

**Question on Notice**

**No. 1123**

**Asked on 28 November 2024**

**MRS M MCMAHON** ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON B MICKELBERG)—

**QUESTION:**

Will the Minister advise the number of Bruce Highway Upgrade Projects delivered (construction complete) between February 2015 and October 2024 (reported separately as a table and broken down by region)?

**ANSWER:**

I thank the Member for the question.

The 1673-kilometre Bruce Highway is Queensland's major north-south road corridor, connecting coastal population centres from Brisbane to Cairns and supporting around 58 per cent of Queensland's population. The highway provides critical linkages for freight movements between inland production areas and eleven coastal ports and major regional centres. It is also a major commuter route at its southern end and a key tourist corridor.

Since February 2015 to 31 October 2024, 208 construction projects have been completed under the Bruce Highway Upgrade Program.

<b>Region</b>	<b>Number of Projects</b>
North Queensland	74
Central Queensland	82
Southern Queensland	39
North Coast	13