





QES Background

QES is an enterprise-based sample survey

QES collects information on employing businesses registered for VAT with annual turnover greater than R300 000

R300 000

Samples are drawn from private non-agricultural businesses e.g. Factories, offices, stores as well as national, provincial and local government

Sample size of approximately 20 000 was selected



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QES Coverage

INCLUDES

9 *Mining & Community quarrying & personal services • • Manufacturing 8 Electricity, gas Business services W Transport, Storage & Communication Construction Wholesale trade, retail 5 trade, motor trade and hotels and restaurants 6

EXCLUDES



Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing



The informal business sector



Domestic services

^{*} Administrative data from DMR





QES Variables

Estimates are published on a quarter lag (SDDS)

Number of employees

as at the *last month* of the reference quarter



Average monthly earnings

for *the middle month* of the reference quarter

Gross earnings

for the *three months* of the reference quarter











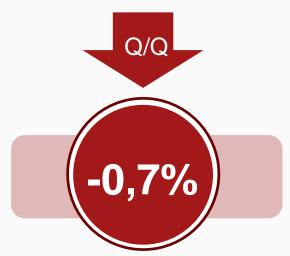


Q2:2018 EMPLOYMENT RESULTS

9,75M

The total number of persons employed decreased from 9,82M in

Q2:2018



Employment has decreased by 69 000 in June 2018 quarter compared to March 2018 quarter.



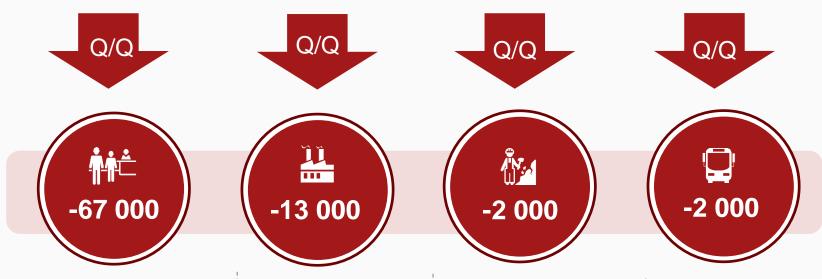
There was an annual increase of **13** 000 jobs in Q2 : 2018 compared with the same quarter of 2017.





QUARTER-ON-QUARTER EMPLOYMENT LOSSES

Community services industry recorded the highest decrease in employment in the first quarter followed by Manufacturing, Mining and Transport.



COMMUNITY SERVICES INDUSTRY

- ~ Extra-budgetary institutions (election registration previous quarter 66 000)
- ~ Provincial government
- ~ Recreational, cultural and sporting activities

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

- ~ Food, beverages and tobacco
- ~ Basic metals
- ~ Coke, refined petroleum products

MINING INDUSTRY

- ~ Gold mining
- ~ Platinum Group Metals (PGM)

TRANSPORT INDUSTRY

~ Land transport and transport via pipelines





QUARTER-ON-QUARTER EMPLOYMENT GAINS

The Trade industry and Business services recorded the highest increase in employment followed by the Construction industry.



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TRADE INDUSTRY

- ~ Retail trade
- ~ Hotels and restaurants

BUSINESS SERVICES INDUSTRY

~ Real estate

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

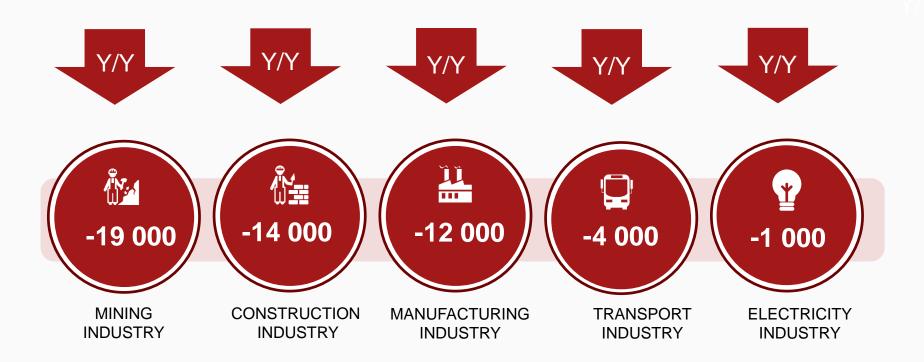
~ Complete buildings





YEAR-ON-YEAR EMPLOYMENT LOSSES

The Mining industry has recorded the highest losses of 19 000 in quarter 2 of this year compared with the same period last year. The annual decline was also observed in Construction, Manufacturing, Transport and Electricity industries.

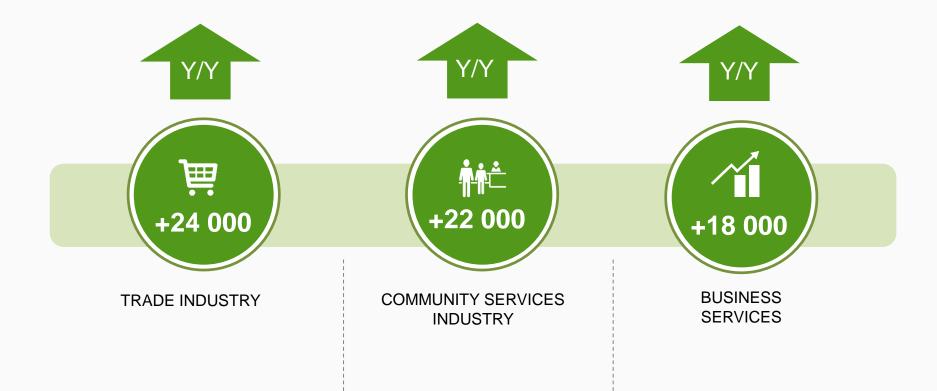






YEAR-ON-YEAR EMPLOYMENT GAINS

The Trade industry recorded the highest increase in employment in June 2018 quarter compared with same period last year, followed by Community and Business Services industries.







MINING AND QUARRYING INDUSTRY

The Mining industry shed jobs for four consercutive quarters.



^{*} Revised estimates







TRADE INDUSTRY

The Trade industry gained jobs in the second quarter of 2018 following a decline in the first quarter of 2018.



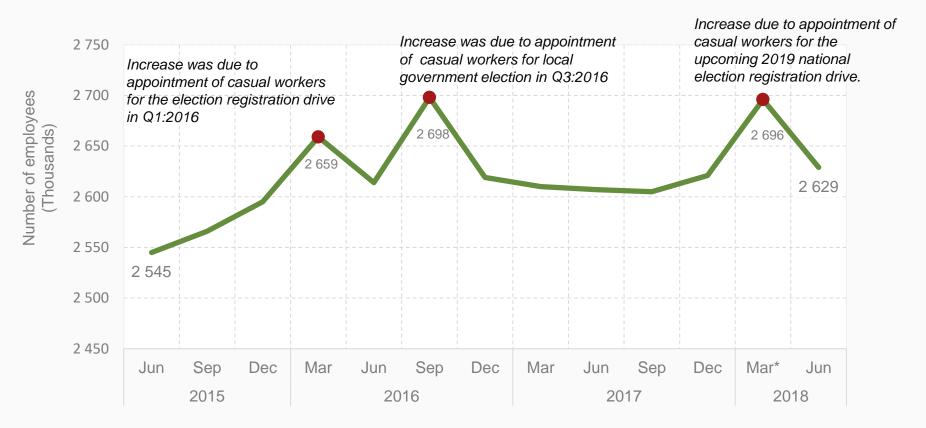






COMMUNITY SERVICES INDUSTRY

The industry lost 67 000 jobs in the second quarter of 2018. These jobs were mainly casual work and were observed in the extra-budgetary account sub-sector due to next year's national election registration drive.



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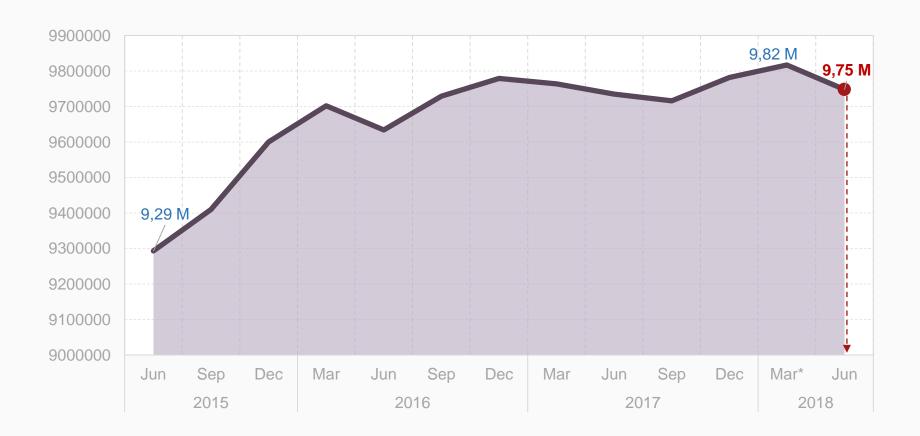




QES Q2: 2018

Q2:2018 EMPLOYMENT TIME SERIES

Employment growth over time from June 2015 to June 2018





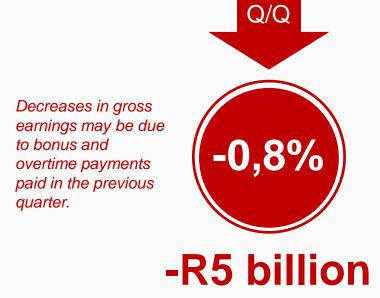




Q2:2018 GROSS EARNINGS RESULTS

R627B

Total gross earnings paid in the quarter (from R632B in 2018:Q1).





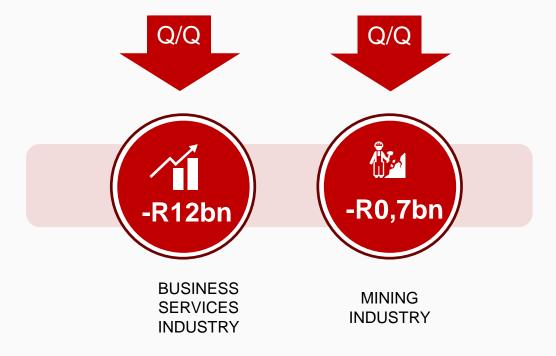






Q2:2018 EARNINGS RESULTS: LOSSES

Decrease in gross earnings was due to bonus payments paid in the first quarter of 2018 and not paid in this quarter (2018:Q2).

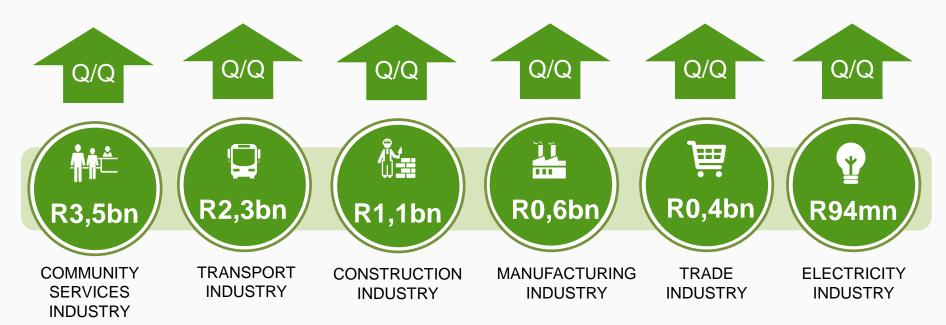






Q2:2018 EARNINGS RESULTS: GAINS

Increase in gross earnings was due to salary, bonuses and overtime payments paid in the second quarter of 2018.



Most of the earnings increases in community services were mainly reported in non-government sector (health and social work sector)

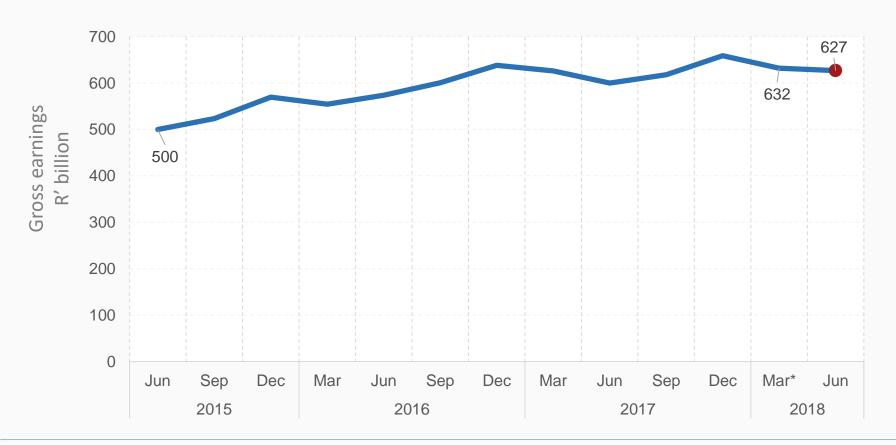






Q2:2018 GROSS EARNINGS TIME SERIES

Changes in gross earnings observed from June 2015 to June 2018















MAY 2018: AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS (AME)

AME including bonuses and overtime payments paid in May 2018

AME including bonuses and

Quarter-on-quarter increase in AME





* There is a year on year increase of 3,7% in AME

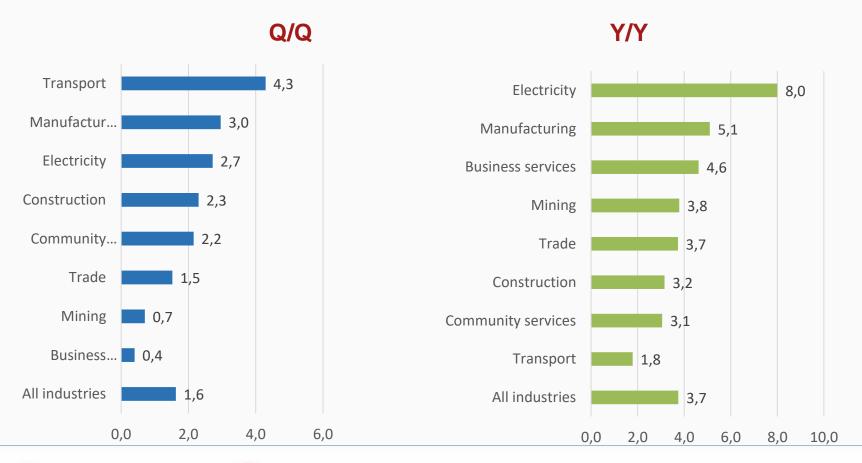






MAY 2018: AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS

There was an increase in average earnings for all industries in the second quarter compared with quarter one.







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