

Employment Projections to 2022

Careers in Decline

Skill Level	Occupation	Projected employment growth - five years to May 2022	
		('000)	(%)
1	Farmers and Farm Managers	-15.8	-11.0
3	Personal Assistants and Secretaries	-13.6	-14.1
4	Accounting Clerks and Bookkeepers	-11.9	-4.5
3	Secretaries	-11.1	-24.9
1	Livestock Farmers	-10.3	-16.4
4	Accounting Clerks	-8.4	-6.6
5	Product Assemblers	-6.0	-20.9
3	Mechanical Engineering Trades Workers	-5.9	-5.0
3	Metal Fitters and Machinists	-5.6	-5.7
1	Mixed Crop and Livestock Farmers	-4.6	-17.8
4	Machine Operators	-3.8	-6.8
5	Packers and Product Assemblers	-3.7	-4.2
4	Bookkeepers	-3.4	-3.2
3	Fabrication Engineering Trades Workers	-3.4	-4.2
3	Structural Steel and Welding Trades Workers	-3.3	-4.5
1	Technical Sales Representatives	-3.1	-10.9
5	Checkout Operators and Office Cashiers	-2.7	-2.1
4	Keyboard Operators	-2.7	-4.6
3	Printing Trades Workers	-2.6	-12.7
3	Personal Assistants	-2.4	-4.7
3	Insurance Agents and Sales Representatives	-2.4	-2.4
3	Printers	-2.1	-16.7
4	Sewing Machinists	-1.7	-30.2
1	Industrial, Mechanical and Production Engineers	-1.6	-5.3
4	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories Fitters	-1.5	-10.5
5	Timber and Wood Process Workers	-1.5	-23.7
4	Engineering Production Workers	-1.5	-8.3
4	Product Quality Controllers	-1.4	-9.6
5	Mail Sorters	-1.4	-13.5
1	ICT Sales Professionals	-1.3	-11.2
1	Surveyors and Spatial Scientists	-1.3	-8.4
4	Insurance, Money Market and Statistical Clerks	-1.2	-3.7
3	Clothing Trades Workers	-1.1	-13.6
3	Textile, Clothing and Footwear Trades Workers	-1.1	-8.1
4	Debt Collectors	-1.1	-15.9
3	Vehicle Body Builders and Trimmers	-1.0	-14.7
5	Metal Engineering Process Workers	-0.9	-9.6
4	Library Assistants	-0.9	-13.0
1	Journalists and Other Writers	-0.8	-3.4
1	Manufacturers	-0.8	-3.1

Level 1 - Degree or higher ; Level 2 = Diploma ; Level 3 = Cert 3 or 4 ; Level 4 = Cert 2 ; Level 5 = Cert 1 or on the job training. Acknowledgement Department of Jobs and Small Business.