



## Wivenhoe Employment Region

Queensland

## **Labour Market Dashboard**

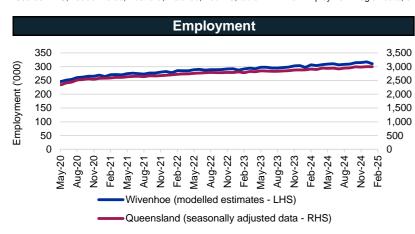
## Data current as at 27 March 2025

Refer to source notes for data reference periods

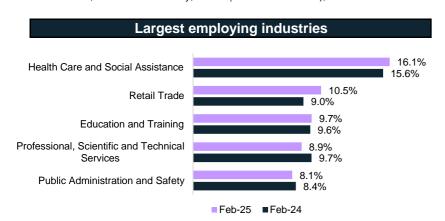
This **Labour Market Dashboard** provides key indicators for the labour market by Employment Region and is updated monthly.

Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	Feb-25	Feb-24	Change	Feb-25	Feb-24	Change	Feb-25	Feb-24	Feb-25	Feb-24	Feb-25	Feb-24
	('000')	('000)	(%)	('000')	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Wivenhoe	314.5	307.0	2.4	16.1	17.0	-5.1	4.9	5.2	67.2	67.6	10.0	10.9
Queensland	2,961.7	2,914.2	1.6	125.1	119.8	4.5	4.1	3.9	66.7	67.0	9.0	9.2
Australia	14.513.2	14.247.1	1.9	612.6	551.3	11.1	4.1	3.7	66.8	66.6	9.1	9.2

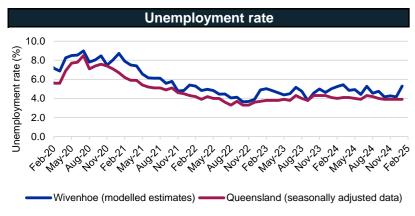
Source: ABS, Labour Force, Australia, Detailed, Feb -25, table MRM1 for Employment Region data, except for the youth unemployment rate, which is a 12-month average of the original estimates from the Labour Force Survey. State youth unemployment rates are 12-month averages of original estimates. Remaining data are seasonally adjusted.



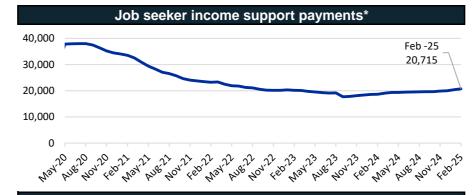
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, MRM1 (modelled estimates), Feb-25



Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, Feburary-25 quarter



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Change in job	Change in job seeker income support payments				
	Wivenhoe		Queensland		
Payments - Feb 2024	18,620		198,600		
Payments - Feb 2025	20,715	213,675			
Change from Feb 2024 to Feb 2025	2,095	<b>^</b>	15,075	_	
reb 2025	11.3%	<b>↑</b>	7.6%		

% 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		
Wivenhoe	20,715	5.9%		
Queensland	213,675	5.9%		
Australia	967,130	5.5%		

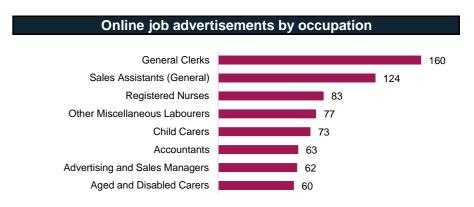
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, Feb-25; ABS, Estimated Resident Population, Jun-23

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)					
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23			
Ipswich	5.6	4.6			
Somerset	5.4	5.0			
Scenic Rim	4.5	3.9			
Lockyer Valley	4.1	4.8			
Brisbane	3.7	3.6			

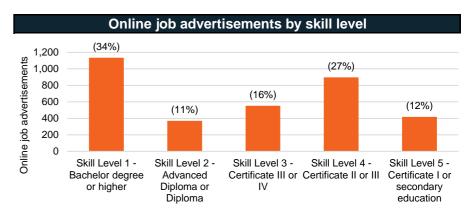
For more insights, access SALM data via dewr.gov.au. Source: Department of Employment and Workplace Relations, Small Area Labour Markets, smoothed data, December-24 quarter



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Feb-25



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, 3 month average of original data, Feb-25



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Feb-25

Note: Data are not readily available by Employment Region. ABS modelled estimates are based on the Brisbane - West; and Ipswich SA4. The Internet Vacancy Index (IVI) and income support data are apportioned to Employment Regions using an SA2 based concordance. \*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). The reporting population for income support payments has changed to include those who are suspended from payment, and those who are current but on zero rate of payment for JobSeeker payments and those who are suspended from payment for Youth Allowance. Note that not everyone in receipt of income support as a payment on jobsandskills.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.

#Given the volatility of the underlying data, industry employment porportions should be treated with a high degree of caution, particularly change over the year figures.