

Queensland Government Statistician's Office

Regional labour force – Brisbane Inner City SA4, Mar 23

Source: ABS, Labour force, Australia, detailed, released 20 April 2023, 11:30 am (AEST)

Table 1 Labour force status, Brisbane Inner City SA4

	Year ending			Annual change	
	Mar 22	Feb 23	Mar 23		
	-	– persons –		persons	%
Total employed	196,400	201,000	200,900	4,500	2.3
Total unemployed	6,000	6,200	6,300	300	5.0
Total labour force	202,400	207,200	207,200	4,800	2.4
Not in the labour force	55,400	54,000	54,300	-1,000	-1.9
Total persons 15+	257,800	261,200	261,500	3,700	1.4
Participation rate (%)	78.5	79.3	79.2		0.7 (a)
Unemployment rate (%)	3.0	3.0	3.0		0.1 (a)

(a) Percentage point change.

Employment growth, annual

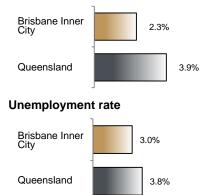


Figure 1 Annual change in employment, Brisbane Inner City SA4

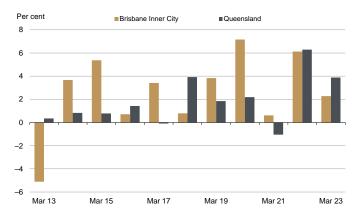
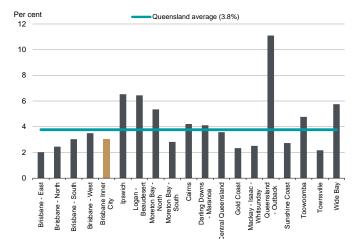


Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, March 2023



Key data

Employment (annual change)	↑ 2.3%
Unemployment rate	
Unemployment rate (annual change)	
Participation rate	79.2%
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ppt = percentage point

Main findings

Note: Due to the high standard errors associated with regional labour force survey data, the ABS and QGSO recommend using 12-month averages to reduce the volatility of the underlying original data.

All data in this brief are based on 12-month moving averages.

- The number of employed persons in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in March 2023 was 200,900 persons, an increase of 4,500 employed persons, or 2.3% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in March 2023 was 3.0 per cent, an increase of 0.1 percentage point over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the ninth-lowest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in March 2023 was 79.2 per cent, an increase of 0.7 percentage point over the year (Table 1).

SA4 = Statistical Area Level 4 (ASGS 2016 edition)

Notes (refer to website for more detailed notes):

Data for Queensland as a whole are provided for reference purposes only.

The labour force statistics presented in this brief are on a sample basis and will include a sampling error.

Totals may differ due to rounding. Figures are rounded to nearest 100 persons. Calculations are based on pre-rounded figures.

