

AUSTRALIAN MORTGAGE & RENTAL AFFORDABILITY SURVEY

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What Australians who rent or pay a mortgage are saying.



\$571,992 is the average Australian home loan (July 2021 - finder.com.au)

56% say that if interest rates were to rise, they would need to look at refinancing their home.

75% believe that rising interest rates would put pressure on their financial position.





\$300 is the approx. monthly increase in repayments on the average home loan if interest rates were to rise by 1%.



HOW LIKELY ARE AUSTRALIANS TO BE ABLE TO MEET A MONTHLY INCREASE IN RENT OR MORTGAGE BY \$300 (APPROX. 1%)?

9% Highly likely 57% Not at all





THE 57% CONSIST OF...



40% people with bachelor or postgraduate degrees



80% single parent families



71% living in remote areas



70% baby boomers



46%

Combine gross household income less than \$700

85%

Combined gross household income \$700-\$1200 Combined gross household income \$2000-\$3000