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# Regional labour force – Brisbane Inner City SA4, Dec 23

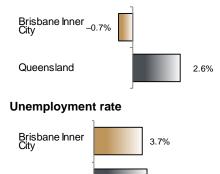
Source: ABS, Labour force, Australia, detailed, released 25 January 2024, 10:30 am (AEST)

### Table 1 Labour force status, Brisbane Inner City SA4

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|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------|---------------|----------|
|                         | Year ending |             |         | Annual change |          |
|                         | Dec 22      | Nov 23      | Dec 23  |               |          |
|                         | -           | – persons — |         | persons       | %        |
| Total employed          | 204,400     | 203,100     | 202,900 | -1,500        | -0.7     |
| Total unemployed        | 5,900       | 7,600       | 7,900   | 1,900         | 32.6     |
| Total labour force      | 210,400     | 210,700     | 210,800 | 500           | 0.2      |
| Not in the labour force | 55,000      | 64,300      | 65,100  | 10,100        | 18.3     |
| Total persons 15+       | 265,400     | 274,900     | 275,900 | 10,500        | 4.0      |
| Participation rate (%)  | 79.3        | 76.6        | 76.4    |               | –2.9 (a) |
| Unemployment rate (%)   | 2.8         | 3.6         | 3.7     |               | 0.9 (a)  |

(a) Percentage point change.

#### Employment growth, annual



## Key data

| Employment (annual change) $\downarrow$ 0.7% |  |
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| Unemployment rate                            |  |
| Unemployment rate (annual change)            |  |
| Participation rate76.4%                      |  |
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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 December 2023 was 202,900 persons, a decrease of 1,500 employed persons, or 0.7% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in December 2023 was 3.7 per cent, an increase of 0.9 percentage point over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the tenth-lowest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in December 2023 was 76.4 per cent, a decrease of 2.9 percentage points over the year (Table 1).

SA4 = Statistical Area Level 4 (ASGS 2016 edition)

Notes (refer to website for more detailed notes):

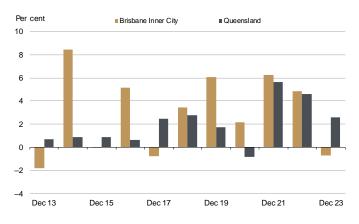
Data for Queensland as a whole are provided for reference purposes only.

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.

Figure 1 Annual change in employment, Brisbane Inner City SA4

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### Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, December 2023

