Selected Major Employers

Barwon Region, 2008

Employees (EFT)	No.
Manufacturing	
Ford Motor Company of Australia Ltd	1,848
Avalon (Aerospace Activities)[1]	1,275
Alcoa World Alumina Australia Ltd (Vic Operations)	736
Bartter Steggles Enterprises	552
Godfrey Hirst Australia Pty Ltd	550
Shell Refining (Aust) Pty Ltd	502
Bulla Dairy Foods	400
Alcoa Australia Rolled Products	368
MC Herd Pty Ltd	231
Timbertruss Geelong Pty Ltd	206
Huyck Australia Pty Ltd	204
CRF	203
Air Radiators	200
AKD Softwoods	182
Fonterra	128
Blue Circle Southern Cement	125
Melba Industries (Australia) Pty Ltd	117
Backwell IXL Pty Ltd	114
OneSteel Wire Pty Ltd	95
Danum Engineering Pty Ltd	95
Incitec Pivot	94
Riverside Textiles Pty Ltd	90
Viridian (formerly Pilkington)	87
Boomaroo Nurseries	80
Brockman Engineering Pty Ltd	80
Rohm & Haas Australia Pty Ltd	75
Express Promotions Australia Pty Ltd	72
Local Mix Concrete	70
Winchester Australia Ltd	66
Filigree Textiles Pty Ltd	60
Calco Timbers Pty Ltd	58
Western Sheetmetal, Insulation & Asbestos Removal	54
Health, Infrastructure and Statutory Authorities	
Barwon Health	3,223
Australia Post	624
Victoria Police (Geelong)	389
Barwon Water	359
St John of God Hospital	303
St Laurence Community Services	288
Colac Area Health	288
Barwon Prison	284
Centrelink	227
Centrelink Call Centre	225
Colanda Centre	220
Pathcare/St John of God Pathology	215
Powercor	205
Marngoneet Correctional Centre	165
Australian Taxation Office	164
Transport Accident Commission (TAC)	160
Geelong Football Club	124
VicRoads	113
GMHBA	110
Bellarine Community Health	102
Child Support Agency	96
MacKillop Family Services	81
Hesse Rural Health Service	54
Geelong Port (Asciano)	51
Local Government	
City of Greater Geelong	1,325
Colac Otway Shire	198
Surf Coast Shire	193
Golden Plains Shire	139
Borough of Queenscliffe	29

Employees (EFT)	No.
Services Sector	
Target	955
Safeway	867
Karingal	609
G-Force Recruitment	430
Coles Supermarkets	373
SalesForce	370
Cotton On	334
UG Manufacturing (trading as Quiksilver International)	327
Rex Gorell	296
Kempe International	217
Rip Curl	214
Geelong Advertiser	197
Wettenhalls Transport	193
Pure Logistics (McColls Transport)	191
Kmart	186
Bunnings Warehouses	150
Skilled Engineering	136
Blood Toyota	135
WHK Mahoney Gavens	130
Harwood Andrews	120
Rays Outdoors	110
Linencare	109
Winter & Taylor	99
Faggs Mitre 10	96
Benders Busways	95
Harvey Norman	93
Myer	93
Worley Parsons	90
Mentor	80
WHK Day Neilson	78
Drapers Civil Contracting	77
Diversitat	75
W R Logistics	70
Smiths of Geelong	70
C J Keane & Co	69
Kalari (Tranwest Haulage Pty Ltd)	64
Davidsons	63
Happy Hens Egg Farm	50
Coulter Roache Lawyers	49
Peninsula Searoad Transport Pty Ltd	42
Wellam Construction Pty Ltd	40
Josies Transport Geelong	38
S & B Blasting Co Pty Ltd	34
Costa Group of Companies	32
Geelong Performing Arts Centre (GPAC)	30
Education and Research	
Department of Education	2,877
Deakin University (Waurn Ponds/Waterfront Campuses)	1,291
Catholic Education System	778
Gordon Institute of TAFE	575
The Geelong College	226
CSIRO Australian Animal Health Laboratory	225
Geelong Grammar School	221
Christian College	197
Kardinia International College	173
CSIRO Material Science and Engineering Division	127
PIRVic Marine and Freshwater Science	70

Source: City of Greater Geelong. EFT – Equivalent Full time. Employment agency EFT numbers include staff and placements.
***(1)** Refers to all organisations carrying out aerospace activities at Avalon.*