

City of Melbourne

Census of Land Use and Employment (CLUE)

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Over the past 20 years, the City of Melbourne has continued to grow as the stat0e's most important employment location. Additionally over that time the city has grown as a place to live, study and play

## What is CLUE?

The Census of Land Use and Employment (CLUE) provides a portrait of the changing nature of life in our city.

For more information and other reports visit melbourne.vic.gov.au/clue

### A place to live

* Total dwellings
  + 2002 31,000
  + 2022 108,000
  + Up by 248%
* Student apartments
  + 2002 2,100
  + 2022 7,600
  + Up by 262%
* Residential apartments
  + 2002 22,000
  + 2022 90,000
  + Up by 309%
* Houses/townhouses
  + 2002 6,800
  + 2022 10,000
  + Up by 48%

### Study

* Student accommodation beds
  + 2002 3,000
  + 2022 12,000
  + Up by 300%
* Education and research space (m2­)
  + 2002 1.11 million
  + 2022 1.46 million
  + Up by 32%

### Work

* Jobs
  + 2002 320,000
  + 2022 481,000
  + Up by 50%
* Businesses includes small, medium, large and unmanned businesses
  + 2002 12,000
  + 2022 14,000
  + Up by 17%
* Small businesses
  + 2002 9,600
  + 2022 9,900
  + Up by 3%
* Medium and large businesses
  + 2002 2,000
  + 2022 3,000
  + Up by 50%
* Jobs in top employing sectors
  + Public admin and safety
    - 2002 30,000
    - 2022 54,000
  + Business services
    - 2002 48,000
    - 2022 84,000
  + Finance and insurance
    - 2002 45,000
    - 2022 67,000
* Jobs in priority sectors for trade and investment
  + Biotech
    - 2002 23,000
    - 2022 40,000
  + ICT
    - 2002 28,000
    - 2022 35,000
  + Advanced manufacturing
    - 2002 7,200
    - 2022 6,500

### Play

* Cafes and restaurants
  + 2002 1,200
  + 2022 2,100
  + Up by 75% since 2002
* Parks and reserves (m2­)
  + 2002 4.56 million
  + 2022 5.01 million
  + Up by 10% since 2002
* Occupied retail space (m2­)
  + 2002 669,000
  + 2022 695,000
  + Up by 4% since 2002
* Indoor and outdoor entertainment space (m2­)
  + 2002 2.22 million
  + 2022 2.60 million
  + Up by 17% since 2002

## Jobs by location

* Melbourne CBD 228,000 jobs, up by 30% since 2002
* Docklands 74,000 jobs, up by 974% since 2002
* Southbank 45,000 jobs, up by 42% since 2002
* Parkville 35,000 jobs, up by 83% since 2002
* Melbourne (remainder) 22,000 jobs
* East Melbourne 21,000 jobs
* Carlton 15,000 jobs
* Port Melbourne 13,000 jobs
* North Melbourne 8900 jobs
* Kensington 7400 jobs
* West Melbourne (residential) 4600 jobs
* West Melbourne (industrial) 4600 jobs
* South Yarra 1000 jobs