Figure 1.
At 58%, the size of the Australian middle class is smaller than the OECD average

% of population by income class, 2016 or latest available year

Source: OECD (2019), Under Pressure: The Squeezed Middle Class, [Figure 2.1]

Figure 2.
Millennials are slightly less likely to be in the middle-income group than baby boomers

% of population in their twenties in middle-income households, by generation, persons aged 20-30

Source: OECD (2019), Under Pressure: The Squeezed Middle Class, [Figure 1.7]

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**Figure 3.**
The middle-income class in Australia is more highly skilled than 20 years ago

% of middle class workers who hold jobs in the different skill groups, mid-1990s/mid-2010s

Source: OECD (2019), Under Pressure: The Squeezed Middle Class, [Figure 3.4]

**Figure 4.**
Australian middle-income households spend a relatively low, but growing, share of their budget on housing

% of middle-income household spending dedicated to housing

Source: OECD (2019), Under Pressure: The Squeezed Middle Class, [Figure 4.5]