

Gambling compared to other Industries (employment and business)

Employment

Employment comparison of selected industries in Australia (2004-05 and various)¹

Industry	No.
Takeaway food retailing	236,032
Cafes and restaurants	144,746
Department stores	108,748
Cleaning services	112,233
Accounting services	92,550
Clothing retailing	71,834
Pubs, taverns and bars with gambling	64,905
Pharmaceutical, cosmetic & toiletry retailing	62,150
Clubs (hospitality) with gambling	60,200
Newspaper, book and stationery retailing	54,309
Caterers and food service contractors	48,122
Motor vehicle manufacturing	28,500
Gardening services	19,278
Casinos	19,130
Wine manufacturing	15,546
Waste disposal services	15,114
Computer and software retailing	11,590
Advertising services	10,566
Motion picture exhibition	10,100
Video hire outlets	9,581
Liquor retailing	9,012
Lotteries	7,104
Radio services	7,095
Milk and cream processing	6,578
Pulp, paper & paperboard manufacturing	4,624
Beer and malt manufacturing	4,470
Zoological and botanic gardens	3,570
Tobacco product wholesaling	2,252
Tobacco product manufacturing	917
Registered bookmakers	610
Spirit manufacturing	262

¹ www.ibisworld.com.au, URS Finance and Economics (2006), Australian Casino Association Economic Report, Prepared for the Australian Casino Association, June 2005, Australian Bureau of Statistics (2006) Clubs, Pubs, Taverns and Bars, Australian Bureau of Statistics (2006), Gambling Industries, Australia, 2004-05, Cat. no 8684.0, ABS, Canberra, Australian Racing Board (2001), Size and Scope of the Australian Thoroughbred Industry and industry interviews.

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Business numbers

Business numbers comparison of selected industries in Australia (2004-05 and various)²

Industry	No.
Takeaway food retailing	28,850
Clothing retailing	13,366
Cafes and restaurants	13,097
Newspaper, book and stationery retailing	9,700
Accounting services	9,222
Pharmaceutical, cosmetic and toiletry retailing	8,605
Cleaning services	6,517
Gardening services	5,184
Lotteries	4,736
Computer and software retailing	3,530
Gambling businesses at hotels	3,455
Gambling businesses at clubs	2,416
Caterers and food service contractors	1,806
Waste disposal services	1097
Video hire outlets	1,055
TAB outlets³	1,010
Advertising services	905
Liquor retailing	857
Department stores	631
Wine manufacturing	366
Radio services	229
Motion picture exhibition	160
Zoological and botanic gardens	124
Motor vehicle manufacturing	83
Tobacco product wholesaling	50
Milk and cream processing	38
Pulp, paper & paperboard manufacturing	22
Casinos	13
Spirit manufacturing	9
Tobacco product manufacturing	3

² www.ibisworld.com.au and industry interviews. Please see "Economic Benefit" fact sheet for explanatory data on gambling businesses and sources.

³ This figure includes standalone outlets, on-course, 'other' (eg. newsagents, mobile outlets etc.) and at casinos.