

Remote Towns Jobs Profile 2023

Ngukurr



© Northern Territory of Australia 2025

Preferred Reference: Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations, 2023 Remote Towns Jobs Profiles, Northern Territory Government, January 2025, Darwin.

Front cover image: *Gossypium sturtianum* - known commonly as Sturts Desert Rose

Disclaimer

The data in this publication was collected by conducting a survey of businesses located in the 28 remote town boundaries. This body of work was completed in 2023 by the former Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade.

The collection methodology was created in accordance with Australian Bureau of Statistics data quality framework principles. Data in this publication is only reflective of those businesses reported on as operating in the town at the time of data collection (see table at the end of publication for list of businesses reported on). To comply with privacy legislation or where appropriate, some data in this publication may have been adjusted and will not reflect the actual data reported by businesses. As a result of this, combined with certain data not being reported by some businesses, some components may not add to totals. Changes over time may also reflect change in business propensity to report on certain data items rather than actual changes over time. Total figures have generally not been adjusted. Caution is advised when interpreting the comparisons made to the earlier 2011, 2014 and 2017 publications as the businesses identified and reported on and the corresponding jobs may differ between publications. The surveys have not always gathered data on training and jobs in the same years.

Notes for each table and chart are ordered alphabetically and listed at the end of the publication.

The Northern Territory of Australia exercised due care and skill to ensure that at the time of publication the information contained in this publication is true and correct. However, it is not intended to be relied on as professional advice or used for commercial purposes. The Territory gives no warranty or assurances as to the accuracy of the information contained in the publication and to the maximum extent permitted by law accepts no direct or indirect liability for reliance on its content.

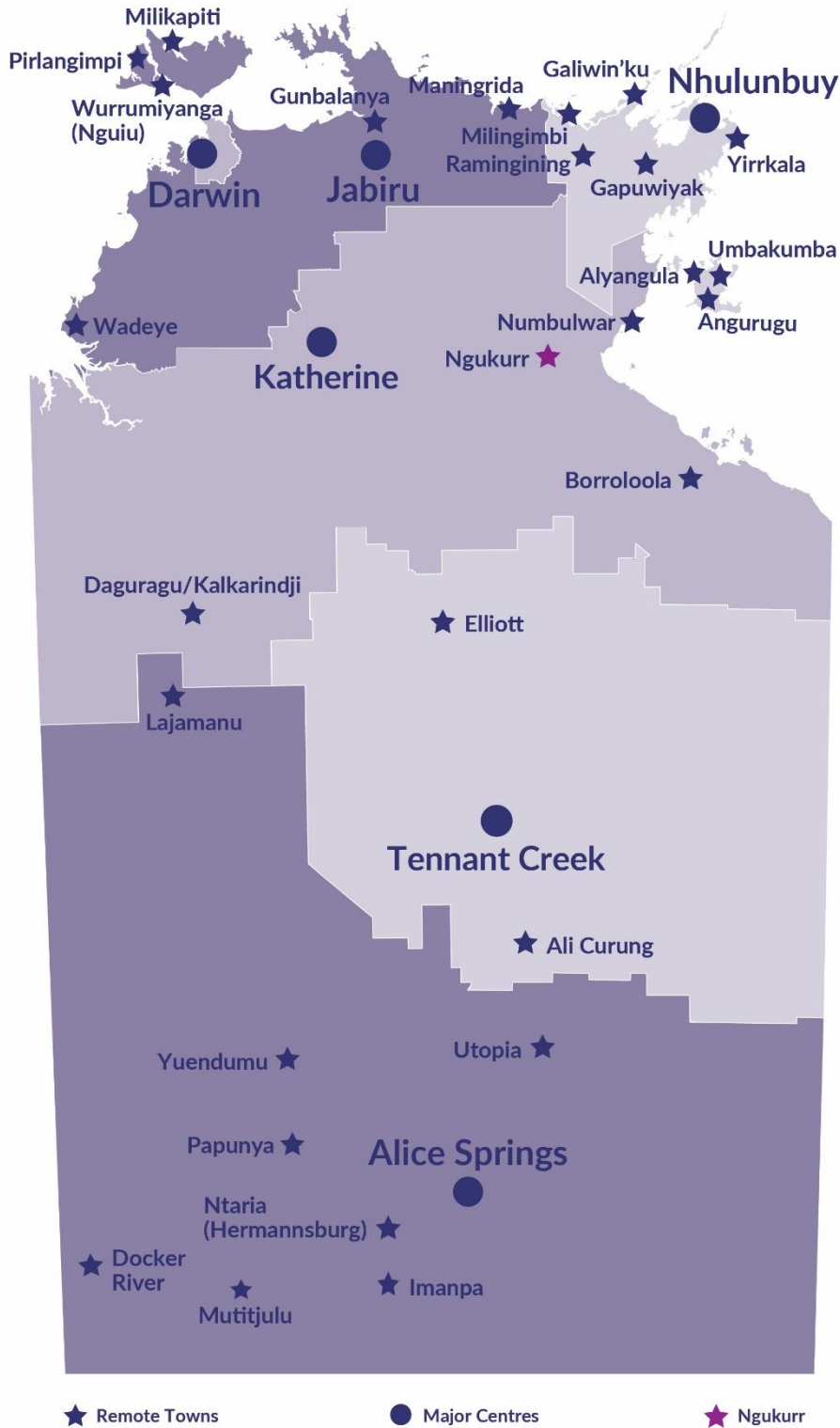
Any use of this report for commercial purposes is not endorsed by the Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations.

Contents

Ngukurr	4
Introduction	5
Summary	6
Jobs Overview	7
Jobs filled by Aboriginality	8
Jobs by Sector: Private and Public	11
Job Status: Permanent and Temporary	17
Job Vacancies	21
Jobs by Industry	23
Jobs by Occupation	29
Jobs by Industry by Occupation	33
Jobs by Gender	36
Jobs by Age	42
Vocational Education and Training	48
Population	55
Community Development Program	57
Businesses	58
Notes	59
Abbreviations and Acronyms	60

Ngukurr

Ngukurr is located approximately 330 kilometres south-east of Katherine along the Roper Highway, 100 kilometres inland from the Gulf of Carpentaria and on the northern bank of the Roper River in Southeast Arnhem Land; with a population of 1091 residents.



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Introduction

This jobs profile provides a snapshot of jobs and the characteristics of job holders in Ngukurr as of September 2023. Trends from the surveys conducted in 2011, 2014, and 2017 are also described. Additionally, it presents data on Community Development Program activity, Population, and Vocational Education and Training.

This job profile is one of 28 profiles developed for remote towns in the Northern Territory. It is anticipated these, and subsequent profiles will contribute to a robust evidence base to inform decision making in and relating to these remote Territory towns.

This profile contains information collected by the Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade from businesses operating within the town and is supplemented by other administrative data sets and information.

Each profile provides up-to-date information that is intended to inform the planning and design of current and future government programs and as an evidence base to inform decision making relating to workforce development, enterprise and job opportunities.

The profile may best be understood as a point-in-time tool. The number of business surveys from which the data was drawn is significantly less than in earlier surveys, and business participation has decreased with each survey. For Ngukurr, 21% fewer businesses than in 2017 are reported here.

The data collection methodology and corresponding questionnaire were created in partnership with the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) and in accordance with ABS data quality framework and survey principles.

The Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trades' Territory Engagement and Delivery, Skills Initiative and VET data teams collaborated with the Northern Institute at Charles Darwin University to facilitate the surveys and reports.

The information collected and reported on represents a significant goodwill investment by those businesses and organisations that participated. Each business is listed at the end of this publication.

Summary

The 2023 jobs profile was developed based on responses from 11 businesses operating within the Ngukurr town boundary, 3 less than in the 2017 survey. Of these, there were:

- 6 businesses from the Private Sector, accounting for 52 filled jobs or 42% of total filled jobs
- 5 businesses from the Public Sector, accounting for 73 filled jobs or 58% of total filled jobs
- 5 businesses participated in all four surveys (completed in 2011, 2014, 2017 and 2023).

A total of 125 filled and 43 vacant jobs in Ngukurr were reported, a decrease of 58 jobs from 2017.¹

The 2023 profile highlights:

- there were 125 filled jobs of which:
 - 84 jobs (67%) were filled by Aboriginal people, a decrease of 56 jobs from 2017
 - 41 jobs (33%) were filled by non-Aboriginal people, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017
 - 38% of employed Aboriginal people are working in the Public Sector
 - Aboriginal people accounted for 67% of job holders in the town compared to 70% from 2017
 - Aboriginal females made up 71% of total Aboriginal filled jobs in the town compared to 51% in 2017
- there were 43 vacant jobs, of which:
 - job vacancies as a percentage of jobs increased to 25.6% in 2023 from 11.5% in 2017
 - job vacancies equate to 1 in 4 jobs
 - 31 of the vacancies were in the Community and Personal Service Workers and Professional areas
- Education and Training industry was the largest industry employer in 2023
- Public Administration and Safety was the second highest industry employer in 2023, with a decrease of 49 filled jobs between 2023 and 2017
- training decreased by 26 students between 2023 and 2016, with the highest increase in student numbers in the General Education and Training sector
- Community Services, Health and Education had the highest student numbers in 2023.

The overall population in Ngukurr increased by 35 people (3.3%) between 2011 and 2021 to 1,091

In comparison, the overall Northern Territory population increased by 9.7% between 2011 and 2021.

In 2021, the working age population (15 years and over) in Ngukurr was an estimated 789 people compared to 691 in 2011 an increase of 14.2%.

There were 0.2 jobs in Ngukurr per working age person compared to 0.3 jobs per working age person across the 28 remote towns in the Northern Territory.

¹ The number of filled jobs does not represent the number of people as a person may have several jobs or one job may be shared by more than one person.

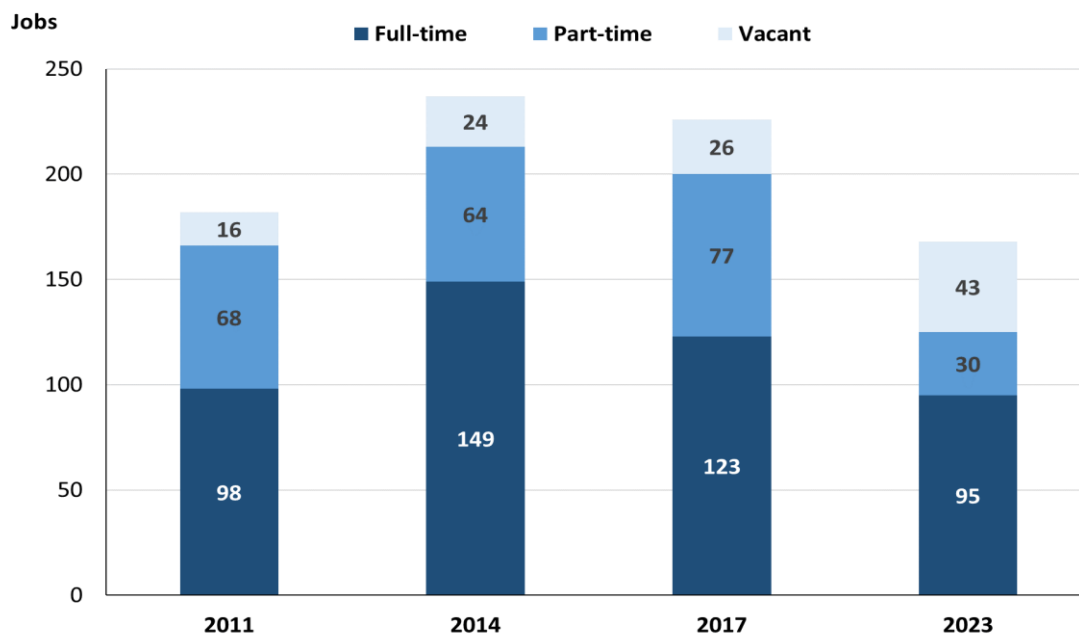
Jobs Overview

Table 1: Count of filled jobs and vacancies, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)

	2011	2014	2017	2023	Change 2011-2014	Change 2014-2017	Change 2017-2023
Total All Jobs	182	237	226	168	55	-11	-58
Vacancies	16	24	26	43	8	2	17
Vacancies as % of Total All Jobs	8.8%	10.1%	11.5%	25.6%	1.3 ppt	1.4 ppt	14.1 ppt
Filled Jobs	166	213	200	125	47	-13	-75
Full-time	98	149	123	95	51	-26	-28
Part-time	68	64	77	30	-4	13	-47

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 1: Count of vacant jobs and filled jobs by full-time/part-time status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)



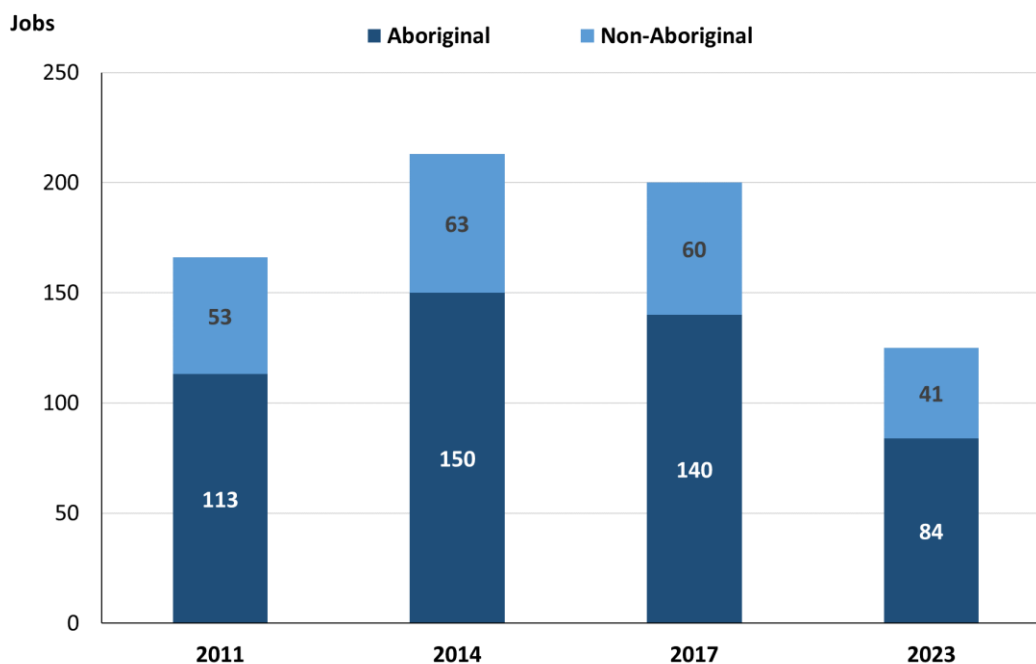
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there was a total of 125 **filled jobs**, a decrease of 75 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 88 jobs from 2014
- of the 125 **filled jobs** in 2023:
 - 95 were full-time jobs, a decrease of 28 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 54 jobs from 2014
 - 30 were part-time jobs, a decrease of 47 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 34 jobs from 2014
- there were 43 total job **vacancies** in 2023, an increase of 17 vacancies from 2017 and an increase of 19 vacancies from 2014.

Jobs filled by Aboriginality

Chart 2: Count of filled jobs by Aboriginality, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 125 filled jobs:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 84 jobs, a decrease of 56 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 66 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 41 jobs, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 22 jobs from 2014
- **Aboriginal** people accounted for 67% of job holders compared to 70% in 2017 and 70% in 2014.

Table 2a: Count of filled jobs by full-time/part-time status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)(c)

Indicator	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	49	49	98	87	62	149	65	58	123	57	38	95
Part-time	64	4	68	63	1	64	75	2	77	27	3	30
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

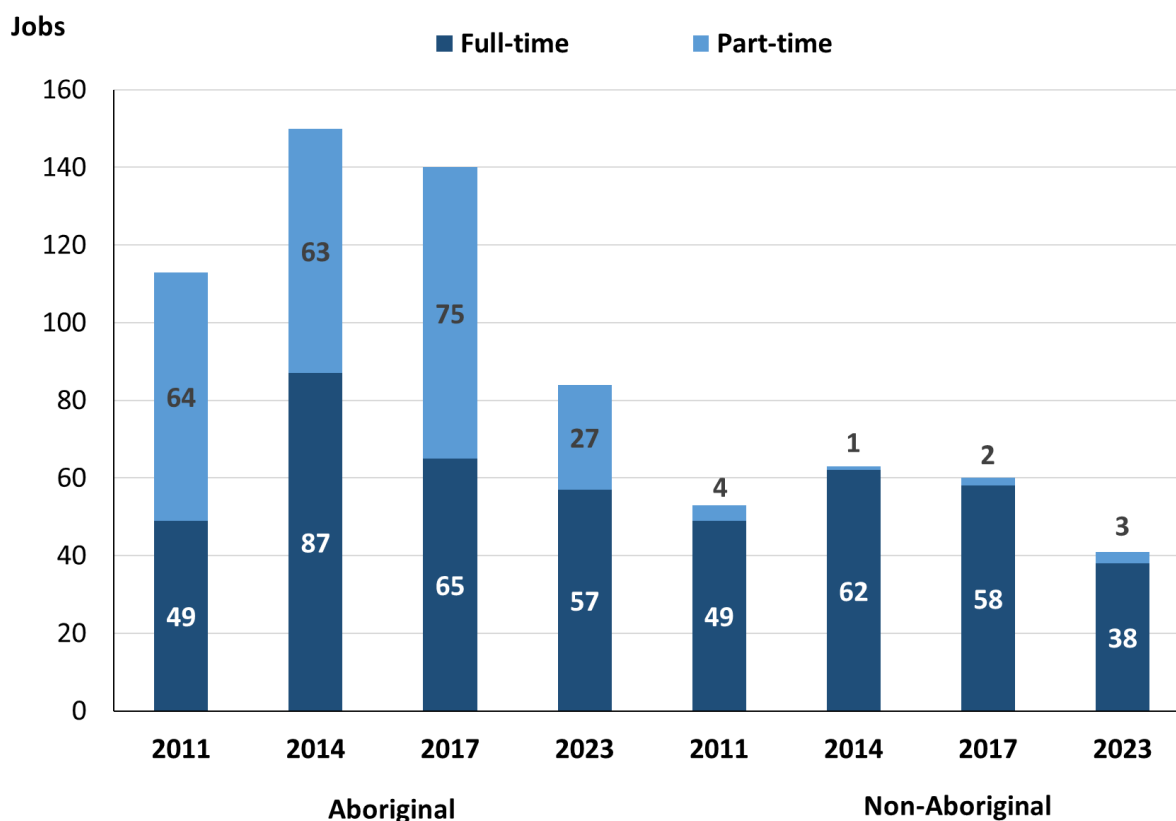
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 2b: Count of filled jobs by full-time/part-time status, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(b)(c)

Indicator	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	38	13	51	-22	-4	-26	-8	-20	-28
Part-time	-1	-3	-4	12	1	13	-48	1	-47
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-56	-19	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 3: Count of filled jobs by full-time/part-time status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)(c)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 125 **filled jobs**:
 - 57 were **full-time** jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 30 jobs from 2014
 - 27 were **part-time** jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 48 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 36 jobs from 2014
 - 38 were **full-time** jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 20 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 24 jobs from 2014
 - 3 were **part-time** jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014.

Jobs by Sector: Private and Public

Table 3a: Count of filled jobs by sector of business, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)(c)

Indicator	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Public Sector	73	37	110	63	38	101	84	35	119	47	26	73
Australian Government	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1
Territory Government	26	27	53	18	29	47	33	29	62	46	26	72
Local Government	46	9	55	45	9	54	50	6	56	0	0	0
Private Sector	40	16	56	87	25	112	56	25	81	37	15	52
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

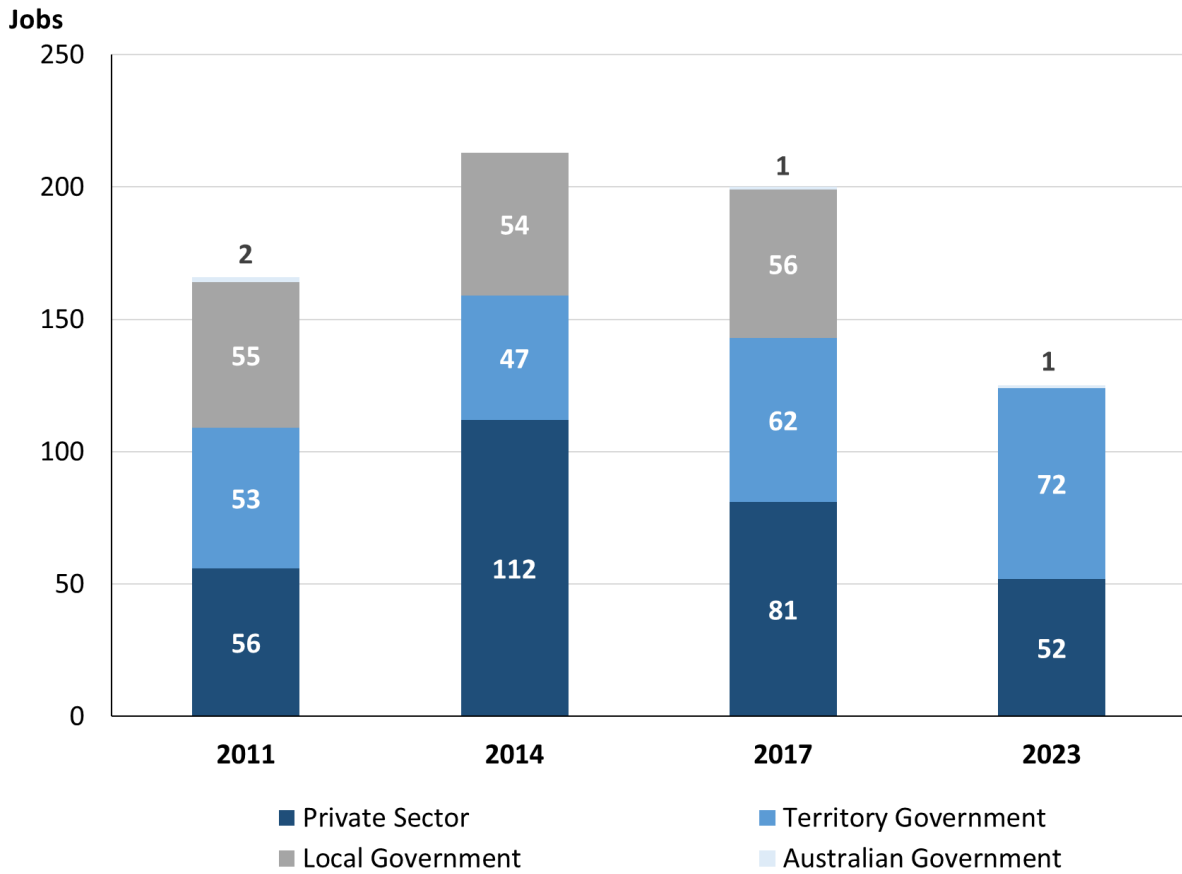
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 3b: Count of filled jobs by sector of business, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(b)(c)

Indicator	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Public Sector	-10	1	-9	21	-3	18	-37	-9	-46
Australian Government	-1	-1	-2	1	0	1	0	0	0
Territory Government	-8	2	-6	15	0	15	13	-3	10
Local Government	-1	0	-1	5	-3	2	-50	-6	-56
Private Sector	47	9	56	-31	0	-31	-19	-10	-29
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-56	-19	-75

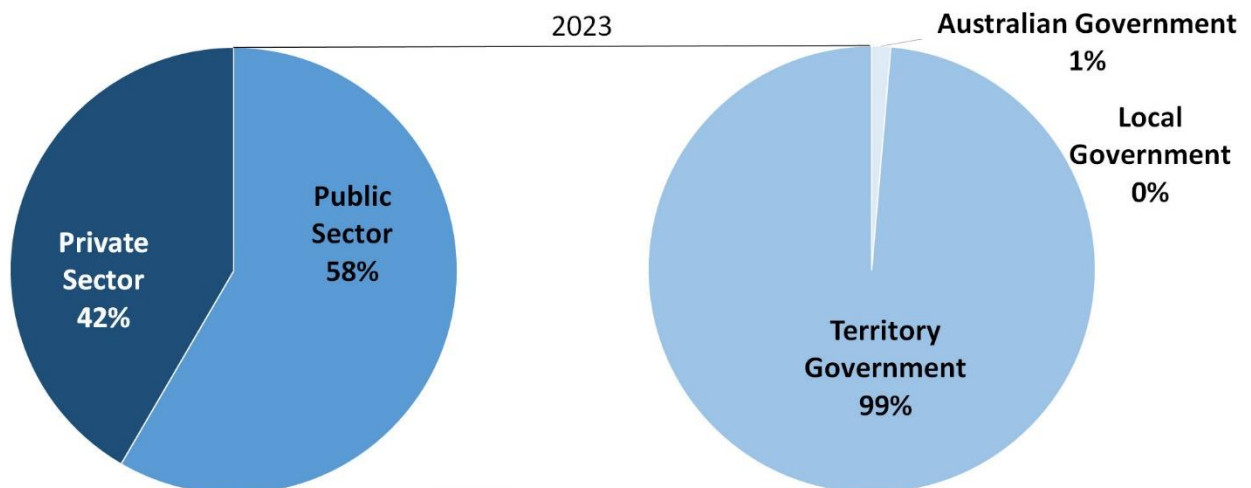
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 4: Count of filled jobs by sector of business, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(d)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 5: Percentage of filled jobs by sector of business in 2023 (a)(d)

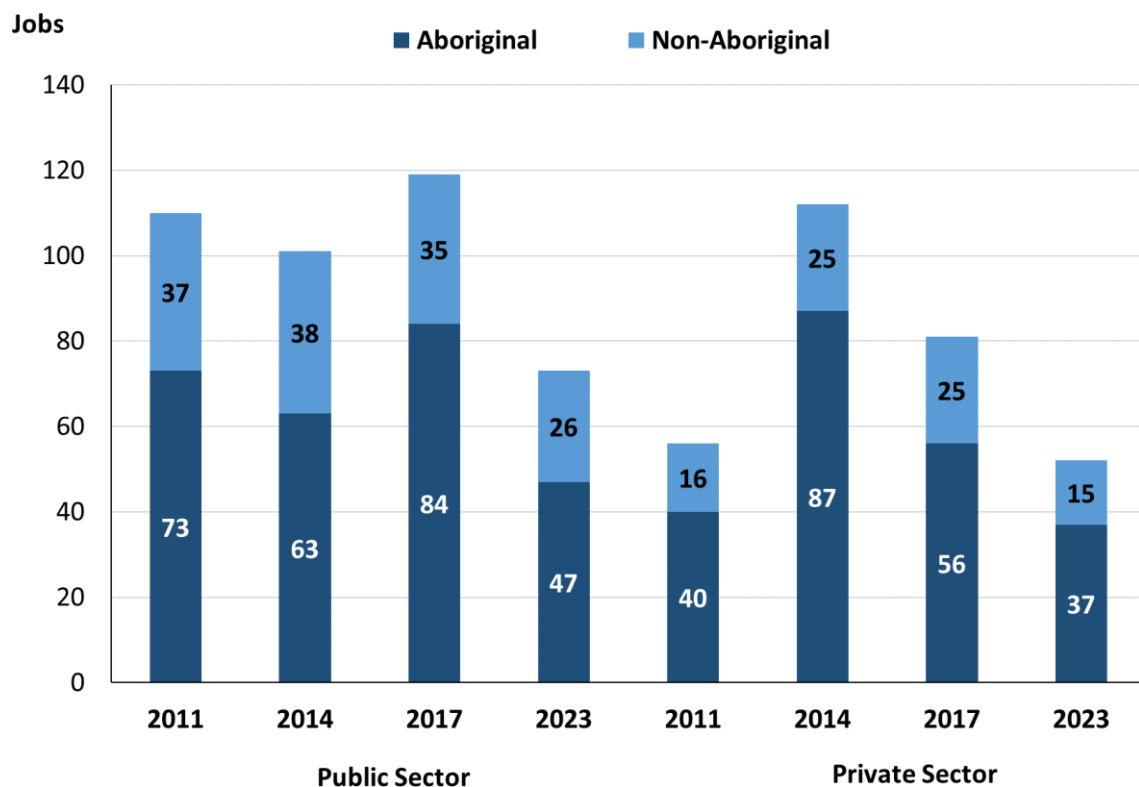


Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 73 jobs in the **Public Sector**, a decrease of 46 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 28 jobs from 2014
- of the 73 jobs in the **Public Sector**:
 - 1 job was in the Australian Government, unchanged from 2017 and an increase of 1 job from 2014
 - 72 jobs were in the Territory Government, an increase of 10 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 25 jobs from 2014
 - none were in the Local Government, a decrease of 56 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 54 jobs from 2014
- there were 52 jobs in the **Private Sector**, a decrease of 29 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 60 jobs from 2014.

Chart 6: Count of filled jobs by sector, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(d)

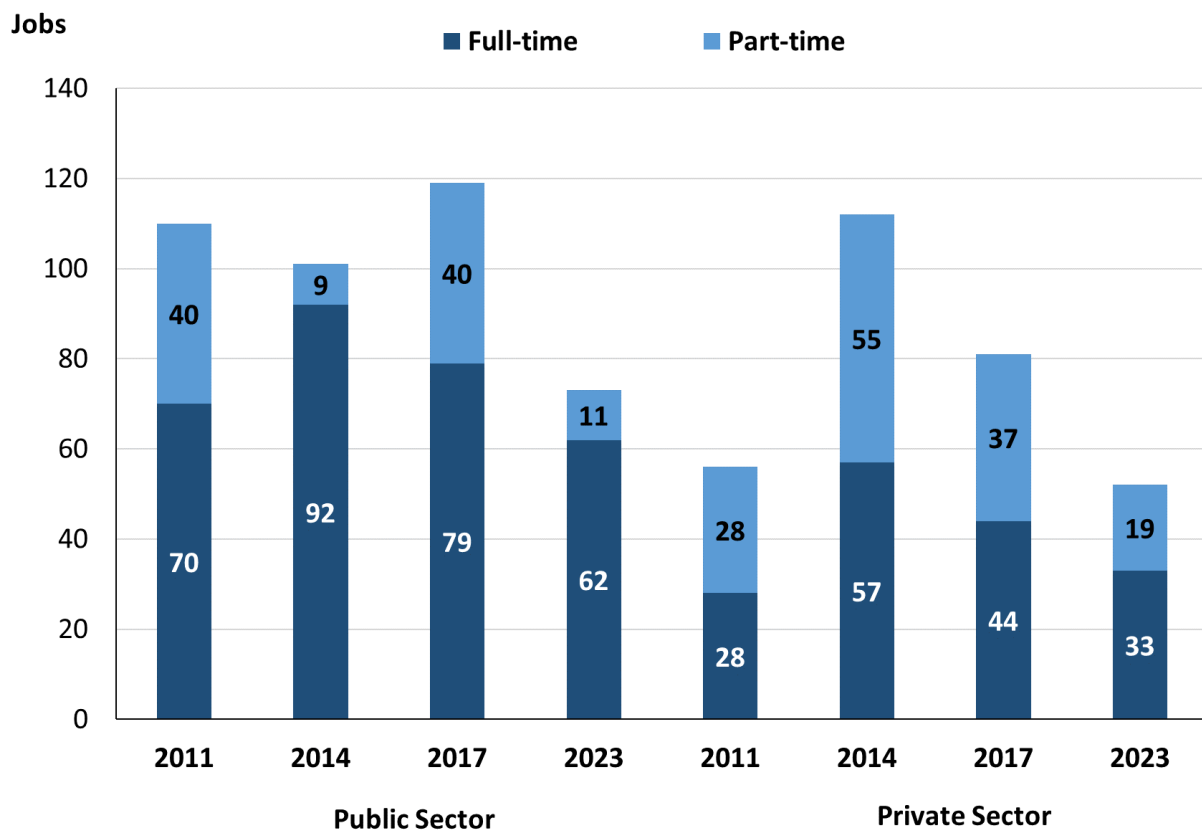


Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 73 jobs in the **Public Sector**:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 47 jobs, a decrease of 37 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 16 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 26 jobs, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014
- of the 52 jobs in the **Private Sector**:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 37 jobs, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 50 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 15 jobs, a decrease of 10 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014.

Chart 7: Count of filled jobs by sector and full-time/part-time status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)(d)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr there were:

- of the 73 jobs in the **Public Sector**:
 - 62 were **full-time** jobs, a decrease of 17 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 30 jobs from 2014
 - 11 were **part-time** jobs, a decrease of 29 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014
- of the 52 jobs in the **Private Sector**:
 - 33 were **full-time** jobs, a decrease of 11 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 24 jobs from 2014
 - 19 were **part-time** jobs, a decrease of 18 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 36 jobs from 2014.

Table 4: Count of filled jobs by full-time/part-time status by sector, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(b)(c)(d)

Indicator	2011								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Public Sector	35	38	73	35	2	37	70	40	110
Private Sector	14	26	40	14	2	16	28	28	56
Total	49	64	113	49	4	53	98	68	166

Indicator	2014								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Public Sector	55	8	63	37	1	38	92	9	101
Private Sector	32	55	87	25	0	25	57	55	112
Total	87	63	150	62	1	63	149	64	213

Indicator	2017								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Public Sector	45	39	84	34	1	35	79	40	119
Private Sector	20	36	56	24	1	25	44	37	81
Total	87	63	140	58	2	60	123	77	200

Indicator	2023								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total
Public Sector	36	11	47	26	0	26	62	11	73
Private Sector	21	16	37	12	3	15	33	19	52
Total	57	27	84	38	3	41	95	30	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr there were:

- 47 jobs in the **Public Sector** filled by **Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 37 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 16 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 36 were **full-time** jobs, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 19 jobs from 2014
 - 11 were **part-time** jobs, a decrease of 28 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014
- 37 jobs in the **Private Sector** filled by **Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 50 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 21 were **full-time** jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 11 jobs from 2014
 - 16 were **part-time** jobs, a decrease of 20 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 39 jobs from 2014
- 26 jobs in the **Public Sector** filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 26 were **full-time** jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 11 jobs from 2014
 - none were **part-time** jobs, a decrease of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
- 15 jobs in the **Private Sector** filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, a decrease of 10 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 12 were **full-time** jobs, a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 13 jobs from 2014
 - 3 were **part-time** jobs, an increase of 2 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014.

Job Status: Permanent and Temporary

Table 5a: Count of filled jobs by employment status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(e)

Indicator	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Permanent	81	36	117	90	54	144	46	36	82	33	20	53
Temporary	32	17	49	60	9	69	94	24	118	51	21	72
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

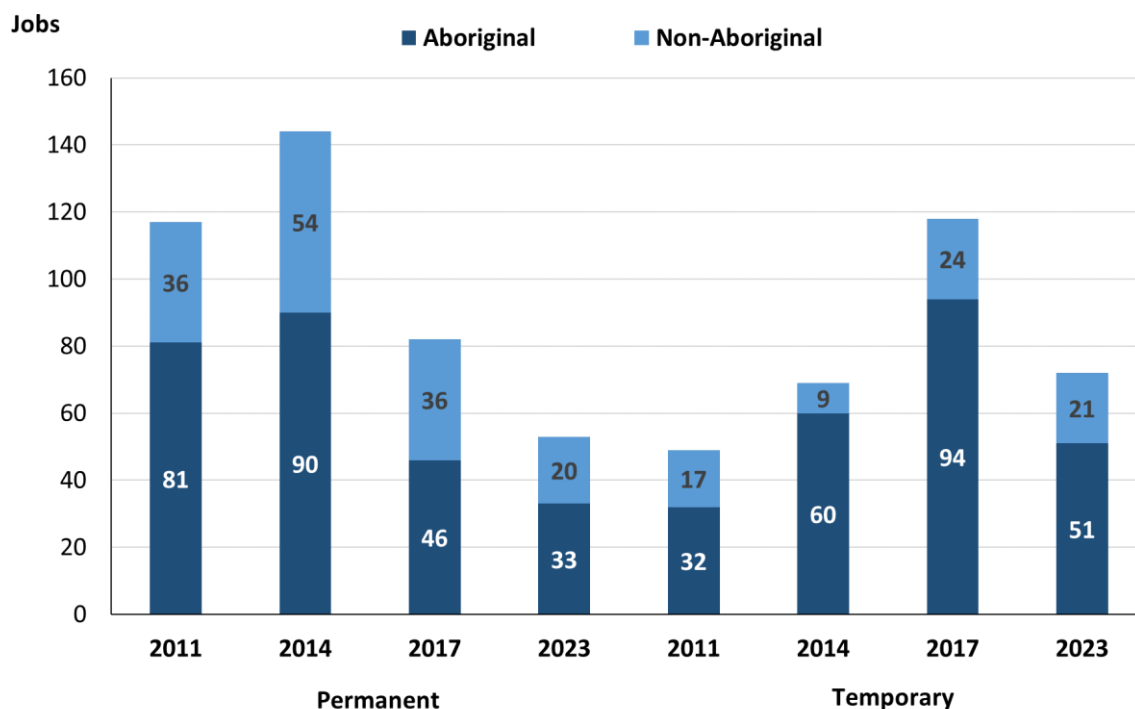
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 5b: Count of filled jobs by employment status, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(c)(e)

Indicator	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Permanent	9	18	27	-44	-18	-62	-13	-16	-29
Temporary	28	-8	20	34	15	49	-43	-3	-46
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-56	-19	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 8: Count of filled jobs by employment status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(e)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 53 **permanent** jobs, a decrease of 29 jobs from 2017, and a decrease of 91 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 33 jobs, a decrease of 13 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 57 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 20 jobs, a decrease of 16 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 34 jobs from 2014
- there were 72 **temporary** jobs, a decrease of 46 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 51 jobs, a decrease of 43 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 9 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 21 jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 12 jobs from 2014.

Table 6: Count of filled jobs by sector and employment status, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(d)(e)

Indicator	2011								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Public Sector	68	5	73	23	14	37	91	19	110
Private Sector	13	27	40	13	3	16	26	30	56
Total	81	32	113	36	17	53	117	49	166

Indicator	2014								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Public Sector	55	8	63	36	2	38	91	10	101
Private Sector	35	52	87	18	7	25	53	59	112
Total	90	60	150	54	9	63	144	69	213

Indicator	2017								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Public Sector	22	62	84	21	14	35	43	76	119
Private Sector	24	32	56	15	10	25	39	42	81
Total	46	94	140	36	24	60	82	118	200

Indicator	2023								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Public Sector	8	39	47	14	12	26	22	51	73
Private Sector	25	12	37	6	9	15	31	21	52
Total	33	51	84	20	21	41	53	72	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr there were:

- 73 jobs in the **Public Sector**, a decrease of 46 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 28 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 22 jobs were **permanent**, a decrease of 21 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 69 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 8 jobs, a decrease of 14 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 47 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 14 jobs, a decrease of 7 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 22 jobs from 2014
 - 51 jobs were **temporary**, a decrease of 25 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 41 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 39 jobs, a decrease of 23 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 31 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 12 jobs, a decrease of 2 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 10 jobs from 2014
- 52 jobs in the **Private Sector**, a decrease of 29 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 60 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - 31 jobs were **permanent**, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 22 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 25 jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 6 jobs, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014
 - 21 jobs were **temporary**, a decrease of 21 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 38 jobs from 2014, of which:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 12 jobs, a decrease of 20 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 40 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 9 jobs, a decrease of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014.

Job Vacancies

Table 7: Job vacancies, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023

Indicator	2011	2014	2017	2023	Change 2011-2014	Change 2014-2017	Change 2017-2023
Job vacancies	16	24	26	43	8	2	17

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 8a: Job vacancies by occupation, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	2011	2014	2017	2023
Clerical and Administrative Workers	1	6	8	6
Community and Personal Service Workers	9	10	5	11
Labourers	0	3	4	6
Machinery Operators and Drivers	0	1	1	0
Professionals	6	3	6	20
Sales Workers	0	1	0	0
Technicians and Trades Workers	0	0	2	0
Total	16	24	26	43

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 8b: Job vacancies by occupation, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	Change 2011-2014	Change 2014-2017	Change 2017-2023
Clerical and Administrative Workers	5	2	-2
Community and Personal Service Workers	1	-5	6
Labourers	3	1	2
Machinery Operators and Drivers	1	0	-1
Professionals	-3	3	14
Sales Workers	1	-1	0
Technicians and Trades Workers	0	2	-2
Total	8	2	17

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 9: Job vacancies by job title, 2023 profile (f)

Job Vacancy	No.
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Worker	2
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land and Sea Ranger	3
Child Care Coordinator	2
Classroom Teacher	12
Food Trades Assistant	1
General Clerk	3
Handyperson	5
Kitchenhand	1
Liaison Officer	3
Police Officer	1
Program or Project Administrator	3
Registered Nurse nec	1
Senior Teacher	3
Vocational Education Teacher	1
Welfare Support Worker	2
Total	43

Source: Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 43 **vacancies** reported, an increase of 17 vacancies from 2017 and an increase of 19 vacancies from 2014
- of the 43 reported **vacancies**, the largest requirements were for:
 - 20 Professionals, the majority of which are in the following jobs:
 - ♦ Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Land and Sea Ranger
 - ♦ Classroom Teacher
 - ♦ Senior Teacher
 - 11 Community and Personal Service Workers, the majority of which are in the following jobs:
 - ♦ Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education Worker
 - ♦ Liaison Officer
 - ♦ Welfare Support Worker.

Jobs by Industry

Table 10: Count of filled jobs by industry of business, 2011, 2014, 2017, 2023 and change in count of filled jobs by industry 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC Division)	2011		2014		2017		2023		Change 2011-2014	Change 2014-2017	Change 2017-2023
	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Total	Total	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	0	0.0%	6	2.8%	5	2.5%	1	0.8%	6	-1	-4
Arts and Recreation Services	4	2.4%	5	2.3%	10	5.0%	0	0.0%	1	5	-10
Construction	0	0.0%	16	7.5%	11	5.5%	0	0.0%	16	-5	-11
Education and Training	49	29.5%	70	32.9%	56	28.0%	62	49.6%	21	-14	6
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	0.0%	1	0.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	-1	0
Financial and Insurance Services	2	1.2%	3	1.4%	2	1.0%	4	3.2%	1	-1	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	17	10.2%	19	8.9%	20	10.0%	22	17.6%	2	1	2
Other Services	0	0.0%	5	2.3%	3	1.5%	0	0.0%	5	-2	-3
Public Administration and Safety	70	42.2%	70	32.9%	72	36.0%	23	18.4%	0	2	-49
Retail Trade	20	12.0%	18	8.5%	21	10.5%	13	10.4%	-2	3	-8
Total	166	100.0%	213	100.0%	200	100.0%	125	100.0%	47	-13	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- the Education and Training industry was the **largest industry employer**, with 62 filled jobs or 49.6% of filled jobs, an increase of 6 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 8 jobs from 2014
- **other significant** industry employers were:
 - Public Administration and Safety with 23 jobs (or 18.4% of filled jobs), a decrease of 49 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 47 jobs from 2014
 - Health Care and Social Assistance with 22 jobs (or 17.6% of filled jobs), an increase of 2 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014
 - Retail Trade with 13 jobs (or 10.4% of filled jobs), a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 5 jobs from 2014.

Table 11a: Count of filled jobs by industry of business, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	0	0	0	6	0	6	4	1	5	0	1	1
Arts and Recreation Services	3	1	4	4	1	5	9	1	10	0	0	0
Construction	0	0	0	13	3	16	9	2	11	0	0	0
Education and Training	25	24	49	43	27	70	29	27	56	39	23	62
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	2	3	0	3	2	0	2	4	0	4
Health Care and Social Assistance	8	9	17	10	9	19	11	9	20	17	5	22
Other Services	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	3	3	0	0	0
Public Administration and Safety	57	13	70	58	12	70	63	9	72	19	4	23
Retail Trade	15	5	20	12	6	18	13	8	21	5	8	13
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

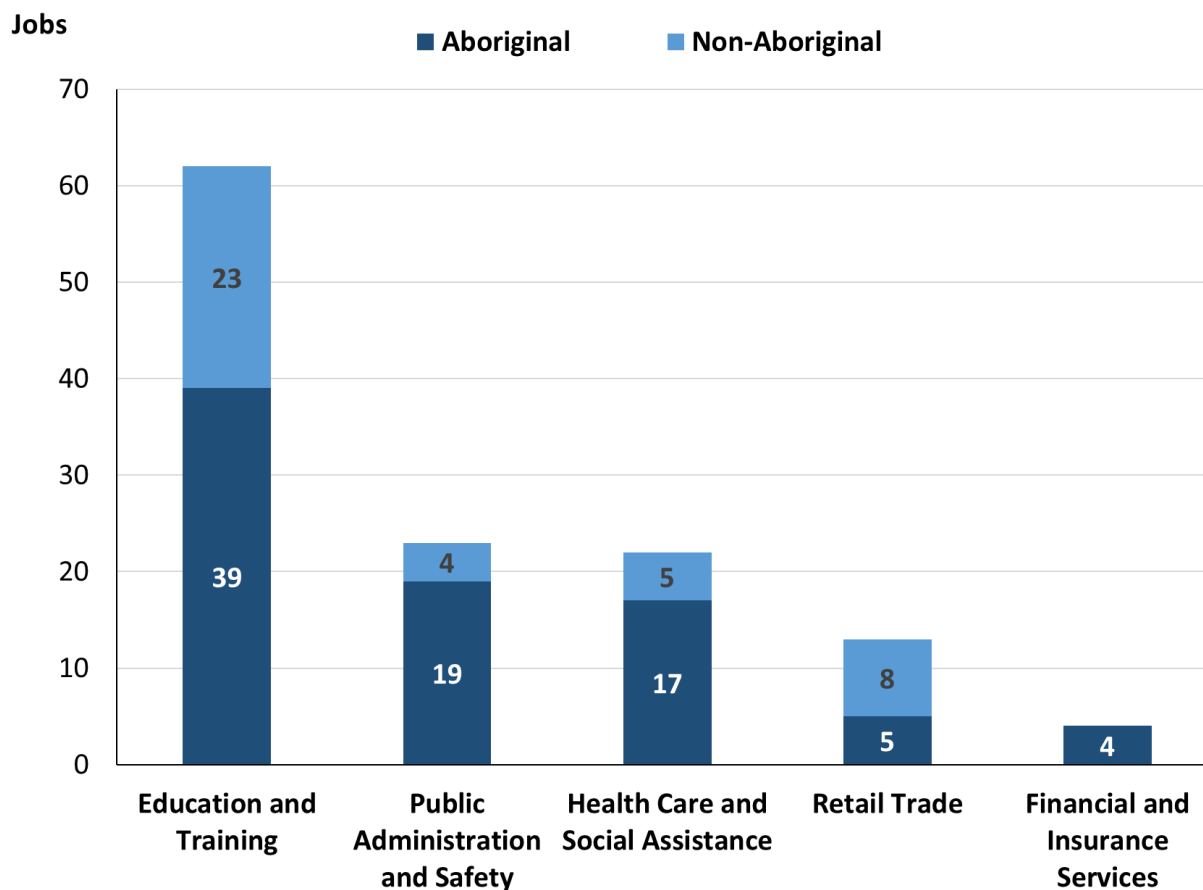
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 11b: Count of filled jobs by industry of business, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(c)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	6	0	6	-2	1	-1	-4	0	-4
Arts and Recreation Services	1	0	1	5	0	5	-9	-1	-10
Construction	13	3	16	-4	-1	-5	-9	-2	-11
Education and Training	18	3	21	-14	0	-14	10	-4	6
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	1	0	1	-1	0	-1	0	0	0
Financial and Insurance Services	1	0	1	-1	0	-1	2	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	2	0	2	1	0	1	6	-4	2
Other Services	0	5	5	0	-2	-2	0	-3	-3
Public Administration and Safety	1	-1	0	5	-3	2	-44	-5	-49
Retail Trade	-3	1	-2	1	2	3	-8	0	-8
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-56	-19	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 9: Count of filled jobs by top 5 industries, 2023 (a)(c)(h)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 84 jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, there were:
 - 39 jobs in Education and Training, an increase of 10 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
 - 19 jobs in Public Administration and Safety, a decrease of 44 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 39 jobs from 2014
 - 17 jobs in Health Care and Social Assistance, an increase of 6 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 7 jobs from 2014
- of the 41 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, there were:
 - 23 jobs in Education and Training, a decrease of 4 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
 - 8 jobs in Retail Trade, unchanged from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014
 - 5 jobs in Health Care and Social Assistance, a decrease of 4 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014.

Table 12: Count of filled jobs by industry and employment status, 2011 (a)(c)(e)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	2011								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Arts and Recreation Services	3	0	3	0	1	1	3	1	4
Education and Training	21	4	25	11	13	24	32	17	49
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	5	3	8	8	1	9	13	4	17
Public Administration and Safety	46	11	57	12	1	13	58	12	70
Retail Trade	3	12	15	4	1	5	7	13	20
Total	81	32	113	36	17	53	117	49	166

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 13: Count of filled jobs by industry and employment status, 2014 (a)(c)(e)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	2014								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Arts and Recreation Services	3	0	3	0	1	1	3	1	4
Education and Training	21	4	25	11	13	24	32	17	49
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	5	3	8	8	1	9	13	4	17
Public Administration and Safety	46	11	57	12	1	13	58	12	70
Retail Trade	3	12	15	4	1	5	7	13	20
Total	81	32	113	36	17	53	117	49	166

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 14: Count of filled jobs by industry and employment status, 2017 (a)(c)(e)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	2017								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	4	0	4	1	0	1	5	0	5
Arts and Recreation Services	0	9	9	0	1	1	0	10	10
Construction	8	1	9	2	0	2	10	1	11
Education and Training	11	18	29	15	12	27	26	30	56
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	9	2	11	9	0	9	18	2	20
Other Services	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3
Public Administration and Safety	12	51	63	6	3	9	18	54	72
Retail Trade	0	13	13	0	8	8	0	21	21
Total	46	94	140	36	24	60	82	118	200

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 15: Count of filled jobs by industry and employment status, 2023 (a)(c)(e)(h)

Industry (ANZSIC division)	2023								
	Aboriginal			Non-Aboriginal			Total		
	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total	Perm	Temp	Total
Accommodation and Food Services	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
Arts and Recreation Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Education and Training	3	36	39	11	12	23	14	48	62
Financial and Insurance Services	4	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	4
Health Care and Social Assistance	15	2	17	5	0	5	20	2	22
Other Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Administration and Safety	11	8	19	4	0	4	15	8	23
Retail Trade	0	5	5	0	8	8	0	13	13
Total	33	51	84	20	21	41	53	72	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 53 **permanent** jobs, there were:
 - 20 jobs in Health Care and Social Assistance, an increase of 2 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 7 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 15 jobs, an increase of 6 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 10 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 5 jobs, a decrease of 4 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014
 - 15 jobs in Public Administration and Safety, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 43 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 11 jobs, a decrease of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 35 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 4 jobs, a decrease of 2 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 8 jobs from 2014
 - 14 jobs in Education and Training, a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 18 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 3 jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 18 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 11 jobs, a decrease of 4 jobs from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
- of the 72 **temporary** jobs, there were:
 - 48 jobs in Education and Training, an increase of 18 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 31 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 36 jobs, an increase of 18 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 32 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 12 jobs, unchanged from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - 13 jobs in Retail Trade, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and unchanged from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 5 jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 7 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 8 jobs, unchanged from 2017 and an increase of 7 jobs from 2014
 - 8 jobs in Public Administration and Safety, a decrease of 46 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ **Aboriginal** people filled 8 jobs, a decrease of 43 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ **non-Aboriginal** people filled 0 jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014.

Jobs by Occupation

Table 16a: Count of filled jobs by occupation, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	2011		2014		2017		2023	
	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Clerical and Administrative Workers	21	12.7%	18	8.5%	28	14.0%	25	20.0%
Community and Personal Service Workers	46	27.7%	74	34.7%	49	24.5%	33	26.4%
Labourers	18	10.8%	34	16.0%	29	14.5%	8	6.4%
Machinery Operators and Drivers	9	5.4%	2	0.9%	7	3.5%	4	3.2%
Managers	9	5.4%	17	8.0%	21	10.5%	6	4.8%
Professionals	46	27.7%	56	26.3%	52	26.0%	40	32.0%
Sales Workers	13	7.8%	8	3.8%	6	3.0%	6	4.8%
Technicians and Trades Workers	4	2.4%	4	1.9%	8	4.0%	3	2.4%
Total	166	100.0%	213	100.0%	200	100.0%	125	100.0%

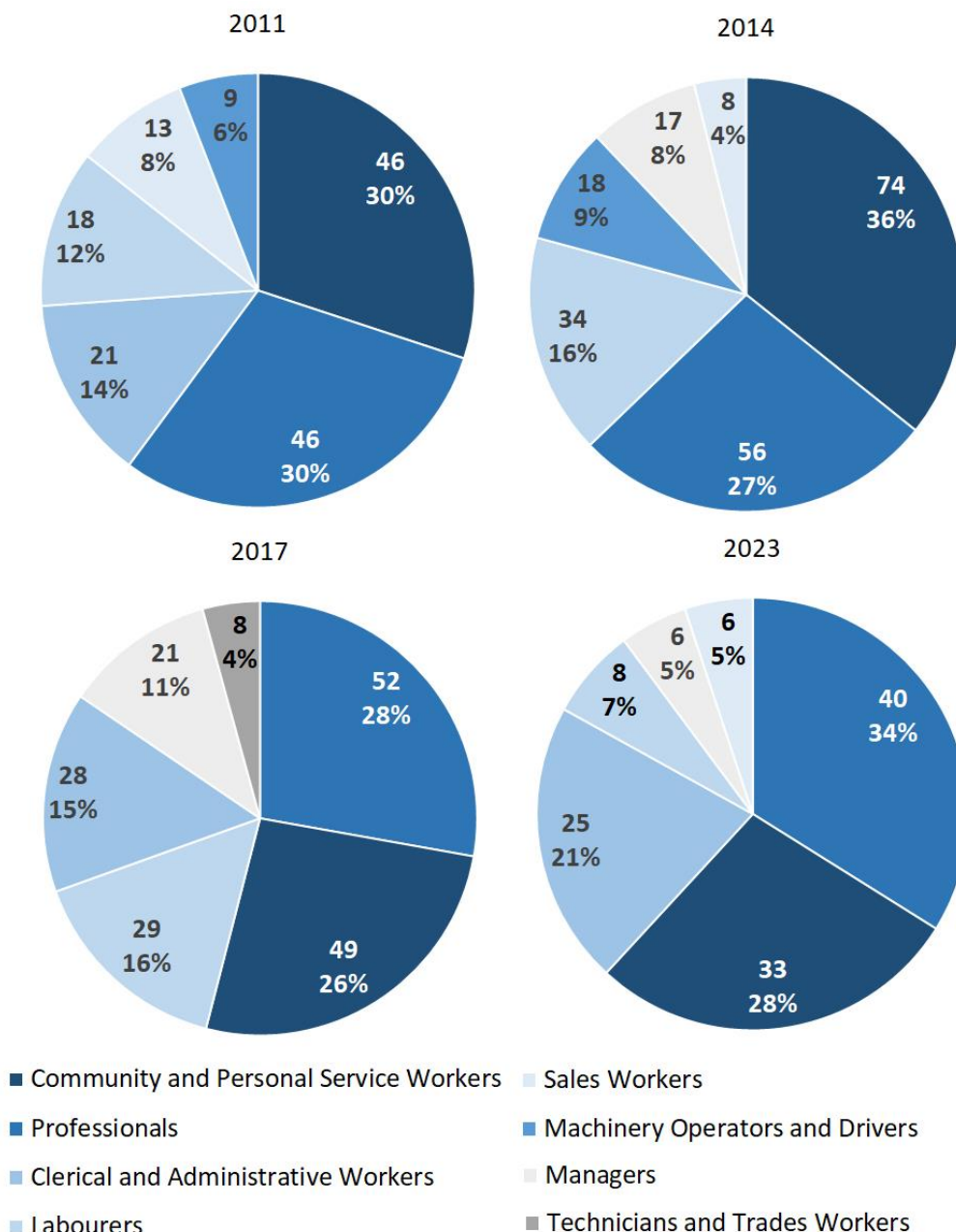
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 16b: Count of filled jobs by occupation, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	Change 2011-2014	Change 2014-2017	Change 2017-2023
	Total	Total	Total
Clerical and Administrative Workers	-3	10	-3
Community and Personal Service Workers	28	-25	-16
Labourers	16	-5	-21
Machinery Operators and Drivers	-7	5	-3
Managers	8	4	-15
Professionals	10	-4	-12
Sales Workers	-5	-2	0
Technicians and Trades Workers	0	4	-5
Total	47	-13	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 10: Percentage and count of top 6 filled jobs by occupation, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(f)(g)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- Professionals was the **largest occupation classification** in terms of filled jobs, accounting for 40 jobs (32% of total filled jobs), a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 16 jobs from 2014
- **other significant** occupation classifications were:
 - Community and Personal Service Workers accounting for 33 jobs or 26.4% of total jobs a decrease of 16 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 41 jobs from 2014
 - Clerical and Administrative Workers accounting for 25 jobs or 20% of total jobs a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 7 jobs from 2014
 - Labourers accounting for 8 jobs or 6.4% of total jobs a decrease of 21 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 26 jobs from 2014.

Table 17a: Count of filled jobs by ANZSCO occupation, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Clerical and Administrative Workers	15	6	21	10	8	18	22	6	28	18	7	25
Community and Personal Service Workers	39	7	46	68	6	74	44	5	49	26	7	33
Labourers	15	3	18	31	3	34	23	6	29	8	0	8
Machinery Operators and Drivers	8	1	9	1	1	2	5	2	7	3	1	4
Managers	1	8	9	2	15	17	7	14	21	3	3	6
Professionals	20	26	46	30	26	56	28	24	52	21	19	40
Sales Workers	12	1	13	8	0	8	6	0	6	4	2	6
Technicians and Trades Workers	3	1	4	0	4	4	5	3	8	1	2	3
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 17b: Count of filled jobs by ANZSCO occupation, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(c)(f)(g)

Occupation (ANZSCO major group)	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Clerical and Administrative Workers	-5	2	-3	12	-2	10	-4	1	-3
Community and Personal Service Workers	29	-1	28	-24	-1	-25	-18	2	-16
Labourers	16	0	16	-8	3	-5	-15	-6	-21
Machinery Operators and Drivers	-7	0	-7	4	1	5	-2	-1	-3
Managers	1	7	8	5	-1	4	-4	-11	-15
Professionals	10	0	10	-2	-2	-4	-7	-5	-12
Sales Workers	-4	-1	-5	-2	0	-2	-2	2	0
Technicians and Trades Workers	-3	3	0	5	-1	4	-4	-1	-5
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-56	-19	-75

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 84 **jobs filled** by **Aboriginal** people, there were:
 - 26 Community and Personal Service Workers, a decrease of 18 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 42 jobs from 2014
 - 21 Professionals, a decrease of 7 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 9 jobs from 2014
 - 18 Clerical and Administrative Workers, a decrease of 4 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 8 jobs from 2014
- of the 41 **jobs filled** by **non-Aboriginal** people, there were:
 - 19 Professionals, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 7 jobs from 2014
 - 7 Clerical and Administrative Workers, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - 7 Community and Personal Service Workers, an increase of 2 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 1 job from 2014.

Jobs by Industry by Occupation

Table 18: Count of filled jobs by industry by occupation, 2011 (a)(f)(g)(h)

2011										
Industry (ANZSIC Division)	Occupation (ANZSCO major group)									Total
	Clerical and Administrative Workers	Community and Personal Service Workers	Labourers	Machinery Operators and Drivers	Managers	Professionals	Sales Workers	Technicians and Trades Workers	Other Occupations	
Arts and Recreation Services	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	4
Education and Training	4	21	5	0	1	18	0	0	0	49
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	2	3	1	3	2	6	0	0	0	17
Public Administration and Safety	12	21	9	0	1	19	4	4	0	70
Retail Trade	0	1	1	4	4	1	9	0	0	20
Total	21	46	18	9	9	46	13	4	0	166

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 19: Count of filled jobs by industry by occupation, 2014 (a)(f)(g)(h)

2014										
Industry (ANZSIC Division)	Occupation (ANZSCO major group)									Total
	Clerical and Administrative	Community and Personal Service	Labourers	Machinery Operators and Drivers	Managers	Professionals	Sales Workers	Technicians and Trades Workers	Other Occupations	
Accommodation and Food Services	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Arts and Recreation Services	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	5
Construction	1	0	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	16
Education and Training	3	30	3	0	3	31	0	0	0	70
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Financial and Insurance Services	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Health Care and Social Assistance	3	5	2	1	1	7	0	0	0	19
Other Services	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	5
Public Administration and Safety	7	33	10	0	4	15	1	0	0	70
Retail Trade	0	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	0	18
Total	18	74	34	2	17	56	8	4	0	213

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 20: Count of filled jobs by occupation and by industry, 2017 (a)(f)(g)(h)

2017										
Industry (ANZSIC Division)	Occupation (ANZSCO major group)									Total
	Clerical and Administrative Workers	Community and Personal Service	Labourers	Machinery Operators and Drivers	Managers	Professionals	Sales Workers	Technicians and Trades Workers	Other Occupations	
Accommodation and Food Services	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
Arts and Recreation Services	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	5	0	10
Construction	0	0	4	2	5	0	0	0	0	11
Education and Training	9	9	3	0	5	30	0	0	0	56
Financial and Insurance Services	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Health Care and Social Assistance	2	8	2	1	1	6	0	0	0	20
Other Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Public Administration and Safety	14	31	9	0	2	16	0	0	0	72
Retail Trade	0	0	6	4	5	0	6	0	0	21
Total	28	49	29	7	21	52	6	8	0	200

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 21: Count of filled jobs by occupation and by industry, 2023 (a)(f)(g)(h)

2023										
Industry (ANZSIC Division)	Occupation (ANZSCO major group)									Total
	Clerical and Administrative Workers	Community and Personal Service	Labourers	Machinery Operators and Drivers	Managers	Professionals	Sales Workers	Technicians and Trades Workers	Other Occupations	
Accommodation and Food Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Arts and Recreation Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Education and Training	16	16	6	0	0	22	0	2	0	62
Financial and Insurance Services	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Health Care and Social Assistance	1	4	2	2	2	11	0	0	0	22
Other Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Administration and Safety	2	13	0	0	1	7	0	0	0	23
Retail Trade	2	0	0	2	3	0	5	1	0	13
Total	25	33	8	4	6	40	6	3	0	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- the largest occupation group, Professionals held the majority with 40 jobs and were shared across the Education and Training with 22 jobs and Health Care and Social Assistance industries with 11 jobs,
- the second largest occupation group, Community and Personal Service held the majority with 33 jobs and were shared across the Education and Training with 6 jobs and Public Administration and Safety industries with 13 jobs,
- in the largest industry, Education and Training, there were 22 filled jobs for Professionals and 16 filled jobs each for Community and Personal Service and Clerical and Administrative Workers,
- Public Administration and Safety showed the largest decrease in filled jobs of 49 between 2023 and 2017.

Jobs by Gender

Table 22a: Count of filled jobs by gender², 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(i)

Indicator	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Male	51	25	76	71	31	102	65	30	95	18	16	34
Female	62	28	90	79	32	111	69	30	99	44	20	64
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	134	60	194	84	41	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

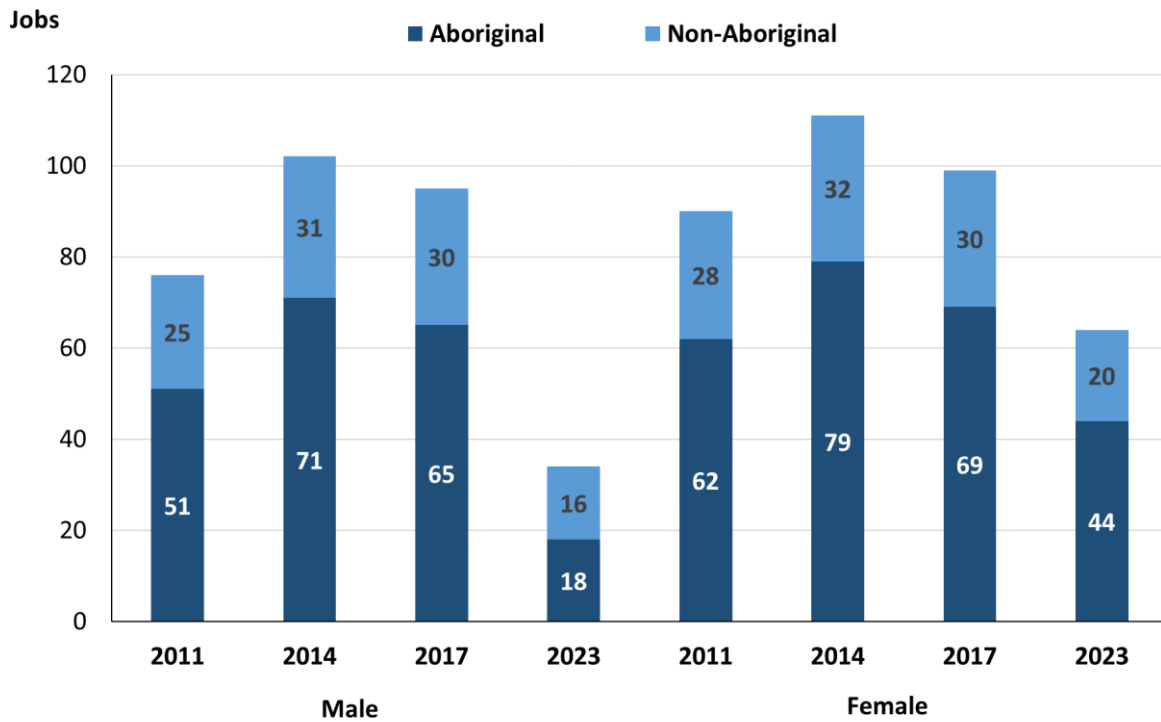
Table 22b: Count of filled jobs by gender, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(c)(i)

Indicator	2011-2014 Change			2014-2017 Change			2017-2023 Change		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Male	20	6	26	-6	-1	-7	-47	-14	-61
Female	17	4	21	-10	-2	-12	-25	-10	-35
Total	37	10	47	-16	-3	-19	-50	-19	-69

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

² 6 Aboriginal filled jobs gender status not identified in 2017

Chart 11: Count of filled jobs by gender, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(i)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 34 jobs **filled by males**, a decrease of 61 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 68 jobs from 2014
- of the 34 jobs **filled by males**:
 - 18 were **Aboriginal**, a decrease of 47 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 53 jobs from 2014
 - 16 were **non-Aboriginal**, a decrease of 14 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 15 jobs from 2014
- there were 64 jobs **filled by females**, a decrease of 35 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 47 jobs from 2014
- of the 64 jobs **filled by females**:
 - 44 were **Aboriginal**, a decrease of 25 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 35 jobs from 2014
 - 20 were **non-Aboriginal**, a decrease of 10 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014.

Table 23: Count of filled jobs by gender, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector 2011 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2011									
Indicator	Male			Female			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	25	23	48	24	26	50	49	49	98
Part-time	26	2	28	38	2	40	64	4	68
Total	51	25	76	62	28	90	113	53	166
Permanent	36	22	58	45	14	59	81	36	117
Temporary	15	3	18	17	14	31	32	17	49
Total	51	25	76	62	28	90	113	53	166
Public Sector	33	17	50	40	20	60	73	37	110
Private Sector	18	8	26	22	8	30	40	16	56
Total	51	25	76	62	28	90	113	53	166

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 24: Count of filled jobs by gender, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector 2014 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2014									
Indicator	Male			Female			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	47	31	78	40	31	71	87	62	149
Part-time	24	0	24	39	1	40	63	1	64
Total	71	31	102	79	32	111	150	63	213
Permanent	49	25	74	41	29	70	90	54	144
Temporary	22	6	28	38	3	41	60	9	69
Total	71	31	102	79	32	111	150	63	213
Public Sector	31	18	49	32	20	52	63	38	101
Private Sector	40	13	53	47	12	59	87	25	112
Total	71	31	102	79	32	111	150	63	213

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 25: Count of filled jobs by gender³, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector 2017 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2017									
Indicator	Male			Female			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	27	28	55	32	30	62	65	58	123
Part-time	38	2	40	37	0	37	75	2	77
Total	65	30	95	69	30	99	140	60	200
Permanent	20	16	36	20	20	40	46	36	82
Temporary	45	14	59	49	10	59	94	24	118
Total	65	30	95	69	30	99	140	60	200
Public Sector	37	17	54	41	18	59	84	35	119
Private Sector	28	13	41	28	12	40	56	25	81
Total	65	30	95	69	30	99	140	60	200

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 26: Count of filled jobs by gender, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector 2023 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2023									
Indicator	Male			Female			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	12	14	26	26	19	45	57	38	95
Part-time	6	2	8	18	1	19	27	3	30
Total	18	16	34	44	20	64	84	41	125
Permanent	4	8	12	14	9	23	33	20	53
Temporary	14	8	22	30	11	41	51	21	72
Total	18	16	34	44	20	64	84	41	125
Public Sector	10	8	18	30	16	46	47	26	73
Private Sector	8	8	16	14	4	18	37	15	52
Total	18	16	34	44	20	64	84	41	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

³ 6 Aboriginal filled jobs gender status not identified in 2017

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 34 **jobs filled by males**, there were:
 - 18 jobs filled by **Aboriginal males**, a decrease of 47 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 53 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ 12 full-time jobs, a decrease of 15 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 35 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 6 part-time jobs, a decrease of 32 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 18 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 4 permanent jobs, a decrease of 16 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 45 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 14 temporary jobs, a decrease of 31 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 8 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 10 Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 27 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 21 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 8 Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 20 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 32 jobs from 2014
 - 16 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal males**, a decrease of 14 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 15 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ 14 full-time jobs, a decrease of 14 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 17 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 2 part-time jobs, unchanged from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 8 permanent jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 17 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 8 temporary jobs, a decrease of 6 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 2 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 8 Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 8 Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 5 jobs from 2014
- of the 64 **jobs filled by females**, there were:
 - 44 jobs filled by **Aboriginal females**, a decrease of 25 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 35 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ 26 full-time jobs, a decrease of 6 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 14 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 18 part-time jobs, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 21 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 14 permanent jobs, a decrease of 6 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 27 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 30 temporary jobs, a decrease of 19 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 8 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 30 Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 11 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 2 jobs from 2014

- ♦ 14 Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 14 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 33 jobs from 2014.
- 20 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal females**, a decrease of 10 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014, including:
 - ♦ 19 full-time jobs, a decrease of 11 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 1 was a part-time job, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
 - ♦ 9 permanent jobs, a decrease of 11 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 20 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 11 temporary jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 8 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 16 Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 2 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 4 Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 8 jobs from 2014.

Jobs by Age

Table 27a: Count of filled jobs by age, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(j)

Indicator	2011			2014			2017			2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
15-24 years	3	1	4	7	5	12	12	1	13	6	2	8
25-44 years	76	24	100	71	25	96	71	23	94	51	15	66
45+ years	34	28	62	72	33	105	51	36	87	27	24	51
Total	113	53	166	150	63	213	140	60	200	84	41	125

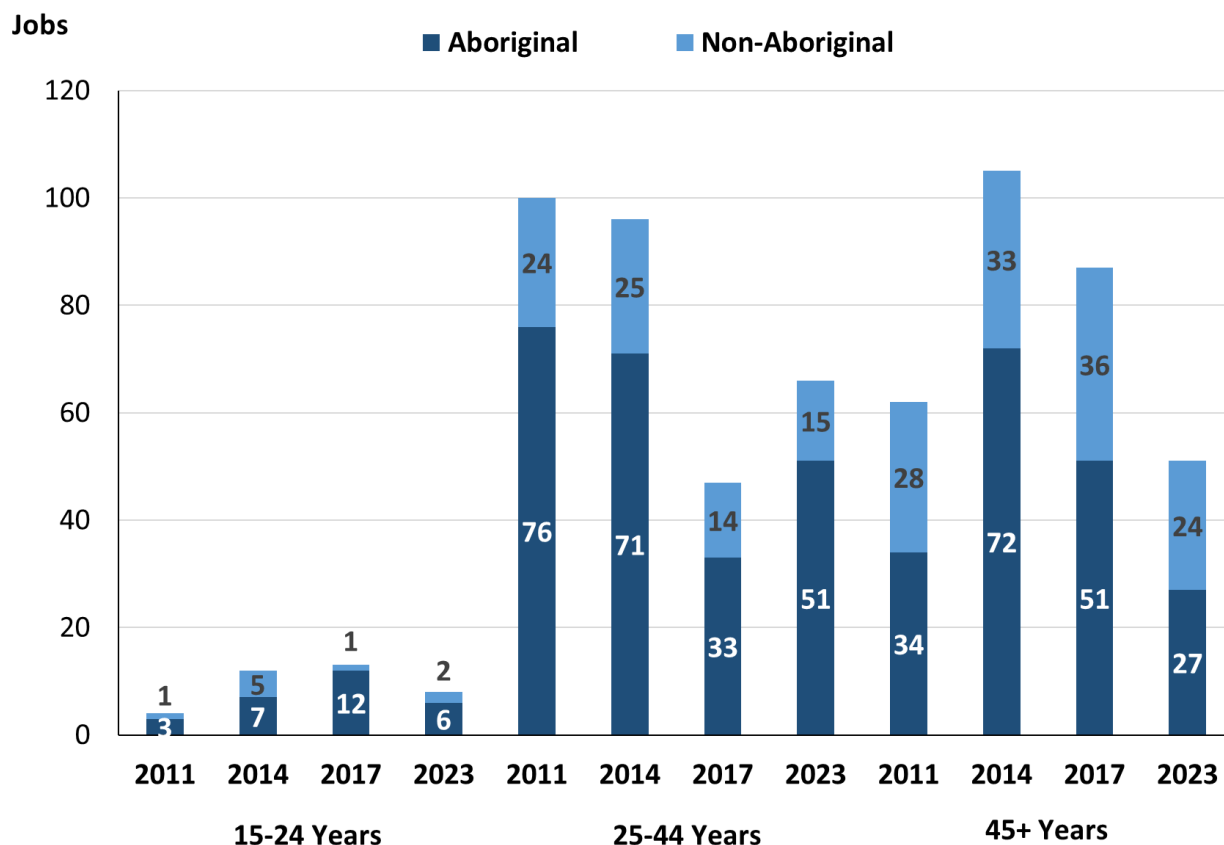
Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 27b: Count of filled jobs by age, 2011-2014, 2014-2017 & 2017-2023 (a)(c)(j)

Indicator	Change 2011-2014			Change 2014-2017			Change 2017-2023		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
15-24 years	4	4	8	5	-4	1	-6	1	-5
25-44 years	-5	1	-4	0	-2	-2	-20	-8	-28
45+ years	38	5	43	-21	3	-18	-24	-12	-36
Total	37	10	47	-10	-3	-13	-50	-19	-69

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Chart 12: Count of filled jobs by age, 2011, 2014, 2017 & 2023 (a)(c)(j)



Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were **8 jobs filled** by people aged **15-24 years**, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014. Of these:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 6 jobs, a decrease of 6 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 2 jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014
- there were **66 jobs filled** by people aged **25-44 years**, a decrease of 28 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 30 jobs from 2014. Of these:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 51 jobs, a decrease of 20 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 20 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 15 jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014
- there were **51 jobs filled** by people aged **45+ years**, a decrease of 36 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 54 jobs from 2014. Of these:
 - **Aboriginal** people filled 27 jobs, a decrease of 24 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 45 jobs from 2014
 - **non-Aboriginal** people filled 24 jobs, a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 9 jobs from 2014.

Table 28: Count of filled jobs by age, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector June-July 2011 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

Indicator	2011											
	15-24 years			25-44 years			45+ years			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	1	1	2	27	20	47	21	28	49	49	49	98
Part-time	2	0	2	49	4	53	13	0	13	64	4	68
Total	3	1	4	76	24	100	34	28	62	113	53	166
Permanent	2	1	3	53	14	67	26	21	47	81	36	117
Temporary	1	0	1	23	10	33	8	7	15	32	17	49
Total	3	1	4	76	24	100	34	28	62	113	53	166
Public Sector	1	1	2	47	17	64	25	19	44	73	37	110
Private Sector	2	0	2	29	7	36	9	9	18	40	16	56
Total	3	1	4	76	24	100	34	28	62	113	53	166

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 29: Count of filled jobs by age, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector June-July 2014 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

Indicator	2014											
	15-24 years			25-44 years			45+ years			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	5	5	10	44	24	68	38	33	71	87	62	149
Part-time	2	0	2	27	1	28	34	0	34	63	1	64
Total	7	5	12	71	25	96	72	33	105	150	63	213
Permanent	4	5	9	50	20	70	36	29	65	90	54	144
Temporary	3	0	3	21	5	26	36	4	40	60	9	69
Total	7	5	12	71	25	96	72	33	105	150	63	213
Public Sector	4	1	5	37	17	54	22	20	42	63	38	101
Private Sector	3	4	7	34	8	42	50	13	63	87	25	112
Total	7	5	12	71	25	96	72	33	105	150	63	213

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 30: Count of filled jobs by age, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector June-July 2017 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2017												
Indicator	15-24 years			25-44 years			45+ years			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	2	1	3	30	23	53	27	34	61	65	58	123
Part-time	10	0	10	41	0	41	24	2	26	75	2	77
Total	12	1	13	71	23	94	51	36	87	140	60	200
Permanent	3	1	4	18	13	31	19	22	41	46	36	82
Temporary	9	0	9	53	10	63	32	14	46	94	24	118
Total	12	1	13	71	23	94	51	36	87	140	60	200
Public Sector	5	1	6	41	15	56	32	19	51	84	35	119
Private Sector	7	0	7	30	8	38	19	17	36	56	25	81
Total	12	1	13	71	23	94	51	36	87	140	60	200

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 31: Count of filled jobs by age, by full-time/part-time status, by job permanency and by sector September 2023 (a)(b)(c)(d)(e)(i)

2023												
Indicator	15-24 years			25-44 years			45+ years			Total		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Full-time	4	2	6	35	15	50	18	21	39	57	38	95
Part-time	2	0	2	16	0	16	9	3	12	27	3	30
Total	6	2	8	51	15	66	27	24	51	84	41	125
Permanent	0	1	1	22	10	32	11	9	20	33	20	53
Temporary	6	1	7	29	5	34	16	15	31	51	21	72
Total	6	2	8	51	15	66	27	24	51	84	41	125
Public Sector	4	2	6	23	10	33	20	14	34	47	26	73
Private Sector	2	0	2	28	5	33	7	10	17	37	15	52
Total	6	2	8	51	15	66	27	24	51	84	41	125

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- of the 8 **jobs filled** by people aged **15-24 years**, there were:
 - 6 jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, of which
 - ♦ 4 were full-time jobs, an increase of 2 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - ♦ 2 were part-time jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
 - ♦ none were permanent jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 6 were temporary jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 4 were Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 1 job from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
 - ♦ 2 were Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - 2 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, of which:
 - ♦ 2 were full-time jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ none were part-time jobs, unchanged from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
 - ♦ 1 was a permanent job, unchanged from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 1 was a temporary job, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 1 job from 2014
 - ♦ 2 were Public Sector jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 1 job from 2014
 - ♦ none were Private Sector jobs, unchanged from 2017 and a decrease of 4 jobs from 2014
- of the 66 **jobs filled** by people aged **25-44 years**, there were:
 - 51 jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, of which:
 - ♦ 35 were full-time jobs, an increase of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 9 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 16 were part-time jobs, a decrease of 25 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 11 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 22 were permanent jobs, an increase of 4 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 28 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 29 were temporary jobs, a decrease of 24 jobs from 2017 and an increase of 8 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 23 were Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 18 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 14 jobs from 2014
 - ♦ 28 were Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 2 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 6 jobs from 2014

- 15 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, of which:
 - ◆ 15 were full-time jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 9 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ none were part-time jobs, unchanged from 2017 and a decrease of 1 job from 2014
 - ◆ 10 were permanent jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 10 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 5 were temporary jobs, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and unchanged from 2014
 - ◆ 10 were Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 7 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 5 were Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 3 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014
- of the 51 **jobs filled** by people aged **45+ years**, there were:
 - 27 jobs filled by **Aboriginal** people, of which:
 - ◆ 18 were full-time jobs, a decrease of 9 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 20 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 9 were part-time jobs, a decrease of 15 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 25 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 11 were permanent jobs, a decrease of 8 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 25 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 16 were temporary jobs, a decrease of 16 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 20 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 20 were Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 2 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 7 were Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 12 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 43 jobs from 2014
 - 24 jobs filled by **non-Aboriginal** people, of which:
 - ◆ 21 were full-time jobs, a decrease of 13 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 12 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 3 were part-time jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 3 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 9 were permanent jobs, a decrease of 13 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 20 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 15 were temporary jobs, an increase of 1 job from 2017 and an increase of 11 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 14 were Public Sector jobs, a decrease of 5 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 6 jobs from 2014
 - ◆ 10 were Private Sector jobs, a decrease of 7 jobs from 2017 and a decrease of 3 jobs from 2014.

Vocational Education and Training

Note: The 2010 data is in accordance with the new, standardised reporting procedures that focus on all training activities conducted in the remote town, irrespective of funding source, as compared to earlier publications. As a result, the 2010 VET data values in this publication might not match those in earlier publications.

The impact of the Remote Jobs and Communities Program (RJCP), established in 2013, has played a significant role in the reduction of accredited training in many remote towns across the Territory.

Table 32a: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) students, 2010, 2013, 2016 and 2023 (k)

VET Funding Group	2010		2013		2016		2023	
	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	0	0%	6	3%	24	10%	11	4%
Building and Construction	123	57%	25	13%	48	21%	56	21%
Business and Clerical	1	0%	10	5%	0	0%	0	0%
Community Services, Health and Education	16	7%	53	27%	74	32%	67	25%
Engineering and Mining	3	1%	40	20%	48	21%	40	15%
Finance, Banking and Insurance	2	1%	4	2%	1	0%	0	0%
Food Processing	18	8%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
General Education and Training	8	4%	16	8%	0	0%	26	10%
Primary Industry	6	3%	11	6%	36	15%	59	22%
Process Manufacturing	9	4%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Sales and Personal Services	2	1%	15	8%	3	1%	13	5%
Tourism and Hospitality	0	0%	6	3%	0	0%	0	0%
Transport and Storage	27	13%	12	6%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	215	100%	198	100%	234	100%	208	100%

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 32b: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) students, 2010-2013, 2013-2016 and 2016-2023 (k)

VET Funding Group	Change		
	2010-2013	2013-2016	2016-2023
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	6	18	-13
Building and Construction	- 98	23	8
Business and Clerical	9	- 10	0
Community Services, Health and Education	37	21	-7
Engineering and Mining	37	8	-8
Finance, Banking and Insurance	2	- 3	-1
Food Processing	- 18	0	0
General Education and Training	8	- 16	26
Primary Industry	5	25	23
Process Manufacturing	- 9	0	0
Sales and Personal Services	13	- 12	10
Tourism and Hospitality	6	- 6	0
Transport and Storage	- 15	- 12	0
Total	- 17	36	-26

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 208 **VET students**, a decrease of 26 students from 2016 and an increase of 10 students from 2013,
- VET activity with the most students were Community Services, Health and Education with 67 students,
- Primary Industry had 59 students,
- Building and Construction had 56 students,
- General Education and Training reported the largest increase in students with 26 more students compared to 2016,
- Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation reported the largest decrease in students with 13 less students over the same period.

Table 33a: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) unit enrolments, 2010, 2013, 2016 and 2023 (I)

VET Funding Group	2010		2013		2016		2023	
	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	0	0%	11	2%	26	4%	24	3%
Building and Construction	659	61%	32	5%	89	15%	151	21%
Business and Clerical	5	0%	33	5%	0	0%	0	0%
Community Services, Health and Education	46	4%	164	23%	126	22%	162	23%
Engineering and Mining	3	0%	169	24%	216	37%	83	12%
Finance, Banking and Insurance	6	1%	21	3%	7	1%	0	0%
Food Processing	128	12%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
General Education and Training	18	2%	64	9%	0	0%	26	4%
Primary Industry	31	3%	22	3%	92	16%	157	22%
Process Manufacturing	17	2%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Sales and Personal Services	13	1%	61	9%	24	4%	114	16%
Tourism and Hospitality	0	0%	66	9%	0	0%	0	0%
Transport and Storage	155	14%	60	9%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	1 081	100%	703	100%	580	100%	717	100%

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 33b: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) unit enrolments, 2010-2013, 2013-2016 and 2016-2023 (I)

VET Funding Group	Change		
	2010-2013	2013-2016	2016-2023
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	11	15	-2
Building and Construction	- 627	57	62
Business and Clerical	28	- 33	0
Community Services, Health and Education	118	- 38	36
Engineering and Mining	166	47	-133
Finance, Banking and Insurance	15	- 14	-7
Food Processing	- 128	0	0
General Education and Training	46	- 64	26
Primary Industry	- 9	70	65
Process Manufacturing	- 17	0	0
Sales and Personal Services	48	- 37	90
Tourism and Hospitality	66	- 66	0
Transport and Storage	- 95	- 60	0
Total	- 378	- 123	137

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 717 **VET unit enrolments**, an increase of 137-unit enrolments from 2016 and an increase of 14-unit enrolments from 2013
- VET activity with the most unit enrolments were Community Services, Health and Education with 162-unit enrolments,
- Primary Industry had 157-unit enrolments,
- Building and Construction had 151-unit enrolments,
- Sales and Personal Service reported the largest increase in unit enrolments with 90 more-unit enrolments compared to 2016
- Engineering and Mining reported the largest decrease in unit enrolments with 133 less unit enrolments over the same period.

Table 34a: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) nominal hours, 2010, 2013, 2016 and 2023 (m)

VET Funding Group	2010		2013		2016		2023	
	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	0	0%	245	1%	0	0%	315	1%
Building and Construction	20,536	63%	792	3%	5,350	29%	9,920	33%
Business and Clerical	95	0%	970	4%	0	0%	0	0%
Community Services, Health and Education	1,731	5%	5,452	24%	1,861	10%	3,417	12%
Engineering and Mining	95	0%	4 570	20%	8 220	44%	5 160	17%
Finance, Banking and Insurance	180	1%	740	3%	150	1%	0	0%
Food Processing	3,600	11%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
General Education and Training	550	2%	3,075	13%	0	0%	260	1%
Primary Industry	1,140	3%	1,320	6%	2,780	15%	7,070	24%
Process Manufacturing	420	1%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Sales and Personal Services	395	1%	1,850	8%	235	1%	3,550	12%
Tourism and Hospitality	0	0%	1,865	8%	0	0%	0	0%
Transport and Storage	4,070	12%	1,980	9%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	32,812	100%	22,859	100%	18,596	100%	29,692	100%

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 34b: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) nominal hours, 2010-2013, 2013-2016 and 2016-2023 (m)

VET Funding Group	Change		
	2010-2013	2013-2016	2016-2023
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	245	- 245	315
Building and Construction	-19,744	4,558	4,570
Business and Clerical	875	- 970	0
Community Services, Health and Education	3,721	-3,591	1,556
Engineering and Mining	4,475	3,650	-3,060
Finance, Banking and Insurance	560	- 590	-150
Food Processing	-3,600	0	0
General Education and Training	2,525	-3,075	260
Primary Industry	180	1,460	4,290
Process Manufacturing	- 420	0	0
Sales and Personal Services	1,455	-1,615	3,315
Tourism and Hospitality	1,865	-1,865	0
Transport and Storage	-2,090	-1,980	0
Total	-9,953	-4,263	11,096

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 29,692 **VET nominal hours** delivered, an increase of 11,096 nominal hours delivered from 2016 and an increase of 6,833 nominal hours delivered from 2013,
- VET activity with the most nominal hours delivered were Building and Construction with 9,920 nominal hours,
- Primary Industry had 7,070 nominal hours,
- Engineering and Mining had 5,160 nominal hours,
- Building and Construction reported the largest increase in nominal hours delivered with 4,570 more nominal hours compared to 2016,
- Engineering and Mining reported the largest decrease in nominal hours delivered with 3,060 less nominal hours over the same period.

Caveat: *Nominal hours are based on the hours funded through Northern Territory Government contracts and fee for service. Students and units include delivery that may have been funded in a previous year. Because of these factors, a direct match cannot be made between hours and student/units.*

Table 35a: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) unit completions, 2010, 2013, 2016 and 2023 (n)

VET Funding Group	2010		2013		2016		2023	
	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total	No.	% of Total
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	0	0%	11	2%	25	6%	20	4%
Building and Construction	481	63%	32	7%	79	18%	109	22%
Business and Clerical	0	0%	21	4%	0	0%	0	0%
Community Services, Health and Education	11	1%	119	25%	91	21%	115	24%
Engineering and Mining	0	0%	139	29%	142	33%	81	17%
Finance, Banking and Insurance	0	0%	6	1%	7	2%	0	0%
Food Processing	73	10%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
General Education and Training	2	0%	5	1%	0	0%	0	0%
Primary Industry	31	4%	20	4%	87	20%	116	24%
Process Manufacturing	17	2%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Sales and Personal Services	0	0%	3	1%	4	1%	45	9%
Tourism and Hospitality	0	0%	66	14%	0	0%	0	0%
Transport and Storage	150	20%	60	12%	0	0%	0	0%
Total	765	100%	482	100%	435	100%	486	100%

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Table 35b: Northern Territory Vocational Education and Training (VET) unit completions, 2010-2013, 2013-2016 and 2016-2023 (n)

VET Funding Group	Change		
	2010-2013	2013-2016	2016-2023
Arts, Entertainment, Sports and Recreation	11	14	-5
Building and Construction	- 449	47	30
Business and Clerical	21	- 21	0
Community Services, Health and Education	108	- 28	24
Engineering and Mining	139	3	-61
Finance, Banking and Insurance	6	1	-7
Food Processing	- 73	0	0
General Education and Training	3	- 5	0
Primary Industry	- 11	67	29
Process Manufacturing	- 17	0	0
Sales and Personal Services	3	1	41
Tourism and Hospitality	66	- 66	0
Transport and Storage	- 90	- 60	0
Total	- 283	- 47	51

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 486 **VET unit completions**, an increase of 51-unit completions from 2016 and an increase of 4-unit completions from 2013,
- VET activity with the most unit completions were Primary Industry with 116-unit completions,
- Community Services, Health and Education had 115-unit completions,
- Building and Construction had 109-unit completions,
- Sales and Personal Service reported the largest increase in unit completions with 41 more-unit completions compared to 2016,
- Engineering and Mining reported the largest decrease in unit completions with 61 less unit completions over the same period.

Population

Table 36: Population distribution by gender and age (p)(r)

Indicator	2011			2021			Change (2011-2021)		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-4 years	55	70	125	35	40	75	-20	-30	-50
5-14 years	115	123	238	113	110	223	-2	-13	-15
15-24 years	102	110	212	127	114	241	25	4	29
25-44 years	146	169	315	143	190	333	-3	21	18
45-64 years	72	64	136	84	95	179	12	31	43
65+ years	10	18	28	19	17	36	9	-1	8
Total	503	553	1,056	525	566	1,091	22	13	35

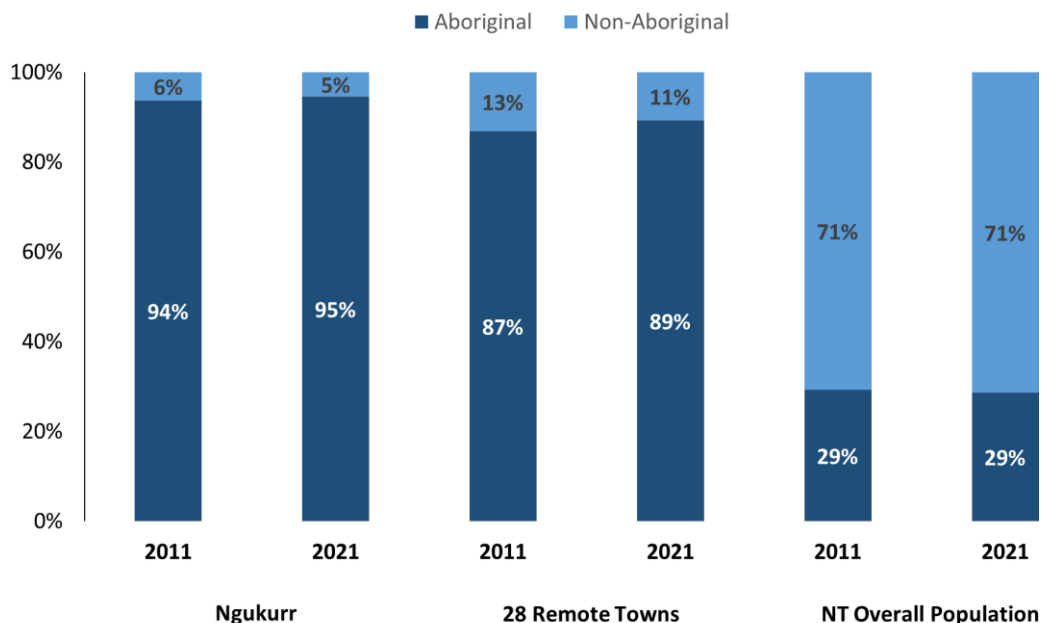
Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics

In 2021 in Ngukurr:

- there were an estimated 1091 people, of which:
 - 525 (48.1%) were male
 - 566 (51.9%) were female
- Between 2011 and 2021, the **overall population** in Ngukurr increased by 35 people from 2011, or an average of 0.3% per year compared to -0.5% across the 28 remote towns and 1.0% Territory wide
- The **male population** increased by 22 people from 2011
- The **female population** increased by 13 people from 2011
- In 2021, the **working age population** (15 years and over) in Ngukurr was an estimated 789 people (72.3% of the total population) compared with 691 people (65.4% of the total population) in 2011. Of these:
 - 241 (22.1%) were between 15 and 24 years of age
 - 333 (30.5%) were between 25 and 44 years of age
 - 179 (16.4%) were between 45 and 64 years of age
 - 36 (3.3%) were over 65 years of age
- Of the 789 people of **working age**:
 - 373 (47.3%) were male
 - 416 (52.7%) were female.

There were 0.2 jobs in Ngukurr per working age person compared to 0.3 jobs per working age person across the 28 remote towns in the Northern Territory.

Chart 13: Population comparison (p)(q)



Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics

In 2021:

- 95% of the population in Ngukurr were **Aboriginal**, compared to 94% in 2011
- 89% of the population across the 28 remote towns were **Aboriginal**
- 29% of the NT population were **Aboriginal**.

Table 37: Unemployment and Aboriginal participation rates (q)

	Ngukurr			Northern Territory		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
Unemployment rate	28.7%	0.0%	22.7%	20.8%	3.2%	5.6%
Participation rate	24.4%	97.9%	34.3%	35.4%	78.3%	64.9%

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics

In 2021 in Ngukurr the:

- **total unemployment rate** was 22.7% compared to 5.6% for the total Northern Territory
- **Aboriginal unemployment rate** was 28.7% compared to 20.8% for the total Northern Territory
- **non-Aboriginal unemployment rate** was 0.0% compared to 3.2% for the total Northern Territory
- **total participation rate** was 34.3% compared to 64.9% for the total Northern Territory
- **Aboriginal participation rate** was 24.4% compared to 35.4% for the total Northern Territory
- **non-Aboriginal participation rate** was 97.9% compared to 78.3% for the total Northern Territory.

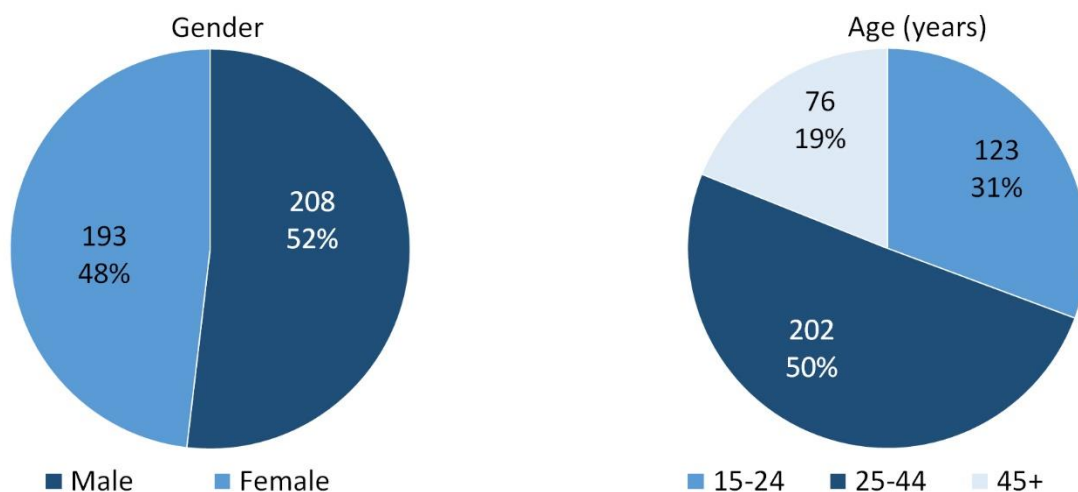
Community Development Program

Table 38: Community Development Program Aboriginal Job Seekers, 31 December 2023 (o)

Indicator	Aboriginal	
	No.	%
Total Aboriginal Job Seekers	401	N/A
Age (years)		
15-24	123	30.7%
25-44	202	50.4%
45+	76	18.9%
Total	401	100.0%
Gender		
Male	208	51.9%
Female	193	48.1%
Total	401	100.0%
Employment Outcome – 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023		
13 Weeks	<20	N/A
26 Weeks	<20	N/A

Source: Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet

Chart 14: Community Development Program Aboriginal Job Seekers by Gender and Age Group, 31 December 2023 (o)



Source: Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet

As of 31 December 2023, in Ngukurr, there were 401 CDP **Aboriginal** job seekers, of these:

- 208 (51.9%) were male and 193 (48.1%) were female
- 123 (30.7%) were aged 15-24 years, 202 (50.4%) were aged 25-44 years, and 76 (18.9%) were aged 45+ years
- between 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023, less than 20 had reached the 13 week reporting milestone and less than 20 had reached the 26 week reporting milestone.

Businesses

Table 39: Businesses by sector (d)(s)

Business Name	Reported on in 2011	Reported on in 2014	Reported on in 2017	Reported on in 2023
PUBLIC SECTOR				
Aboriginal Interpreter Service	No	No	Yes	Yes
Department of Education	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
National Indigenous Australians Agency	No	No	No	Yes
Ngukurr Community Education Centre	Yes	No	No	No
Northern Territory Police, Fire Emergency Services	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Roper Gulf Regional Council	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Territory Families	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
PRIVATE SECTOR				
Katherine Regional Aboriginal Health and Related Services (KRHARS)	No	Yes	No	No
Kungfu Enterprise Pty Ltd trading as 88 General Store	No	No	No	Yes
Menzies School of Health Research	Yes	No	No	No
Mission Australia	Yes	No	No	No
MJD Foundation	No	No	Yes	Yes
Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Ngukurr General Store	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ngukurr Language Centre Aboriginal Corporation	No	Yes	Yes	No
Northern Land Council	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Power and Water Corporation	No	Yes	No	No
Sootin Up Diesel	No	Yes	Yes	No
Sunrise Health Service	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Traditional Credit Union (TCU)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Yugal Mangi Development Aboriginal Corporation	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

Source: Northern Territory Department of Industry, Tourism and Trade

Note: Business names captured across the four survey periods have been identified by the current 2023 Business ABN name listed as of 2023.

In 2023 in Ngukurr:

- there were 11 businesses reported on, of which:
 - 5 businesses were from the Public Sector (45%)
 - 6 businesses were from the Private Sector (55%)
- there were 2 businesses operating that were not operating in 2017.

Notes

- (a) These counts represent numbers of filled jobs and not the number of people. As such the totals represent the total number of filled jobs, not the total number of employees. This count is not directly comparable to the total number of employed people as a person may have several jobs or one job may be shared by more than one person.
- (b) Full-time is defined as a job usually requiring 35 hours or more per week or that required 35 hours or more work during the reference week. Part-time is defined as a job usually requiring less than 35 hours per week or that required less than 35 hours work during the reference week. The reference week refers to the period that respondents were asked to provide information about. In most instances it would be the week prior to the week the questionnaire was completed. Questionnaires were predominantly conducted in June and July.
- (c) Care needs to be taken when analysing the counts of filled jobs by Aboriginal people. Aboriginality was reported by the business representative completing the questionnaire.
- (d) Sector was classified using the Standard Economic Sector of Classifications of Australia (SESCA), 2008.
- (e) Job permanency is classified according to what the business believes the level of job permanency is based on guidelines provided by data collectors. Those guidelines state a permanent job has paid annual and/or sick leave entitlements while a temporary job includes casual and fixed-term contract jobs.
- (f) Classified according to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO), 2006, major occupation level.
- (g) Other Occupations include jobs where occupation was not stated, not known or inadequately described.
- (h) Classified using the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 2006, division level.
- (i) Care needs to be taken when analysing the counts of filled jobs by the gender of people in the jobs. The gender of the person employed in a job is reported by the business representative completing the questionnaire.
- (j) Care needs to be taken when analysing the counts of filled jobs by the age of people in the jobs. The age of the person employed in a job is reported by the business representative completing the questionnaire.
- (k) Students represent the number of individual clients that enrolled in a Vocational Education and Training unit during the calendar year.
- (l) Unit enrolments represent the count of individual units that students enrolled in during the calendar year.
- (m) Nominal hours delivered is the sum of the nominal hours of the units commenced during the calendar year regardless of when the course enrolment commenced.
- (n) Unit completions are the count of all successfully completed units reported in the calendar year regardless of the year of commencement of the units.
- (o) The Community Development Program (CDP) supports job seekers in remote Australia to build skills, address barriers and contribute to their communities through a range of flexible activities. Under the CDP, job seekers with activity requirements are expected to do up to 25 hours per week of work-like activities that benefit their community. It should be noted that some CDP participants may be reported on within the profile if they are attached to a filled position with an employer captured in the survey. Due to confidentiality issues, data below 20 people is not published.
- (p) Population estimates for both 2011 and 2021 are taken from the estimated resident population (ERP) data produced by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) and based on Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS) Statistical Area Level 1 (SA1) regions. ERP are official estimates of the Australian population, which link people to a place of usual residence with Australia. All ERP data sources, including the Census of Population and Housing (Census), are subject to error (including inaccuracies in collection, recording and processing data) and should be used with caution.
- (q) Indigenous population proportions, unemployment and workforce participation rates are based on ABS Census counts at ASGS Indigenous Locations (ILOCs) for each remote town.
- (r) Working-age population includes all residents aged 15 years and over (commonly referred to as the civilian population) and consists of people that are employed, unemployed or not in the labour force.
- (s) A 'business' has been defined as any organisation that has undertaken productive activities in the last year, including companies, non-profit organisations, government departments and enterprises operating within the designated remote geography (town), and has one or more employees in paid employment and an Australian Business Number (ABN).

Abbreviations and Acronyms

ABN	Australian Business Number
ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
ANZSCO	Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations
ANZSIC	Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification
ASGS	Australian Statistical Geography Standard
CDP	Community Development Program
ERP	Estimated Resident Population
ILOC	Indigenous Locations
nec	Not Elsewhere Classified
No.	Number
Perm	Permanent
ppt	Percentage point
RJCP	Remote Jobs and Communities Program
Temp	Temporary
SA1	Statistical Area Level 1
VET	Vocational Education and Training