



**Australasian
Institute
of Packaging**

2025 AIP CAREER AND SALARY REPORT

Highlights



Do you have any of the following packaging-related degrees?

- 15% of the respondents have a Diploma in Packaging Technology, 7% have the Certificate in Packaging, 5% have completed the Fundamentals of Packaging Technology, and 5% have completed the Master of Food & Packaging Innovation.

DIPLOMA IN PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY

15%

CERTIFICATE IN PACKAGING

7%

**FUNDAMENTALS OF
PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY**

5%

**MASTER OF FOOD &
PACKAGING INNOVATION**

5%

Experience

- 33% of the total respondents have more than 20 years' experience in the packaging industry.
- This is an indication of longevity in the industry and stable careers.

More than 20 years

33%

6 to 10 years

20%

3 to 5 years

15%

What is your highest level of education?

- 53% of the total respondents have a Graduate Degree and 36% have an Undergraduate Degree.
- This is a continued indication that the industry is highly educated with degree level qualifications.

GRADUATE DEGREE

53%

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE

36%

Job Function

- 29.94% of the total respondents indicated that they work in Packaging Technology/Design.
- This was followed by Research & Development at 12.74%, followed by 12.10% in Corporate Management.

29.94% Packaging Technology/
Design



12.74% Research &
Development



12.10% Corporate
Management



Satisfaction with Job Security

- 38% of the total respondents feel very secure with their job, while 34% feel somewhat secure.

I feel very secure

38%

I feel somewhat secure

34%

Industry/Products

- 50% of the total respondents work in the Food Industry
- 14% indicated that they work in Packaging Materials.



50% FOOD



14% PACKAGING
MATERIALS

in partnership with



The full 2025 Salary Survey Report is available to AIP Members & respondents who undertook the survey.