

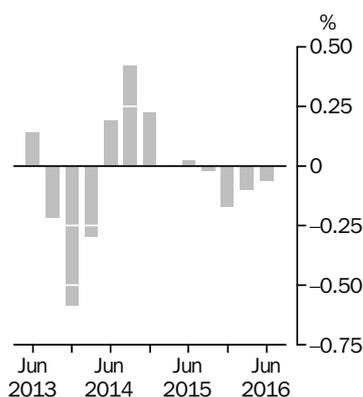
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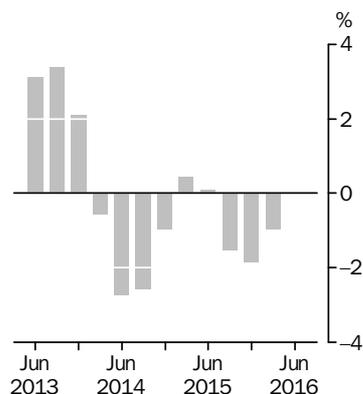
Inventories (volume terms)

Trend estimates



Company gross operating profits

Trend estimates



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KEY FIGURES

	Mar Qtr 16 to Jun Qtr 16 %	Jun Qtr 15 to Jun Qtr 16 %
Sales of goods and services (Chain volume measures)		
Manufacturing		
Trend	-0.6	-3.8
Seasonally Adjusted	0.2	-2.9
Wholesale trade		
Trend	1.6	5.6
Seasonally Adjusted	-0.1	5.5
Inventories (Chain volume measures)		
Trend	-0.1	-0.3
Seasonally Adjusted	0.3	-0.2
Company gross operating profits		
Trend	0.0	-4.3
Seasonally Adjusted	6.9	0.0
Wages and salaries		
Seasonally Adjusted	0.8	2.8

KEY POINTS

CHAIN VOLUME ESTIMATES

- The trend estimate for inventories fell -0.1% in the June quarter 2016. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.3% this quarter.
- The trend estimate for Manufacturing sales of goods and services fell 0.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.2% this quarter.
- The trend estimate for Wholesale trade sales of goods and services rose 1.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.1%.

CURRENT PRICE ESTIMATES

- The seasonally adjusted estimate for company gross operating profits rose 6.9% in the June quarter 2016.
- The seasonally adjusted estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.8% in the June quarter 2016.

NOTES

FORTHCOMING ISSUES

<i>ISSUE (Quarter)</i>	<i>RELEASE DATE</i>
September 2016	5 December 2016
December 2016	27 February 2017
March 2017	5 June 2017
June 2017	4 September 2017

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COMPARISON BETWEEN COMPANY GROSS OPERATING PROFITS AND GROSS OPERATING SURPLUS

Valuation changes have had an impact on the value of inventories held by Australian businesses this quarter. An inventories valuation adjustment (IVA) is applied in the calculation of the gross operating surplus of private non-financial corporations (GOS) estimate in the Australian National Accounts. The IVA for the June quarter 2016 is \$571m which is \$2,443m higher than the March quarter 2016 IVA of -\$1,872.

No adjustment is made to the company gross operating profits (CGOP) estimate in this publication and, as a result, users should exercise caution when comparing CGOP and GOS. It should be noted that there are other differences between the two series. In particular, changes are made to GOS when annual benchmarks are applied and slightly different seasonal factors apply to the two series. Given this, while CGOP movements are an appropriate indicator for GOS, the two series will not have equivalent seasonally adjusted movements from quarter to quarter.

CHANGES IN NEXT ISSUE

As happens in September quarter each year, revisions to previously released data will occur as a result of the annual re-analysis of seasonally adjusted data series and the movement forward of the base year for the calculation of chain volume measures.

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ABBREVIATIONS

ABN	Australian Business Number
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
ANZSIC	Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification
CGOP	company gross operating profits
GOS	gross operating surplus
PAYGW	pay-as-you-go withholding
QBIS	Quarterly Business Indicators Survey
SISCA	Standard Institutional Sector Classification of Australia
TAU	type of activity unit

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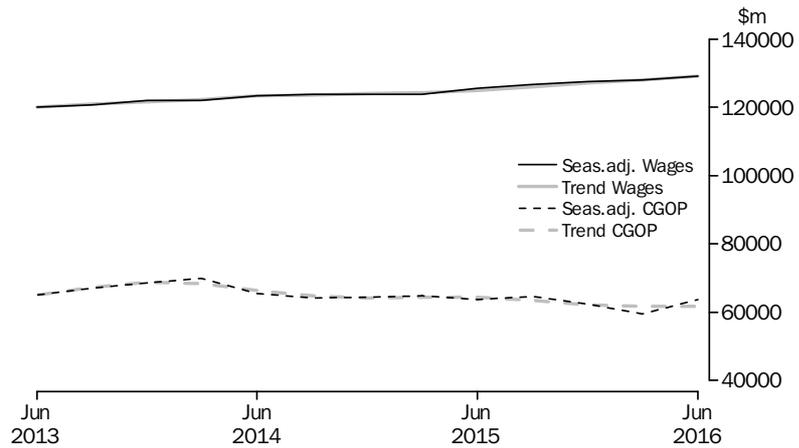
ANALYSIS BY INDUSTRY

FEATURED SERIES

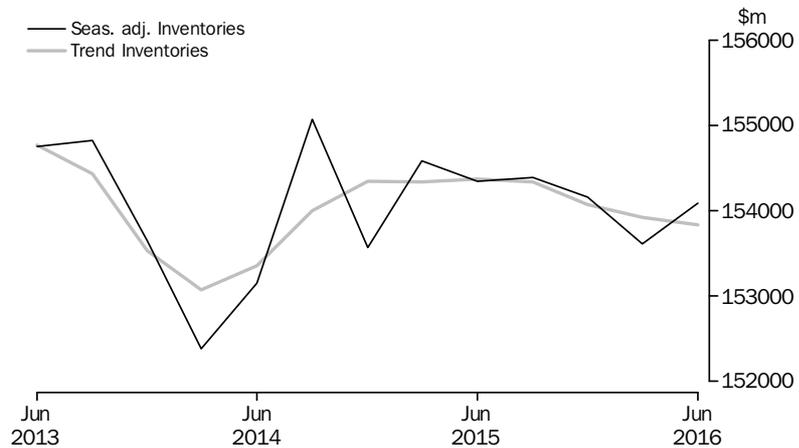
The following graphs and commentary refer to seasonally adjusted and trend estimates for sales of goods and services and inventories in volume terms, and wages and salaries and company gross operating profits in current price terms.

TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits remained relatively unchanged this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 6.9%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.8% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.8%.



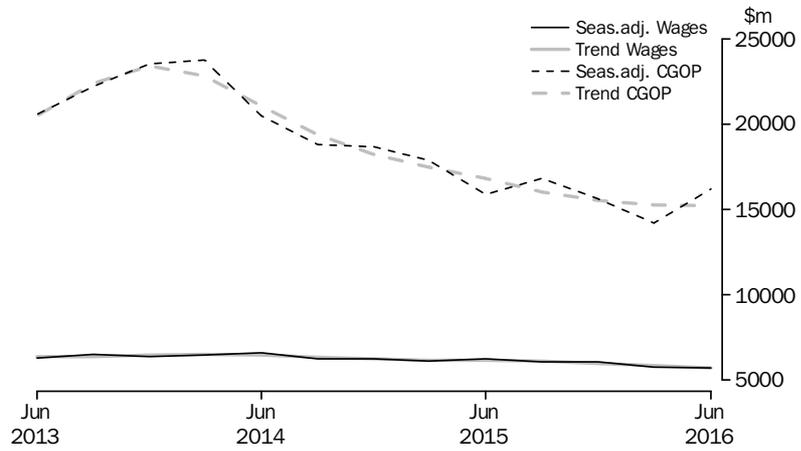
In volume terms, the trend estimate for total inventories fell 0.1% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.3%.



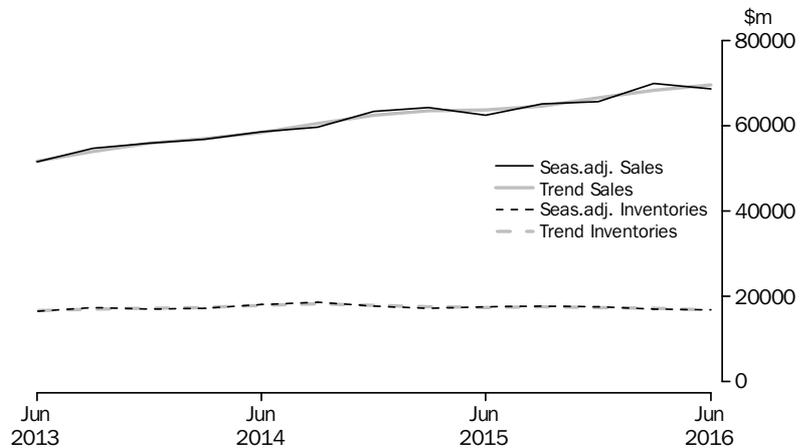
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MINING

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 0.3% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 14.2%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries fell 2.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.4%.



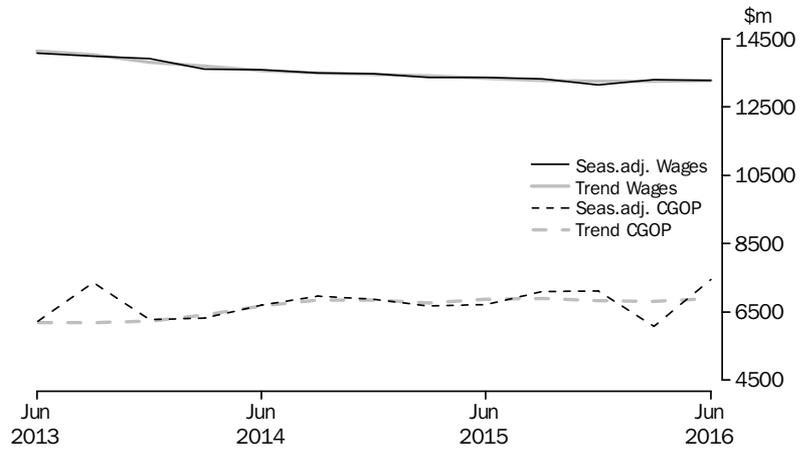
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 1.8% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.6%. In volume terms, the trend estimate for inventories fell 2.0% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.8%.



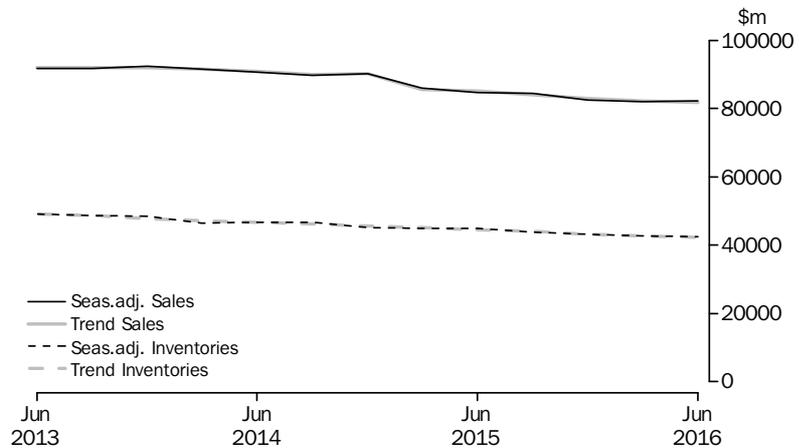
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MANUFACTURING

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 1.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 22.6%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.2% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.2%.



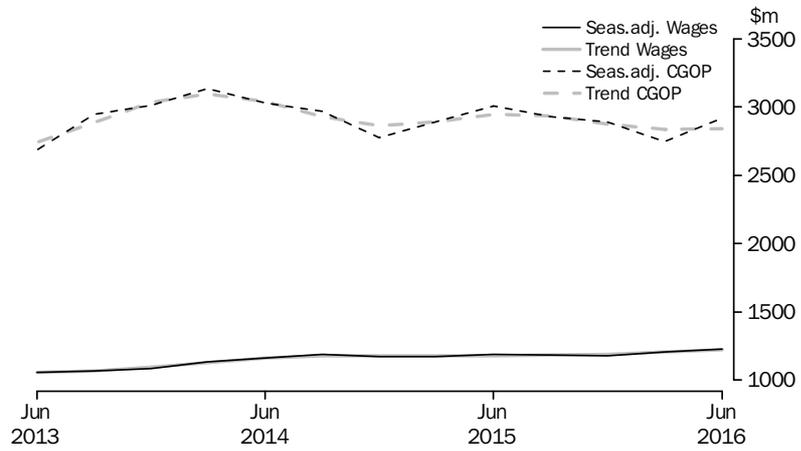
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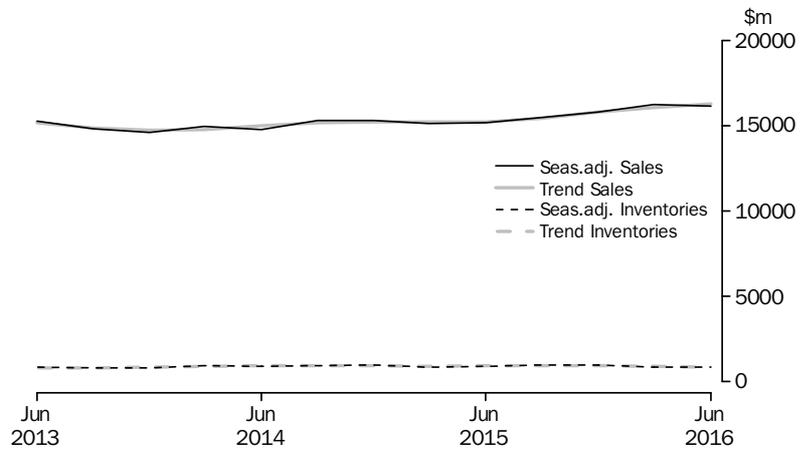
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ELECTRICITY, GAS, WATER AND WASTE SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 0.2% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 6.4%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 1.8%.



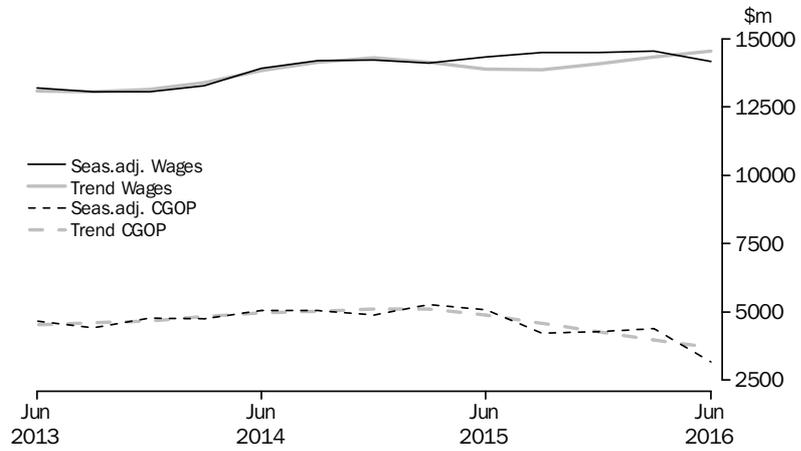
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 1.2% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.5%. In volume terms, the trend estimate for inventories fell 6.0% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 2.8%.



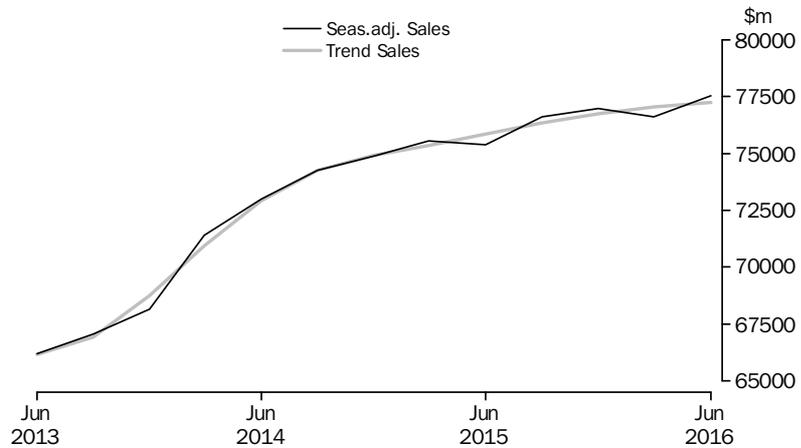
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CONSTRUCTION

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 7.0% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 27.7%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.5% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 2.7%.



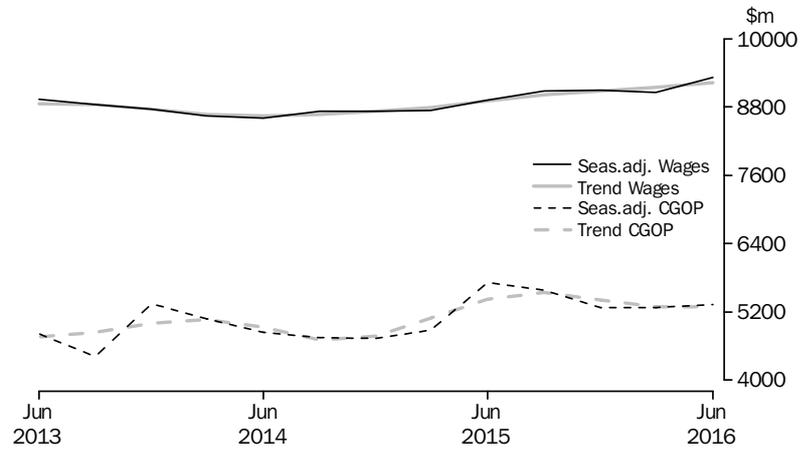
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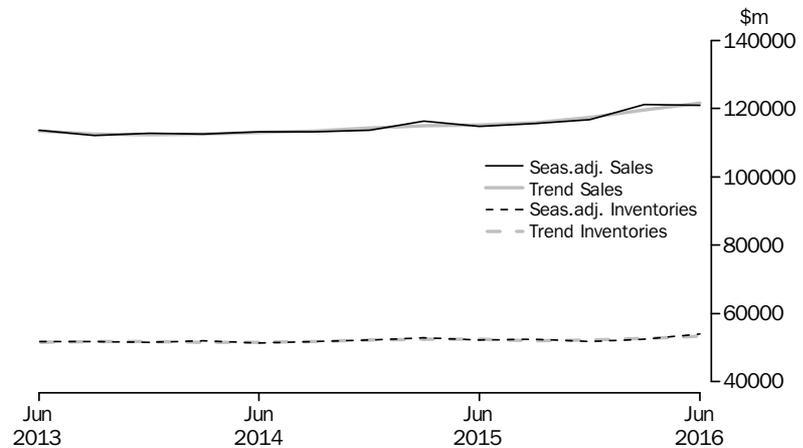
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WHOLESALE TRADE

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 0.1% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 1.0%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.9% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 2.8%.



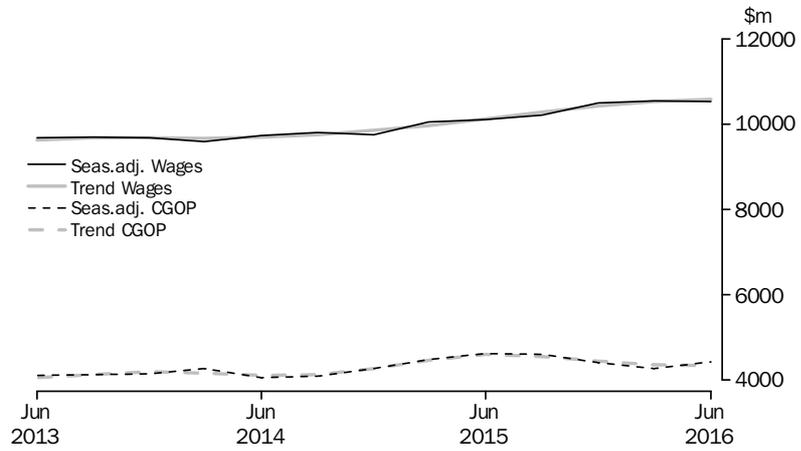
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 1.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.1%. In volume terms, the trend estimate for inventories rose 1.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 3.0%.



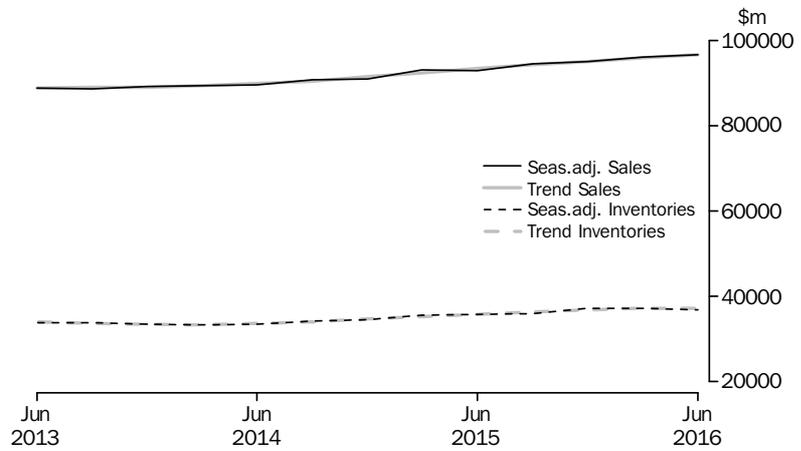
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RETAIL TRADE

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 0.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 3.7%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.1%.



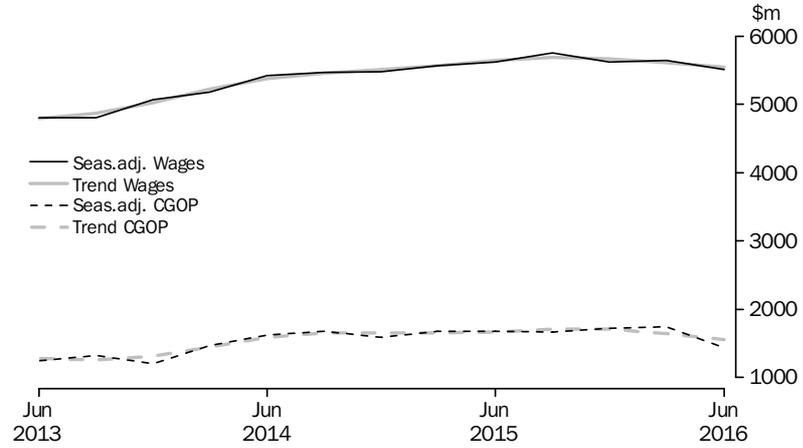
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 0.7% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.7%. In volume terms, the trend estimate for inventories rose 0.1% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.2%.



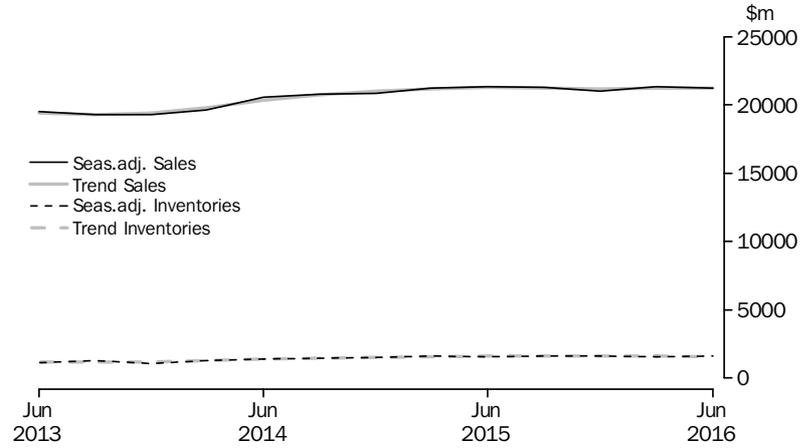
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ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 5.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 17.8%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries fell 1.2%. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 2.4%.



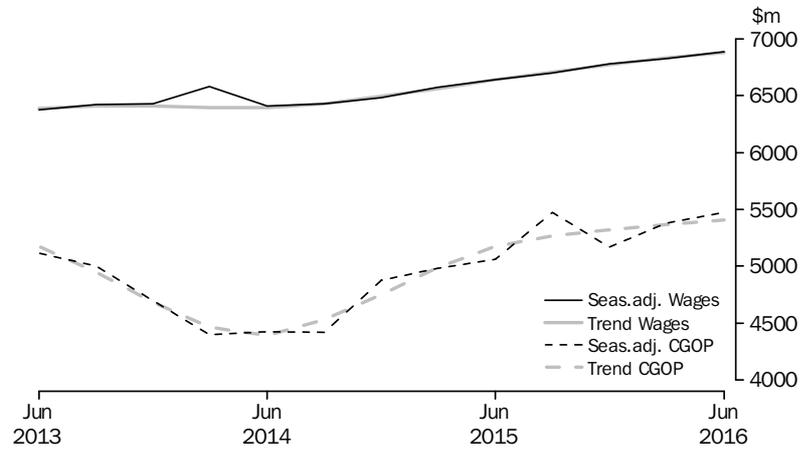
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 0.3% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.3%. In volume terms, the trend estimate for inventories fell 0.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 1.5%.



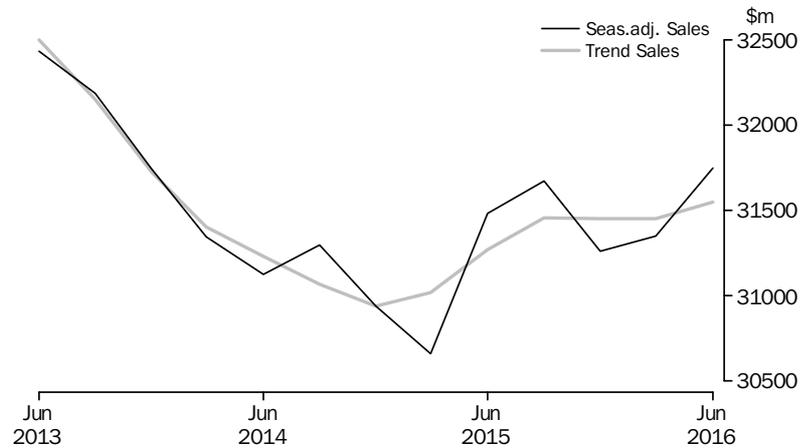
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TRANSPORT, POSTAL AND WAREHOUSING

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 0.8% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 1.8%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.7% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.9%.



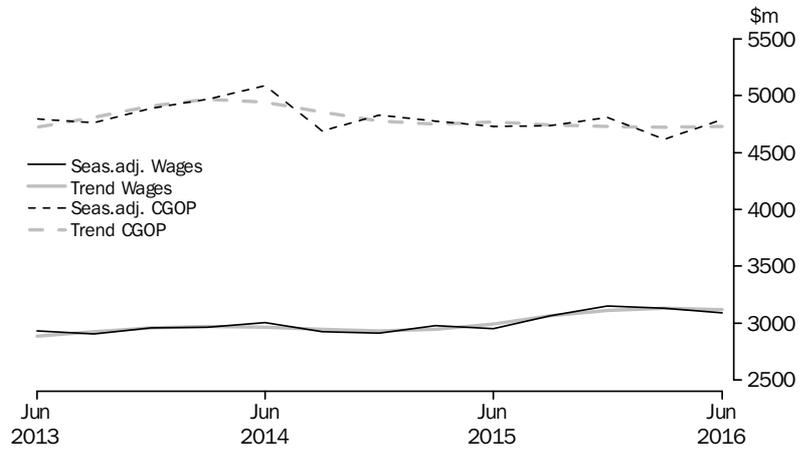
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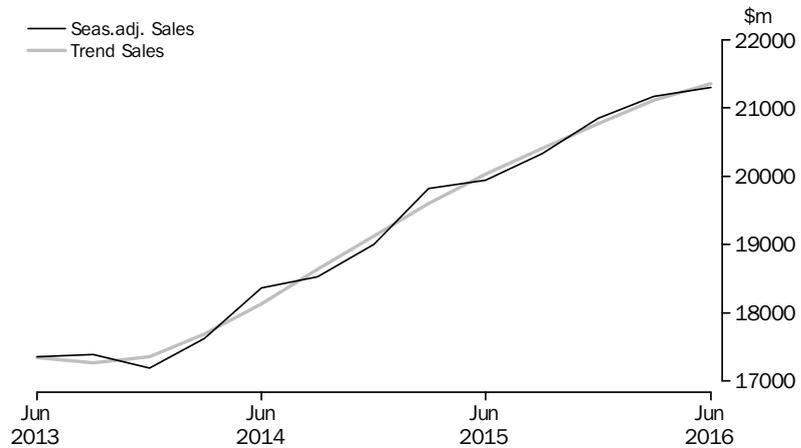
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INFORMATION MEDIA AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits remained relatively unchanged this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 3.6%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries fell 0.5% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.3%.



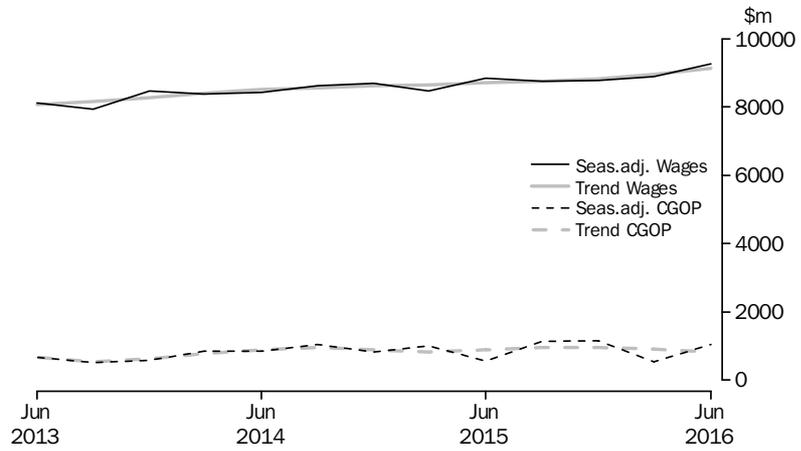
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 1.1% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.6%.



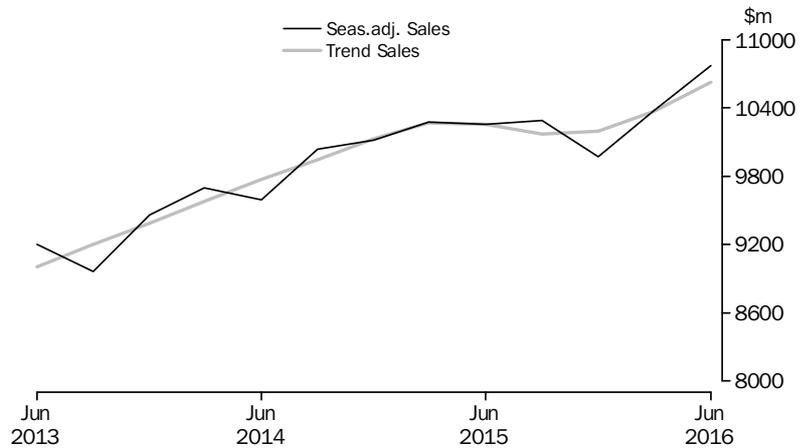
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FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits fell 7.8% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 96.7%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 2.0% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 4.1%.



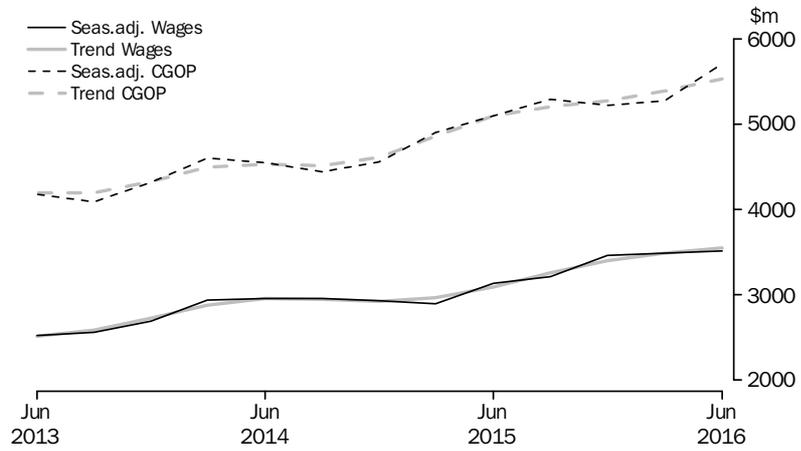
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 2.5% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 3.8%.



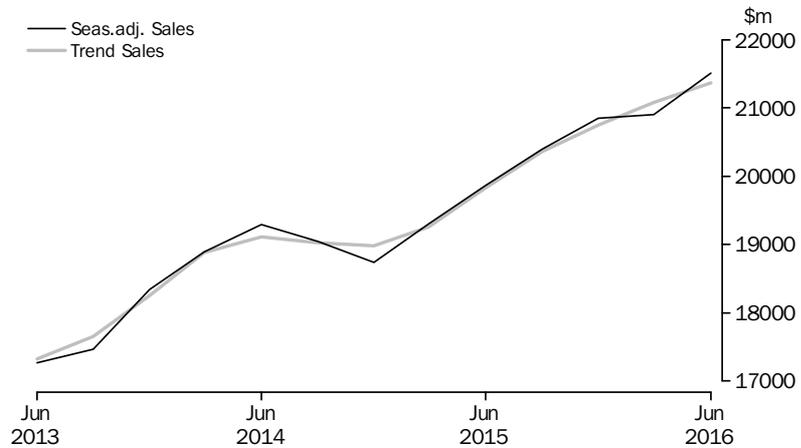
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RENTAL, HIRING AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 2.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 8.2%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.7% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 0.9%.



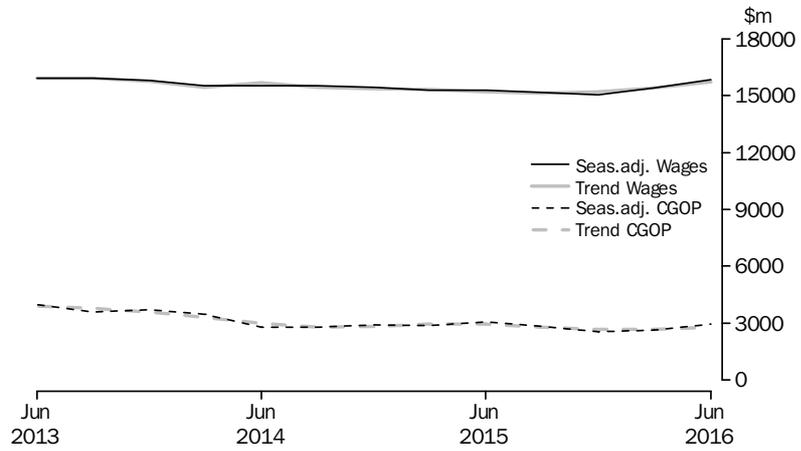
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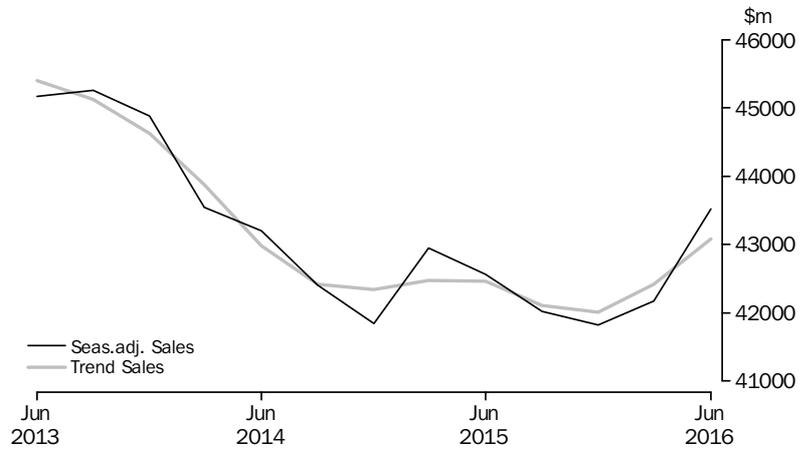
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**PROFESSIONAL,
SCIENTIFIC AND
TECHNICAL SERVICES**

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 4.4% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 11.4%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.9% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 2.8%.



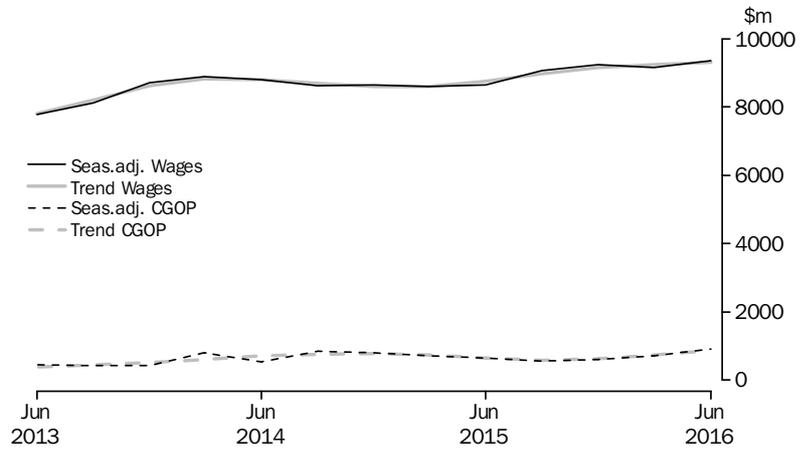
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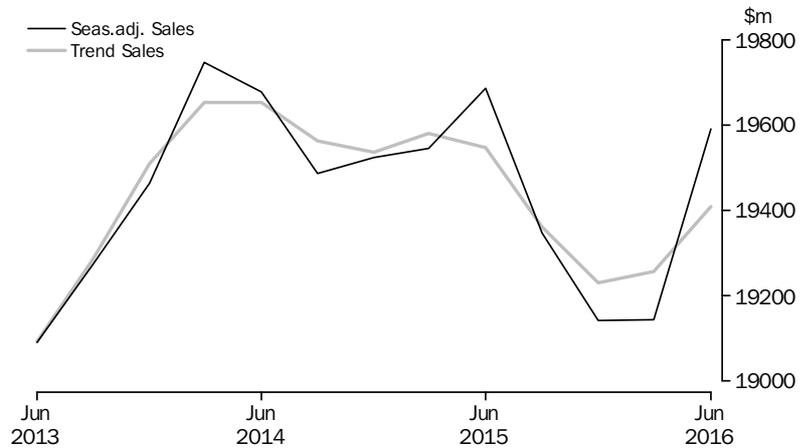
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ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPORT SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 17.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 28.5%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.6% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 2.3%.



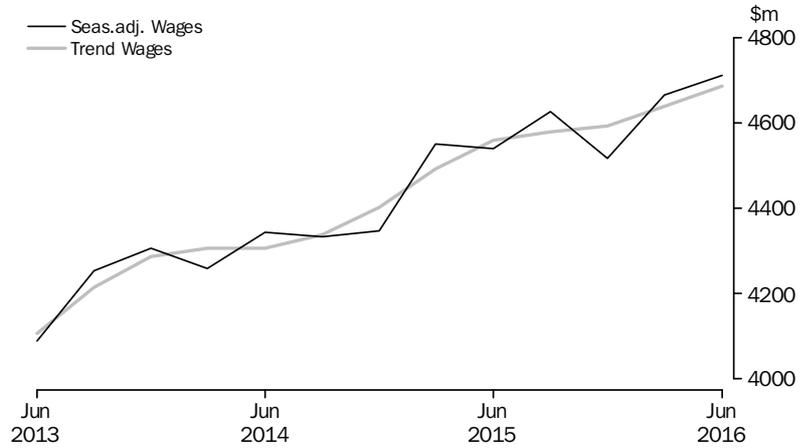
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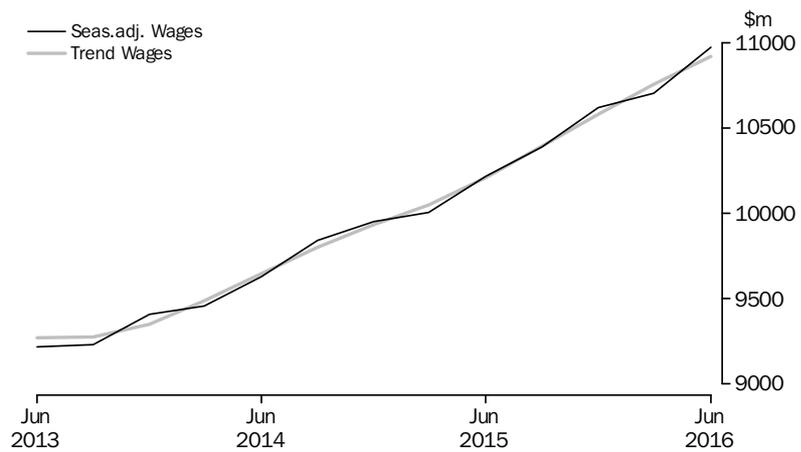
EDUCATION AND TRAINING

In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.0% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 1.0%.



HEALTH CARE AND SOCIAL ASSISTANCE

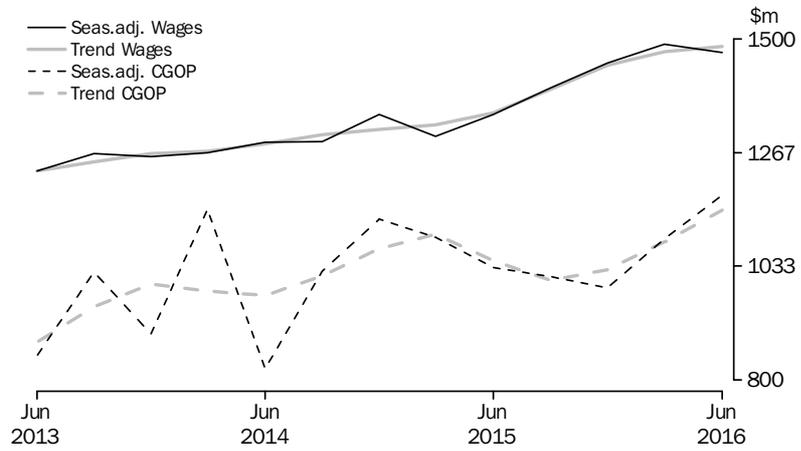
In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 1.5% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 2.5%.



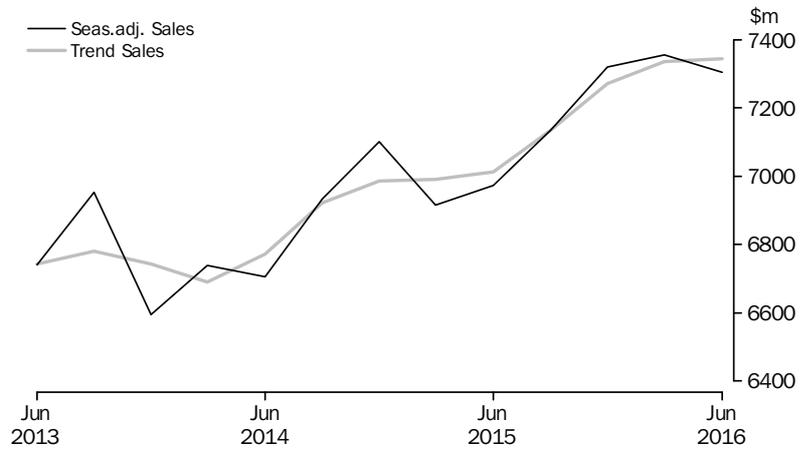
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ARTS AND RECREATION SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 5.9% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 8.3%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries rose 0.7% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 1.1%.



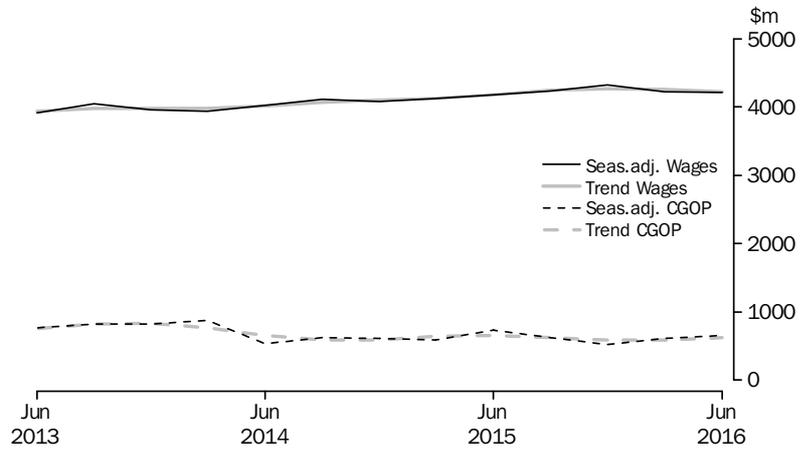
In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 0.1% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.7%.



ANALYSIS BY INDUSTRY *continued*

OTHER SERVICES

In current prices, the trend estimate for company gross operating profits rose 6.2% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 7.7%. In current price terms, the trend estimate for wages and salaries fell 0.7% this quarter. The seasonally adjusted estimate fell 0.3%.



In volume terms, the trend estimate for sales of goods and services rose 0.6%. The seasonally adjusted estimate rose 3.7% this quarter.



INVENTORIES, Chain volume measures(a)

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accommodation and food services</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	17 862	46 995	879	50 687	32 409	1 392	151 515
2014-15							
September	19 151	46 593	941	51 786	34 962	1 426	156 172
December	17 704	44 645	1 003	53 282	35 149	1 538	154 843
March	16 969	45 211	874	52 252	35 212	1 599	153 829
June	17 368	45 214	896	51 467	34 577	1 544	152 573
2015-16							
September	18 195	43 882	977	52 499	36 836	1 588	155 757
December	17 533	42 706	1 002	52 880	38 003	1 661	155 581
March	16 755	42 853	885	51 748	36 874	1 589	152 667
June	16 616	42 598	824	53 277	35 595	1 579	152 184
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	18 034	46 628	898	51 376	33 479	1 401	153 148
2014-15							
September	18 599	46 715	940	51 804	34 218	1 458	155 069
December	17 795	45 155	993	52 148	34 487	1 494	153 564
March	17 244	44 940	862	52 760	35 531	1 595	154 581
June	17 547	44 901	920	52 103	35 748	1 561	154 343
2015-16							
September	17 625	43 918	978	52 407	36 021	1 620	154 389
December	17 592	43 156	989	51 770	37 266	1 619	154 154
March	17 084	42 603	873	52 345	37 247	1 578	153 615
June	16 773	42 368	848	53 938	36 795	1 602	154 086
TREND							
2013-14							
June	17 944	46 625	931	51 618	33 575	1 370	153 359
2014-15							
September	18 184	46 120	948	51 838	34 064	1 465	154 003
December	17 919	45 615	933	52 176	34 706	1 516	154 347
March	17 530	45 041	919	52 449	35 258	1 559	154 339
June	17 464	44 564	930	52 371	35 781	1 593	154 370
2015-16							
September	17 579	43 984	958	52 073	36 394	1 607	154 339
December	17 461	43 257	952	52 134	36 860	1 605	154 073
March	17 158	42 674	905	52 641	37 117	1 600	153 922
June	16 820	42 262	850	53 385	37 153	1 590	153 830

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

INVENTORIES, Chain volume measures - Percentage change from previous quarter(a)

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	5.8	0.3	-7.7	-1.8	-2.0	8.1	-0.3
2014-15							
September	7.2	-0.9	7.0	2.2	7.9	2.4	3.1
December	-7.6	-4.2	6.6	2.9	0.5	7.9	-0.9
March	-4.2	1.3	-12.9	-1.9	0.2	3.9	-0.7
June	2.4	0.0	2.5	-1.5	-1.8	-3.4	-0.8
2015-16							
September	4.8	-2.9	9.0	2.0	6.5	2.9	2.1
December	-3.6	-2.7	2.6	0.7	3.2	4.6	-0.1
March	-4.4	0.3	-11.7	-2.1	-3.0	-4.4	-1.9
June	-0.8	-0.6	-6.9	3.0	-3.5	-0.6	-0.3
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	5.4	0.3	-4.4	-1.1	0.4	8.4	0.5
2014-15							
September	3.1	0.2	4.6	0.8	2.2	4.1	1.3
December	-4.3	-3.3	5.7	0.7	0.8	2.5	-1.0
March	-3.1	-0.5	-13.2	1.2	3.0	6.8	0.7
June	1.8	-0.1	6.7	-1.2	0.6	-2.1	-0.2
2015-16							
September	0.4	-2.2	6.3	0.6	0.8	3.7	0.0
December	-0.2	-1.7	1.1	-1.2	3.5	-0.1	-0.2
March	-2.9	-1.3	-11.7	1.1	0.0	-2.5	-0.4
June	-1.8	-0.6	-2.8	3.0	-1.2	1.5	0.3
TREND							
2013-14							
June	2.8	-1.2	5.7	0.0	0.6	7.8	0.2
2014-15							
September	1.3	-1.1	1.8	0.4	1.5	7.0	0.4
December	-1.5	-1.1	-1.6	0.7	1.9	3.5	0.2
March	-2.2	-1.3	-1.5	0.5	1.6	2.8	0.0
June	-0.4	-1.1	1.1	-0.1	1.5	2.2	0.0
2015-16							
September	0.7	-1.3	3.0	-0.6	1.7	0.9	0.0
December	-0.7	-1.7	-0.6	0.1	1.3	-0.1	-0.2
March	-1.7	-1.3	-5.0	1.0	0.7	-0.3	-0.1
June	-2.0	-1.0	-6.0	1.4	0.1	-0.6	-0.1

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

INVENTORIES, Current prices

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accommodation and food services</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	16 410	47 607	912	51 043	32 708	1 397	150 077
2014-15							
September	16 514	47 258	947	52 266	35 257	1 444	153 685
December	14 911	45 495	1 009	54 079	35 108	1 586	152 187
March	14 206	46 194	923	53 111	34 531	1 659	150 625
June	13 701	46 517	926	53 683	34 600	1 588	151 016
2015-16							
September	14 245	45 363	1 008	55 550	36 874	1 640	154 680
December	13 006	43 999	1 056	55 644	37 967	1 738	153 410
March	12 166	43 672	962	53 416	36 277	1 679	148 173
June	12 505	43 112	889	54 899	35 354	1 653	148 413
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	16 628	47 234	932	51 764	33 788	1 406	151 753
2014-15							
September	15 871	47 374	946	52 279	34 507	1 477	152 454
December	15 109	46 003	999	52 908	34 446	1 540	151 006
March	14 412	45 912	911	53 681	34 843	1 655	151 413
June	13 920	46 222	950	54 374	35 772	1 606	152 846
2015-16							
September	13 652	45 381	1 009	55 367	36 059	1 673	153 141
December	13 158	44 460	1 042	54 492	37 230	1 693	152 075
March	12 372	43 420	949	54 116	36 644	1 667	149 168
June	12 716	42 913	915	55 600	36 547	1 677	150 367
TREND							
2013-14							
June	16 763	47 304	952	52 142	33 911	1 383	152 455
2014-15							
September	15 896	47 173	958	52 333	34 232	1 489	152 081
December	15 082	46 116	953	52 836	34 574	1 557	151 118
March	14 457	46 089	947	53 739	34 973	1 610	151 815
June	13 987	45 928	965	54 521	35 615	1 645	152 661
2015-16							
September	13 524	45 382	998	54 777	36 348	1 665	152 695
December	13 084	44 475	1 004	54 692	36 720	1 676	151 651
March	12 709	43 575	970	54 714	36 793	1 681	150 441
June	12 425	42 830	922	54 925	36 720	1 675	149 496

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, Chain volume measures(a)

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	59 062	90 813	14 977	75 088	114 111	87 512	19 881	30 737
2014-15								
September	60 131	91 634	16 312	75 034	113 760	89 564	20 834	31 621
December	65 535	93 480	14 683	78 999	117 206	98 480	21 864	32 147
March	60 657	80 497	14 508	68 353	110 758	88 565	20 822	29 547
June	62 920	84 742	15 365	77 472	115 929	90 745	20 677	31 077
2015-16								
September	65 756	86 309	16 501	77 530	116 068	93 140	21 302	32 023
December	67 954	85 723	15 100	81 309	120 180	102 928	22 004	32 452
March	66 252	76 735	15 549	69 258	114 654	91 381	20 927	30 188
June	68 881	82 271	16 369	79 688	123 035	94 452	20 583	31 303
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	58 479	90 610	14 766	73 006	113 092	89 574	20 548	31 123
2014-15								
September	59 553	89 815	15 295	74 245	113 157	90 782	20 798	31 298
December	63 267	90 131	15 301	74 880	113 707	90 855	20 836	30 937
March	64 175	85 934	15 115	75 533	116 246	92 998	21 213	30 660
June	62 429	84 682	15 143	75 385	114 663	92 858	21 351	31 484
2015-16								
September	65 138	84 359	15 465	76 616	115 491	94 345	21 269	31 674
December	65 629	82 523	15 762	76 973	116 620	95 037	20 982	31 260
March	69 800	82 037	16 212	76 613	121 085	95 965	21 311	31 348
June	68 649	82 194	16 129	77 537	120 950	96 603	21 237	31 745
TREND								
2013-14								
June	58 322	90 784	14 969	72 925	112 831	89 771	20 330	31 229
2014-15								
September	60 484	90 033	15 160	74 266	113 383	90 470	20 747	31 069
December	62 383	90 193	15 216	74 907	114 276	91 389	20 995	30 937
March	63 430	85 498	15 192	75 349	114 973	92 358	21 174	31 018
June	63 711	84 990	15 203	75 848	115 141	93 286	21 269	31 271
2015-16								
September	64 608	83 934	15 452	76 343	115 737	94 200	21 235	31 457
December	66 508	82 925	15 789	76 740	117 458	95 054	21 173	31 453
March	68 301	82 248	16 059	77 040	119 681	95 916	21 189	31 449
June	69 524	81 783	16 251	77 242	121 626	96 602	21 244	31 550

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, Chain volume measures(a) *continued*

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(b)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	18 579	9 716	19 350	44 271	19 668	6 514	11 938
2014-15							
September	18 362	10 024	19 011	42 716	19 478	6 914	12 654
December	19 412	10 733	19 212	43 489	20 127	7 452	12 063
March	19 356	9 524	18 768	39 795	18 913	6 798	11 939
June	20 151	10 399	19 962	43 742	19 732	6 751	12 369
2015-16							
September	20 132	10 273	20 328	42 272	19 351	7 117	12 534
December	21 299	10 560	21 354	43 429	19 716	7 689	12 397
March	20 702	9 631	20 331	39 086	18 493	7 241	11 460
June	21 482	10 911	21 639	44 790	19 681	7 051	12 461
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	18 358	9 592	19 284	43 199	19 678	6 706	11 904
2014-15							
September	18 534	10 034	19 044	42 402	19 487	6 932	12 303
December	19 006	10 118	18 742	41 837	19 523	7 101	11 941
March	19 825	10 275	19 297	42 942	19 545	6 916	12 477
June	19 937	10 258	19 859	42 561	19 686	6 973	12 329
2015-16							
September	20 331	10 285	20 391	42 024	19 346	7 134	12 167
December	20 841	9 970	20 850	41 819	19 142	7 319	12 283
March	21 169	10 373	20 900	42 170	19 144	7 355	11 976
June	21 294	10 770	21 505	43 522	19 590	7 304	12 414
TREND							
2013-14							
June	18 134	9 772	19 118	42 979	19 652	6 772	11 884
2014-15							
September	18 640	9 943	19 025	42 414	19 562	6 921	12 082
December	19 128	10 131	18 985	42 339	19 535	6 986	12 231
March	19 598	10 268	19 258	42 471	19 581	6 989	12 293
June	20 028	10 252	19 830	42 461	19 547	7 011	12 322
2015-16							
September	20 406	10 171	20 367	42 107	19 361	7 133	12 254
December	20 773	10 192	20 743	42 011	19 231	7 271	12 165
March	21 114	10 367	21 074	42 421	19 257	7 335	12 185
June	21 352	10 625	21 367	43 076	19 409	7 345	12 253

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

(b) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, Chain volume measures - Percentage change from previous quarter(a)

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	10.2	5.7	4.5	16.0	6.0	2.7	3.3	1.8
2014-15								
September	1.8	0.9	8.9	-0.1	-0.3	2.3	4.8	2.9
December	9.0	2.0	-10.0	5.3	3.0	10.0	4.9	1.7
March	-7.4	-13.9	-1.2	-13.5	-5.5	-10.1	-4.8	-8.1
June	3.7	5.3	5.9	13.3	4.7	2.5	-0.7	5.2
2015-16								
September	4.5	1.8	7.4	0.1	0.1	2.6	3.0	3.0
December	3.3	-0.7	-8.5	4.9	3.5	10.5	3.3	1.3
March	-2.5	-10.5	3.0	-14.8	-4.6	-11.2	-4.9	-7.0
June	4.0	7.2	5.3	15.1	7.3	3.4	-1.6	3.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	3.0	-1.0	-1.1	2.2	0.5	0.2	4.7	-0.7
2014-15								
September	1.8	-0.9	3.6	1.7	0.1	1.3	1.2	0.6
December	6.2	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.5	0.1	0.2	-1.2
March	1.4	-4.7	-1.2	0.9	2.2	2.4	1.8	-0.9
June	-2.7	-1.5	0.2	-0.2	-1.4	-0.1	0.6	2.7
2015-16								
September	4.3	-0.4	2.1	1.6	0.7	1.6	-0.4	0.6
December	0.8	-2.2	1.9	0.5	1.0	0.7	-1.4	-1.3
March	6.4	-0.6	2.9	-0.5	3.8	1.0	1.6	0.3
June	-1.6	0.2	-0.5	1.2	-0.1	0.7	-0.3	1.3
TREND								
2013-14								
June	2.3	-0.7	1.4	2.8	0.2	0.5	2.7	-0.6
2014-15								
September	3.7	-0.8	1.3	1.8	0.5	0.8	2.0	-0.5
December	3.1	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.2	-0.4
March	1.7	-5.2	-0.2	0.6	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.3
June	0.4	-0.6	0.1	0.7	0.1	1.0	0.4	0.8
2015-16								
September	1.4	-1.2	1.6	0.7	0.5	1.0	-0.2	0.6
December	2.9	-1.2	2.2	0.5	1.5	0.9	-0.3	0.0
March	2.7	-0.8	1.7	0.4	1.9	0.9	0.1	0.0
June	1.8	-0.6	1.2	0.3	1.6	0.7	0.3	0.3

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(b)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	8.2	8.3	5.4	9.7	2.7	-1.5	7.1
2014-15							
September	-1.2	3.2	-1.7	-3.5	-1.0	6.1	6.0
December	5.7	7.1	1.1	1.8	3.3	7.8	-4.7
March	-0.3	-11.3	-2.3	-8.5	-6.0	-8.8	-1.0
June	4.1	9.2	6.4	9.9	4.3	-0.7	3.6
2015-16							
September	-0.1	-1.2	1.8	-3.4	-1.9	5.4	1.3
December	5.8	2.8	5.0	2.7	1.9	8.0	-1.1
March	-2.8	-8.8	-4.8	-10.0	-6.2	-5.8	-7.6
June	3.8	13.3	6.4	14.6	6.4	-2.6	8.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	4.2	-1.1	2.1	-0.8	-0.3	-0.5	2.5
2014-15							
September	1.0	4.6	-1.2	-1.8	-1.0	3.4	3.3
December	2.5	0.8	-1.6	-1.3	0.2	2.4	-2.9
March	4.3	1.6	3.0	2.6	0.1	-2.6	4.5
June	0.6	-0.2	2.9	-0.9	0.7	0.8	-1.2
2015-16							
September	2.0	0.3	2.7	-1.3	-1.7	2.3	-1.3
December	2.5	-3.1	2.3	-0.5	-1.1	2.6	1.0
March	1.6	4.0	0.2	0.8	0.0	0.5	-2.5
June	0.6	3.8	2.9	3.2	2.3	-0.7	3.7
TREND							
2013-14							
June	2.5	2.0	1.3	-2.0	0.0	1.2	0.9
2014-15							
September	2.8	1.8	-0.5	-1.3	-0.5	2.2	1.7
December	2.6	1.9	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1	0.9	1.2
March	2.5	1.3	1.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.5
June	2.2	-0.2	3.0	0.0	-0.2	0.3	0.2
2015-16							
September	1.9	-0.8	2.7	-0.8	-1.0	1.7	-0.5
December	1.8	0.2	1.8	-0.2	-0.7	1.9	-0.7
March	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.0	0.1	0.9	0.2
June	1.1	2.5	1.4	1.5	0.8	0.1	0.6

(a) Reference year for chain volume estimates is 2013-14

(b) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, Current prices

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Construction</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accommodation and food services</i>	<i>Transport, postal and warehousing</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	54 460	91 661	15 014	75 653	113 655	87 910	19 901	30 985
2014-15								
September	51 582	92 560	15 573	76 027	112 305	89 940	21 025	32 168
December	53 660	94 523	14 050	79 889	115 982	98 234	22 412	33 015
March	47 548	81 510	13 946	69 155	106 280	87 379	21 469	30 443
June	46 404	86 756	14 740	79 037	114 933	90 801	21 199	31 631
2015-16								
September	48 089	88 694	15 486	79 243	114 729	93 345	21 930	32 577
December	46 322	87 355	14 208	83 306	117 303	103 290	22 931	33 400
March	42 768	77 076	14 564	70 770	106 661	90 740	21 982	30 698
June	45 921	82 684	15 465	81 922	115 168	94 294	21 476	31 680
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	54 439	91 449	14 798	73 553	112 620	89 924	20 567	31 418
2014-15								
September	51 090	90 706	14 623	75 228	111 699	91 224	20 975	31 838
December	51 840	91 010	14 619	75 717	112 300	90 675	21 374	31 676
March	49 746	87 022	14 523	76 439	111 663	91 669	21 879	31 672
June	46 367	86 754	14 528	76 887	113 881	92 916	21 885	32 110
2015-16								
September	47 769	86 659	14 555	78 312	114 080	94 646	21 894	32 198
December	44 689	83 917	14 791	78 857	113 382	95 341	21 885	32 035
March	44 604	82 482	15 174	78 315	112 668	95 197	22 390	31 965
June	45 990	82 721	15 245	79 678	113 717	96 513	22 155	32 173
TREND								
2013-14								
June	54 813	91 635	14 805	73 494	112 731	90 187	20 439	31 594
2014-15								
September	52 562	91 096	14 701	75 063	112 117	90 633	20 994	31 634
December	50 692	90 820	14 577	75 820	111 857	91 050	21 452	31 707
March	49 353	87 073	14 528	76 425	112 489	91 779	21 757	31 836
June	47 820	86 923	14 512	77 234	113 365	93 034	21 880	32 002
2015-16								
September	46 248	85 867	14 607	78 016	113 717	94 323	21 932	32 112
December	45 489	84 366	14 828	78 538	113 506	95 108	22 028	32 086
March	45 138	83 036	15 073	78 927	113 209	95 682	22 167	32 053
June	45 030	82 057	15 295	79 268	113 156	96 207	22 281	32 070

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES, Current prices *continued*

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL							
2013-14							
June	18 369	9 796	19 449	44 491	19 748	6 562	11 996
2014-15							
September	18 114	10 154	19 219	43 322	19 767	6 999	12 822
December	18 937	10 893	19 565	43 822	20 464	7 558	12 279
March	18 477	9 684	19 112	40 104	19 251	6 901	12 211
June	19 127	10 643	20 359	44 008	20 129	6 892	12 710
2015-16							
September	18 837	10 563	20 882	42 830	19 902	7 294	12 999
December	20 139	10 898	21 959	43 955	20 291	7 917	12 876
March	18 827	9 921	20 954	39 530	19 048	7 435	11 937
June	19 517	11 281	22 327	45 379	20 346	7 261	12 982
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED							
2013-14							
June	18 139	9 670	19 409	43 363	19 782	6 782	11 962
2014-15							
September	18 341	10 163	19 175	42 985	19 812	6 973	12 466
December	18 461	10 268	19 059	42 113	19 827	7 145	12 155
March	18 950	10 446	19 737	43 375	19 837	7 093	12 761
June	18 911	10 498	20 276	42 814	20 125	7 152	12 669
2015-16							
September	19 091	10 575	20 861	42 525	19 945	7 255	12 617
December	19 609	10 288	21 392	42 254	19 672	7 482	12 756
March	19 297	10 684	21 653	42 761	19 640	7 631	12 473
June	19 317	11 135	22 207	44 124	20 317	7 555	12 933
TREND							
2013-14							
June	18 058	9 855	19 225	43 301	19 792	6 836	11 961
2014-15							
September	18 353	10 063	19 217	42 803	19 808	6 982	12 229
December	18 579	10 281	19 285	42 733	19 839	7 071	12 446
March	18 776	10 455	19 651	42 833	19 937	7 124	12 577
June	19 001	10 488	20 267	42 813	19 990	7 166	12 679
2015-16							
September	19 218	10 452	20 852	42 524	19 878	7 293	12 682
December	19 351	10 502	21 317	42 497	19 779	7 453	12 638
March	19 400	10 697	21 747	42 979	19 837	7 565	12 686
June	19 365	10 977	22 140	43 702	20 044	7 619	12 777

(a) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES BY STATE(a), Current prices

	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Northern Territory</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	189 633	142 613	117 675	38 567	108 772	8 155	7 685	6 551
2014-15								
September	192 751	144 254	119 423	36 954	106 468	8 053	7 758	5 917
December	200 190	150 563	124 663	38 862	108 487	8 419	8 041	6 060
March	182 316	135 998	109 512	34 862	100 179	8 049	6 775	5 777
June	194 567	146 558	119 258	36 856	100 576	7 906	7 169	6 546
2015-16								
September	199 177	148 629	120 650	37 092	99 022	8 152	7 613	7 065
December	203 043	157 355	122 840	39 686	99 341	9 271	7 483	7 132
March	186 200	142 344	108 265	35 198	89 317	8 463	6 577	6 547
June	201 602	152 374	117 068	37 294	95 601	8 604	7 500	7 657
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	189 397	142 457	117 714	38 432	108 212	8 314	7 798	6 281
2014-15								
September	190 376	143 395	117 008	37 108	106 142	8 235	7 450	5 844
December	192 662	143 464	118 602	37 212	104 982	8 106	7 606	5 947
March	192 607	144 160	117 944	36 466	104 591	8 015	7 415	6 248
June	194 178	146 433	119 239	36 733	99 988	8 083	7 240	6 271
2015-16								
September	196 685	147 699	118 239	37 231	98 725	8 328	7 326	6 976
December	195 424	149 903	116 923	37 978	96 122	8 922	7 083	7 000
March	196 859	150 959	116 596	36 844	93 296	8 424	7 201	7 078
June	201 110	152 217	116 962	37 177	95 018	8 810	7 560	7 343
TREND								
2013-14								
June	190 014	142 688	118 112	38 198	107 873	8 411	7 750	6 146
2014-15								
September	191 058	143 039	117 715	37 504	106 824	8 208	7 618	5 990
December	191 794	143 579	117 893	36 921	105 267	8 082	7 488	5 961
March	193 216	144 549	118 554	36 642	103 385	8 022	7 414	6 139
June	194 503	146 079	118 678	36 873	101 067	8 157	7 319	6 473
2015-16								
September	195 325	147 941	118 086	37 241	98 207	8 403	7 197	6 778
December	196 312	149 594	117 332	37 422	96 025	8 597	7 192	7 004
March	197 752	151 010	116 777	37 302	94 647	8 690	7 274	7 162
June	199 702	152 280	116 568	37 090	93 667	8 728	7 412	7 260

(a) State sales data should be used with caution. See paragraph 13 of the Technical Note.

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES BY STATE(a), Current prices - Percentage change from previous quarter

	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania(b)</i>	<i>Northern Territory(b)</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory(b)</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	5.4	6.1	6.1	4.3	4.6	-6.3	5.2	11.8
2014-15								
September	1.6	1.2	1.5	-4.2	-2.1	-1.3	1.0	-9.7
December	3.9	4.4	4.4	5.2	1.9	4.5	3.6	2.4
March	-8.9	-9.7	-12.2	-10.3	-7.7	-4.4	-15.7	-4.7
June	6.7	7.8	8.9	5.7	0.4	-1.8	5.8	13.3
2015-16								
September	2.4	1.4	1.2	0.6	-1.5	3.1	6.2	7.9
December	1.9	5.9	1.8	7.0	0.3	13.7	-1.7	1.0
March	-8.3	-9.5	-11.9	-11.3	-10.1	-8.7	-12.1	-8.2
June	8.3	7.0	8.1	6.0	7.0	1.7	14.0	17.0
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	-0.3	0.1	-1.5	-0.5	-0.2	-4.2	-2.3	-0.6
2014-15								
September	0.5	0.7	-0.6	-3.4	-1.9	-1.0	-4.5	-7.0
December	1.2	0.0	1.4	0.3	-1.1	-1.6	2.1	1.8
March	0.0	0.5	-0.6	-2.0	-0.4	-1.1	-2.5	5.1
June	0.8	1.6	1.1	0.7	-4.4	0.8	-2.4	0.4
2015-16								
September	1.3	0.9	-0.8	1.4	-1.3	3.0	1.2	11.2
December	-0.6	1.5	-1.1	2.0	-2.6	7.1	-3.3	0.3
March	0.7	0.7	-0.3	-3.0	-2.9	-5.6	1.7	1.1
June	2.2	0.8	0.3	0.9	1.8	4.6	5.0	3.8
TREND								
2013-14								
June	1.1	0.2	-0.2	-1.3	0.0	-2.6	-1.5	-3.3
2014-15								
September	0.5	0.2	-0.3	-1.8	-1.0	-2.4	-1.7	-2.5
December	0.4	0.4	0.2	-1.6	-1.5	-1.5	-1.7	-0.5
March	0.7	0.7	0.6	-0.8	-1.8	-0.7	-1.0	3.0
June	0.7	1.1	0.1	0.6	-2.2	1.7	-1.3	5.4
2015-16								
September	0.4	1.3	-0.5	1.0	-2.8	3.0	-1.7	4.7
December	0.5	1.1	-0.6	0.5	-2.2	2.3	-0.1	3.3
March	0.7	0.9	-0.5	-0.3	-1.4	1.1	1.1	2.3
June	1.0	0.8	-0.2	-0.6	-1.0	0.4	1.9	1.4

(a) State sales data should be used with caution. See paragraph 13 of the Technical Note.

(b) The relative standard error on the movement estimates for these states are significantly higher than those for the larger states, and the quarterly movement estimates should be used with caution.

COMPANY PROFITS BEFORE INCOME TAX, Current prices

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	10 461	3 109	1 314	4 437	3 860	2 306	844	1 320
2014-15								
September	11 862	4 977	1 953	4 715	3 598	2 687	1 262	1 717
December	3 608	3 863	1 123	4 723	3 967	4 950	1 343	2 663
March	8 129	3 164	1 270	3 700	^ 3 392	2 836	1 030	1 928
June	6 854	4 000	1 245	4 457	4 438	3 357	^ 793	2 307
2015-16								
September	7 402	5 261	2 098	3 719	4 637	3 071	1 252	3 118
December	*2 273	5 203	661	4 062	4 892	4 907	1 394	3 059
March	3 403	2 845	1 151	3 010	3 929	2 639	1 240	2 680
June	4 585	4 464	1 317	2 896	4 499	2 881	^ 685	2 232
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	9 722	3 408	1 363	4 280	3 904	2 577	1 122	1 510
2014-15								
September	9 799	4 053	1 343	4 574	3 387	3 185	1 159	1 659
December	5 000	3 743	1 662	4 270	3 627	3 356	1 151	2 165
March	8 236	3 852	1 392	4 453	3 915	3 593	1 042	2 212
June	6 349	4 355	1 308	4 300	4 447	3 776	1 080	2 693
2015-16								
September	6 026	4 270	1 430	3 618	4 437	3 615	1 145	3 007
December	3 273	5 065	992	3 704	4 571	3 339	1 201	2 480
March	3 418	3 468	1 261	3 570	4 456	3 328	1 252	3 052
June	4 264	4 838	1 389	2 805	4 469	3 251	974	2 638
TREND								
2013-14								
June	11 099	4 130	1 403	4 262	3 573	3 027	1 083	1 680
2014-15								
September	8 184	3 815	1 488	4 387	3 576	3 060	1 157	1 719
December	7 141	3 770	1 471	4 480	3 681	3 328	1 127	1 984
March	6 897	3 959	1 471	4 367	3 948	3 629	1 084	2 379
June	6 518	4 258	1 371	4 135	4 309	3 685	1 084	2 640
2015-16								
September	5 452	4 454	1 242	3 899	4 496	3 599	1 152	2 787
December	4 101	4 406	1 203	3 624	4 522	3 431	1 192	2 827
March	3 632	4 334	1 227	3 357	4 493	3 305	1 160	2 781
June	3 666	4 363	1 295	3 125	4 477	3 251	1 090	2 774

^ estimate has a relative standard error of 10% to less than 25% and should be used with caution

* estimate has a relative standard error of 25% to 50% and should be used with caution

COMPANY PROFITS BEFORE INCOME TAX, Current prices *continued*

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services (a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	1 922	1 929	3 934	*1 919	**160	^ 403	^ 124	38 042
2014-15								
September	2 004	^ 812	3 787	3 658	^ 974	893	999	45 899
December	2 536	3 324	5 308	^ 2 859	^ 757	975	^ 652	42 651
March	2 137	3 865	3 481	^ 2 096	1 211	744	^ 824	39 806
June	2 313	-2 523	5 713	^ 2 390	**139	562	^ 569	36 614
2015-16								
September	1 902	-5 027	5 137	^ 2 119	*443	867	^ 973	36 973
December	2 633	1 611	9 299	^ 1 303	117	852	^ 595	42 860
March	2 024	^ -1 725	4 938	**366	^ 483	763	^ 736	28 482
June	2 480	** -146	7 274	^ 2 375	*349	729	^ 719	37 340
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	1 776	1 929	3 928	2 156	409	567	366	39 017
2014-15								
September	2 272	812	3 979	3 055	794	786	725	41 582
December	2 356	3 324	4 491	2 391	812	853	734	39 934
March	2 202	3 865	4 134	2 953	1 080	807	775	44 511
June	2 148	-2 523	5 684	2 614	398	732	808	38 168
2015-16								
September	2 194	-5 027	5 324	1 487	252	756	695	33 229
December	2 434	1 611	8 475	839	190	735	685	39 593
March	2 095	-1 725	5 622	1 259	337	820	685	32 898
June	2 311	-146	7 214	2 565	616	903	957	39 049
TREND								
2013-14								
June	2 338	1 678	4 021	2 526	510	725	681	42 737
2014-15								
September	2 212	2 297	4 059	2 458	742	759	707	40 619
December	2 200	2 853	4 246	2 820	892	799	748	41 539
March	2 247	1 374	4 512	2 779	827	812	778	41 064
June	2 203	-1 039	5 321	2 319	548	760	766	38 876
2015-16								
September	2 230	-2 403	6 241	1 584	276	735	712	36 456
December	2 263	-1 609	6 784	1 200	234	764	698	35 638
March	2 260	-465	6 893	1 454	365	819	757	36 370
June	2 247	-96	6 868	1 971	520	874	861	37 284
^	estimate has a relative standard error of 10% to less than 25% and should be used with caution			**	estimate has a relative standard error greater than 50% and is considered too unreliable for general use			
*	estimate has a relative standard error of 25% to 50% and should be used with caution			(a)	See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry			

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	-22.1	-27.1	-5.1	41.4	41.6	-17.2	-9.8	-21.8
2014-15								
September	13.4	60.1	48.6	6.3	-6.8	16.5	49.5	30.1
December	-69.6	-22.4	-42.5	0.2	10.3	84.3	6.4	55.1
March	125.3	-18.1	13.1	-21.7	-14.5	-42.7	-23.3	-27.6
June	-15.7	26.4	-2.0	20.5	30.9	18.4	-23.0	19.7
2015-16								
September	8.0	31.5	68.5	-16.5	4.5	-8.5	57.8	35.1
December	-69.3	-1.1	-68.5	9.2	5.5	59.8	11.3	-1.9
March	49.7	-45.3	74.2	-25.9	-19.7	-46.2	-11.0	-12.4
June	34.7	56.9	14.4	-3.8	14.5	9.2	-44.8	-16.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	-29.4	-33.5	-11.8	11.7	20.5	-27.4	17.5	-23.4
2014-15								
September	0.8	18.9	-1.5	6.9	-13.2	23.6	3.3	9.9
December	-49.0	-7.6	23.8	-6.6	7.1	5.4	-0.7	30.5
March	64.7	2.9	-16.2	4.3	8.0	7.0	-9.5	2.1
June	-22.9	13.1	-6.1	-3.4	13.6	5.1	3.6	21.8
2015-16								
September	-5.1	-2.0	9.3	-15.9	-0.2	-4.3	6.1	11.6
December	-45.7	18.6	-30.6	2.4	3.0	-7.6	4.9	-17.5
March	4.4	-31.5	27.1	-3.6	-2.5	-0.3	4.3	23.1
June	24.8	39.5	10.2	-21.4	0.3	-2.3	-22.2	-13.6
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-22.3	-3.7	10.1	4.8	6.8	-5.0	15.4	-9.9
2014-15								
September	-26.3	-7.6	6.0	2.9	0.1	1.1	6.8	2.3
December	-12.7	-1.2	-1.1	2.1	2.9	8.7	-2.5	15.5
March	-3.4	5.0	0.0	-2.5	7.3	9.1	-3.8	19.9
June	-5.5	7.6	-6.8	-5.3	9.1	1.6	0.0	11.0
2015-16								
September	-16.3	4.6	-9.4	-5.7	4.3	-2.3	6.3	5.6
December	-24.8	-1.1	-3.2	-7.1	0.6	-4.7	3.5	1.4
March	-11.4	-1.6	2.0	-7.4	-0.6	-3.6	-2.7	-1.6
June	0.9	0.7	5.5	-6.9	-0.4	-1.7	-6.1	-0.3

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	-38.8	-25.8	13.0	46.4	-70.8	-51.1	-83.3	-11.5
2014-15								
September	4.3	-57.9	-3.7	90.6	510.8	121.6	707.2	20.7
December	26.5	309.2	40.1	-21.8	-22.3	9.1	-34.8	-7.1
March	-15.7	16.3	-34.4	-26.7	60.0	-23.7	26.3	-6.7
June	8.2	-165.3	64.1	14.0	-88.5	-24.5	-31.0	-8.0
2015-16								
September	-17.8	-99.3	-10.1	-11.3	218.1	54.3	71.1	1.0
December	38.4	132.0	81.0	-38.5	-73.6	-1.7	-38.8	15.9
March	-23.1	-207.1	-46.9	-71.9	312.1	-10.5	23.7	-33.5
June	22.5	91.6	47.3	548.0	-27.8	-4.4	-2.3	31.1
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	-44.4	-25.8	-4.2	1.9	-7.4	-36.3	-47.4	-18.8
2014-15								
September	27.9	-57.9	1.3	41.7	94.1	38.6	98.1	6.6
December	3.7	309.2	12.9	-21.8	2.2	8.5	1.3	-4.0
March	-6.5	16.3	-8.0	23.5	33.1	-5.4	5.6	11.5
June	-2.5	-165.3	37.5	-11.5	-63.1	-9.3	4.2	-14.3
2015-16								
September	2.2	-99.3	-6.3	-43.1	-36.7	3.3	-14.0	-12.9
December	10.9	132.0	59.2	-43.6	-24.6	-2.8	-1.4	19.2
March	-13.9	-207.1	-33.7	50.0	77.5	11.6	0.0	-16.9
June	10.3	91.6	28.3	103.7	82.5	10.2	39.7	18.7
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-5.6	-26.2	4.3	-10.5	45.2	-1.2	2.0	-7.9
2014-15								
September	-5.4	36.9	0.9	-2.7	45.7	4.7	3.8	-5.0
December	-0.5	24.2	4.6	14.7	20.1	5.3	5.7	2.3
March	2.1	-51.8	6.2	-1.4	-7.3	1.6	4.1	-1.1
June	-2.0	-175.6	17.9	-16.6	-33.8	-6.5	-1.5	-5.3
2015-16								
September	1.2	-131.3	17.3	-31.7	-49.6	-3.3	-7.1	-6.2
December	1.5	33.0	8.7	-24.3	-15.4	4.0	-1.9	-2.2
March	-0.1	71.1	1.6	21.2	56.0	7.1	8.4	2.1
June	-0.6	79.3	-0.4	35.5	42.7	6.7	13.7	2.5

(a) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

COMPANY GROSS OPERATING PROFITS, Current prices

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
.....								
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	19 772	6 322	3 014	5 284	4 682	3 749	1 362	4 234
2014-15								
September	20 054	7 612	3 462	5 222	4 945	3 544	1 782	4 490
December	18 635	7 435	2 555	5 397	5 082	5 851	1 796	5 373
March	17 289	5 849	2 649	4 285	4 572	3 758	1 628	4 627
June	15 314	6 325	2 993	5 334	5 417	4 262	1 408	4 816
2015-16								
September	18 014	7 809	3 428	4 370	5 816	4 013	1 768	5 590
December	15 580	7 688	2 650	4 711	5 649	6 035	1 939	5 676
March	13 833	5 344	2 529	3 596	4 713	3 608	1 714	5 035
June	15 523	6 982	2 901	3 319	5 327	4 059	1 196	5 179
.....								
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	20 474	6 688	3 027	5 048	4 833	4 060	1 622	4 429
2014-15								
September	18 785	6 958	2 969	5 050	4 740	4 086	1 683	4 421
December	18 643	6 864	2 776	4 884	4 736	4 274	1 590	4 877
March	17 859	6 678	2 891	5 278	4 880	4 476	1 672	4 981
June	15 889	6 714	3 004	5 081	5 712	4 625	1 682	5 064
2015-16								
September	16 823	7 086	2 929	4 223	5 580	4 611	1 664	5 475
December	15 601	7 110	2 890	4 289	5 278	4 422	1 722	5 170
March	14 188	6 078	2 745	4 377	5 282	4 266	1 747	5 379
June	16 202	7 449	2 920	3 167	5 334	4 424	1 437	5 474
.....								
TREND								
2013-14								
June	21 057	6 676	3 038	4 957	4 926	4 117	1 584	4 394
2014-15								
September	19 367	6 852	2 930	5 011	4 702	4 131	1 653	4 535
December	18 209	6 837	2 865	5 117	4 773	4 267	1 651	4 751
March	17 484	6 758	2 889	5 101	5 095	4 473	1 651	4 992
June	16 817	6 868	2 946	4 872	5 429	4 597	1 667	5 175
2015-16								
September	16 025	6 892	2 936	4 589	5 535	4 562	1 709	5 265
December	15 516	6 826	2 871	4 266	5 413	4 446	1 705	5 321
March	15 260	6 803	2 837	3 959	5 292	4 361	1 650	5 366
June	15 212	6 899	2 841	3 682	5 289	4 334	1 560	5 410

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services (a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	5 253	^ 921	4 426	^ 3 018	*442	660	^ 356	63 495
2014-15								
September	4 432	1 195	4 565	^ 3 016	^ 986	1 137	^ 867	67 308
December	5 071	*650	4 804	3 254	^ 802	1 258	*510	68 474
March	4 611	^ 945	4 630	^ 2 049	^ 671	1 016	*617	59 196
June	4 911	^ 607	4 974	^ 3 405	*575	863	*558	61 762
2015-16								
September	4 478	1 316	5 437	3 061	^ 705	1 135	*877	67 817
December	5 052	984	5 455	2 824	*597	1 110	**415	66 365
March	4 472	^ 481	5 031	^ 1 789	^ 665	1 022	*636	54 469
June	4 954	^ 1 090	5 552	3 313	^ 846	1 004	**483	61 728
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	5 086	851	4 551	2 796	538	823	530	65 356
2014-15								
September	4 685	1 035	4 442	2 788	839	1 023	622	64 125
December	4 827	818	4 558	2 933	806	1 130	607	64 325
March	4 778	1 001	4 903	2 885	726	1 093	593	64 693
June	4 731	556	5 094	3 094	654	1 031	730	63 663
2015-16								
September	4 733	1 138	5 287	2 818	564	1 013	625	64 567
December	4 808	1 152	5 215	2 546	606	989	525	62 323
March	4 619	537	5 268	2 651	717	1 089	606	59 551
June	4 787	1 056	5 703	2 954	922	1 179	653	63 661
TREND								
2013-14								
June	4 943	899	4 526	3 006	707	973	660	66 392
2014-15								
September	4 852	959	4 513	2 808	767	1 015	586	64 680
December	4 778	901	4 611	2 852	782	1 070	593	64 057
March	4 751	827	4 855	2 976	744	1 099	649	64 342
June	4 765	881	5 098	2 954	640	1 044	653	64 406
2015-16								
September	4 742	951	5 204	2 799	586	1 004	623	63 423
December	4 731	949	5 268	2 684	629	1 026	589	62 254
March	4 724	902	5 386	2 696	736	1 084	591	61 653
June	4 726	832	5 527	2 815	865	1 148	628	61 652
^	estimate has a relative standard error of 10% to less than 25% and should be used with caution			**	estimate has a relative standard error greater than 50% and is considered too unreliable for general use			
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	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	-13.0	14.2	5.3	38.1	1.7	5.7	-4.3	4.7
2014-15								
September	1.4	20.4	14.9	-1.2	5.6	-5.5	30.9	6.1
December	-7.1	-2.3	-26.2	3.4	2.8	65.1	0.8	19.7
March	-7.2	-21.3	3.7	-20.6	-10.0	-35.8	-9.4	-13.9
June	-11.4	8.1	13.0	24.5	18.5	13.4	-13.5	4.1
2015-16								
September	17.6	23.5	14.5	-18.1	7.4	-5.8	25.6	16.1
December	-13.5	-1.6	-22.7	7.8	-2.9	50.4	9.7	1.5
March	-11.2	-30.5	-4.6	-23.7	-16.6	-40.2	-11.6	-11.3
June	12.2	30.7	14.7	-7.7	13.0	12.5	-30.2	2.8
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	-13.7	5.9	-3.4	6.4	-4.9	-4.8	10.2	0.7
2014-15								
September	-8.2	4.0	-1.9	0.0	-1.9	0.6	3.7	-0.2
December	-0.8	-1.3	-6.5	-3.3	-0.1	4.6	-5.5	10.3
March	-4.2	-2.7	4.1	8.1	3.0	4.7	5.2	2.1
June	-11.0	0.5	3.9	-3.7	17.0	3.3	0.6	1.7
2015-16								
September	5.9	5.5	-2.5	-16.9	-2.3	-0.3	-1.1	8.1
December	-7.3	0.3	-1.3	1.6	-5.4	-4.1	3.5	-5.6
March	-9.1	-14.5	-5.0	2.1	0.1	-3.5	1.4	4.0
June	14.2	22.6	6.4	-27.7	1.0	3.7	-17.8	1.8
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-7.7	4.1	-1.7	2.5	-2.7	-1.1	9.4	-1.5
2014-15								
September	-8.0	2.6	-3.6	1.1	-4.6	0.4	4.4	3.2
December	-6.0	-0.2	-2.2	2.1	1.5	3.3	-0.1	4.8
March	-4.0	-1.2	0.9	-0.3	6.7	4.8	0.0	5.1
June	-3.8	1.6	2.0	-4.5	6.6	2.8	1.0	3.7
2015-16								
September	-4.7	0.4	-0.3	-5.8	2.0	-0.8	2.5	1.7
December	-3.2	-1.0	-2.2	-7.0	-2.2	-2.6	-0.3	1.1
March	-1.6	-0.3	-1.2	-7.2	-2.2	-1.9	-3.3	0.8
June	-0.3	1.4	0.2	-7.0	-0.1	-0.6	-5.4	0.8

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services (a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	10.0	14.7	3.0	11.5	-40.2	-38.1	-60.3	-0.6
2014-15								
September	-15.6	29.7	3.1	-0.1	122.8	72.4	143.8	6.0
December	14.4	-45.6	5.2	7.9	-18.7	10.6	-41.2	1.7
March	-9.1	45.5	-3.6	-37.0	-16.2	-19.2	21.0	-13.5
June	6.5	-35.7	7.4	66.2	-14.3	-15.1	-9.6	4.3
2015-16								
September	-8.8	116.7	9.3	-10.1	22.5	31.6	57.2	9.8
December	12.8	-25.2	0.3	-7.8	-15.3	-2.2	-52.7	-2.1
March	-11.5	-51.1	-7.8	-36.6	11.4	-7.9	53.3	-17.9
June	10.8	126.5	10.4	85.1	27.2	-1.7	-24.1	13.3
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	2.5	-0.3	-1.0	-19.8	-32.5	-28.4	-39.6	-6.4
2014-15								
September	-7.9	21.6	-2.4	-0.3	56.0	24.3	17.5	-1.9
December	3.0	-20.9	2.6	5.2	-3.9	10.5	-2.4	0.3
March	-1.0	22.4	7.6	-1.7	-9.9	-3.3	-2.4	0.6
June	-1.0	-44.5	3.9	7.2	-9.9	-5.7	23.2	-1.6
2015-16								
September	0.0	104.7	3.8	-8.9	-13.8	-1.8	-14.4	1.4
December	1.6	1.3	-1.4	-9.6	7.4	-2.4	-16.0	-3.5
March	-3.9	-53.4	1.0	4.1	18.4	10.1	15.5	-4.4
June	3.6	96.7	8.2	11.4	28.5	8.3	7.7	6.9
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-0.5	15.4	0.8	-9.3	15.2	-1.0	-13.5	-2.7
2014-15								
September	-1.8	6.6	-0.3	-6.6	8.5	4.3	-11.2	-2.6
December	-1.5	-6.0	2.2	1.6	2.0	5.4	1.2	-1.0
March	-0.6	-8.3	5.3	4.3	-4.9	2.7	9.4	0.4
June	0.3	6.6	5.0	-0.7	-13.9	-5.0	0.7	0.1
2015-16								
September	-0.5	8.0	2.1	-5.3	-8.5	-3.9	-4.6	-1.5
December	-0.2	-0.3	1.2	-4.1	7.3	2.2	-5.4	-1.8
March	-0.2	-4.9	2.3	0.4	17.1	5.6	0.3	-1.0
June	0.0	-7.8	2.6	4.4	17.6	5.9	6.2	0.0

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	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	**32	^ 582	^ 117	^ 2 001	^ 352	^ 767	597	^ 533
2014-15								
September	**24	^ 585	*90	^ 1 552	^ 581	^ 926	787	^ 491
December	^ 31	^ 521	**51	^ 1 253	^ 670	^ 1 158	^ 941	^ 484
March	*31	^ 452	*102	^ 1 120	^ 562	913	^ 801	^ 190
June	**23	^ 604	^ 133	^ 1 743	^ 385	1 003	^ 662	^ 451
2015-16								
September	^ 26	^ 590	^ 85	^ 1 911	^ 422	^ 1 113	^ 792	^ 485
December	^ 43	^ 678	^ 20	^ 2 324	^ 512	1 618	^ 950	^ 602
March	^ 58	^ 466	**59	^ 1 341	^ 479	971	^ 808	^ 431
June	*54	^ 377	**42	^ 614	^ 465	^ 1 062	^ 511	^ 447
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	32	584	93	1 873	430	873	719	553
2014-15								
September	24	538	86	1 534	529	969	792	463
December	31	483	87	1 130	596	890	795	427
March	31	531	94	1 390	584	1 057	804	224
June	23	619	102	1 607	468	1 140	802	474
2015-16								
September	26	537	82	1 909	389	1 162	796	457
December	43	633	36	2 192	452	1 249	802	527
March	58	544	54	1 613	498	1 118	810	508
June	54	388	32	475	564	1 210	621	472
TREND								
2013-14								
June	21	566	90	1 654	453	991	702	548
2014-15								
September	28	531	86	1 501	526	916	774	468
December	31	518	91	1 333	579	940	803	377
March	27	535	96	1 341	556	1 033	805	347
June	26	571	93	1 642	480	1 125	800	394
2015-16								
September	30	601	76	1 986	426	1 186	811	473
December	41	579	55	1 911	444	1 189	798	510
March	52	521	42	1 478	498	1 184	754	502
June	59	457	37	938	543	1 181	692	494

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	Information media and telecom.	Financial and insurance services(a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	*115	*92	3 716	^ 1 193	^ 197	** -47	^ 296	10 545
2014-15								
September	*70	** -2	3 237	^ 1 210	^ 257	** 57	^ 611	10 475
December	*53	** -8	3 203	^ 1 032	^ 246	^ 167	^ 437	10 239
March	*40	^ -105	3 652	^ 932	*148	*65	^ 406	9 311
June	*94	** -255	3 583	*1 090	*153	^ 115	^ 567	10 351
2015-16								
September	** 17	** -41	4 166	^ 1 236	*104	^ 153	^ 607	11 667
December	*59	*59	3 409	^ 899	*143	*114	^ 414	11 844
March	*36	** -60	3 512	^ 658	*207	*123	^ 631	9 719
June	*20	** 73	3 934	^ 1 323	^ 262	^ 138	^ 398	9 720
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	115	62	3 763	1 067	224	-18	403	10 773
2014-15								
September	70	-10	3 155	1 079	254	50	496	10 030
December	53	-64	3 242	1 006	228	130	538	9 573
March	40	-11	3 657	1 222	142	82	331	10 178
June	94	-286	3 611	954	179	142	772	10 700
2015-16								
September	17	-48	4 085	1 102	101	145	496	11 256
December	59	5	3 470	884	128	80	514	11 075
March	36	33	3 512	943	201	140	509	10 577
June	20	41	3 944	1 186	285	162	544	9 999
TREND								
2013-14								
June	88	29	3 499	1 066	233	54	461	10 455
2014-15								
September	76	15	3 367	1 073	239	56	462	10 115
December	62	-45	3 323	1 082	216	82	477	9 869
March	55	-115	3 522	1 093	178	121	525	10 120
June	56	-140	3 766	1 069	139	126	564	10 712
2015-16								
September	52	-100	3 764	993	122	121	568	11 109
December	42	-21	3 671	960	146	121	533	10 981
March	34	37	3 654	1 004	198	129	507	10 594
June	30	51	3 709	1 074	265	146	533	10 211
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	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	4 895.3	18.7	46.1	69.8	-9.4	-27.9	-3.2	9.0
2014-15								
September	-25.8	0.5	-23.3	-22.4	65.0	20.8	31.9	-8.0
December	29.7	-11.1	-43.9	-19.2	15.4	25.0	19.5	-1.4
March	-0.7	-13.2	101.6	-10.6	-16.1	-21.1	-14.9	-60.7
June	-27.1	33.6	30.4	55.6	-31.5	9.9	-17.4	137.4
2015-16								
September	16.4	-2.3	-36.3	9.6	9.7	10.9	19.7	7.6
December	61.5	14.9	-76.3	21.6	21.2	45.4	20.0	24.0
March	36.4	-31.2	195.2	-42.3	-6.4	-40.0	-14.9	-28.4
June	-6.4	-19.3	-28.4	-54.2	-2.9	9.4	-36.8	3.7
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	4 895.3	-0.9	22.5	29.6	6.1	-29.0	15.8	-4.8
2014-15								
September	-25.8	-7.9	-7.7	-18.1	23.1	11.1	10.2	-16.1
December	29.7	-10.2	1.4	-26.3	12.6	-8.2	0.3	-7.9
March	-0.7	9.9	7.8	23.0	-2.0	18.8	1.2	-47.5
June	-27.1	16.5	9.6	15.6	-19.9	7.9	-0.3	111.6
2015-16								
September	16.4	-13.2	-20.4	18.8	-16.9	1.9	-0.7	-3.6
December	61.5	17.9	-55.9	14.8	16.2	7.5	0.8	15.5
March	36.4	-14.2	50.2	-26.4	10.1	-10.5	1.0	-3.6
June	-6.4	-28.6	-40.8	-70.6	13.3	8.2	-23.4	-7.2
TREND								
2013-14								
June	67.0	-5.3	2.0	5.3	10.8	-10.8	9.2	-2.2
2014-15								
September	33.1	-6.3	-4.5	-9.2	15.9	-7.6	10.3	-14.7
December	9.0	-2.4	5.6	-11.2	10.2	2.7	3.8	-19.3
March	-11.6	3.2	6.4	0.6	-4.0	9.9	0.2	-7.9
June	-5.5	6.9	-3.9	22.5	-13.6	8.9	-0.5	13.5
2015-16								
September	17.6	5.3	-18.0	20.9	-11.2	5.4	1.3	19.9
December	37.1	-3.7	-27.2	-3.8	4.2	0.3	-1.6	7.8
March	25.8	-9.9	-24.8	-22.7	12.1	-0.4	-5.6	-1.5
June	13.6	-12.3	-10.2	-36.5	9.0	-0.3	-8.2	-1.6

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(a)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	90.7	258.2	5.0	54.1	-5.4	-133.1	-48.3	10.5
2014-15								
September	-39.2	-102.6	-12.9	1.4	30.0	219.7	106.3	-0.7
December	-24.7	-244.7	-1.1	-14.7	-4.2	195.9	-28.4	-2.3
March	-23.6	-1 176.7	14.0	-9.7	-39.7	-61.0	-7.2	-9.1
June	132.4	-142.4	-1.9	16.9	3.2	76.5	39.6	11.2
2015-16								
September	-82.2	84.0	16.3	13.4	-32.0	33.0	7.2	12.7
December	253.4	245.4	-18.2	-27.3	37.7	-25.7	-31.8	1.5
March	-39.7	-200.6	3.0	-26.8	44.5	8.4	52.2	-17.9
June	-43.0	222.2	12.0	101.1	26.6	11.8	-37.0	0.0
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	90.7	76.3	6.2	0.2	10.0	-111.1	-15.2	2.7
2014-15								
September	-39.2	-116.0	-16.2	1.1	13.5	385.0	23.1	-6.9
December	-24.7	-537.1	2.8	-6.7	-10.2	158.7	8.4	-4.6
March	-23.6	82.1	12.8	21.4	-37.8	-37.2	-38.5	6.3
June	132.4	-2 418.6	-1.2	-21.9	25.8	74.3	133.4	5.1
2015-16								
September	-82.2	83.2	13.1	15.5	-43.3	2.2	-35.8	5.2
December	253.4	110.8	-15.1	-19.8	26.6	-44.9	3.7	-1.6
March	-39.7	535.6	1.2	6.6	56.6	74.7	-0.9	-4.5
June	-43.0	24.7	12.3	25.8	42.2	15.8	6.8	-5.5
TREND								
2013-14								
June	18.9	32.0	-2.7	2.2	18.2	-31.2	10.7	0.3
2014-15								
September	-14.2	-48.7	-3.8	0.7	2.4	2.8	0.1	-3.3
December	-18.0	-404.0	-1.3	0.8	-9.6	46.5	3.3	-2.4
March	-12.0	-155.5	6.0	1.0	-17.6	48.4	10.2	2.5
June	2.2	-22.2	6.9	-2.3	-21.8	4.2	7.3	5.8
2015-16								
September	-7.0	28.9	-0.1	-7.1	-12.6	-4.2	0.7	3.7
December	-18.2	79.3	-2.5	-3.3	19.7	0.0	-6.2	-1.2
March	-20.2	280.4	-0.5	4.5	35.8	6.4	-4.8	-3.5
June	-10.2	35.6	1.5	7.0	33.9	13.4	5.2	-3.6

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BUSINESS GROSS OPERATING PROFITS(a), Current prices

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	19 804	6 905	3 131	7 285	5 034	4 516	1 959	4 767
2014-15								
September	20 078	8 197	3 552	6 774	5 526	4 470	2 569	4 981
December	18 666	7 956	2 606	6 651	5 752	7 009	2 737	5 857
March	17 320	6 301	2 751	5 405	5 134	4 671	2 429	4 817
June	15 336	6 929	3 126	7 078	5 802	5 265	2 069	5 267
2015-16								
September	18 040	8 400	3 513	6 281	6 239	5 126	2 559	6 075
December	15 622	8 366	2 671	7 036	6 160	7 653	2 889	6 277
March	13 891	5 810	2 588	4 936	5 191	4 578	2 522	5 466
June	15 577	7 358	2 943	3 933	5 792	5 121	1 707	5 625
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	20 506	7 272	3 120	6 921	5 264	4 932	2 342	4 982
2014-15								
September	18 809	7 496	3 055	6 584	5 269	5 055	2 475	4 884
December	18 675	7 347	2 863	6 014	5 332	5 164	2 385	5 304
March	17 891	7 209	2 984	6 669	5 465	5 533	2 477	5 204
June	15 912	7 333	3 107	6 688	6 180	5 766	2 484	5 538
2015-16								
September	16 849	7 623	3 011	6 132	5 969	5 773	2 459	5 932
December	15 643	7 743	2 926	6 481	5 730	5 671	2 525	5 697
March	14 246	6 622	2 799	5 990	5 780	5 384	2 557	5 887
June	16 257	7 837	2 952	3 642	5 898	5 634	2 058	5 946
TREND								
2013-14								
June	21 078	7 243	3 128	6 611	5 380	5 108	2 285	4 942
2014-15								
September	19 395	7 382	3 016	6 512	5 227	5 047	2 427	5 002
December	18 240	7 355	2 955	6 450	5 352	5 207	2 454	5 128
March	17 511	7 292	2 986	6 442	5 650	5 506	2 456	5 340
June	16 842	7 439	3 039	6 514	5 909	5 723	2 467	5 569
2015-16								
September	16 055	7 493	3 012	6 574	5 962	5 748	2 521	5 738
December	15 557	7 405	2 926	6 177	5 857	5 635	2 503	5 831
March	15 312	7 325	2 878	5 437	5 790	5 545	2 403	5 868
June	15 271	7 356	2 879	4 620	5 832	5 515	2 252	5 904

(a) This is the sum of company and unincorporated gross operating profits.

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(b)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	5 369	^ 1 013	8 142	^ 4 212	^ 640	613	^ 652	74 039
2014-15								
September	4 502	1 192	7 803	4 226	1 242	1 194	^ 1 478	77 783
December	5 124	*641	8 007	4 286	^ 1 047	1 426	^ 947	78 713
March	4 652	^ 840	8 282	2 981	^ 820	1 082	^ 1 023	68 507
June	5 005	**352	8 558	^ 4 495	^ 728	978	^ 1 125	72 113
2015-16								
September	4 495	1 275	9 604	4 297	^ 809	1 288	^ 1 484	79 484
December	5 111	1 043	8 864	3 723	*740	1 224	*829	78 209
March	4 508	^ 422	8 543	^ 2 447	^ 872	1 145	^ 1 267	64 188
June	4 975	^ 1 163	9 486	4 636	^ 1 108	1 142	*881	71 448
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	5 201	913	8 313	3 863	762	805	933	76 129
2014-15								
September	4 756	1 025	7 596	3 866	1 093	1 074	1 118	74 155
December	4 880	754	7 801	3 940	1 034	1 260	1 145	73 898
March	4 818	990	8 559	4 107	868	1 175	923	74 871
June	4 825	269	8 705	4 048	833	1 173	1 502	74 363
2015-16								
September	4 750	1 089	9 372	3 920	665	1 158	1 121	75 823
December	4 866	1 157	8 685	3 430	734	1 069	1 039	73 398
March	4 654	570	8 781	3 594	918	1 229	1 116	70 128
June	4 807	1 098	9 647	4 140	1 207	1 341	1 197	73 660
TREND								
2013-14								
June	5 031	928	8 025	4 072	940	1 027	1 121	76 847
2014-15								
September	4 928	974	7 880	3 881	1 006	1 070	1 047	74 795
December	4 840	856	7 934	3 934	999	1 152	1 070	73 926
March	4 805	712	8 378	4 069	922	1 220	1 174	74 462
June	4 821	740	8 864	4 022	780	1 171	1 217	75 118
2015-16								
September	4 793	851	8 968	3 792	708	1 125	1 191	74 532
December	4 774	928	8 939	3 644	774	1 147	1 122	73 235
March	4 758	940	9 040	3 699	934	1 212	1 098	72 248
June	4 756	883	9 236	3 890	1 130	1 294	1 161	71 863

^ estimate has a relative standard error of 10% to less than 25% and should be used with caution

* estimate has a relative standard error of 25% to 50% and should be used with caution

** estimate has a relative standard error greater than 50% and is considered too unreliable for general use

(a) This is the sum of company and unincorporated gross operating profits.

(b) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Construction</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accommodation and food services</i>	<i>Transport, postal and warehousing</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	-12.9	14.6	6.4	45.6	0.8	-2.0	-3.9	5.2
2014-15								
September	1.4	18.7	13.4	-7.0	9.8	-1.0	31.2	4.5
December	-7.0	-2.9	-26.6	-1.8	4.1	56.8	6.5	17.6
March	-7.2	-20.8	5.6	-18.7	-10.7	-33.4	-11.3	-17.8
June	-11.5	10.0	13.6	30.9	13.0	12.7	-14.8	9.4
2015-16								
September	17.6	21.2	12.4	-11.3	7.5	-2.6	23.7	15.3
December	-13.4	-0.4	-24.0	12.0	-1.3	49.3	12.9	3.3
March	-11.1	-30.6	-3.1	-29.8	-15.7	-40.2	-12.7	-12.9
June	12.1	26.6	13.7	-20.3	11.6	11.9	-32.3	2.9
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	-13.6	5.3	-2.8	11.8	-4.1	-10.2	11.9	0.1
2014-15								
September	-8.3	3.1	-2.1	-4.9	0.1	2.5	5.7	-2.0
December	-0.7	-2.0	-6.3	-8.7	1.2	2.1	-3.6	8.6
March	-4.2	-1.9	4.2	10.9	2.5	7.2	3.8	-1.9
June	-11.1	1.7	4.1	0.3	13.1	4.2	0.3	6.4
2015-16								
September	5.9	4.0	-3.1	-8.3	-3.4	0.1	-1.0	7.1
December	-7.2	1.6	-2.8	5.7	-4.0	-1.8	2.7	-4.0
March	-8.9	-14.5	-4.3	-7.6	0.9	-5.1	1.3	3.3
June	14.1	18.4	5.4	-39.2	2.1	4.6	-19.5	1.0
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-7.7	3.3	-1.6	3.2	-1.7	-3.1	9.4	-1.6
2014-15								
September	-8.0	1.9	-3.6	-1.5	-2.8	-1.2	6.2	1.2
December	-6.0	-0.4	-2.0	-1.0	2.4	3.2	1.1	2.5
March	-4.0	-0.9	1.0	-0.1	5.6	5.7	0.1	4.1
June	-3.8	2.0	1.8	1.1	4.6	3.9	0.5	4.3
2015-16								
September	-4.7	0.7	-0.9	0.9	0.9	0.4	2.2	3.0
December	-3.1	-1.2	-2.9	-6.0	-1.8	-2.0	-0.7	1.6
March	-1.6	-1.1	-1.6	-12.0	-1.1	-1.6	-4.0	0.6
June	-0.3	0.4	0.0	-15.0	0.7	-0.5	-6.3	0.6

(a) This is the sum of the company and unincorporated gross operating profits.

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(b)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL								
2013-14								
June	11.0	36.0	3.9	21.0	-32.6	-49.3	-55.6	0.9
2014-15								
September	-16.1	17.7	-4.2	0.3	94.2	94.9	126.8	5.1
December	13.8	-46.2	2.6	1.4	-15.7	19.4	-35.9	1.2
March	-9.2	30.9	3.4	-30.5	-21.7	-24.1	8.0	-13.0
June	7.6	-58.1	3.3	50.8	-11.2	-9.6	9.9	5.3
2015-16								
September	-10.2	262.0	12.2	-4.4	11.1	31.7	32.0	10.2
December	13.7	-18.2	-7.7	-13.4	-8.5	-5.0	-44.1	-1.6
March	-11.8	-59.6	-3.6	-34.3	17.8	-6.4	52.8	-17.9
June	10.4	175.9	11.0	89.4	27.1	-0.3	-30.5	11.3
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
2013-14								
June	3.5	2.8	2.1	-15.1	-23.8	-38.4	-31.0	-5.3
2014-15								
September	-8.6	12.2	-8.6	0.1	43.5	33.3	19.9	-2.6
December	2.6	-26.4	2.7	1.9	-5.4	17.4	2.4	-0.3
March	-1.3	31.3	9.7	4.2	-16.1	-6.8	-19.4	1.3
June	0.1	-72.8	1.7	-1.4	-4.1	-0.1	62.6	-0.7
2015-16								
September	-1.6	304.5	7.7	-3.2	-20.1	-1.3	-25.4	2.0
December	2.5	6.2	-7.3	-12.5	10.4	-7.7	-7.3	-3.2
March	-4.4	-50.7	1.1	4.8	25.1	15.0	7.4	-4.5
June	3.3	92.5	9.9	15.2	31.5	9.1	7.3	5.0
TREND								
2013-14								
June	-0.2	15.9	-0.8	-6.6	15.9	-3.3	-4.9	-2.3
2014-15								
September	-2.1	4.9	-1.8	-4.7	7.0	4.2	-6.6	-2.7
December	-1.8	-12.1	0.7	1.4	-0.7	7.6	2.1	-1.2
March	-0.7	-16.9	5.6	3.4	-7.7	6.0	9.7	0.7
June	0.3	4.0	5.8	-1.2	-15.4	-4.1	3.7	0.9
2015-16								
September	-0.6	15.0	1.2	-5.7	-9.2	-3.9	-2.1	-0.8
December	-0.4	9.0	-0.3	-3.9	9.4	1.9	-5.8	-1.7
March	-0.3	1.3	1.1	1.5	20.6	5.7	-2.1	-1.3
June	0.0	-6.0	2.2	5.1	21.0	6.7	5.8	-0.5

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(b) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Construction</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accom. and food services</i>	<i>Transport, postal and warehousing</i>	<i>Information media and telecom.</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	6 598	13 587	1 166	14 125	8 695	9 621	5 365	6 428	3 023
2014-15									
September	6 270	13 563	1 216	14 218	8 730	9 660	5 429	6 491	2 925
December	6 201	13 887	1 177	14 642	8 803	10 162	5 615	6 615	2 976
March	6 133	12 888	1 142	13 470	8 550	9 890	5 527	6 358	2 896
June	6 274	13 384	1 192	14 538	9 026	9 979	5 559	6 652	2 977
2015-16									
September	6 073	13 374	1 212	14 513	9 080	10 064	5 703	6 780	3 068
December	6 056	13 554	1 183	14 889	9 172	10 944	5 763	6 904	3 212
March	5 784	12 816	1 171	13 918	8 851	10 377	5 613	6 606	3 047
June	5 746	13 277	1 234	14 352	9 426	10 392	5 450	6 886	3 104
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	6 586	13 581	1 163	13 913	8 607	9 734	5 422	6 408	3 003
2014-15									
September	6 258	13 497	1 190	14 191	8 725	9 795	5 469	6 424	2 924
December	6 244	13 476	1 175	14 222	8 723	9 746	5 472	6 483	2 916
March	6 127	13 362	1 175	14 110	8 736	10 056	5 569	6 573	2 981
June	6 245	13 376	1 188	14 336	8 923	10 106	5 621	6 640	2 953
2015-16									
September	6 065	13 314	1 185	14 496	9 073	10 208	5 746	6 698	3 066
December	6 092	13 154	1 179	14 479	9 087	10 493	5 624	6 780	3 149
March	5 789	13 296	1 208	14 552	9 058	10 543	5 645	6 825	3 132
June	5 710	13 270	1 229	14 153	9 314	10 530	5 512	6 884	3 090
TREND									
2013-14									
June	6 456	13 570	1 164	13 817	8 647	9 689	5 374	6 397	2 967
2014-15									
September	6 348	13 496	1 180	14 118	8 672	9 754	5 459	6 429	2 947
December	6 231	13 451	1 181	14 294	8 716	9 854	5 507	6 491	2 933
March	6 175	13 404	1 181	14 140	8 794	9 966	5 566	6 562	2 944
June	6 174	13 344	1 181	13 882	8 914	10 115	5 641	6 638	2 995
2015-16									
September	6 123	13 280	1 183	13 853	9 019	10 281	5 687	6 707	3 064
December	6 004	13 246	1 190	14 076	9 083	10 417	5 665	6 770	3 114
March	5 852	13 244	1 205	14 330	9 146	10 524	5 609	6 830	3 130
June	5 711	13 266	1 221	14 538	9 226	10 583	5 540	6 876	3 115

	<i>Financial and insurance services</i>	<i>Rental, hiring and real estate services</i>	<i>Professional, scientific and technical services</i>	<i>Administrative and support services</i>	<i>Education and Training</i>	<i>Health Care and Social Assistance</i>	<i>Arts and recreation services</i>	<i>Other services</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	8 334	3 005	15 733	8 850	4 394	9 780	1 270	4 073	124 047
2014-15									
September	8 559	2 943	15 514	8 672	4 349	9 886	1 279	4 119	123 824
December	8 959	3 042	15 788	8 897	4 585	10 015	1 391	4 167	126 924
March	8 350	2 742	14 630	8 257	4 235	9 733	1 284	3 974	120 061
June	8 743	3 201	15 522	8 678	4 588	10 377	1 325	4 224	126 240
2015-16									
September	8 691	3 189	15 177	9 109	4 647	10 431	1 385	4 247	126 743
December	9 049	3 603	15 395	9 523	4 754	10 687	1 505	4 416	130 611
March	8 755	3 293	14 753	8 778	4 340	10 418	1 470	4 057	124 046
June	9 184	3 590	16 116	9 380	4 761	11 139	1 448	4 262	129 747
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	8 432	2 954	15 494	8 794	4 344	9 627	1 288	4 023	123 372
2014-15									
September	8 615	2 954	15 505	8 624	4 332	9 839	1 289	4 107	123 737
December	8 696	2 927	15 418	8 646	4 347	9 952	1 345	4 079	123 866
March	8 462	2 898	15 256	8 601	4 549	10 004	1 300	4 127	123 886
June	8 830	3 138	15 266	8 641	4 539	10 216	1 345	4 174	125 538
2015-16									
September	8 759	3 209	15 161	9 058	4 625	10 387	1 399	4 229	126 677
December	8 775	3 462	15 045	9 239	4 517	10 617	1 449	4 319	127 460
March	8 891	3 485	15 402	9 143	4 664	10 701	1 488	4 223	128 047
June	9 256	3 515	15 830	9 356	4 711	10 972	1 472	4 209	129 014
TREND									
2013-14									
June	8 513	2 958	15 658	8 807	4 307	9 646	1 284	4 014	123 269
2014-15									
September	8 558	2 946	15 457	8 687	4 338	9 800	1 303	4 070	123 564
December	8 611	2 923	15 370	8 597	4 402	9 934	1 313	4 103	123 912
March	8 649	2 962	15 314	8 605	4 493	10 050	1 323	4 126	124 254
June	8 699	3 085	15 206	8 759	4 560	10 206	1 349	4 180	124 928
2015-16									
September	8 749	3 259	15 123	8 974	4 577	10 391	1 396	4 243	125 909
December	8 829	3 398	15 196	9 149	4 592	10 579	1 445	4 263	127 017
March	8 955	3 486	15 409	9 250	4 638	10 756	1 474	4 250	128 087
June	9 131	3 546	15 705	9 308	4 686	10 919	1 483	4 219	129 072

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accom. and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing	Information media and telecom.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	1.5	3.5	5.7	11.5	2.5	2.2	4.6	1.1	5.0
2014-15									
September	-5.0	-0.2	4.3	0.7	0.4	0.4	1.2	1.0	-3.3
December	-1.1	2.4	-3.2	3.0	0.8	5.2	3.4	1.9	1.8
March	-1.1	-7.2	-3.0	-8.0	-2.9	-2.7	-1.6	-3.9	-2.7
June	2.3	3.8	4.4	7.9	5.6	0.9	0.6	4.6	2.8
2015-16									
September	-3.2	-0.1	1.7	-0.2	0.6	0.8	2.6	1.9	3.1
December	-0.3	1.3	-2.4	2.6	1.0	8.7	1.0	1.8	4.7
March	-4.5	-5.4	-1.0	-6.5	-3.5	-5.2	-2.6	-4.3	-5.2
June	-0.6	3.6	5.4	3.1	6.5	0.1	-2.9	4.2	1.9
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	1.7	-0.1	2.5	4.7	-0.5	1.6	4.8	-2.6	1.3
2014-15									
September	-5.0	-0.6	2.3	2.0	1.4	0.6	0.9	0.2	-2.6
December	-0.2	-0.2	-1.2	0.2	0.0	-0.5	0.1	0.9	-0.3
March	-1.9	-0.8	0.0	-0.8	0.1	3.2	1.8	1.4	2.2
June	1.9	0.1	1.1	1.6	2.1	0.5	0.9	1.0	-0.9
2015-16									
September	-2.9	-0.5	-0.2	1.1	1.7	1.0	2.2	0.9	3.8
December	0.4	-1.2	-0.5	-0.1	0.1	2.8	-2.1	1.2	2.7
March	-5.0	1.1	2.4	0.5	-0.3	0.5	0.4	0.7	-0.5
June	-1.4	-0.2	1.8	-2.7	2.8	-0.1	-2.4	0.9	-1.3
TREND									
2013-14									
June	-0.6	-0.8	2.9	3.1	-0.2	0.3	3.0	0.0	-0.2
2014-15									
September	-1.7	-0.5	1.4	2.2	0.3	0.7	1.6	0.5	-0.7
December	-1.9	-0.3	0.1	1.2	0.5	1.0	0.9	1.0	-0.5
March	-0.9	-0.3	0.0	-1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.4
June	0.0	-0.4	0.0	-1.8	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.7
2015-16									
September	-0.8	-0.5	0.2	-0.2	1.2	1.6	0.8	1.0	2.3
December	-1.9	-0.3	0.6	1.6	0.7	1.3	-0.4	0.9	1.6
March	-2.5	0.0	1.2	1.8	0.7	1.0	-1.0	0.9	0.5
June	-2.4	0.2	1.4	1.5	0.9	0.6	-1.2	0.7	-0.5

	<i>Financial and insurance services</i>	<i>Rental, hiring and real estate services</i>	<i>Professional, scientific and technical services</i>	<i>Administrative and support services</i>	<i>Education and Training</i>	<i>Health Care and Social Assistance</i>	<i>Arts and recreation services</i>	<i>Other services</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	0.7	8.1	5.7	3.7	11.4	6.4	1.6	7.1	4.8
2014-15									
September	2.7	-2.1	-1.4	-2.0	-1.0	1.1	0.7	1.1	-0.2
December	4.7	3.4	1.8	2.6	5.4	1.3	8.8	1.2	2.5
March	-6.8	-9.9	-7.3	-7.2	-7.6	-2.8	-7.7	-4.6	-5.4
June	4.7	16.7	6.1	5.1	8.3	6.6	3.1	6.3	5.1
2015-16									
September	-0.6	-0.4	-2.2	5.0	1.3	0.5	4.5	0.5	0.4
December	4.1	13.0	1.4	4.5	2.3	2.5	8.7	4.0	3.1
March	-3.3	-8.6	-4.2	-7.8	-8.7	-2.5	-2.3	-8.1	-5.0
June	4.9	9.0	9.2	6.9	9.7	6.9	-1.5	5.0	4.6
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	0.7	0.7	-0.1	-0.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	2.3	1.1
2014-15									
September	2.2	0.0	0.1	-1.9	-0.3	2.2	0.1	2.1	0.3
December	0.9	-0.9	-0.6	0.3	0.3	1.1	4.3	-0.7	0.1
March	-2.7	-1.0	-1.0	-0.5	4.7	0.5	-3.3	1.2	0.0
June	4.3	8.3	0.1	0.5	-0.2	2.1	3.5	1.1	1.3
2015-16									
September	-0.8	2.3	-0.7	4.8	1.9	1.7	4.0	1.3	0.9
December	0.2	7.9	-0.8	2.0	-2.3	2.2	3.6	2.1	0.6
March	1.3	0.7	2.4	-1.0	3.3	0.8	2.7	-2.2	0.5
June	4.1	0.9	2.8	2.3	1.0	2.5	-1.1	-0.3	0.8
TREND									
2013-14									
June	1.3	2.9	1.4	-0.2	0.0	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.9
2014-15									
September	0.5	-0.4	-1.3	-1.4	0.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	0.2
December	0.6	-0.8	-0.6	-1.0	1.5	1.4	0.8	0.8	0.3
March	0.4	1.3	-0.4	0.1	2.1	1.2	0.8	0.6	0.3
June	0.6	4.2	-0.7	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.3	0.5
2015-16									
September	0.6	5.6	-0.5	2.5	0.4	1.8	3.5	1.5	0.8
December	0.9	4.3	0.5	2.0	0.3	1.8	3.5	0.5	0.9
March	1.4	2.6	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.7	2.0	-0.3	0.8
June	2.0	1.7	1.9	0.6	1.0	1.5	0.7	-0.7	0.8

	<i>New South Wales</i>	<i>Victoria</i>	<i>Queensland</i>	<i>South Australia</i>	<i>Western Australia</i>	<i>Tasmania</i>	<i>Northern Territory</i>	<i>Australian Capital Territory</i>	<i>Total</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	41 032	28 841	23 408	7 244	18 578	1 734	1 349	^ 1 861	124 047
2014-15									
September	40 727	28 592	23 710	7 352	18 481	1 753	1 504	1 705	123 824
December	41 972	29 664	23 929	7 600	18 766	1 850	1 493	1 650	126 924
March	39 812	28 218	22 570	7 176	17 590	1 769	1 316	1 611	120 061
June	41 974	29 953	23 956	7 579	17 962	1 784	1 368	1 664	126 240
2015-16									
September	42 425	30 184	23 945	7 653	17 563	1 815	1 496	1 662	126 743
December	44 444	31 616	23 876	7 659	17 954	1 890	1 497	1 675	130 611
March	42 445	30 232	22 583	7 140	16 803	1 843	1 381	1 619	124 046
June	44 102	31 643	23 920	7 449	17 562	1 847	1 481	1 742	129 747
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	40 713	28 679	23 239	7 245	18 404	1 741	1 365	1 810	123 372
2014-15									
September	40 910	28 685	23 447	7 256	18 499	1 767	1 423	1 695	123 737
December	40 885	28 825	23 462	7 408	18 369	1 808	1 438	1 646	123 866
March	41 032	29 148	23 488	7 472	18 134	1 786	1 432	1 673	123 886
June	41 677	29 768	23 766	7 581	17 792	1 797	1 391	1 615	125 538
2015-16									
September	42 586	30 282	23 663	7 546	17 589	1 828	1 412	1 654	126 677
December	43 297	30 722	23 426	7 463	17 569	1 844	1 442	1 671	127 460
March	43 748	31 247	23 521	7 440	17 320	1 861	1 499	1 682	128 047
June	43 807	31 433	23 708	7 454	17 401	1 864	1 511	1 689	129 014
TREND									
2013-14									
June	40 697	28 545	23 306	7 235	18 463	1 760	1 385	1 749	123 269
2014-15									
September	40 838	28 638	23 382	7 290	18 485	1 771	1 418	1 715	123 564
December	40 905	28 873	23 472	7 386	18 351	1 785	1 429	1 671	123 912
March	41 148	29 210	23 588	7 491	18 109	1 796	1 423	1 641	124 254
June	41 727	29 714	23 650	7 549	17 840	1 804	1 407	1 640	124 928
2015-16									
September	42 533	30 268	23 614	7 535	17 624	1 822	1 414	1 649	125 909
December	43 203	30 747	23 546	7 488	17 498	1 844	1 447	1 666	127 017
March	43 655	31 152	23 543	7 451	17 411	1 858	1 486	1 682	128 087
June	43 971	31 516	23 617	7 433	17 342	1 867	1 516	1 690	129 072

^ estimate has a relative standard error of 10% to less than 25% and should be used with caution

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania(a)	Northern Territory(a)	Australian Capital Territory(a)	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
ORIGINAL									
2013-14									
June	4.9	5.4	4.8	4.3	4.2	-1.6	6.3	11.3	4.8
2014-15									
September	-0.7	-0.9	1.3	1.5	-0.5	1.1	11.5	-8.4	-0.2
December	3.1	3.7	0.9	3.4	1.5	5.5	-0.7	-3.2	2.5
March	-5.1	-4.9	-5.7	-5.6	-6.3	-4.4	-11.9	-2.4	-5.4
June	5.4	6.2	6.1	5.6	2.1	0.8	3.9	3.3	5.1
2015-16									
September	1.1	0.8	0.0	1.0	-2.2	1.8	9.3	-0.1	0.4
December	4.8	4.7	-0.3	0.1	2.2	4.1	0.1	0.8	3.1
March	-4.5	-4.4	-5.4	-6.8	-6.4	-2.5	-7.7	-3.3	-5.0
June	3.9	4.7	5.9	4.3	4.5	0.2	7.2	7.6	4.6
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED									
2013-14									
June	1.0	1.5	0.1	0.4	0.1	-2.3	-1.5	4.4	1.1
2014-15									
September	0.5	0.0	0.9	0.2	0.5	1.5	4.3	-6.3	0.3
December	-0.1	0.5	0.1	2.1	-0.7	2.3	1.1	-2.9	0.1
March	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.5	1.7	0.0
June	1.6	2.1	1.2	1.5	-1.9	0.6	-2.8	-3.5	1.3
2015-16									
September	2.2	1.7	-0.4	-0.5	-1.1	1.7	1.5	2.4	0.9
December	1.7	1.5	-1.0	-1.1	-0.1	0.9	2.1	1.1	0.6
March	1.0	1.7	0.4	-0.3	-1.4	0.9	3.9	0.6	0.5
June	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.8	0.4	0.8
TREND									
2013-14									
June	1.0	-0.2	0.5	0.0	1.2	-0.3	2.1	-1.4	0.9
2014-15									
September	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.7	2.4	-2.0	0.2
December	0.2	0.8	0.4	1.3	-0.7	0.8	0.8	-2.6	0.3
March	0.6	1.2	0.5	1.4	-1.3	0.6	-0.4	-1.8	0.3
June	1.4	1.7	0.3	0.8	-1.5	0.4	-1.2	0.0	0.5
2015-16									
September	1.9	1.9	-0.1	-0.2	-1.2	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.8
December	1.6	1.6	-0.3	-0.6	-0.7	1.2	2.4	1.0	0.9
March	1.0	1.3	0.0	-0.5	-0.5	0.8	2.6	1.0	0.8
June	0.7	1.2	0.3	-0.2	-0.4	0.5	2.0	0.5	0.8

(a) The relative standard errors on movement estimates for these states are significantly higher than those of the larger states, and the quarterly movement estimates should be used with caution.

SALES/WAGES AND SALARIES RATIO(a)(b), Current prices - Original

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
2013-14								
June	8.25	6.75	12.88	5.36	13.07	9.14	3.71	4.82
2014-15								
September	8.23	6.82	12.80	5.35	12.86	9.31	3.87	4.96
December	8.65	6.81	11.93	5.46	13.18	9.67	3.99	4.99
March	7.75	6.32	12.21	5.13	12.43	8.83	3.88	4.79
June	7.40	6.48	12.36	5.44	12.73	9.10	3.81	4.75
2015-16								
September	7.92	6.63	12.78	5.46	12.63	9.28	3.85	4.80
December	7.65	6.44	12.01	5.59	12.79	9.44	3.98	4.84
March	7.39	6.01	12.44	5.08	12.05	8.74	3.92	4.65
June	7.99	6.23	12.53	5.71	12.22	9.07	3.94	4.60

(a) Sales refer to Sales of goods and services.

(b) Ratio is calculated by dividing Sales by Wages and salaries.

SALES/WAGES AND SALARIES RATIO(a)(b), Current prices - Original *continued*

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(c)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services
2013-14							
June	6.08	1.18	6.47	2.83	2.23	5.17	2.95
2014-15							
September	6.19	1.19	6.53	2.79	2.28	5.47	3.11
December	6.36	1.22	6.43	2.78	2.30	5.43	2.95
March	6.38	1.16	6.97	2.74	2.33	5.37	3.07
June	6.42	1.22	6.36	2.84	2.32	5.20	3.01
2015-16							
September	6.14	1.22	6.55	2.82	2.18	5.27	3.06
December	6.27	1.20	6.09	2.86	2.13	5.26	2.92
March	6.18	1.13	6.36	2.68	2.17	5.06	2.94
June	6.29	1.23	6.22	2.82	2.17	5.02	3.05

(a) Sales refer to Sales of goods and services.

(b) Ratio is calculated by dividing Sales by Wages and salaries.

(c) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

BUSINESS GROSS OPERATING PROFITS/SALES RATIO(a)(b), Current prices - Original

	Mining	Manufacturing	Electricity, gas, water and waste services	Construction	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Accommodation and food services	Transport, postal and warehousing
2013-14								
June	0.36	0.08	0.21	0.10	0.04	0.05	0.10	0.15
2014-15								
September	0.39	0.09	0.23	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.15
December	0.35	0.08	0.19	0.08	0.05	0.07	0.12	0.18
March	0.36	0.08	0.20	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.16
June	0.33	0.08	0.21	0.09	0.05	0.06	0.10	0.17
2015-16								
September	0.38	0.09	0.23	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.19
December	0.34	0.10	0.19	0.08	0.05	0.07	0.13	0.19
March	0.32	0.08	0.18	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.18
June	0.34	0.09	0.19	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.18

(a) Sales refers to Sales of goods and services.

(b) Ratio is calculated by dividing Business gross operating profits by Sales.

BUSINESS GROSS OPERATING PROFITS/SALES RATIO(a)(b), Current prices - Original

continued

	Information media and tele- communications	Financial and insurance services(c)	Rental, hiring and real estate services	Professional, scientific and technical services	Administrative and support services	Arts and recreation services	Other services
2013-14							
June	0.29	0.10	0.42	0.09	0.03	0.09	0.05
2014-15							
September	0.25	0.12	0.41	0.10	0.06	0.17	0.12
December	0.27	0.06	0.41	0.10	0.05	0.19	0.08
March	0.25	0.09	0.43	0.07	0.04	0.16	0.08
June	0.26	0.03	0.42	0.10	0.04	0.14	0.09
2015-16							
September	0.24	0.12	0.46	0.10	0.04	0.18	0.11
December	0.25	0.10	0.40	0.08	0.04	0.15	0.06
March	0.24	0.04	0.41	0.06	0.05	0.15	0.11
June	0.25	0.10	0.42	0.10	0.05	0.16	0.07

(a) Sales refers to Sales of goods and services.

(c) See paragraph 7 of Explanatory Notes for limited scope and coverage of this industry

(b) Ratio is calculated by dividing Business gross operating profits by Sales.

INVENTORIES/SALES RATIO(a)(b), Current prices - Original

	<i>Mining</i>	<i>Manufacturing</i>	<i>Electricity, gas, water and waste services</i>	<i>Wholesale trade</i>	<i>Retail trade</i>	<i>Accommodation and food services</i>
2013-14						
June	0.30	0.52	0.06	0.45	0.37	0.07
2014-15						
September	0.32	0.51	0.06	0.47	0.39	0.07
December	0.28	0.48	0.07	0.47	0.36	0.07
March	0.30	0.57	0.07	0.50	0.40	0.08
June	0.30	0.54	0.06	0.47	0.38	0.07
2015-16						
September	0.30	0.51	0.07	0.48	0.40	0.07
December	0.28	0.50	0.07	0.47	0.37	0.08
March	0.28	0.57	0.07	0.50	0.40	0.08
June	0.27	0.52	0.06	0.48	0.37	0.08

(a) Sales refers to Sales of goods and services.

(b) Ratio is calculated by dividing Inventories by Sales.

WHAT IF...? REVISIONS TO TREND ESTIMATES

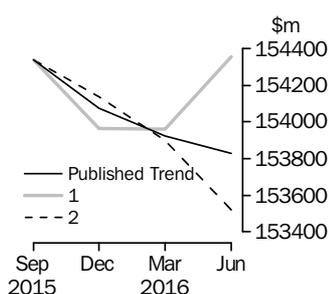
EFFECT OF NEW SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATES ON TREND ESTIMATES

TREND REVISIONS

The most recent seasonally adjusted and trend estimates are likely to be revised when original estimates for subsequent quarters become available. To assess reliability of the trend estimate at the current end, the 'what-if' chart presents trend estimates under different scenarios for the next quarter. The approximate effect of two possible scenarios on the current and previous trend estimates for total company gross operating profits and total inventories are presented below.

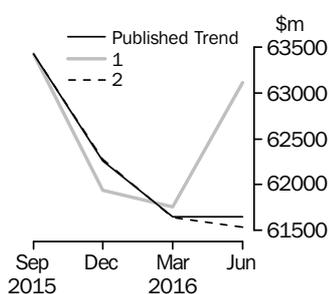
1. Next quarter's seasonally adjusted estimate of total inventories, and seasonally adjusted estimate for company gross operating profits respectively, are higher than the current quarter's estimate by the percentage shown.
2. Next quarter's seasonally adjusted estimate of total inventories, and seasonally adjusted estimate for company gross operating profits respectively, are lower than the current quarter's estimate by the percentage shown.

INVENTORIES (CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES)



	Trend as published		WHAT IF NEXT QUARTER'S SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATE:			
	\$m	%	rises by 1.0% on this quarter (1)		falls by 1.0% on this quarter (2)	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
2015						
September	154 339	0.0	154 339	0.0	154 339	0.0
December	154 073	-0.2	153 964	-0.2	154 138	-0.1
2016						
March	153 922	-0.1	153 958	0.0	153 899	-0.2
June	153 830	-0.1	154 355	0.3	153 520	-0.2

COMPANY GROSS OPERATING PROFITS (CURRENT PRICES)



	Trend as published		WHAT IF NEXT QUARTER'S SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ESTIMATE:			
	\$m	%	rises by 4.0% on this quarter (1)		falls by 4.0% on this quarter (2)	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
2015						
September	63 423	-1.5	63 423	-1.5	63 423	-1.5
December	62 254	-1.8	61 943	-2.3	62 272	-1.8
2016						
March	61 653	-1.0	61 758	-0.3	61 644	-1.0
June	61 652	0.0	63 116	2.2	61 534	-0.2

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1 This publication contains estimates of sales of goods and services, wages and salaries (from the December quarter 2001 issue), company profits, and the book value of inventories for selected industries in Australia. The series have been compiled from data collected by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) in its Quarterly Business Indicators Survey. The survey, which was fully implemented in the March quarter 2001, collects data from private sector businesses.

SCOPE AND COVERAGE

2 The Quarterly Business Indicators Survey, like most ABS economic collections, takes its frame from Employing and Non-Employing Units on the ABS Business Register which is primarily based on ABN registrations to the Australian Business Register, which is managed by the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). The frame is updated quarterly to take account of new businesses and changes in the characteristics of businesses, such as industry and size.

3 Businesses are removed from the frame when their ABN has been cancelled by the ATO. This may occur when the business requests for its ABN to be cancelled or otherwise does not remit either Income Tax Withholding, or Goods and Services Tax, for the previous five quarters.

4 The statistics in this publication exclude micro non-employed businesses. Though there are a substantial number of these businesses, it is expected that they would not contribute significantly to the estimates, although the impact would vary from industry to industry.

5 Inventories data are not collected from businesses with fewer than 20 employees, as smaller businesses generally have difficulty in providing accurate quarterly information on the level of their inventories. Estimates for these businesses are derived by applying sales information to an estimated inventories to sales ratio.

6 Profits data are not collected from employing businesses with less than 20 employees. Estimates for these businesses are derived by applying sales information to an estimated profits to sales ratio.

7 The industries and the data items collected, classified according to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 2006 (cat. no. 1292.0), included in this publication are:

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

SCOPE AND COVERAGE

continued

<i>Industries</i>	<i>Sales of goods and services</i>	<i>Wages and salaries</i>	<i>Profits</i>	<i>Inventories</i>
Mining (Division B)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Manufacturing (Division C)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services (Division D)				
Electricity Supply (26)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Gas Supply (27)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Services (28)	Y	Y	Y	N
Waste Collection, Treatment and Disposal Services (29)	Y	Y	Y	N
Construction (Division E)	Y	Y	Y	N
Wholesale Trade (Division F)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Retail Trade (Division G)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Accommodation and Foods Services (Division H)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Transport, Postal and Warehousing (Division I)	Y	Y	Y	N
Information Media and Telecommunications (Division J)	Y	Y	Y	N
Finance and Insurance Services (Div. K)				
Depository Financial Intermediation (622)	N	Y	N	N
Non-Depository Financing (623)	Y	Y	Y	N
Financial Asset Investing (624)	Y	Y	Y	N
Insurance and Super. Funds (63)	N	Y	N	N
Auxiliary Finance and Insurance Services (64)	Y	Y	Y	N
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services (Division L)	Y	Y	Y	N
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services (Division M)	Y	Y	Y	N
Administrative and Support Services (Division N)	Y	Y	Y	N
Education and Training (Division P)	N	Y	N	N
Health Care and Social Assistance (Division Q)	N	Y	N	N
Arts and Recreational Services (Division R)	Y	Y	Y	N
Other Services (Division S)	Y	Y	Y	N

STATISTICAL UNIT

8 In the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey the statistical unit used to represent businesses, and for which statistics are reported, is the Australian Business Number (ABN) unit, in most cases. The ABN unit is the business unit which has registered for an ABN, and thus appears on the ATO administered Australian Business Register. This unit is suitable for ABS statistical needs when the business is simple in structure.

9 For more significant and diverse businesses where the ABN unit is not suitable for ABS statistical needs, the statistical unit used is the Type of Activity Unit (TAU). A TAU is comprised of one or more business entities, sub-entities or branches of a business entity within an Enterprise Group that can report production and employment data for similar economic activities. When a minimum set of data items is available, a TAU is created which covers all the operations within an industry subdivision (and the TAU is classified to the relevant subdivision of the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC)). Where a business cannot supply adequate data for each industry, a TAU is formed which contains activity in more than one industry subdivision and the TAU is classified to the predominant ANZSIC subdivision. The businesses that contribute to the statistics in this publication are classified:

- by institutional sector, in accordance with the Standard Institutional Sector Classification of Australia (SISCA), which is detailed in Standard Economic Sector Classifications of Australia (SESCA) (cat. no. 1218.0)
- by industry, in accordance with the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 2006 (cat. no. 1292.0), 2006 (cat.no.1292.0)

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

CLASSIFICATIONS

10 The Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification has been developed for use in both countries for the production and analysis of industry statistics. For more information, users are referred to Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 2006 (cat. no. 1292.0).

11 In order to classify data by industry, each statistical unit (as defined above) is classified to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification industry in which it mainly operates.

SURVEY METHODOLOGY

12 The survey is conducted by mail on a quarterly basis. It is based on a random sample of approximately 16,000 units which is stratified by industry, state/territory and number of employees. All private sector units with over 300 employees, and other statistically significant units, such as joint venture partners, are included in the sample.

13 Respondents are asked to provide data on the same basis as their own management accounts. Where a selected unit does not respond in a given survey period, a value is estimated. If data are subsequently provided, the estimated value is replaced with the reported data. Aggregates are calculated from all data using the 'number raised' estimation technique. Data are edited at both individual unit level and aggregate level.

TIMING OF SURVEY CYCLE

14 Surveys are conducted in respect of each quarter and returns are completed during the eight or nine week period after the end of the quarter to which survey data relate e.g. December quarter survey returns are completed during January and February.

SAMPLE REVISION

15 The survey frames and samples are revised each quarter to ensure that they remain representative of the survey population. The timing for creating each quarter's survey frame is consistent with that of other ABS business surveys. This provides for greater consistency when comparing data across surveys.

16 Additionally, with these revisions to the sample, some of the units from the sampled sector are rotated out of the survey and are replaced by others, to spread the reporting workload equitably.

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT

17 The quarterly original estimates in this publication are affected in varying degrees by seasonal influences. The seasonal adjustment process estimates and removes the effects of normal seasonal variations from the original estimates so that the effects of other influences can be more clearly recognised.

18 In the seasonal adjustment process, account has been taken of normal seasonal factors (e.g. increase in retail sales due to the Christmas period) to produce the seasonally adjusted estimates. Particular care should be taken in interpreting quarterly movements in the seasonally adjusted estimates because seasonal adjustment does not remove the effect of irregular or non-seasonal influences (e.g. change in interest rates) and reflects the sampling and other errors to which the original estimates are subject.

19 In this publication, the seasonally adjusted estimates are produced by the concurrent seasonal adjustment method which takes account of the latest available original estimates. This method improves the estimation of seasonal factors, and therefore, the seasonally adjusted and trend estimates for the current and previous quarters. As a result of this improvement, revisions to the seasonally adjusted and trend estimates will be observed for recent periods. A more detailed review is conducted annually prior to the September quarter release using data up to and including the June quarter.

20 The revision properties of the seasonally adjusted and trend estimates can be improved by the use of autoregressive integrated moving average (ARIMA) modelling. ARIMA modelling relies on the characteristics of the series being analysed to project future period data. The projected values are temporary, intermediate values, that are only used internally to improve the estimation of the seasonal factors. The projected data

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT

continued

do not affect the original estimates and are discarded at the end of the seasonal adjustment process. The Quarterly Business Indicators Survey uses ARIMA modelling where appropriate for individual time series. The ARIMA model is assessed as part of the annual reanalysis and following the 2015 annual reanalysis, the majority of the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey eligible series use an ARIMA model. For more information on the details of ARIMA modelling see **Feature article: Use of ARIMA modelling to reduce revisions** in the October 2004 issue of **Australian Economic Indicators (cat. no. 1350.0)**.

TREND ESTIMATES

21 The trend estimates are derived by applying a 7-term Henderson moving average to the seasonally adjusted estimates. The 7-term Henderson moving average is symmetric, but as the end of a time series is approached, asymmetric forms of the moving average are applied. The asymmetric moving average has been tailored to suit the particular characteristics of individual series and enable trend estimates for recent quarters to be produced. Estimates of the trend will be improved at the current end of the time series as additional observations become available. This improvement is due to the combined effect of the concurrent seasonal adjustment methodology and the application of different asymmetric moving averages for the most recent three quarters. As a result of the improvement, revisions to the trend estimates will generally be observed for the most recent three quarters. ABS research shows that about 75% of the total revision to the trend estimate at the current end is due to the use of different asymmetric moving averages when the original estimate is available for the next quarter.

22 There may also be revisions because of changes in the original estimates. As a result of these revisions, the seasonally adjusted and trend estimates will also be revised. For further information, see Information Paper: A Guide to Interpreting Time Series — Monitoring Trends (cat. no. 1349.0) or contact the Assistant Director, Time Series Analysis on Canberra (02) 6252 6345 or email <time.series.analysis@abs.gov.au>.

CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

23 The chain volume measures appearing in this publication are annually reweighted chain Laspeyres indexes referenced to current price values in the chosen reference year (currently 2013-14). The current price values may be thought of as being the product of a price and quantity. The value in chain volume terms can be derived by linking together movements in volumes, calculated using the average prices of the previous financial year and applying compound movements to the current price estimates of the reference year. Each year's quarter-to-quarter growth rates in the chain volume series are based on the prices of the previous financial year, except for those quarters of the latest incomplete year which are based upon the second most recent financial year. Quarterly chain volume estimates are benchmarked to annual chain volume estimates, so that the quarterly estimates for a financial year sum to the corresponding annual estimate.

24 With each release of the September quarter issue of this publication, a new base year is introduced and the reference year is advanced one year to coincide with it. This means that with the release of the September quarter 2015 issue of this publication, the chain volume measures for 2014–15 will have 2013–14 (the previous financial year) as their base year rather than 2012–13, and the reference year is 2013–14. A change in the reference year changes levels but not growth rates for all periods. A change in the base year can result in revisions, small in most cases, to growth rates for the last year.

25 Chain volume measures are not generally additive. In other words, component chain volume measures do not, in general, sum to a total in the way original current price components do. For inventories and sales data, this means that the chain volume estimates for industry groups will not add to the total for Australia. In order to minimise the impact of this, the ABS uses the latest base year as the reference year. By adopting this approach, additivity does exist for the quarters following the reference year and non-additivity is relatively small for the quarters in the reference year and those

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES

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immediately preceding it. For further information on chain volume measures, refer to the Information Paper: Introduction of Chain Volume Measures in the Australian National Accounts (cat. no. 5248.0).

COMPARABILITY WITH NATIONAL ACCOUNTS AND OTHER ABS ESTIMATES

26 The data collected in the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey are used in the compilation of the quarterly estimates of the Australian National Accounts. Inventories data are used to compile estimates of the increase in book value of non-farm inventories. Estimates of sales of goods and services are used to help derive quarterly chain volume measures of gross value added for selected industries. Company gross operating profits data are used to compile estimates of gross operating surplus of private non-financial corporations. From March quarter 2002, estimates of wages and salaries are being used to compile estimates for compensation of private sector employees. For further details see Australian National Accounts: Concepts, Sources and Methods (cat. no. 5216.0).

27 However the statistics in this publication will differ from corresponding statistics in the quarterly Australian National Accounts for the following reasons:

- The national accounts estimates are benchmarked to annual supply and use tables which are based on annual Economy Wide Survey and taxation data.
- The national accounts estimates include estimates for businesses classified to industries not in scope of the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey.
- The national accounts estimates for gross operating surplus of private non-financial corporations are after deduction of the inventory valuation adjustment which measures the portion of income attributable to holding gains or losses resulting from inventory valuation practices.
- In many cases, the processes used to seasonally adjust national accounts estimates are different to those used for the seasonally adjusted estimates in this publication.

28 The estimates for sales of goods and services by Retail trade in this publication will differ from turnover estimates included in Retail Trade, Australia (cat. no. 8501.0). The latter publication presents monthly estimates of the value of turnover of retail businesses, and is sourced from the Retail Business Survey. Estimates for sales of goods and services in this publication exclude the Goods and Services Tax, while turnover collected in the Retail Business Survey includes the Goods and Services Tax. In addition, the Retail Business Survey includes some businesses classified to ANZSIC divisions other than the Retail trade division, and includes retail establishments associated with management units that are not classified to the Retail trade division. The use of different samples in the Retail Business Survey and Quarterly Business Indicators Survey will also contribute to differences.

AUSTRALIAN INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

29 The new Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS) began to be progressively implemented in Australia from 1 January 2005. As a result, a number of items in the financial accounts of Australian businesses have been affected by changed definitions which have in turn impacted upon both Income Statements and Balance Sheets. A range of ABS economic collections source data from financial accounts of businesses and use those data to derive economic statistics. There have been no changes in the associated economic definitions.

30 After monitoring data items since March quarter 2005 it has been concluded that most affected published data series have been impacted by data breaks, but that the magnitude of such breaks cannot be determined without imposing disproportionate load upon data providers to ABS surveys and other administratively collected data. ABS will continue to monitor developments and report any significant identified impacts or changes in methodology as a result of AIFRS.

EXPLANATORY NOTES *continued*

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RELATED PUBLICATIONS

32 Users may also wish to refer to the following publications:

- Australian National Accounts: Concepts, Sources and Methods (cat. no. 5216.0)
- Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product (cat. no. 5206.0)
- Australian Industry (cat. no. 8155.0)
- Information Paper: Introduction of Chain Volume Measures in the Australian National Accounts (cat. no. 5248.0)
- Information Paper: Improvements to Australian Bureau of Statistics Quarterly Business Indicators (cat. no. 5677.0)
- Manufacturing Production, Australia (cat. no. 8301.0)
- Private New Capital Expenditure and Expected Expenditure, Australia (cat. no. 5625.0)
- Retail Trade, Australia (cat. no. 8501.0)

ABS WEB SITE

33 Information on the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey and survey outputs are published on this web site: see the Topics @ a Glance pages.

DATA AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

34 As well as the statistics included in this and related publications, the ABS may have other relevant data available on request. These series include more detailed industry data (e.g. Manufacturing subdivision), and wages and salaries by state/territory by industry. The availability of more detailed data are subject to confidentiality and quality checks. Inquiries should be made to the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070.

TECHNICAL NOTE DATA QUALITY

RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

1 Estimates provided in this publication are subject to non-sampling and sampling error. The most common way of quantifying sampling error is to calculate the standard error for the published estimate. This is discussed in paragraphs 6 to 9 below.

2 Estimates that have an estimated relative standard error between 10% and 25% are annotated with the symbol '^'. These estimates should be used with caution as they are subject to sampling variability too high for some purposes. Estimates with an RSE between 25% and 50% are annotated with the symbol '*', indicating that the estimate should be used with caution as it is subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50% are annotated with the symbol '**' indicating that the sampling variability causes the estimates to be considered too unreliable for general use. These annotations have only been applied to estimates from the March quarter 2009.

3 Non-sampling errors may arise as a result of errors in the reporting, recording or processing of the data and can occur even if there is a complete enumeration of the population. These errors can be introduced through inadequacies in the questionnaire, treatment of non-response, inaccurate reporting by respondents, errors in the application of survey procedures, incorrect recording of answers, and errors in data entry and processing. Inventories data for businesses with less than 20 employees are derived and could therefore be subject to error (although this error is estimated to be less than the sampling and non-sampling error resulting from directly collecting these data).

4 Estimates for the latest quarter presented in this publication are considered preliminary and revised estimates will be released with the next issue. As discussed in paragraphs 20 and 21 of the Explanatory Notes, seasonally adjusted and trend estimates are also subject to revision as more data are revised and more data becomes available.

5 It is difficult to measure the size of non-sampling errors. However, every effort is made in the design of the survey and development of survey procedures to minimise their effects.

STANDARD ERRORS

6 The estimates in this publication are based on a sample drawn from units in the surveyed population. Because the entire population is not surveyed, the published estimates are subject to sampling error. In calculating the standard error for the statistics in this publication, the ABS would prefer to produce a smoothed standard error for the major published aggregates as this approach takes account of the variability in standard error estimates for quarterly statistics. This estimated standard error would then be used as an indication of the sampling error for the current published series. Standard errors are based upon the data in the currently published quarter. Details of standard errors are available below.

TECHNICAL NOTE DATA QUALITY *continued*

LEVEL ESTIMATES

7 To illustrate, let us say that the published level estimate for company profits before income tax is \$8,900m and the calculated standard error in this case is \$200m. The standard error is then used to interpret the level estimate of \$8,900m. For instance, the standard error of \$200m indicates that:

- There are approximately two chances in three that the real value falls within the range \$8,700m to \$9,100m ($\$8,900\text{m} \pm \200m).
- There are approximately nineteen chances in twenty that the real value falls within the ranges \$8,500m and \$9,300m ($\$8,900\text{m} \pm \400m).
- The true value in this case is the result we would obtain if we could enumerate the total population.

8 The following table shows the standard errors for national and state quarterly level estimates based upon the data in the current quarter.

	<i>Company gross operating profits</i>	<i>Company profits before income tax</i>	<i>Sales of goods and services</i>	<i>Inventories</i>	<i>Wages and salaries</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Mining	127	136	386	71	53
Manufacturing	174	161	1 331	822	183
Electricity, gas, water and waste services	53	37	195	32	21
Construction	282	258	3 601	na	549
Wholesale trade	232	215	2 237	1 438	231
Retail trade	120	109	1 374	691	181
Accommodation and food services	111	87	888	87	210
Transport, postal and warehousing	217	156	940	na	170
Information media and telecommunications	84	83	303	na	65
Financial and insurance services	135	165	450	na	207
Rental, hiring and real estate services	246	243	915	na	145
Professional, scientific and technical services	320	308	1 836	na	620
Administrative and support services	166	167	1 009	na	495
Education and Training	na	na	na	na	170
Health Care and Social Assistance	na	na	na	na	372
Arts and recreation services	40	37	225	na	53
Other services	287	137	732	na	224
Total	721	688	5 524	1 875	1 197
New South Wales	na	na	2 931	na	643
Victoria	na	na	2 828	na	586
Queensland	na	na	2 367	na	522
South Australia	na	na	1 313	na	261
Western Australia	na	na	2 302	na	401
Tasmania	na	na	374	na	86
Northern Territory	na	na	393	na	113
Australian Capital Territory	na	na	654	na	120
Australia	721	688	5 524	1 875	1 197

na not available

TECHNICAL NOTE DATA QUALITY *continued*

MOVEMENT ESTIMATES

9 The following example illustrates how to use the standard error to interpret a movement estimate. Let us say that one quarter the published level estimate for inventories is \$90,000m, and the next quarter the published level estimate is \$92,000m. In this example the calculated standard error for the movement estimate is \$850m. The standard error is then used to interpret the published movement estimate of +\$2,000m. For instance, the standard error of \$850m indicates that:

- There are approximately two chances in three that the real movement over the two quarter period falls within the range \$1,150m to \$2,850m ($\$2,000m \pm \$850m$).
- There are approximately nineteen chances in twenty that the real movement falls within the range \$300m to \$3,700m ($\$2,000m \pm \$1,700m$).

10 The following table shows the standard errors for national quarterly movement estimates based upon the data in the current quarter.

	<i>Company gross operating profits</i>	<i>Company profits before income tax</i>	<i>Sales of goods and services</i>	<i>Inventories</i>	<i>Wages and salaries</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Mining	87	88	224	54	45
Manufacturing	158	160	758	481	129
Electricity, gas, water and waste services	22	21	68	14	11
Construction	262	247	1 813	na	312
Wholesale trade	245	210	1 434	829	108
Retail trade	124	115	794	362	103
Accommodation and food services	95	94	426	46	119
Transport, postal and warehousing	169	221	459	na	82
Information media and telecommunications	56	56	183	na	51
Financial and insurance services	94	184	266	na	113
Rental, hiring and real estate services	139	146	568	na	140
Professional, scientific and technical services	241	252	1 065	na	349
Administrative and support services	161	174	566	na	296
Education and Training	na	na	na	na	99
Health Care and Social Assistance	na	na	na	na	217
Arts and recreation services	53	53	119	na	21
Other services	149	140	329	na	88
Total	561	614	3 126	1 110	626

na not available

ADJUSTMENTS TO ESTIMATES

11 Adjustments are included in the estimates to allow for lags in processing new businesses to the Australian Business Register. The following table shows the adjustments made to the current quarter's original estimates in current price terms:

	<i>June Quarter 2016</i>
	%
Company gross operating profits	0.9
Company profits before income tax	0.9
Sales of goods and services	1.5
Inventories	0.9
Wages and salaries	1.8

TECHNICAL NOTE DATA QUALITY *continued*

ADJUSTMENTS TO ESTIMATES

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12 As previously discussed, the estimates presented in this publication are partial indicators used in the compilation of the quarterly national accounts. The movements in the Business Indicators estimates will not always be the same as the movements in the comparable national accounts series but they should be reasonably consistent after taking account of differences in concepts, scope and methodology described in paragraph 26 of the Explanatory Notes. If after taking account of these differences, there are concerns about data quality and coherence, the national accounts area provides feedback to the survey area. This process may result in adjustments being applied to the Business Indicators estimates prior to release in this publication. The objective use of the national accounts framework to provide data coherence across all ABS economic statistics ensures that a common understanding of recent economic developments is presented.

SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES TIME SERIES

13 This publication includes estimates of sales of goods and services, by industry, and by state/territory, but estimates of national total sales of goods and services are not published. Total sales of goods and services is not an adequate indicator of the performance of the Australian economy as it includes duplication; for example, goods sold by retailers may also be included in goods sold by wholesalers in the same period. However this publication does include total sales of goods and services, by state/territory, as it is considered that there may be interest in this item as a measure of relative activity. This data should be used with caution given the potential for the data to include duplication across industries.

PROFITS TIME SERIES

14 Estimates of gross operating profits are compiled by deducting estimates of items that do not involve the production of goods and services from estimates of profits before income tax. These items include: depreciation, net interest paid, net foreign exchange gains/losses and unrealised gains/losses on the revaluation of assets. These items are considered out of scope of the national accounts item gross operating surplus.

15 As indicated in paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes, income items (other than sales of goods and services), expense items (other than labour costs) and profits are only collected for businesses employing 20 or more persons in the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey (QBIS).

WAGES TIME SERIES

16 The Introduction of the Quarterly Business Indicators Survey from March quarter 2001 included the collection of private sector wages and salaries by industry.

PRIVATISED MARKETING AUTHORITIES

17 Three significant privatised marketing authorities came into scope of the estimates in this publication from the September quarter 1999. The introduction of these units resulted in a break in series for estimates for inventories and sales of goods and services between the June and September quarters 1999 and comparison of the series over time should be undertaken with care.

18 The methodology used by the ABS has ensured that the trend series has not been distorted by the introduction of these units, although there is a trend break evident between the June and September quarters 1999. For this reason, the trend estimates of movement have not been released for the Wholesale trade inventories, Total inventories and Wholesale trade sales series in respect of the September quarter 1999.

PRIVATISATION OF TELSTRA CORPORATION

19 Telstra Corporation was effectively privatised on 20 November 2006. For the purposes of ABS statistics this change from public sector to private sector was effective from March quarter 2007. This has impacted on some data series presented in this publication, particularly the March quarter 2007 movements. The data items affected are sales of goods and services, wages and salaries, company gross operating profits and the related profits series in the Manufacturing and Information media and telecommunications industry. The introduction of Telstra has resulted in a break in series for some series in this publication between the December quarter 2006 and March quarter 2007. The movement trend estimates, in percentage terms, have therefore not been released for the March quarter 2007.

TREND BREAK

20 In the June quarter 2010 release, trend break corrections were applied to Mining and Total company gross operating profits, company profits before income tax, business gross operating profits and Mining sales. These corrections were necessary due to very large mining commodity contract price rises that occurred on 1st April 2010. Trend break corrections were also applied to Manufacturing and Western Australian Sales of goods and services due to the movement of a major manufacturing business from the private to public sector. When a trend break occurs in a time series it is important that the trend movement estimate be treated with caution, hence the suppression of the quarterly and annual movement estimates for June 2010.

GLOSSARY

A company	The definition of company has been expanded to include quasi-corporations as well as incorporated private sector business enterprises. For the purpose of the survey, branches of overseas companies operating in Australia are included but overseas branches of Australian companies are excluded.
Business gross operating profit	The sum of unincorporated gross operating profit and company gross operating profit.
Company gross operating profits	Selected items are excluded from company profits before income tax to provide a measure of underlying company profits. These items include interest income and expenses; depreciation and amortisation; and selected items which do not involve the production of goods and services such as net foreign exchange gains/losses, gains/losses arising from the sale of non-current assets, and net unrealised gains/losses from the revaluation of current or non-current assets.
Company profits before income tax	Net operating profit or loss before income tax and extraordinary items and is net of capital profits or losses arising from the sale of businesses' own capital goods and dividends received.
Inventories	All inventories of materials etc., work in progress and finished goods owned by the business, whether held at locations of the business or elsewhere. Inventories are recorded at book value at the end of the quarter.
Quasi-corporations	Large and easily identified unincorporated enterprises such as partnerships of companies or unit trusts of companies.
Sales of goods and services	This item includes sales of goods by the business and income from services provided such as commission income, repair and service income and fees, management fees, rent leasing and hiring income, delivery and installation charges, income from consulting services, sponsorship income, membership/subscription fees and royalties income. State/territory income from sales of goods and services is reported by businesses for the sales of goods and services from each state/territory in which the business operates.
Unincorporated businesses	Businesses not in the corporate sector as defined under the glossary term 'a company'.
Unincorporated gross operating profit	Same definition as company gross operating profit except it includes only unincorporated businesses.
Wages and salaries	Gross earnings before taxation and other deductions. Includes provisions for employee entitlements.

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