# Modelled regional labour force – Moreton Bay - North SA4, August 2025

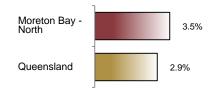
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Table 1 Labour force status. Moreton Bay - North SA4

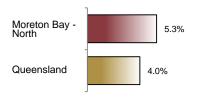
	Year ending			Annual change	
	Aug 24	Jul 25	Aug 25		
	— persons —			persons	%
Total employed	127,100	131,200	131,500	4,400	3.5
Total unemployed	7,600	7,400	7,400	-200	-2.5
Total labour force	134,700	138,600	138,900	4,200	3.1
Not in the labour force	104,500	106,800	107,100	2,600	2.5
Total persons 15+	239,100	245,400	245,900	6,800	2.8
Participation rate (%)	56.3	56.5	56.5		0.2 (a)
Unemployment rate (%)	5.6	5.3	5.3		-0.3 (a)

Percentage point change.

### Employment growth, annual



#### **Unemployment rate**



## **Key data**

Employment (annual change)	3.5%
Unemployment rate	5.3%
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Participation rate5	6.5%

## Main findings

Note: All data in this brief are based on 12-month moving averages of modelled estimates due to seasonal variation and noise associated with regional labour force modelled estimates

The modelled regional labour force estimates enhance the direct survey estimates of regional labour market data using administrative data and statistical modelling.

- The number of employed persons in Moreton Bay -North SA4 in August 2025 was 131,500 persons, an increase of 4,400 employed persons, or 3.5% over the year (Table 1).
- The unemployment rate in Moreton Bay North SA4 in August 2025 was 5.3%, higher than the Queensland average of 4.0% (Figure 1). The unemployment rate for this area was the fifth-highest of all 19 SA4s within Queensland (Figure 2).
- The participation rate in Moreton Bay North SA4 in August 2025 was 56.5%, an increase of 0.2 of a percentage point over the year (Table 1).

SA4 = Statistical Area Level 4 (ASGS 2016 edition) Participation rate refers to the number of persons in the labour force expressed as a percentage of persons aged 15 years and over. Notes (refer to website for more detailed notes):

Data for Queensland are provided for reference purposes only. The labour force statistics presented in this brief are on 12-month averages of modelled labour force estimates.

Totals may differ due to rounding. Figures are rounded to nearest 100 persons. Calculations are based on pre-rounded figures.

Figure 1 Unemployment rate, Moreton Bay - North SA4 and Queensland

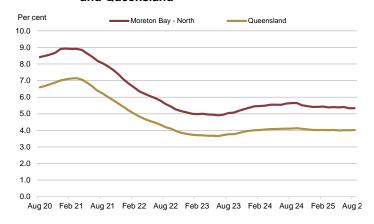
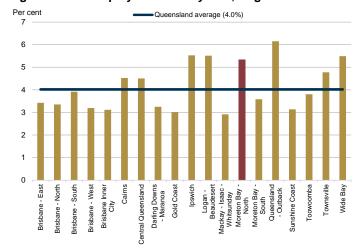


Figure 2 Unemployment rate by SA4, August 2025



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