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# Infrastructure Investment Program

Inland Freight Route (Mungindi to Charters Towers) Upgrades

Queensland

## Australian Government funding: \$400.0 million

Queensland Government contribution: \$100.0 million

**Total: \$500.0 million**

## Project description

This project will deliver a long-term program of priority works between Mungindi on the New South Wales border and Charters Towers to be determined by the Australian and Queensland Governments to provide an alternative to the Bruce Highway.

## Jobs supported

- This project is expected to support 610 direct jobs based on Australian Government estimates

## Project benefits

- Improved connectivity between people with jobs and services, and goods with markets
- Improved road safety for all road users
- Improved efficiency and network reliability

## Project timelines

- This project is expected to start construction in early 2023 and be finished construction late 2030

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