Labour Force – Toowoomba SA4, Mar 14

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Table 1: Labour force status, Toowoomba SA4

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<th>Year ending</th>
<th>Employed, worked:</th>
<th>Annual change</th>
<th>Unemployed</th>
<th>Total labour force</th>
<th>Total persons 15+</th>
<th>Participation rate (%)</th>
<th>Unemployment rate (%)</th>
<th>Total persons 15+</th>
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<td>Total unemployed</td>
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Employment growth, annual

Toowoomba -0.2%

Unemployment rate

Toowoomba 5.2%

Main findings

- The number of employed persons in Toowoomba SA4 in March 2014 was 70,300 persons, a decrease of 100 employed persons, or 0.2% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Toowoomba SA4 in March 2014 was 5.2 per cent, a decrease of 1.9 percentage points over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the eighth-lowest of all SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Toowoomba SA4 in March 2014 was 63.0 per cent, a decrease of 2.5 percentage points over the year (Table 1).

Key data

- Employment (annual change) ................. -0.2%
- Unemployment rate ................. 5.2%
- Unemployment rate (annual change) ........ 1.9 ppt
- Participation rate ......................... 63.0%
- Unemployment rate ......................... 5.2% (a)

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.