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Topic: Long copper loops program - Regional Australia

Senator Urquhart, Anne asked:

Senator URQUHART: This is my final question. How many homes and businesses in regional Australia have come under the long copper loops program? How many in total are there so far? And I would like you to take on notice where they are.

Mr Morrow: Sure, I will take that on notice. The number moves around, as you would imagine, because it depends on node placements and a lot of other factors, but we will take that on notice to be able to address that.

Answer:

As at 4 April 2017 the number of homes and business that come under the long copper loops program is as follows:

State	Metro	Long Copper Loop
	Split	Count
NSW/ACT	Metro	2380
	Non-Metro	7775
QLD	Metro	900
	Non-Metro	5766
SA	Metro	934
	Non-Metro	1934
TAS	Metro	0
	Non-Metro	1979
VIC	Metro	1067
	Non-Metro	7026
WA	Metro	1358
	Non-Metro	1782
Grand Total		32901