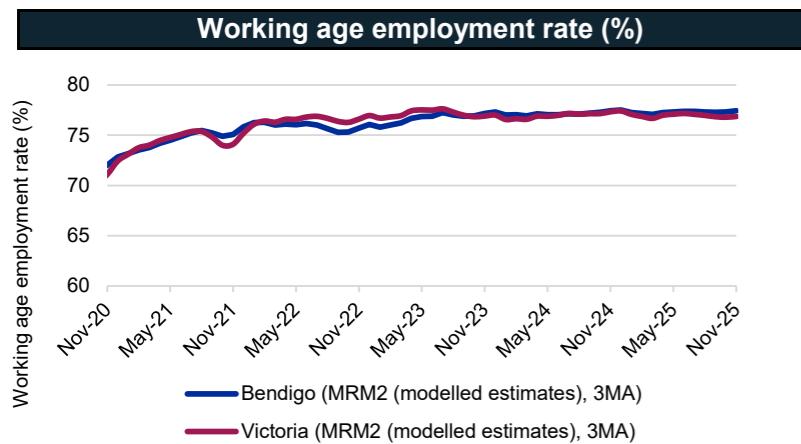
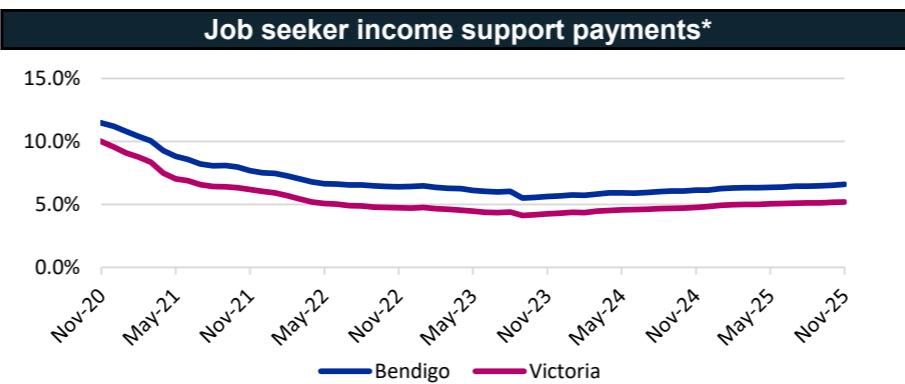


	Working age employment rate*		Unemployment			Unemployment rate		Working age participation rate*		Youth unemployment rate*	
	Nov-25 ('000)	Nov-24 ('000)	Nov-25 ('000)	Nov-24 ('000)	Change (%)	Nov-25 (%)	Nov-24 (%)	Nov-25 (%)	Nov-24 (%)	Nov-25 (%)	Nov-24 (%)
Bendigo	77.4	77.4	3.0	2.8	6.1	3.3	3.2	80.1	80.0	7.2	7.9
Victoria	76.9	77.3	190.7	162.7	17.2	4.7	4.1	80.6	80.8	10.8	10.8
Australia	76.9	77.2	662.3	593.2	11.7	4.3	3.9	80.5	80.4	10.2	8.7

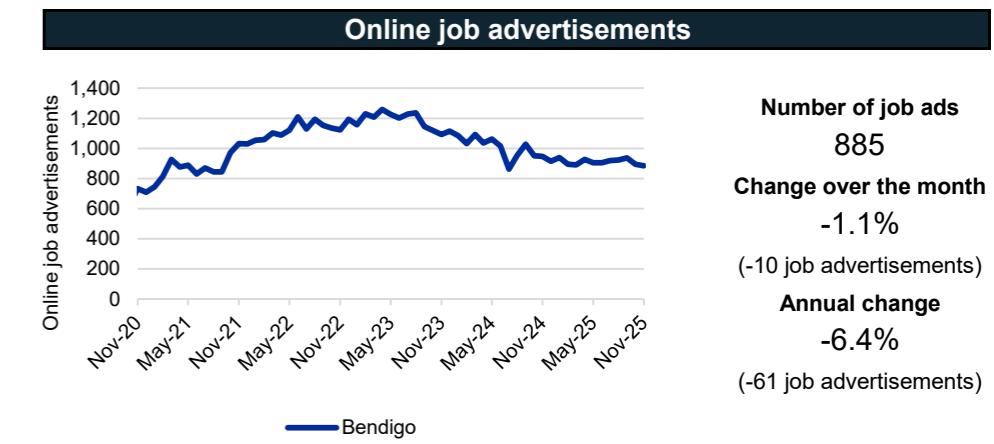
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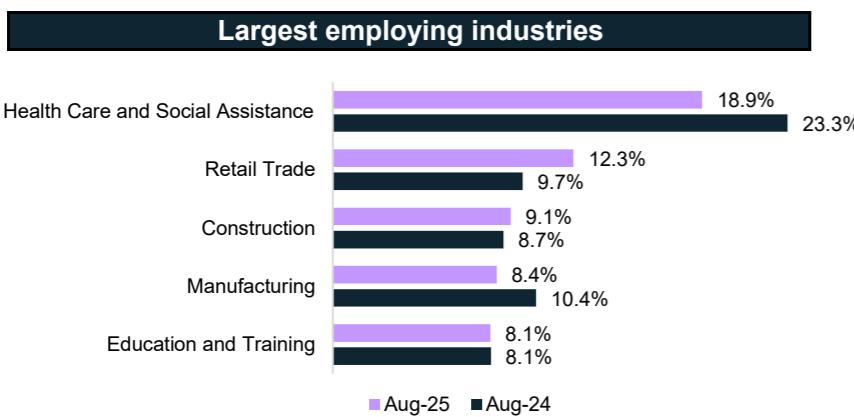
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, MRM2 (modelled estimates), 3MA, November-25



Change in job seeker income support payments		
	Bendigo	Victoria
Payments - November 2024	6,330	219,075
Payments - November 2025	6,830	243,660
Change from November 2024 to November 2025	500	24,585
	7.9%	11.2%



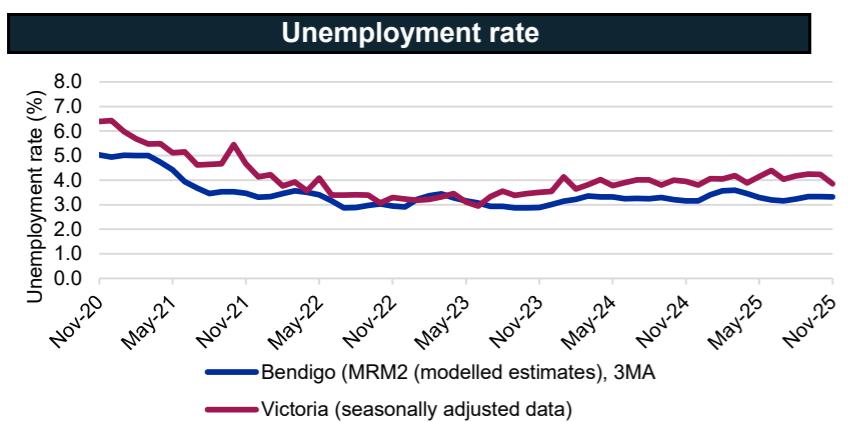
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, August-25 quarter[#]

% 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	6,830	6.6%
Victoria	243,660	5.2%
Australia	999,280	5.5%

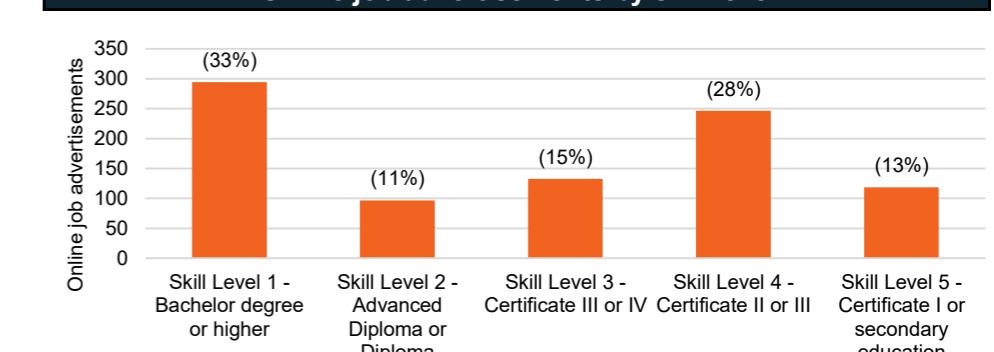
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, seasonally adjusted data & MRM2 (3MA), November-25

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)		
Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-25	Jun-24
Loddon	5.3	4.1
Greater Bendigo	4.1	3.1
Mount Alexander	3.2	2.3
Macedon Ranges	1.9	1.5

For more insights, access SALM data via dewr.gov.au. Source: Department of Employment and Workplace Relations, Small Area Labour Markets, smoothed data, June-25 quarter



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