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: highest since May 2022

- Consumer confidence rose 2.7pts last week to 88.4pts. The four-week moving average increased 0.5pts to 86.9pts.
- 'Weekly inflation expectations' fell 0.2ppt to 4.8%, while the four-week moving average rose from 4.8% to 4.9%.
- 'Current financial conditions' (over the last year) increased 0.9pts and 'future financial conditions' (next 12 months) jumped by 4.0pts.
- 'Short-term economic confidence' (next 12 months) declined 0.8pts, while 'medium-term economic confidence' (next five years) rose 1.8pts.
- The 'time to buy a major household item' subindex increased 7.5pts.

ANZ-Roy Morgan Consumer Confidence and inflation expectations

Last week 25 Nov - 1 Dec	25 Nov – 1 change,		Monthly average since 1990	Inflation expectations (four-week ma)	
88.4	2.7	86.9	109.9	4.9%	

The weekly ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence Rating is based on 1,503 interviews conducted online and over the telephone during the week to Sunday. *Not seasonally adjusted. Further data history on page 6.

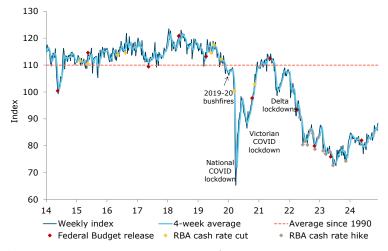
ANZ Economist, Sophia Angala, commented:

ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence rose 2.7pts last week to 88.4pts, its highest level since May 2022. The rise in confidence was seen across most subindices. Households' economic outlook over the next year declined 0.8pts, but is still within the narrow range of 77-83pts since October.

The 'time to buy a major household item' subindex ticked up 7.5pts as Black Friday related sales continued. This represented the subindex's largest weekly rise since Black Friday sales in 2023, to its highest level since May 2022.

Weekly inflation expectations dropped 0.2ppt to 4.8% last week, a pullback from the rise to 5.0% the week prior. This comes after the monthly CPI indicator showed headline inflation was 2.1% in October, well within the RBA's 2-3% target band. Though we should note that the components measured in the October monthly CPI indicator are skewed away from the main categories causing inflation.

Consumer confidence rose 2.7pts last week



Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan, ANZ Research



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

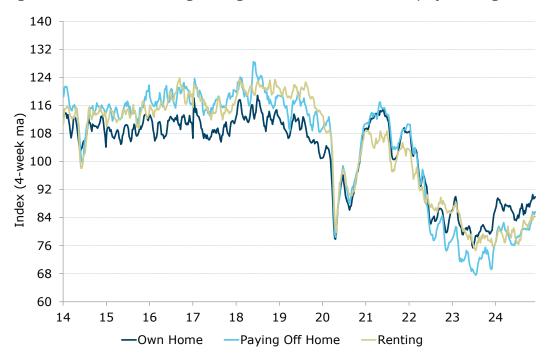


Figure 2. 'Weekly inflation expectations' fell 0.2ppt to 4.8%

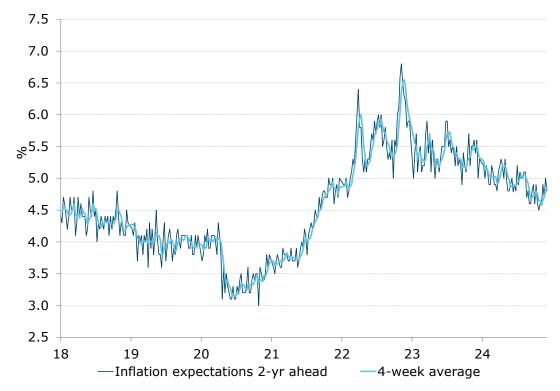


Figure 3. Confidence in both financial and economic conditions increased

Confidence in financial conditions*

—4 week moving average

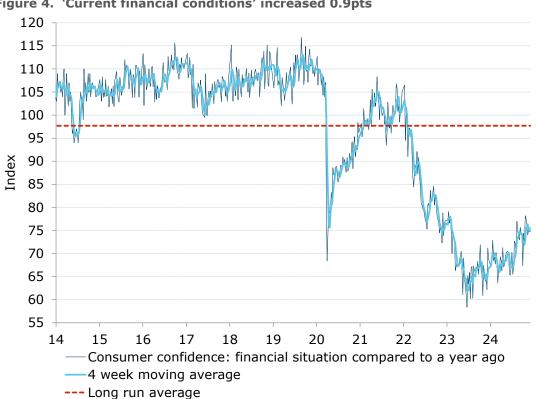


Figure 4. 'Current financial conditions' increased 0.9pts

-Confidence in economic conditions** —4 week moving average

^{*}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 5. 'Future financial conditions' increased 4.0pts

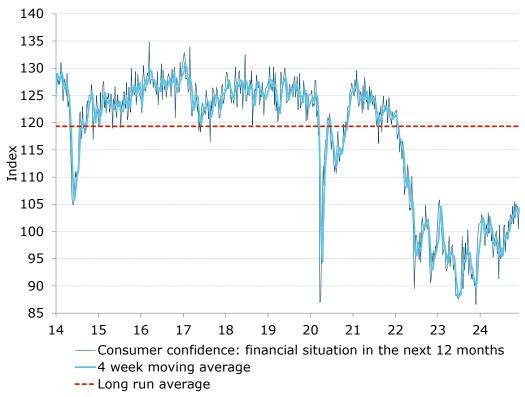


Figure 6. 'Short-term economic confidence' declined 0.8pts

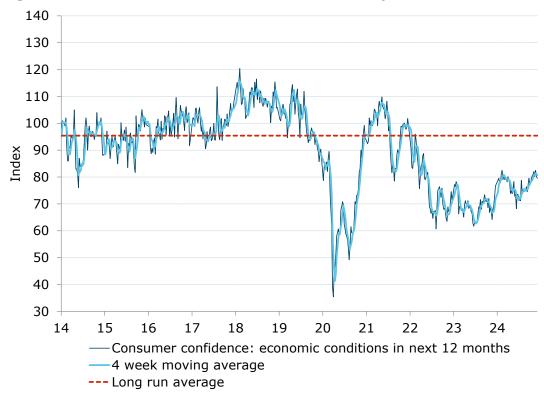




Figure 7. 'Medium-term economic confidence' rose 1.8pts

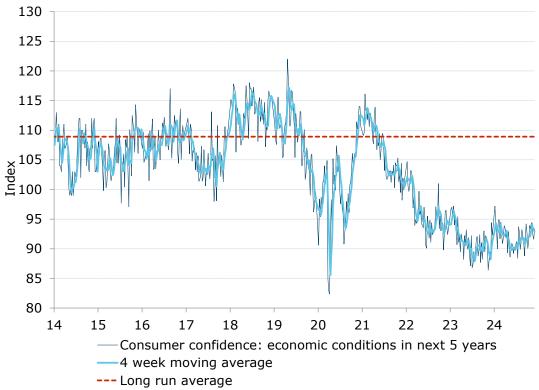


Figure 8. 'Time to buy a major household item' increased 7.5pts





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 2015 avg	111	-	104	121	94	106	132	4.9
2015 avg 2016 avg	112 115	-	107 109	124 127	94 99	106 108	131 134	4.4 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
22-Oct-23	78.2	78.2	65.5	92.2	72.0	92.2	69.2	5.7
29-Oct-23	75.0	77.4	60.9	91.2	66.8	91.9	64.3	5.2
5-Nov-23	77.8	76.9	67.4	91.4	68.7	91.1	70.3	5.5
12-Nov-23 19-Nov-23	74.3 74.7	76.3 75.5	65.5 64.0	90.1 90.4	67.0 64.2	86.4 87.9	62.7 67.2	5.5 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 18-Feb-24	82.6 82.8	83.3 82.9	67.7 70.2	97.4 100.2	82.5 79.1	94.9 91.7	70.3 72.9	4.9 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
21-Apr-24	80.3	82.1	67.1	95.3	73.9	89.3	75.9	5.0
28-Apr-24 5-May-24	81.1 80.5	81.7 81.4	67.5 68.9	96.7 98.8	74.9 73.8	92.9 89.6	73.4 71.5	5.3 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
7-Jul-24 14-Jul-24	79.0 78.5	80.3 79.8	65.5	96.5 95.4	71.8 71.2	91.2 88.4	69.7	4.9 5.1
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4-Aug-24	81.3	81.8	69.9	96.3	74.4	89.9	76.0	5.1
11-Aug-24	83.9	83.2	77.0	99.4	74.7	91.1	77.3	5.1
18-Aug-24	83.0	82.8	75.1	99.9	75.6	93.2	71.3	4.7
25-Aug-24	82.6	82.7	73.6	98.9	74.8	91.8	73.9	4.8
1-Sep-24	83.1	83.2	73.0	101.9	76.4	91.5	72.5	4.6
8-Sep-24	82.3	82.8	75.7	99.9	74.6	88.8	72.6	4.6
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