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This report provides an update of the key tables from *Small Business in Australia 1997* (Cat. no. 1321.0). Tables from Chapters 1, 2 and 3 are updated with newly compiled data from 1997–98.

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# 1.1

## SMALL BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, 1997-98

State and Territory	Small business								
	Employing			Non-employing		Total small business		Total all businesses	
	Businesses	Employers	Employees	Businesses	Own account workers(a)	Businesses	Employment	Businesses	Employment
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
NSW	182.6	110.8	777.7	132.0	204.8	314.6	1 093.3	325.2	2 215.8
Vic.	128.0	60.4	593.3	102.1	158.6	230.1	812.3	238.7	1 651.6
Qld	95.5	64.6	415.5	89.3	139.4	184.8	619.5	189.4	1 127.7
SA	35.1	23.0	164.2	36.5	57.4	71.6	244.6	73.8	465.1
WA	52.2	32.9	230.2	54.2	84.0	106.4	347.1	109.0	677.2
Tas.	10.4	8.3	51.4	9.8	15.8	20.2	75.5	20.7	139.8
NT	3.6	2.8	18.3	2.5	4.2	6.1	25.3	6.3	53.6
ACT	7.5	4.6	34.4	7.2	10.2	14.7	49.2	14.8	84.0
<b>Aust.(b)</b>	<b>514.9</b>	<b>307.4</b>	<b>2 285.0</b>	<b>433.6</b>	<b>674.4</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>3 266.8</b>	<b>977.9</b>	<b>6 414.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## 1.2

### SMALL BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY—1997–98

Industry division(c)	Small business								
	Employing			Non-employing		Total small business		Total all businesses	
	Businesses	Employers	Employees	Businesses	Own account workers(a)	Businesses	Employment	Businesses	Employment
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	1.3	0.5	7.6	1.4	2.4	2.7	10.5	2.8	80.5
Manufacturing	51.2	25.0	438.3	32.1	55.8	83.3	519.1	84.6	999.3
Construction	63.1	47.0	208.8	94.0	160.1	157.1	415.9	158.4	533.1
Wholesale trade	37.8	13.5	189.3	16.6	26.4	54.4	229.2	59.2	517.6
Retail trade	92.7	87.6	418.7	60.2	101.4	152.9	607.7	157.3	1 184.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	24.1	23.6	146.4	6.7	12.1	30.8	182.1	34.4	411.5
Transport and storage	23.1	14.9	90.0	30.1	50.7	53.2	155.6	54.4	288.3
Finance and insurance	11.2	3.1	35.7	6.7	9.3	17.9	48.1	18.6	292.7
Property and business services	114.3	44.0	382.6	79.9	113.2	194.2	539.8	198.6	916.4
Education	7.4	2.8	38.1	10.0	16.0	17.4	56.9	19.1	199.3
Health and community services	45.2	18.8	185.5	23.7	31.5	68.9	235.8	72.0	531.6
Cultural and recreational services	13.5	6.0	50.5	20.2	28.3	33.7	84.8	35.1	197.9
Personal and other services	28.3	17.9	90.4	41.3	53.7	69.6	162.0	70.7	237.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>514.9</b>	<b>307.4</b>	<b>2 285.0</b>	<b>433.6</b>	<b>674.4</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>3 266.8</b>	<b>977.9</b>	<b>6 414.8</b>
Goods producing industries	115.6	72.5	654.7	127.5	218.3	243.1	945.5	245.8	1 612.9
Services producing industries	399.3	234.9	1 630.3	306.1	456.1	705.4	2 321.3	732.1	4 801.9

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## 2.1 GROWTH IN PRIVATE SECTOR SMALL BUSINESSES

<i>Industry division(c)</i>	<i>Average annual growth</i>				<i>Annual growth rates</i>			
	<i>1983–84 to 1997–98</i>		<i>1994–95 to 1995–96</i>		<i>1995–96 to 1996–97</i>		<i>1996–97 to 1997–98</i>	
	<i>Businesses</i>	<i>Employment</i>	<i>Businesses</i>	<i>Employment</i>	<i>Businesses</i>	<i>Employment</i>	<i>Businesses</i>	<i>Employment</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Goods producing								
Manufacturing	3.8	1.7	-7.5	0.6	11.0	6.7	7.1	-4.4
Construction	3.2	3.8	-0.4	6.2	-1.9	-2.9	-1.0	-0.5
<i>Total goods producing growth rate(d)</i>	3.4	2.5	-2.2	3.2	1.7	1.9	1.6	-2.5
Services producing								
Wholesale trade	1.8	1.9	1.7	2.2	-4.0	-3.3	3.0	-3.0
Retail trade	0.4	1.4	4.2	6.1	2.1	3.7	-3.6	-3.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.2	3.1	-1.4	-10.6	-1.1	13.4	10.0	5.7
Transport and storage	2.1	3.2	10.3	10.8	-5.8	-6.8	5.1	6.3
Finance and insurance	2.6	1.9	-13.1	4.1	-9.0	-16.1	-1.1	-4.9
Property and business services	7.9	6.1	9.0	4.9	1.9	4.5	17.0	10.6
Education	6.2	6.2	12.9	22.5	-6.8	-9.4	-2.8	0.2
Health and community services	7.8	6.2	23.5	27.4	-7.0	-6.2	1.5	-2.1
Cultural and recreational services	4.2	2.9	-1.7	-7.5	4.0	5.1	8.7	4.8
Personal and other services	5.5	3.8	-10.8	-11.7	5.8	11.5	19.0	6.1
<i>Total services producing growth rate(e)</i>	3.7	3.2	5.4	5.3	-0.5	1.5	6.8	1.9
<b>Total private sector growth rate(f)</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>0.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings.

## 2.2

### BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED IN SMALL BUSINESS, BY BROAD INDUSTRY GROUP

Sector	Businesses				Persons employed	
	Small businesses		All businesses	Small businesses		All businesses
1983-84						
	'000	%	'000	'000	%	'000
Goods producing(g)	152.0	98.1	155.0	665.5	46.2	1 439.2
Services producing(h)	425.5	96.3	441.9	1 498.0	51.4	2 916.3
<b>Total(b)(f)</b>	<b>577.5</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>596.9</b>	<b>2 163.5</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>4 355.5</b>
1994-95						
	'000	%	'000	'000	%	'000
Goods producing(g)	240.7	98.6	244.0	922.3	58.1	1 588.2
Services producing(h)	629.4	96.2	654.4	2 130.2	48.8	4 362.2
<b>Total(b)(f)</b>	<b>870.1</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>898.4</b>	<b>3 052.5</b>	<b>51.3</b>	<b>5 950.4</b>
1995-96						
	'000	%	'000	'000	%	'000
Goods producing(g)	235.3	98.8	238.1	951.8	58.0	1 640.6
Services producing(h)	663.7	96.0	691.3	2 242.9	48.1	4 665.7
<b>Total(b)(f)</b>	<b>899.0</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>929.4</b>	<b>3 194.7</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>6 306.3</b>
1996-97						
	'000	%	'000	'000	%	'000
Goods producing(g)	239.2	98.7	242.3	970.0	58.6	1 656.2
Services producing(h)	660.5	96.1	687.2	2 277.3	47.3	4 814.4
<b>Total(b)(f)</b>	<b>899.7</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>929.5</b>	<b>3 247.3</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>6 470.6</b>
1997-98						
	'000	%	'000	'000	%	'000
Goods producing(g)	243.1	98.9	245.8	945.5	58.6	1 612.9
Services producing(h)	705.4	96.4	732.1	2 321.3	48.3	4 801.9
<b>Total(b)(f)</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>97.0</b>	<b>977.9</b>	<b>3 266.8</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>6 414.8</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1996-97						
	%	%	%	%	%	%
Goods producing(g)	3.4	..	3.3	2.5	..	0.8
Services producing(h)	3.7	..	3.7	3.2	..	3.6
<b>Total(b)(i)</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings.

## 2.3

### BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY

Industry division(c)	Businesses						Employment		
	Small businesses			Small businesses			Businesses other than small	All businesses	
	Number	Proportion of all businesses	All businesses	Persons working in own business(a)	Private sector employees	Total employment			Proportion of all businesses
1983-84									
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000	'000
Mining	1.4	100.0	1.4	1.3	4.8	6.1	7.9	71.5	77.6
Manufacturing	49.5	96.7	51.2	52.2	359.7	411.9	40.1	615.1	1 027.0
Construction	101.1	98.7	102.4	143.3	104.2	247.5	74.0	87.1	334.6
Wholesale trade	42.2	93.8	45.0	42.7	132.9	175.6	45.8	207.7	383.3
Retail trade	143.9	98.0	146.9	194.6	304.5	499.1	57.3	371.3	870.4
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	19.8	90.4	21.9	24.7	94.2	118.9	49.8	119.7	238.6
Transport and storage	39.5	98.0	40.3	55.5	44.6	100.1	54.7	82.9	183.0
Finance and insurance	12.5	96.9	12.9	10.2	26.9	37.1	23.1	123.6	160.7
Property and business services	66.8	96.0	69.6	69.4	166.9	236.3	56.5	182.0	418.3
Education	7.5	94.9	7.9	8.7	15.8	24.5	31.6	53.0	77.5
Health and community services	24.2	93.1	26.0	27.4	74.4	101.8	39.7	154.5	256.3
Cultural and recreational services	19.0	97.9	19.4	21.7	35.2	56.9	56.6	43.6	100.5
Personal and other services	32.9	99.1	33.2	43.7	52.3	96.0	73.3	34.9	130.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>577.5</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>596.9</b>	<b>710.8</b>	<b>1 452.7</b>	<b>2 163.5</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>2 192.0</b>	<b>4 355.5</b>
1994-95									
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000	'000
Mining	2.4	96.0	2.5	4.0	6.5	10.5	13.3	68.3	78.8
Manufacturing	75.8	98.3	77.1	71.4	434.7	506.1	50.3	499.3	1 005.4
Construction	162.5	98.8	164.4	213.0	192.7	405.7	80.5	98.3	504.0
Wholesale trade	54.1	93.4	57.9	42.1	197.0	239.1	49.0	248.5	487.6
Retail trade	149.2	97.4	153.2	210.7	359.4	570.1	51.1	544.7	1 114.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	28.7	90.5	31.7	34.2	135.7	169.9	44.0	216.5	386.4
Transport and storage	48.7	97.2	50.1	60.0	81.7	141.7	52.4	128.9	270.6
Finance and insurance	22.9	95.4	24.0	10.3	47.6	57.9	22.1	203.5	261.4
Property and business services	149.4	97.2	153.7	137.7	307.4	445.1	58.3	318.7	763.8
Education	17.0	93.9	18.1	15.9	35.3	51.2	32.1	108.1	159.3
Health and community services	59.1	95.8	61.7	45.7	156.0	201.7	39.6	307.9	509.6
Cultural and recreational services	30.3	97.7	31.0	29.8	53.4	83.2	51.2	79.4	162.6
Personal and other services	62.0	99.0	62.6	63.0	92.1	155.1	70.3	65.6	220.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>870.1</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>898.4</b>	<b>949.6</b>	<b>2 102.9</b>	<b>3 052.5</b>	<b>51.3</b>	<b>2 897.9</b>	<b>5 950.4</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY—continued

Industry division(c)	Businesses						Employment		
	Small businesses			Small businesses			Businesses other than small	All businesses	
	Number	Proportion of all businesses	All businesses	Persons working in own business(a)	Private sector employees	Total employment			Proportion of all businesses
1995–96									
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000	'000
Mining	3.4	100.0	3.4	4.0	8.2	12.2	13.5	77.9	90.1
Manufacturing	70.1	98.2	71.4	73.8	435.1	508.9	50.0	508.3	1 017.2
Construction	161.8	99.1	163.3	222.9	207.8	430.7	80.8	102.6	533.3
Wholesale trade	55.0	92.1	59.7	40.1	204.3	244.4	47.0	275.7	520.1
Retail trade	155.4	97.4	159.6	207.2	397.8	605.0	52.9	538.4	1 143.4
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	28.3	90.1	31.4	37.0	114.9	151.9	43.4	198.0	349.9
Transport and storage	53.7	97.6	55.0	67.9	89.1	157.0	46.7	179.3	336.3
Finance and insurance	19.9	95.2	20.9	9.6	50.7	60.3	22.8	204.5	264.8
Property and business services	162.9	98.0	166.2	145.8	321.2	467.0	60.5	304.5	771.5
Education	19.2	92.8	20.7	17.7	45.0	62.7	30.2	144.8	207.5
Health and community services	73.0	94.4	77.3	52.2	204.7	256.9	38.2	415.3	672.2
Cultural and recreational services	29.8	97.7	30.5	33.3	43.7	77.0	50.9	74.4	151.4
Personal and other services	55.3	99.1	55.8	63.6	73.4	137.0	69.2	61.0	198.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>899.0</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>929.4</b>	<b>983.7</b>	<b>2 211.0</b>	<b>3 194.7</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>3 111.6</b>	<b>6 306.3</b>
1996–97									
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000	'000
Mining	2.7	96.4	2.8	2.6	6.2	8.8	10.1	77.9	86.7
Manufacturing	77.8	98.4	79.1	76.8	466.4	543.2	52.4	494.0	1 037.2
Construction	158.7	98.9	160.4	203.8	214.2	418.0	78.5	114.3	532.3
Wholesale trade	52.8	92.3	57.2	39.9	196.4	236.3	45.4	284.7	521.0
Retail trade	158.6	97.2	163.1	192.4	434.9	627.3	51.5	590.7	1 218.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	28.0	88.9	31.5	38.5	133.8	172.3	43.9	219.9	392.2
Transport and storage	50.6	97.7	51.8	61.4	85.0	146.4	49.4	150.2	296.6
Finance and insurance	18.1	95.3	19.0	9.7	40.9	50.6	18.3	225.6	276.2
Property and business services	166.0	97.4	170.4	136.1	351.9	488.0	58.4	348.3	836.3
Education	17.9	92.7	19.3	16.9	39.9	56.8	26.9	154.7	211.5
Health and community services	67.9	95.1	71.4	45.3	195.6	240.9	38.7	381.5	622.4
Cultural and recreational services	31.0	97.2	31.9	33.4	47.5	80.9	48.9	84.4	165.3
Personal and other services	58.5	98.8	59.2	63.7	89.0	152.7	68.4	70.7	223.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>899.7</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>929.5</b>	<b>932.4</b>	<b>2 314.9</b>	<b>3 247.3</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>3 223.3</b>	<b>6 470.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY—continued

Industry division(c)	Businesses						Employment		
	Small businesses			Small businesses			Businesses other than small	All businesses	
	Number	Proportion of all businesses	All businesses	Persons working in own business(a)	Private sector employees	Total employment			Proportion of all businesses
1997–98									
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000	'000
Mining	2.7	96.4	2.8	2.9	7.6	10.5	13.0	70.0	80.5
Manufacturing	83.3	98.5	84.6	80.8	438.3	519.1	51.9	480.2	999.3
Construction	157.1	99.2	158.4	207.1	208.8	415.9	78.0	117.2	533.1
Wholesale trade	54.4	91.9	59.2	39.9	189.3	229.2	44.3	288.4	517.6
Retail trade	152.9	97.2	157.3	189.0	418.7	607.7	51.3	577.1	1 184.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	30.8	89.5	34.4	35.7	146.4	182.1	44.3	229.4	411.5
Transport and storage	53.2	97.8	54.4	65.6	90.0	155.6	54.0	132.7	288.3
Finance and insurance	17.9	96.2	18.6	12.4	35.7	48.1	16.4	244.6	292.7
Property and business services	194.2	97.8	198.6	157.2	382.6	539.8	58.9	376.6	916.4
Education	17.4	91.1	19.1	18.8	38.1	56.9	28.5	142.4	199.3
Health and community services	68.9	95.7	72.0	50.3	185.5	235.8	44.4	295.8	531.6
Cultural and recreational services	33.7	96.0	35.1	34.3	50.5	84.8	42.8	113.1	197.9
Personal and other services	69.6	98.4	70.7	71.6	90.4	162.0	68.2	75.5	237.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>97.0</b>	<b>977.9</b>	<b>981.8</b>	<b>2 285.0</b>	<b>3 266.8</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>3 148.0</b>	<b>6 414.8</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983–84 TO 1997–98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	4.8	..	5.1	5.9	3.3	4.0	..	-0.2	0.3
Manufacturing	3.8	..	3.7	3.2	1.4	1.7	..	-1.8	-0.2
Construction	3.2	..	3.2	2.7	5.1	3.8	..	2.1	3.4
Wholesale trade	1.8	..	2.0	-0.5	2.6	1.9	..	2.4	2.2
Retail trade	0.4	..	0.5	-0.2	2.3	1.4	..	3.2	2.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.2	..	3.3	2.7	3.2	3.1	..	4.8	4.0
Transport and storage	2.1	..	2.2	1.2	5.1	3.2	..	3.4	3.3
Finance and insurance	2.6	..	2.6	1.4	2.0	1.9	..	5.0	4.4
Property and business services	7.9	..	7.8	6.0	6.1	6.1	..	5.3	5.8
Education	6.2	..	6.5	5.7	6.5	6.2	..	7.3	7.0
Health and community services	7.8	..	7.5	4.4	6.7	6.2	..	4.7	5.3
Cultural and recreational services	4.2	..	4.3	3.3	2.6	2.9	..	7.0	5.0
Personal and other services	5.5	..	5.5	3.6	4.0	3.8	..	5.7	4.3
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## 2.4 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.4	
Manufacturing	18.9	19.6	6.1	3.8	1.1	1.7	49.5	51.2	
Construction	71.6	27.7	1.8	1.0	0.2	0.1	101.1	102.4	
Wholesale trade	17.6	20.9	3.7	2.0	0.4	0.4	42.2	45.0	
Retail trade	69.0	68.6	6.3	2.2	0.5	0.3	143.9	146.9	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	5.2	11.4	3.2	1.6	0.3	0.2	19.8	21.9	
Transport and storage	28.4	9.9	1.2	0.6	0.1	0.1	39.5	40.3	
Finance and insurance	5.0	7.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	12.5	12.9	
Property and business services	27.4	35.6	3.8	2.0	0.5	0.3	66.8	69.6	
Education	4.6	2.4	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.0	7.5	7.9	
Health and community services	5.6	17.4	1.2	1.1	0.4	0.3	24.2	26.0	
Cultural and recreational services	10.8	7.3	0.9	0.4	0.0	0.0	19.0	19.4	
Personal and other services	18.7	13.5	0.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	32.9	33.2	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>291.2</b>	<b>250.0</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>577.5</b>	<b>596.9</b>	
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	1.7	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.5	
Manufacturing	32.1	31.4	7.1	4.0	1.2	1.3	75.8	77.1	
Construction	106.0	52.6	3.9	1.7	0.1	0.1	162.5	164.4	
Wholesale trade	17.7	30.9	5.5	2.7	0.6	0.5	54.1	57.9	
Retail trade	67.8	73.5	7.9	3.1	0.4	0.5	149.2	153.2	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	7.3	16.9	4.5	2.3	0.5	0.2	28.7	31.7	
Transport and storage	28.6	17.8	2.3	0.8	0.4	0.2	48.7	50.1	
Finance and insurance	7.3	15.0	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.3	22.9	24.0	
Property and business services	66.0	77.5	5.9	2.9	0.7	0.7	149.4	153.7	
Education	10.6	5.3	1.1	0.7	0.2	0.2	17.0	18.1	
Health and community services	21.4	34.0	3.7	1.4	0.6	0.6	59.1	61.7	
Cultural and recreational services	17.4	11.5	1.4	0.5	0.2	0.0	30.3	31.0	
Personal and other services	36.9	23.6	1.5	0.6	0.0	0.0	62.0	62.6	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>427.3</b>	<b>391.7</b>	<b>45.9</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>870.1</b>	<b>898.4</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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## 2.4

### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—*continued*

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	2.2	1.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	3.4	
Manufacturing	28.0	30.5	6.4	3.9	1.3	1.3	70.1	71.4	
Construction	101.6	56.8	3.4	1.4	0.1	0.0	161.8	163.3	
Wholesale trade	16.4	32.7	5.9	3.4	0.9	0.4	55.0	59.7	
Retail trade	67.4	78.8	9.2	3.2	0.5	0.5	155.4	159.6	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	6.9	17.2	4.2	2.4	0.4	0.3	28.3	31.4	
Transport and storage	31.5	19.4	2.8	0.7	0.4	0.2	53.7	55.0	
Finance and insurance	4.9	14.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	19.9	20.9	
Property and business services	71.3	85.8	5.8	2.5	0.5	0.3	162.9	166.2	
Education	10.1	7.6	1.5	1.0	0.3	0.2	19.2	20.7	
Health and community services	23.2	44.9	4.9	2.5	1.0	0.8	73.0	77.3	
Cultural and recreational services	20.3	8.2	1.3	0.6	0.0	0.1	29.8	30.5	
Personal and other services	37.9	16.3	1.1	0.5	0.0	0.0	55.3	55.8	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>428.5</b>	<b>417.5</b>	<b>47.8</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>899.0</b>	<b>929.4</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	1.5	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.8	
Manufacturing	30.4	35.5	6.7	3.9	1.3	1.3	77.8	79.1	
Construction	95.5	60.1	3.1	1.1	0.4	0.2	158.7	160.4	
Wholesale trade	16.1	30.9	5.8	3.0	0.9	0.5	52.8	57.2	
Retail trade	64.7	84.6	9.3	3.1	0.7	0.7	158.6	163.1	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	6.4	17.0	4.6	2.7	0.5	0.3	28.0	31.5	
Transport and storage	28.9	20.3	1.4	0.8	0.2	0.2	50.6	51.8	
Finance and insurance	5.3	12.3	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	18.1	19.0	
Property and business services	66.3	93.4	6.3	3.1	0.8	0.5	166.0	170.4	
Education	9.6	7.0	1.3	0.8	0.3	0.3	17.9	19.3	
Health and community services	20.2	44.0	3.7	1.8	0.8	0.9	67.9	71.4	
Cultural and recreational services	19.6	10.3	1.1	0.8	0.1	0.0	31.0	31.9	
Personal and other services	36.7	20.0	1.8	0.5	0.2	0.0	58.5	59.2	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>409.1</b>	<b>439.3</b>	<b>46.1</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>899.7</b>	<b>929.5</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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## 2.4

### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—*continued*

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	1.4	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.8
Manufacturing	32.1	39.0	7.0	4.0	1.2	1.3	83.3	84.6
Construction	94.0	60.2	2.9	0.6	0.4	0.3	157.1	158.4
Wholesale trade	16.6	32.1	5.7	3.4	0.9	0.5	54.4	59.2
Retail trade	60.2	82.6	10.1	2.6	0.8	1.0	152.9	157.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	6.7	18.9	5.2	2.7	0.6	0.3	30.8	34.4
Transport and storage	30.1	20.9	2.2	0.9	0.1	0.2	53.2	54.4
Finance and insurance	6.7	10.6	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.2	17.9	18.6
Property and business services	79.9	107.2	7.1	2.6	1.0	0.8	194.2	198.6
Education	10.0	6.5	0.9	1.2	0.2	0.3	17.4	19.1
Health and community services	23.7	41.1	4.1	1.6	0.9	0.6	68.9	72.0
Cultural and recreational services	20.2	12.5	1.0	0.9	0.2	0.3	33.7	35.1
Personal and other services	41.3	27.2	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.1	69.6	70.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>433.6</b>	<b>459.9</b>	<b>49.8</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>977.9</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	5.1	4.4	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	5.1
Manufacturing	3.9	5.0	1.0	0.4	0.6	-1.9	3.8	3.7
Construction	2.0	5.7	3.5	-3.6	5.1	8.2	3.2	3.2
Wholesale trade	-0.4	3.1	3.1	3.9	6.0	1.6	1.8	2.0
Retail trade	-1.0	1.3	3.4	1.2	3.4	9.0	0.4	0.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.8	3.7	3.5	3.8	5.1	2.9	3.2	3.3
Transport and storage	0.4	5.5	4.4	2.9	0.0	5.1	2.1	2.2
Finance and insurance	2.1	2.8	5.1	0.0	8.2	5.1	2.6	2.6
Property and business services	7.9	8.2	4.6	1.9	5.1	7.3	7.9	7.8
Education	5.7	7.4	4.3	10.4	5.1	0.0	6.2	6.5
Health and community services	10.9	6.3	9.2	2.7	6.0	5.1	7.8	7.5
Cultural and recreational services	4.6	3.9	0.8	6.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	4.3
Personal and other services	5.8	5.1	3.3	7.3	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## 2.5

### EMPLOYED PERSONS, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	1.0	0.3	2.5	2.3	4.4	3.3	63.8	4.8	76.3
Manufacturing	28.2	24.0	78.9	81.0	112.2	87.6	615.1	359.7	974.8
Construction	105.4	37.9	77.8	26.4	28.8	17.2	41.1	104.2	191.3
Wholesale trade	26.0	16.7	80.8	52.1	58.1	36.7	112.9	132.9	340.6
Retail trade	105.4	89.2	220.9	83.6	60.7	32.8	277.8	304.5	675.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	7.7	17.0	50.1	44.1	50.6	26.0	43.1	94.2	213.9
Transport and storage	42.6	12.9	29.8	14.8	21.2	10.2	51.5	44.6	127.5
Finance and insurance	7.3	2.9	20.2	6.7	10.8	9.9	102.9	26.9	150.5
Property and business services	42.1	27.3	114.0	52.9	53.0	29.4	99.6	166.9	348.9
Education	7.2	1.5	9.2	6.6	12.5	11.5	29.0	15.8	68.8
Health and community services	9.2	18.2	55.2	19.2	33.2	27.1	94.2	74.4	228.9
Cultural and recreational services	16.5	5.2	22.9	12.3	15.2	9.9	18.5	35.2	78.8
Personal and other services	27.3	16.4	41.0	11.3	12.1	7.2	15.6	52.3	87.2
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>437.5</b>	<b>273.3</b>	<b>825.6</b>	<b>427.3</b>	<b>485.8</b>	<b>317.1</b>	<b>1 588.9</b>	<b>1 452.7</b>	<b>3 644.7</b>
1994-95									
Mining	3.5	0.5	3.7	2.8	4.7	5.4	58.2	6.5	74.8
Manufacturing	47.5	23.9	115.4	94.4	127.1	97.8	499.3	434.7	934.0
Construction	162.2	50.8	140.7	52.0	50.4	13.0	34.9	192.7	291.0
Wholesale trade	26.6	15.5	121.1	75.9	82.2	49.1	117.2	197.0	445.5
Retail trade	114.1	96.6	254.8	104.6	89.0	43.5	412.2	359.4	904.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	12.4	21.8	72.6	63.1	70.2	43.8	102.5	135.7	352.2
Transport and storage	48.0	12.0	53.4	28.3	26.1	36.5	66.3	81.7	210.6
Finance and insurance	8.1	2.2	37.8	9.8	17.1	15.8	170.6	47.6	251.1
Property and business services	96.6	41.1	227.0	80.4	88.7	53.8	176.2	307.4	626.1
Education	13.5	2.4	19.0	16.3	23.7	19.0	65.4	35.3	143.4
Health and community services	26.0	19.7	109.0	47.0	53.9	45.2	208.8	156.0	463.9
Cultural and recreational services	24.4	5.4	34.6	18.8	21.2	17.2	41.0	53.4	132.8
Personal and other services	47.8	15.2	69.8	22.3	19.5	12.6	33.5	92.1	157.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>640.5</b>	<b>309.1</b>	<b>1 261.5</b>	<b>616.5</b>	<b>675.2</b>	<b>453.7</b>	<b>1 993.9</b>	<b>2 102.9</b>	<b>5 000.8</b>

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## 2.5

### EMPLOYED PERSONS, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—*continued*

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1–9	10–19	20–49	50–99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1995–96									
Mining	3.8	0.2	4.5	3.7	3.9	3.9	70.1	8.2	86.1
Manufacturing	48.4	25.4	114.4	91.0	121.7	108.0	508.3	435.1	943.4
Construction	172.5	50.4	163.9	43.9	42.2	18.2	42.2	207.8	310.4
Wholesale trade	26.4	13.7	124.1	80.2	100.3	62.8	112.6	204.3	480.0
Retail trade	114.0	93.2	275.8	122.0	100.0	51.7	386.7	397.8	936.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	12.8	24.2	58.1	56.8	67.5	31.5	99.0	114.9	312.9
Transport and storage	52.8	15.1	56.2	32.9	25.8	34.9	118.6	89.1	268.4
Finance and insurance	6.9	2.7	41.1	9.6	14.7	14.1	175.7	50.7	255.2
Property and business services	101.0	44.8	242.6	78.6	73.6	49.8	181.1	321.2	625.7
Education	15.8	1.9	23.5	21.5	32.5	30.8	81.5	45.0	189.8
Health and community services	30.9	21.3	139.7	65.0	78.3	76.3	260.7	204.7	620.0
Cultural and recreational services	28.4	4.9	27.0	16.7	21.5	12.1	40.8	43.7	118.1
Personal and other services	49.0	14.6	54.1	19.3	18.6	9.1	33.3	73.4	134.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>670.8</b>	<b>312.9</b>	<b>1 336.4</b>	<b>644.9</b>	<b>705.8</b>	<b>505.7</b>	<b>2 129.8</b>	<b>2 211.0</b>	<b>5 322.6</b>
1996–97									
Mining	2.6	0.0	3.8	2.4	6.2	6.2	65.5	6.2	84.1
Manufacturing	52.7	24.1	137.8	103.9	124.4	100.3	494.0	466.4	960.4
Construction	162.5	41.3	174.9	39.3	32.7	27.1	54.5	214.2	328.5
Wholesale trade	25.6	14.3	117.8	78.6	94.6	68.4	121.7	196.4	481.1
Retail trade	109.1	83.3	306.6	128.3	97.3	61.0	432.4	434.9	1 025.6
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	11.7	26.8	67.8	66.0	85.4	40.0	94.5	133.8	353.7
Transport and storage	48.5	12.9	61.3	23.7	28.8	27.0	94.4	85.0	235.2
Finance and insurance	7.5	2.2	33.5	7.4	15.4	20.6	189.6	40.9	266.5
Property and business services	93.8	42.3	265.0	86.9	95.6	62.1	190.6	351.9	700.2
Education	15.1	1.8	22.4	17.5	30.4	30.5	93.8	39.9	194.6
Health and community services	26.8	18.5	144.4	51.2	56.7	59.1	265.7	195.6	577.1
Cultural and recreational services	27.3	6.1	29.5	18.0	27.4	13.2	43.8	47.5	131.9
Personal and other services	47.7	16.0	64.3	24.7	21.2	17.3	32.2	89.0	159.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>640.8</b>	<b>291.6</b>	<b>1 438.8</b>	<b>651.4</b>	<b>719.6</b>	<b>534.2</b>	<b>2 194.2</b>	<b>2 314.9</b>	<b>5 538.2</b>

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## 2.5

### EMPLOYED PERSONS, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1–9	10–19	20–49	50–99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
	1997–98								
Mining	2.4	0.5	3.9	3.7	5.4	4.8	59.8	7.6	77.6
Manufacturing	55.8	25.0	133.3	98.7	120.8	85.5	480.2	438.3	918.5
Construction	160.1	47.0	173.1	35.7	23.4	24.3	69.5	208.8	326.0
Wholesale trade	26.4	13.5	112.7	76.6	102.2	69.3	116.9	189.3	477.7
Retail trade	101.4	87.6	286.3	132.4	72.2	58.2	446.7	418.7	995.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	12.1	23.6	79.0	67.4	83.9	45.1	100.4	146.4	375.8
Transport and storage	50.7	14.9	61.8	28.2	28.2	16.9	87.6	90.0	222.7
Finance and insurance	9.3	3.1	26.3	9.4	9.0	26.0	209.6	35.7	280.3
Property and business services	113.2	44.0	290.5	92.1	72.8	64.1	239.7	382.6	759.2
Education	16.0	2.8	24.6	13.5	36.3	22.5	83.6	38.1	180.5
Health and community services	31.5	18.8	131.9	53.6	46.9	65.0	183.9	185.5	481.3
Cultural and recreational services	28.3	6.0	33.3	17.2	25.2	18.7	69.2	50.5	163.6
Personal and other services	53.7	17.9	75.7	14.7	22.6	16.2	36.7	90.4	165.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>674.4</b>	<b>307.4</b>	<b>1 432.5</b>	<b>646.2</b>	<b>649.0</b>	<b>517.9</b>	<b>2 187.4</b>	<b>2 285.0</b>	<b>5 433.0</b>
	AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983–84 TO 1997–98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	6.5	3.7	3.2	3.5	1.5	2.7	–0.5	3.3	0.1
Manufacturing	5.0	0.3	3.8	1.4	0.5	–0.2	–1.8	1.4	–0.4
Construction	3.0	1.5	5.9	2.2	–1.5	2.5	3.8	5.1	3.9
Wholesale trade	0.1	–1.5	2.4	2.8	4.1	4.6	0.2	2.6	2.4
Retail trade	–0.3	–0.1	1.9	3.3	1.2	4.2	3.5	2.3	2.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.3	2.4	3.3	3.1	3.7	4.0	6.2	3.2	4.1
Transport and storage	1.3	1.0	5.3	4.7	2.1	3.7	3.9	5.1	4.1
Finance and insurance	1.7	0.5	1.9	2.4	–1.3	7.1	5.2	2.0	4.5
Property and business services	7.3	3.5	6.9	4.0	2.3	5.7	6.5	6.1	5.7
Education	5.9	4.6	7.3	5.2	7.9	4.9	7.9	6.5	7.1
Health and community services	9.2	0.2	6.4	7.6	2.5	6.4	4.9	6.7	5.5
Cultural and recreational services	3.9	1.0	2.7	2.4	3.7	4.6	9.9	2.6	5.4
Personal and other services	5.0	0.6	4.5	1.9	4.6	6.0	6.3	4.0	4.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.9</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.1 SMALL BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED

State and Territory	Businesses					Employment		
	Small businesses		All businesses	Persons working in own business(a)	Private sector employees	Small businesses		All businesses
	Number	Proportion of all businesses				Total employment	Proportion of all businesses	
1983-84								
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000
NSW	206.8	97.0	213.2	236.9	520.7	757.6	48.8	1 551.0
Vic.	151.0	96.5	156.4	187.2	390.3	577.5	48.1	1 200.7
Qld	95.0	97.0	97.9	132.6	220.7	353.3	53.4	661.9
SA	45.2	95.8	47.2	55.2	118.6	173.8	48.0	362.2
WA	52.1	96.8	53.8	67.5	129.0	196.5	50.9	386.1
Tas.	14.1	96.6	14.6	17.7	37.6	55.3	51.2	108.1
NT	4.6	95.8	4.8	5.0	12.1	17.1	53.8	31.8
ACT	8.7	96.7	9.0	8.7	23.7	32.4	60.3	53.7
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>577.5</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>596.9</b>	<b>710.8</b>	<b>1 452.7</b>	<b>2 163.5</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>4 355.5</b>
1994-95								
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000
NSW	283.2	96.9	292.4	290.8	716.9	1 007.7	49.2	2 048.7
Vic.	218.8	96.5	226.8	221.1	562.9	784.0	50.4	1 555.1
Qld	167.0	97.3	171.6	203.2	367.1	570.3	54.6	1 043.6
SA	70.4	97.0	72.6	78.0	160.5	238.5	51.9	459.6
WA	91.1	97.1	93.8	111.5	190.8	302.3	52.2	579.5
Tas.	20.2	97.6	20.7	24.3	52.8	77.1	58.2	132.4
NT	6.1	92.4	6.6	6.6	18.1	24.7	49.1	50.3
ACT	13.3	95.7	13.9	14.1	33.8	47.9	59.0	81.2
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>870.1</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>898.4</b>	<b>949.6</b>	<b>2 102.9</b>	<b>3 052.5</b>	<b>51.3</b>	<b>5 950.4</b>
1995-96								
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000
NSW	296.0	96.7	306.2	314.5	769.5	1 084.0	49.4	2 194.2
Vic.	225.2	96.6	233.1	223.7	567.5	791.2	49.2	1 608.0
Qld	169.5	97.0	174.8	201.9	383.4	585.3	53.0	1 104.3
SA	71.3	96.4	74.0	79.7	173.9	253.6	51.7	490.5
WA	96.8	97.2	99.6	119.3	205.7	325.0	50.7	640.4
Tas.	20.4	97.1	21.0	24.4	56.6	81.0	58.5	138.5
NT	6.7	94.4	7.1	6.8	19.1	25.9	52.7	49.1
ACT	13.1	96.3	13.6	13.4	35.3	48.7	59.9	81.3
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>899.0</b>	<b>96.7</b>	<b>929.4</b>	<b>983.7</b>	<b>2 211.0</b>	<b>3 194.7</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>6 306.3</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.1

#### SMALL BUSINESSES AND PERSONS EMPLOYED—continued

State and Territory	Businesses					Employment		
	Small businesses			Small businesses			Proportion of all businesses	All businesses
	Number	Proportion of all businesses	All businesses	Persons working in own business(a)	Private sector employees	Total employment		
1996–97								
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000
NSW	299.9	97.0	309.3	293.1	833.0	1 126.1	50.0	2 251.6
Vic.	220.5	96.3	228.9	203.8	590.4	794.2	47.6	1 669.2
Qld	171.2	97.2	176.1	200.1	383.5	583.6	52.1	1 119.7
SA	71.2	97.0	73.4	77.6	168.0	245.6	51.8	474.0
WA	96.8	96.9	99.9	114.3	226.7	341.0	51.2	666.2
Tas.	21.0	96.3	21.8	24.0	57.9	81.9	55.6	147.4
NT	6.4	92.8	6.9	6.1	21.1	27.2	48.0	56.7
ACT	12.7	96.2	13.2	13.4	34.3	47.7	55.6	85.8
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>899.7</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>929.5</b>	<b>932.4</b>	<b>2 314.9</b>	<b>3 247.3</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>6 470.6</b>
1997–98								
	'000	%	'000	'000	'000	'000	%	'000
NSW	314.6	96.7	325.2	315.6	777.7	1 093.3	49.3	2 215.8
Vic.	230.1	96.4	238.7	219.0	593.3	812.3	49.2	1 651.6
Qld	184.8	97.6	189.4	204.0	415.5	619.5	54.9	1 127.7
SA	71.6	97.0	73.8	80.4	164.2	244.6	52.6	465.1
WA	106.4	97.6	109.0	116.9	230.2	347.1	51.3	677.2
Tas.	20.2	97.6	20.7	24.1	51.4	75.5	54.0	139.8
NT	6.1	96.8	6.3	7.0	18.3	25.3	47.2	53.6
ACT	14.7	99.3	14.8	14.8	34.4	49.2	58.6	84.0
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>948.5</b>	<b>97.0</b>	<b>977.9</b>	<b>981.8</b>	<b>2 285.0</b>	<b>3 266.8</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>6 414.8</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983–84 TO 1997–98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
NSW	3.0	..	3.1	2.1	2.9	2.7	..	2.6
Vic.	3.1	..	3.1	1.1	3.0	2.5	..	2.3
Qld	4.9	..	4.8	3.1	4.6	4.1	..	3.9
SA	3.3	..	3.2	2.7	2.4	2.5	..	1.8
WA	5.2	..	5.2	4.0	4.2	4.1	..	4.1
Tas.	2.6	..	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.2	..	1.9
NT	2.0	..	2.0	2.4	3.0	2.8	..	3.8
ACT	3.8	..	3.6	3.9	2.7	3.0	..	3.2
<b>Aust.</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## 3.2

### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	
Manufacturing	5.5	7.3	1.9	1.5	0.3	0.5	16.5	17.0	
Construction	26.4	9.0	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	36.0	36.5	
Wholesale trade	6.4	8.1	1.4	0.7	0.2	0.2	15.9	17.0	
Retail trade	23.7	24.0	2.4	0.7	0.2	0.1	50.1	51.1	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.1	4.1	1.3	0.6	0.1	0.1	7.5	8.3	
Transport and storage	11.6	3.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	15.7	16.1	
Finance and insurance	1.6	3.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.9	5.2	
Property and business services	9.5	16.7	1.6	0.5	0.2	0.1	27.8	28.6	
Education	1.6	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.8	
Health and community services	2.2	6.9	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	9.3	9.9	
Cultural and recreational services	4.5	2.9	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.8	
Personal and other services	6.8	4.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	11.5	11.6	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>91.7</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>206.8</b>	<b>213.2</b>	
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.8	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.1	
Manufacturing	9.8	10.3	2.3	1.7	0.3	0.5	24.4	24.9	
Construction	29.9	18.7	1.6	0.6	0.0	0.1	50.2	50.9	
Wholesale trade	6.6	10.1	1.9	0.9	0.3	0.2	18.6	20.0	
Retail trade	20.7	21.5	2.6	1.1	0.2	0.2	44.8	46.3	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.1	5.7	1.8	0.9	0.2	0.1	10.6	11.8	
Transport and storage	7.5	5.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.1	13.5	14.1	
Finance and insurance	1.7	5.9	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	7.8	8.3	
Property and business services	18.9	33.1	1.8	0.8	0.2	0.3	53.8	55.1	
Education	3.6	2.0	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.1	6.0	6.2	
Health and community services	7.2	11.9	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	20.4	21.0	
Cultural and recreational services	6.4	4.1	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	11.0	11.3	
Personal and other services	10.5	7.0	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	18.1	18.2	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>129.3</b>	<b>136.1</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>283.2</b>	<b>292.4</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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## 3.2

### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES—*continued*

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	1.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6	
Manufacturing	7.7	9.1	2.3	1.5	0.4	0.4	21.0	21.4	
Construction	34.1	19.9	1.0	0.7	0.1	0.0	55.0	55.8	
Wholesale trade	7.6	11.2	1.9	1.3	0.4	0.2	20.7	22.6	
Retail trade	19.0	23.1	2.9	1.4	0.2	0.1	45.0	46.7	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.4	5.9	1.9	0.8	0.2	0.1	10.2	11.3	
Transport and storage	9.7	5.2	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	15.9	16.3	
Finance and insurance	1.0	5.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	6.9	7.3	
Property and business services	18.5	36.1	1.9	0.7	0.2	0.2	56.5	57.6	
Education	4.2	2.8	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	7.5	7.8	
Health and community services	7.1	15.6	1.9	0.6	0.4	0.3	24.6	25.9	
Cultural and recreational services	6.9	2.7	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.1	10.1	10.4	
Personal and other services	12.3	4.6	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	17.4	17.5	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>133.9</b>	<b>143.6</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>296.0</b>	<b>306.2</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	
Manufacturing	10.4	11.4	2.5	1.1	0.4	0.4	25.8	26.2	
Construction	28.4	21.6	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	51.1	51.4	
Wholesale trade	5.7	11.0	2.3	1.4	0.4	0.2	19.0	21.0	
Retail trade	19.1	27.7	2.9	0.8	0.2	0.2	49.7	50.9	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.5	6.7	1.8	0.9	0.2	0.1	10.0	11.2	
Transport and storage	9.4	5.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	15.1	15.6	
Finance and insurance	1.6	4.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	6.2	6.5	
Property and business services	18.5	40.5	2.4	0.9	0.3	0.2	61.4	62.8	
Education	3.4	2.9	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	6.8	7.1	
Health and community services	5.2	15.5	1.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	22.0	23.0	
Cultural and recreational services	6.0	4.3	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	10.8	11.1	
Personal and other services	10.8	6.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	17.3	17.5	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>123.6</b>	<b>158.3</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>299.9</b>	<b>309.3</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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## 3.2

### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1–9	10–19	20–49	50–99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997–98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9
Manufacturing	9.8	11.8	2.5	1.1	0.5	0.4	25.7	26.1
Construction	28.5	21.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	50.0	50.3
Wholesale trade	4.9	10.8	1.6	1.7	0.5	0.2	17.3	19.7
Retail trade	17.3	28.0	3.1	1.0	0.4	0.3	48.4	50.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.9	7.0	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.1	10.6	12.1
Transport and storage	9.4	5.7	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	16.3	16.7
Finance and insurance	2.1	3.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	5.3	5.5
Property and business services	24.4	46.5	2.8	0.9	0.4	0.3	73.7	75.3
Education	3.0	2.7	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	6.2	6.6
Health and community services	7.0	15.2	1.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	23.4	24.5
Cultural and recreational services	6.7	5.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	12.0	12.3
Personal and other services	12.4	7.3	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.1	20.1	20.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>164.6</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>314.6</b>	<b>325.2</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983–84 TO 1997–98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	13.7	2.9	n.a.	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.0
Manufacturing	4.2	3.5	2.0	-2.2	3.7	-1.6	3.2	3.1
Construction	0.5	6.3	-2.9	-7.5	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.3
Wholesale trade	-1.9	2.1	1.0	6.5	6.8	0.0	0.6	1.1
Retail trade	-2.2	1.1	1.8	2.6	5.1	8.2	-0.2	-0.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	-0.7	3.9	1.9	5.7	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.7
Transport and storage	-1.5	3.3	6.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3
Finance and insurance	2.0	-0.2	0.0	n.a.	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.4
Property and business services	7.0	7.6	4.1	4.3	5.1	8.2	7.2	7.2
Education	4.6	7.4	12.2	5.1	0.0	0.0	6.1	6.3
Health and community services	8.6	5.8	13.7	0.0	12.2	5.1	6.8	6.7
Cultural and recreational services	2.9	4.3	-7.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.3
Personal and other services	4.4	3.5	5.1	5.1	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.1
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.1</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.3

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	0.1	0.0	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.3	21.5	1.7	25.6
Manufacturing	8.0	6.6	30.3	26.2	42.8	26.3	222.5	125.6	348.1
Construction	37.9	11.2	26.4	7.9	8.5	5.3	15.8	34.3	63.9
Wholesale trade	9.2	6.6	31.0	18.7	20.3	15.9	46.8	49.7	132.7
Retail trade	35.0	27.7	80.3	30.7	19.9	10.1	96.3	111.0	237.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.0	7.5	18.5	17.0	18.9	8.2	17.4	35.5	80.0
Transport and storage	16.9	3.8	10.3	5.6	6.8	4.1	20.4	15.9	47.2
Finance and insurance	2.3	0.9	8.5	2.8	3.4	3.4	49.0	11.3	67.1
Property and business services	14.1	10.4	53.1	21.0	17.0	9.5	39.8	74.1	140.4
Education	2.4	0.6	3.6	1.2	2.5	3.2	13.5	4.8	24.0
Health and community services	3.5	6.1	21.1	4.7	11.2	9.4	38.2	25.8	84.6
Cultural and recreational services	6.6	2.1	8.7	4.1	4.5	2.4	8.5	12.8	28.2
Personal and other services	9.6	3.7	14.2	3.4	4.1	2.3	5.7	17.6	29.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>149.4</b>	<b>87.5</b>	<b>307.1</b>	<b>144.5</b>	<b>161.4</b>	<b>101.5</b>	<b>599.6</b>	<b>520.7</b>	<b>1 314.1</b>
1994-95									
Mining	1.7	0.0	0.7	0.7	2.1	0.6	15.1	1.4	19.2
Manufacturing	14.5	6.2	37.7	31.2	47.4	26.6	176.3	142.9	319.2
Construction	45.7	14.4	45.3	21.3	19.5	2.6	16.7	66.6	105.4
Wholesale trade	9.9	5.5	37.2	24.4	25.0	21.4	51.7	61.6	159.7
Retail trade	34.9	31.3	79.3	35.3	30.5	16.4	147.8	114.6	309.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	5.3	6.8	26.5	23.4	26.9	15.2	37.2	49.9	129.2
Transport and storage	12.6	3.9	16.3	8.0	9.7	6.2	20.9	24.3	61.1
Finance and insurance	1.9	0.6	15.5	2.9	5.0	7.0	79.9	18.4	110.3
Property and business services	27.7	14.5	99.5	23.5	24.6	19.4	68.8	123.0	235.8
Education	4.6	0.7	7.2	4.7	1.7	5.2	29.3	11.9	48.1
Health and community services	8.8	5.7	38.0	16.5	7.6	15.2	79.8	54.5	157.1
Cultural and recreational services	9.0	2.2	12.2	6.1	6.4	4.7	18.3	18.3	47.7
Personal and other services	13.6	4.6	21.4	7.4	4.3	3.8	11.7	28.8	48.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>193.6</b>	<b>97.2</b>	<b>437.4</b>	<b>205.5</b>	<b>211.3</b>	<b>144.8</b>	<b>758.9</b>	<b>716.9</b>	<b>1 757.9</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.3

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	2.2	0.0	0.9	0.2	1.9	0.9	17.0	1.1	20.9
Manufacturing	13.3	6.7	36.0	32.6	43.6	34.9	168.8	147.1	315.9
Construction	57.9	16.3	58.6	14.8	19.6	8.3	14.2	73.4	115.5
Wholesale trade	12.2	4.2	42.5	25.3	37.2	26.8	48.5	67.8	180.3
Retail trade	32.1	34.0	89.6	37.1	37.9	13.9	132.0	126.7	310.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	4.4	7.5	19.7	24.2	23.5	11.5	34.8	43.9	113.7
Transport and storage	16.2	5.7	13.4	11.3	8.3	8.9	50.0	24.7	91.9
Finance and insurance	1.4	0.6	16.8	3.2	4.2	6.9	80.8	20.0	111.9
Property and business services	26.2	15.4	106.5	25.8	20.5	18.8	69.4	132.3	241.0
Education	6.6	0.4	8.9	6.6	3.5	9.6	34.4	15.5	63.0
Health and community services	9.4	7.1	48.9	24.2	15.2	28.6	95.1	73.1	212.0
Cultural and recreational services	9.7	1.8	8.9	6.2	5.6	3.6	17.5	15.1	41.8
Personal and other services	15.9	4.3	15.5	7.5	3.8	2.8	11.3	23.0	40.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>210.2</b>	<b>104.3</b>	<b>470.3</b>	<b>220.7</b>	<b>227.8</b>	<b>176.4</b>	<b>784.5</b>	<b>769.5</b>	<b>1 879.7</b>
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	1.0	0.0	0.8	0.2	1.0	1.0	15.4	1.0	18.4
Manufacturing	18.0	6.8	48.2	37.2	34.2	31.9	142.6	151.5	294.1
Construction	48.3	12.5	70.1	14.3	7.5	10.9	14.3	84.4	117.1
Wholesale trade	9.1	4.5	44.2	31.4	43.2	31.0	53.8	75.6	203.6
Retail trade	32.2	28.5	101.5	40.8	24.2	18.0	150.4	142.3	334.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.8	11.8	28.8	25.3	28.4	14.5	35.5	54.1	132.5
Transport and storage	15.7	4.4	14.7	7.2	8.9	9.6	39.7	21.9	80.1
Finance and insurance	2.2	0.8	12.7	3.5	3.2	9.5	88.1	16.2	117.0
Property and business services	26.2	15.4	119.5	32.3	28.6	23.4	80.3	151.8	284.1
Education	5.3	0.8	8.6	5.5	4.5	6.9	40.0	14.1	65.5
Health and community services	7.0	5.8	53.0	17.0	12.9	20.3	102.7	70.0	205.9
Cultural and recreational services	8.3	1.6	11.7	5.7	5.2	4.4	13.8	17.4	40.8
Personal and other services	14.0	5.6	20.8	6.1	4.1	4.6	11.1	26.9	46.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>194.0</b>	<b>99.1</b>	<b>538.0</b>	<b>228.9</b>	<b>206.9</b>	<b>186.5</b>	<b>798.2</b>	<b>833.0</b>	<b>1 958.5</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.3

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NEW SOUTH WALES—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1997-98									
Mining	1.1	0.1	1.1	0.6	0.7	1.0	13.5	1.7	16.9
Manufacturing	16.9	10.2	37.4	32.8	36.0	32.9	145.7	139.1	284.8
Construction	48.5	16.7	65.1	5.3	3.8	4.7	24.1	70.4	103.0
Wholesale trade	7.8	4.5	42.3	23.2	55.8	29.3	42.4	65.5	193.0
Retail trade	29.2	30.0	91.6	41.8	25.6	26.2	165.0	133.4	350.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.6	11.1	27.4	22.5	37.2	11.0	34.9	49.9	133.0
Transport and storage	15.7	4.4	19.1	14.6	5.9	7.8	35.9	33.7	83.3
Finance and insurance	2.8	1.0	6.2	2.9	1.4	9.8	94.6	9.1	114.9
Property and business services	34.6	16.3	116.3	34.9	23.4	26.8	91.9	151.2	293.3
Education	4.7	0.7	10.5	6.6	4.7	5.5	33.2	17.1	60.5
Health and community services	9.4	7.5	51.1	14.1	11.1	36.1	60.7	65.2	173.1
Cultural and recreational services	9.2	2.0	11.2	2.2	1.8	4.6	21.2	13.4	41.0
Personal and other services	16.1	5.6	20.4	6.1	4.7	2.7	17.3	26.5	51.2
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>204.8</b>	<b>110.8</b>	<b>499.7</b>	<b>209.1</b>	<b>212.1</b>	<b>198.7</b>	<b>780.6</b>	<b>777.7</b>	<b>1 900.2</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	18.7	0.0	2.3	-2.9	-3.2	-1.9	-3.3	0.0	-2.9
Manufacturing	5.5	3.2	1.5	1.6	-1.2	1.6	-3.0	0.7	-1.4
Construction	1.8	2.9	6.7	-2.8	-5.6	-0.9	3.1	5.3	3.5
Wholesale trade	-1.2	-2.7	2.2	1.6	7.5	4.5	-0.7	2.0	2.7
Retail trade	-1.3	0.6	0.9	2.2	1.8	7.0	3.9	1.3	2.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.3	2.8	2.8	2.0	5.0	2.1	5.1	2.5	3.7
Transport and storage	-0.5	1.1	4.5	7.1	-1.0	4.7	4.1	5.5	4.1
Finance and insurance	1.4	0.8	-2.2	0.3	-6.1	7.9	4.8	-1.5	3.9
Property and business services	6.6	3.3	5.8	3.7	2.3	7.7	6.2	5.2	5.4
Education	4.9	1.1	7.9	12.9	4.6	3.9	6.6	9.5	6.8
Health and community services	7.3	1.5	6.5	8.2	-0.1	10.1	3.4	6.8	5.2
Cultural and recreational services	2.4	-0.3	1.8	-4.3	-6.3	4.8	6.7	0.3	2.7
Personal and other services	3.8	3.0	2.6	4.3	1.0	1.2	8.3	3.0	4.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.7</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.4

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	
Manufacturing	6.2	5.4	1.9	1.1	0.5	0.6	15.1	15.7	
Construction	21.3	7.9	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	29.7	30.0	
Wholesale trade	5.2	4.8	1.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	11.1	11.8	
Retail trade	18.0	16.6	1.5	0.7	0.1	0.1	36.1	37.0	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.4	2.7	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	4.9	5.4	
Transport and storage	7.2	2.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	9.7	9.9	
Finance and insurance	1.7	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.8	3.9	
Property and business services	6.9	9.0	0.9	0.7	0.1	0.1	16.8	17.7	
Education	1.4	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	2.4	2.7	
Health and community services	1.4	4.8	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.0	6.6	7.1	
Cultural and recreational services	3.2	2.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.6	
Personal and other services	5.0	3.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	8.7	8.8	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>79.4</b>	<b>61.8</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>151.0</b>	<b>156.4</b>	
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	8.6	10.0	2.4	0.9	0.4	0.4	22.3	22.7	
Construction	25.7	13.7	0.8	0.4	0.0	0.0	40.2	40.6	
Wholesale trade	4.0	8.4	2.0	1.0	0.1	0.1	14.4	15.6	
Retail trade	17.0	19.7	2.4	0.5	0.1	0.1	39.1	39.8	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.9	3.8	0.9	0.5	0.2	0.0	6.6	7.3	
Transport and storage	6.5	4.7	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.1	12.0	12.7	
Finance and insurance	2.0	3.9	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	6.1	6.4	
Property and business services	15.0	18.8	1.8	0.7	0.2	0.2	35.6	36.7	
Education	2.4	1.6	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.1	4.4	5.1	
Health and community services	4.0	9.1	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.1	13.9	14.9	
Cultural and recreational services	3.8	3.0	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	7.1	7.4	
Personal and other services	9.3	5.8	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	15.5	15.7	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>101.3</b>	<b>103.0</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>218.8</b>	<b>226.8</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.4

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA—*continued*

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	7.8	10.3	1.8	1.2	0.4	0.5	21.5	22.0	
Construction	22.5	13.2	1.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	36.8	37.0	
Wholesale trade	3.3	8.6	1.7	1.0	0.2	0.1	13.6	14.9	
Retail trade	16.9	19.5	2.3	0.5	0.1	0.2	38.7	39.5	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.9	3.8	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.1	6.5	7.3	
Transport and storage	8.6	5.9	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.1	15.3	16.0	
Finance and insurance	1.1	4.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	5.3	5.6	
Property and business services	17.6	21.8	1.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	40.9	41.7	
Education	1.9	2.2	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.0	4.7	5.3	
Health and community services	4.9	11.6	1.2	0.9	0.3	0.1	17.7	19.0	
Cultural and recreational services	4.7	2.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	7.2	7.4	
Personal and other services	9.8	3.9	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	14.1	14.3	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>225.2</b>	<b>233.1</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	7.0	11.1	2.1	1.4	0.5	0.5	22.1	22.6	
Construction	21.2	16.9	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	38.7	39.3	
Wholesale trade	3.3	9.1	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.1	13.6	14.4	
Retail trade	16.2	20.5	2.0	0.9	0.1	0.2	38.7	39.9	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.7	3.8	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.1	6.2	7.2	
Transport and storage	5.4	6.3	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	12.3	12.8	
Finance and insurance	1.0	3.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.2	4.5	
Property and business services	13.9	23.8	1.3	1.0	0.2	0.1	39.0	40.3	
Education	1.7	1.7	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	3.9	4.5	
Health and community services	5.2	10.7	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.3	16.9	18.0	
Cultural and recreational services	4.9	2.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	7.1	7.4	
Personal and other services	9.9	4.9	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	15.2	15.5	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>93.0</b>	<b>114.9</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>220.5</b>	<b>228.9</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.4

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Manufacturing	8.4	12.8	2.5	1.4	0.4	0.5	25.5	26.0
Construction	22.3	16.0	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	39.2	39.5
Wholesale trade	3.3	9.4	1.2	0.7	0.2	0.1	13.9	14.9
Retail trade	14.5	17.1	2.6	0.7	0.1	0.3	34.2	35.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.4	3.6	1.2	0.6	0.2	0.0	6.2	7.0
Transport and storage	6.5	6.1	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.1	12.9	13.5
Finance and insurance	1.6	1.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	3.6	4.0
Property and business services	18.6	25.4	1.7	0.9	0.2	0.2	45.7	47.0
Education	2.2	1.3	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.1	3.9	4.7
Health and community services	6.4	8.4	1.3	0.5	0.2	0.2	16.1	17.0
Cultural and recreational services	4.5	3.4	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	8.5	9.1
Personal and other services	10.8	7.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	18.3	18.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>102.1</b>	<b>112.6</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>230.1</b>	<b>238.7</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	2.2	6.4	2.0	1.7	-1.6	-1.3	3.8	3.7
Construction	0.3	5.2	4.3	-4.8	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0
Wholesale trade	-3.2	4.9	0.6	2.4	5.1	0.0	1.6	1.7
Retail trade	-1.5	0.2	4.0	0.0	0.0	8.2	-0.4	-0.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.0	2.1	2.9	5.1	5.1	n.a.	1.7	1.9
Transport and storage	-0.7	7.6	0.0	6.8	0.0	0.0	2.1	2.2
Finance and insurance	-0.4	-1.2	8.2	5.1	0.0	0.0	-0.4	0.2
Property and business services	7.3	7.7	4.6	1.8	5.1	5.1	7.4	7.2
Education	3.3	3.5	5.1	8.2	0.0	0.0	3.5	4.0
Health and community services	11.5	4.1	8.8	1.6	5.1	0.0	6.6	6.4
Cultural and recreational services	2.5	3.5	8.2	10.4	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.5
Personal and other services	5.7	5.4	0.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.1</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.5

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.2	2.7	0.7	4.2
Manufacturing	9.0	8.5	23.1	26.9	34.1	34.3	220.7	118.4	339.1
Construction	30.8	9.0	22.1	6.8	5.9	4.0	9.8	28.9	48.6
Wholesale trade	7.5	5.2	18.1	15.0	16.4	9.6	32.0	33.1	91.1
Retail trade	26.8	23.2	56.2	21.5	20.4	7.3	76.0	77.7	181.4
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.1	3.1	11.6	11.0	12.2	5.8	14.2	22.6	54.8
Transport and storage	10.6	3.3	7.1	3.0	7.4	2.6	11.4	10.1	31.5
Finance and insurance	2.5	0.6	5.3	1.8	2.8	2.6	25.0	7.1	37.5
Property and business services	10.3	6.6	27.5	13.8	16.1	8.6	28.4	41.3	94.4
Education	2.2	0.5	2.9	2.6	6.9	4.6	6.5	5.5	23.5
Health and community services	2.3	4.9	15.8	5.6	12.4	8.3	17.9	21.4	60.0
Cultural and recreational services	4.8	1.5	6.4	3.2	5.1	2.9	5.1	9.6	22.7
Personal and other services	7.2	3.8	10.6	3.3	4.0	1.6	4.2	13.9	23.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>116.9</b>	<b>70.3</b>	<b>207.1</b>	<b>114.8</b>	<b>144.6</b>	<b>92.7</b>	<b>454.3</b>	<b>390.3</b>	<b>1 013.5</b>
1994-95									
Mining	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.4	1.3	1.0	3.5
Manufacturing	12.7	6.7	37.9	30.6	30.1	31.8	162.3	130.4	292.7
Construction	39.3	9.1	39.3	12.4	9.0	3.0	4.0	51.7	67.7
Wholesale trade	6.0	2.7	31.5	28.4	26.9	10.5	30.9	59.9	128.2
Retail trade	28.6	25.5	65.1	30.8	13.3	7.4	105.0	95.9	221.6
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.3	3.8	16.5	11.9	14.4	12.6	18.4	28.4	73.8
Transport and storage	10.9	2.1	12.4	9.3	11.4	19.2	21.8	21.7	74.1
Finance and insurance	2.2	0.6	9.3	3.2	4.2	5.2	50.0	12.5	71.9
Property and business services	21.9	8.9	51.3	25.0	25.2	17.0	57.7	76.3	176.2
Education	3.0	0.7	5.2	5.3	13.5	6.8	12.7	10.5	43.5
Health and community services	4.8	3.5	26.9	10.9	23.2	11.7	33.4	37.8	106.1
Cultural and recreational services	5.3	0.6	9.5	3.7	6.2	6.4	6.7	13.2	32.5
Personal and other services	12.0	4.4	17.4	5.3	6.7	2.5	6.5	22.7	38.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>152.1</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>323.4</b>	<b>177.6</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>134.7</b>	<b>512.7</b>	<b>562.9</b>	<b>1 334.0</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.5

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA—*continued*

*Private sector employees*

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1995-96									
Mining	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.3	1.7	0.6	3.1
Manufacturing	13.5	6.5	38.2	24.3	37.8	31.3	172.6	131.6	304.2
Construction	38.2	8.7	34.2	12.3	5.5	3.5	8.0	46.5	63.5
Wholesale trade	5.3	2.6	31.9	24.9	24.3	12.6	32.9	56.8	126.6
Retail trade	28.6	18.7	63.7	31.9	15.3	11.2	106.9	95.6	229.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.5	6.4	12.8	11.0	13.9	5.3	19.6	23.8	62.6
Transport and storage	14.4	1.1	16.9	9.3	10.8	16.4	34.1	26.2	87.5
Finance and insurance	1.6	0.5	10.5	2.6	2.5	3.6	54.5	13.1	73.7
Property and business services	25.0	9.2	56.7	20.3	15.0	11.6	62.8	77.0	166.4
Education	3.0	0.7	6.1	7.3	15.0	10.5	15.2	13.4	54.1
Health and community services	6.5	4.8	32.7	15.7	26.2	18.9	40.7	48.4	134.2
Cultural and recreational services	6.6	0.9	7.2	3.3	6.1	2.8	7.2	10.5	26.6
Personal and other services	12.7	3.2	13.2	4.6	6.5	1.1	7.1	17.8	32.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>160.5</b>	<b>63.2</b>	<b>329.3</b>	<b>169.1</b>	<b>181.3</b>	<b>130.9</b>	<b>573.7</b>	<b>567.5</b>	<b>1 384.3</b>
1996-97									
Mining	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.5	2.5	0.4	4.0
Manufacturing	12.2	5.6	41.0	32.4	44.0	37.7	175.5	155.1	330.6
Construction	36.1	8.1	42.7	7.0	10.3	4.6	12.2	49.7	76.8
Wholesale trade	5.3	3.1	30.5	16.1	14.7	15.6	26.1	46.6	103.0
Retail trade	27.4	17.9	74.2	26.7	26.8	9.2	116.7	100.9	253.6
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.1	3.9	14.5	9.5	24.6	6.3	18.9	24.0	73.8
Transport and storage	9.1	2.8	19.5	8.7	10.0	8.9	26.9	28.2	74.0
Finance and insurance	1.4	0.6	7.5	1.4	3.3	4.3	52.8	8.9	69.3
Property and business services	19.7	7.5	63.9	18.5	28.9	12.4	58.9	82.4	182.6
Education	2.7	0.1	6.0	6.7	14.4	10.6	23.0	12.7	60.7
Health and community services	6.9	4.6	34.4	13.7	19.4	15.4	60.7	48.1	143.6
Cultural and recreational services	6.8	0.9	5.9	4.1	11.5	2.2	13.1	10.0	36.8
Personal and other services	12.9	3.2	14.8	4.9	7.0	4.5	8.2	19.7	39.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>145.4</b>	<b>58.4</b>	<b>358.2</b>	<b>150.5</b>	<b>217.1</b>	<b>133.0</b>	<b>606.6</b>	<b>590.4</b>	<b>1 465.4</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.5

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—VICTORIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1997-98									
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	6.0	0.8	7.3
Manufacturing	14.7	5.5	48.3	34.0	39.8	30.7	165.8	152.8	318.6
Construction	37.9	8.4	43.5	12.1	5.9	8.5	20.3	55.6	90.3
Wholesale trade	5.3	2.0	27.0	15.1	19.3	15.4	28.2	42.1	105.0
Retail trade	24.5	19.5	59.3	32.6	19.8	7.2	111.2	91.9	230.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.5	3.4	18.4	15.3	17.7	10.2	15.4	33.7	77.0
Transport and storage	11.0	1.6	18.5	4.0	14.1	2.7	24.5	22.5	63.8
Finance and insurance	2.2	0.4	4.1	3.7	4.9	4.2	55.9	7.8	72.8
Property and business services	26.4	9.5	72.1	22.9	24.0	11.4	75.5	95.0	205.9
Education	3.5	1.1	6.1	4.8	18.4	7.6	13.9	10.9	50.8
Health and community services	8.5	2.7	24.6	15.1	15.7	13.7	42.5	39.7	111.6
Cultural and recreational services	6.3	1.5	11.2	10.6	11.5	9.3	20.3	21.8	62.9
Personal and other services	14.1	4.5	15.8	2.4	6.2	4.2	7.2	18.2	35.8
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>158.6</b>	<b>60.4</b>	<b>349.5</b>	<b>173.3</b>	<b>197.6</b>	<b>125.5</b>	<b>586.7</b>	<b>593.3</b>	<b>1 432.6</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	-4.8	0.0	5.9	1.0	4.0
Manufacturing	3.6	-3.1	5.4	1.7	1.1	-0.8	-2.0	1.8	-0.4
Construction	1.5	-0.5	5.0	4.2	0.0	5.5	5.3	4.8	4.5
Wholesale trade	-2.4	-6.6	2.9	0.0	1.2	3.4	-0.9	1.7	1.0
Retail trade	-0.6	-1.2	0.4	3.0	-0.2	-0.1	2.8	1.2	1.7
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.3	0.7	3.4	2.4	2.7	4.1	0.6	2.9	2.5
Transport and storage	0.3	-5.0	7.1	2.1	4.7	0.3	5.6	5.9	5.2
Finance and insurance	-0.9	-2.9	-1.8	5.3	4.1	3.5	5.9	0.7	4.9
Property and business services	7.0	2.6	7.1	3.7	2.9	2.0	7.2	6.1	5.7
Education	3.4	5.8	5.5	4.5	7.3	3.7	5.6	5.0	5.7
Health and community services	9.8	-4.2	3.2	7.3	1.7	3.6	6.4	4.5	4.5
Cultural and recreational services	2.0	0.0	4.1	8.9	6.0	8.7	10.4	6.0	7.6
Personal and other services	4.9	1.2	2.9	-2.2	3.2	7.1	3.9	1.9	3.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.5</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.6

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	
Manufacturing	3.5	2.8	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.2	7.9	8.1	
Construction	10.2	5.8	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	16.3	16.6	
Wholesale trade	2.8	3.9	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	7.2	7.7	
Retail trade	12.3	12.6	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	26.1	26.6	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.9	2.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	3.5	3.8	
Transport and storage	4.9	2.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	7.2	7.3	
Finance and insurance	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6	
Property and business services	5.6	4.3	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	10.6	11.1	
Education	0.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	
Health and community services	0.9	2.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.5	3.8	
Cultural and recreational services	1.5	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.9	
Personal and other services	3.4	2.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.7	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>48.3</b>	<b>41.1</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>95.0</b>	<b>97.9</b>	
1995-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	
Manufacturing	5.9	5.3	0.9	0.6	0.2	0.2	12.9	13.1	
Construction	23.6	11.3	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.0	35.6	36.1	
Wholesale trade	3.7	5.0	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	9.5	10.0	
Retail trade	12.6	13.2	1.4	0.6	0.1	0.1	27.2	28.0	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.2	3.3	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.6	6.1	
Transport and storage	6.3	3.9	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	10.6	10.7	
Finance and insurance	1.9	2.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.2	
Property and business services	16.0	11.7	1.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	28.8	29.5	
Education	2.0	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	2.9	
Health and community services	3.8	5.7	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	10.0	10.4	
Cultural and recreational services	3.1	2.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.7	
Personal and other services	7.9	4.3	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	12.5	12.6	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>89.2</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>167.0</b>	<b>171.6</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.6

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND—continued

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	5.3	5.8	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.2	12.6	12.8	
Construction	18.8	13.3	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	32.7	32.9	
Wholesale trade	2.7	4.8	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	8.5	9.1	
Retail trade	14.6	14.6	1.9	0.8	0.2	0.1	31.1	32.2	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.3	3.8	1.0	0.6	0.1	0.1	6.1	6.9	
Transport and storage	6.7	4.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	11.1	11.3	
Finance and insurance	1.3	1.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.3	
Property and business services	16.6	12.6	1.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	30.3	30.8	
Education	1.5	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.8	3.1	
Health and community services	5.0	8.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	13.6	14.4	
Cultural and recreational services	3.8	1.9	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	6.1	6.3	
Personal and other services	5.8	3.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	9.4	9.5	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>84.8</b>	<b>76.1</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>169.5</b>	<b>174.8</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	
Manufacturing	5.1	6.4	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.2	13.0	13.2	
Construction	20.5	12.1	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	33.5	33.8	
Wholesale trade	2.8	4.1	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.1	7.8	8.6	
Retail trade	13.4	16.2	1.4	0.8	0.2	0.1	31.0	32.1	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.5	2.6	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.1	5.1	5.8	
Transport and storage	7.1	4.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	12.0	12.1	
Finance and insurance	1.3	1.8	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.1	3.2	
Property and business services	15.5	12.9	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	29.6	30.1	
Education	2.0	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.3	3.6	
Health and community services	3.9	8.6	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.1	13.0	13.5	
Cultural and recreational services	4.5	2.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	6.8	7.0	
Personal and other services	6.6	3.3	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	10.3	10.4	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>85.9</b>	<b>76.9</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>171.2</b>	<b>176.1</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.6

#### BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6
Manufacturing	6.0	6.1	0.8	0.9	0.1	0.2	13.9	14.1
Construction	18.9	12.8	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	32.8	33.1
Wholesale trade	4.2	5.6	1.3	0.4	0.1	0.2	11.1	11.8
Retail trade	12.8	16.8	2.4	0.5	0.1	0.2	32.0	32.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.3	3.8	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	6.4	7.0
Transport and storage	7.8	3.8	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	11.8	11.9
Finance and insurance	1.6	1.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.6
Property and business services	16.1	15.8	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	33.1	33.5
Education	2.1	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	3.4	3.6
Health and community services	4.6	9.3	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	14.6	15.0
Cultural and recreational services	3.6	1.7	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.8
Personal and other services	8.0	5.5	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	13.6	14.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>89.3</b>	<b>84.7</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>184.8</b>	<b>189.4</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	-4.8	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.3
Manufacturing	3.9	5.7	-1.6	4.3	0.0	0.0	4.1	4.0
Construction	4.5	5.8	9.7	-2.9	0.0	0.0	5.1	5.1
Wholesale trade	2.9	2.6	7.1	2.1	0.0	5.1	3.1	3.1
Retail trade	0.3	2.1	5.1	3.7	0.0	5.1	1.5	1.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.7	4.7	5.7	0.0	5.1	0.0	4.4	4.5
Transport and storage	3.4	4.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.6	3.6
Finance and insurance	5.1	6.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.0
Property and business services	7.8	9.7	3.9	-2.9	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.2
Education	8.2	11.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.1	9.6
Health and community services	12.4	9.8	14.9	5.1	0.0	0.0	10.7	10.3
Cultural and recreational services	6.5	3.2	0.0	8.2	0.0	0.0	4.9	5.1
Personal and other services	6.3	6.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.4	6.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>4.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.



### 3.7

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.3	1.4	0.4	15.2	0.9	17.9
Manufacturing	5.4	4.8	10.6	11.7	15.4	9.8	65.3	47.5	112.8
Construction	15.7	9.6	14.9	5.8	8.1	4.2	7.2	20.7	40.2
Wholesale trade	4.3	1.8	14.6	7.6	8.5	5.4	13.3	22.2	49.4
Retail trade	19.6	20.0	38.6	14.8	7.1	6.6	46.2	53.4	113.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.4	3.4	8.2	7.4	7.0	6.5	6.2	15.6	35.3
Transport and storage	7.7	3.0	6.3	3.2	3.0	1.8	7.1	9.5	21.4
Finance and insurance	1.2	0.6	2.0	0.7	1.5	0.7	12.5	2.7	17.4
Property and business services	9.0	6.3	13.2	9.0	8.2	4.1	15.9	22.2	50.4
Education	1.2	0.2	1.1	0.5	0.8	0.8	6.0	1.6	9.2
Health and community services	1.5	3.0	7.6	2.2	3.7	2.5	17.6	9.8	33.6
Cultural and recreational services	2.4	0.9	3.8	2.5	2.5	2.7	1.4	6.3	12.9
Personal and other services	5.1	2.9	6.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	2.6	7.9	13.1
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>75.6</b>	<b>57.0</b>	<b>128.2</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>47.1</b>	<b>217.7</b>	<b>220.7</b>	<b>529.3</b>
1994-95									
Mining	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.4	1.0	1.4	14.8	1.3	18.5
Manufacturing	8.7	5.6	18.5	11.7	19.8	17.4	72.5	67.4	139.9
Construction	36.1	16.7	28.8	8.8	13.5	1.5	5.0	37.6	57.6
Wholesale trade	5.5	3.6	21.5	11.2	9.3	8.0	17.3	32.7	67.3
Retail trade	21.2	16.3	46.7	17.8	17.0	10.0	73.4	64.5	164.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.0	4.9	14.1	16.5	11.4	7.3	29.7	30.6	79.0
Transport and storage	10.6	3.8	12.5	5.1	1.6	8.0	7.9	17.6	35.1
Finance and insurance	2.1	0.4	5.0	1.0	2.6	0.9	16.3	6.0	25.8
Property and business services	23.5	8.9	35.1	13.8	15.5	6.7	23.3	48.9	94.4
Education	2.5	0.8	3.0	1.6	1.7	3.1	12.9	4.6	22.3
Health and community services	4.6	4.6	18.8	6.5	8.2	10.0	35.8	25.3	79.3
Cultural and recreational services	4.4	0.9	7.0	5.9	4.2	3.1	6.8	12.9	27.0
Personal and other services	10.2	3.2	13.4	3.4	2.5	2.5	5.9	16.8	27.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>133.2</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>225.9</b>	<b>104.0</b>	<b>108.4</b>	<b>79.9</b>	<b>322.2</b>	<b>367.1</b>	<b>840.4</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.7

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1995-96									
Mining	0.0	0.2	0.6	1.2	0.5	0.4	19.4	1.8	22.1
Manufacturing	9.1	6.8	22.6	13.3	13.2	14.2	67.5	63.3	130.8
Construction	31.9	13.9	39.1	7.5	7.0	2.3	6.8	46.6	62.7
Wholesale trade	4.4	3.8	17.1	13.7	13.5	11.9	11.5	30.8	67.7
Retail trade	24.7	16.6	50.5	24.4	24.2	16.2	59.7	74.9	175.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.4	4.2	13.4	13.2	15.8	6.7	28.7	26.6	77.8
Transport and storage	11.3	4.5	14.3	2.8	4.2	5.9	11.5	17.1	38.7
Finance and insurance	1.8	0.8	5.1	1.2	2.2	1.5	14.4	6.3	24.4
Property and business services	23.5	9.2	35.5	15.9	12.6	10.8	20.6	51.4	95.4
Education	2.3	0.2	3.8	1.6	2.8	5.3	20.1	5.4	33.6
Health and community services	6.7	4.2	25.1	6.5	13.9	17.3	56.6	31.6	119.4
Cultural and recreational services	5.3	0.8	6.5	4.7	6.0	2.9	6.8	11.2	26.9
Personal and other services	7.5	3.8	12.2	2.7	3.5	2.4	5.8	14.9	26.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>132.6</b>	<b>69.3</b>	<b>247.2</b>	<b>108.8</b>	<b>119.6</b>	<b>97.9</b>	<b>328.9</b>	<b>383.4</b>	<b>902.4</b>
1996-97									
Mining	0.2	0.0	0.9	0.9	1.6	2.0	18.5	1.8	23.9
Manufacturing	8.9	5.4	24.0	13.2	18.8	7.9	75.4	63.9	139.3
Construction	34.8	10.1	37.6	10.9	3.6	4.4	14.6	48.5	71.1
Wholesale trade	4.4	3.4	15.4	11.4	17.3	8.4	22.3	26.8	74.8
Retail trade	22.6	19.1	59.0	18.7	26.0	17.4	74.4	77.7	195.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.8	5.3	9.1	14.7	15.6	8.6	24.5	23.8	72.5
Transport and storage	11.9	3.0	13.1	2.4	3.8	3.2	14.6	15.5	37.1
Finance and insurance	1.9	0.3	5.3	0.6	1.9	1.9	19.9	5.9	29.6
Property and business services	21.9	9.1	35.4	15.1	8.3	10.9	20.0	50.5	89.7
Education	3.1	0.5	3.8	1.0	1.7	7.1	17.8	4.8	31.4
Health and community services	5.1	3.5	26.5	7.7	5.9	13.2	42.2	34.2	95.5
Cultural and recreational services	6.3	2.2	5.6	5.3	6.5	2.2	8.5	10.9	28.1
Personal and other services	8.5	3.3	11.3	6.6	4.5	2.2	5.2	17.9	29.8
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>134.5</b>	<b>65.6</b>	<b>248.5</b>	<b>108.3</b>	<b>115.3</b>	<b>89.7</b>	<b>357.8</b>	<b>383.5</b>	<b>919.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.7

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—QUEENSLAND—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1997-98									
Mining	0.3	0.1	1.2	1.3	0.3	1.1	13.2	2.5	17.1
Manufacturing	10.5	4.4	22.7	12.9	23.6	5.4	72.7	64.6	137.3
Construction	32.1	12.1	35.1	12.4	7.3	4.9	6.3	47.5	66.0
Wholesale trade	6.7	3.3	20.8	16.6	10.3	11.1	31.1	37.4	89.9
Retail trade	21.6	16.9	55.5	29.5	15.2	6.5	84.2	85.0	190.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.4	3.6	12.3	16.8	8.1	10.8	32.8	29.1	80.8
Transport and storage	13.1	5.0	8.9	3.1	2.9	3.1	14.3	12.0	32.3
Finance and insurance	2.4	1.0	5.4	0.9	0.4	1.7	25.6	6.3	34.0
Property and business services	22.8	8.8	44.9	16.0	6.9	5.8	19.8	60.9	93.4
Education	3.3	0.4	4.4	0.2	2.2	3.4	22.8	4.6	33.0
Health and community services	6.0	3.4	27.9	10.8	5.1	5.0	33.2	38.7	82.0
Cultural and recreational services	5.1	0.9	5.1	2.1	8.5	1.8	11.5	7.2	29.0
Personal and other services	10.3	3.7	18.1	1.2	7.4	3.9	3.7	19.3	34.3
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>139.4</b>	<b>64.6</b>	<b>262.3</b>	<b>124.2</b>	<b>98.3</b>	<b>64.5</b>	<b>374.4</b>	<b>415.5</b>	<b>923.7</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	-5.9	-4.8	5.1	11.0	-10.4	7.5	-1.0	7.6	-0.3
Manufacturing	4.9	-0.6	5.6	0.7	3.1	-4.2	0.8	2.2	1.4
Construction	5.2	1.7	6.3	5.6	-0.7	1.1	-0.9	6.1	3.6
Wholesale trade	3.2	4.4	2.6	5.7	1.4	5.3	6.3	3.8	4.4
Retail trade	0.7	-1.2	2.6	5.1	5.6	-0.1	4.4	3.4	3.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	3.9	0.4	2.9	6.0	1.0	3.7	12.6	4.6	6.1
Transport and storage	3.9	3.7	2.5	-0.2	-0.2	4.0	5.1	1.7	3.0
Finance and insurance	5.1	3.7	7.4	1.8	-9.0	6.5	5.3	6.2	4.9
Property and business services	6.9	2.4	9.1	4.2	-1.2	2.5	1.6	7.5	4.5
Education	7.5	5.1	10.4	-6.3	7.5	10.9	10.0	7.8	9.6
Health and community services	10.4	0.9	9.7	12.0	2.3	5.1	4.6	10.3	6.6
Cultural and recreational services	5.5	0.0	2.1	-1.2	9.1	-2.9	16.2	1.0	6.0
Personal and other services	5.1	1.8	7.6	-1.1	13.2	8.2	2.6	6.6	7.1
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

# 3.8

## BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	1.7	1.6	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.2	4.4	4.6	
Construction	6.2	2.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	8.5	8.6	
Wholesale trade	1.2	1.8	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	3.3	3.5	
Retail trade	6.1	5.5	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.0	12.3	12.7	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.2	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.7	
Transport and storage	1.9	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.9	
Finance and insurance	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	
Property and business services	1.6	2.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.2	
Education	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	
Health and community services	0.6	1.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.1	2.4	
Cultural and recreational services	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.3	
Personal and other services	1.4	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	2.9	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>45.2</b>	<b>47.2</b>	
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	
Manufacturing	2.3	2.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	5.5	5.6	
Construction	7.7	3.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	11.5	11.6	
Wholesale trade	1.3	3.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.6	4.8	
Retail trade	7.4	7.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	14.8	15.0	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.5	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.2	
Transport and storage	2.7	1.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.9	
Finance and insurance	0.5	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.9	
Property and business services	5.1	5.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	10.3	10.8	
Education	1.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.6	
Health and community services	2.6	2.7	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	5.7	6.1	
Cultural and recreational services	1.1	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	1.9	
Personal and other services	3.4	2.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.9	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>36.9</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>72.6</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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# 3.8

## BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	
Manufacturing	2.3	1.9	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	5.2	5.3	
Construction	7.4	4.9	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	12.4	12.5	
Wholesale trade	1.3	3.2	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.0	5.0	5.5	
Retail trade	6.3	7.4	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	14.1	14.4	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.5	1.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.9	2.0	
Transport and storage	2.0	1.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.5	
Finance and insurance	0.6	1.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.8	
Property and business services	5.4	5.3	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.0	11.0	11.4	
Education	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.7	
Health and community services	2.2	3.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.8	6.3	
Cultural and recreational services	1.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.8	
Personal and other services	4.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.8	5.8	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>32.3</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>71.3</b>	<b>74.0</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.6	
Manufacturing	3.1	2.0	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.1	6.2	6.3	
Construction	7.5	4.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	12.0	12.1	
Wholesale trade	1.7	3.1	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	5.2	5.5	
Retail trade	6.5	6.9	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	14.1	14.5	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.8	1.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.6	
Transport and storage	2.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.2	
Finance and insurance	0.5	1.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.6	
Property and business services	5.2	4.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	10.0	10.3	
Education	1.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.7	
Health and community services	2.4	3.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	6.0	6.5	
Cultural and recreational services	1.5	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.1	2.2	
Personal and other services	3.5	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.6	5.7	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>30.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>73.4</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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## BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Manufacturing	2.6	2.3	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.9	6.0
Construction	7.5	3.0	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	10.8	10.9
Wholesale trade	1.2	2.8	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.6	4.8
Retail trade	6.0	7.9	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	14.5	14.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.7	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.8
Transport and storage	1.8	1.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.5
Finance and insurance	0.4	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.5
Property and business services	6.0	4.3	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	10.9	11.2
Education	1.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.6
Health and community services	2.2	2.6	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.1	5.6
Cultural and recreational services	1.9	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.8
Personal and other services	3.7	2.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>36.5</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>71.6</b>	<b>73.8</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1	5.1
Manufacturing	3.1	2.6	-1.1	0.0	0.0	-4.8	2.1	1.9
Construction	1.4	2.6	2.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7
Wholesale trade	0.0	3.2	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.3
Retail trade	-0.1	2.6	-1.1	-2.9	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	9.4	3.2	-4.8	2.9	0.0	0.0	3.7	3.6
Transport and storage	-0.4	4.1	8.2	n.a.	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.4
Finance and insurance	2.1	5.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	4.6
Property and business services	9.9	4.9	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.4	7.3
Education	8.2	8.2	n.a.	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.8	7.3
Health and community services	9.7	5.1	2.9	8.2	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.2
Cultural and recreational services	8.6	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	5.6
Personal and other services	7.2	4.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.9	6.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

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#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.8	0.3	2.5
Manufacturing	2.6	1.4	5.7	8.1	8.5	8.9	59.4	31.2	90.6
Construction	9.4	3.8	5.9	2.8	1.9	1.1	2.5	8.7	14.2
Wholesale trade	1.9	0.9	7.5	4.3	5.1	2.5	8.5	11.8	27.9
Retail trade	9.7	6.3	16.7	7.9	7.6	5.4	25.7	24.6	63.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.3	1.7	4.9	3.5	5.9	1.7	1.8	8.4	17.8
Transport and storage	3.0	1.0	2.4	1.0	2.0	0.9	3.4	3.4	9.7
Finance and insurance	0.5	0.3	1.8	0.5	1.3	0.7	6.0	2.3	10.3
Property and business services	2.6	1.6	8.0	3.3	4.9	2.5	7.5	11.3	26.2
Education	0.6	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.8	1.9	1.3	1.6	5.6
Health and community services	1.0	1.9	4.6	2.5	2.3	4.4	10.1	7.1	23.9
Cultural and recreational services	1.0	0.1	1.6	1.0	1.6	0.7	1.1	2.6	6.0
Personal and other services	2.1	0.7	4.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.8	5.4	8.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>35.3</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>64.0</b>	<b>37.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>31.8</b>	<b>130.9</b>	<b>118.6</b>	<b>307.0</b>
1994-95									
Mining	0.8	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	1.0	2.9	0.4	4.4
Manufacturing	3.4	1.3	7.6	7.1	13.6	13.1	48.5	41.4	89.9
Construction	11.8	2.5	11.3	1.3	2.6	0.6	0.2	12.6	16.0
Wholesale trade	2.0	1.2	12.2	4.8	7.7	2.7	5.2	17.0	32.6
Retail trade	12.5	8.1	23.2	4.6	7.5	3.4	27.6	27.8	66.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.8	1.6	4.6	4.0	6.0	4.1	4.6	8.6	23.3
Transport and storage	4.6	1.1	3.9	1.2	1.0	1.0	5.2	5.1	12.3
Finance and insurance	0.6	0.3	3.3	0.1	2.3	1.5	6.6	3.4	13.8
Property and business services	7.4	2.4	16.3	1.4	9.3	4.4	9.1	17.7	40.5
Education	1.4	0.0	1.0	1.7	2.3	1.7	3.6	2.7	10.3
Health and community services	3.1	2.1	8.6	4.2	6.9	4.0	26.4	12.8	50.1
Cultural and recreational services	1.5	0.7	1.7	1.2	1.8	1.6	2.8	2.9	9.1
Personal and other services	4.4	0.8	6.1	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.6	7.8	12.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>55.5</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>100.3</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>62.9</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>144.2</b>	<b>160.5</b>	<b>381.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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# 3.9

## PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1995-96									
Mining	1.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.8	2.8	0.3	3.9
Manufacturing	3.9	1.5	6.2	8.1	9.5	18.7	52.6	42.5	95.1
Construction	12.6	2.5	13.9	1.5	3.7	1.7	0.7	15.4	21.5
Wholesale trade	2.1	1.1	12.8	6.0	13.2	6.0	5.6	18.8	43.6
Retail trade	10.7	7.7	27.2	4.9	8.6	3.7	21.8	32.1	66.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.0	1.8	3.8	0.7	5.2	3.7	3.7	4.5	17.1
Transport and storage	3.3	1.6	3.6	3.9	1.2	1.5	8.3	7.5	18.5
Finance and insurance	0.9	0.2	3.6	0.4	2.4	0.9	7.4	4.0	14.7
Property and business services	7.6	3.3	17.0	2.5	9.6	2.8	10.2	19.5	42.1
Education	1.6	0.2	1.2	2.8	2.7	2.1	3.8	4.0	12.6
Health and community services	2.9	2.4	10.6	7.3	8.2	4.8	28.4	17.9	59.3
Cultural and recreational services	1.8	0.4	1.4	0.3	1.6	1.4	2.3	1.7	7.0
Personal and other services	5.1	1.4	4.9	0.3	1.5	1.4	1.3	5.2	9.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>55.5</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>106.8</b>	<b>38.9</b>	<b>67.2</b>	<b>49.4</b>	<b>148.5</b>	<b>173.9</b>	<b>410.8</b>
1996-97									
Mining	0.8	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.6	2.2	0.3	3.2
Manufacturing	5.3	1.6	6.2	8.2	11.2	13.0	51.6	38.6	90.2
Construction	12.7	2.6	9.4	3.0	2.2	1.8	1.9	12.4	18.3
Wholesale trade	2.7	1.1	13.3	6.4	5.9	6.7	5.7	19.7	38.0
Retail trade	10.9	5.1	23.9	10.1	5.8	4.7	28.5	34.0	73.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.5	1.7	3.7	4.8	5.4	3.3	3.7	8.5	20.9
Transport and storage	3.7	0.9	3.0	2.0	1.6	2.0	4.9	5.0	13.5
Finance and insurance	0.7	0.2	2.8	0.6	1.9	2.3	9.9	3.4	17.5
Property and business services	7.4	3.2	12.8	5.2	8.8	4.8	8.5	18.0	40.1
Education	1.9	0.1	1.2	1.4	3.6	1.5	3.6	2.6	11.3
Health and community services	3.2	1.4	11.5	3.8	8.7	4.5	19.9	15.3	48.4
Cultural and recreational services	2.1	0.3	1.6	0.7	2.1	1.1	2.4	2.3	7.9
Personal and other services	4.5	1.1	5.2	1.8	2.1	2.4	1.1	7.0	12.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>58.2</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>95.4</b>	<b>48.4</b>	<b>59.8</b>	<b>48.7</b>	<b>144.1</b>	<b>168.0</b>	<b>396.4</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.9

#### PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—SOUTH AUSTRALIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1997-98									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	2.2	0.5	3.2
Manufacturing	4.5	1.8	7.4	8.5	11.0	5.6	51.5	32.5	84.0
Construction	12.8	2.5	7.9	3.5	1.7	0.7	0.9	11.4	14.7
Wholesale trade	2.0	1.2	11.5	8.5	5.8	3.0	3.8	20.0	32.6
Retail trade	10.1	8.0	25.6	8.4	4.3	6.4	27.2	34.0	71.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.3	2.2	7.0	2.0	9.1	2.1	4.3	9.0	24.5
Transport and storage	3.1	0.6	4.7	3.7	0.5	0.6	4.4	8.4	13.9
Finance and insurance	0.6	0.3	2.3	0.4	0.8	3.1	14.0	2.7	20.6
Property and business services	8.5	2.7	10.9	7.4	7.8	6.1	9.3	18.3	41.5
Education	1.9	0.2	1.1	0.5	2.8	2.5	4.7	1.6	11.6
Health and community services	2.9	2.0	8.8	4.2	8.1	5.7	17.1	13.0	43.9
Cultural and recreational services	2.7	0.3	2.1	1.1	1.4	0.7	1.7	3.2	7.0
Personal and other services	4.8	0.9	7.7	1.6	2.1	2.3	1.2	9.3	14.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>57.4</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>97.2</b>	<b>50.4</b>	<b>55.6</b>	<b>39.2</b>	<b>142.3</b>	<b>164.2</b>	<b>384.7</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	12.2	0.0	0.0	8.2	0.0	2.9	1.4	3.7	1.8
Manufacturing	4.0	1.8	1.9	0.3	1.9	-3.3	-1.0	0.3	-0.5
Construction	2.2	-2.9	2.1	1.6	-0.8	-3.2	-7.0	1.9	0.2
Wholesale trade	0.4	2.1	3.1	5.0	0.9	1.3	-5.6	3.8	1.1
Retail trade	0.3	1.7	3.1	0.4	-4.0	1.2	0.4	2.3	0.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	11.0	1.9	2.6	-3.9	3.1	1.5	6.4	0.5	2.3
Transport and storage	0.2	-3.6	4.9	9.8	-9.4	-2.9	1.9	6.7	2.6
Finance and insurance	1.3	0.0	1.8	-1.6	-3.4	11.2	6.2	1.2	5.1
Property and business services	8.8	3.8	2.2	5.9	3.4	6.6	1.5	3.5	3.3
Education	8.6	5.1	4.4	-4.8	9.4	2.0	9.6	0.0	5.3
Health and community services	7.9	0.4	4.7	3.8	9.4	1.9	3.8	4.4	4.4
Cultural and recreational services	7.4	8.2	2.0	0.7	-0.9	0.0	3.2	1.5	1.1
Personal and other services	6.1	1.8	4.4	2.1	4.7	5.4	2.9	4.0	4.2
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.10 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more			
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	
Manufacturing	1.6	2.1	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	4.5	4.6	
Construction	5.7	2.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	7.9	8.0	
Wholesale trade	1.7	1.9	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	3.9	4.1	
Retail trade	6.7	7.7	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	14.8	15.0	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.4	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.9	
Transport and storage	2.2	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.2	
Finance and insurance	0.5	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2	
Property and business services	3.3	2.8	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	6.4	6.7	
Education	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	
Health and community services	0.4	1.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.2	2.3	
Cultural and recreational services	0.9	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6	
Personal and other services	1.7	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.3	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>52.1</b>	<b>53.8</b>	
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	
Manufacturing	4.4	2.8	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	8.4	8.5	
Construction	13.6	3.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	17.2	17.4	
Wholesale trade	1.8	3.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	5.2	5.7	
Retail trade	6.6	8.0	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.1	15.1	15.7	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.4	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.7	
Transport and storage	4.6	1.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.5	
Finance and insurance	0.8	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.2	2.3	
Property and business services	8.3	6.0	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.1	15.2	15.8	
Education	1.1	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.7	
Health and community services	2.4	3.0	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	5.8	6.0	
Cultural and recreational services	2.1	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.1	3.1	
Personal and other services	4.3	2.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.7	6.8	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>34.6</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>91.1</b>	<b>93.8</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.10 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group					100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99				
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8	
Manufacturing	3.9	2.5	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.1	7.7	7.8	
Construction	14.1	3.0	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	17.5	17.6	
Wholesale trade	1.1	3.5	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.1	5.2	5.6	
Retail trade	7.4	9.7	1.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	18.3	18.6	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.6	1.4	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.6	
Transport and storage	3.5	1.8	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.7	
Finance and insurance	0.6	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.1	
Property and business services	10.3	6.8	0.8	0.5	0.0	0.0	17.9	18.4	
Education	1.1	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.8	2.0	
Health and community services	2.2	4.0	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.1	6.6	7.0	
Cultural and recreational services	2.6	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	3.2	
Personal and other services	4.8	1.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.4	6.5	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>53.3</b>	<b>37.5</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>99.6</b>	
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	
Mining	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.8	
Manufacturing	3.6	3.7	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	8.4	8.5	
Construction	13.8	3.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	17.1	17.4	
Wholesale trade	1.9	2.5	0.9	0.2	0.1	0.1	5.3	5.7	
Retail trade	6.2	9.2	1.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	17.1	17.5	
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.4	1.3	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.0	2.4	2.7	
Transport and storage	3.6	2.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	5.7	5.8	
Finance and insurance	0.7	1.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.4	
Property and business services	10.2	8.2	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.1	19.1	19.9	
Education	1.0	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.8	
Health and community services	2.1	3.4	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.1	5.9	6.2	
Cultural and recreational services	1.8	0.9	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	2.8	
Personal and other services	4.5	2.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	7.0	
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>51.1</b>	<b>39.4</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>96.8</b>	<b>99.9</b>	

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.10 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.8
Manufacturing	4.0	4.7	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	9.5	9.6
Construction	12.6	5.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	18.0	18.3
Wholesale trade	2.2	2.4	0.9	0.2	0.1	0.0	5.5	5.8
Retail trade	6.5	9.3	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.1	16.7	17.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.8	1.5	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.0	2.9	3.2
Transport and storage	3.4	2.9	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.6
Finance and insurance	0.9	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	3.2	3.3
Property and business services	11.2	11.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	22.8	23.3
Education	1.2	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.9	2.1
Health and community services	2.2	3.6	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	6.2	6.3
Cultural and recreational services	2.6	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	3.6	3.7
Personal and other services	4.9	2.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.4	7.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>54.2</b>	<b>47.6</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>106.4</b>	<b>109.0</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	8.2	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	10.4
Manufacturing	6.8	5.9	1.6	-2.9	0.0	0.0	5.5	5.4
Construction	5.8	6.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	6.1
Wholesale trade	1.9	1.7	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.5
Retail trade	-0.2	1.4	6.0	-4.8	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	5.1	2.2	8.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.8
Transport and storage	3.2	8.7	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.2	5.3
Finance and insurance	4.3	8.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	7.5
Property and business services	9.1	10.4	2.1	-4.8	5.1	0.0	9.5	9.3
Education	8.2	9.4	n.a.	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.4	8.2
Health and community services	12.9	6.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.7	7.5
Cultural and recreational services	7.9	3.7	n.a.	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.2
Personal and other services	7.9	3.9	0.0	n.a.	0.0	0.0	6.2	5.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.11 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84									
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.2	19.5	1.1	22.8
Manufacturing	2.6	2.1	7.7	6.1	9.2	6.7	29.4	29.7	59.1
Construction	9.0	3.2	6.1	2.3	3.8	2.1	5.6	8.4	19.9
Wholesale trade	2.6	1.8	7.7	5.3	6.1	2.6	10.9	13.0	32.6
Retail trade	10.9	9.6	21.8	7.0	4.6	2.3	27.6	28.8	63.3
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.6	1.3	4.8	3.5	4.6	3.4	2.6	8.3	18.9
Transport and storage	3.5	1.4	2.8	1.4	1.4	0.6	8.2	4.2	14.4
Finance and insurance	0.7	0.4	2.1	0.7	1.3	0.6	8.1	2.8	12.8
Property and business services	5.4	2.4	10.0	4.6	5.2	3.7	7.5	14.6	31.0
Education	0.7	0.1	0.8	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.5	1.9	5.1
Health and community services	0.7	1.9	5.0	3.3	2.3	1.8	9.0	8.3	21.4
Cultural and recreational services	1.5	0.6	1.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.4	2.7	7.3
Personal and other services	2.7	0.8	4.2	1.5	1.5	0.7	1.9	5.7	9.8
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>75.0</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>43.5</b>	<b>27.9</b>	<b>134.1</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>318.6</b>
1994-95									
Mining	0.6	0.2	1.1	1.0	0.4	1.9	19.8	2.1	24.2
Manufacturing	6.5	3.0	10.0	10.3	11.1	5.0	26.9	36.4	63.3
Construction	20.8	5.2	10.6	4.5	3.3	4.3	8.3	15.1	31.0
Wholesale trade	2.7	1.7	12.9	4.8	9.7	4.8	10.5	17.7	42.7
Retail trade	11.1	9.9	26.3	7.5	15.2	3.7	41.5	33.8	94.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.7	3.3	6.2	4.5	5.5	3.0	6.0	10.7	25.2
Transport and storage	7.7	0.7	4.7	4.1	1.3	1.3	9.0	8.8	20.4
Finance and insurance	0.9	0.2	3.2	2.1	2.1	0.8	12.9	5.3	21.1
Property and business services	12.2	4.7	15.9	12.9	9.5	4.5	13.7	28.8	56.5
Education	1.4	0.2	1.6	2.1	2.6	0.7	4.6	3.7	11.6
Health and community services	2.9	2.9	10.2	5.5	4.9	2.3	25.8	15.7	48.7
Cultural and recreational services	2.9	0.7	2.4	1.2	1.3	1.1	5.6	3.6	11.6
Personal and other services	5.6	1.5	6.4	2.4	2.6	0.7	5.1	8.8	17.2
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>77.3</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>111.9</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>189.6</b>	<b>190.8</b>	<b>468.0</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.11 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.4	0.0	2.0	2.0	0.6	1.5	24.3	4.0	30.4
Manufacturing	6.8	2.8	7.8	9.6	12.3	5.9	30.1	35.6	65.7
Construction	24.0	6.0	10.0	4.6	2.7	1.5	12.1	14.6	30.9
Wholesale trade	1.8	1.6	14.2	7.4	8.8	3.4	13.8	21.6	47.6
Retail trade	12.4	11.5	30.1	14.8	9.3	3.5	50.0	44.9	107.7
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.0	2.6	4.7	5.1	5.1	3.4	6.9	9.8	25.2
Transport and storage	5.8	1.1	4.8	5.4	0.5	1.1	12.8	10.2	24.6
Finance and insurance	0.8	0.6	3.3	1.5	2.9	0.8	14.1	4.8	22.6
Property and business services	14.6	5.5	16.3	10.0	12.7	4.2	14.9	26.3	58.1
Education	1.7	0.4	2.1	1.8	5.8	1.2	5.3	3.9	16.2
Health and community services	3.0	2.3	13.6	5.2	11.3	3.6	30.4	18.8	64.1
Cultural and recreational services	3.6	0.5	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.2	6.4	3.2	12.0
Personal and other services	6.2	1.1	4.6	2.6	2.4	0.8	5.8	7.2	16.2
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>83.3</b>	<b>36.0</b>	<b>115.9</b>	<b>71.6</b>	<b>75.7</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>225.8</b>	<b>205.7</b>	<b>521.1</b>
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.4	0.0	1.4	1.1	2.6	1.8	23.0	2.5	29.9
Manufacturing	6.2	3.8	14.9	9.7	12.4	5.5	33.7	42.5	76.2
Construction	23.5	5.9	8.8	1.9	5.1	4.3	10.7	10.7	30.8
Wholesale trade	3.0	1.9	9.3	11.4	8.4	4.5	13.2	20.7	46.8
Retail trade	10.5	8.5	33.6	22.1	7.4	8.2	45.5	55.7	116.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.7	2.2	5.8	9.1	5.9	5.1	6.6	14.9	32.5
Transport and storage	6.1	1.2	7.5	2.4	2.5	1.4	6.4	9.9	20.2
Finance and insurance	1.0	0.2	3.5	0.8	4.4	1.3	13.5	4.3	23.5
Property and business services	14.4	4.9	23.1	9.0	16.2	8.7	18.5	32.1	75.5
Education	1.6	0.2	1.8	1.8	4.6	2.8	5.3	3.6	16.3
Health and community services	2.8	2.3	10.2	5.7	6.0	2.9	28.5	15.9	53.3
Cultural and recreational services	2.5	0.8	2.7	1.4	1.1	2.7	4.9	4.1	12.8
Personal and other services	5.9	2.1	6.4	2.6	1.6	2.2	3.9	9.0	16.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>79.9</b>	<b>34.4</b>	<b>129.9</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>78.4</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>213.2</b>	<b>226.7</b>	<b>551.9</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.11 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—WESTERN AUSTRALIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1997-98									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.5	0.2	0.7	1.0	3.7	1.6	22.3	1.7	29.3
Manufacturing	7.0	1.9	13.5	8.0	5.5	6.9	32.3	33.9	66.2
Construction	21.5	5.3	16.0	1.3	3.1	3.8	16.9	17.3	41.1
Wholesale trade	3.4	2.0	7.2	11.9	4.5	7.1	10.2	19.1	40.9
Retail trade	10.9	8.2	40.4	13.1	2.9	8.1	39.3	53.5	103.8
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	1.4	1.8	7.3	7.8	8.3	8.4	6.6	15.1	38.4
Transport and storage	5.7	2.5	8.2	2.0	2.7	1.1	6.9	10.2	20.9
Finance and insurance	1.2	0.3	6.5	0.6	0.9	6.3	14.9	7.1	29.2
Property and business services	15.8	5.0	34.6	4.9	4.2	12.3	40.1	39.5	96.1
Education	2.0	0.2	1.8	0.6	6.3	2.4	5.0	2.4	16.1
Health and community services	2.9	2.0	11.7	6.2	2.1	2.8	20.5	17.9	43.3
Cultural and recreational services	3.6	0.9	2.6	0.2	0.8	1.2	13.0	2.8	17.8
Personal and other services	6.4	2.2	7.9	1.5	0.8	1.4	4.8	9.4	16.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>84.0</b>	<b>32.9</b>	<b>158.4</b>	<b>59.4</b>	<b>45.8</b>	<b>63.9</b>	<b>232.8</b>	<b>230.2</b>	<b>560.3</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	12.2	5.1	4.1	2.6	9.8	2.1	1.0	3.2	1.8
Manufacturing	7.3	-0.7	4.1	2.0	-3.6	0.2	0.7	0.9	0.8
Construction	6.4	3.7	7.1	-4.0	-1.4	4.3	8.2	5.3	5.3
Wholesale trade	1.9	0.8	-0.5	5.9	-2.1	7.4	-0.5	2.8	1.6
Retail trade	0.0	-1.1	4.5	4.6	-3.2	9.4	2.6	4.5	3.6
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	6.2	2.4	3.0	5.9	4.3	6.7	6.9	4.4	5.2
Transport and storage	3.5	4.2	8.0	2.6	4.8	4.4	-1.2	6.5	2.7
Finance and insurance	3.9	-2.0	8.4	-1.1	-2.6	18.3	4.4	6.9	6.1
Property and business services	8.0	5.4	9.3	0.5	-1.5	9.0	12.7	7.4	8.4
Education	7.8	5.1	6.0	-4.2	12.6	11.9	9.0	1.7	8.6
Health and community services	10.7	0.4	6.3	4.6	-0.6	3.2	6.1	5.6	5.2
Cultural and recreational services	6.5	2.9	2.7	-10.2	-2.2	0.6	12.8	0.3	6.6
Personal and other services	6.4	7.5	4.6	0.0	-4.4	5.1	6.8	3.6	3.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.1</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.12 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
1983-84								
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	1.1	1.2
Construction	1.8	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7
Wholesale trade	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.9
Retail trade	2.2	2.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5	4.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.8
Transport and storage	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9
Finance and insurance	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
Property and business services	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.3
Education	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Health and community services	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5
Cultural and recreational services	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
Personal and other services	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>14.6</b>
1994-95								
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2
Construction	2.7	0.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	3.7
Wholesale trade	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1
Retail trade	2.3	2.2	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9	4.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.9	1.0
Transport and storage	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1
Finance and insurance	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Property and business services	1.2	1.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.4
Education	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3
Health and community services	0.5	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.4
Cultural and recreational services	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7
Personal and other services	0.8	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>20.7</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.12 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Non- employing businesses	Employer size group						
		1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
1995-96								
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.3
Construction	2.5	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.7	3.8
Wholesale trade	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.2
Retail trade	2.2	2.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9	4.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.9	1.0
Transport and storage	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0
Finance and insurance	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Property and business services	1.1	1.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	2.5
Education	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3
Health and community services	0.7	1.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	2.1
Cultural and recreational services	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7
Personal and other services	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>21.0</b>
1996-97								
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.5
Construction	2.3	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	3.1	3.2
Wholesale trade	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.1
Retail trade	2.1	2.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9	4.9
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.4	0.9	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.5
Transport and storage	0.5	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1
Finance and insurance	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Property and business services	1.2	1.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7
Education	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
Health and community services	0.5	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.9
Cultural and recreational services	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.8
Personal and other services	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>21.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.12 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA—continued

Industry division(c)	Employer size group							
	Non- employing businesses	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Total small business	All businesses
	1997-98							
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7
Construction	1.9	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	2.6
Wholesale trade	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.3
Retail trade	2.2	2.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5	4.5
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.2	1.3
Transport and storage	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.3
Finance and insurance	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Property and business services	1.5	1.3	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.9	3.0
Education	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
Health and community services	0.6	1.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.8	1.9
Cultural and recreational services	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7
Personal and other services	0.8	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.7
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>20.7</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98								
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Manufacturing	5.1	4.1	-4.8	0.0	0.0	n.a.	3.2	2.5
Construction	0.4	-2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3	-0.3
Wholesale trade	2.1	4.1	n.a.	5.1	0.0	0.0	2.3	2.7
Retail trade	0.0	-0.3	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	2.9	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.9	3.5
Transport and storage	0.0	6.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	2.7
Finance and insurance	n.a.	10.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1	5.1
Property and business services	8.2	5.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.5	6.2
Education	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1	5.1
Health and community services	13.7	9.0	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.6	10.0
Cultural and recreational services	12.2	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.4	9.4
Personal and other services	5.1	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	4.6
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.5</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.13 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1983-84									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	3.1	0.1	3.3
Manufacturing	0.6	0.6	1.5	2.0	2.2	1.6	17.8	7.3	25.1
Construction	2.6	1.1	2.4	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.2	3.2	4.5
Wholesale trade	0.5	0.4	1.9	1.2	1.7	0.7	1.4	3.1	6.9
Retail trade	3.4	2.4	7.3	1.7	1.1	1.1	6.0	9.0	17.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.3	0.0	2.1	1.7	2.0	0.4	0.9	3.8	7.1
Transport and storage	0.9	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.2	1.0	1.5	3.3
Finance and insurance	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.5	1.9	2.3	0.7	5.4
Property and business services	0.7	0.0	2.2	1.2	1.6	1.0	0.5	3.4	6.5
Education	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.4	1.4
Health and community services	0.2	0.4	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.7	1.4	2.0	5.4
Cultural and recreational services	0.2	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.0	1.2	1.7
Personal and other services	0.6	4.5	1.3	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.4	1.8	2.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>90.4</b>
1994-95									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	3.1	0.1	3.5
Manufacturing	0.8	0.9	2.1	2.2	3.5	2.5	11.5	10.3	21.8
Construction	4.2	1.5	1.7	2.8	1.3	0.5	0.0	4.5	6.3
Wholesale trade	0.3	0.5	3.4	0.8	1.5	0.9	1.3	4.2	7.9
Retail trade	3.9	3.8	7.3	4.4	0.9	1.1	8.7	11.7	22.4
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.3	0.9	2.8	1.7	2.4	0.0	1.6	4.5	8.5
Transport and storage	0.7	0.3	2.0	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.8	2.4	4.5
Finance and insurance	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.3	3.0	0.9	4.7
Property and business services	1.7	0.7	3.5	1.3	1.5	0.7	0.8	4.8	7.8
Education	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.9	2.9
Health and community services	0.6	0.2	3.0	1.3	1.5	0.9	4.7	4.3	11.4
Cultural and recreational services	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.1	1.3	1.9
Personal and other services	1.0	0.4	2.1	0.7	0.2	0.2	1.3	2.8	4.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>52.8</b>	<b>108.1</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.13 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
1995-96									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	3.6	0.1	4.0
Manufacturing	1.0	0.8	1.9	2.3	3.9	2.1	14.6	10.2	24.8
Construction	4.2	1.9	3.3	1.6	2.8	0.3	0.0	4.9	8.0
Wholesale trade	0.5	0.2	3.4	0.7	1.8	1.0	0.0	4.1	6.9
Retail trade	3.7	3.1	8.4	3.9	1.4	1.5	7.0	12.3	22.2
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.3	1.0	2.5	2.0	2.0	0.0	1.0	4.5	7.5
Transport and storage	0.9	0.6	1.8	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.9	1.9	4.3
Finance and insurance	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.2	2.8	1.2	4.4
Property and business services	1.6	1.0	3.9	1.5	0.8	0.5	0.8	5.4	7.5
Education	0.2	0.0	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.9	1.2	1.3	3.6
Health and community services	0.9	0.4	4.5	2.0	0.9	1.2	6.3	6.5	14.9
Cultural and recreational services	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.1	1.2	1.7
Personal and other services	0.8	0.5	1.9	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.9	2.7	3.9
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>33.9</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>39.1</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>114.1</b>
1996-97									
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	2.3	0.1	2.8
Manufacturing	1.2	0.5	2.1	2.0	3.1	3.2	13.0	10.4	23.4
Construction	4.0	1.0	1.9	0.9	2.9	0.6	0.4	2.8	6.7
Wholesale trade	0.7	0.3	2.4	0.4	3.2	1.3	0.5	2.8	7.8
Retail trade	3.5	2.5	8.4	3.8	1.0	1.4	6.8	12.2	21.4
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.7	0.9	4.0	1.5	3.2	0.4	1.8	5.5	10.9
Transport and storage	0.9	0.4	1.9	0.2	0.7	1.7	0.8	2.1	5.3
Finance and insurance	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.9	2.8	1.2	5.3
Property and business services	1.7	0.9	4.2	3.6	0.8	0.4	1.3	7.8	10.3
Education	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.2	4.2
Health and community services	0.6	0.7	4.6	1.6	2.6	1.6	5.9	6.2	16.3
Cultural and recreational services	0.8	0.2	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.4	2.3
Personal and other services	1.0	0.4	2.5	1.3	1.1	0.4	0.7	3.8	6.0
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>20.8</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>57.9</b>	<b>123.4</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

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### 3.13 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—TASMANIA—continued

Private sector employees

Industry division(c)	Persons working in own business(a)		Employer size group						
	Own account workers	Employers	1-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	100 or more	Small business employees	All employees
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1997-98									
Mining	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.2	1.5
Manufacturing	1.4	0.8	1.9	1.3	4.5	3.2	11.0	10.9	21.9
Construction	3.3	0.8	1.2	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.4	1.8	4.1
Wholesale trade	0.7	0.3	2.0	0.0	4.9	2.7	1.0	2.0	10.6
Retail trade	3.6	2.4	7.4	3.3	1.0	1.9	9.4	10.7	23.0
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	0.6	0.9	4.2	1.2	2.4	0.6	1.9	5.4	10.3
Transport and storage	1.1	0.4	1.3	0.3	1.4	1.2	0.1	1.6	4.3
Finance and insurance	0.0	0.1	1.3	0.3	0.5	0.7	2.0	1.6	4.8
Property and business services	2.2	0.9	5.0	1.2	2.2	0.9	0.9	6.2	10.2
Education	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.6	1.1	0.5	1.1	0.8	3.5
Health and community services	0.8	0.8	4.2	2.1	2.8	0.8	5.6	6.3	15.5
Cultural and recreational services	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.9	2.2
Personal and other services	1.0	0.5	2.2	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.3	3.0	3.5
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>115.7</b>
AVERAGE ANNUAL RATE OF CHANGE 1983-84 TO 1997-98									
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mining	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-8.5	5.1	-5.5
Manufacturing	6.2	2.1	1.7	-3.0	5.2	5.1	-3.4	2.9	-1.0
Construction	1.7	-2.2	-4.8	-2.0	3.7	4.3	5.1	-4.0	-0.7
Wholesale trade	2.4	-2.0	0.4	n.a.	7.9	10.1	-2.4	-3.1	3.1
Retail trade	0.4	0.0	0.1	4.9	-0.7	4.0	3.3	1.2	2.1
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	5.1	0.0	5.1	-2.5	1.3	2.9	5.5	2.5	2.7
Transport and storage	1.4	0.0	2.7	-4.8	6.2	13.7	-15.2	0.5	1.9
Finance and insurance	n.a.	0.0	7.1	2.9	0.0	-6.9	-1.0	6.1	-0.8
Property and business services	8.5	0.0	6.0	0.0	2.3	-0.7	4.3	4.4	3.3
Education	8.2	0.0	0.0	8.2	9.7	0.0	12.9	5.1	6.8
Health and community services	10.4	5.1	10.0	6.2	5.6	1.0	10.4	8.5	7.8
Cultural and recreational services	9.4	0.0	-1.3	-2.9	0.0	8.2	0.0	-2.0	1.9
Personal and other services	3.7	-14.5	3.8	3.4	0.0	-4.8	-2.0	3.7	2.4
<b>Total(b)</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.14 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NORTHERN TERRITORY

	<i>Employer size group</i>							
	<i>Non- employing businesses</i>	<i>1-9</i>	<i>10-19</i>	<i>20-49</i>	<i>50-99</i>	<i>100 or more</i>	<i>Total Small Business</i>	<i>All businesses</i>
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84	2.1	2.1	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.6	4.8
1994-95	2.8	2.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	6.1	6.6
1995-96	3.0	3.2	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.1	6.7	7.1
1996-97	2.7	3.1	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.1	6.4	6.9
1997-98	2.5	3.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	6.1	6.3
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Average annual rate of change 1983-84 to 1997-98	1.3	3.3	-2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	2.0

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.15 PERSONS EMPLOYED, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—NORTHERN TERRITORY

	<i>Private sector employees</i>								
	<i>Persons working in own business(a)</i>		<i>Employer size group</i>						
	<i>Own account workers</i>	<i>Employers</i>	<i>1-9</i>	<i>10-19</i>	<i>20-49</i>	<i>50-99</i>	<i>100 or more</i>	<i>Small business employees</i>	<i>All employees</i>
'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84	3.2	1.8	6.6	5.5	5.2	2.8	6.7	12.1	26.8
1994-95	4.3	2.3	11.1	6.0	9.7	5.5	11.4	18.1	43.7
1995-96	4.7	2.1	10.3	7.9	8.6	3.8	11.7	19.1	42.3
1996-97	4.2	1.9	11.6	9.0	10.8	4.3	14.9	21.1	50.6
1997-98	4.2	2.8	11.6	6.4	10.0	5.3	13.3	18.3	46.6
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Average annual rate of change 1983-84 to 1997-98	2.0	3.2	4.1	1.1	4.8	4.7	5.0	3.0	4.0

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.16 BUSINESSES, BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

	<i>Employer size group</i>							
	<i>Non- employing businesses</i>	<i>1-9</i>	<i>10-19</i>	<i>20-49</i>	<i>50-99</i>	<i>100 or more</i>	<i>Total Small Business</i>	<i>All businesses</i>
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84	3.5	4.4	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.0	8.7	9.0
1994-95	6.6	6.1	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	13.3	13.9
1995-96	6.1	6.3	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	13.1	13.6
1996-97	5.7	6.3	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	12.7	13.2
1997-98	7.2	6.8	0.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	14.7	14.8
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Average annual rate of change 1983-84 to 1997-98	5.3	3.2	-0.9	-4.8	n.a.	0.0	3.8	3.6

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

### 3.17 PERSONS EMPLOYED BY INDUSTRY AND EMPLOYER SIZE—AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

	<i>Private sector employees</i>								
	<i>Persons working in own business(a)</i>		<i>Employer size group</i>						
	<i>Own account workers</i>	<i>Employers</i>	<i>1-9</i>	<i>10-19</i>	<i>20-49</i>	<i>50-99</i>	<i>100 or more</i>	<i>Small business employees</i>	<i>All employees</i>
'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1983-84	5.3	3.4	15.6	8.1	6.6	4.1	10.6	23.7	45.0
1994-95	9.8	4.3	21.5	10.3	12.7	5.5	17.1	33.8	67.1
1995-96	9.3	4.1	22.7	11.2	10.0	6.4	17.6	35.3	67.9
1996-97	8.8	4.6	22.4	10.6	10.5	7.3	21.6	34.3	72.4
1997-98	10.2	4.6	22.3	11.2	7.2	6.6	21.9	34.4	69.2
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Average annual rate of change 1983-84 to 1997-98	4.8	2.2	2.6	2.3	0.6	3.5	5.3	2.7	3.1

Note: See Explanatory Notes, Common footnotes page 54.

Source: Unpublished data, Survey of Employment and Earnings; unpublished data, Labour Force Survey.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

\*\*67.4 subject to high sampling variability; relative standard error is greater than 50%

### COMMON FOOTNOTES

(a) Includes working proprietors and partners of unincorporated employing businesses; working directors of incorporated businesses are classified as employees.

(b) Includes the Electricity, gas and water supply, and Communication services industries.

(c) Industry divisions as defined in the *Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 1993* (Cat. no. 1292.0).

(d) Includes the Mining and Electricity, gas and water supply industries.

(e) Includes the Communication services industry.

(f) Excludes private sector Agricultural businesses.

(g) Excludes Electricity, gas and water supply industry.

(h) Excludes the Communication services industry.



## GLOSSARY

**Employees (wage and salary earners)** The number of employees in a given financial year is the annual average of the number of employees who received pay for any part of a chosen pay period in August, November, February and May of that financial year. All permanent, temporary, casual, part-time, managerial and executive employees paid during the period, as well as employees on paid or pre-paid leave, on workers' compensation, and employees paid from interstate or overseas are included.

In the Labour Force Survey members of the Australian permanent defence forces, certain diplomatic personnel of overseas governments, overseas residents in Australia and members of non-Australian defence forces (and their dependents) stationed in Australia are all excluded. Employees primarily engaged in agriculture, fishing and hunting; and employees in private households are all included as employees.

The Survey of Employment and Earnings excludes members of the Australian permanent defence forces, employees of businesses in the private sector primarily engaged in Agriculture, forestry and fishing, employees in private households employing staff, employees of overseas embassies and consulates, employees based outside Australia and employees on workers compensation who are not paid through the payroll.

Also excluded are the following persons who are not regarded as employees for the purposes of the SEE; proprietors/partners of unincorporated businesses, directors who are not paid a salary, persons such as sub-contractors, and persons paid solely by commission without a retainer are also excluded. Casual employees who work on an irregular basis and who were not paid during the relevant pay period, and employees on leave without pay, on strike, or stood down without pay for the whole of the pay period, are also excluded.

**Employer size** Management units (or establishments) are allocated a size classification, referred to as 'employer size'. Depending on the source of the statistics this term refers to either the number of employees only or total employment (employees plus working proprietors and partners). For statistics derived from ABS employer based surveys (for example, the Survey of Employment and Earnings (SEE)), employer size refers to the number of employees, while for statistics derived from the program of Integrated Economic Censuses and Surveys 'employer size' refers to total employment.

**Employers** Persons who work in their own business (that business not being a limited liability company) with employees. The number of employers in a given financial year is the annual average of the number of employers in a chosen two-week period in August, November, February and May of that financial year.

<b>Employment</b>	Persons working in their own business and employees, including part-time and casual employees on the payroll, for the last pay period in June.
<b>Employment size</b>	See employer size
<b>Industry</b>	Industry statistics in this publication are classified according to The <i>Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 1993</i> (Cat. no. 1292.0).
<b>Management unit</b>	The management unit is the largest type of accounting unit within an enterprise group which controls its productive activities. From its accounts detailed annual and sub-annual (i.e. at least quarterly) revenue, expense, stocks, capital expenditure and employment data must be available to the ABS which enables measures of industry performance, such as gross product (i.e. adjusted value added) to be calculated.
<b>Non-employing business</b>	A business run by an own account worker, solely or in a partnership, which has no employees.
<b>Own account workers</b>	An own account worker is a person who operates his or her own unincorporated economic enterprise or engages independently in a profession or trade and hires no employees. The number of own account workers in a given financial year was taken as the annual average of the number of own account workers in a chosen two week period in August, November, February and May of that financial year.
<b>Persons working in own business</b>	A combination of own account workers and employers estimated from the monthly Labour Force Survey.
<b>Persons employed</b>	See employment
<b>Private Sector</b>	All businesses not classified to the public sector.
<b>Public sector</b>	The public sector in Australia is that part of the economy which consists of all resident enterprises through which the Commonwealth, State and Local governments, separately or jointly, implement their economic, social and other policies by their ability to control what activities the enterprises undertake and/or how they are undertaken.
<b>Small businesses</b>	In this publication small business refers to management units with less than 20 employees in all industries except manufacturing where they have less than 100 employees, and agriculture where they have an EVAO of between \$22,500 and \$400,000.
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