# 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: down to a 2024 low

- Consumer confidence decreased 3.2pts to 80.3pts. The four-week moving average fell 0.7pts to 82.1pts.
- 'Weekly inflation expectations' fell 0.2ppt to 5.0%, however the four-week moving average remained unchanged at 5.2%.
- The financial conditions subindices both declined. 'Current financial conditions' (over last year) dropped 4.2pts and 'future financial conditions' (next 12 months) fell 4.6pts.
- Household confidence in the economic outlook also dropped. 'Short term economic confidence' (next 12 months) decreased 3.7pts and 'Medium term economic confidence' (next five years) declined 3.6pts.
- The `time to buy a major household item' subindex was stable.

## ANZ-Roy Morgan Consumer Confidence and inflation expectations

Last week (15-21 Apr)	Weekly change, pts	Four-week average	Monthly average since 1990	Inflation expectations (four-week ma)
80.3	-3.2	82.1	110.5	5.2%

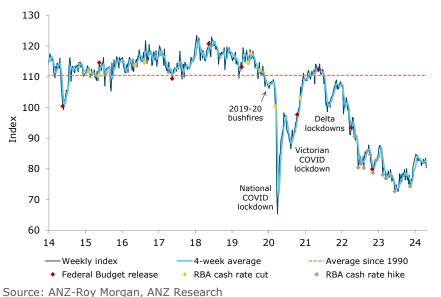
The weekly ANZ-Roy Morgan Australian Consumer Confidence Rating is based on 1,515 interviews conducted online and over the telephone during the week to Sunday.\* Not seasonally adjusted. Further data history on page 6.

## ANZ Economist, Madeline Dunk, commented:

ANZ-Roy Morgan Consumer Confidence declined to its lowest level this year. Looking at the next 12 months, confidence in the outlook for the economy and for households' personal finances both recorded the largest weekly declines since October last year. Both subindices fell to a 2024 low. Confidence about the economic outlook over the next five years also dropped to its weakest level for the year.

Confidence fell across the three housing cohorts. There was a particularly sharp fall in confidence amongst renters. Meanwhile, those paying off a mortgage recorded their lowest level of confidence this year.

## Consumer confidence decreased 3.2pts last week



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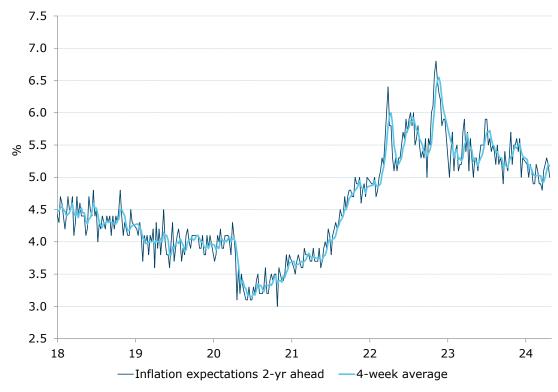




Figure 1. Four-week moving average of consumer confidence, by housing cohorts

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan





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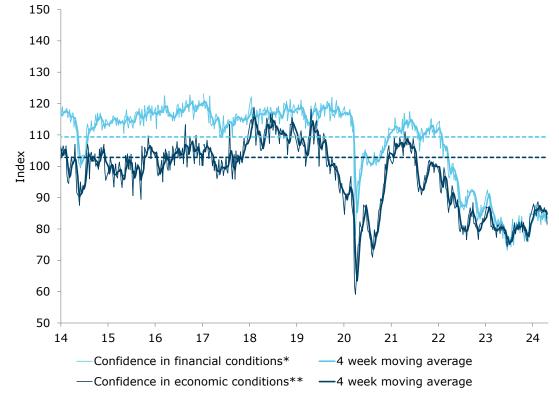


Figure 3. Confidence in both economic and financial conditions declined

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan

\*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.

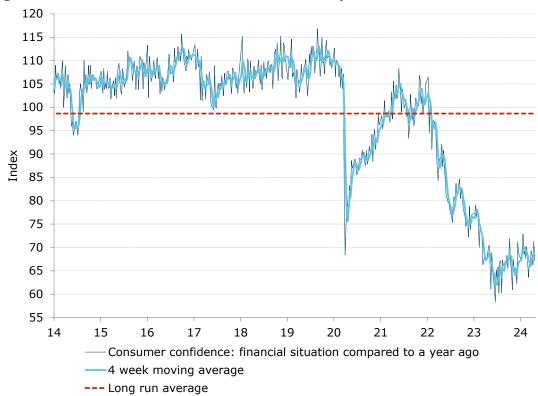


Figure 4. 'Current financial conditions' declined 4.2pts

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan



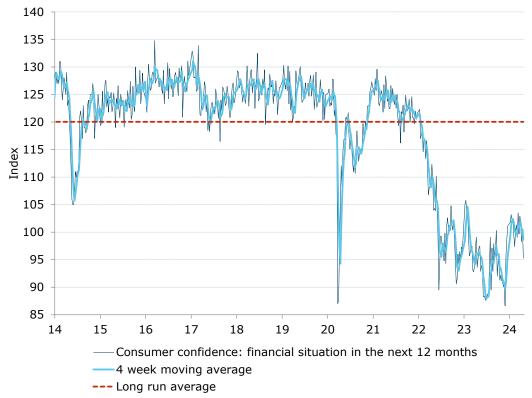
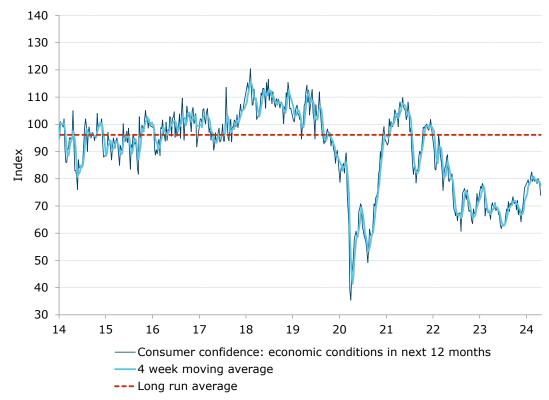


Figure 5. 'Future financial conditions' dropped 4.6pts

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan

Figure 6. 'Short term economic confidence' fell 3.7pts



Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan



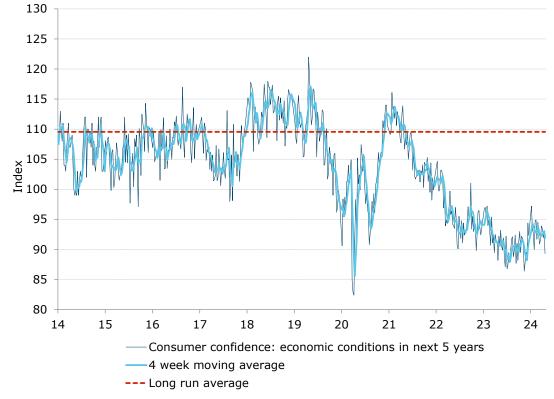
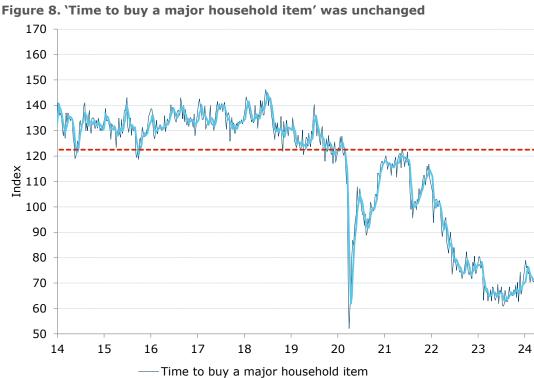


Figure 7. 'Medium term economic confidence' decreased 3.6pts

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan



-4 week moving average

--- Long run average

Source: ANZ-Roy Morgan



	Headline index Subindices Inflation expectatio							
	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-year ahead (%)
Avg since						fears		
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 2013 avg	113 119	-	99 104	118 128	97 106	113 118	138 139	5.8 5.0
2013 avg 2014 avg	119	-	104	120	94	106	139	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	119 114	-	108 109	126 126	109 101	113 109	135 126	4.4 4.0
2019 avg 2020 avg	96	-	92	117	69	109	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
8-Jan-23	87.4 87.7	83.9	77.3 79.1	105.1	77.2	96.8	80.5 79.9	5.0 5.4
15-Jan-23 22-Jan-23	85.9	85.1 85.9	76.6	105.8 103.5	76.5 78.3	97.0 95.1	75.8	5.7
29-Jan-23	86.8	87.0	78.1	104.1	77.3	97.2	77.2	5.1
5-Feb-23	83.6	86.0	74.9	99.4	75.6	94.0	74.3	5.4
12-Feb-23	78.1	83.6	70.0	95.7	66.3	95.2	63.3	5.5
19-Feb-23	80.4	82.2	74.9	96.3	69.1	92.8	69.0	5.1
26-Feb-23 5-Mar-23	80.0 79.9	80.5 79.6	74.2 72.7	97.2 97.5	68.8 67.6	90.7 95.4	69.1 66.4	5.2
12-Mar-23	79.9	79.3	66.3	93.1	67.9	91.1	66.5	5.7
19-Mar-23	76.5	78.4	67.2	92.8	67.2	92.1	63.0	5.9
26-Mar-23	76.6	77.5	68.2	94.0	65.1	89.5	65.9	5.4
2-Apr-23	78.2	77.1	67.2	97.1	69.7	92.5	64.5	5.7
9-Apr-23	79.3	77.7	67.2	99.1	71.2	91.5	67.4	5.1
16-Apr-23 23-Apr-23	77.2 78.0	77.8 78.2	68.3 69.5	93.6 95.2	70.0 68.9	91.4 88.2	62.9 68.5	5.6 5.3
30-Apr-23	79.8	78.6	70.5	97.2	71.2	92.2	68.1	5.0
7-May-23	77.7	78.2	66.5	97.5	68.3	90.6	65.4	5.3
14-May-23	75.9	77.9	61.1	92.9	68.9	93.2	63.2	5.3
21-May-23	77.3	77.7	69.0	93.9	69.0	90.5	64.2	5.1
28-May-23	76.2 75.8	76.8 76.3	64.7 63.1	93.6	67.0	89.9 91.9	65.5 69.5	5.3 5.5
4-Jun-23 11-Jun-23	73.8	75.5	61.2	88.3 88.4	66.4 62.9	88.8	61.9	5.5
18-Jun-23	72.4	74.3	58.4	88.0	61.7	87.1	67.0	5.5
25-Jun-23	74.9	74.0	65.2	87.6	63.1	92.2	66.5	5.9
2-Jul-23	74.1	73.5	63.4	88.3	63.4	86.8	68.5	5.9
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