



Recruitment trends and employers' needs: **Regional Snapshot update**

Perth North

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This snapshot provides information about trends in employers' recruitment experiences and future staffing outlook. Information on this page is sourced from the online job advertisements measured by the Internet Vacancy Index (IVI).

Internet vacancies, headline figures, Perth North ER, Februrary 2025

Job advertisement count

Change since Feb-24

11,494

· -2.4%

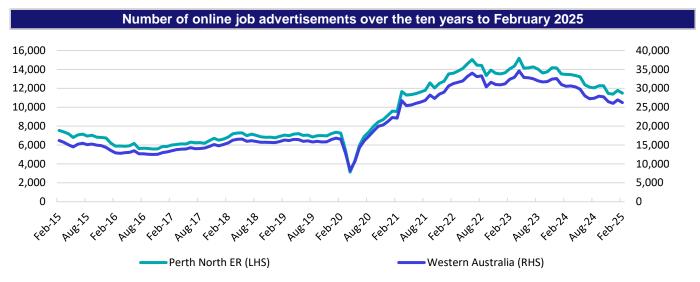
Change over the month

-14.7%

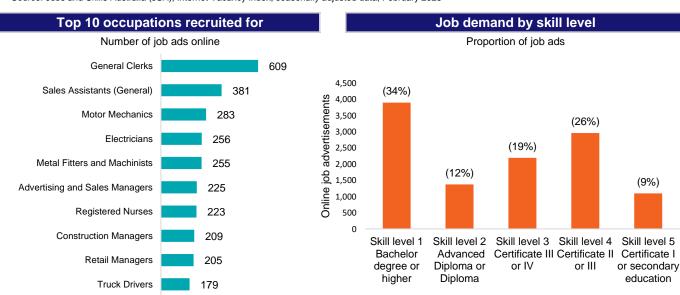
seasonally adjusted count

(or -288 job advertisements)

(or -1,981 job advertisements)



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA), Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, February 2025



Source: JSA, Internet Vacancy Index, three month averages, Feb-2025

Source: JSA, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Feb-2025

(9%)

Insights from the Recruitment Experiences and Outlook Survey

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Information on this page is based on the Recruitment Experiences and Outlook Survey, which is an ongoing survey of employers across Australia run by JSA. The survey collects insights on a range of topics, including recruitment activity, recruitment difficulty and employers' future staffing expectations. Data are for the year to February 2025, unless otherwise indicated.

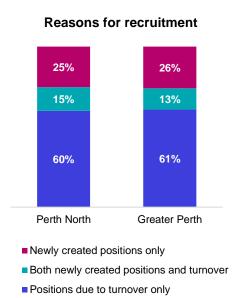
Recruitment activity and experiences

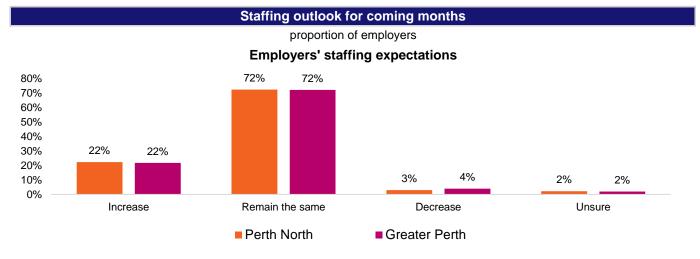
In Perth North, there were 495 responding employers in the 12 months to February 2025, of whom 47% were recruiting or had recruited in the past month. Of these recruiting businesses, 42% had difficulty recruiting. By comparison, 49% of employers were recruiting in Greater Perth over the same period, of whom 47% had difficulty recruiting.

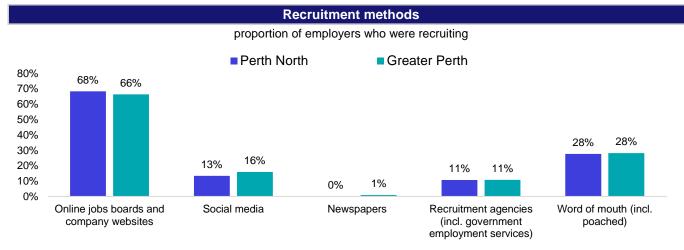
Employers in Perth North were most likely to report the following reasons for recruitment difficulty:

- · Lack of suitable applicants
- · Applicants lack experience
- · Undesirable working conditions/hours
- · Applicants lack technical skills.

A chart showing reasons for recruitment for Perth North and Greater Perth is included to the right.







Note: employers can select multiple methods of recruitment.

Due to small sample sizes for regional data, caution should be exercised interpreting these results. Unweighted data are used for Perth North, while weighted data are used for Greater Perth. Number of responses for each item varies depending on whether employers recruited or not. Reasons for recruitment difficulty data are only available for employers who have completed recruitment.