

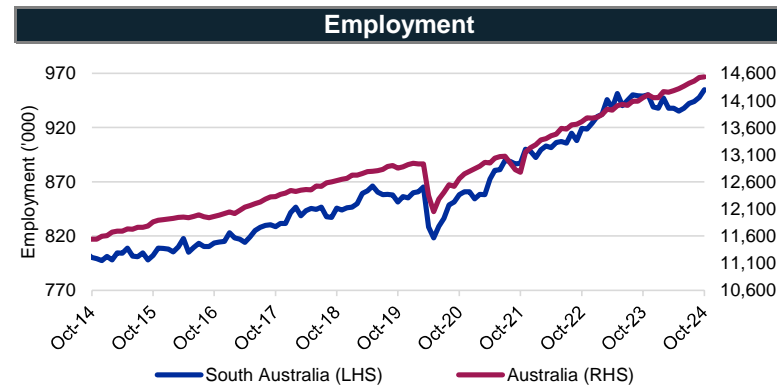
# Labour Market Dashboard South Australia

Data current as at 21 November 2024  
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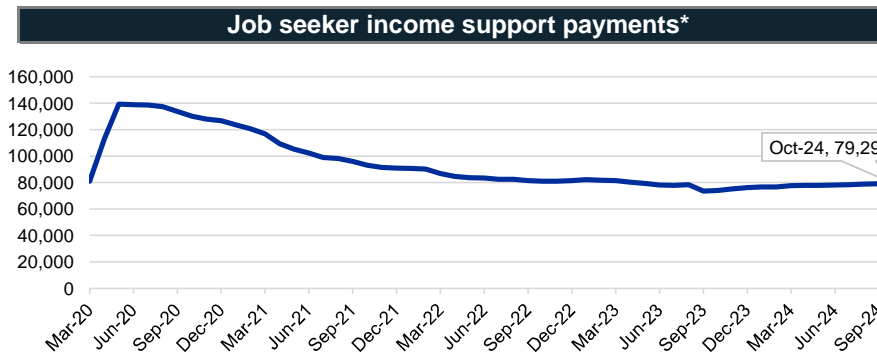
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Source: ABS, Labour Force Survey, seasonally adjusted data, October-24

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



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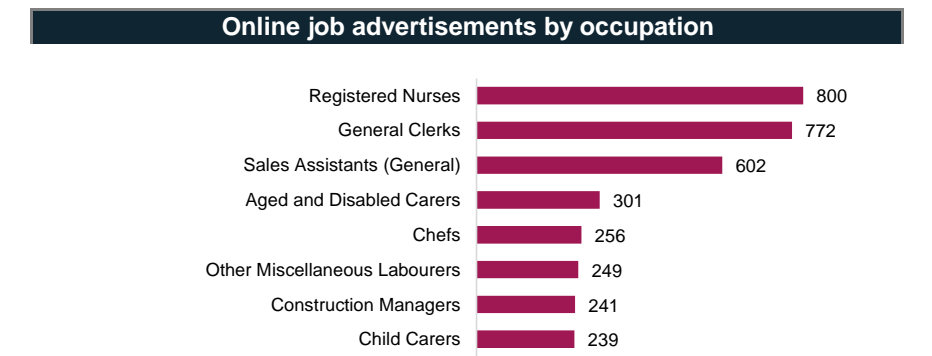
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**Number of job ads**  
14,000  
**Change over the month**  
-0.5%  
(or -77 job advertisements)  
**Annual change**  
-4.6%  
(or -681 job advertisements)

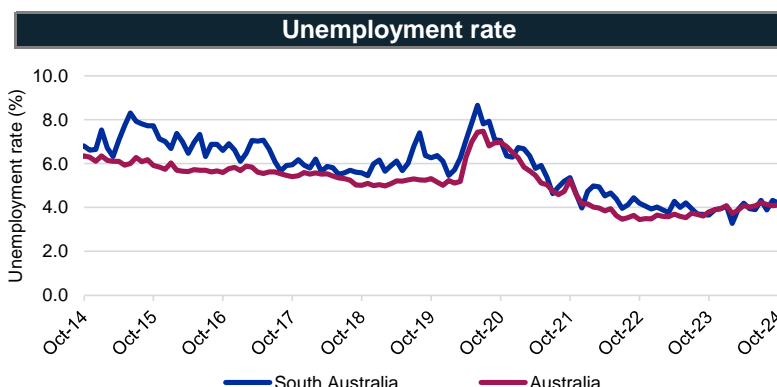


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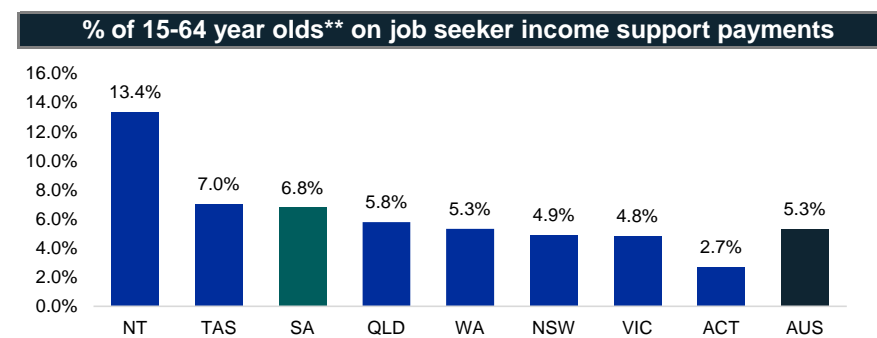
	Change in job seeker income support payments	
	South Australia	Australia
Payments - October 2023	73,970	833,965
Payments - October 2024	79,295	922,225
Change (Oct 2023 to Oct 2024)	↑ 5,325	↑ 88,260
Change % (Oct 2023 to Oct 2024)	↑ 7.2%	↑ 10.6%



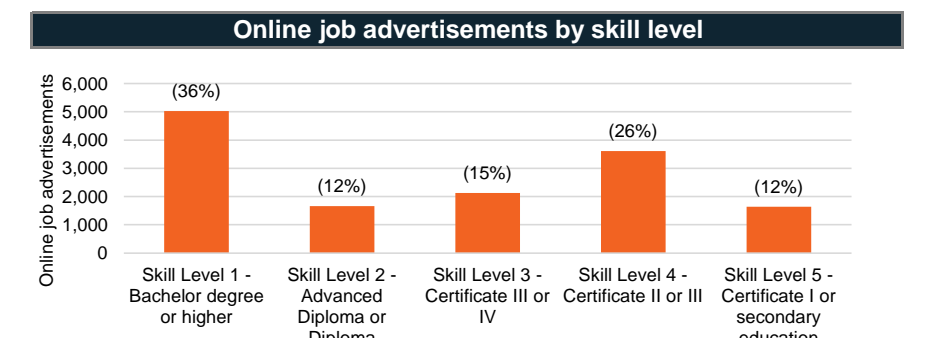
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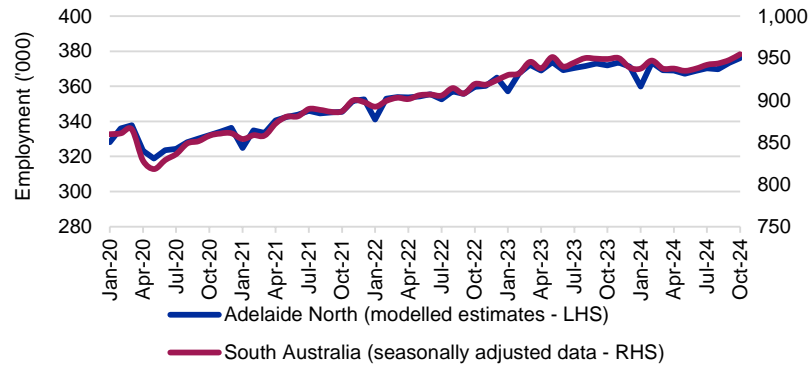
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Adelaide North	376.1	372.0	1.1	18.0	15.2	18.6	4.6	3.9	64.1	64.2	12.2	9.5
South Australia	954.9	949.1	0.6	41.9	36.0	16.3	4.2	3.7	63.4	63.7	9.7	9.1
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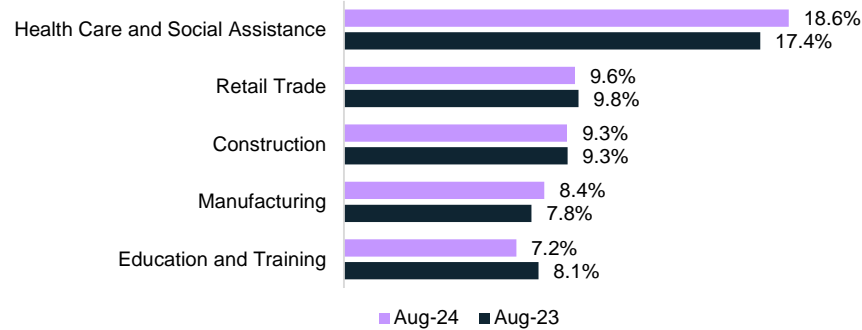
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**Employment**



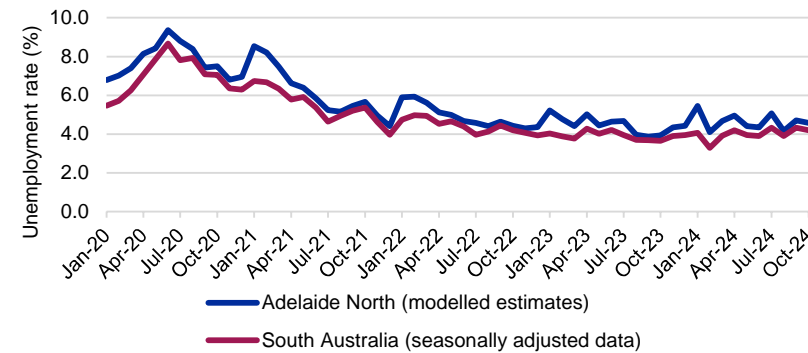
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**Largest employing industries**



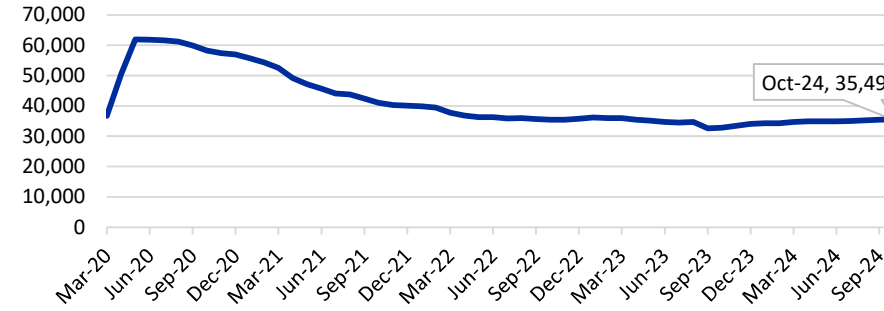
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**Unemployment rate**



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**Job seeker income support payments\***



**Change in job seeker income support payments**

	Adelaide North	South Australia
Payments - Oct 2023	32,740	73,970
Payments - Oct 2024	35,490	79,295
Change from Oct 2023 to Oct 2024	↑ 2,750	↑ 5,325
	↑ 8.4%	↑ 7.2%

**% 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
Adelaide North	35,490	7.4%
South Australia	79,295	6.8%
Australia	922,225	5.3%

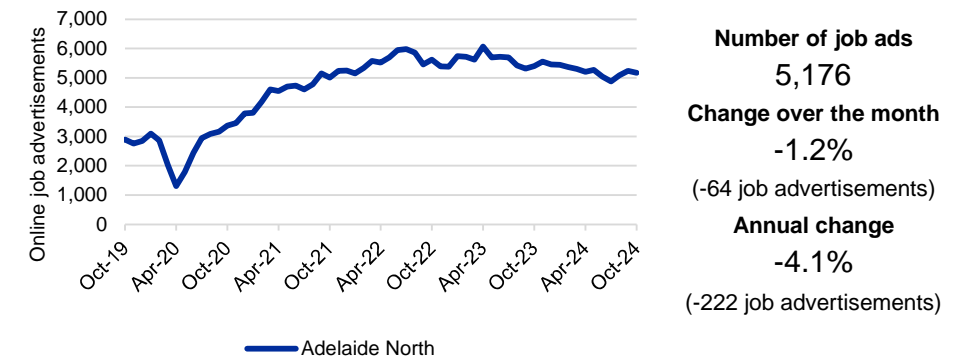
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**LGA's with highest unemployment rates (%)**

Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-24	Jun-23
Playford	8.7	9.7
Salisbury	5.3	6.0
Port Adelaide Enfield	4.6	4.3
Gawler	4.1	4.3
Charles Sturt	3.6	2.9

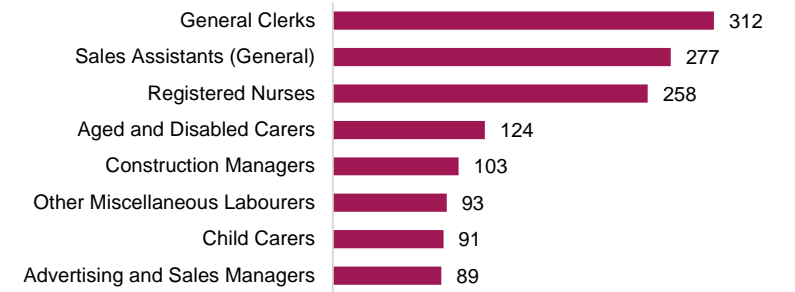
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**Online job advertisements**



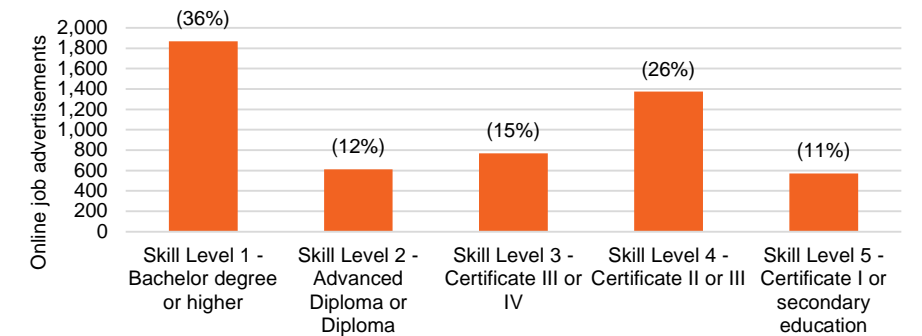
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**Online job advertisements by occupation**



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, 3 month average of original data, October-24

**Online job advertisements by skill level**



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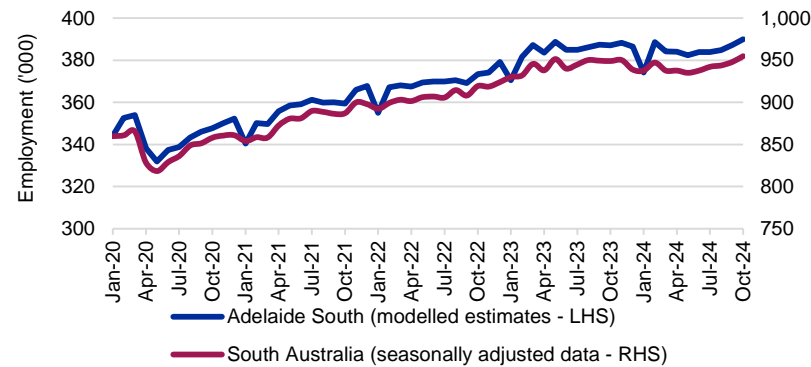
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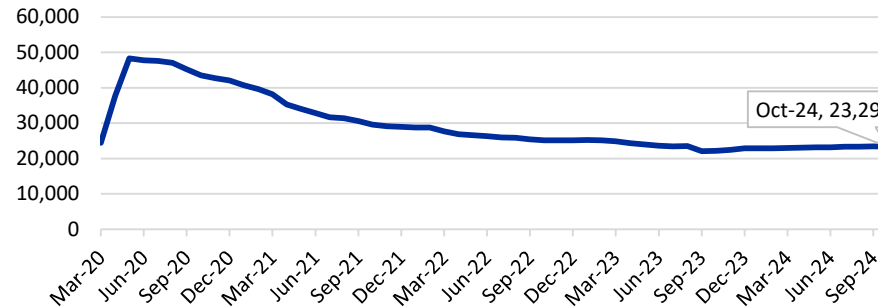
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**Employment**



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**Job seeker income support payments\***



**Change in job seeker income support payments**

	Adelaide South	South Australia
Payments - Oct 2023	22,100	73,970
Payments - Oct 2024	23,295	79,295
Change from Oct 2023 to Oct 2024	↑ 1,195 5.4%	↑ 5,325 7.2%

**% 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
Adelaide South	23,295	4.8%
South Australia	79,295	6.8%
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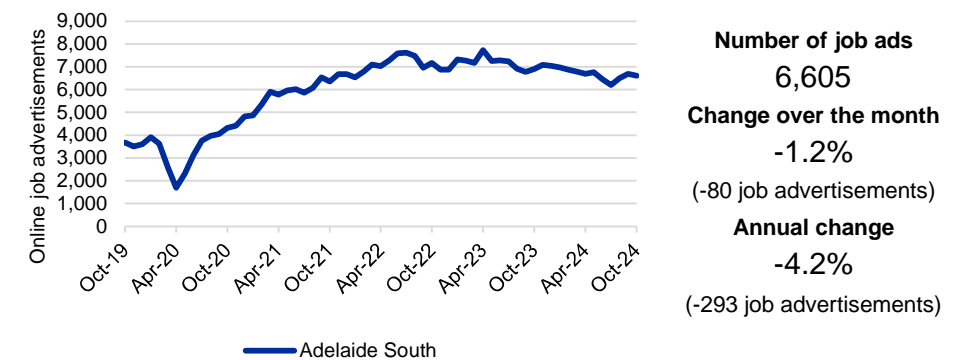
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**LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)**

Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-24	Jun-23
Adelaide	7.6	6.5
Onkaparinga	4.8	4.9
Mount Barker	3.9	3.8
Campbelltown (SA)	3.6	3.7
Marion	3.4	3.4

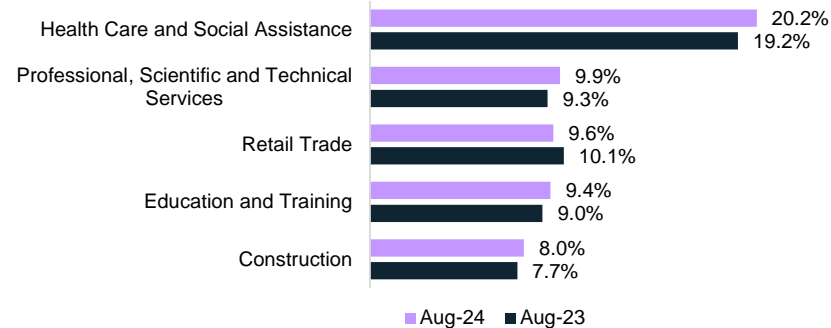
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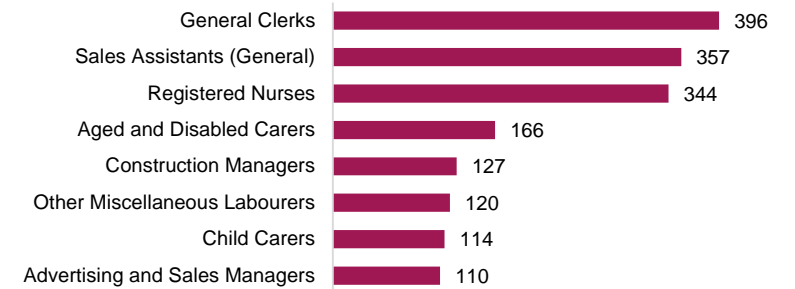
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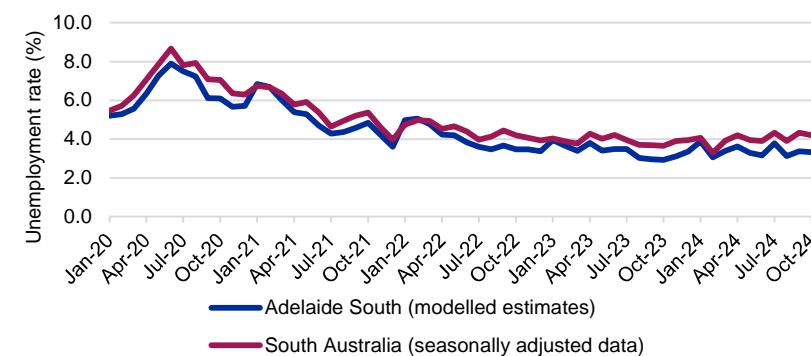
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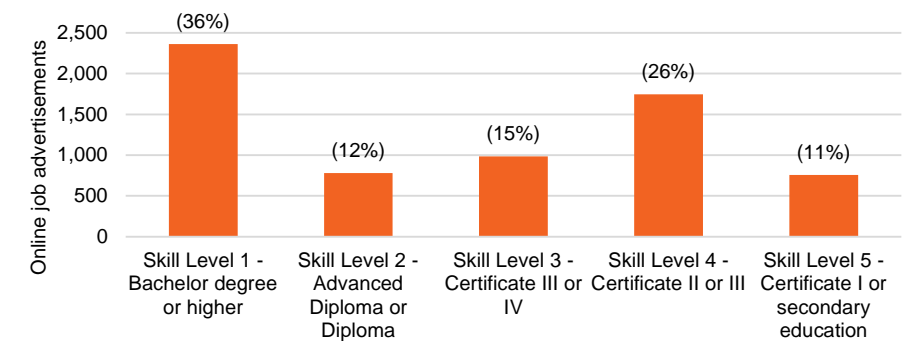
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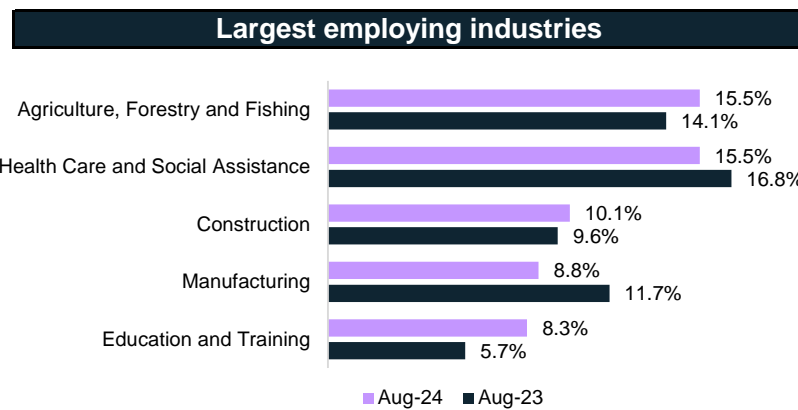
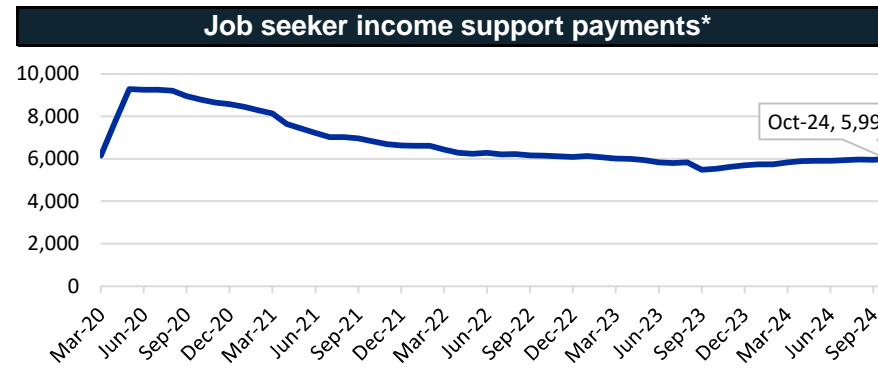
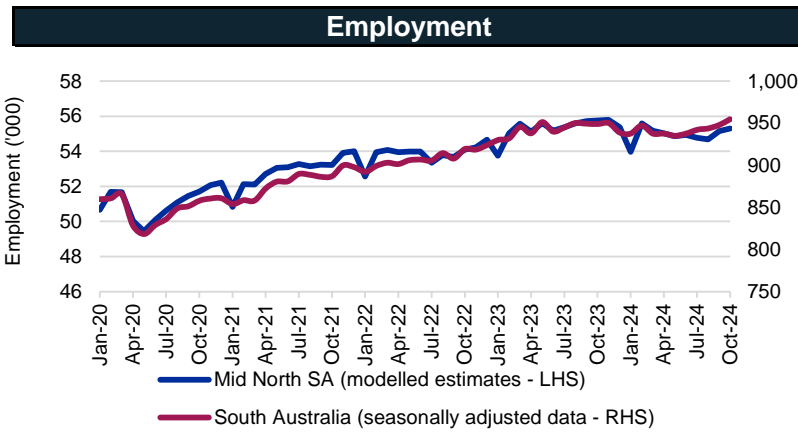
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Mid North SA	55.3	55.8	-0.8	2.3	1.9	20.0	4.0	3.3	57.3	57.9	7.9	8.6
South Australia	954.9	949.1	0.6	41.9	36.0	16.3	4.2	3.7	63.4	63.7	9.7	9.1
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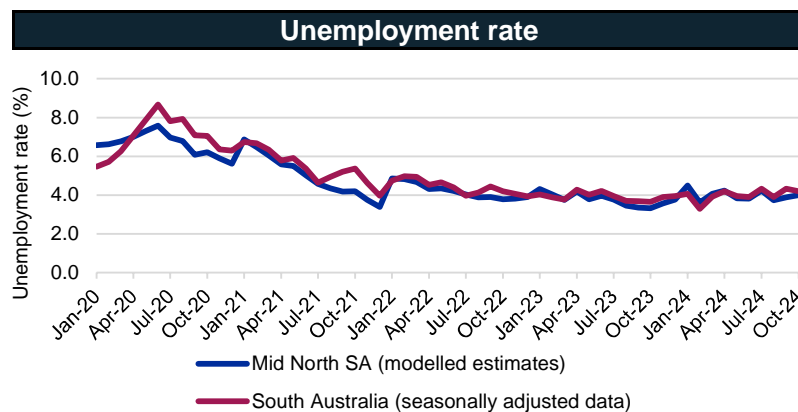
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### Change in job seeker income support payments

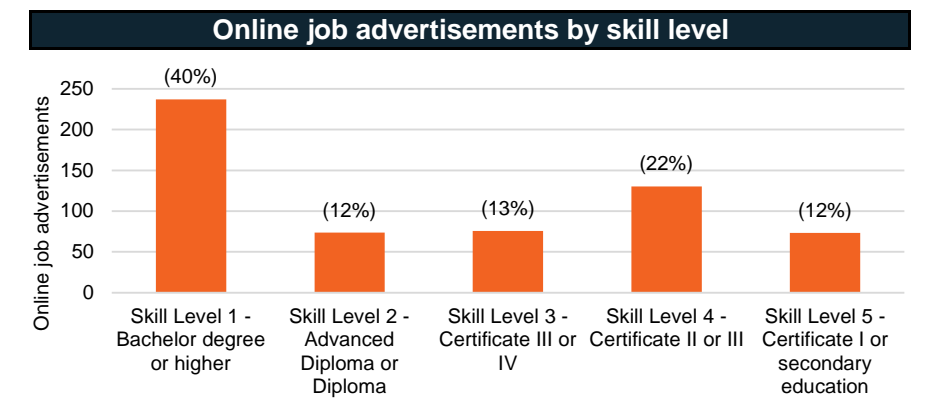
	Mid North SA	South Australia
Payments - Oct 2023	5,535	73,970
Payments - Oct 2024	5,995	79,295
Change from Oct 2023 to Oct 2024	↑ 460 (8.3%)	↑ 5,325 (7.2%)



### % 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
Mid North SA	5,995	8.9%
South Australia	79,295	6.8%
Australia	922,225	5.3%

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



### LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)

Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-24 (%)	Jun-23 (%)
Port Pirie	7.7	7.7
Copper Coast	5.6	5.6
Peterborough*	4.7	4.6
Orroroo Carrieton*	4.7	4.5
Yorke Peninsula	4.6	4.0

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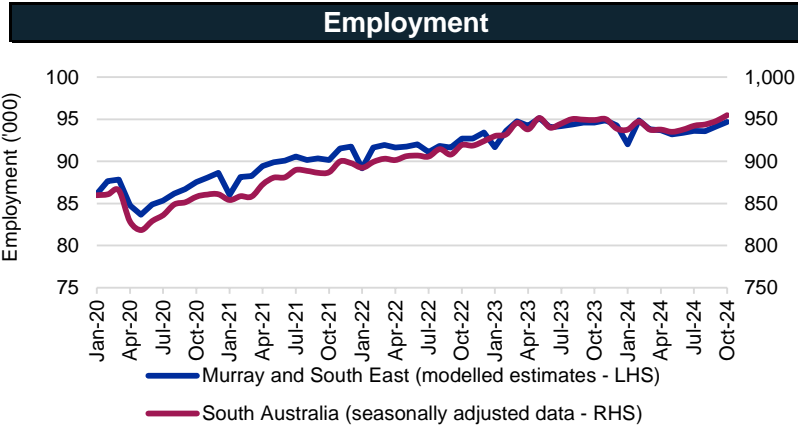
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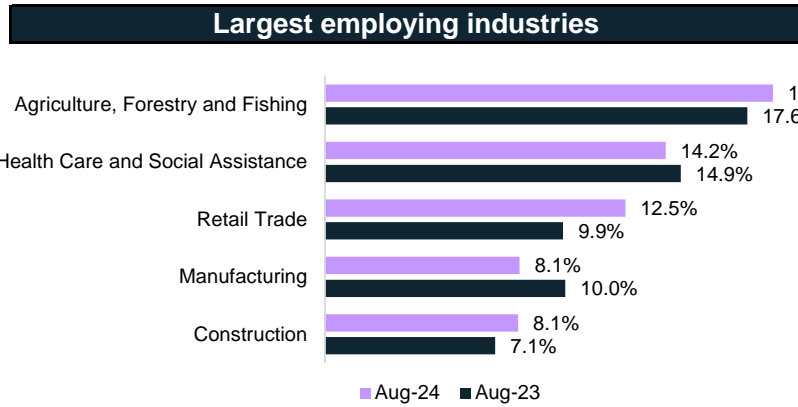
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Murray and South East	94.7	94.6	0.1	3.4	3.0	13.3	3.5	3.1	57.1	57.3	5.3	9.2
South Australia	954.9	949.1	0.6	41.9	36.0	16.3	4.2	3.7	63.4	63.7	9.7	9.1
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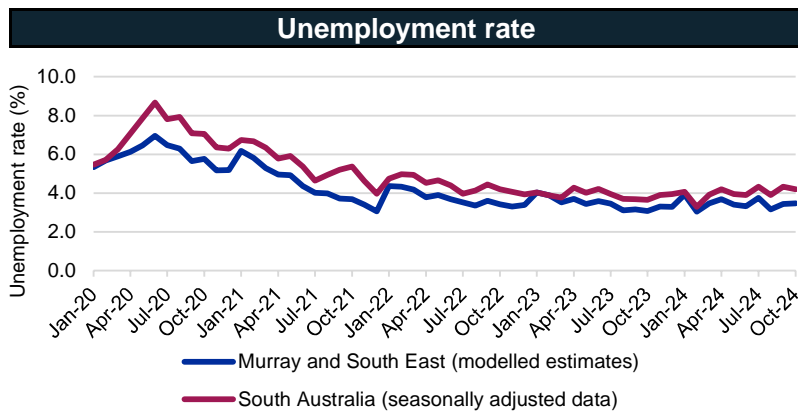
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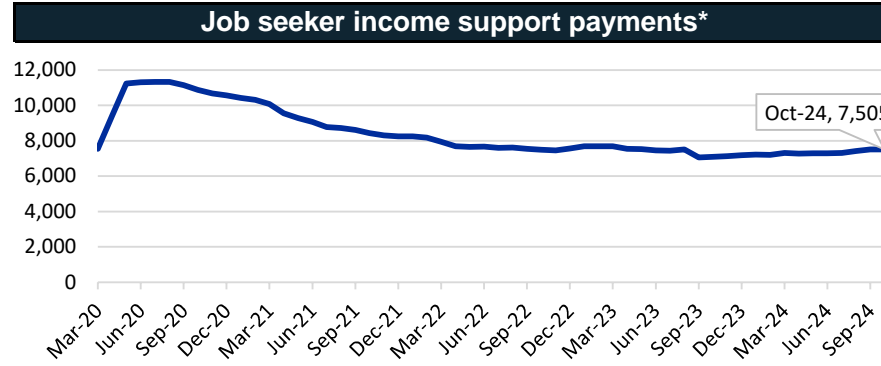
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### Change in job seeker income support payments

	Murray and South East	South Australia
Payments - Oct 2023	7,085	73,970
Payments - Oct 2024	7,505	79,295
Change from Oct 2023 to Oct 2024	420 ↑	5,325 ↑
	5.9% ↑	7.2% ↑

### % 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
Murray and South East	7,505	8.8%
South Australia	79,295	6.8%
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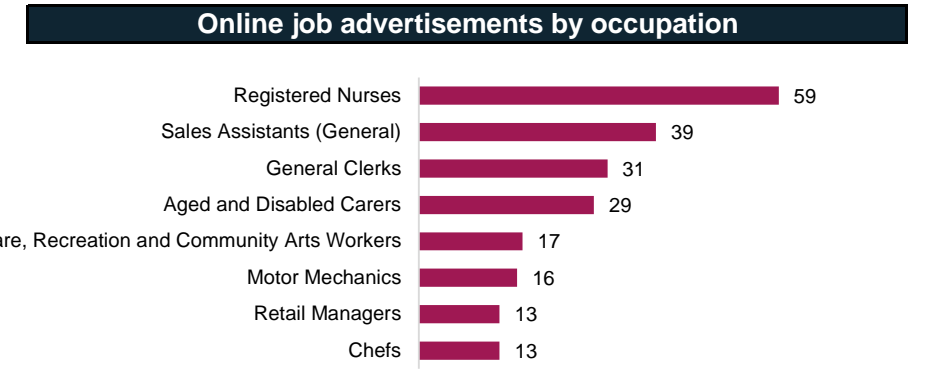
### LGA's with highest unemployment rates (%)

Local Government Area (LGA)	Jun-24	Jun-23
Berri Barmera	3.6	5.5
Murray Bridge	3.4	5.5
Mid Murray	2.9	4.7
Renmark Paringa	2.6	4.1
Coorong	2.6	3.9

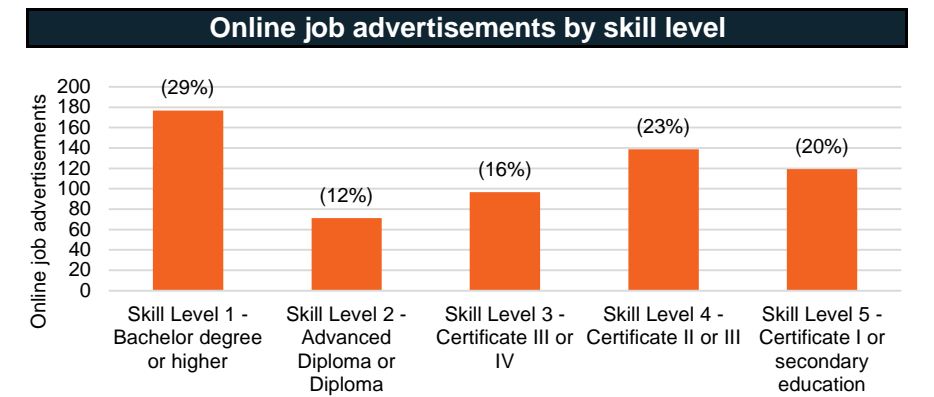
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