# **WELLINGTON REGION AT A GLANCE**

# 2015

# **ECONOMY** Gross domestic product

**Infometrics** 

Ş29,397

million in 2010 prices

13.4%

of national total

Economic growth Annual average % change

	2015	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	3.0%	1.6%
NEW ZEALAND	3.6%	1.9%

#### Economic growth



# labour market

### Total employment

269,630

**Filled Jobs** 



of national total

Employment growth Annual average % change

	2015	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	1.6%	1.1%
NEW ZEALAND	2.4%	1.1%

## Employment growth



## Industry proportion of GDP



#### Biggest contributors to economic growth 2005-2015

Public Administration and Safety	\$1,338
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	\$670
Financial and Insurance Services	\$500
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$460
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	\$363
All other industries	\$1,101
Total increase in GDP (\$m)	\$4,432

#### Industries which created most jobs since 2005

Public Administration and Safety	9,719
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	7,764
Health Care and Social Assistance	5,146
Education and Training	3,195
Accommodation and Food Services	2,600
All other industries	-1,267
Total increase in employment	27,157

### Self employment rate, 2015



# productivity

#### GDP per employed person

\$109,029

\$95,991

GDP per employee

New Zealand

#### Productivity growth Annual average % change

	2015	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	1.4%	0.6%
NEW ZEALAND	1.2%	0.8%

### **Productivity growth**



# population

### Total population

496,900 Usually resident persons

18%

of national total

#### Population growth Annual average % change

	2015	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	1.1%	0.7%
NEW ZEALAND	1.9%	1.1%

### **Population growth:**



# business units

#### No. of business units

53,883

10.0% of national total

**Business units** 

#### Growth in business units Annual average % change

	2015	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	0.4%	1.1%
NEW ZEALAND	1.8%	1.2%

### Growth in business units:



# standard of living

### Mean annual earnings 2014

\$60,400

\$54,230 New Zealand

Wellington Region

#### Annual earnings growth Annual average % change

	2014	Last 10 years
WELLINGTON REGION	2.1%	3.5%
NEW ZEALAND	2.2%	3.7%

# Housing affordability (higher is less affordable)

