

Community report

Kojonup (S)

Prepared from Community Explorer topic selections for briefing, planning and reporting use.

AREA

Kojonup (S)

COMPARISON

Regional WA

POPULATION

Persons

GENERATED

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Included sections

1 selected topic will be included in this report.

01 Industry sector of employment

Sources and method

- Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics, Census of Population and Housing, 2021 and, where available, 2016 comparison data.
- Percentages are calculated from the denominator supplied for each topic. Change (pp) is the 2021 percentage minus the 2016 percentage when the topic is comparable across years.
- Usual residence topics describe where people usually live, rather than where they were counted on Census night.

Industry sector of employment

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Key takeaway

In 2021, Agriculture Forestry And Fishing was the most common industry of employment among employed residents in Kojonup (S), accounting for 45.9% (444 people). This share was higher than Regional WA (9%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in Professional Scientific And Technical Services, which decreased by 18 people and 1.9 percentage points.

About this topic

Industry sector of employment shows the industry in which employed residents work, based on the main business activity of their employer. It describes the sectors residents are connected to through work, whether they work locally or commute elsewhere.

This topic helps explain the economic profile and skill base of a resident workforce. It is best read together with occupations, employment status, and travel to work, because it reflects resident employment rather than the number of jobs located in the area.

Interpretation notes

- Industry describes the main business activity of the employer in a person's main job, not the occupation they perform.
- It applies to employed people aged 15 years and over and reflects resident workers, not the number of jobs located in the area.

Industry sector of employment

Kojonup (S) – Employed persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional WA %	Count	%	Regional WA %	Count	pp
Agriculture Forestry And Fishing	444	45.9%	9.0%	436	45.2%	9.1%	+8	+0.7
Mining	5	0.5%	11.3%	5	0.5%	11.1%	0	0.0
Manufacturing	38	3.9%	5.2%	36	3.7%	5.3%	+2	+0.2
Electricity Gas Water And Waste Services	7	0.7%	1.4%	9	0.9%	1.3%	-2	-0.2
Construction	37	3.8%	8.5%	38	3.9%	9.2%	-1	-0.1
Wholesale Trade	24	2.5%	2.1%	22	2.3%	2.0%	+2	+0.2
Retail Trade	49	5.1%	8.3%	54	5.6%	8.7%	-5	-0.5
Accommodation And Food Services	21	2.2%	6.8%	19	2.0%	6.4%	+2	+0.2
Transport Postal And Warehousing	45	4.7%	4.6%	54	5.6%	4.7%	-9	-0.9
Information Media And Telecommunications	0	0.0%	0.4%	0	0.0%	0.5%	0	0.0
Financial And Insurance Services	12	1.2%	0.9%	10	1.0%	1.1%	+2	+0.2

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional WA %	Count	%	Regiona
Rental Hiring And Real Estate Services	4	0.4%	1.2%	4	0.4%	
Professional Scientific And Technical Services	23	2.4%	3.0%	41	4.3%	
Administrative And Support Services	12	1.2%	2.9%	12	1.2%	
Public Administration And Safety	36	3.7%	5.7%	46	4.8%	
Education And Training	65	6.7%	8.6%	65	6.7%	
Health Care And Social Assistance	67	6.9%	11.4%	60	6.2%	
Arts And Recreation Services	0	0.0%	1.0%	0	0.0%	
Other Services	23	2.4%	3.7%	34	3.5%	
Inadequately Described Not Stated	54	5.6%	4.0%	25	2.6%	
Total	967	100.0%	100.0%	964	100.0%	100.0%

Data basis: usual residence.