

The Bank of Ireland Regional Pulses combine the views of households and firms around the country. The results for December 2018 (3 month moving average basis) show that sentiment was down on the month in Dublin, the Rest of Leinster, Munster and Connacht/Ulster.

On the consumer front, there was a broad based scaling back of expectations for the economy this month, and in the main households were also more downbeat about their own financial prospects. The business mood was fairly subdued too, with firms generally more circumspect about business activity and hiring compared with November.



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