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Data snapshot of the Wheatbelt, Sub-regions and Local Governments

This document is a collation of data extracted from ABS, Remplan and other sources on population, migration, economy and accommodation, to assist Wheatbelt Local Governments with strategic planning.



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The RDA Wheatbelt Annual Report 2022 highlights regional priorities, challenges and issues.

REGIONAL PRIORITIES

- There are around 9,000 small and medium enterprises registered in the Wheatbelt region. Supporting SMEs within the Wheatbelt region to harness innovation in their sector, deliver products and services in a profitable and sustainable manner as well as being a source of local job creation is critical to ensuring the economic vibrancy of the region is maintained.
- A gap still exists in outcomes for Aboriginal people within the Wheatbelt across the spectrum in health, education, workforce participation, employment, life expectancy, home ownership and many other measures. A concerted effort is required across all agencies in collaboration with the Noongar people to reverse this trend. RDA Wheatbelt has contributed to this by fostering economic participation at a micro business scale.
- Agriculture is fundamental to the region's economy. The prospects for this industry are bright but for it to thrive, new and innovative farm products, practices and business models need to be demystified and accessible across the sector.
- Limited mobile phone reception in many parts of the region impacts on emergency services, social amenity of communities and business performance/development. Sub-standard internet connections are a further social and economic handbrake in the region, which will only be partially addressed by the NBN roll-out. Digital connectivity is essential to provide opportunities for business growth and innovation in the region.
- The natural attributes of the region make it particularly suitable for renewable energy projects including large scale wind and solar farms. State Government regulation, connection costs, storage technology and capacity restraints in the distribution network are inhibiting the development of energy generation and limiting the regions ability to contribute to the renewable generation market.
- The natural and cultural attributes of the region make it extremely versatile in tourism service and product offerings. Support for local government, business and communities is required to capitalise on the opportunities presented by the regional, state, national and international tourist sectors.
- There is a lack of diverse and suitable housing stock across the Wheatbelt which poses a major constraint to workforce attraction and retention. Multi-purpose housing developments to accommodate the needs of different sectors of the community are required across the region.
- An extensive national, state and local road and rail network serves the Wheatbelt region. Investing in this infrastructure is imperative to ensure safe and efficient access to ports and strategic hubs for connection with domestic and international markets.
- The Wheatbelt has lower Year 12 attainment rates when compared with those of Western Australia. There are also limited opportunities to participate in post-compulsory education in the

region. Innovation in the delivery of education to this region is required to improve the employability of school leavers within the Wheatbelt. The Lumen Wheatbelt Regional University Centre will be an affordable and attractive option for those students who don't want to, or can't afford to, relocate to the city for further education opportunities.

- Wheatbelt residents require health care services of a suitable standard. It is important to support health care facilities as well as the care workforce to take advantage of modern technologies that can help us maintain high quality services and increase the ability of people to remain in their homes.

CHALLENGES AND ISSUES

Staying in Place – This initiative, originally titled 'Aging in Place' has evolved to 'Staying in Place' to encompass disability residents as well. Whilst a concerning issue across the whole Wheatbelt, RDA Wheatbelt is working closely with the Pingelly Somerset Alliance to develop a model for the Shire of Pingelly and surrounds that could then be used in all Wheatbelt areas. Significant work has been completed on this project and the next phase is to source funding with 14 funding streams identified as possible options.

The Pingelly Somerset Alliance project was successful in receiving \$20,000 BBRF Round 5 funding to complete an aged and disability skills audit. A further grant of \$377,000 over three years from the Dept of Social Services Seniors Connected Program was received to pilot the virtual aged village.

Telecommunications - This remains a significant challenge for the region. Both mobile reception and 'reasonable' internet access continues to elude a large portion of our residents and impacts on business, schooling, tourism and the economy. For a region with a serious inhibiting disadvantage in internet access this is a significant impediment not only to the provision of vital services, but it limits potential gains in productivity and business model changes that can align to the 'new economy'. Emergency services and responses are compromised and exacerbated during disasters such as bushfires. RDA Wheatbelt will continue to advocate for a 'reasonable' standard of service delivery and affordability.

Workforce availability – COVID travel restrictions led to significant workforce availability issues. The agricultural workforce that enters Australia has not been able to in past seeding and harvest times posing major constraints and concerns for the sector. The March 2022 data indicates that the Wheatbelt unemployment rate is under 3.8%, but with 26% of people over the age of 74 currently working at some level, this raises concerns that this resource will diminish too.

Regional workforce housing – accommodation options for regional workforces across all sectors is an issue that RDA Wheatbelt will be continuing to look at. Large projects in the region have seen the opportunity for economic and community growth however there is a lack of suitable accommodation for construction and ongoing workforce needs.

Wheatbelt data snaps

Wheatbelt Population 2021- 72,924 = 2.5% increase from 2011

Wheatbelt migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹

Change on migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 18,333	2016- 19,003	3.6% decrease
Overseas	2021- 1,547	2016- 2,299	48.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 19,880	2016- 21,302	7.1% decrease

Economy ²

Wheatbelt outputs \$15,438.758 million

Highest output industries June 2023
Agriculture - \$3,925.673 million
Mining- \$3,889.957 million
Construction- \$1,165.320 million
Manufacturing- \$1,047.381 million
Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$950.028 million

Total businesses 2022- 9,103

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 4,153
2. Construction- 940
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 563
4. Transport Postal Warehousing- 513
5. Retail Trade- 423

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 8,203
2. Healthcare- 2,735
3. Education and Training- 2,544
4. Public Administration- 2,102
5. Retail Trade- 2,066

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 33,404 persons;15-74 yrs.population52,827
2011- 15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 30,637 persons; 15-74yrs.population51,748

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 946 various types broken down to:

593 houses

264 vacant townsite land

10 rural residential

14 peri urban vacant land

65 rentals

¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

² REMPLAN Wheatbelt Economy

Avon sub region data snaps

Population 2021- 26,262 = 4% increase on 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³

2021-Migrants comprised 26.2% of the sub region's population

2016-Migrants comprised 27.4% of the sub region's population

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 6,544	2016- 6,691	<i>2.2% decrease</i>
Overseas	2021- 333	2016- 573	<i>72% decrease</i>
Overall change all migrants	2021- 6,877	2016- 7,264	<i>5.6% decrease</i>

Economy⁴

December 2021 \$3,344.890 Million / June 2023 \$3,657.201 million

Highest output industries December 2021	Highest output industries June 2023
Agriculture- \$646.62 million	Agriculture - \$730.354 million
Manufacturing - \$364.74million	Manufacturing- \$409.894 million
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- \$364.32 million	Construction- \$390.027 million
Construction-\$350.29 million	Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$331.583 million
Public Administration & Safety- \$219.01 million	Public Administration and Safety- \$285.769 million

Total sub region businesses 2022- 2,523

Top 5 businesses

6. Agriculture- 1,013
7. Construction- 320
8. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 215
9. Transport Postal Warehousing- 190
10. Retail Trade- 153

Top 5 employing businesses

6. Agriculture- 1,656
7. Healthcare- 1,161
8. Education and Training- 955
9. Public Administration- 916
10. Retail Trade- 773

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 58% or 11,220 persons;15-74 yrs. population19,393
2011- 15-74 years labour force participation rate- 61% or 11,161 persons; 15-74yrs.population18,419

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 365 various types broken down to:

- 168 houses
- 139 vacant townsite land
- 10 rural residential
- 33 peri urban vacant land
- 15 rentals

³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴ REMPLAN Wheatbelt economy

Shire of Beverley

Population 2021- 1,694 = 8.1% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵

2021- Migrants comprised 22.6% of the population.

2016- Migrants comprised 25.5% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 369	2016- 417	3% decrease
Overseas	2021- 15	2016- 28	53.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 384	2016- 445	15.9% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$191.163 million

Top 5 output industries⁶

1. Agriculture - \$98.491 million
2. Manufacturing- \$17.448 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$17.078 million
4. Construction- \$11.747 million
5. Public Administration and Safety- \$9.446 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 218

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 125
2. Construction- 17
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 17
4. Transport Postal Warehousing- 12
5. Professional Scientific Services -12

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 200
2. Education and Training- 43
3. Healthcare- 42
4. Retail Trade- 28
5. Public Administration- 27

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 53% or 675 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,268

2011- 15-74 years labour force participation rate- 54% or 628 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,161

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 20 various types broken down to:

5 houses

9 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

5 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy June 2023

Shire of Cunderdin

Population 2021- 1,302 = no change from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷

2021-Migrants comprised 27.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 37.9% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 329	2016- 440	33.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 33	2016- 112	239.4% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 362	2016- 552	52.5% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$274.049 million

Top 5 output industries⁸

1. Manufacturing- \$80.135 million
2. Agriculture - \$72.562 million
3. Education and Training- \$17.874 million
4. Electricity Gas Water and Waste Service- \$17.041 million
5. Construction- \$15.602 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 166

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 73
2. Manufacturing - 16
3. Transport- 15
4. Retail Trade -14
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 12

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 146
2. Education and Training- 107
3. Manufacturing - 68
4. Healthcare- 34
5. Wholesale Trade- 32

2021- 15-74 years labour force participation rate- 75% or 600 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 948

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65% or 623 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 962

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 16 various types broken down to:

13 houses

3 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Dowerin

Population 2021- 715 = 5.4% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 15.2% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 23.3% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 109	2016- 155	42.2% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 6	600% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 109	2016- 161	47.7% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$115.029 million

Top 5 output industries¹⁰

1. Agriculture - \$67.154 million
2. Public Administration and Safety- \$10.623 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$8.222 million
4. Transport Warehousing- \$6.420 million
5. Education and Training- \$6.175 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 133

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 72
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 16
3. Retail Trade -7
4. Construction- 6
5. Financial and Insurance - 4

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 135
2. Education and Training- 37
3. Public Administration and Safety- 27
4. Transport - 15
5. Wholesale & Retail Trade- 11 respectively

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65% or 324 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 500

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 70% or 322 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 460

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 5 various types broken down to:

2 houses

3 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

¹⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Goomalling

Population 2021- 955 = **3.1% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹¹

2021-Migrants comprised 17.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 20.1% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 161	2016- 202	5.4% decrease
Overseas	2021- 9	2016- 6	50% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 170	2016- 208	22.3% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$119.768 million

Top 5 output industries¹²

1. Agriculture - \$60.607 million
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$10.305 million
3. Public Administration and Safety- \$7.670 million
4. Healthcare- \$6.166 million
5. Manufacturing- \$5.636 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 153

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 83
2. Transport- 12
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 13
4. Other services -11
5. Construction - 9

Top 5 employing businesses

Agriculture- 133

1. Healthcare- 40
2. Education and Training- 30
3. Accommodation and Food Services - 23
4. Public Administration and Safety- 22

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 444 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 692

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 66% or 454 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 690

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 types broken down to:

6 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

¹¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

¹² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Koorda

Population 2021- 361 = **21% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹³

2021-Migrants comprised 21.6% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 24.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 73	2016- 102	39.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 5	2016- 0	500% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 78	2016- 102	30.7% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$85.216 million

Top 5 output industries¹⁴

1. Agriculture - \$37.905million
2. Wholesale Trade- \$10.416 million
3. Public Administration and Safety- \$8.139 million
4. Construction- \$8.016 million
5. Transport - \$7.435 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 71

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 47
2. Transport -6
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 4
4. Construction - 4
5. Wholesale Trade - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 85
2. Public Administration and Safety- 26
3. Wholesale Trade - 17
4. Transport - 16
5. Education and Training- 13

2021-5-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 196 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 271

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65.6% or 199 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 303

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 various types broken down to:

1 house

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

¹³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

¹⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Northam

Population 2021- 11,358 = 7.6% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹⁵

2021-Migrants comprised 26.6% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 26.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 2,857	2016- 2,663	7.3% increase
Overseas	2021- 165	2016- 290	75.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 3,032	2016- 2,953	2.7% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$1873.418 million

Top 5 output industries¹⁶

1. Manufacturing- \$278.022 million
2. Construction - \$240.303 million
3. Public Administration and Safety- \$184.725 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$163.926 million
5. Healthcare - \$147.683 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 732

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 181
2. Construction - 126
3. Transport - 64
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 57
5. Other Services -53

Top 5 employing businesses

6. Healthcare- 808
1. Public Administration and Safety- 617
2. Education and Training- 500
3. Retail Trade - 487
4. Manufacturing - 343

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 58% or 4,833 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 8,363

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 4,748 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 7,566

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 145 various types broken down to:

81 houses

53 vacant townsite land

3 rural residential

2 peri urban vacant land

6 rentals

¹⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

¹⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Quairading

Population 2021- 961 = **8.5% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹⁷

2021-Migrants comprised 17.4% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 28% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 162	2016- 270	66.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 5	2016- 15	200% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 167	2016- 285	70.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$109.512 million

Top 5 output industries¹⁸

1. Agriculture - \$67.053 million
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$9.909 million
3. Public Administration and Safety- \$7.785 million
4. Healthcare - \$4.621 million
5. Education and Training - \$4.224 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 136

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 93
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 13
3. Transport - 9
4. Construction - 5
5. Accommodation and Food -4

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture - 136
2. Education and Training- 33
3. Healthcare- 25
5. Public Administration and Safety- 25
6. Retail Trade - 16

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 42% or 292 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 689

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 62% or 459 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 735

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 15 various types broken down to:

4 houses

10 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

¹⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

¹⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Tammin

Population 2021- 386 = **4.7% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.¹⁹

2021-Migrants comprised 19.7% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.9% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 76	2016- 103	35.5% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 9	900% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 76	2016- 112	47.4% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$59.379 million

Top 5 output industries²⁰

1. Agriculture - \$48.781 million
2. Public Administration and Safety- \$2.477 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$4.252 million
4. Education and Training - \$2.437 million
5. Retail Trade - \$1.260 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 55

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 41
2. Construction - 5
3. Wholesale Trade- 4
4. Transport - 3
5. Professional and Scientific -3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture - 101
2. Education and Training- 14
3. Public Administration and Safety- 7
4. Retail Trade - 7
5. Wholesale Trade- 6

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 180 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 287

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 174 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 270

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 1 type broken down to:

0 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

¹⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

²⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Toodyay

Population 2021- 4,601 = 4.9% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.²¹

2021-Migrants comprised 30.3% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 30% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 1,351	2016- 1,273	6.1% increase
Overseas	2021- 45	2016- 61	35.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 1,396	2016- 1,334	4.6% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$336.578 million

Top 5 output industries²²

1. Agriculture - \$67.320 million
2. Construction - \$60.063 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$52.245 million
4. Mining - \$40.284 million
5. Public Administration and Safety- \$21.137 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 383

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 90
2. Construction - 71
3. Professional and Scientific- 36
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 34
5. Transport - 33

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture – 139
2. Construction- 96
3. Education and Training- 74
4. Retail Trade - 72
5. Public Administration and Safety- 65

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 56% or 1,998 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,554

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 2,002 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,385

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 36 various types broken down to:

9 houses

20 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

4 peri urban vacant land

3 rentals

²¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

²² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Wyalkatchem

Population 2021- 470 = **11.3% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.²³

2021-Migrants comprised 28.7% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 22.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 122	2016- 113	8% increase
Overseas	2021- 13	2016- 4	225% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 135	2016- 117	15.4% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$75.150 million

Top 5 output industries²⁴

1. Agriculture - \$43.308 million
2. Public Administration and Safety- \$6.370 million
3. Transport - \$6.220 million
4. Healthcare - \$5.811 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$5.511 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 79

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 47
2. Retail Trade - 5
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 4
4. Transport - 3
5. Other services - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 88
2. Healthcare - 29
3. Education and Training - 20
4. Public Administration and Safety - 19
5. Transport - 16

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 61% or 209 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 339

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 214 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 364

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 various types broken down to:

4 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

1 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

²³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

²⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of York

Population 2021- 3,459 = 1.8% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.²⁵

2021-Migrants comprised 39.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 915	2016- 953=	4.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 43	2016- 42 =	2.4% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 958	2016- 995	3.8% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$417.939 million

Top 5 output industries²⁶

1. Agriculture - \$109.449 million
2. Electricity Gas and Water- \$67.229 million
3. Construction - \$42.014 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$39.558 million
5. Healthcare - \$25.374 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 397

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 161
2. Construction- 40
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 32
4. Retail Trade - 25
5. Professional and Scientific - 25

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 234
2. Healthcare - 123
3. Accommodation and Food Services - 91
4. Retail Trade - 90
5. Education and Training - 84

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 1,470 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,482

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 60% or 1,512 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,523

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 111 various types broken down to:

43 houses

37 vacant townsite land

5 rural residential

21 peri urban vacant land

5 rentals

²⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

²⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Central Coast sub region data snaps

Population 2021- 8,931 = 13.5% increase on 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.²⁷

2021-Migrants comprised 36.8% of the sub region's population

2016-Migrants comprised 23.3% of the sub region's population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 2,820	2016- 2,479	13.8% increase
Overseas	2021- 467	2016- 484	3.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 3,287	2016- 2,963	10.9% increase

Economy

Central Coast outputs

December 2021 \$1,503.180 Million / June 2023 \$2,184.332 million

Highest output industries December 2021	Highest output industries June 2023
Agriculture- \$614.42 million	Mining- \$659.719 million
Construction- \$170.69 million	Agriculture - \$646.760 million
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$131.16million	Construction- \$226.462 million
Manufacturing - \$114.24 million	Manufacturing- \$133.121 million
Financial & insurance services- \$95.89 million	Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$131.436 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 1,130

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 473
2. Construction- 179
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 83
4. Transport Postal Warehousing- 58
5. Professional Scientific Services- 52

Top 10 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 1,361
2. Construction- 369
3. Mining- 305
4. Accommodation and Food Services- 252
5. Retail Trade- 242

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 67% or 4,134 persons;15-74 yrs. population 6,781

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 60% or 3,525 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 5,849

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 117 various types broken down to:

37 houses

60 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

20 rentals

²⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

Shire of Dandaragan

Population 2021- 3,355 = 5.3% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.²⁸

2021-Migrants comprised 35.6% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 36.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 1,094	2016- 1,070	2.2% increase
Overseas	2021- 100	2016- 109	9% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 1,194	2016- 1,179	1.3% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$1,135.704 million

Top 5 output industries²⁹

1. Mining- \$523.996 million
2. Agriculture - \$184.524 million
3. Construction - \$118.373 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$57.291 million
5. Manufacturing - \$48.156 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 512

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 220
2. Construction- 60
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 52
4. Retail Trade - 23
5. Transport - 22

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 361
2. Mining - 234
3. Construction - 198
4. Accommodation and Food Services - 135
5. Retail Trade - 135

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 82% or 1,609 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,558

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 1,495 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,360

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 104 various types broken down to:

34 houses

51 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

19 rentals

²⁸ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

²⁹ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Gingin

Population 2021- 5,576 = 19% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³⁰

2021-Migrants comprised 37.5% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 34.2% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 1,726	2016- 1,409	22.5% increase
Overseas	2021- 367	2016- 375	2.2% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 2,093	2016- 1,784	17.3% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$1,135.704 million

Top 5 output industries³¹

1. Agriculture - \$462.236 million
2. Mining- \$135.723 million
3. Construction - \$108.089 million
4. Manufacturing - \$84.965 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$74.145 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 618

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 253
2. Construction- 119
3. Transport - 36
4. Professional and Scientific Services - 34
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 31

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 1,000
2. Construction - 171
3. Accommodation and Food Services - 117
4. Manufacturing - 111
5. Retail Trade - 109

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 60% or 2,525 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 4,223

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 58% or 2,030 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,489

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 13 various types broken down to:

3 houses

9 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

³⁰ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

³¹ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Central East sub region data snaps

Population 2021- 9,035 = **7.5% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³²

2021-Migrants comprised 23.9% of the sub region's population

2016-Migrants comprised 28.6% of the sub region's population

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 1,985	2016- 2,256	13.6% decrease
Overseas	2021- 127	2016- 467	267.7% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 2,112	2016- 2,732	28.9% decrease

Economy

December 2021 \$3,319.46 Million / June 2023 \$3,908.876 million

Highest output industries December 2021	Highest output industries June 2023
Mining - \$1,718.39 million	Mining- \$2,268.138 million
Agriculture- \$500 million	Agriculture - \$558.398 million
Construction-\$212.14 million	Manufacturing- \$160.951 million
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$149.39 million	Construction- \$152.504 million
Transport, Postal etc.- \$101.46 million	Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$125.280 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 1,246

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 641
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 121
3. Construction- 106
4. Transport Postal Warehousing- 55
5. Retail Trade- 55

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 1,140
2. Mining- 938
3. Healthcare- 394
4. Education and Training- 330
5. Public Administration- 294

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 4,193 persons;15-74 yrs. population 6,695

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 70% or 4,903 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 7,040

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 127 various types broken down to:

80 houses

20 vacant townsite land

2 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

18 rentals

³² ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

Shire of Bruce Rock

Population 2021- 979 = 0.05% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³³

2021-Migrants comprised 20.3% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 24% of the population

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 196	2016- 194	1% increase
Overseas	2021- 3	2016- 30	900% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 199	2016- 224	12.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$236.120 million

Top 5 output industries³⁴

1. Agriculture - \$69.460 million
2. Manufacturing - \$58.049 million
3. Construction - \$36.546 million
4. Mining- \$14.927 million
5. Public Administration and Safety- \$12.978 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 140

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 75
2. Retail Trade - 12
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 9
4. Transport - 8
5. Construction- 7

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 150
2. Construction - 59
3. Public Administration and Safety - 37
4. Education and Training - 36
5. Manufacturing - 22

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 416 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 705

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 69% or 456 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 656

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 4 being:

4 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rental

³³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

³⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Kellerberrin

Population 2021- 1,138 = **3.8% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³⁵

2021-Migrants comprised 19.6% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 18% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 207	2016- 200	3.5% increase
Overseas	2021- 16	2016- 20	25% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 223	2016- 220	1.4% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$160.490 million

Top 5 output industries³⁶

1. Agriculture - \$47.106 million
2. Manufacturing - \$29.381 million
3. Public Administration and Safety- \$13.815 million
4. Healthcare- \$12.410 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$12.316 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 138

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 64
2. Construction- 14
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 10
4. Retail Trade - 7
5. Manufacturing - 7

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 94
2. Healthcare - 69
3. Public Administration and Safety - 37
4. Retail Trade - 36
5. Education and Training - 26

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 56% or 474 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 841

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 475 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 802

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 14 being:

7 houses

6 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

³⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

³⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Merredin

Population 2021- 3,119 = **5.2% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³⁷

2021-Migrants comprised 24% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 32.5% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 701	2016- 805	4.8% decrease
Overseas	2021- 47	2016- 284	504.2% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 748	2016- 1,089	45.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$587.000 million

Top 5 output industries³⁸

1. Agriculture - \$98.255 million
2. Electricity Gas and Water- \$85.148 million
3. Transport and Warehousing - \$48.847 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$46.542 million
5. Healthcare- \$34.532 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 324

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 118
2. Construction- 45
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 30
4. Transport and Warehousing - 23
5. Other Services - 20

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 197
2. Healthcare - 178
3. Education and Training - 156
4. Retail Trade - 149
5. Wholesale Trade - 118

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 1,466 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,305

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 1,628 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 2,389

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 56 being:

40 houses

7 vacant townsite land

2 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

7 rentals

³⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

³⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Mount Marshall

Population 2021- 459 = **5.9% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.³⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 17.2% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 31.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 79	2016- 150=	89.9% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 17 =	1700% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 79	2016- 167	111.4% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$102.537 million

Top 5 output industries⁴⁰

1. Agriculture - \$66.902 million
2. Construction - \$8.066 million
3. Public Administration and Safety - \$6.145 million
4. Manufacturing - \$6.119 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$5.839 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 103

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 67
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 10
3. Retail Trade - 5
4. Manufacturing - 3
5. Construction- 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 126
2. Education and Training - 19
3. Public Administration and Safety - 17
4. Construction - 12
5. Transport - 10

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 73% or 255 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 347

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 79% or 277 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 352

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 being:

0 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

³⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Mukinbudin

Population 2021- 579 = 18.1% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁴¹

2021- Migrants comprised 20.6% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 113	2016- 135=	19.5% decrease
Overseas	2021- 6	2016- 12 =	100% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 119	2016- 147	23.5% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$100.538 million

Top 5 output industries⁴²

1. Agriculture - \$51.309 million
2. Electricity Gas and Water - \$8.520 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$6.556 million
4. Construction - \$5.642 million
5. Public Administration and Safety - \$5.308 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 111

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 66
2. Construction- 13
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 11
4. Transport - 10
5. Professional and Scientific - 6

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 105
2. Education and Training - 24
3. Other Services - 17
4. Public Administration and Safety - 13
5. Wholesale Trade - 13

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 260 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 407

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 75% or 272 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 363

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 16 being:

10 houses

5 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁴¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Narembeen

Population 2021- 787 = **3.2% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁴³

2021- Migrants comprised 18.1% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 22% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 139	2016- 142	2.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 4	2016- 36	800% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 143	2016- 178	24.5% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$189.432 million

Top 5 output industries⁴⁴

1. Agriculture - \$90.460 million
2. Mining - \$39.921 million
3. Manufacturing - \$23.035 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$9.363 million
5. Construction - \$7.8 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 151

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 106
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 9
3. Retail Trade - 9
4. Construction- 5
5. Healthcare - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 186
2. Healthcare - 30
3. Education and Training - 25
4. Public Administration and Safety - 24
5. Mining - 22

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 358 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 529

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 74% or 420 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 569

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 being:

4 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁴³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Nungarin

Population 2021- 255 = 10.9% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁴⁵

2021- Migrants comprised 22.3% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 34.2% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 57	2016- 85	49.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 3	3% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 60	2016- 88	46.7% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$25.328 million

Top 5 output industries⁴⁶

1. Agriculture - \$18.995 million
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$2.415 million
3. Public Administration & Safety - \$2.123 million
4. Mining - \$0.704 million
5. Education & Training - \$0.650 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 31

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 16
2. Retail Trade - 3
3. Wholesale Trade - 3
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate - 3
5. Professional and Scientific Services - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 36
2. Education and Training - 8
3. Healthcare - 6
4. Public Administration and Safety - 6
5. Retail Trade - 5

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 50% or 97 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 195

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 69% or 107 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 154

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 being:

1 house

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁴⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Trayning

Population 2021- 298 = **16.8% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁴⁷

2021- Migrants comprised 24.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 23.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 74	2016- 83	12.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 0	0% change
Overall change all migrants	2021- 74	2016- 83	12.2% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$46.076 million

Top 5 output industries⁴⁸

1. Agriculture - \$22.954 million
2. Healthcare - \$5.143 million
3. Public Administration & Safety - \$4.6 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$3.428 million
5. Manufacturing - \$2.744 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 52

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 36
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 3
3. Transport - 3
4. Wholesale Trade - 3
5. Construction - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 53
2. Healthcare - 30
3. Public Administration and Safety - 13
4. Transport - 10
5. Education and Training - 7

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 54% or 123 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 229

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 169 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 264

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 6 being:

2 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

2 rentals

⁴⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁴⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Westonia

Population 2021- 248 = **11.7% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁴⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 24.2% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 53.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 60	2016- 141	135% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 22	2200% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 60	2016- 163	171.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$341.802 million

Top 5 output industries⁵⁰

1. Mining - \$299.776 million
2. Agriculture - \$22.504 million
3. Public Administration & Safety - \$5.308 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$4.421 million
5. Transport - \$4.030 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 36

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 21
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 6
3. Construction - 4
4. Transport - 3
5. Retail Trade - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Mining - 144
2. Agriculture- 48
3. Public Administration and Safety - 14
4. Transport - 11
5. Healthcare - 6

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 61% or 111 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 183

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 77% or 168 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 217

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 1 being:

0 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁴⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁵⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Yilgarn

Population 2021- 1,173 = **39.5% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵¹

2021- Migrants comprised 34.9% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 30.3% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 359	2016- 321	11.8% increase
Overseas	2021- 51	2016- 43	18.6% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 410	2016- 364	12.6% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$2,199.553 million

Top 5 output industries⁵²

1. Mining - \$1,907.031 million
2. Agriculture - \$70.453 million
3. Construction - \$50.288 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$22.846 million
5. Manufacturing - \$14.667 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 160

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 81
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 22
3. Construction - 13
4. Accommodation and Food Services Retail Trade - 10
5. Mining - 9

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Mining - 743
2. Agriculture- 145
3. Construction - 71
4. Public Administration and Safety - 43
5. Accommodation and Food Services - 42

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 633 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 984

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 73% or 931 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,274

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 19 being:

12 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

5 rentals

⁵¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁵² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Central Midlands sub region data snaps

Population 2021- 11,700 = 1.1% increase on 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵³

2021-Migrants comprised 29.1% of the sub region's population

2016-Migrants comprised 33.3% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 3,219	2016- 3,467	7.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 223	2016- 393	76.2% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 3,442	2016- 3,860	12.1% decrease

Economy

December 2021 \$2,012.6 million / June 2023 \$3,908.876 million

Highest output industries December 2021	Highest output industries June 2023
Agriculture- \$534.86 million	Agriculture - \$586.880 million
Mining - \$227.05 million	Mining- \$510.416 million
Construction- \$193.26 million	Manufacturing- \$183.086 million
Manufacturing- \$164.57 million	Construction- \$171.310 million
Finance & insurance services - \$162.53 million	Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$142.354 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 1,582

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 689
2. Construction- 190
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 142
4. Transport Postal Warehousing- 109
5. Other Services- 70

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 1,255
2. Education and Training- 419
3. Retail Trade- 262
4. Construction- 257
5. Mining- 241

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 67% or 5,789 persons;15-74 yrs. population 8,613

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 70% or 5,384 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 7,689

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 70 various types broken down to:

42 houses

21 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

2 peri urban vacant land

4 rentals

⁵³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

Shire of Chittering

Population 2021- 5,930 = 33.9% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵⁴

2021- Migrants comprised 37% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 41.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 2,129	2016- 2,172	2% decrease
Overseas	2021- 66	2016- 112	69.7% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 2,195	2016- 2,284	4% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$1,002.916 million

Top 5 output industries⁵⁵

6. Mining - \$486.028 million
7. Agriculture - \$127.793 million
8. Construction - \$115.529 million
9. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$61.975 million
10. Manufacturing - \$31.832 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 600

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 181
2. Construction - 132
3. Transport - 44
4. Other Services - 40
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 35

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 289
2. Mining - 214
3. Construction - 165
4. Education and Training- 154
5. Transport - 93

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 2,963 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 4,440

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 66% or 2,172 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,296

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 38 being:

15 houses

19 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

2 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁵⁴ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁵⁵ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Dalwallinu

Population 2021- 1,379 = 8.9% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵⁶

2021- Migrants comprised 21.1% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 31% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 223	2016- 323	44.8% decrease
Overseas	2021- 69	2016- 121	75.4% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 292	2016- 444	52% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$365.401 million

Top 5 output industries⁵⁷

1. Manufacturing - \$122.104 million
2. Agriculture - \$121.480 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$19.215 million
4. Construction - \$18.649 million
5. Public Administration and Safety - \$8.500 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 258

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 127
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 35
3. Manufacturing - 14
4. Financial and Insurance Services - 12
5. Transport and accommodation and Food- 11

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 246
2. Manufacturing - 91
3. Healthcare - 43
4. Education and Training- 58
5. Retail Trade - 35

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 667 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 979

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 77% or 719 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 937

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 6 being:

5 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁵⁶ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁵⁷ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Moora

Population 2021- 2,292 = **8% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁵⁸

2021- Migrants comprised 20.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 23.3% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 435	2016- 494	13.6% decrease
Overseas	2021- 42	2016- 72	71.4% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 477	2016- 566	18.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$412.840 million

Top 5 output industries⁵⁹

1. Agriculture - \$137.440 million
2. Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services- \$34.817 million
3. Construction - \$34.543 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$27.814 million
5. Wholesale Trade - \$26.040 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 335

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 152
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 37
3. Construction - 33
4. Transport - 27
5. Retail Trade - 21

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 293
2. Education and Training- 130
3. Healthcare - 109
4. Retail Trade - 85
5. Public Administration and Safety - 65

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 67% or 1,106 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,640

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 1,283 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,787

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 18 being:

14 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

2 rentals

⁵⁸ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁵⁹ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Victoria Plains

Population 2021- 802 = **11.6% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶⁰

2021- Migrants comprised 19.4% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.3% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 137	2016- 192	40.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 19	2016- 57	200% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 156	2016- 249	59.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$185.557 million

Top 5 output industries⁶¹

1. Agriculture - \$113.516 million
2. Wholesale Trade - \$12.586 million
3. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$12.373 million
4. Mining- \$11.942 million
5. Public Administration and Safety - \$8.377 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 169

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 113
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services – 21
3. Construction- 11
4. Transport - 7
5. Retail Trade and Financial Insurance Services - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 241
2. Wholesale Trade - 30
3. Education and Training- 25
4. Public Administration and Safety - 23
5. Transport - 17

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 410 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 601

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 478 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 659

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 being:

2 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁶⁰ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁶¹ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Wongan-Ballidu

Population 2021- 1,297 = **10.6% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶²

2021- Migrants comprised 24.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 23.8% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 295	2016- 286	3.1% increase
Overseas	2021- 27	2016- 31	14.8% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 322	2016- 317	1.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$269.529 million

Top 5 output industries⁶³

1. Agriculture - \$86.651 million
2. Wholesale Trade - \$38.193 million
3. Transport - \$22.896 million
4. Manufacturing- \$22.475 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$20.977 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 220

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 117
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 30
3. Financial Insurance Services - 11
4. Retail and accommodation and Food Services - 10
5. Construction - 10

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 186
2. Wholesale Trade - 78
3. Education and Training- 52
4. Retail Trade - 45
5. Healthcare - 41

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 67% or 643 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 953

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 732 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,010

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 6 being:

6 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁶² ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁶³ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Wheatbelt South sub region data snaps

Population 2021- 16,996 = **4.6% decrease** on 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶⁴

2021-Migrants comprised 24.5% of the sub region's population

2016-Migrants comprised 25.4% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 3,765	2016- 4,110	9.1% decrease
Overseas	2021- 397	2016- 382	3.9% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 4,162	2016- 4,492	7.9% decrease

Economy

December 2021 \$3,127.96 million / June 2023 \$3,452.108 million

Highest output industries December 2021	Highest output industries June 2023
Agriculture- \$1,126.85 million	Agriculture - \$1,336.273 million
Mining - \$299.04 million	Mining- \$387.229 million
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$242.90 million	Construction- \$225.116 million
Manufacturing - \$235.27 million	Rental Hiring Real Estate- \$219.379 million
Construction-\$214.21 million	Public Administration - \$171.141 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 2,622

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 1,496
2. Construction- 135
3. Other Services- 101
4. Retail Trade- 99
5. Transport Postal Warehousing- 98

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 2,791
2. Healthcare- 829
3. Education and Training- 662
4. Retail Trade- 523
5. Public Administration- 486

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 71% or 8,068 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 11,345

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 70% or 8,873 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 12,751

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 111 various types broken down to:

76 houses

24 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

2 peri urban vacant land

8 rentals

⁶⁴ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

Shire of Brookton

Population 2021- 929 = **0.05% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶⁵

2021- Migrants comprised 24.4% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.9% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 216	2016- 246	13.9% decrease
Overseas	2021- 11	2016- 26	23.4% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 227	2016- 272	19.8% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$145.312 million

Top 5 output industries⁶⁶

1. Agriculture - \$85.542 million
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$11.683 million
3. Public Administration- \$8.391 million
4. Education and Training - \$6.662 million
5. Healthcare - \$6.102 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 142

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 93
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 17
3. Retail Trade - 9
4. Transport - 5
5. Construction - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 182
2. Education and Training- 39
3. Healthcare - 35
4. Retail Trade - 33
5. Wholesale Trade - 23

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 401 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 637

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 410 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 646

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 being:

6 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁶⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁶⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Corrigin

Population 2021- 1,007 = 5.5% decrease from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶⁷

2021- Migrants comprised 22.4% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 25.4% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 205	2016- 265	29.6% decrease
Overseas	2021- 21	2016- 26	23.8% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 226	2016- 291	28.7% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$208.867 million

Top 5 output industries⁶⁸

1. Agriculture - \$89.406 million
2. Construction - \$24.729 million
3. Public Administration- \$15.386 million
4. Wholesale Trade - \$13.020 million
5. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$12.741 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 190

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 105
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - 22
3. Construction - 18
4. Retail Trade - 10
5. Transport - 6

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 185
2. Public Administration and Safety- 46
3. Healthcare - 43
4. Retail Trade - 36
5. Wholesale Trade - 34

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 74% or 536 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 723

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 76% or 582 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 766

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 5 being:

2 houses

3 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁶⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁶⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Cuballing

Population 2021- 902 = 3.7% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁶⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 26.8% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.1% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 224	2016- 225	0.04% decrease
Overseas	2021- 18	2016- 9	100% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 242	2016- 234	3.4% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$127.590 million

Top 5 output industries⁷⁰

1. Agriculture - \$62.278 million
2. Manufacturing - \$16.994 million
3. Construction - \$13.889 million
4. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$9.113 million
5. Public Administration- \$7.785 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 125

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 76
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 13
3. Transport - 9
4. Manufacturing - 6
5. Construction - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 143
2. Public Administration and Safety- 21
3. Transport - 16
4. Construction - 14
5. Manufacturing - 14

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 60% or 407 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 677

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 67% or 433 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 647

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 5 being:

3 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

1 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁶⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁷⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Dumbleyung

Population 2021- 681 = 12.5% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷¹

2021- Migrants comprised 19.2% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 20.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 125	2016- 128	2.4% decrease
Overseas	2021- 6	2016- 10	66.6% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 131	2016- 138	5.3% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$114.488 million

Top 5 output industries⁷²

1. Agriculture - \$79.358 million
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate Services - \$7.904 million
3. Public Administration- \$7.431 million
4. Transport - \$3.531 million
5. Wholesale Trade - \$3.472 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 149

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 83
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 32
3. Transport- 7
4. Construction - 7
5. Manufacturing - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 169
2. Healthcare - 23
3. Public Administration and Safety- 22
4. Education and Training - 20
5. Construction - 10

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 62% or 308 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 496

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 76% or 342 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 449

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 5 being:

3 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

2 rentals

⁷¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁷² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Kondinin

Population 2021- 847 = **23.4% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷³

2021- Migrants comprised 27% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 198	2016- 209	5.5% decrease
Overseas	2021- 31	2016- 32	3.2% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 229	2016- 241	5.2% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$601.076 million

Top 5 output industries⁷⁴

1. Mining- \$385.117 million
2. Agriculture - \$104.133 million
3. Construction - \$26.638 million
4. Manufacturing - \$16.501 million
5. Electricity, Gas, Water - \$15.342 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 193

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 110
2. Rental Hiring Real Estate- 30
3. Transport - 12
4. Retail Trade - 10
5. Construction and Accommodation Food Services - 8

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Mining - 243
2. Agriculture- 210
3. Construction - 38
4. Public Administration and Safety- 34
5. Healthcare - 30

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 70% or 445 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 631

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 74% or 598 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 810

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 5 being:

4 houses

1 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁷³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁷⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Kulin

Population 2021- 769 = **7.4% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷⁵

2021- Migrants comprised 17.3% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 19.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 126	2016- 137	8.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 7	2016- 12	71.4% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 133	2016- 149	12.0% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$176.890 million

Top 5 output industries⁷⁶

1. Agriculture - \$109.295 million
2. Construction - \$14.356 million
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- \$9.727 million
4. Public Administration and Safety - \$9.909 million
5. Financial & Insurance Services - \$9.026 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 159

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 104
2. Transport - 11
3. Retail Trade - 10
4. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - 9
5. Construction - 6

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 231
2. Education and Training - 36
3. Public Administration and Safety- 29
4. Construction - 17
5. Wholesale Trade - 14

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 398 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 552

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 79% or 454 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 573

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 being:

5 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁷⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁷⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Lake Grace

Population 2021- 1,265 = **7.5% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷⁷

2021- Migrants comprised 22.1% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 25.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 241	2016- 280	16.2% decrease
Overseas	2021- 39	2016- 47	20.5% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 280	2016- 327	16.8% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$356.523 million

Top 5 output industries⁷⁸

1. Agriculture - \$175.222 million
2. Construction - \$30.469 million
3. Transport - \$24.401 million
4. Wholesale Trade - \$22.134 million
5. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- \$18.152 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 355

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 218
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 36
3. Construction - 22
4. Retail Trade - 18
5. Other Services - 13

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 369
2. Education and Training - 57
3. Wholesale Trade - 53
4. Healthcare- 51
5. Retail Trade - 47

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 78% or 727 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 937

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 81% or 809 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,003

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 7 being:

7 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁷⁷ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁷⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Narrogin

Population 2021- 4,779 = **6.6% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁷⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 28.9% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 28.6% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 1,200	2016- 1,317	9.8% decrease
Overseas	2021- 180	2016- 161	11.8% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 1,380	2016- 1,478	7.1% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$770.507 million

Top 5 output industries⁸⁰

1. Agriculture - \$104.085 million
2. Healthcare - \$92.851 million
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$69.325 million
4. Construction - \$65.334 million
5. Education and Training - \$55.829 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 459

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 131
2. Construction - 68
3. Other Services - 42
4. Retail Trade - 38
5. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - 35

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Healthcare- 503
2. Education and Training - 315
3. Retail Trade - 232
4. Agriculture- 222
5. Public Administration and Safety - 144

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 64% or 2,204 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,459

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65% or 2,324 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 3,581

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 34 being:

29 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

3 rentals

⁷⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁸⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Pingelly

Population 2021- 1,037 = **12.1% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁸¹

2021- Migrants comprised 25% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 23.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 254	2016- 266	4.7% decrease
Overseas	2021- 6	2016- 6	0% change
Overall change all migrants	2021- 260	2016- 272	4.6% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$134.415 million

Top 5 output industries⁸²

1. Agriculture - \$69.850 million
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$11.253 million
3. Transport - \$10.852 million
4. Healthcare - \$9.053 million
5. Public Administration and Safety - \$8.275 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 153

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 98
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 9
3. Construction - 7
4. Transport - 6
5. Professional, Scientific and Technical - 5

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 141
2. Healthcare- 53
3. Education and Training - 27
4. Retail Trade - 23
5. Transport - 23

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 56% or 417 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 738

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 486 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 817

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 12 being:

5 houses

6 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

1 rental

⁸¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁸² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Wagin

Population 2021- 1,761 = **4.9% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁸³

2021- Migrants comprised 21.9% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 22.7% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 340	2016- 409	20.3% decrease
Overseas	2021- 46	2016- 11	318% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 386	2016- 420	8.8% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$263.655 million

Top 5 output industries⁸⁴

1. Agriculture - \$88.661 million
2. Manufacturing - \$32.867 million
3. Construction - \$27.339 million
4. Transport - \$21.156 million
5. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$19.225 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 242

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 121
2. Construction – 28
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 25
4. Other Services- 13
5. Retail Trade - 12

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 182
2. Healthcare- 71
3. Retail Trade - 50
4. Education and Training - 44
5. Transport - 43

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 764 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,285

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 63% or 830 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 1,308

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 11 being:

5 houses

4 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

2 rentals

⁸³ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁸⁴ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Wandering

Population 2021- 535 = 22.1% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁸⁵

2021- Migrants comprised 30% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 27.9% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 161	2016- 117	37.6% increase
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 7	700% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 161	2016- 124	29.8% increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$67.365 million

Top 5 output industries⁸⁶

1. Agriculture - \$40.057 million
2. Manufacturing - \$6.618 million
3. Public Administration & Safety - \$5.192 million
4. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$5.504 million
5. Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste - \$1.817 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 70

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 37
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 13
3. Transport- 5
4. Manufacturing- 3
5. Construction - 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 91
2. Other Services - 14
3. Public Administration and Safety - 13
4. Education and Training - 11
5. Manufacturing - 8

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 59% or 241 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 407

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 72% or 234 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 327

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 being:

2 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁸⁵ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁸⁶ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of West Arthur

Population 2021- 773 = 12.3% decrease from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁸⁷

2021- Migrants comprised 16.4% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 19.1% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 127	2016- 144	13.9% decrease
Overseas	2021- 0	2016- 11	1100% decrease
Overall change all migrants	2021- 127	2016- 155	22% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$155.031 million

Top 5 output industries⁸⁸

1. Agriculture - \$114.333 million
2. Manufacturing - \$10.251 million
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$9.188 million
4. Public Administration & Safety - \$7.785 million
5. Professional, Scientific & Technical - \$3.379 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 207

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 142
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate -21
3. Transport - 10
4. Retail Trade- 5
5. Construction- 4

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 239
2. Public Administration and Safety - 21
3. Education and Training - 20
4. Wholesale Trade - 9
5. Manufacturing - 9

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65% or 376 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 581

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 75% or 464 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 619

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 2 being:

2 houses

0 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

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⁸⁸ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Wickepin

Population 2021- 773 = **8.7% decrease** from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁸⁹

2021- Migrants comprised 17% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 21% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 101	2016- 147	21.5% decrease
Overseas	2021- 11	2016- 4	175% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 122	2016- 154	26.2% decrease

Economy

Total shire output- \$107.661 million

Top 5 output industries⁹⁰

1. Agriculture - \$70.944 million
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$7.719 million
3. Public Administration & Safety - \$6.016 million
4. Wholesale Trade- \$5.218 million
5. Education and Training - \$3.575 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 103

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 64
2. Transport- 10
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 10
4. Wholesale Trade -3
5. Construction- 3

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 152
2. Education and Training - 24
3. Public Administration and Safety - 21
4. Wholesale Trade - 12
5. Transport - 11

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 65% or 317 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 486

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 68% or 362 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 530

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 3 being:

2 houses

0 vacant townsite land

1 rural residential

0 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁸⁹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁹⁰ Remplan Wheatbelt Economy

Shire of Williams

Population 2021- 1,021 = 11.7% increase from 2011

Migration 2021 compared to 2016

Migration based on place of usual residence 1 year ago and 5 years ago for intra-regional, interstate and overseas migrants.⁹¹

2021- Migrants comprised 24.3% of the population.

2016-Migrants comprised 22.4% of the population.

Change in migration between 2021 and 2016

Intra-regional and interstate	2021- 227	2016- 220	3.2% increase
Overseas	2021- 21	2016- 20	5% increase
Overall change all migrants	2021- 248	2016- 240	3.3%increase

Economy

Total shire output- \$222.728 million

Top 5 output industries⁹²

1. Agriculture - \$140.059 million
2. Manufacturing - \$17.366 million
3. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate - \$13.151 million
4. Public Administration & Safety - \$11.698 million
5. Construction - \$8.630 million

Total number of businesses in 2022- 175

Top 5 businesses

1. Agriculture- 114
2. Rental, Hiring & Real Estate- 8
3. Wholesale Trade -6
4. Retail Trade and Transport - 5
5. Construction- 4

Top 5 employing businesses

1. Agriculture- 275
2. Retail Trade - 34
3. Public Administration and Safety - 32
4. Accommodation and Food Services - 29
5. Education and Training - 21

2021-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 74% or 527 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 715

2011-15-74 years labour force participation rate- 81% or 545 persons; 15-74 yrs. population 675

Accommodation available for sale as of June 2023

Total- 6 being:

3 houses

2 vacant townsite land

0 rural residential

1 peri urban vacant land

0 rentals

⁹¹ ABS 2021 and 2016 Community Profiles

⁹² Remplan Wheatbelt Economy