## **Economic Forecasts**

## **Major Economic Aggregates**

## Western Australia, Annual Growth %

	2024-25	2025-26 Budget	2025-26 Mid-year	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29
	Actual	Year	Revision	Outyear	Outyear	Outyear
State Final Demand	3.0	2.5	3.0	2.75	3.0	3.0
Gross State Product	1.3	2.5	2.25	3.0	2.5	2.0
Employment	3.1	1.75	1.25	1.5	1.5	1.5
Unemployment Rate (a)	3.7	3.75	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.5
Population (b)	2.2 <sup>(c)</sup>	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.6
Consumer Price Index (b)(d)	2.7	2.75	3.25	2.75	2.5	2.5
Wage Price Index (b)	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.0	3.0	3.0

<sup>(</sup>a) Data expressed as annual average during the financial year.

<sup>(</sup>b) Data expressed in year-ended terms.

<sup>(</sup>c) Estimated actual

<sup>(</sup>d) The CPI growth rates are based on the total index excluding the electricity sub index as a result of the successive Household Electricity Credits provided across the State.