

## Murray and South East Employment Region

South Australia

## **Labour Market Data Dashboard**

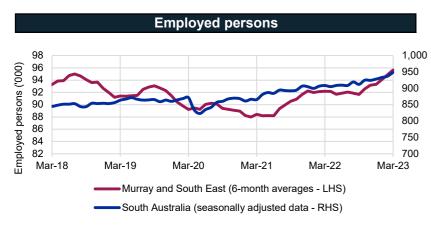
## Data current as at 20 April 2023

Refer to source notes for data reference periods

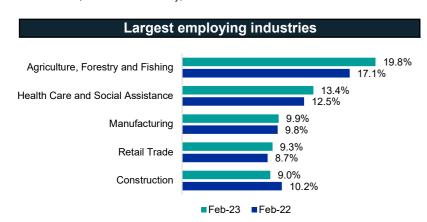
This **Labour Market Data Dashboard** provides key indicators for the labour market by Employment Region and is updated monthly.

Labour market summary table												
	Employment			Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate		
	Mar-23	Mar-22	Change	Mar-23	Mar-22	Change	Mar-23	Mar-22	Mar-23	Mar-22	Mar-23	Mar-22
	('000')	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Murray and South East	95.7	92.2	3.8	3.9	2.7	44.0	4.0	2.9	58.2	56.8	10.5	7.8
South Australia	948.6	908.3	4.4	36.5	46.5	-21.5	3.7	4.9	64.5	63.7	9.4	10.3
Australia	13,884.4	13,446.7	3.3	507.0	548.4	-7.5	3.5	3.9	66.7	66.4	7.8	8.3

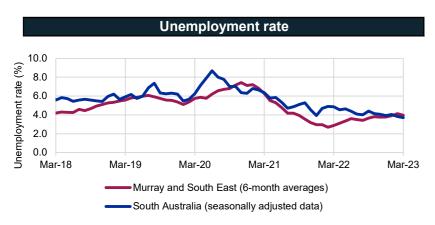
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Mar-23. Employment Region data are 6-month averages of original estimates, except for the youth unemployment rate, which is a 12-month average of original estimates. State youth unemployment rates are 12-month averages of original estimates.



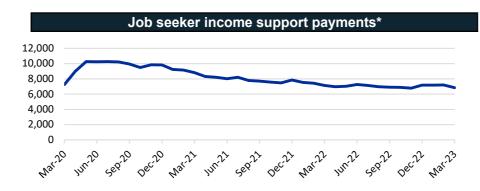
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Mar-23



Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, Feb-23 quarter



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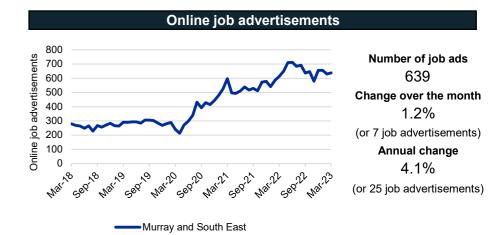
Change in job seeker income support payments						
	Murray and South East		South Australia			
Payments - Mar 2022	7,144		78,269			
Payments - Mar 2023	6,845	72,575				
Change from March 2022	-299	Ψ	-5,694			
to March 2023	-4.2%	Ψ	-7.3%			

% of 15-64 year olds** on job seeker income support payments						
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support				
Murray and South East	6,845	8.0%				
South Australia	72,575	6.3%				
Australia	809,740	4.8%				

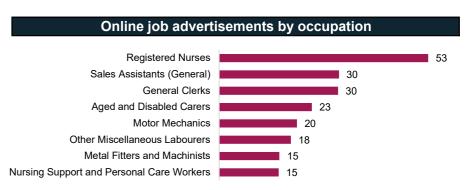
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, Mar-23; ABS, Estimated Resident Population, Jun-22 (Jun-21 for ERs)

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)						
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-22	Dec-21				
Murray Bridge	5.5	5.7				
Berri Barmera	5.4	5.7				
Mid Murray	4.8	5.2				
Renmark Paringa	4.3	4.3				
Coorong	4.1	4.5				

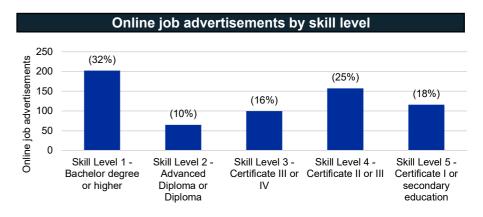
For more insights, access SALM data via jobsandskills.gov.au. Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Small Area Labour Markets, smoothed data, Dec-22 quarter



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Mar-23



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, 3 month average of original data, Mar-23



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Note: Data are not readily available by Employment Region. ABS Labour Force Survey data are based on the South Australia - South East SA4. While this is the best fit available, it is only a fair proxy for the Employment Region so caution should be used interpreting results. The Internet Vacancy Index (IVI) and income support data are apportioned to Employment Regions using an SA2 based concordance. \*With the cessation of jobactive and the commencement of Workforce Australia, caseload data is temporarily unavailable. Department of Social Services (DSS) data on job seeker income support payments has been included instead. Note that not everyone in receipt of income support is on the caseload. \*\*DSS job seeker payments include those who are in receipt of either JobSeeker (aged 22 and over but under the Age Pension qualifying age) or Youth Allowance (other) payments (those aged 16 to 21). Data are published on data.gov.au. \*\*Estimated Resident Population estimates are only available by standard 5 year age groups. For more information about the data in this dashboard, refer to the Employment Region Labour Market Dashboard data sources and quality document on jobsandskills.gov.au.

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