

# FACTBase Bulletin 59 Snapshot

Greater Perth's Economic  
Base: A Comparative  
Assessment

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This Bulletin has been prepared as part of the Committee for Perth's Bigger & Better the Beyond the Boom project. The Bulletin analyses the economic base of Greater Perth at a local level and compares it to other major cities around Australia.



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## TOP 5 EMPLOYING INDUSTRIES

These are the top 5 industries that make up Greater Perth's total working population:



12.96%  
Health Care & Social  
Assistance



10.41%  
Retail Trade



9.40%  
Education & Training



8.30%  
Construction



7.55%  
Professional, Scientific  
& Technical Services

## GREATER PERTH

2016 Working Population - Largest employing locations and their dominant industries



Perth City



Subiaco - Shenton  
Park



Osborne Park

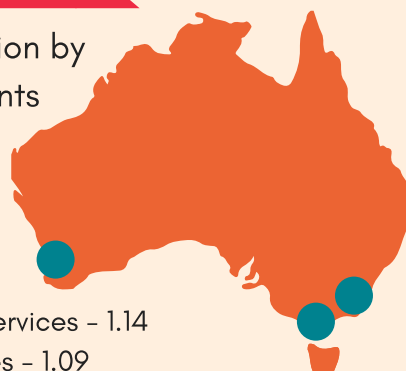


Nedlands - Dalkeith -  
Crawley

## COMPARISONS TO THE EAST

Specialities of each region by  
top 3 location quotients

**Greater Perth**  
Mining - 1.89  
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services - 1.14  
Arts & Recreation Services - 1.09



**Greater Sydney**  
Financial & Insurance Services - 1.83  
Information Media & Telecommunications - 1.69  
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services - 1.39

**Greater Melbourne**  
Information Media & Telecommunications - 1.37  
Financial & Insurance Services - 1.34  
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services - 1.32