

Mining Industry Top 20 populations – Australia

The Census collects information on workplace address based on the main job held in the week before Census night. The following table provides information on the reported number of persons who worked in the mining industry at statistical area level 2 (SA2).

Location	Persons employed in mining
Perth City	14,687
East Pilbara	7,536
Broadsound - Nebo	6,236
Ashburton (WA)	5,688
Brisbane City	4,456
Singleton Region	4,396
Leinster - Leonora	3,469
Moranbah	3,322
Roebourne	2,809
Central Highlands - East	2,744
Central Highlands - West	2,610
Kambalda - Coolgardie - Norseman	2,533
Mount Isa	2,329
Roxby Downs	2,299
Muswellbrook	2,056
Meekatharra	1,883
Port Hedland	1,734
Banana	1,704
Outback (SA)	1,569
Mount Isa Region	1,564

*Above populations are based on those people 15 years or over at the SA2 geography.



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Top five populations – states and territories (excluding ACT due to small counts)

New South Wales

Location	Persons employed in Mining
Singleton Region	4,396
Muswellbrook	2,056
Lithgow Region	1,033
Mudgee Region – West	990
Sydney – Haymarket – The Rocks	931

Queensland

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South Australia

Location	Persons employed in Mining
Roxby Downs	2,299
Outback (SA)	1,569
Adelaide	1,402
Whyalla	247
Flinders Ranges	221

Victoria

Location	Persons employed in Mining
Melbourne	785
Southbank	774
Longford – Loch Sport	330
Bendigo Region – North	282
Stawell	271

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Northern Territory

Location	Persons employed in Mining
Anindilyakwa	462
Alligator	446
Tanami	425
Daly	240
Gulf	232

Tasmania

Location	Persons employed in Mining
West Coast (Tas.)	897
Waratah	276
Beauty Point – Beaconsfield	137
North West	86
Burnie - Wivenhoe	78