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Supporting Geoscientists

Australian Geoscientist Employment Survey

Western Australia at a glance

June 2019

Around 53% of Australia's geoscientists work in Western Australia.

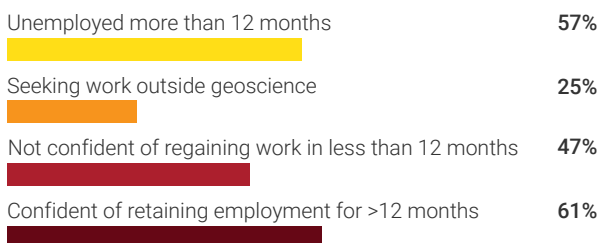
Unemployment Rate **7.8%**

Underemployment Rate **11.0%**

Geoscientist Employment - Western Australia March 2009 to June 2019



Unemployed and Underemployed



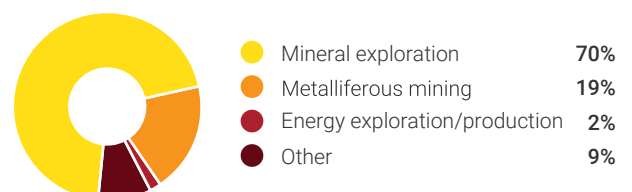
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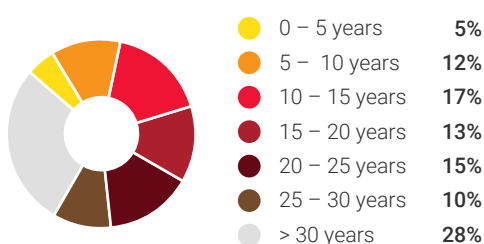
Employer



Employment Sector



Professional Experience



Gender



Underemployed geoscientists are considered to be self-employed geoscientists unable to secure more than 25% of their desirable workload.