

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## 5 I'M WORTH MORE

Being dissatisfied with their pay is the fifth most common reason Australians called it quits on their last job.

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