



Australian Government

Jobs and Skills Australia

Labour Market Dashboard Australian Capital Territory

Labour market summary table												
	Employment				Unemployme	nt	Unemployment rate		Participation rate		Youth unemployment rate	
	Sep-24 ('000)	Sep-23 ('000)	Change (%)	Sep-24 ('000)	Sep-23 ('000)	Change (%)	Sep-24 (%)	Sep-23 (%)	Sep-24 (%)	Sep-23 (%)	Sep-24 (%)	Sep-23 (%)
Australian Capital Territory	272.5	265.5	2.7	9.6	11.3	-15.5	3.4	4.1	72.7	72.8	8.9	7.3
Australia	14,521.9	14,087.0	3.1	615.7	525.6	17.2	4.1	3.6	67.2	66.5	9.1	8.0

Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, seasonally adjusted data, September-24

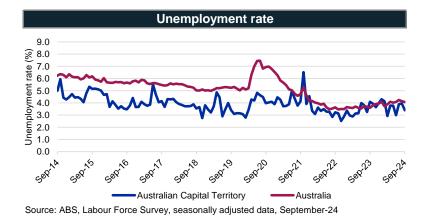


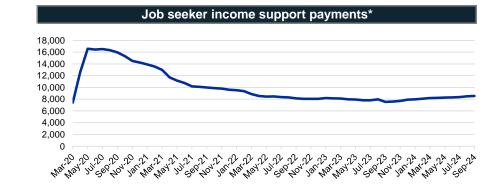
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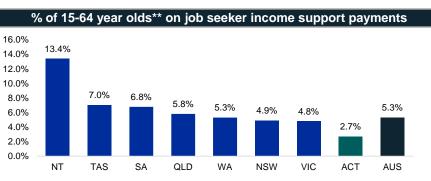


Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, August-24 quarter





Change in job seeker income support payments								
	Australian Capital Territory	Australia						
Payments - September 2023	7,545	826,360						
Payments - September 2024	8,545	920,285						
Change (Sep 2023 to Sep 2024)	1,000	1 93,925						
Change % (Sep 2023 to Sep 2024	4) 🏠 13.3%	11.4%						

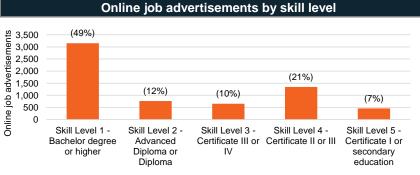


Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, data.gov.au, Sep-24; ABS, Estimated Resident Population (ERP), Jun-23



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Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Sep-24



Notes: Data in the labour market summary table are seasonally adjusted estimates, *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 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.** ERP estimates are only available by standard 5 year age groups. For further information about the data, refer to the Employment Region Labour Market Dashboards data sources and quality document at jobsandskills.gov.au. For enquiries related to this dashboard, contact RegionalWorkforceAssessment@jobsandskills.gov.au.

Data current as at 24 October 2024

Refer to source notes for data reference periods

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

job advertisements by occupation ations Programmers /11 General Clerks Sales Assistants (General) 238 ICT Business and Systems Analysts 226 Construction Managers Registered Nurses Policy and Planning Managers 157 Retail Managers 141

Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, Sep-24



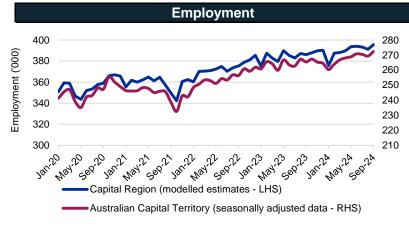
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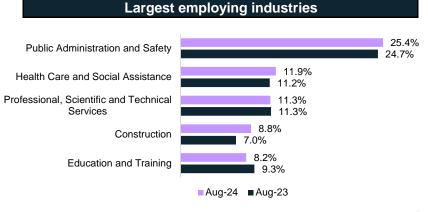
Labour Market Dashboard

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	Sep-24	Sep-23	Change	Sep-24	Sep-23	Change	Sep-24	Sep-23	Sep-24	Sep-23	Sep-24	Sep-23
	('000)	('000)	(%)	('000)	('000)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
Capital Region	395.7	386.2	2.5	13.2	14.2	-6.7	3.2	3.5	69.4	69.0	8.9	7.0
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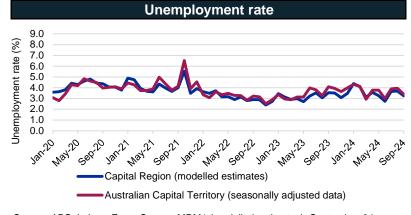
Source: ABS, Labour Force, Australia, Detailed, September 2024, table MRM1 for Employment Region data, except for the vouth unemployment rate, which is a 12-month average of the original estimates from the Labour Force Survey. State youth unemployment rates are 12-month averages of original estimates. Remaining data are seasonally adjusted.



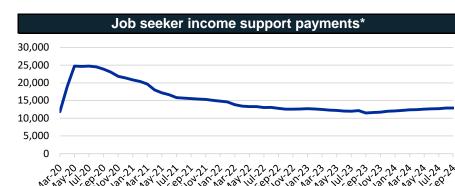
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, MRM1 (modelled estimates), September-24



Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, August-24 quarter#







Change in job seeker income support payments							
	Capital Region	Austral	ian Capital Territo				
Payments - Sep 2023	11,480		7,545				
Payments - Sep 2024	12,880		8,545				
Change from Sep 2023 to	1,400	1	1,000				
Sep 2024	12.2%	↑	13.3%				

% 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			
Capital Region	12,880	3.0%			
Australian Capital Territory	8,545	2.7%			
Australia	920,285	5.3%			

Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, Sep-24; ABS, Estimated Resident Population, Jun-23

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)								
Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-24	Jun-23						
Unincorporated ACT	3.7	3.1						
Hilltops	3.5	3.8						
Goulburn Mulwaree	2.8	3.3						
Upper Lachlan	1.5	1.8						
Snowy Monaro	1.4	1.8						

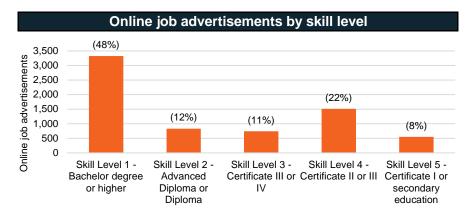
For more insights, access SALM data via jobsandskills.gov.au. Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Small Area Labour Markets, smoothed data, June-24 quarter



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, September-24

- Software and Applications Programmers
 - Sales Assistants (General)
 - ICT Business and Systems Analysts
 - **Registered Nurses**
 - **Construction Managers**
 - Policy and Planning Managers

September-24



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, September-24

Note: Data are not readily available by Employment Region. ABS modelled estimates are based on the Australian Capital Region 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 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.

#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.

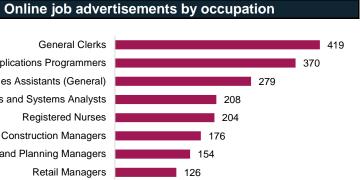
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This Labour Market Dashboard provides key indicators for the labour market by Employment Region and is updated monthly.

Number of job ads 6,950 Change over the month 4.5% (297 job advertisements) Annual change -14.7% (-1,195 job advertisements)

Capital Region



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