AIB-ESRI Housing Market Index.

The index is based on a telephone survey of over 800 consumers each month across the country. The survey has been conducted by the ESRI since July 2013. It consists of a series of questions which ask about consumers' perception of the housing market and their house price expectations.



Some Key Findings (as at December 2013)



Increased Housing Market Index - Customer Satisfaction Increase



Overall the Housing Market Index (3 month rolling average) has increased steadily to **104.4** at the end of December.



Increased Housing Market Confidence - Increase in Consumer Confidence

46.3%

There has been a **positive shift** in Housing Market confidence from July to December 2013.

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The number of consumers surveyed that think house prices will be $\mbox{\bf higher}$ in

the next 12 months has increased from 29.2% to 46.3%.



Expected % house price change in the next 12 months.

	Jul 2013	Aug 2013	Sep 2013	Oct 2013	Nov 2013	Dec 2013
Total	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.7	2.1
BMW*	-0.1	0.0	0.5	0.3	1.5	1.3
Dublin	1.8	2.4	1.5	3.0	3.3	3.6
Rest of Country	0.2	0.2	1.1	0.8	0.8	1.6

^{*}BMW means Border, Midlands and West region.

Main Risks - Consumer Concerns

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noted in December by those consumers surveyed included:





Future income/ affordability concerns



Increasing interest rates



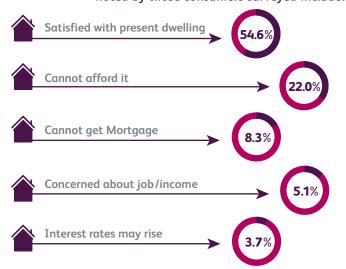
Changes in house prices



circumstances

Main Reasons For Not Buying

noted by those consumers surveyed include:











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If you do not keep up your repayments you may lose your home.

WARNING

The cost of your monthly repayments may increase.

WARNING

If you do not meet the repayments on your credit agreement, your account will go into arrears, this may effect your credit rating, which may limit your ability to access credit in the future.

WARNING: IF YOU CANCEL OR MAKE A CLAIM FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF A DIRECT DEBIT REPAYING YOUR MORTGAGE ACCOUNT, AND FAIL TO MAKE ALTERNATIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR PAYMENT, YOUR ACCOUNT WILL GO INTO ARREARS.

WARNING: YOUR HOME IS AT RISK IF YOU DO NOT KEEP UP PAYMENTS ON A MORTGAGE OR ANY OTHER LOAN SECURED ON IT.

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Execution and registration of the mortgage deed will involve payment by you of your solicitor's fees, outlays and registration fees. The amount of solicitor's fees can be determined by negotiation with your solicitor, who will also inform you of the amount of the outlays and registration fees.

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