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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: steady

- Consumer confidence rose 0.2pts last week to 86.0pts. The four-week moving average lifted 0.5pts to 86.6pts.
- 'Weekly inflation expectations' decreased 0.2ppt to 5.0%, while the four-week moving average ticked up 0.1ppt to 5.1%.
- 'Current financial conditions' (over the last year) declined 1.5pts and 'future financial conditions' (next 12 months) jumped 2.6pts.
- 'Short-term economic confidence' (next 12 months) increased 0.9pts, while 'medium-term economic confidence' (next five years) was up 0.1pts.
- The 'time to buy a major household item' subindex dropped 0.8pts.

ANZ-Roy Morgan Consumer Confidence and inflation expectations

Last week 20–26 Jan	Weekly change, pts	Four-week average	Monthly average since 1990	Inflation expectations (four-week ma)
86.0	0.2	86.6	109.9	5.1%

The weekly ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence Rating is based on 1,539 interviews conducted online and over the telephone during the week to Sunday.
*Not seasonally adjusted. Further data history on page 6.

ANZ Economist, Sophia Angala, commented:

ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence was steady last week, rising just 0.2pts. Weekly inflation expectations fell 0.2pts to 5.0%, but this was a pullback of the six-month high in the week prior.

Households are feeling more confident about their future financial conditions and the economic outlook over the next 12 months. Notably, the short-term economic confidence subindex lifted to its highest level since April 2022, before the first rate hike in May 2022.

Across the housing cohorts, confidence amongst renters and mortgage-holders have moved sideways on a four-week moving average basis. Meanwhile, confidence amongst outright homeowners continues to move upwards, as the four-week moving average lifted to its highest level since the beginning of the rate hike cycle, May 2022.

Consumer confidence rose 0.2pts last week

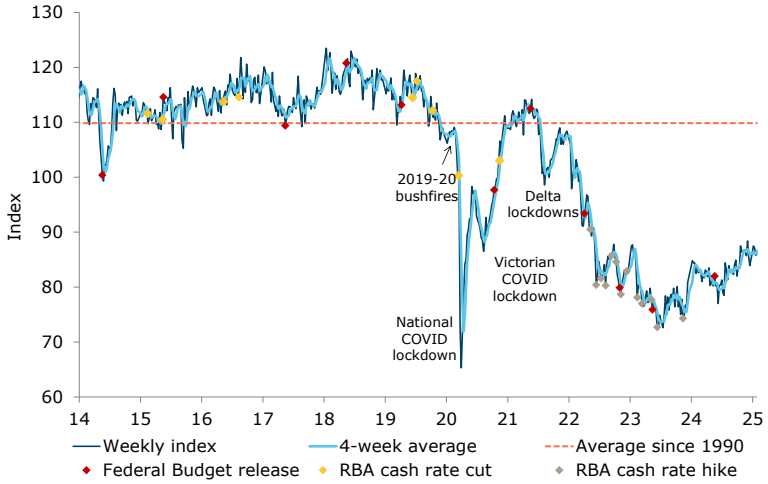

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Figure 1. Four-week moving average of consumer confidence, by housing cohort

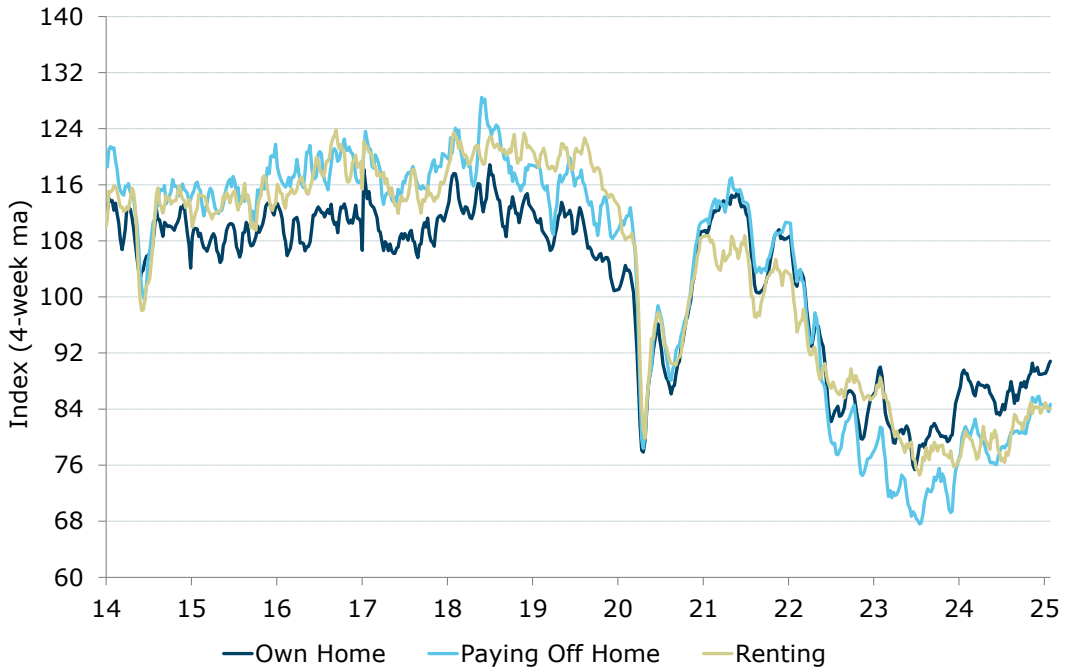

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Figure 2. 'Weekly inflation expectations' decreased 0.2ppt to 5.0%

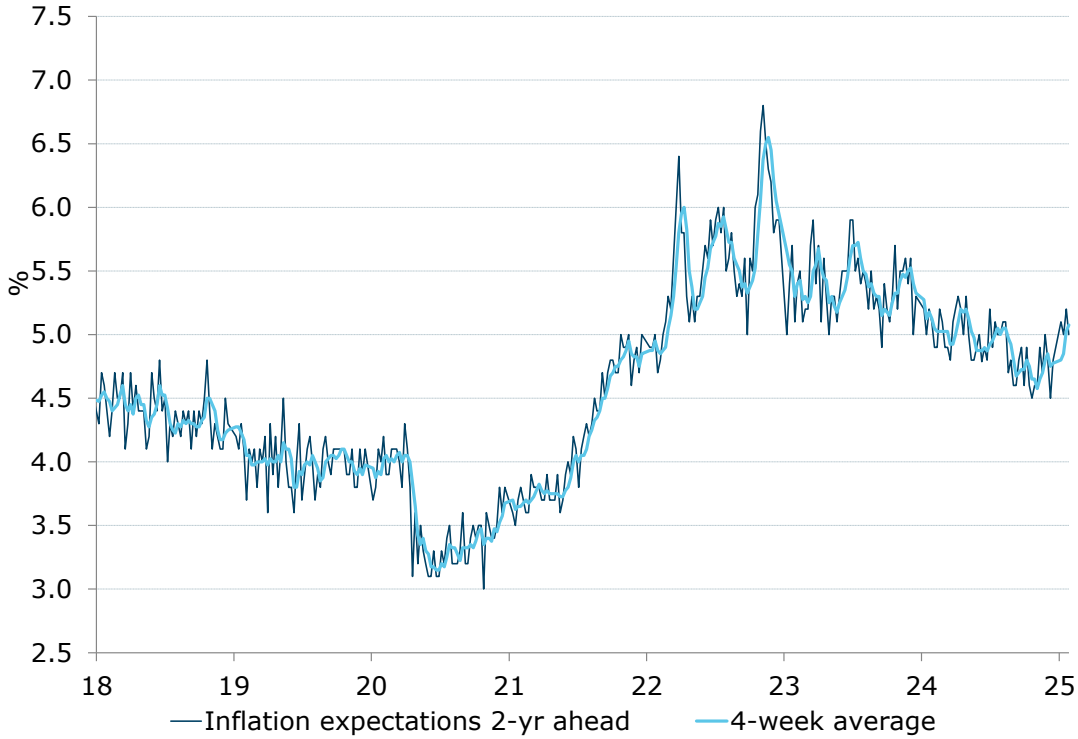

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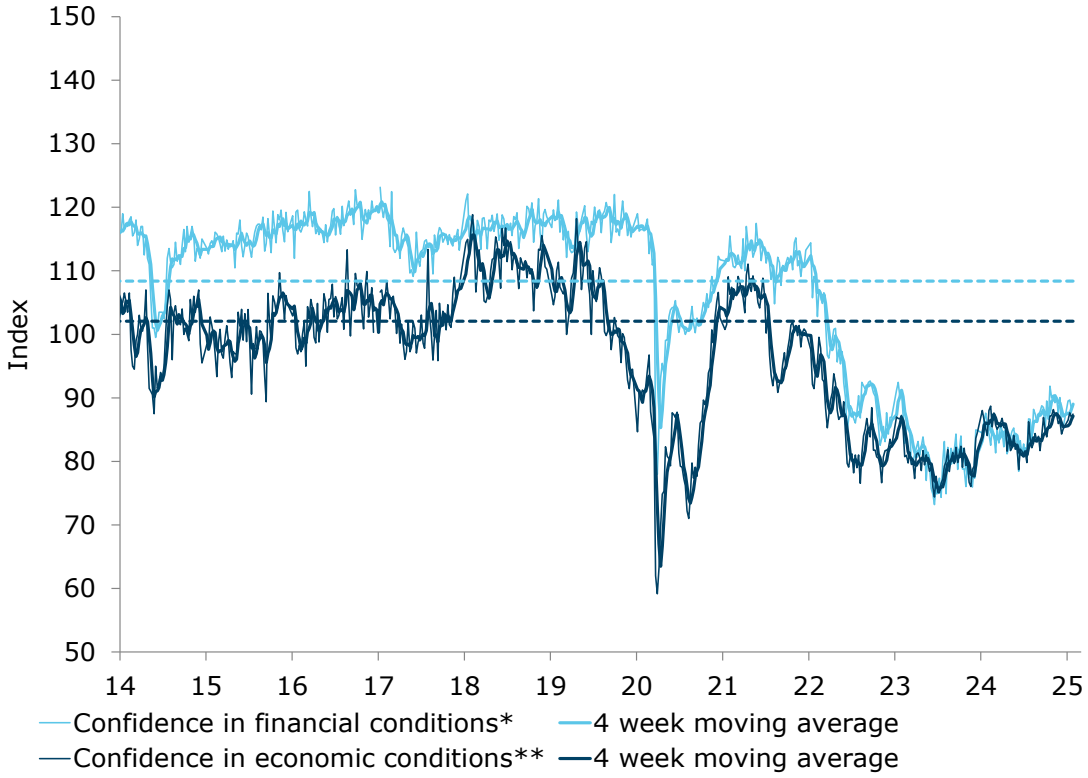
Figure 3. Confidence in both financial and economic conditions improved



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*Financial conditions index is an average of 'financial situation compared to a year ago' and 'financial situation next year' subindices. **Economic conditions index is the average of the 'economic conditions in 12 months' and 'economic conditions in five years' subindices.

Figure 4. 'Current financial conditions' declined 1.5pts

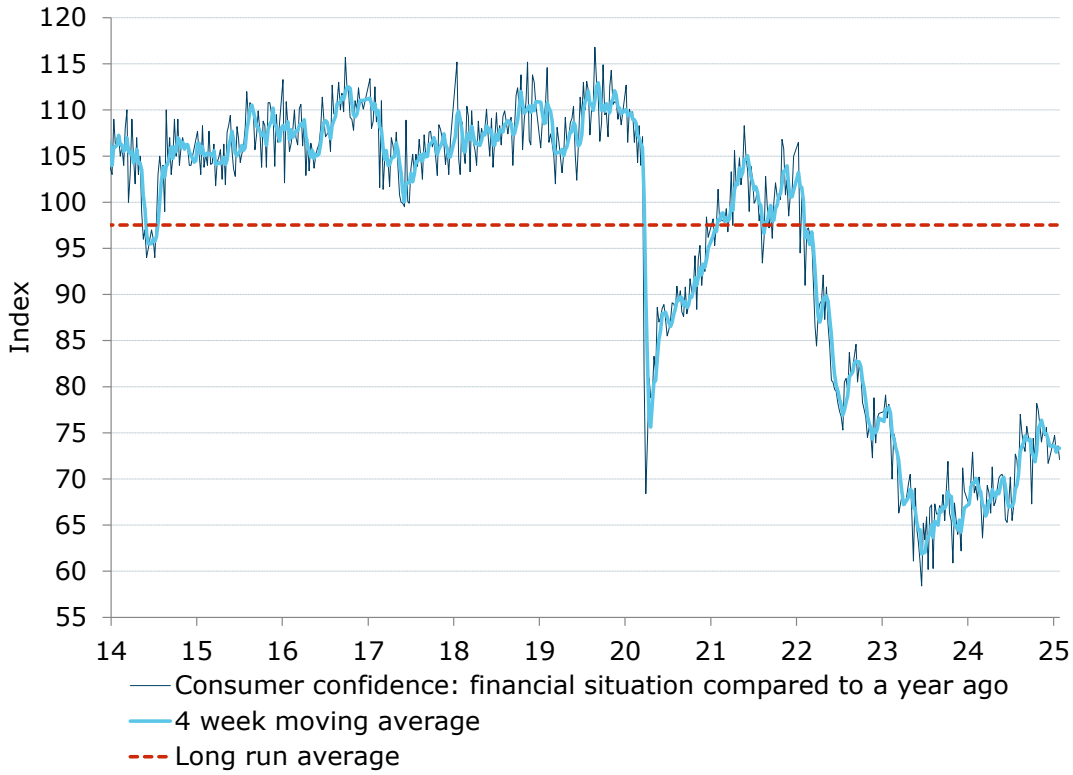

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Figure 5. 'Future financial conditions' jumped 2.6pts

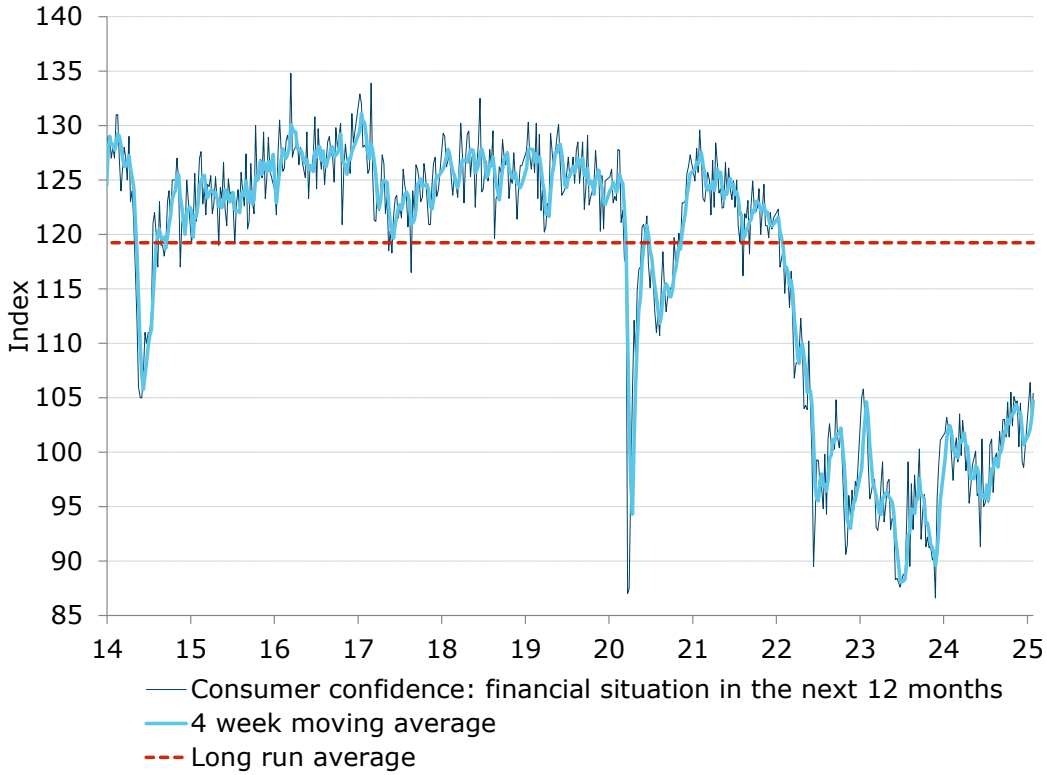

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Figure 6. 'Short-term economic confidence' increased 0.9pts

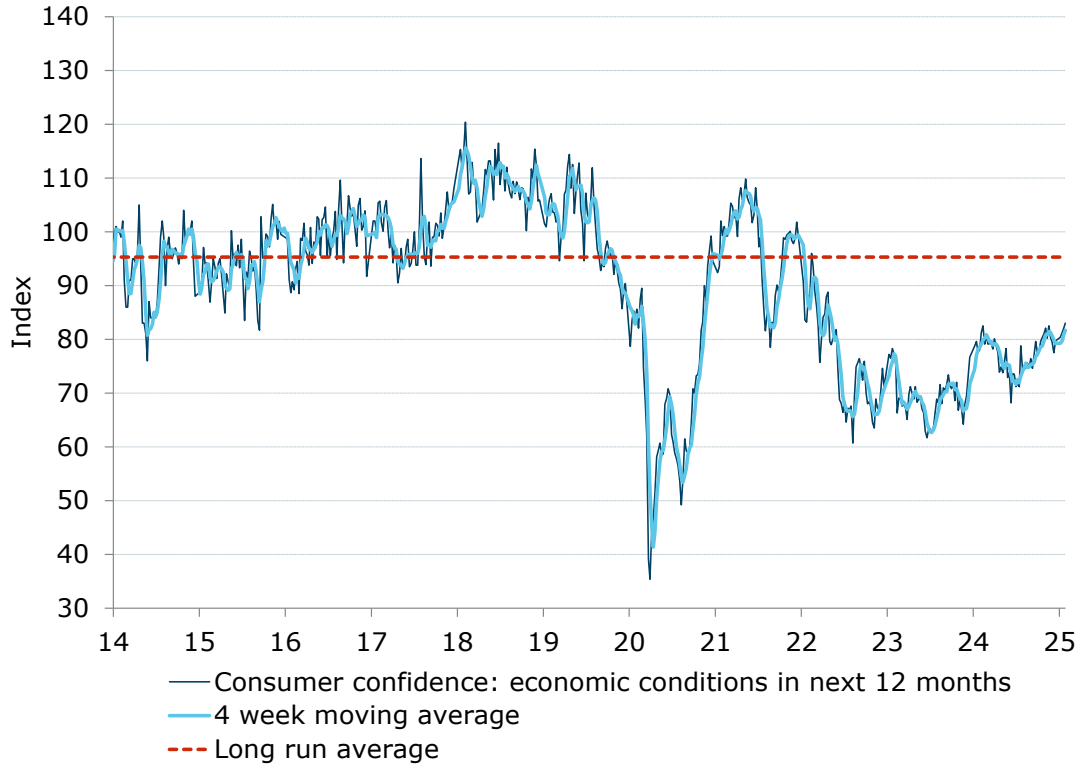

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Figure 7. 'Medium-term economic confidence' ticked up 0.1pts

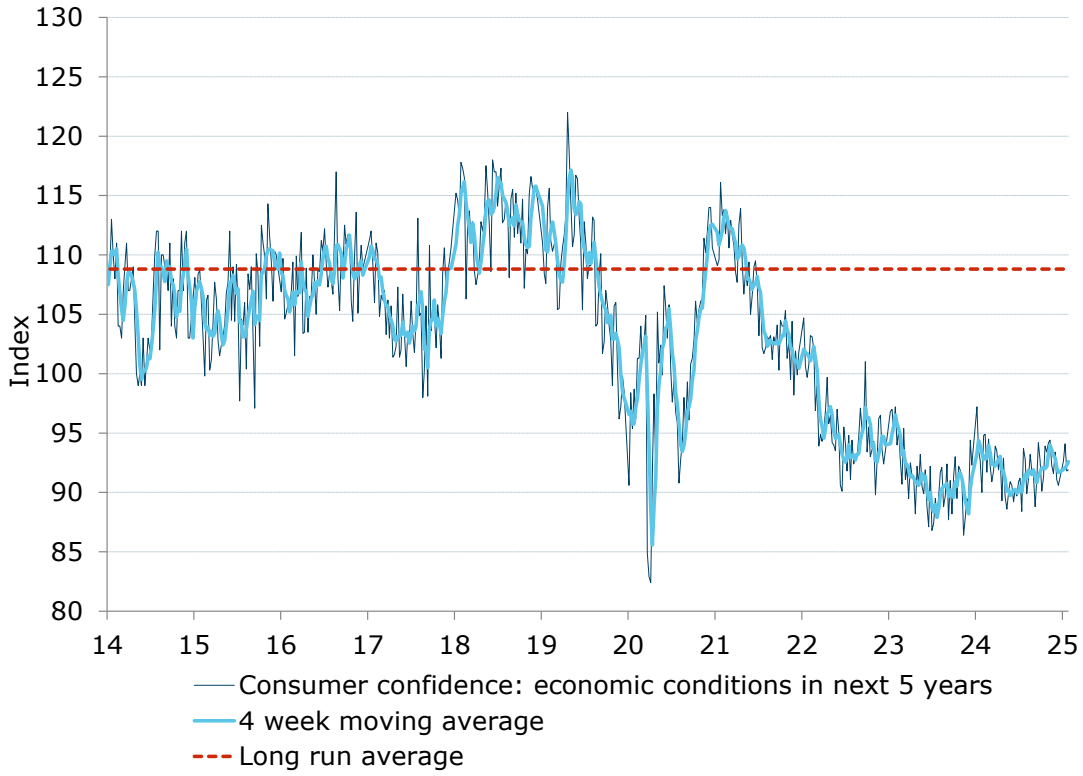

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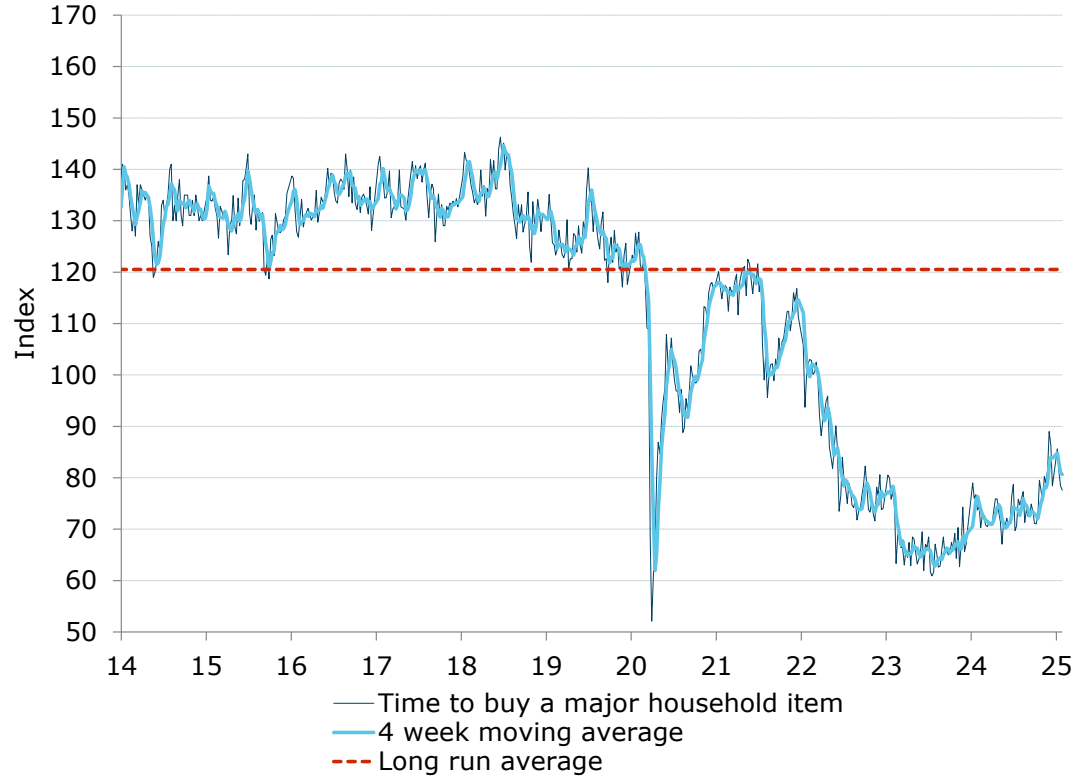
Figure 8. 'Time to buy a major household item' dropped 0.8pts



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Data table

Table 1. ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence

	Headline index		Subindices					Inflation Expectations
	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-years ahead (%)
Avg since 2001	115	-	102	124	103	113	132	-
2010 avg	124	-	101	127	124	130	139	5.7
2011 avg	114	-	97	117	101	116	140	6.0
2012 avg	113	-	99	118	97	113	138	5.8
2013 avg	119	-	104	128	106	118	139	5.0
2014 avg	111	-	104	121	94	106	132	4.9
2015 avg	112	-	107	124	94	106	131	4.4
2016 avg	115	-	109	127	99	108	134	4.1
2017 avg	114	-	105	124	100	105	135	4.4
2018 avg	119	-	108	126	109	113	135	4.4
2019 avg	114	-	109	126	101	109	126	4.0
2020 avg	96	-	92	117	69	100	102	3.5
2021 avg	108	-	101	123	98	106	113	4.2
2022 avg	89	-	84	103	76	96	84	5.6
2023 avg	78	-	68	95	69	91	67	5.4
2024 avg	83	-	71	100	77	92	74	4.9
5-Nov-23	77.8	76.9	67.4	91.4	68.7	91.1	70.3	5.5
12-Nov-23	74.3	76.3	65.5	90.1	67.0	86.4	62.7	5.5
19-Nov-23	74.7	75.5	64.0	90.4	64.2	87.9	67.2	5.6
26-Nov-23	76.7	75.9	65.3	86.6	67.9	89.5	74.3	5.4
3-Dec-23	76.4	75.5	62.2	95.7	69.5	89.0	65.6	5.6
10-Dec-23	80.8	77.2	71.2	98.7	72.9	94.4	67.2	5.0
17-Dec-23	81.8	78.9	68.7	101.1	76.7	92.3	70.3	5.3
7-Jan-24	84.8	81.0	67.1	101.8	78.8	97.2	79.0	5.2
14-Jan-24	84.4	83.0	69.7	103.2	79.6	93.6	76.0	5.0
21-Jan-24	84.4	83.9	72.9	102.3	77.6	92.7	76.7	5.2
28-Jan-24	82.5	84.0	68.5	102.4	78.1	90.0	73.7	5.1
4-Feb-24	83.8	83.8	69.2	99.5	81.2	94.8	74.3	4.9
11-Feb-24	82.6	83.3	67.7	97.4	82.5	94.9	70.3	4.9
18-Feb-24	82.8	82.9	70.2	100.2	79.1	91.7	72.9	5.2
25-Feb-24	83.2	83.1	67.5	101.3	80.7	94.5	72.1	5.1
3-Mar-24	81.0	82.4	63.6	99.1	79.1	92.3	70.8	4.9
10-Mar-24	82.2	82.3	66.7	103.5	79.2	90.9	70.5	4.9
17-Mar-24	81.7	82.0	66.1	99.7	79.3	91.8	71.3	4.8
24-Mar-24	83.1	82.0	69.3	102.9	78.2	93.9	71.1	5.1
31-Mar-24	82.8	82.5	68.5	101.0	80.1	93.5	71.0	5.2
7-Apr-24	81.9	82.4	66.3	98.3	78.8	91.9	73.8	5.3
14-Apr-24	83.5	82.8	71.3	99.9	77.6	92.9	75.9	5.2
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5-May-24	80.5	81.4	68.9	98.8	73.8	89.6	71.5	5.0
12-May-24	80.2	80.5	70.1	99.4	75.7	88.6	67.1	4.8
19-May-24	82.0	81.0	70.4	100.1	78.3	89.9	71.5	4.8
26-May-24	80.2	80.7	70.5	96.0	72.9	90.9	70.8	4.9
2-Jun-24	80.5	80.7	69.8	96.2	73.8	90.6	72.1	5.0
9-Jun-24	77.0	79.9	65.6	91.3	68.2	89.2	70.6	4.8
16-Jun-24	80.3	79.5	65.3	101.2	73.6	90.3	71.3	4.9
23-Jun-24	80.4	79.6	67.1	95.0	73.5	89.7	76.5	4.8
30-Jun-24	81.3	79.8	70.2	95.3	71.2	90.9	78.7	5.2
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