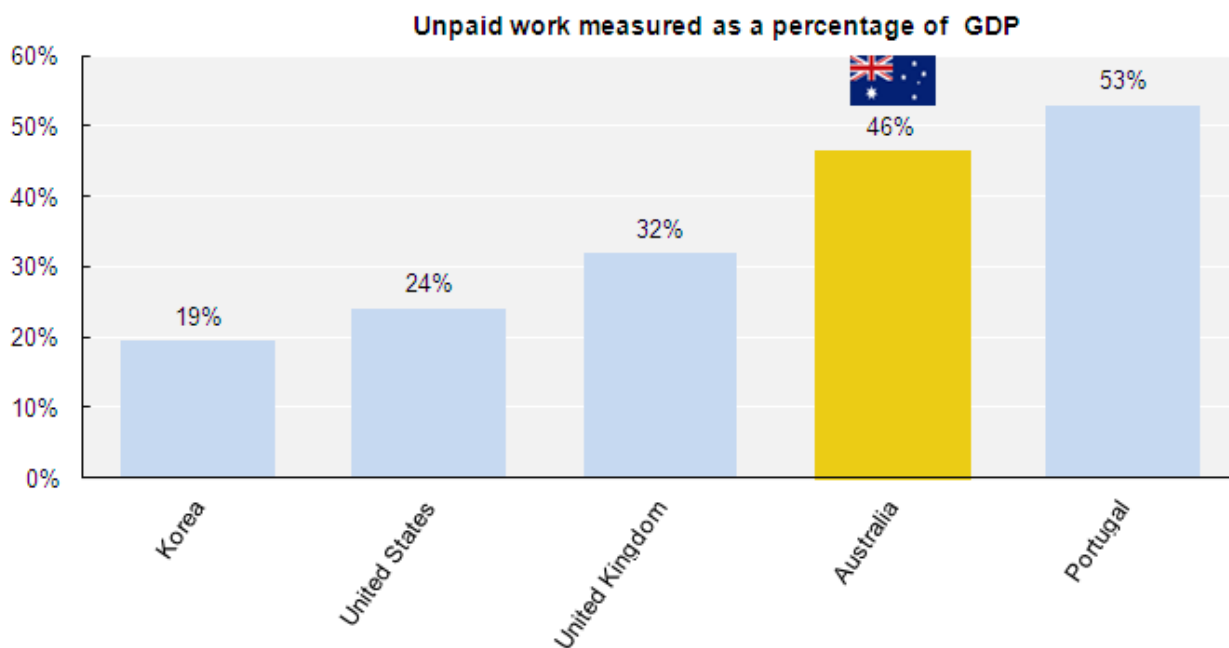


KEY FINDINGS: AUSTRALIA

Did you know?

- The value of unpaid work in Australia is 46%, the second highest proportion of GDP in the OECD. Portugal at 53% is the highest and Korea at 19% is the lowest. [[Fig1.13.xls](#)]



- At just over 4 hours per day, Australians do the third highest amount of unpaid work per day in the OECD after Turkey and Mexico, over half an hour more than the OECD average (3 hours and 27 minutes). [[Fig1.2.xls](#)]
- Total daily care time of household and non-household members is also third highest in Australia (45 minutes), after New Zealand (48 minutes) and Ireland (62 minutes). The OECD average is 33 minutes. [[Fig1.8.xls](#)]
- One quarter of Australians are foreign-born, the 4th highest in the OECD after Luxembourg, Israel and Switzerland and more than double the OECD average (11.7%). [[GE3.xls](#)]
- After Japan and Switzerland, Australian life expectancy of 81.5 years is the highest in the OECD, more than two years above the OECD average of 79.3 years. [[HE1.xls](#)]
- After Canadians, Australians are the most tolerant in the OECD of migrants, ethnic minorities and gays and lesbians, with an average of 84% seeing their communities as tolerant of these groups. The OECD average is 61%. [[CO5.xls](#)]