

AN OVERVIEW OF TAS

TAS INSIGHTS

Key categories	Level this quarter	Compared with decade Average
Dwelling commencements	714	11.8%
Unemployment	6.5%	2.5%
Population growth	1.15%	99.2%
Economic growth	\$37,470m	18.7%
Equipment investment	\$239m	27.8%
Housing finance	1,068	16.4%
Retail spending	\$1,618m	13.5%
Construction work	\$793m	22.5%

Tasmania is in joint third position on the economic performance rankings. Tasmania is ranked first on relative population growth and business spending.