

Anticipating Future Skills Series 5

Fast 5 Facts

Wholesale trade

By 2027-28:

- 1 Wholesale trade** is projected to experience the ninth-fastest growth in the state, increasing by 3.8% to 74,069 workers
- 2 This industry is projected** to increase by 2,743 workers.
- 3 In addition to new workers,** there will also be demand for replacement workers, meaning 8,374 total job openings.
- 4 The largest industry group,** grocery, liquor and tobacco product wholesaling, employs 18.4% (13,599) of all workers in the industry and is projected to increase by 776 workers (6.1%).
- 5 In the Darling Downs - Maranoa region,** this industry accounts for 3.6% of regional employment, the largest proportion for a region in the state.

