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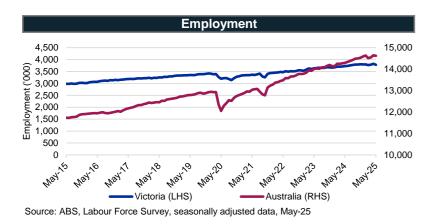
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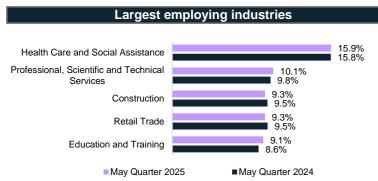
# Labour Market Dashboard

Victoria

Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25 ('000)	May-24 ('000)	Change (%)	May-25 ('000)	May-24 ('000)	Change (%)	May-25 (%)	May-24 (%)	May-25 (%)	May-24 (%)	May-25 (%)	May-24 (%)
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
Australia	14,620.6	14,291.5	2.3	618.3	590.1	4.8	4.1	4.0	67.0	66.7	9.4	9.6

Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, seasonally adjusted data, May-25, except for the youth unemployment rate, which is a 12-month average of the original estimates from the Labour Force Survey

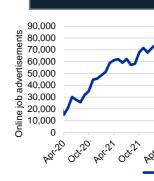




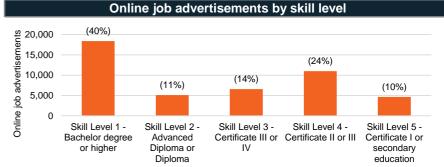
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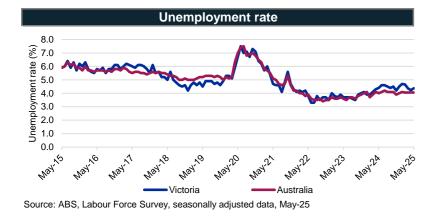
Job seeker income support payments\* 12% 10% 8% 6% 4% 2% 0%

Change in job seeke	r income support pa	nyments
	Victoria	Australia
Payments - May 2024	207,615	905,215
Payments - May 2025	234,735	982,870
Change (May 2024 to May 2025)	♠ 27,120	↑ 77,655
Change % (May 2024 to May 2025)	<b>1</b> 3.1%	♠ 8.6%



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% of 15-64 year olds\*\* on job seeker income support payments

Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, data.gov.au, May-25; ABS, Estimated Resident Population (ERP), Jun-24

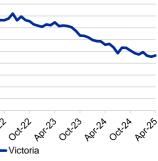
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### Data current as at 26 June 2025

#### Refer to source notes for data reference periods

This Labour Market Dashboard provides a summary of the key indicators for the Victorian labour market. Dashboards for Australia and Employment Regions are also available.

#### Online job advertisements



Number of job ads 45,703 Change over the month -1.7% (or -812 job advertisements) Annual change -18.8%

(or -10,596 job advertisements)

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

#### ne job advertisements by occupation General Clerks 2,001 Sales Assistants (General) 1.914 Registered Nurses 1.504 Advertising and Sales Managers 1,198 Software and Applications Programmers 920 Accountants 909 **Retail Managers** 829 Aged and Disabled Carers 766

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



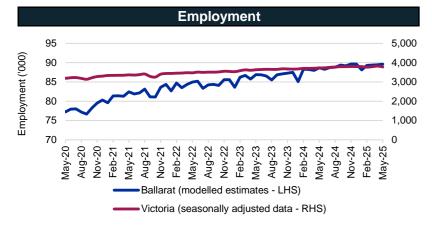
#### Ballarat **Employment Region** Jobs and Skills Australia

Victoria

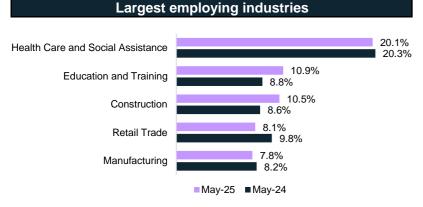
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	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Ballarat	89.6	88.7	1.1	3.3	3.1	6.3	3.6	3.4	61.8	61.7	5.9	13.4
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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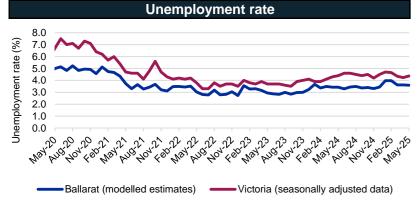
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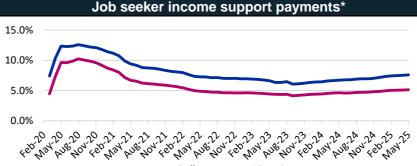
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#



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



Ballarat Victoria

Change in job seeker income support payments						
	Ballarat		Victoria			
Payments - May 2024	7,350		207,615			
Payments - May 2025	8,335		234,735			
Change from May 2024 to May 2025	985	<b>^</b>	27,120			

% of 15-64 year olds**on job s	seeker income support	payments
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support
Ballarat	8,335	7.6%
Victoria	234,735	5.1%
Australia	982,870	5.6%

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

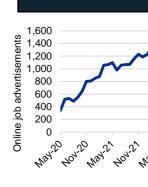
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)							
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23					
Central Goldfields	7.9	9.2					
Ararat	5.0	3.9					
Pyrenees	4.6	5.2					
Ballarat	4.3	4.2					
Moorabool	3.3	3.5					

For more insights, access SALM data via dewr.gov.au. Source: Deparment 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, May-25

Note: Data are not readily available by Employment Region. ABS modelled estimates are based on the Ballarat 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 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 is on the caseload. 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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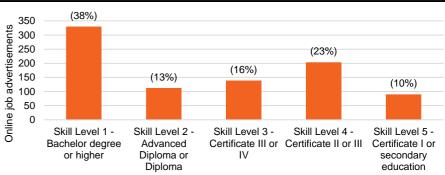


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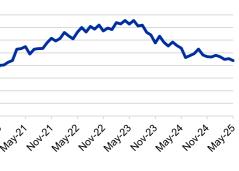


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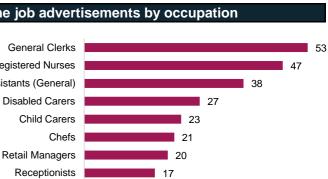
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### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 875 Change over the month -3.5% (-31 job advertisements) Annual change -18.4% (-197 job advertisements)

Ballarat



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



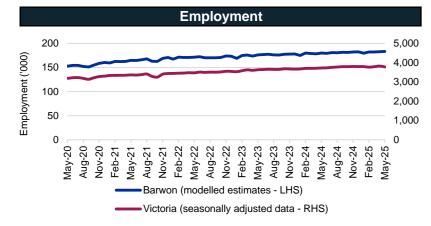
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Victoria

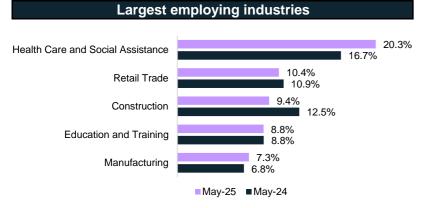
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	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Barwon	183.3	180.0	1.8	6.3	6.2	1.6	3.3	3.4	65.9	65.6	6.8	11.5
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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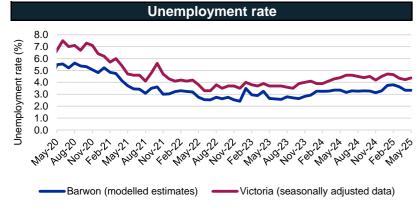
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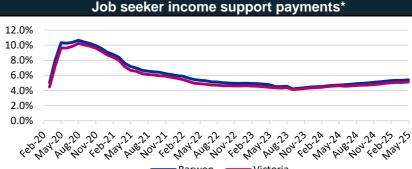
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27,120

13.1%

Change in job seeker income support payments					
	Barwon	Victoria			
Payments - May 2024	10,055	207,615			
Payments - May 2025	11,495	234,735			

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Change from May 2024 to

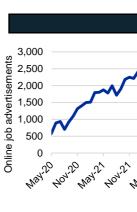
May 2025

% 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					
Barwon	11,495	5.4%					
Victoria	234,735	5.1%					
Australia	982,870	5.6%					

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

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)						
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23				
Greater Geelong	4.6	3.8				
Golden Plains	3.0	2.5				
Surf Coast	1.5	1.4				

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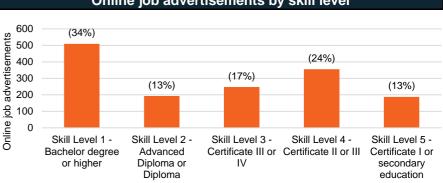
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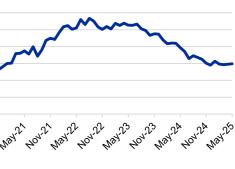
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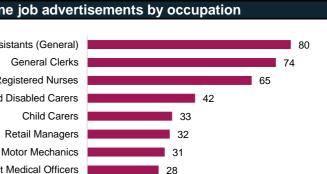
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 1.489 Change over the month 0.7% (11 job advertisements) Annual change -24.3% (-479 job advertisements)

Barwon



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



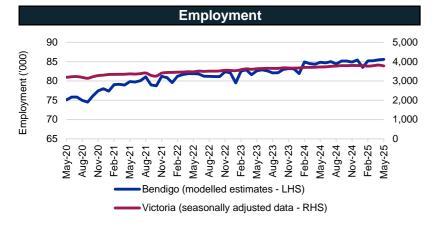
#### Bendigo **Employment Region** Jobs and Skills Australi

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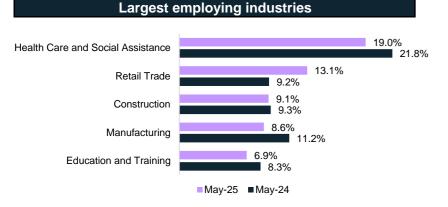
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	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Bendigo	85.6	84.9	0.9	2.7	2.9	-5.0	3.1	3.3	62.4	62.2	10.7	5.5
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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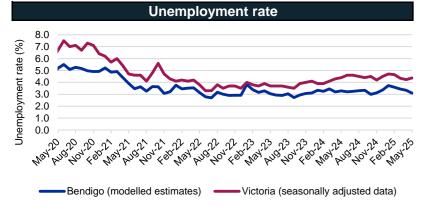
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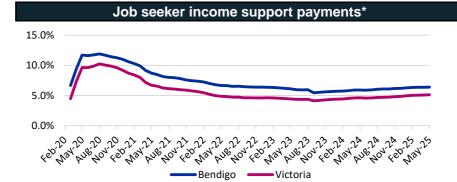
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#



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## Change in job seeker income support payments

	Bendigo		Victoria	
Payments - May 2024	6,080		207,615	
Payments - May 2025	6,565		234,735	
Change from May 2024 to	485	1	27,120	
May 2025	8.0%	•	13.1%	

% 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
Bendigo	6,565	6.4%
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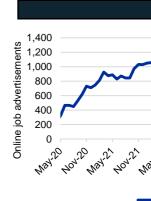
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LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)							
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23					
Loddon	5.0	5.4					
Greater Bendigo	4.0	3.5					
Mount Alexander	3.1	2.7					
Macedon Ranges	1.8	1.6					

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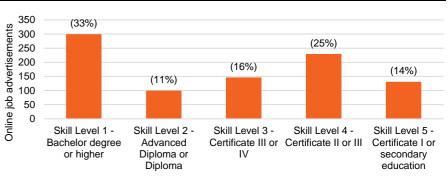


Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, May-25

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Other Miscellaneous Labourers

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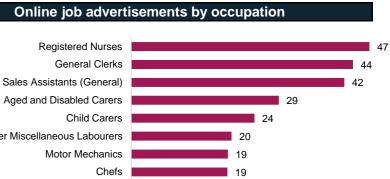
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# **Online job advertisements** North North North North

Number of job ads 899 Change over the month -2.6% (-24 job advertisements) Annual change -15.0% (-159 job advertisements)

Bendigo



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

#### Online job advertisements by skill level



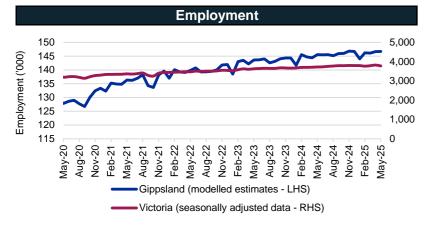
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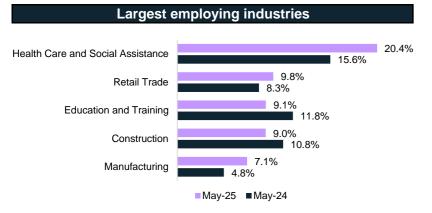
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	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Gippsland	146.7	145.6	0.8	5.9	6.1	-4.2	3.8	4.0	59.1	59.1	14.8	7.7
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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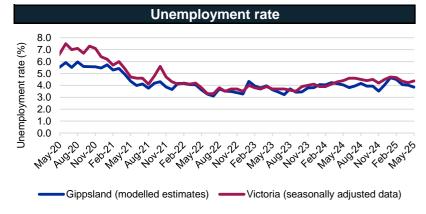
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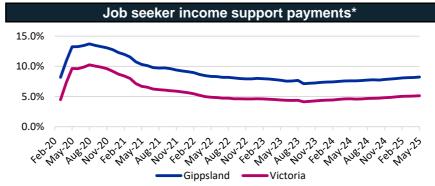
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Change in job seeker income support payments						
	Gippsland		Victoria			
Payments - May 2024	13,520		207,615			
Payments - May 2025	14,640		234,735			
Change from May 2024 to	1,120	1	27,120			
May 2025	8.3%	<b>^</b>	13.1%			

% 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
Gippsland	14,640	8.2%
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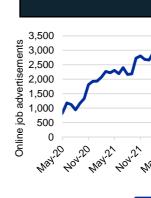
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)							
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23					
Latrobe (Vic.)	7.4	4.9					
East Gippsland	6.1	4.2					
Wellington	4.8	3.2					
Bass Coast	3.9	2.8					
Baw Baw	3.2	2.1					

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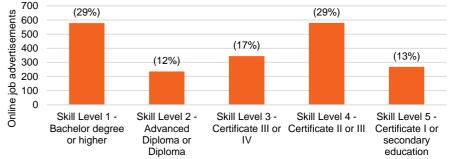
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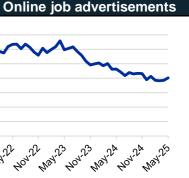
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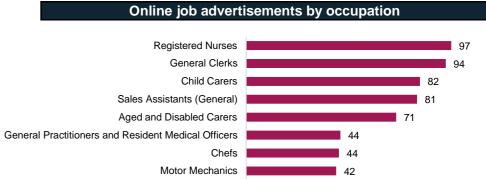
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Number of job ads 2.010 Change over the month 4.3% (83 job advertisements) Annual change -13.2% (-305 job advertisements)

Gippsland



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

Online job advertisements by skill level

# Goulburn/Murray

**Employment Region** 

Victoria

Jobs and Skills Australia

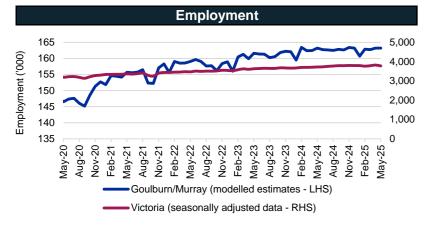
# Labour Market Dashboard

Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Goulburn/Murray	163.2	163.2	0.0	5.5	5.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	62.9	62.9	5.0	5.1
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
Australia	14,620.6	14,291.5	2.3	618.3	590.1	4.8	4.1	4.0	67.0	66.7	9.4	9.6

Change from May 2024 to

May 2025

Source: ABS, Labour Force, Australia, Detailed, May-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

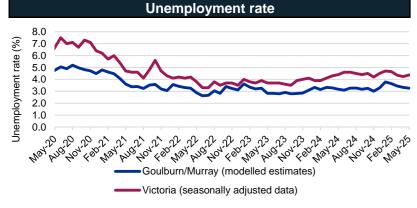


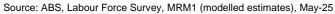
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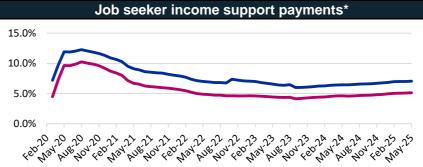
### Largest employing industries



Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#









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#### Change in job seeker income support payments Goulburn/Murrav Victoria Payments - May 2024 14,575 207,615 Payments - May 2025 15,990 234,735

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Goulburn/Murray		1	5,990	7.1%
Victoria		23	34,735	5.1%
Australia		98	32,870	5.6%

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

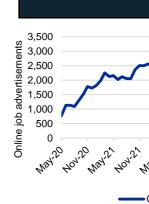
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)								
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23						
Benalla	4.4	3.3						
Mitchell	4.2	3.4						
Wodonga	4.2	3.0						
Albury	3.9	5.1						
Wangaratta	3.8	2.6						

For more insights, access SALM data via dewr.gov.au. Source: Deparment 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, May-25

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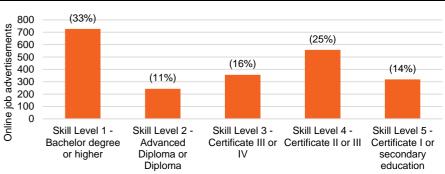


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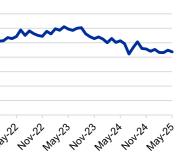


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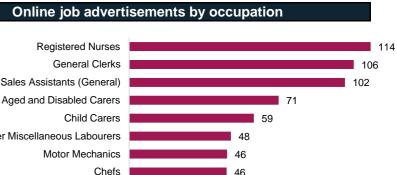
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 2.185 Change over the month -2.6% (-58 job advertisements) Annual change -15.0% (-385 job advertisements)

-Goulburn/Murray



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



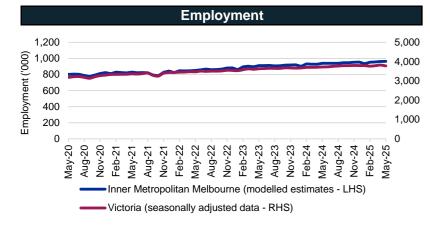
# Inner Metropolitan Melbourne

**Employment Region** Victoria

# Labour Market Dashboard

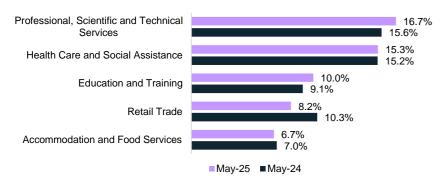
Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Inner Metropolitan Melbourne	963.9	939.6	2.6	39.6	38.2	3.7	3.9	3.9	71.3	72.1	10.9	9.4
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
Australia	14,620.6	14,291.5	2.3	618.3	590.1	4.8	4.1	4.0	67.0	66.7	9.4	9.6

Source: ABS, Labour Force, Australia, Detailed, May-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

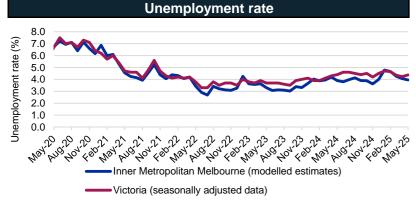


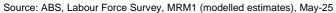
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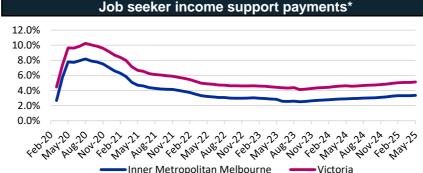
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#







Inner Metropolitan Melbourne

Change in job seeker income support payments								
	Inner Metr	opolitan Melbourne	•	Victoria				
Payments - May 2024		31,315		207,615				
Payments - May 2025		36,310		234,735				
Change from May 2024 to	<b>↑</b>	4,995	<b>↑</b>	27,120				
May 2025	<b>Λ</b>	16.0%	<b>Λ</b>	13.1%				

% 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					
Inner Metropolitan Melbourne	36,310	3.4%					
Victoria	234,735	5.1%					
Australia	982,870	5.6%					

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

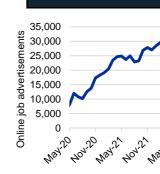
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)								
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23						
Yarra	5.5	4.3						
Merri-bek	5.3	4.3						
Darebin	4.9	4.4						
Kingston (Vic.)	4.7	3.5						
Port Phillip	4.7	3.9						

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

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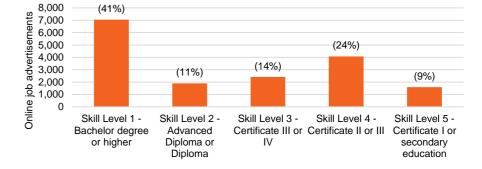


-Inner Metropolitan Melbourne

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

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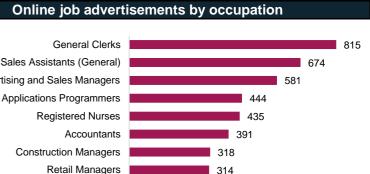
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 17,020 Change over the month -2.3% (-409 job advertisements) Annual change -18.8% (-3,936 job advertisements)



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

### North Eastern Melbourne **Employment Region**

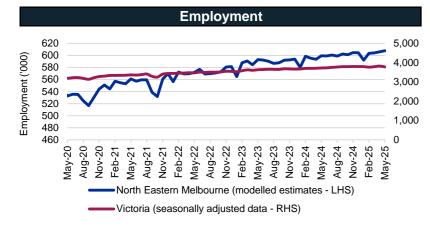
Jobs and Skills Australia Victoria

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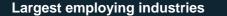
Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
North Eastern Melbourne	607.8	599.5	1.4	24.4	24.5	-0.4	3.9	3.9	68.6	68.7	9.8	9.7
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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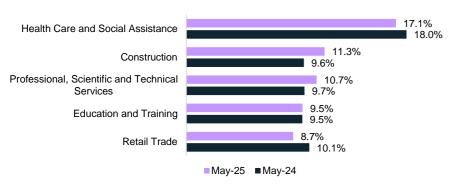
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Job seeker income support payments\*

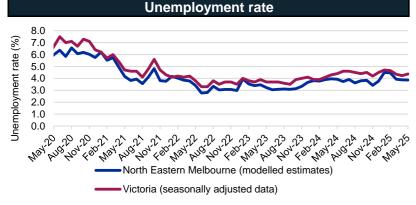


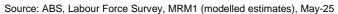
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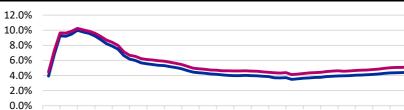




Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#









Change in job seeker income support payments								
	North Eastern Melbour	ne	Victoria					
Payments - May 2024	28,115		207,615					
Payments - May 2025	31,625		234,735					
Change from May 2024 to	3,510	Ť	27,120					
May 2025	12.5%	•	13.1%					

% 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					
North Eastern Melbourne	31,625	4.4%					
Victoria	234,735	5.1%					
Australia	982,870	5.6%					

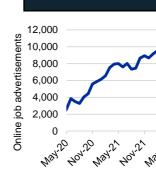
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, May-25; ABS, Estimated Resident Population, Jun-23

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)								
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23						
Darebin	4.9	4.4						
Whittlesea	4.4	4.4						
Knox	4.2	3.0						
Mitchell	4.2	3.4						
Maroondah	4.1	3.0						

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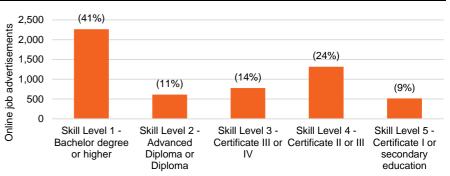


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Advertising and Sales Managers

Software and Applications Programmers

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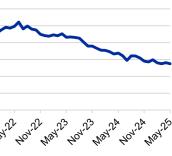


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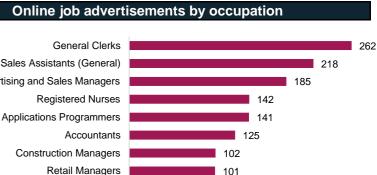
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 5,484 Change over the month -2.3% (-130 job advertisements) Annual change -18.7% (-1,264 job advertisements)

-North Eastern Melbourne



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

#### Online job advertisements by skill level



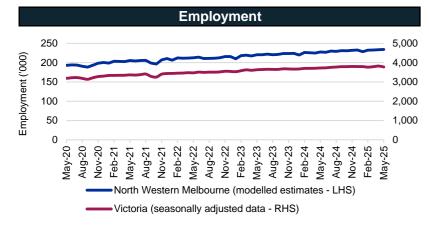
# North Western Melbourne

**Employment Region** Victoria

# Labour Market Dashboard

Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Employment Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
North Western Melbourne	234.3	227.5	3.0	12.9	13.2	-1.8	5.2	5.5	66.0	65.8	16.0	11.7
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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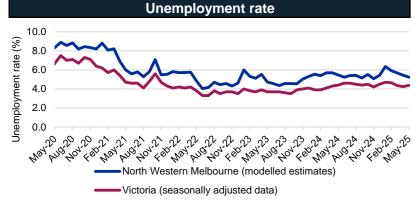
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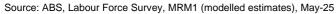


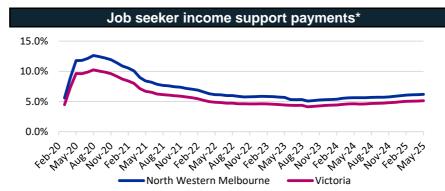
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Change in job seeker income support payments									
	Nort	h Western Melbou	irne	Victoria					
Payments - May 2024		16,770		207,615					
Payments - May 2025		18,420		234,735					
Change from May 2024 to	<b>^</b>	1,650	Ť	27,120					
May 2025	<b>↑</b>	9.8%	•	13.1%					

% 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						
North Western Melbourne	18,420	6.2%						
Victoria	234,735	5.1%						
Australia	982,870	5.6%						

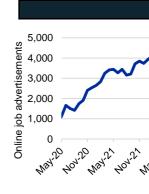
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LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)										
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23								
Hume	7.8	6.8								
Brimbank	5.9	6.7								
Merri-bek	5.3	4.3								
Moonee Valley	4.6	3.5								
Macedon Ranges	1.8	1.6								

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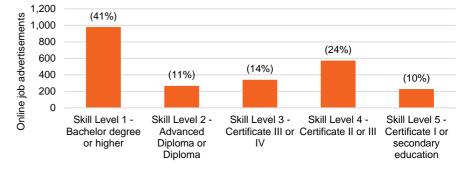
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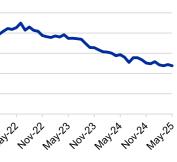


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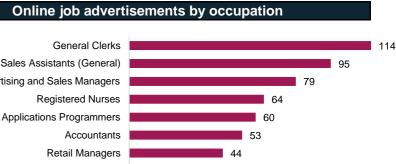
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 2,385 Change over the month -2.4% (-58 job advertisements) Annual change -18.6% (-546 job advertisements)

-North Western Melbourne



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

### Online job advertisements by skill level

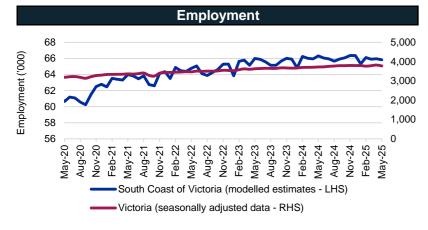
### South Coast of Victoria **Employment Region**

Jobs and Skills Australia Victoria

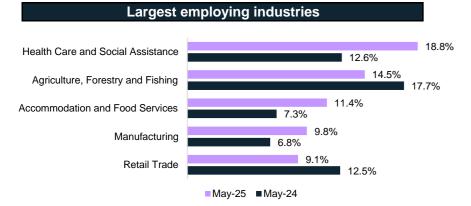
# Labour Market Dashboard

Labour market summary table												
	Employment			Employment Unemployment Unemployment rate			Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
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South Coast of Victoria	65.8	66.3	-0.7	1.8	1.8	-2.8	2.6	2.7	63.6	64.0	5.4	2.8
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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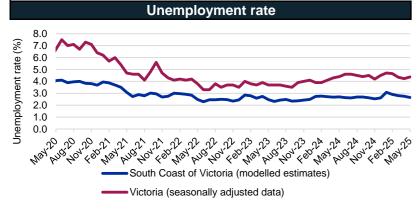
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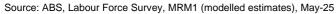


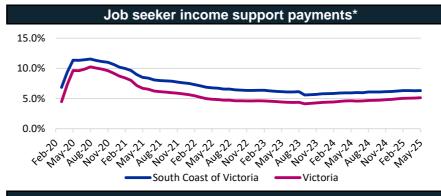
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four guarter averages, May-25 guarter#







Change in job seeker income support payments									
	South Coast of Victoria		Victoria						
Payments - May 2024	4,500		207,615						
Payments - May 2025	4,780		234,735						
Change from May 2024 to	280	1	27,120						
May 2025	6.2%	<b>Λ</b>	13.1%						

% of 15-64 year olds**on job s	eeker income support	payments
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support
South Coast of Victoria	4,780	6.3%
Victoria	234,735	5.1%
Australia	982,870	5.6%

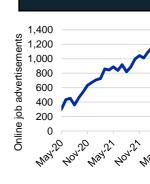
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LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)									
Local Government Area (LGA) Dec-24 Dec-23									
Glenelg	3.0	2.9							
Southern Grampians	2.3	2.1							
Warrnambool	2.0	1.8							
Colac Otway	1.9	1.8							
Corangamite	1.6	1.5							

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

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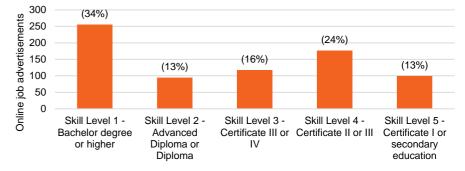


South Coast of Victoria

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

General Practitioners and Resident Medical Officers

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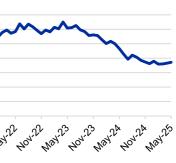


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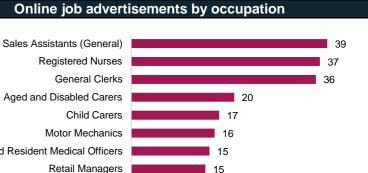
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 743 Change over the month 1.7% (13 job advertisements) Annual change -20.3% (-189 job advertisements)



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

#### Online job advertisements by skill level



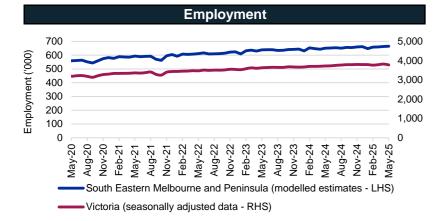
# South Eastern Melbourne and Peninsula

**Employment Region** Victoria

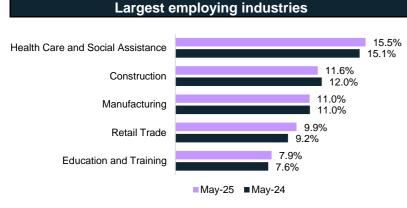
# Labour Market Dashboard

Labour market summary table												
	Employment			Employment Unemployment Unemployment rate			Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
South Eastern Melbourne and Peninsula	664.8	650.7	2.2	34.9	34.1	2.3	5.0	5.0	67.5	67.4	9.6	10.9
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
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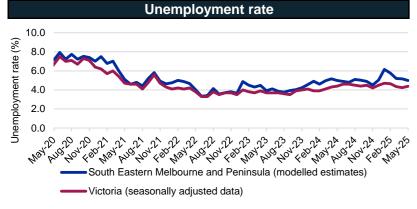
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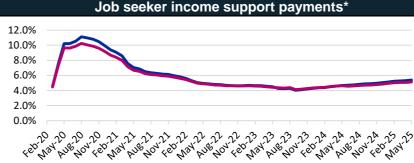
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, MRM1 (modelled estimates), May-25



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



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



outh Eastern Melbourne and Peninsula Victoria

Change in job seeker income support payments								
	South	Eastern Melbourr Peninsula	ne and	Victoria				
Payments - May 2024		37,255		207,615				
Payments - May 2025		43,150		234,735				
Change from May 2024 to	<b>↑</b>	5,895	<b>^</b>	27,120				
May 2025	•	15.8%	•	13.1%				

% of 15-64 year olds**on job s	eeker income support	payments
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support
South Eastern Melbourne and Peninsula	43,150	5.4%
Victoria	234,735	5.1%
Australia	982,870	5.6%

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

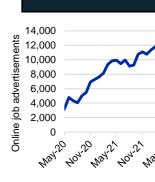
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)									
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23							
Greater Dandenong	6.7	6.7							
Frankston	5.6	3.2							
Casey	4.9	4.7							
Kingston (Vic.)	4.7	3.5							
Mornington Peninsula	3.7	2.1							

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

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South Eastern Melbourne and Peninsula

Advertising and Sales Managers Software and Applications Programmers

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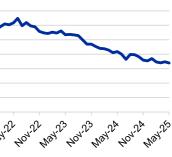
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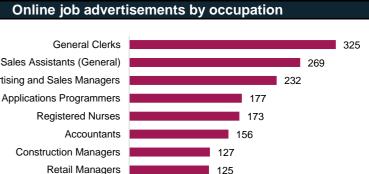
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#### **Online job advertisements**

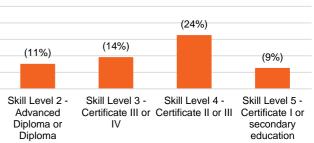


Number of job ads 6,792 Change over the month -2.3% (-163 job advertisements) Annual change -18.8% (-1,571 job advertisements)

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



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# Western Melbourne

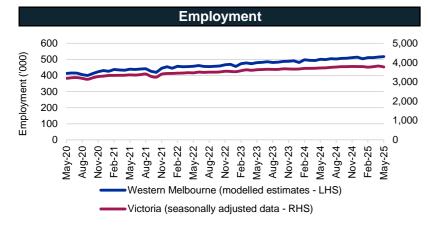
**Employment Region** Victoria

Jobs and Skills Australia

# Labour Market Dashboard

Labour market summary table												
		Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate		
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Western Melbourne	517.7	500.7	3.4	31.3	30.7	1.8	5.7	5.8	71.4	71.2	14.4	10.9
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
Australia	14,620.6	14,291.5	2.3	618.3	590.1	4.8	4.1	4.0	67.0	66.7	9.4	9.6

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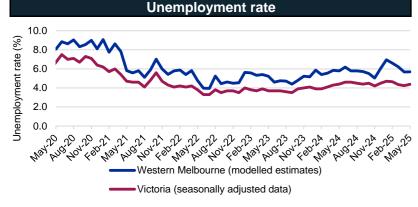


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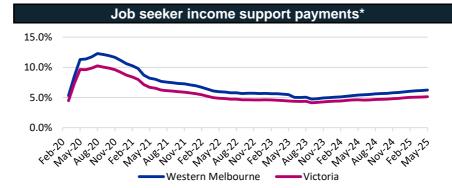




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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, MRM1 (modelled estimates), May-25



# Change in job seeker income support payments

	Western Melbourne		VICTORIA	
Payments - May 2024	33,605		207,615	
Payments - May 2025	38,780		234,735	
Change from May 2024 to	5,175	1	27,120	
May 2025	15.4%	•	13.1%	

% of 15-64 year olds**on job s	eeker income support	payments
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support
Western Melbourne	38,780	6.2%
Victoria	234,735	5.1%
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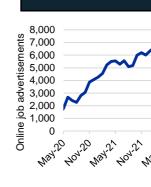
LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)						
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23				
Brimbank	5.9	6.7				
Melton	5.2	5.4				
Wyndham	4.4	4.6				
Maribyrnong	3.9	4.4				
Moorabool	3.3	3.5				

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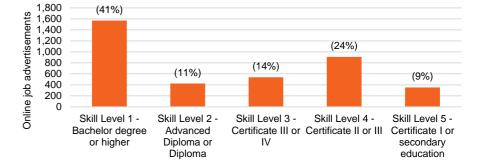




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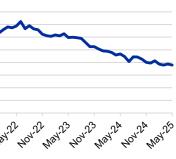


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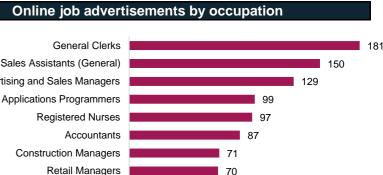
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#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 3,790 Change over the month -2.3% (-91 job advertisements) Annual change -18.8% (-876 job advertisements)

-Western Melbourne



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



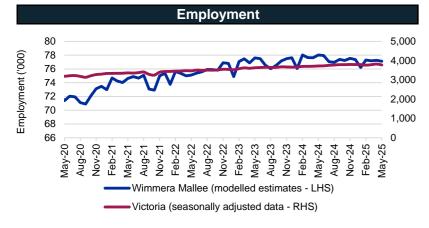
# Wimmera Mallee **Employment Region**

Victoria

# Labour Market Dashboard

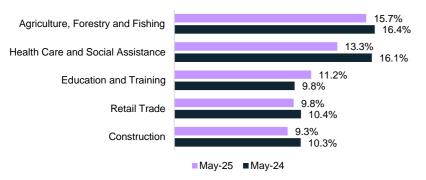
Labour market summary table												
	Employment		Unemployment		Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate			
	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	Change	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24	May-25	May-24
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Wimmera Mallee	77.1	78.0	-1.2	2.6	2.7	-3.3	3.3	3.3	62.8	63.3	6.8	8.7
Victoria	3,778.5	3,703.5	2.0	173.0	170.1	1.7	4.4	4.4	67.6	67.7	10.6	9.8
Australia	14,620.6	14,291.5	2.3	618.3	590.1	4.8	4.1	4.0	67.0	66.7	9.4	9.6

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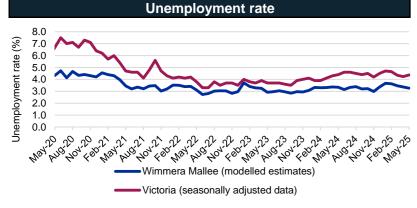


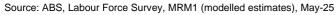
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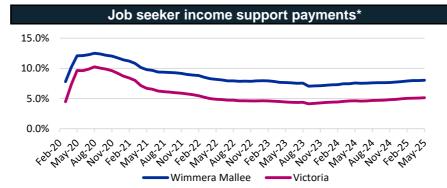




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Change in job seeker income support payments							
	Wimmera Mallee		Victoria				
Payments - May 2024	7,290		207,615				
Payments - May 2025	7,745		234,735				
Change from May 2024 to	455	1	27,120				
May 2025	6.2%	<b>Φ</b>	13.1%				

% of 15-64 year olds**on jo	b seeker income support	payments
	total persons on job seeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on job seeker income support
Wimmera Mallee	7,745	8.0%
Victoria	234,735	5.1%
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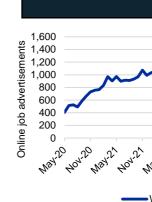
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LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)						
Local Government Area (LGA)	Dec-24	Dec-23				
Ararat	5.0	3.9				
Northern Grampians	4.8	3.4				
Mildura	4.7	3.8				
Yarriambiack	4.7	3.9				
Hindmarsh	4.2	3.4				

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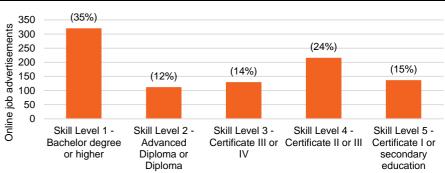


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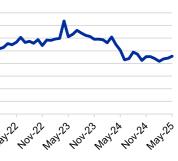
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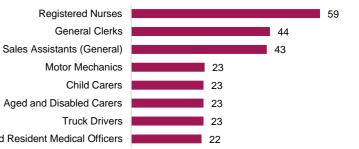
#### **Online job advertisements**



Number of job ads 915 Change over the month 3.6% (32 job advertisements) Annual change -9.2% (-92 job advertisements)

Wimmera Mallee

### job advertisements by occupation



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