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Outline

- Key Findings
- Key challenges
- Opportunities
- Recommendations





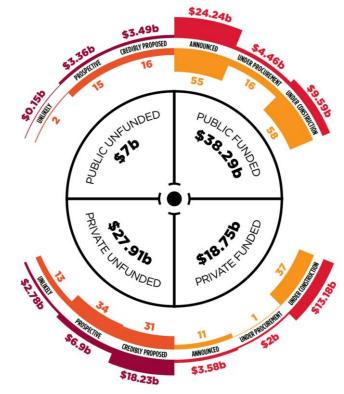
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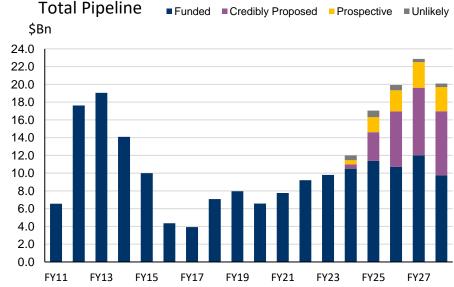




Key Messages

- Total pipeline ~\$92b
- Funded project activity increased to \$57b (52% increase)
- Total pipeline could see a peak of ~\$23b spend in 26/27
- The tidal wave of work is finally here
- The current "pause" due to federal budget reviews will wash through (eventually)

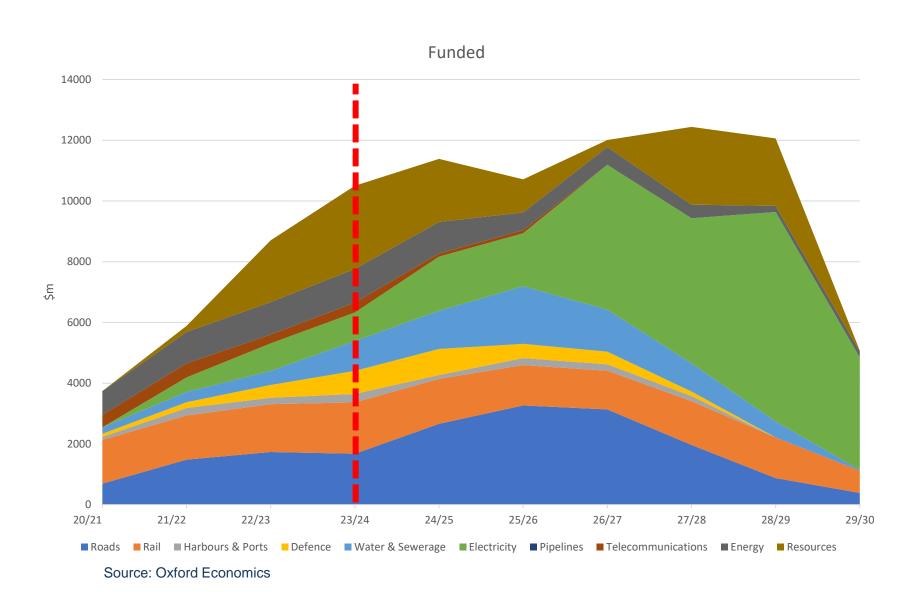








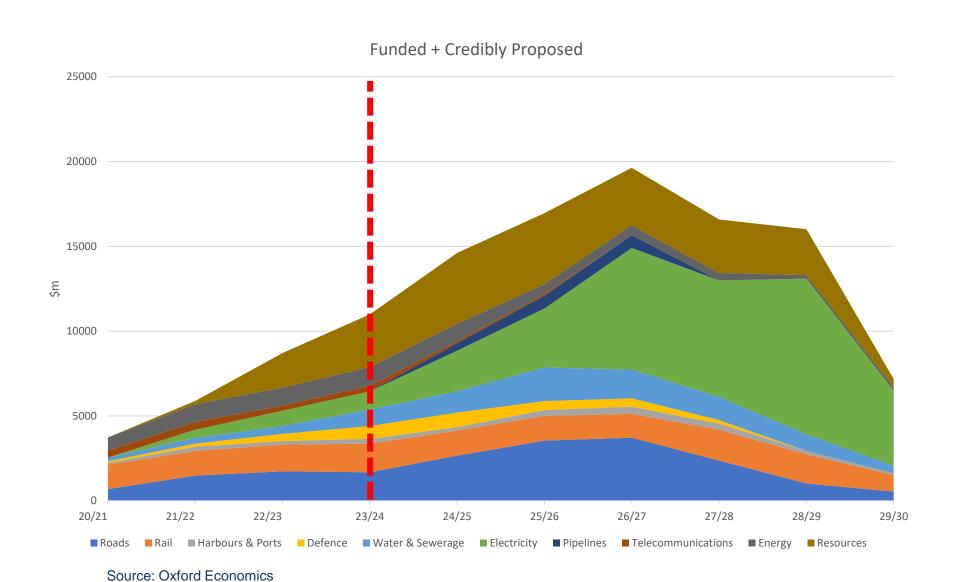
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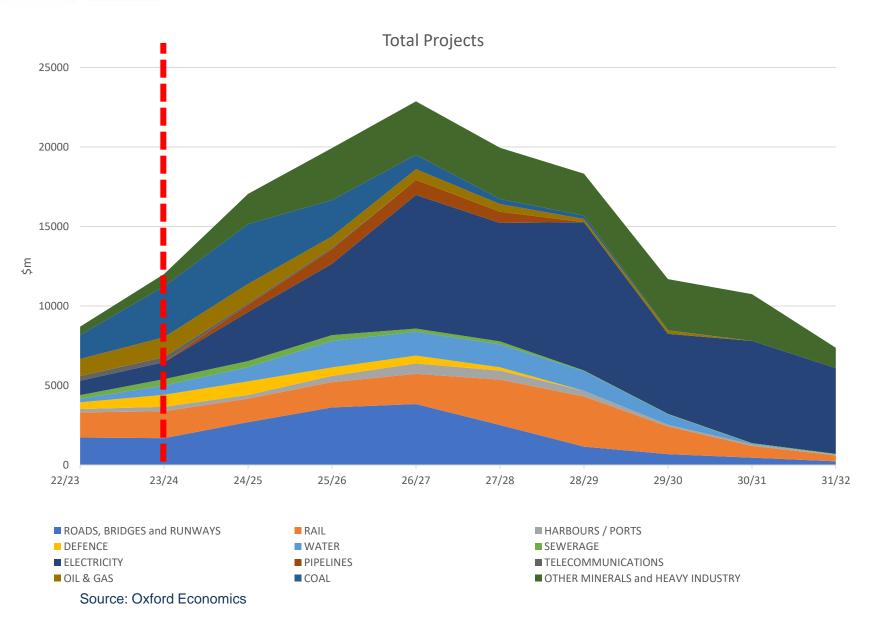
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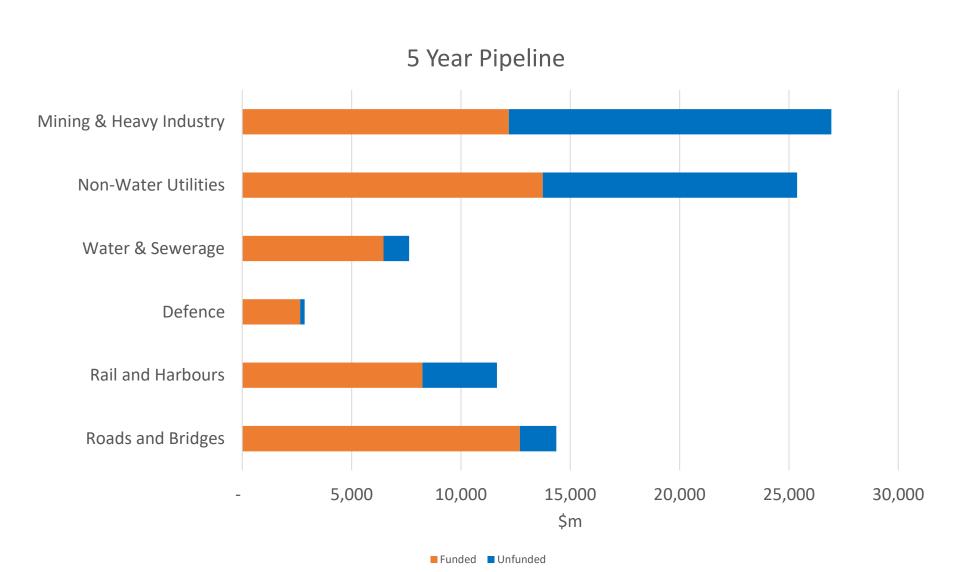
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Sector Analysis

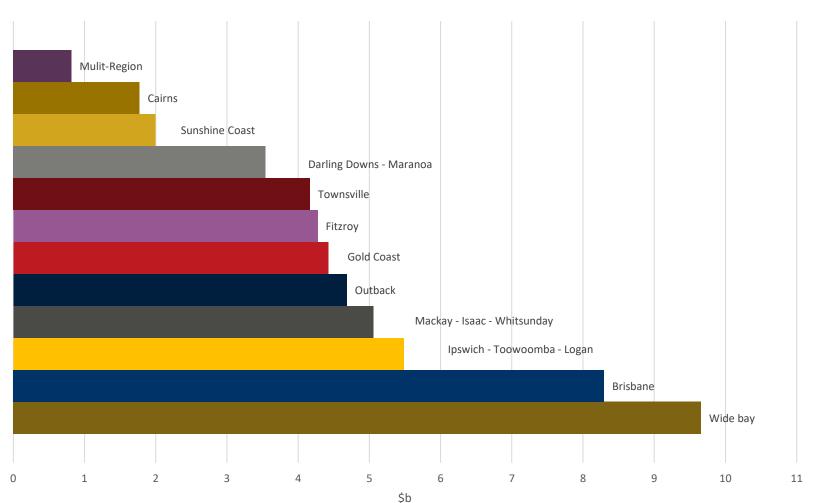






Regional Analysis

5 Year Funded Works





Key Challenges





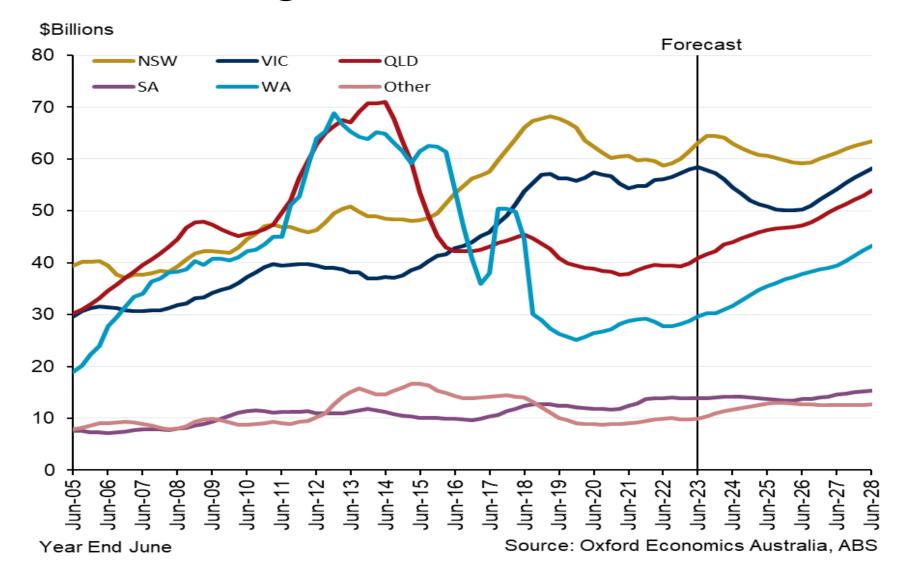
Industry Challenges

- 1. Capacity: Sustaining and growing capacity
- 2. Capability: Developing appropriate capability, skills and technology adoption
- 3. Costs: Managing risks from cost escalation
- Productivity: Reversing the trend and delivering VFM
- 5. Funding security
- 6. Approvals and procurement timeframes





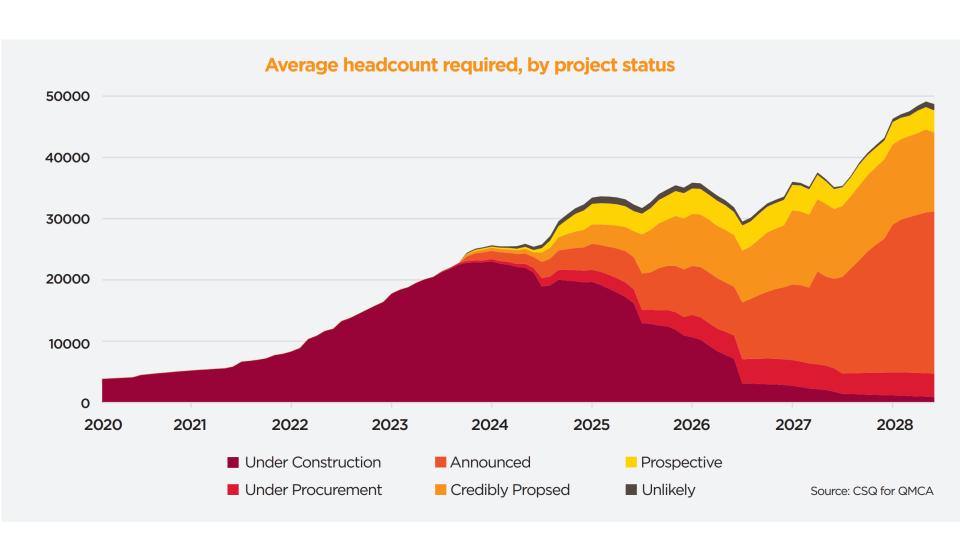
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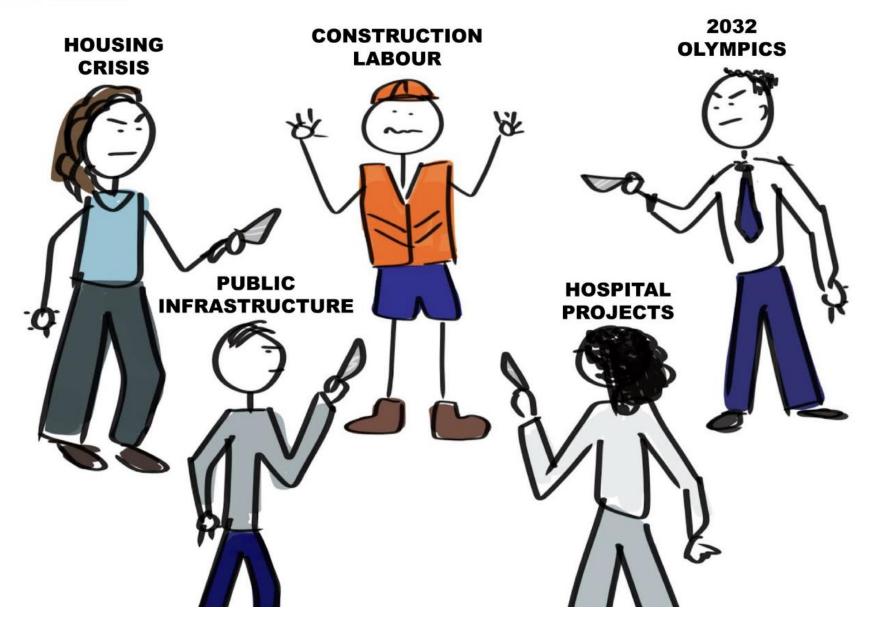
Capacity & Capability







Resources Competition



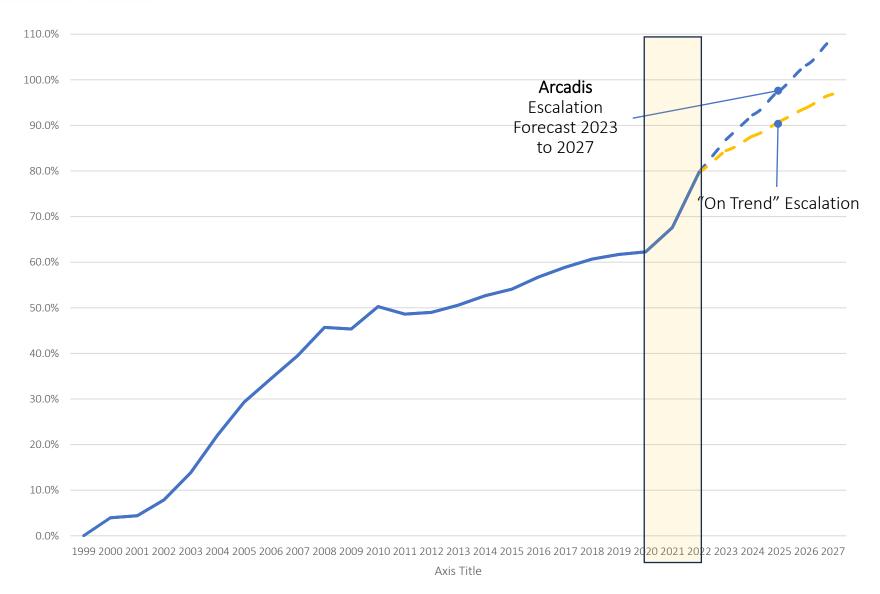


- Different skill sets are required for the work going forward
 - Civil resources to deliver roads and rail- this remain the predominant skill set
 - Mechanical engineering & fabrication requirements will increase (energy & resources & electricity)
 - Electrical resources for "energy transition"
 - Mineral processing and manufacturing
- General project management and engineering (more efficient use too)
- Supply chain (quarries, concrete, steel, aluminium, other metals)
- Construction techniques (modularisation, pre fabrication, automation, etc)





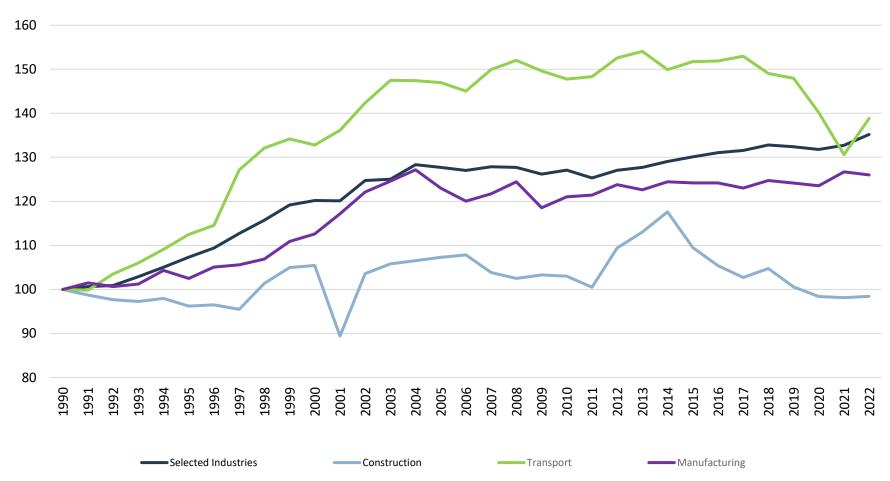
Cost Escalation







Productivity



Source: ABS Data

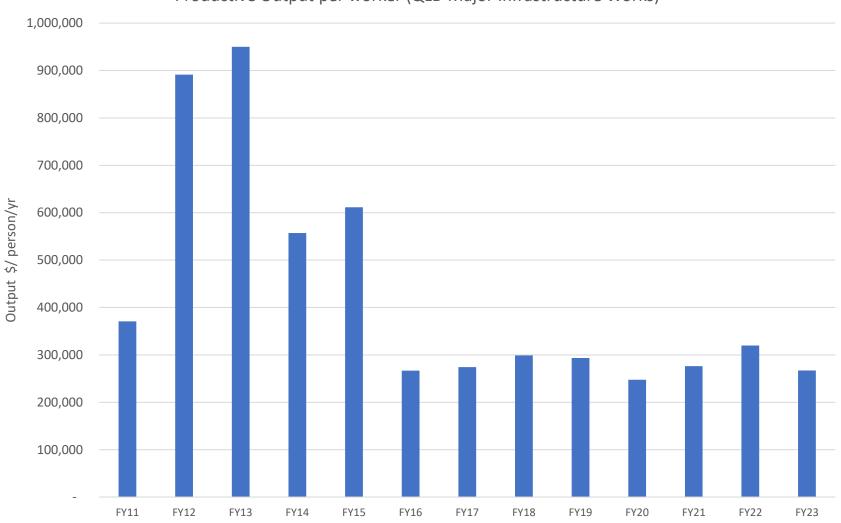
Selected Industries includes the following: Agriculture; Forestry and Fishing; Mining; Manufacturing; Electricity; Gas; Water and Waste Services; Construction; Wholesale Trade; Retail Trade; Accommodation and Food Services; Transport, Postal and Warehousing; Information, Media and Telecommunications; Financial and Insurance Services; Arts and Recreation Services.





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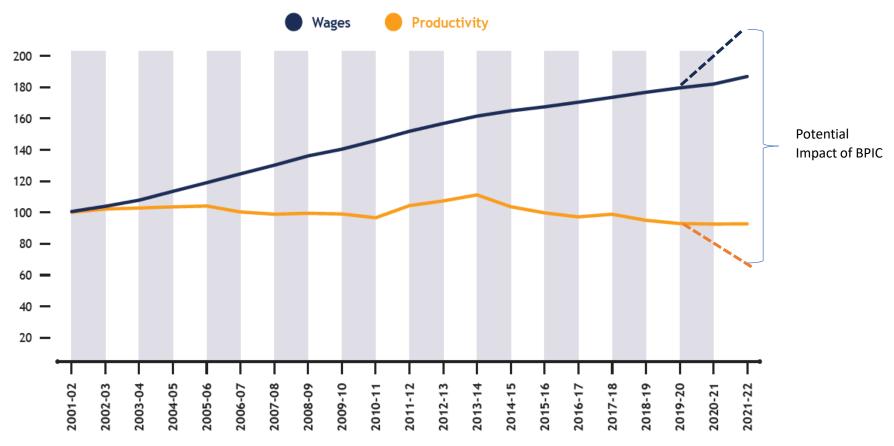
Productive Output per worker (QLD Major Infrastructure Works)







Productivity & Industrial Relations



Note: Data indexed (Jun 2002=100); productivity is the annual quality adjusted hours worked GVA-based multifactor measure; wages is the Wage Price Index, total hourly rates of pay excluding bonuses, private and public, Financial Year.

Source: ABS, ACA



Opportunities





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- Adoption of greater technology and innovation including:
 - Innovative construction techniques
 - Sustainable construction techniques and solutions
- Program level partnering
- Training and upskilling
- Funding security through co-investment
- Collaborative procurement and delivery:
 - Understanding and management of risk
 - Strengthening of local industry
 - Embedding innovative solutions



Reccomendations





Recommendations

- Increasing supply:
 - Housing
 - Materials and supply chain
 - Labour and skills
 - Plant and equipment
- Funding:
 - Co investment
 - Asset recycling
 - Private sector financing and operations
- Boosting productivity:
 - Collaborative procurement and contracting
 - Digital engineering and technology (AI, automation, digital models and support systems)
 - Use of alternative approaches and materials
 - IR frameworks that work and don't inhibit delivery





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Panel Session

- Kim Hetherington CSQ
- Keiran Cusack QLD Hydro
- Matthew Mackey Arcadis
- Melanie Gibson WeBuild
- Alex Miller CBUS
- Moderator: Leann Webb Aurora Marketing

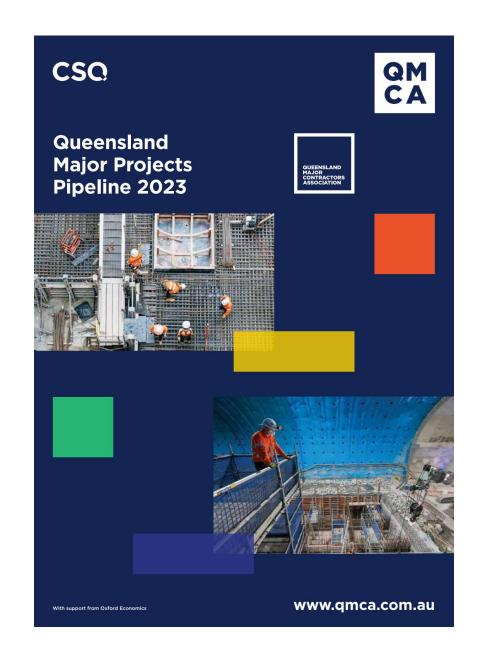




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