Structural change in Australian agriculture

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Declining farm numbers but value increasing

Source: ABS 2018, Agricultural Commodities, Australia, 2017–18
Agriculture gross value add increasing

Source: ABS Labour Force Survey cat. 2691 and Australian National Accounts cat. 5206
Agriculture share of employment falling

Source: ABS Labour Force Survey Cat. 6291
Agriculture is constantly changing

Share of agricultural gross value of production

Source: ABARES 2019, Agricultural commodities: December 2019
Large farms account for most land and output

Note: p preliminary
Source: ABARES Australian Agricultural and Grazing Industries Survey
Productivity growth has been important

Source: Sheng Y, Jackson T, and Gooday P 2015
Population change
Average annual change 1991 to 2016

Source: Productivity Commission 2017, Transitioning Regional Economies
Innovation is the key to growth