

Used internationally as a bellwether of labor market trends, the Net Employment Outlook (NEO) — calculated by subtracting the percentage of employers who anticipate reductions to staffing levels from those who plan to hire — **now stands at 39%**.



Tech Hiring Changes Over Time

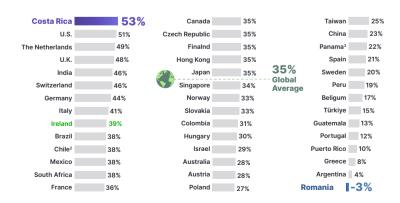
The following shows the trends in Tech hiring in Ireland over the past 3 years. The market has been volatile overall driven by wider economic confidence and the effects of the post pandemic hiring patterns and subsequent retrenching. As we approach Q4 we are seeing hiring levels not seen since Q4 2021.

Steady



IT Hiring Expectations for October through December

Key countries in Central and North America expect the strongest IT Outlook in Q4 2024.



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This research is based on results from the ManpowerGroup Employment Outlock Survey — the forgest running, most comprehensive, forward-looking employment survey of its ixing, used globally as a key labor market indicator. MampowerGroup interview 35 912 f employees access 42 countries on hing interetions for the fourth quarter of 2024. *ManpowerGroup Talent Shortage Survey (fielded Oct. 2023). * Chile pined in Q2 2024. There is currently no historical data and the data has not been assonally adjusted. *The I'match's pharma yielded and a small sample size in the Q4 Survey on these inholds be travel as should be traveled as indicative only.



