

Regional labour force – Brisbane - North SA4, Nov 23

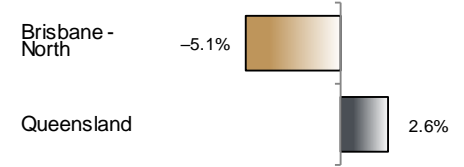
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Table 1 Labour force status, Brisbane - North SA4

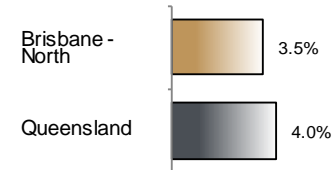
	Year ending			Annual change	
	Nov 22	Oct 23	Nov 23	persons	%
	— persons —			persons	%
Total employed	133,600	127,200	126,700	-6,900	-5.1
Total unemployed	3,600	4,300	4,600	1,000	29.0
Total labour force	137,100	131,500	131,300	-5,800	-4.3
Not in the labour force	51,400	61,100	61,700	10,300	20.0
Total persons 15+	188,600	192,600	193,000	4,400	2.4
Participation rate (%)	72.7	68.3	68.0	..	-4.7 (a)
Unemployment rate (%)	2.6	3.2	3.5	..	0.9 (a)

(a) Percentage point change.

Employment growth, annual



Unemployment rate



Key data

Employment (annual change)..... ↓ 5.1%
 Unemployment rate 3.5%
 Unemployment rate (annual change) ↑ 0.9 ppt
 Participation rate..... 68.0%

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 - North SA4 in November 2023 was 126,700 persons, a decrease of 6,900 employed persons, or 5.1% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Brisbane - North SA4 in November 2023 was 3.5 per cent, an increase of 0.9 percentage point over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the seventh-lowest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Brisbane - North SA4 in November 2023 was 68.0 per cent, a decrease of 4.7 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 - North SA4

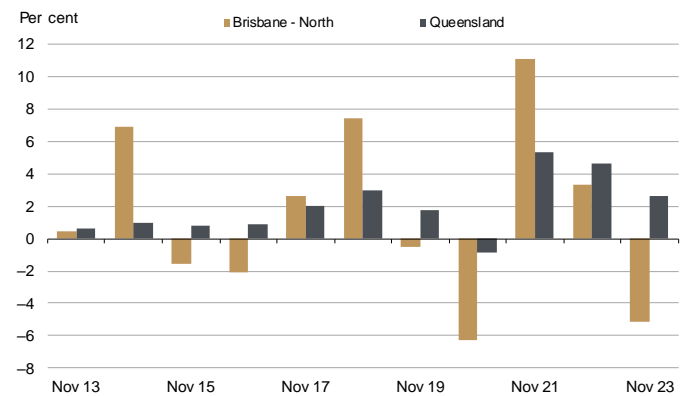


Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, November 2023

