

# Regional labour force – Brisbane - East SA4, Nov 24

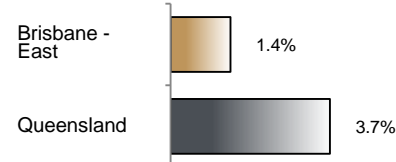
Source: ABS, *Labour force, Australia, detailed*, released 19 December 2024, 10:30 am (AEST)

**Table 1 Labour force status, Brisbane - East SA4**

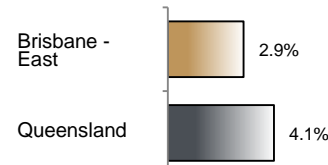
	Year ending			Annual change	
	Nov 23	Oct 24	Nov 24	persons	%
	— persons —			persons	%
Total employed	136,900	138,400	138,800	1,900	1.4
Total unemployed	5,100	4,200	4,100	-1,000	-19.7
Total labour force	142,000	142,600	142,900	900	0.6
Not in the labour force	62,500	65,700	65,700	3,200	5.1
Total persons 15+	204,500	208,300	208,600	4,100	2.0
Participation rate (%)	69.4	68.5	68.5	..	-0.9 (a)
Unemployment rate (%)	3.6	3.0	2.9	..	-0.7 (a)

(a) Percentage point change.

## Employment growth, annual



## Unemployment rate



## Key data

Employment (annual change).....↑ 1.4%  
 Unemployment rate .....2.9%  
 Unemployment rate (annual change) .....↓ 0.7 ppt  
 Participation rate.....68.5%

ppt = percentage point

## Main findings

Note: Due to the high standard errors associated with regional labour force direct survey estimates, 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 of direct survey estimates.

- The number of employed persons in Brisbane - East SA4 in November 2024 was 138,800 persons, an increase of 1,900 employed persons, or 1.4% over the year (Figure 1).
- The unemployment rate in Brisbane - East SA4 in November 2024 was 2.9 per cent, a decrease of 0.7 percentage point over the year. The unemployment rate for this area was the third-lowest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Brisbane - East SA4 in November 2024 was 68.5 per cent, a decrease of 0.9 percentage point over the year (Table 1).

SA4 = Statistical Area Level 4 (ASGS 2016 edition)

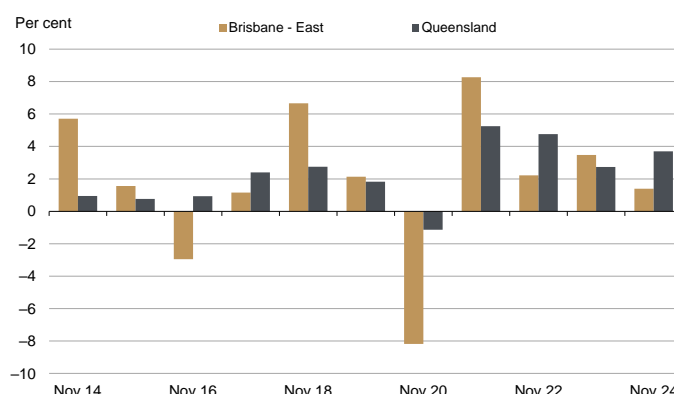
Notes (refer to website for more detailed notes):

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.

**Figure 1 Annual change in employment, Brisbane - East SA4**



**Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, November 2024**

