# ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence Media Release

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\* From 3 January 2022, the interviews for the consumer confidence survey have taken place Monday to Sunday. Previously they were done at the weekend (Saturday and Sunday).

# **Consumer confidence improves slightly**

- Consumer confidence rose 1.6% last week. Among the major states, confidence increased in NSW, Victoria and SA, while it decreased in Queensland and WA.
- 'Weekly inflation expectations' increased 0.3ppt to 5.9%, while its four-week moving average rose 0.2ppt to 5.7%.
- The subindices registered mixed results. 'Current financial conditions' dropped 0.3%, its sixth straight weekly decline. 'Future financial conditions' gained 5.1% after an 18.8% fall over the previous three weeks.
- 'Current economic conditions' decreased 1.0% after a 7.2% loss the week before. 'Future economic conditions' were down slightly by 0.6%.
- 'Time to buy a major household item' increased by 4.1%.

## **ANZ-Roy Morgan Consumer Confidence and inflation expectations**

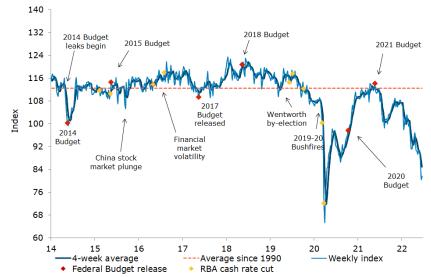
Last week (13-19 Jun)	Weekly change, %	Four-week average	Monthly average since 1990	Inflation expectations (four-week ma)
81.7	1.6%	85.0	112.4	5.7%

The weekly ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence Rating is based on 1,507 interviews conducted online and over the telephone during the week to Sunday\*. Not seasonally adjusted. Further data history on page 6.

# ANZ Head of Australian Economics, David Plank, commented:

Consumer confidence increased 1.6% last week after a 7.6% decline the week before. News about the strength of the labour market may have boosted sentiment, but it remains deeply pessimistic. Household inflation expectations jumped 0.3ppt to 5.9% as average petrol prices increased over the week. The 'current' and 'future economic conditions' subindices dropped for a third consecutive week, as central banks across the world, including the RBA, became increasingly hawkish about bringing inflation under control, causing uncertainty about economic growth.

### Consumer confidence increased 1.6%



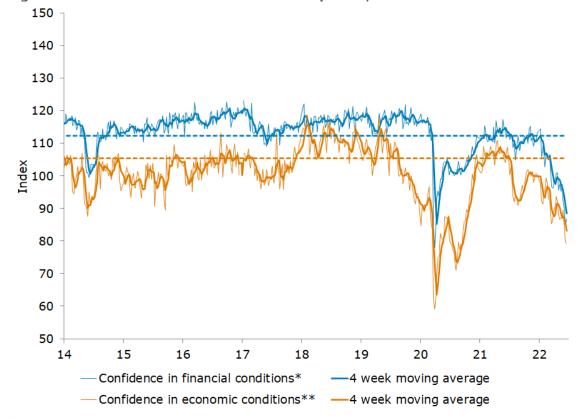
Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan, ANZ Research



Figure 1. 'Weekly inflation expectations' increased 0.3ppt to 5.9%, while its four-week moving average rose 0.2ppt to 5.7%



Figure 2. Confidence in financial conditions improved, while economic conditions declined



Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan

Note: \*Financial conditions index is an average of 'financial situation compared to a year ago' and 'financial situation next year' sub-indices. \*\*Economic conditions index is an average of 'economic conditions in 12 months' and 'economic conditions in five years' sub-indices.



Figure 3. 'Current financial conditions' fell slightly by 0.3%

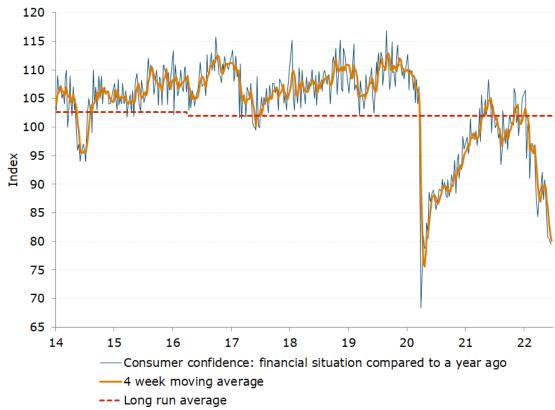


Figure 4. 'Future financial conditions' increased 5.1%

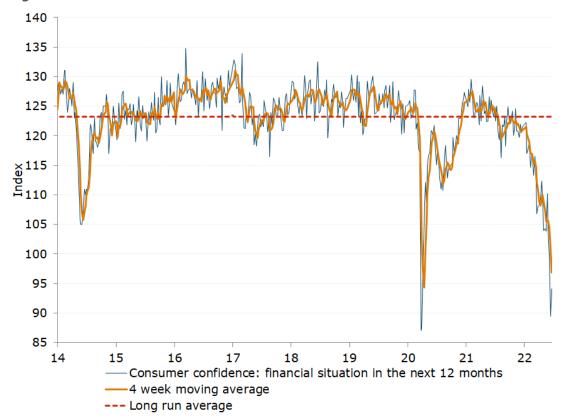




Figure 5. 'Current economic conditions' dropped 1.0%

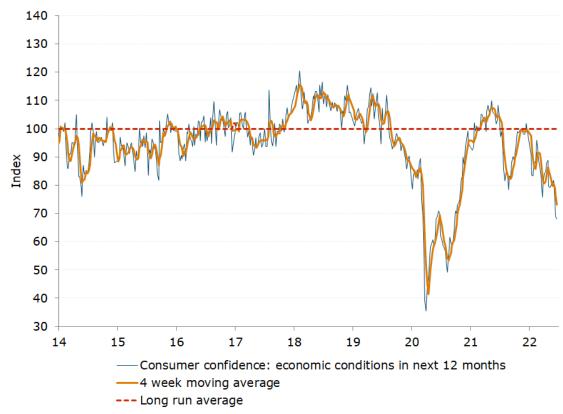


Figure 6. 'Future economic conditions' decreased by 0.6%

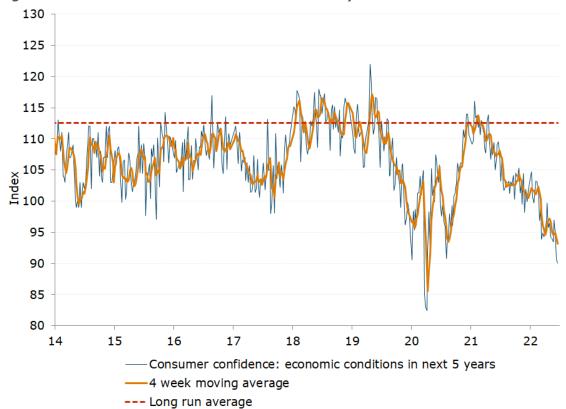




Figure 7. 'Time to buy a major household item' rose 4.1%

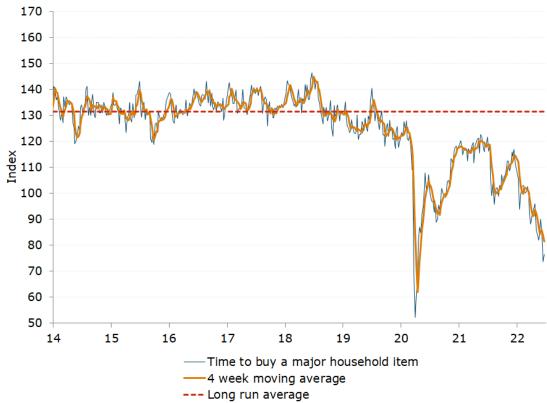




Table 1. ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence

	Headline index Subindices Inflation expectation							
	Last week	4-week moving average	1. Financial situation compared to a year ago	2. Financial situation next year	3. Economic conditions next year	4. Economic conditions next 5 years	5. Time to buy a major household item	6. Inflation expectations 2-yea ahead (%)
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g-21	101.8	104.2	99.0	122.0	81.6	102.2	104.2	4.2
g-21	98.6	101.4	93.4	116.2	84.7	103.1	95.6	4.3
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ıg-21	101.8	100.8	99.5	123.1	83.2	101.2	102.2	4.4
p-21	100.0	101.1	97.2	118.2	82.6	103.1	98.9	4.7
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t-21	106.8	106.0	100.3	120.0	98.6	105.3	109.7	5.0
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-22	106.4	107.5	106.5	122.3	90.5	101.0	105.8	4.9
-22	97.9	105.1	94.5	117.0	83.6	100.6	93.7	4.9
-22	100.1	103.1	100.5	117.7	83.2	99.7	99.6	5.0
-22	101.8	101.5	98.7	118.7	88.1	100.8	102.3	4.7
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-22	101.8	101.7	97.2	116.2	93.6	102.0	100.1	5.1
-22	99.2	101.0	96.4	113.3	88.9	96.9	100.5	5.3
-22	100.1	101.1	96.5	116.6	86.1	99.0	102.5	5.2
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-22	90.7	94.7	87.3	104.0	79.6	96.5	86.0	5.3
-22	90.5	93.6	90.8	104.3	79.0	94.2	84.1	5.1
-22	89.3	91.8	86.8	103.9	80.2	94.0	81.8	5.3
-22	90.8	90.3	84.4	110.2	80.6	93.5	85.5	5.3
-22	90.7	90.3	80.7	104.1	81.8	97.0	90.1	5.5
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