### **FEBRUARY 2024**

# **BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION**

## **QUEENSLAND**



# NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING January 2024

375 non-residential building jobs valued at \$652.9 million were approved in QLD.

\$1.7 million average value of non-residential building jobs approved.

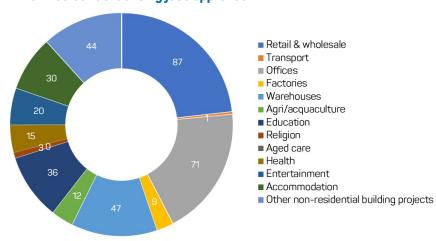
17.0% public sector share of non-residential building jobs approved.

### Building Product Inflation %



**3.0%** Year to Dec 2023

#### Non-residential building jobs approved



#### **CIVIL CONSTRUCTION**

Civil construction work, September 2023 quarter



\$6,385.5m Works started



\$6,848.4m Works done



\$19,909.7m Works yet to be done

#### Civil works by activity, September 2023 quarter (\$m)

	Started	Done	To be done
Bridges, railways and harbours	\$462.4	\$788.0	\$5,231.9
Roads, highways and subdivisions	\$1,110.8	\$1,436.2	\$3,443.9
Water storage and supply, sewerage and drainage	\$1,761.8	\$635.8	\$3,953.2
Electricity generation, transmission and distribution incl pipelines	\$680.5	\$1,136.4	\$4,537.0
Telecommunications	\$363.5	\$367.0	\$124.1
Heavy industry	\$1,630.8	\$2,132.6	\$2,439.0
Recreation & other	\$375.8	\$352.5	\$180.7
TOTAL	\$6,385.5	\$6,848.4	\$19,909.7

#### **RESIDENTIAL BUILDING**

#### House prices: year to February 2024



+9.9%

Brisbane

Regional QLD

#### Unit prices: year to February 2024



+8.4%

Brisbane

Regional QLD

#### Rental price changes in Brisbane

+14.8% During Dec 2023 quarter



+10.0% Over year to Dec 2023

#### Building approvals: January 2024





**3,560**Total new home building approvals

+0.4% change on Jan 2023 1,592
Detached houses
+3.9%
change on

Jan 2023





1,752

Units/apartments

+1.6% change on Jan 2023 \$217.5 million

Home renovations +0.9% change on Jan 2023

#### Residential building work during September 2023 quarter

COMMENCED NEW HOMES

34,112 All dwellings

20,938

**Detached houses** 

**13,174**Apartments/units

COMPLETED NEW HOMES

32.781

All dwellings 23,013

Detached houses

9,768

Apartments/units

New homes still under construction on 30 September 2023



38,319 All dwellings

14,597 Detached houses

23,722
Apartments/units

New homes approved but not yet commenced as at 30 September 2023



**4,142** All dwellings

1,193
Detached houses

2,949

Apartments/units

#### **Lending indicators January 2024**

Loans to owner occupiers for construction of new home

+14.5% change on Jan 2023

Loans to investors for construction of new home

+11.5% change on Jan 2023

Loans to owner occupiers for residential land purchase

+16.0% change on Jan 2023

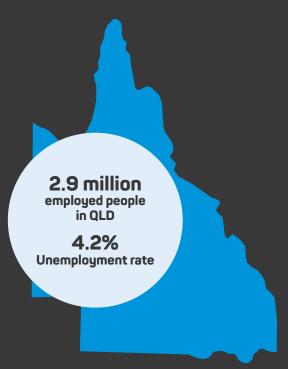
Loans to investors for residential land purchase

+52.5% change on Jan 2023



First Home Buyers share of loans

# LABOUR MARKET January 2024



# CONSTRUCTION BUSINESSES June 2023

85,493

**Construction Businesses** 

Number of workers



**47,993** 0 **36,047** 1-19 **1,425** 20-199 **28** +200

Turnover



**19.1%** turnover <\$50,000

**1.4%** turnover >\$10m

#### **CONSTRUCTION WORKFORCE**

November 2023



285,979
People employed in construction in QLD

**66,952** Resi/commercial builders

**26,384** Civil construction builders

**192,643** Resi/commercial subcontractors





# CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY APPRENTICES AND TRAINEES

June 2023

27,572

Construction apprentices in-training



**8,919** New starts

4,553 Completions

7.6% Female share of construction apprentice commencements



**6,848** apprentice carpenters in training



3,174
apprentice plumbers
in training