

Regional labour force – Brisbane Inner City SA4, Oct 19

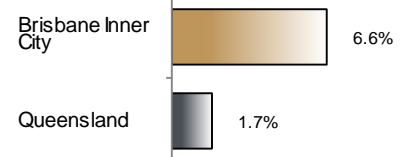
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Table 1 Labour force status, Brisbane Inner City SA4

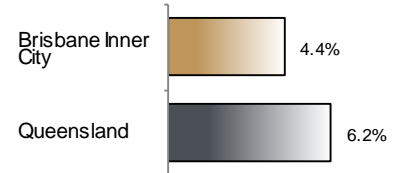
	Year ending			Annual change	
	Oct 18	Sep 19	Oct 19	persons	%
	— persons —			persons	%
Total employed	168,400	178,500	179,500	11,100	6.6
Total unemployed	7,600	8,300	8,200	500	7.2
Total labour force	176,000	186,900	187,700	11,600	6.6
Not in the labour force	65,000	61,800	61,700	-3,300	-5.1
Total persons 15+	241,100	248,700	249,400	8,300	3.4
Participation rate (%)	73.0	75.2	75.3	..	2.2 (a)
Unemployment rate (%)	4.3	4.5	4.4	..	0.0 (a)

(a) Percentage point change.

Employment growth, annual



Unemployment rate



Key data

Employment (annual change)..... ↑ 6.6%
 Unemployment rate 4.4%
 Unemployment rate (annual change) 0.0 ppt
 Participation rate 75.3%

ppt = percentage point

Main findings

Note: All data in this brief are based on 12-month moving averages. This approach is supported by ABS advice on analysis of regional labour force estimates (see Table 16(b) of *Labour Force, Australia, Detailed* (cat. no. 6291.0.55.001)).

- The number of employed persons in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in October 2019 was 179,500 persons, an increase of 11,100 employed persons, or 6.6% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in October 2019 was 4.4 per cent, unchanged over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the lowest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Brisbane Inner City SA4 in October 2019 was 75.3 per cent, an increase of 2.2 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

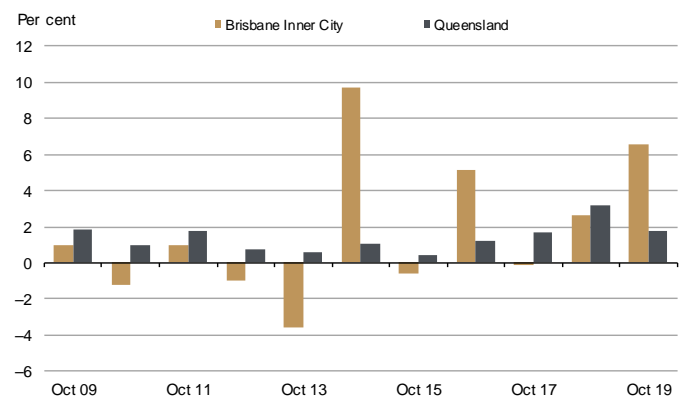


Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, October 2019

