

ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

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Subject: Forecast of investment into regional areas

QUESTION

I am requesting a forecast breakdown of government investment in the 2020 budget into the regional areas of the Northern Territory which excludes Darwin and Palmerston.

ANSWER

Around 60 per cent of the total government capital works infrastructure program is allocated to new and upgraded infrastructure in remote and regional communities.

The table below provides a breakdown of the 2020-21 Northern Territory capital works program by region.

2020-21 Capital works by region

Region	Capital Works			Total Program	
	Revote	New	Total	Major	Total
	\$M	\$M	\$M	%	%
Central Australia	208.9	68.4	277.3	11.3	10.9
Barkly	32.3	155.4	187.7	7.6	7.4
Big Rivers	142.8	28.0	170.8	7.0	6.7
East Arnhem	54.6	32.7	87.3	3.6	3.4
Top End	385.0	214.8	599.8	24.4	23.6
Darwin	170.1	67.3	237.4	9.7	9.3
Territory Wide	414.5	479.9	894.4	36.4	35.2
Major Works	1 408.3	1 046.4	2 454.7	100.0	96.5
Minor Works	24.0	65.5	89.5		3.5
Total	1 432.3	1 111.9	2 544.3		100.0