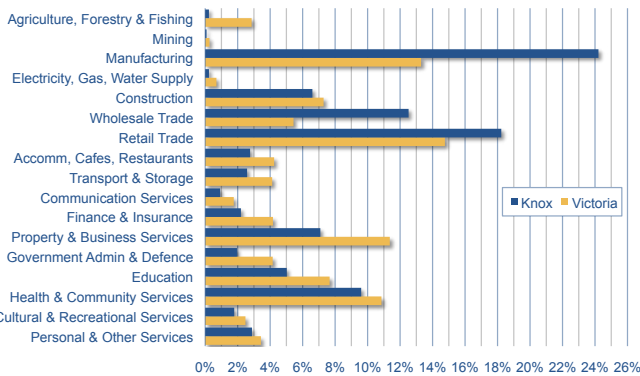


EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

The total working population of the City of Knox (i.e. the number of persons whose place of employment is within the City), as at the 2006 Census, was approximately 56,880 persons. This represented an increase of 3,103 persons, or an average annual growth rate of 1.1%, from the level recorded at the 2001 Census.

In 2006, the largest industry employer in the City of Knox was Manufacturing with 24.2% of the total working population, followed by Retail Trade (18.2%), Wholesale Trade (12.5%) and Health & Community Services (9.6%).

Working Population
Employment by Industry

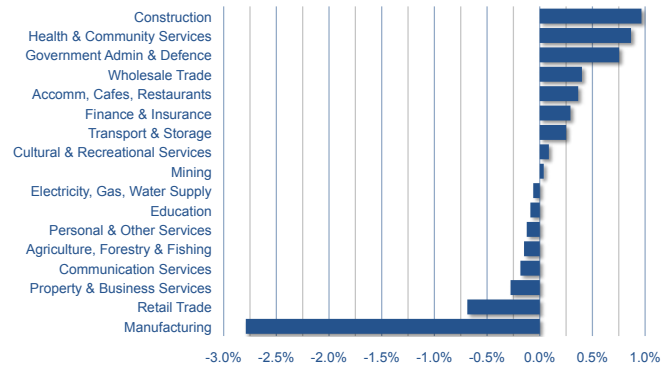


Source: ABS 2006 Census

The City of Knox had a higher proportion of employment share in the Manufacturing; Wholesale Trade; and Retail Trade industries than both the Melbourne SD and Victoria in 2006.

Between 2001 and 2006, the Construction industry recorded the largest increase in industry employment share (up 1.0 percentage points), followed by Health & Community Services (up 0.9 percentage points) and Government Administration & Defence (up 0.8 percentage points). The sectors which recorded the largest decreases in employment share were Manufacturing (down 2.8 percentage points) and Retail Trade (down 0.7 percentage points).

Change in Industry Employment Share
City of Knox, 2001-06



Source: ABS 2006 Census

The Health & Community Services sector recorded the largest actual increase in industry employment in the City of Knox between 2001 and 2006 (up 764 persons). This was followed by Construction (up 724 persons), Wholesale Trade (up 604 persons) and Government Administration & Defence (up 466 persons).

Employment by Industry

	City of Knox			Melbourne SD		Victoria			
	Level 2006	% of total	Level 2001	% of total	% chg 2001-06	Level 2006	% of total	Level 2006	% of total
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	131	0.2	204	0.4	-0.1	8,697	0.6	61,736	2.9
Mining	48	0.1	25	0.0	0.0	2,392	0.2	5,699	0.3
Manufacturing	13,772	24.2	14,521	27.0	-2.8	218,993	14.1	287,054	13.3
Electricity, Gas & Water Supply	132	0.2	158	0.3	-0.1	8,783	0.6	14,942	0.7
Construction	3,754	6.6	3,030	5.6	1.0	83,035	5.4	157,449	7.3
Wholesale Trade	7,123	12.5	6,519	12.1	0.4	94,995	6.1	117,440	5.4
Retail Trade	10,369	18.2	10,173	18.9	-0.7	228,279	14.7	318,763	14.8
Accommodation, Cafes & Restaurants	1,572	2.8	1,290	2.4	0.4	64,292	4.1	91,678	4.2
Transport & Storage	1,467	2.6	1,252	2.3	0.3	66,599	4.3	89,096	4.1
Communication Services	526	0.9	596	1.1	-0.2	30,913	2.0	37,989	1.8
Finance & Insurance	1,251	2.2	1,026	1.9	0.3	79,171	5.1	90,116	4.2
Property & Business Services	4,033	7.1	3,962	7.4	-0.3	203,338	13.1	245,485	11.4
Government Administration & Defence	1,113	2.0	647	1.2	0.8	63,065	4.1	89,781	4.2
Education	2,856	5.0	2,748	5.1	-0.1	120,574	7.8	165,457	7.7
Health & Community Services	5,463	9.6	4,699	8.7	0.9	164,555	10.6	234,399	10.9
Cultural & Recreational Services	1,016	1.8	914	1.7	0.1	41,798	2.7	53,542	2.5
Personal & Other Services	1,638	2.9	1,615	3.0	-0.1	52,320	3.4	74,090	3.4
Non-Classifiable Economic Units	589	1.0	235	0.4	0.6	16,714	1.1	22,694	1.1
Not stated	27	0.0	163	0.3	-0.3	1,316	0.1	2,519	0.1
Total	56,880	100.0	53,777	100.0	0.0	1,549,829	100.0	2,159,929	100.0

Source: ABS 2006 Census