

Community report

Orroroo/Carrieton (DC)

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

AREA

Orroroo/Carrieton (DC)

COMPARISON

Regional SA

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 Orroroo/Carrieton (DC), accounting for 34.4% (137 people). This share was higher than Regional SA (14%). Since 2016, the biggest change was in Agriculture Forestry And Fishing, which decreased by 10 people and 2.5 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

Orroroo/Carrieton (DC) – Employed persons (Usual residence)

Category	2021			2016			Change	
	Count	%	Regional SA %	Count	%	Regional SA %	Count	pp
Agriculture Forestry And Fishing	137	34.4%	14.0%	147	36.9%	14.6%	-10	-2.5
Mining	11	2.8%	2.8%	11	2.8%	2.8%	0	0.0
Manufacturing	14	3.5%	9.0%	14	3.5%	9.4%	0	0.0
Electricity Gas Water And Waste Services	3	0.8%	1.2%	0	0.0%	1.1%	+3	+0.8
Construction	19	4.8%	7.9%	12	3.0%	7.0%	+7	+1.8
Wholesale Trade	11	2.8%	2.2%	7	1.8%	2.6%	+4	+1.0
Retail Trade	27	6.8%	9.5%	32	8.0%	10.4%	-5	-1.2
Accommodation And Food Services	22	5.5%	6.8%	15	3.8%	6.7%	+7	+1.7
Transport Postal And Warehousing	4	1.0%	4.0%	11	2.8%	4.1%	-7	-1.8
Information Media And Telecommunications	0	0.0%	0.5%	0	0.0%	0.6%	0	0.0
Financial And Insurance Services	0	0.0%	1.1%	0	0.0%	1.3%	0	0.0

Category	2021			2016		
	Count	%	Regional SA %	Count	%	Region
Rental Hiring And Real Estate Services	0	0.0%	0.8%	0	0.0%	
Professional Scientific And Technical Services	5	1.3%	2.7%	8	2.0%	
Administrative And Support Services	9	2.3%	3.5%	0	0.0%	
Public Administration And Safety	13	3.3%	4.7%	12	3.0%	
Education And Training	43	10.8%	7.9%	44	11.1%	
Health Care And Social Assistance	60	15.1%	13.4%	63	15.8%	1
Arts And Recreation Services	0	0.0%	0.9%	3	0.8%	
Other Services	5	1.3%	3.7%	6	1.5%	
Inadequately Described Not Stated	13	3.3%	3.5%	13	3.3%	
Total	398	100.0%	100.0%	398	100.0%	10

Data basis: usual residence.