



## Labour Market Dashboard Western Australia

## 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 Western Australian labour market.

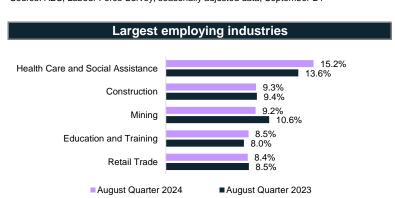
Dashboards for Australia and Employment Regions are also available.

Labour market summary table												
	Employment			Unemployment			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 (%)
Western Australia	1,619.9	1,565.1	3.5	61.0	55.0	11.0	3.6	3.4	68.8	68.5	9.9	8.3
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

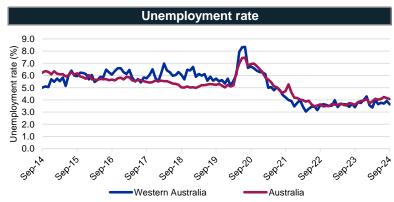
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, seasonally adjusted data, September-24



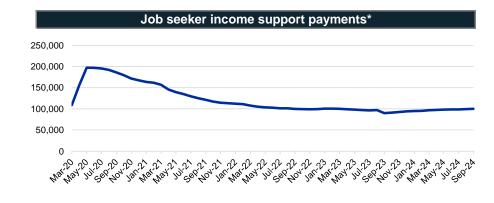
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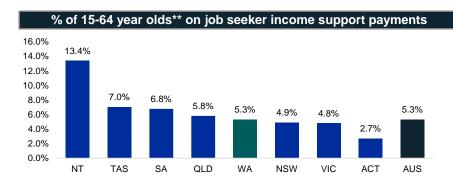
Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, Detailed, four quarter averages, August-24 quarter



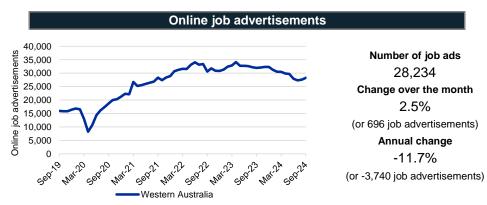
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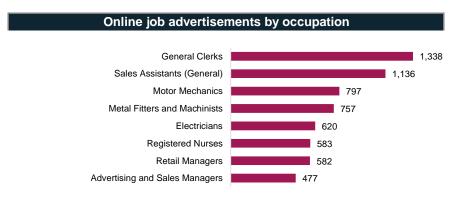
Change in job seeker income support payments									
	Western Australia	Australia							
Payments - September 2023	90,035	826,360							
Payments - September 2024	99,980	920,285							
Change (Sep 2023 to Sep 2024)	<b>↑</b> 9,945	<b>9</b> 3,925							
Change % (Sep 2023 to Sep 2024)	<b>1</b> 1.0%	<b>1</b> 1.4%							



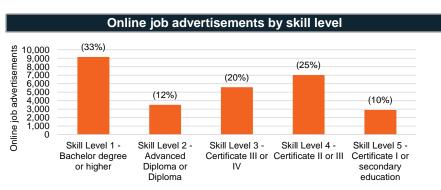
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker and Youth Allowance (other) payment recipients, data.gov.au, Sep-24; ABS, Estimated Resident Population (ERP), Jun-23



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



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Notes: Data in the labour market summary table are seasonally adjusted estimates, except for the youth unemployment rate which is a 12-month average of original estimates. \*Job seeker (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 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 Dashboard, contact RegionalWorkforceAssessment@jobsandskills.gov.au.