

GROSS VALUE ADDED

ANNEX 3

Table 1(a)(i) - Headline¹ Gross Value Added² (Workplace Basis) per Head Indices

GVA Index (UK = 100)	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1989	100	84.2	91.5	90.8	96.3	92.8	96.7	150.0	100.5	93.0	102.0	84.8	97.7	74.8	
1990	100	84.0	91.5	90.5	95.5	92.7	96.6	150.0	100.7	92.9	101.9	84.3	98.4	75.3	
1991	100	84.5	91.0	90.5	95.1	92.0	96.1	149.6	101.4	92.9	101.8	83.3	99.8	77.0	
1992	100	84.9	91.1	90.0	94.7	91.9	96.3	149.2	101.9	92.4	101.7	83.4	100.3	77.9	
1993	100	84.2	90.9	89.4	94.1	92.1	96.5	149.3	102.7	92.4	101.7	82.9	100.0	79.0	
1994	100	83.8	90.9	89.0	94.1	92.8	96.7	148.1	103.1	92.3	101.7	83.2	100.5	79.3	
1995	100	83.5	90.7	89.7	94.4	93.3	96.8	145.9	103.4	92.4	101.6	83.7	100.6	80.7	
1996	100	82.3	90.1	89.9	94.4	92.9	96.6	146.2	104.1	93.5	101.7	82.6	99.9	81.3	
1997	100	81.2	89.5	89.7	94.1	93.0	96.1	148.0	105.1	93.4	101.9	81.2	98.8	80.6	
1998	100	79.8	88.8	88.8	92.5	92.3	95.9	151.5	107.0	93.1	102.2	79.4	97.0	80.2	
1999	100	79.2	89.0	88.0	91.6	91.9	95.5	152.2	108.1	93.1	102.3	78.5	96.0	80.5	
2000	100	79.0	88.6	87.7	91.1	91.8	95.5	151.6	109.1	93.1	102.4	78.4	95.7	80.8	
2001	100	79.2	89.0	87.8	91.4	91.6	95.8	150.1	109.5	93.4	102.4	78.9	95.1	80.4	
2002	100	79.1	88.5	88.0	90.9	90.9	96.0	150.9	109.4	93.3	102.4	78.6	95.5	80.0	
2003	100	79.3	88.4	88.5	90.9	90.6	96.4	150.6	109.2	93.0	102.3	78.8	96.2	79.9	
2004	100	79.9	88.9	88.8	91.5	91.2	96.9	148.5	109.1	92.9	102.3	79.1	96.2	80.2	

Source: Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

Table 1(a)(ii) - Headline¹ Gross Value Added² (Workplace Basis)

£ per Head	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1989	7,919	6,665	7,247	7,190	7,624	7,351	7,657	11,877	7,957	7,362	8,078	6,715	7,735	5,921	
1990	8,585	7,208	7,853	7,772	8,201	7,962	8,296	12,876	8,641	7,974	8,751	7,234	8,449	6,467	
1991	8,946	7,560	8,139	8,097	8,507	8,231	8,601	13,379	9,072	8,314	9,107	7,451	8,924	6,890	
1992	9,313	7,904	8,483	8,385	8,815	8,559	8,965	13,898	9,491	8,609	9,473	7,764	9,338	7,257	
1993	9,774	8,231	8,885	8,735	9,199	9,006	9,432	14,595	10,041	9,035	9,944	8,106	9,776	7,718	
1994	10,299	8,629	9,365	9,171	9,696	9,562	9,954	15,248	10,615	9,501	10,470	8,571	10,350	8,171	
1995	10,787	9,008	9,789	9,677	10,188	10,059	10,447	15,735	11,155	9,966	10,956	9,026	10,857	8,703	
1996	11,415	9,396	10,286	10,263	10,776	10,605	11,031	16,690	11,884	10,669	11,608	9,431	11,402	9,275	
1997	12,093	9,820	10,827	10,847	11,375	11,250	11,627	17,901	12,706	11,295	12,324	9,822	11,952	9,743	
1998	12,840	10,244	11,407	11,403	11,877	11,855	12,310	19,452	13,733	11,949	13,126	10,189	12,449	10,296	
1999	13,377	10,589	11,902	11,776	12,253	12,291	12,774	20,364	14,456	12,455	13,691	10,506	12,847	10,766	
2000	13,917	10,995	12,336	12,208	12,683	12,782	13,293	21,092	15,187	12,957	14,247	10,917	13,312	11,241	
2001	14,586	11,552	12,980	12,806	13,325	13,361	13,967	21,899	15,977	13,621	14,938	11,515	13,864	11,731	
2002	15,344	12,136	13,586	13,510	13,950	13,944	14,725	23,161	16,791	14,312	15,711	12,067	14,658	12,274	
2003	16,144	12,805	14,269	14,284	14,682	14,624	15,565	24,320	17,631	15,019	16,521	12,716	15,523	12,893	
2004	16,802	13,433	14,940	14,928	15,368	15,325	16,281	24,955	18,329	15,611	17,188	13,292	16,157	13,482	

1 The headline regional GVA series for this publication have been calculated using a five-period moving average.

2 Estimates of workplace based GVA allocate income to the region in which commuters work. Regional GVA figures from 1989 to 2003 have been revised due to revisions to national controls (Blue Book 2005) and survey results.

3 Excluding Extra-Region income.

Source: Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

GROSS VALUE ADDED AND HOUSEHOLD DISPOSABLE INCOME PER HEAD

Table 1(b)(i) - Gross disposable household sector income per head¹

Index (UK = 100)	United Kingdom ²	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1995	100	87.9	92.5	92.6	93.1	92.4	106.4	119.5	110.8	100.6	101.4	90.2	95.8	88.6
1996	100	87.2	92.3	92.4	93.0	92.1	106.7	119.9	112.1	100.5	101.6	88.9	95.4	87.3
1997	100	86.7	92.3	92.3	92.7	91.8	106.6	120.7	113.2	100.0	101.8	87.8	94.7	86.3
1998	100	86.1	92.2	92.4	92.4	91.5	106.4	121.5	114.0	99.7	101.9	87.0	94.0	86.0
1999	100	85.5	92.1	91.8	91.8	91.5	106.6	122.5	114.2	99.5	102.0	86.6	93.4	85.6
2000	100	84.9	91.7	91.5	91.6	91.4	107.1	122.7	114.4	99.2	102.0	86.6	93.3	85.6
2001	100	84.5	91.4	90.8	91.8	91.2	108.0	122.0	114.9	99.4	102.0	86.9	93.3	85.5
2002	100	84.8	91.3	90.8	92.1	91.2	108.5	120.8	114.9	99.3	101.8	87.4	93.9	85.6
2003	100	84.8	91.2	91.0	92.6	91.2	108.4	120.3	114.7	99.4	101.8	87.6	94.3	85.5
2004 ³	100	85.1	91.5	91.3	93.0	91.5	108.4	119.4	114.4	99.3	101.7	88.0	94.5	85.7

Table 1(b)(ii) - Gross disposable household income - £ per head¹

£ per head	United Kingdom ²	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1995	8,583	7,547	7,942	7,944	7,995	7,934	9,131	10,260	9,508	8,638	8,704	7,742	8,226	7,604
1996	9,068	7,908	8,374	8,376	8,430	8,351	9,672	10,871	10,166	9,112	9,212	8,065	8,648	7,912
1997	9,604	8,330	8,865	8,866	8,900	8,813	10,234	11,592	10,875	9,600	9,773	8,428	9,096	8,287
1998	9,917	8,534	9,140	9,164	9,161	9,078	10,554	12,045	11,303	9,888	10,103	8,628	9,325	8,526
1999	10,369	8,861	9,545	9,520	9,515	9,486	11,053	12,702	11,845	10,321	10,573	8,980	9,683	8,881
2000	10,950	9,293	10,044	10,016	10,032	10,011	11,729	13,437	12,532	10,860	11,166	9,479	10,215	9,376
2001	11,621	9,822	10,620	10,554	10,670	10,600	12,549	14,183	13,348	11,546	11,848	10,096	10,840	9,935
2002	11,948	10,127	10,908	10,851	11,009	10,891	12,964	14,431	13,723	11,870	12,169	10,437	11,225	10,233
2003	12,476	10,583	11,377	11,352	11,554	11,383	13,525	15,004	14,310	12,407	12,701	10,924	11,763	10,667
2004 ³	12,816	10,906	11,723	11,705	11,918	11,729	13,889	15,298	14,656	12,721	13,040	11,278	12,116	10,988

1 The headline regional GDHI series for this publication have been calculated using a five point moving average.

2 Excluding Extra-Regio.

3 Provisional.

Source: Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY

Table 2(a) - Gross Value Added per workforce job¹ by broad industry sector

£ thousand		United Kingdom ²	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
All industries	1996	24.3	22.4	22.2	21.8	22.8	21.8	23.8	29.4	24.0	21.9	23.8	22.5	23.6	21.4
	1997	25.3	23.1	23.2	22.8	23.6	23.1	24.6	30.7	25.3	22.7	24.9	23.4	24.7	22.1
	1998	26.5	23.8	24.7	24.1	24.7	24.2	25.7	32.3	27.0	24.1	26.3	24.4	25.6	23.3
	1999	27.4	25.0	25.2	25.0	25.1	25.1	26.8	33.0	27.9	25.2	27.2	24.7	26.6	23.8
	2000	28.5	25.9	26.0	25.5	26.3	26.1	27.0	33.4	29.0	26.3	28.0	25.3	27.2	24.5
	2001	29.6	27.4	27.1	26.7	27.9	27.3	28.3	35.0	30.3	27.2	29.2	26.5	27.4	25.4
	2002	31.0	28.1	27.9	28.1	29.5	28.5	29.9	37.8	31.3	28.2	30.7	27.6	29.0	26.4
2003	32.4	29.1	29.1	29.1	30.9	29.8	31.4	39.5	33.1	29.6	32.1	28.5	30.4	27.3	
Manufacturing	1996	32.5	31.6	33.4	30.9	30.5	28.1	32.8	41.9	34.8	29.4	32.3	34.0	35.5	27.5
	1997	33.7	33.4	33.8	31.9	31.7	29.2	33.9	43.1	36.3	30.8	33.4	35.5	37.0	28.5
	1998	34.0	33.6	33.8	32.3	31.3	29.3	33.5	44.1	36.4	32.8	33.7	34.9	37.8	29.7
	1999	35.2	35.7	35.2	32.5	31.7	29.4	34.9	45.8	38.6	34.8	34.9	35.3	39.3	32.0
	2000	36.2	36.4	35.8	34.0	32.9	30.8	34.8	45.4	40.1	36.5	36.0	35.6	39.7	34.4
	2001	37.4	38.6	38.2	35.9	34.5	32.3	35.0	47.8	40.6	35.8	37.2	36.6	40.4	35.3
	2002	38.5	39.1	39.2	37.8	36.6	32.8	36.4	50.0	41.4	36.0	38.4	36.9	41.4	35.4
2003	39.9	39.8	40.1	39.2	38.3	33.7	38.3	50.4	43.3	38.1	39.8	37.2	44.3	37.6	
Services	1996	22.9	19.8	20.0	19.8	20.4	20.1	22.5	31.4	23.5	21.5	23.2	20.1	21.4	20.4
	1997	24.0	20.7	21.1	20.9	21.2	21.4	23.4	32.5	24.9	22.3	24.3	21.0	22.4	21.3
	1998	26.0	21.6	23.0	22.7	23.2	23.1	25.2	34.9	27.3	24.1	26.4	22.8	23.9	22.6
	1999	26.7	22.6	23.5	23.8	23.6	24.0	26.2	35.1	27.9	24.9	27.1	23.3	25.0	23.2
	2000	27.8	23.7	24.6	24.5	24.9	25.2	26.6	36.3	29.5	26.1	28.2	24.0	26.2	23.9
	2001	29.0	25.0	25.5	25.6	26.7	26.3	27.9	37.9	30.9	27.2	29.5	25.1	26.1	24.8
	2002	30.8	26.1	26.6	27.0	28.3	27.8	29.9	41.8	32.0	28.8	31.4	26.6	28.0	26.2
2003	32.4	27.2	28.0	28.1	29.5	29.4	31.5	44.2	33.9	29.9	33.0	27.6	29.6	27.2	
Other industries	1996	29.3	26.6	23.9	23.8	25.3	24.1	25.1	27.0	21.1	20.5	23.6	20.9	27.2	22.4
	1997	29.1	24.0	24.5	24.9	24.6	25.2	24.8	30.0	21.0	20.3	23.9	20.9	29.1	21.4
	1998	28.4	25.3	26.7	25.2	24.3	25.1	24.7	28.8	21.5	20.2	24.2	20.3	27.7	22.3
	1999	30.2	28.7	26.7	26.2	25.1	29.3	25.2	32.1	22.4	21.8	25.7	20.1	27.7	20.5
	2000	33.8	29.4	28.8	27.0	26.8	29.3	26.5	31.8	22.6	23.2	26.6	22.2	27.8	20.6
	2001	35.0	33.3	29.4	27.2	27.4	32.1	28.5	34.4	23.6	23.9	28.0	24.8	30.5	21.8
	2002	36.7	31.8	31.3	30.7	30.3	33.6	29.9	36.9	26.0	24.6	29.9	25.8	33.2	23.0
2003	38.7	34.7	32.4	31.8	33.5	34.7	31.8	39.6	28.6	28.4	32.2	28.2	35.1	24.3	

1 Workforce jobs are calculated by summing employee jobs, self-employment jobs from the Labour Force Survey, HM Forces and government-supported trainees.

2 Estimates for the United Kingdom include ex-regio GVA data which are excluded from other areas shown in the table. All GVA data presented here exceed published GVA estimates because the FISIM adjustment has not been made (see section 1 of Definitions for details).

Source: Office for National Statistics and Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment, Northern Ireland

LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY

Table 2(b)(i) - Gross Value Added per filled job

Index UK = 100	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1996	100	94.4	93.8	92.0	96.3	92.1	100.1	123.8	101.9	92.7	100.6	94.4	99.6	90.3
1997	100	93.4	93.7	92.3	95.4	93.2	99.7	123.3	101.6	92.0	100.6	94.5	99.7	89.3
1998	100	91.2	94.4	92.3	94.7	92.6	99.6	123.0	103.4	92.8	100.8	93.4	98.2	89.2
1999	100	92.9	93.5	92.8	93.3	93.1	97.8	122.9	104.7	93.9	100.9	91.6	98.8	88.4
2000	100	93.6	93.9	92.2	94.7	94.1	97.9	122.4	105.2	95.1	101.0	91.4	98.3	88.4
2001	100	94.9	93.7	92.4	96.5	94.5	98.2	122.1	104.7	94.3	101.3	91.8	95.0	88.0
2002	100	92.5	92.0	92.6	97.3	93.9	97.4	123.6	104.0	93.4	101.3	91.0	95.6	87.0
2003	100	91.7	91.7	91.8	97.3	93.9	99.5	123.5	104.9	93.7	101.3	90.0	96.0	86.2
2004	100	92.2	91.4	90.2	97.5	94.6	100.9	124.7	104.2	92.8	101.3	89.7	96.8	85.8

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS

Table 2(b)(ii) - Gross Value Added per hour worked

Index UK = 100	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1996	100	97.9	94.0	94.1	98.1	91.3	100.0	118.8	102.2	93.7	100.5	93.9	101.1	89.5
1997	100	94.5	94.5	94.0	95.9	91.8	100.2	120.1	101.6	93.6	100.6	94.2	100.9	88.0
1998	100	94.6	95.1	93.4	95.0	91.0	100.6	119.1	104.1	94.3	100.8	92.7	98.8	88.3
1999	100	95.7	94.6	94.1	93.9	93.6	98.7	116.6	105.4	95.8	100.8	93.0	99.2	86.7
2000	100	94.9	94.0	94.1	94.8	93.5	98.6	117.6	106.3	98.1	101.0	93.3	98.2	85.8
2001	100	98.1	94.2	94.7	96.6	94.5	97.9	116.1	106.0	96.5	101.2	92.3	95.8	87.6
2002	100	94.9	93.0	93.0	97.1	93.7	98.6	117.5	105.2	95.9	101.2	92.0	96.4	85.7
2003	100	93.9	92.5	92.2	96.8	93.8	100.8	116.7	107.2	97.0	101.3	90.6	96.8	83.3
2004	100	93.6	92.5	91.4	98.5	94.0	101.2	118.8	105.5	95.1	101.3	90.7	98.1	81.9

Source: Employment, Earnings and Productivity Division, ONS

INVESTMENT AND OUTPUT BY UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES

Table 3(a)(i) - Manufacturing investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	5,960	610	548	251	554	805	347	323	727	374	4,540	466	753	201
	1999	4,517	425	450	304	333	446	353	412	615	334	3,673	338	345	160
	2000	4,959	284	483	332	614	326	329	828	447	3,966	269	543	182	
	2001	5,857	633	421	440	341	888	398	196	883	638	4,837	354	497	169
	2002	4,143	425	488	409	300	454	285	167	644	320	3,491	279	273	98
	2003	4,581	382	497	572	325	470	389	287	704	257	3,883	368	239	91
Average (1998-2003)	5,003	460	481	385	363	613	350	286	734	395	4,065	346	442	150	
UK	1998	14,220	651	2,356	1,610	1,129	1,380	1,128	910	1,540	1,015	11,719	925	1,148	428
	1999	13,229	552	2,084	1,222	1,234	1,494	868	1,050	1,592	1,027	11,123	687	1,049	371
	2000	11,665	452	1,652	1,104	967	1,242	1,093	861	1,356	858	9,586	691	1,034	355
	2001	10,436	507	1,561	969	940	923	1,012	934	1,093	754	8,693	501	960	282
	2002	9,176	391	1,413	946	747	846	787	518	1,045	818	7,510	632	749	285
	2003	8,350	300	1,343	912	771	736	743	520	782	689	6,796	552	738	265
Average (1998-2003)	11,179	476	1,735	1,127	965	1,104	939	799	1,235	860	9,238	665	946	331	

Table 3(a)(ii) - Services investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	3,979	175	244	113	135	272	1,062	389	1,151	188	3,729	54	158	39
	1999	4,617	228	186	161	148	326	462	1,207	1,400	215	4,333	86	136	62
	2000	8,902	416	462	459	322	532	1,100	1,788	2,881	423	8,384	127	332	59
	2001	7,318	218	533	290	367	544	640	1,812	1,729	404	6,536	108	590	84
	2002	6,971	555	482	320	319	485	633	1,205	1,920	464	6,383	115	429	44
	2003	6,816	457	526	347	371	514	577	1,235	1,835	415	6,277	109	369	61
Average (1998-2003)	6,434	342	406	282	277	446	746	1,273	1,819	352	5,940	100	336	58	
UK	1998	48,389	1,762	5,168	3,076	2,508	3,776	3,159	12,809	6,507	3,038	41,803	1,472	4,182	932
	1999	50,456	1,942	5,278	2,964	2,911	2,908	4,291	11,854	7,996	3,687	43,832	1,646	4,032	946
	2000	50,599	1,649	4,701	3,361	2,283	3,509	4,182	12,998	7,630	4,414	44,727	1,153	3,809	910
	2001	49,640	1,735	5,673	3,242	2,217	4,021	3,951	11,107	7,502	4,016	43,466	1,478	3,657	1,039
	2002	47,345	1,297	5,206	3,969	1,867	3,412	3,872	9,402	7,885	4,083	40,993	1,124	4,394	835
	2003	46,719	1,037	5,064	3,756	1,921	2,844	4,343	11,072	7,373	3,467	40,877	1,158	3,756	928
Average (1998-2003)	48,858	1,570	5,182	3,395	2,285	3,412	3,966	11,540	7,482	3,784	42,616	1,339	3,972	932	

1 ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

Source: Annual Business Inquiry (ABI), Office for National Statistics

INVESTMENT AND OUTPUT BY UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES

Table 3(a)(iii) - Other investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	4,062	73	11	11	37	5	197	837	896	85	2,152	7	1,899	3
	1999	3,123	67	13	8	45	17	372	784	293	3	1,601	12	1,506	4
	2000	2,823	16	21	110	39	33	437	346	164	81	1,248	47	1,526	3
	2001	3,587	135	40	12	39	20	172	1,110	261	67	1,856	6	1,722	3
	2002	*	121	22	9	83	23	206	1,158	278	223	2,123	*	1,864	*
	2003	*	146	25	169	148	*	200	*	287	200	2,845	*	2,660	*
Average (1998-2003)	..	93	22	53	65	..	264	..	363	110	1,971	..	1,863	..	
UK	1998	9,947	351	780	720	616	673	691	1,628	1,073	588	7,120	438	2,111	277
	1999	9,226	513	810	726	566	616	500	699	1,372	1,047	6,850	395	1,594	388
	2000	7,819	535	675	425	520	608	698	610	1,176	729	5,975	211	1,202	430
	2001	8,438	332	805	678	535	590	468	587	1,362	724	6,082	389	1,461	506
	2002	*	310	856	650	632	870	495	684	1,836	633	6,965	*	1,164	*
	2003	*	288	889	486	473	*	467	*	1,295	412	5,643	*	1,189	*
Average (1998-2003)	..	388	803	614	557	..	553	..	1,352	689	6,439	..	1,454	..	

Table 3(a)(iv) - Total Investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	14,001	859	802	375	726	1,082	1,607	1,548	2,774	647	10,420	527	2,810	243
	1999	12,258	721	649	473	526	789	1,187	2,403	2,308	552	9,607	436	1,988	227
	2000	16,685	716	965	901	683	1,179	1,863	2,464	3,873	952	13,597	443	2,401	243
	2001	16,762	985	993	742	747	1,452	1,210	3,118	2,872	1,109	13,229	468	2,809	257
	2002	*	1,101	992	738	702	962	1,124	2,530	2,842	1,007	11,997	*	2,566	*
	2003	*	985	1,048	1,088	844	*	1,166	*	2,826	872	13,005	*	3,268	*
Average (1998-2003)	..	895	908	720	705	..	1,360	..	2,916	857	11,976	..	2,640	..	
UK	1998	72,556	2,765	8,304	5,406	4,252	5,830	4,978	15,347	9,120	4,641	60,643	2,835	7,441	1,637
	1999	72,911	3,008	8,173	4,912	4,711	5,017	5,659	13,603	10,961	5,761	61,804	2,728	6,675	1,705
	2000	70,084	2,636	7,029	4,889	3,770	5,358	5,973	14,469	10,162	6,001	60,288	2,056	6,046	1,695
	2001	68,514	2,575	8,039	4,890	3,692	5,534	5,431	12,629	9,958	5,494	58,241	2,368	6,078	1,827
	2002	*	1,998	7,475	5,565	3,246	5,128	5,154	10,604	10,766	5,534	55,468	*	6,307	*
	2003	*	1,625	7,296	5,154	3,165	*	5,553	*	9,450	4,568	53,316	*	5,683	*
Average (1998-2003)	..	2,435	7,719	5,136	3,806	..	5,458	..	10,070	5,333	58,293	..	6,372	..	

* Disclosive data.

¹ ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

Source: Annual Business Inquiry (ABI), Office for National Statistics

INVESTMENT AND OUTPUT BY UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES

Table 3(b)(i) - Manufacturing output (Gross Value Added (GVA)¹) from UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million		United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Foreign	1998	33,353	1,674	3,534	1,809	2,484	3,591	2,901	3,287	4,590	2,270	26,140	2,028	4,118	1,068
	1999	35,788	2,153	4,087	2,528	2,585	3,956	3,010	3,524	5,048	2,738	29,629	1,950	3,439	771
	2000	36,930	2,217	3,992	2,822	2,345	5,126	2,634	3,145	4,898	2,952	30,131	2,623	3,282	894
	2001	41,479	2,237	4,866	3,102	2,779	5,821	3,099	3,666	6,235	2,858	34,665	2,290	3,193	1,331
	2002	42,018	2,149	4,468	3,482	2,932	5,401	2,924	3,664	6,003	3,079	34,102	2,439	4,390	1,087
	2003	43,833	2,424	3,955	4,021	3,548	4,767	3,233	3,499	7,051	3,652	36,151	2,687	3,876	1,119
UK	1998	112,567	4,404	14,880	11,363	9,951	13,068	10,168	10,118	13,980	8,519	96,451	5,119	8,544	2,453
	1999	111,813	3,927	16,100	10,143	10,146	12,247	9,492	10,750	14,236	8,536	95,577	5,009	7,998	3,228
	2000	109,898	3,911	15,335	10,089	10,400	12,048	10,103	9,905	13,621	8,193	93,607	4,973	8,029	3,289
	2001	102,401	3,556	14,563	9,851	9,975	10,221	9,489	9,811	12,266	7,876	87,607	4,225	7,884	2,685
	2002	97,866	3,422	14,335	9,671	9,490	9,900	9,077	9,075	11,584	8,025	84,579	3,925	7,078	2,284
	2003	99,328	3,435	14,584	9,257	9,903	9,922	9,473	10,179	11,531	7,490	85,773	3,440	7,231	2,884

Table 3(b)(ii) - Services output (Gross Value Added (GVA)¹) from UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million		United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Foreign	1998	35,441	622	2,569	1,238	1,180	2,017	11,660	2,423	10,051	1,529	33,289	332	1,488	332
	1999	40,753	783	2,598	1,433	1,117	2,993	3,433	14,105	11,011	1,604	39,077	413	936	327
	2000	50,228	972	3,101	1,942	1,749	3,016	3,798	17,352	12,836	2,107	46,873	772	2,242	341
	2001	62,085	1,381	4,290	2,126	2,188	3,221	5,205	19,410	16,290	3,445	57,557	756	3,305	468
	2002	66,041	2,036	4,580	2,501	2,034	3,799	5,747	18,925	17,870	3,532	61,025	856	3,661	499
	2003	72,243	2,120	5,135	3,101	2,755	4,541	6,794	19,843	18,824	3,233	66,346	1,039	4,314	544
UK	1998	309,422	8,114	28,113	19,094	18,494	21,640	18,517	92,452	49,245	19,917	275,586	7,577	21,820	4,440
	1999	335,293	8,740	30,984	21,208	17,530	24,007	29,052	91,038	55,905	22,204	300,669	8,004	21,545	5,075
	2000	349,683	8,929	30,299	21,235	17,959	23,078	31,610	98,475	57,641	24,536	313,762	8,072	21,768	6,081
	2001	364,183	9,864	34,528	21,843	18,598	24,919	33,207	98,673	56,613	25,335	323,582	8,663	25,591	6,348
	2002	369,978	9,627	35,433	22,878	19,207	26,174	33,759	98,918	58,358	24,228	328,581	9,058	25,883	6,457
	2003	385,118	9,546	37,515	24,804	20,124	25,974	36,183	102,555	59,242	26,240	342,183	9,538	26,095	7,303

1 Estimates of GVA shown here are from the ABI and are not the same as regional GVA published by ONS as part of the Regional Accounts. ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

Source: Annual Business Inquiry (ABI), Office for National Statistics

INVESTMENT AND OUTPUT BY UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES

Table 3(b)(iii) - Other output (Gross Value Added (GVA)¹) from UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		United Kingdom	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Foreign	1998	8,415	275	196	95	99	89	488	1,995	1,741	262	5,241	30	3,116	28
	1999	11,246	330	164	102	142	102	1,063	3,613	1,278	59	6,855	44	4,316	32
	2000	13,550	117	304	515	203	218	1,407	2,621	1,156	380	6,923	287	6,299	40
	2001	16,992	367	377	127	310	291	1,068	5,216	2,029	466	10,250	78	6,623	41
	2002	17,606	434	272	159	395	270	919	5,330	1,952	941	10,671	283	6,618	34
	2003	17,719	634	389	922	648	363	962	3,486	1,580	899	9,883	372	7,428	35
UK	1998	51,953	2,109	5,016	4,507	3,773	4,337	4,254	5,948	7,100	3,391	40,434	2,174	8,051	1,293
	1999	56,601	2,539	5,499	4,912	3,622	4,588	4,184	6,208	8,266	4,487	44,306	2,390	8,456	1,450
	2000	62,762	2,561	5,375	5,539	4,317	4,545	5,370	8,768	8,944	4,344	49,762	2,138	9,272	1,590
	2001	64,033	2,279	5,854	6,324	4,547	4,633	5,199	6,487	9,428	5,395	50,147	2,480	8,982	2,424
	2002	64,744	2,376	6,363	6,382	4,591	5,538	5,731	5,857	10,094	4,932	51,864	2,633	8,234	2,013
	2003	68,771	2,565	6,921	5,601	4,600	5,264	6,879	6,558	10,084	6,441	54,913	2,595	8,948	2,316

Table 3(b)(iv) - Total output (Gross Value Added (GVA)¹) from UK and foreign-owned companies

£ million		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		United Kingdom	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Foreign	1998	77,209	2,572	6,299	3,141	3,763	5,697	15,048	7,704	16,383	4,062	64,670	2,389	8,722	1,428
	1999	87,787	3,266	6,849	4,063	3,844	7,051	7,506	21,242	17,338	4,401	75,560	2,406	8,691	1,130
	2000	100,707	3,306	7,396	5,279	4,297	8,361	7,839	23,118	18,890	5,439	83,926	3,682	11,823	1,275
	2001	120,556	3,985	9,533	5,355	5,277	9,334	9,371	28,293	24,554	6,769	102,471	3,124	13,120	1,840
	2002	125,665	4,619	9,320	6,142	5,361	9,470	9,590	27,919	25,825	7,552	105,798	3,578	14,669	1,620
	2003	133,795	5,178	9,479	8,044	6,951	9,671	10,989	26,828	27,455	7,784	112,380	4,098	15,618	1,698
UK	1998	473,942	14,627	48,009	34,964	32,218	39,045	32,939	108,518	70,325	31,827	412,471	14,870	38,415	8,186
	1999	503,707	15,206	52,583	36,263	31,298	40,843	42,729	107,996	78,407	35,227	440,552	15,402	37,999	9,753
	2000	522,343	15,402	51,009	36,862	32,676	39,671	47,083	117,148	80,207	37,073	457,131	15,184	39,068	10,960
	2001	530,617	15,699	54,945	38,019	33,120	39,773	47,895	114,971	78,308	38,606	461,336	15,368	42,456	11,457
	2002	532,588	15,425	56,131	38,931	33,288	41,612	48,567	113,850	80,036	37,185	465,024	15,616	41,195	10,754
	2003	553,217	15,546	59,020	39,662	34,627	41,160	52,535	119,292	80,857	40,171	482,869	15,573	42,274	12,503

1 Estimates of GVA shown here are from the ABI and are not the same as regional GVA published by ONS as part of the Regional Accounts. ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

Source: Annual Business Inquiry (ABI), Office for National Statistics

TOTAL INVESTMENT FROM UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL REGIONAL GROSS VALUE ADDED

Table 3(c)(i) - Total manufacturing investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies as proportion of regional GVA

Per cent	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	0.8	2.3	0.7	0.4	1.1	1.3	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.6	1.2	1.1
	1999	0.5	1.6	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.5	0.9
	2000	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.9
	2001	0.6	2.1	0.5	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.5	0.1	0.7	0.9	0.6	1.0	0.7	0.8
	2002	0.4	1.4	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.5
	2003	0.4	1.2	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.4	1.0	0.3	0.4
UK	1998	1.8	2.4	3.0	2.8	2.3	2.2	1.7	0.6	1.4	1.7	1.8	3.1	1.8	2.4
	1999	1.6	2.0	2.5	2.0	2.4	2.3	1.2	0.7	1.3	1.6	1.6	2.2	1.6	2.0
	2000	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.5	0.5	1.1	1.3	1.3	2.1	1.5	1.8
	2001	1.1	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.3	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.3	1.4
	2002	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.3	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.8	1.0	1.3
	2003	0.8	0.9	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.3	0.5	0.9	0.8	1.4	0.9	1.2

Table 3(c)(ii) - Total services investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies as proportion of regional GVA

Per cent	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	1.6	0.3	1.0	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2
	1999	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.3
	2000	1.0	1.5	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.5	1.1	2.3	0.6	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.3
	2001	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.4
	2002	0.7	1.8	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	1.4	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.2
	2003	0.7	1.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.3
UK	1998	6.1	6.6	6.5	5.3	5.0	5.9	4.7	8.5	5.8	5.1	6.3	4.9	6.4	5.3
	1999	6.1	7.1	6.4	5.0	5.6	4.4	6.1	7.5	6.8	5.9	6.3	5.3	6.0	5.2
	2000	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.4	4.2	5.1	5.7	7.7	6.1	6.7	6.1	3.6	5.5	4.7
	2001	5.4	5.8	6.3	4.9	3.9	5.6	5.1	6.3	5.7	5.8	5.7	4.3	5.0	5.2
	2002	4.9	4.1	5.5	5.7	3.1	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.6	5.6	5.0	3.1	5.7	3.9
	2003	4.5	3.1	5.1	5.1	3.0	3.6	5.0	5.5	5.0	4.5	4.7	3.0	4.6	4.1

1 ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

2 The GVA data used in the denominator exceed published GVA estimates because the FISIM adjustment has not been made (see section 1 of Definitions for details)

3 Include Extra-Regio.

Source: Annual Business Inquiry & Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

TOTAL INVESTMENT FROM UK AND FOREIGN-OWNED COMPANIES AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL REGIONAL GROSS VALUE ADDED

Table 3(c)(iii) - Total other investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies as proportion of regional GVA

Per cent	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.1	0.3	0.0	2.9	0.0
	1999	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	2.3	0.0
	2000	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	2.2	0.0
	2001	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	2.4	0.0
	2002	*	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.3	*	2.4	*
	2003	*	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.2	*	0.2	*	0.2	0.3	0.3	*	3.3	*
UK	1998	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.5	3.2	1.6
	1999	1.1	1.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.7	1.0	1.3	2.4	2.1
	2000	0.9	1.9	0.8	0.7	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.4	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.7	1.7	2.2
	2001	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.3	1.0	1.0	0.8	1.1	2.0	2.5
	2002	*	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.6	0.4	1.3	0.9	0.9	*	1.5	*
	2003	*	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	*	0.5	*	0.9	0.5	0.7	*	1.5	*

Table 3(c)(iv) - Total Investment¹ by UK and foreign-owned companies as proportion of regional GVA

Per cent	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Foreign	1998	1.8	3.2	1.0	0.6	1.5	1.7	2.4	1.0	2.5	1.1	1.6	1.8	4.3	1.4
	1999	1.5	2.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.7	1.5	2.0	0.9	1.4	1.4	3.0	1.2
	2000	1.9	2.5	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.7	2.5	1.5	3.1	1.4	1.9	1.4	3.5	1.3
	2001	1.8	3.3	1.1	1.1	1.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.7	1.4	3.9	1.3
	2002	*	3.5	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	2.0	1.4	1.5	*	3.3	*
	2003	*	3.0	1.0	1.5	1.3	*	1.3	*	1.9	1.1	1.5	*	4.0	*
UK	1998	9.2	10.4	10.5	9.3	8.5	9.1	7.4	10.2	8.2	7.8	9.1	9.4	11.5	9.3
	1999	8.8	11.0	9.9	8.2	9.1	7.6	8.1	8.6	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.8	10.0	9.3
	2000	8.0	9.3	8.2	7.8	7.0	7.8	8.1	8.6	8.1	9.1	8.2	6.4	8.7	8.8
	2001	7.5	8.6	8.9	7.5	6.5	7.7	7.0	7.2	7.5	7.9	7.6	7.0	8.4	9.1
	2002	*	6.4	7.9	8.0	5.4	6.8	6.3	5.6	7.7	7.5	6.8	*	8.2	*
	2003	*	4.9	7.3	7.0	5.0	*	6.3	*	6.4	5.9	6.2	*	6.9	*

* Disclosive data.

1 ABI data omit some parts of the Services and Other categories (see section 1 of Definitions for details). Please see ABI section of the National Statistics website for more on methodology (www.statistics.gov.uk/abi).

2 The GVA data used in the denominator exceed published GVA estimates because the FISIM adjustment has not been made (see section 1 of Definitions for details)

3 Include Extra-Regio.

Source: Annual Business Inquiry & Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

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Table 4(a)(i) - Value of exports of goods

		United Kingdom ¹	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
£ per employee job	2001	7,370	7,506	5,764	4,302	7,821	5,907	7,250	5,756	7,332	4,003	6,114	6,628	7,550	5,916
	2002	7,248	7,242	5,903	4,426	7,397	6,032	7,229	6,541	7,155	3,602	6,195	6,157	6,904	5,048
	2003	7,246	7,995	5,760	4,416	8,117	5,782	7,916	5,973	7,908	4,391	6,407	6,675	5,914	6,093
	2004	7,266	8,196	6,000	4,713	7,952	5,946	7,739	5,715	8,170	4,540	6,464	7,506	5,275	6,476
	2005	7,934	8,217	6,345	5,284	8,889	6,578	8,392	6,677	8,874	4,755	7,073	7,393	5,412	6,678
£ million	2001 Q1	49,770	1,836	4,195	2,481	3,366	3,335	4,373	6,196	6,897	2,259	34,937	1,830	4,840	1,046
	Q2	47,871	1,853	4,083	2,177	3,407	3,435	4,050	5,916	6,528	2,049	33,498	1,872	4,548	998
	Q3	44,906	1,655	3,920	2,137	3,394	3,039	3,750	5,639	6,166	1,884	31,585	1,721	3,576	898
	Q4	46,829	1,763	4,028	2,106	3,393	3,623	3,943	5,640	6,608	1,972	33,075	1,677	3,722	868
2002	Q1	45,787	1,751	4,079	2,295	3,195	3,396	3,742	6,350	6,497	1,847	33,151	1,587	3,948	792
	Q2	49,546	1,837	4,406	2,486	3,363	3,685	4,074	7,238	6,673	1,957	35,720	1,653	3,909	850
	Q3	46,090	1,710	4,290	2,147	3,152	3,287	4,121	6,279	6,185	1,820	32,990	1,574	3,920	817
	Q4	45,553	1,640	4,095	2,149	3,153	3,433	4,293	6,114	6,390	1,911	33,178	1,805	3,840	883
2003	Q1	45,611	1,828	3,723	2,264	3,176	3,113	4,356	6,551	6,776	2,021	33,808	1,797	3,425	870
	Q2	47,039	2,064	4,484	2,325	3,664	3,426	4,474	5,606	6,955	2,350	35,348	1,841	3,248	1,031
	Q3	47,125	2,049	4,391	2,349	3,721	3,198	4,453	5,721	7,283	2,404	35,570	1,730	3,219	1,033
	Q4	48,606	2,077	4,429	2,419	3,635	3,632	4,546	5,490	7,803	2,345	36,375	1,828	3,308	1,122
2004	Q1	45,151	1,939	4,297	2,405	3,341	3,301	4,170	5,662	6,675	2,310	34,101	1,943	2,720	1,029
	Q2	46,747	2,036	4,404	2,450	3,275	3,565	4,528	5,603	7,044	2,393	35,297	2,019	2,981	1,101
	Q3	47,364	2,040	4,463	2,526	3,494	3,235	4,394	5,682	7,426	2,490	35,751	2,046	2,993	1,062
	Q4	51,305	2,107	4,673	2,789	3,806	3,623	4,938	5,506	8,211	2,544	38,198	2,309	3,239	1,198
2005	Q1	47,474	1,898	4,229	2,852	3,543	3,330	4,284	6,063	6,937	2,387	35,521	2,192	2,733	1,075
	Q2	52,581	2,166	4,781	2,983	3,995	3,900	4,927	6,121	7,872	2,527	39,272	2,207	3,192	1,191
	Q3	53,277	2,119	4,898	2,904	4,097	3,741	4,582	7,125	8,215	2,545	40,226	2,086	3,373	1,126
	Q4	57,775	2,190	5,329	3,124	4,375	4,237	5,308	7,052	9,118	2,874	43,607	2,151	3,257	1,223

1 UK figures include trade and GVA that cannot be allocated to regions.

Source: DTI analysis of information provided by the Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs and Short Term Employment Survey, ONS

Table 4(a)(ii) - Value of exports of goods as a percentage of headline regional GVA^{2,3}

Per cent		United Kingdom ¹	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
	2001	21.4	24.2	18.5	14.0	24.3	19.0	21.4	14.6	20.4	12.1	18.0	21.2	23.8	19.2
	2002	20.1	22.5	18.3	13.5	21.8	18.7	20.3	15.2	19.1	10.6	17.3	18.8	21.1	16.1
	2003	19.2	24.7	17.5	13.1	22.7	17.2	21.0	13.0	20.2	12.1	17.1	19.3	16.8	18.5
	2004	18.4	23.8	17.5	13.5	21.2	16.8	20.2	12.1	19.7	12.4	16.6	21.2	14.5	19.0
	2005 ⁴	19.7	23.6	18.2	15.2	23.4	17.9	20.6	13.7	20.8	12.7	17.7	21.2	14.7	19.3

1 UK figures include trade and GVA that cannot be allocated to regions.

2 The headline regional GVA series for this publication have been calculated using a five-period moving average.

3 Estimates of workplace based GVA allocate income to the region in which commuters work

4 Uses 2004 regional GVA estimates adjusted for 2004/05 change in UK GVA at basic prices

Source: DTI analysis of information provided by the Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs and Short Term Employment Survey, ONS

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Table 4(a)(ii) - Value of exports of goods as a percentage of headline regional GVA^{2,3}

Per cent	United Kingdom ¹	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
2001	21.4	24.2	18.5	14.0	24.3	19.0	21.4	14.6	20.4	12.1	18.0	21.2	23.8	19.2
2002	20.1	22.5	18.3	13.5	21.8	18.7	20.3	15.2	19.1	10.6	17.3	18.8	21.1	16.1
2003	19.2	24.7	17.5	13.1	22.7	17.2	21.0	13.0	20.2	12.1	17.1	19.3	16.8	18.5
2004	18.4	23.8	17.5	13.5	21.2	16.8	20.2	12.1	19.7	12.4	16.6	21.2	14.5	19.0
2005 ⁴	19.7	23.6	18.2	15.2	23.4	17.9	20.6	13.7	20.8	12.7	17.7	21.2	14.7	19.3

1 UK figures include trade and GVA that cannot be allocated to regions.

2 The headline regional GVA series for this publication have been calculated using a five-period moving average.

3 Estimates of workplace based GVA allocate income to the region in which commuters work

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Source: DTI analysis of information provided by the Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs and Short Term Employment Survey, ONS

Table 4(b)(i) - Total number of exporting companies¹

Levels	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland	
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2001	Q1	44,679	934	4,173	3,234	3,546	4,391	4,777	8,453	7,950	2,949	40,407	1,154	2,168	950
	Q2	44,579	968	4,217	3,226	3,510	4,373	4,783	8,322	7,857	3,024	40,280	1,168	2,200	931
	Q3	44,406	951	4,206	3,217	3,524	4,365	4,788	8,286	7,830	2,905	40,072	1,170	2,204	960
	Q4	45,459	947	4,297	3,285	3,535	4,463	4,892	8,666	7,995	3,023	41,103	1,164	2,218	974
2002	Q1	44,477	940	4,234	3,248	3,496	4,366	4,828	8,322	7,727	2,996	40,157	1,147	2,153	1,020
	Q2	45,335	973	4,346	3,348	3,622	4,415	4,925	8,311	7,843	3,081	40,864	1,187	2,249	1,035
	Q3	45,520	970	4,330	3,314	3,656	4,491	5,019	8,324	7,856	3,080	41,040	1,195	2,247	1,038
	Q4	45,624	932	4,406	3,410	3,669	4,545	4,988	8,299	7,756	3,076	41,081	1,206	2,282	1,055
2003	Q1	44,079	912	4,236	3,269	3,468	4,360	4,823	7,930	7,606	3,030	39,634	1,171	2,189	1,085
	Q2	48,339	1,016	4,588	3,577	3,847	4,688	5,248	8,867	8,454	3,342	43,627	1,252	2,361	1,099
	Q3	49,989	1,037	4,675	3,650	4,011	4,786	5,376	9,262	8,815	3,467	45,079	1,293	2,480	1,137
	Q4	49,760	1,026	4,706	3,666	3,901	4,838	5,400	9,091	8,722	3,506	44,856	1,305	2,475	1,124
2004	Q1	47,845	999	4,507	3,495	3,780	4,618	5,192	8,681	8,472	3,313	43,057	1,227	2,419	1,142
	Q2	49,002	1,046	4,652	3,596	3,815	4,773	5,341	8,728	8,679	3,484	44,114	1,249	2,452	1,187
	Q3	48,970	1,037	4,634	3,607	3,810	4,714	5,294	8,793	8,663	3,429	43,981	1,275	2,503	1,211
	Q4	50,351	1,058	4,695	3,672	3,934	4,848	5,506	9,048	8,901	3,581	45,243	1,324	2,557	1,227
2005	Q1	47,467	1,020	4,411	3,509	3,686	4,570	5,194	8,417	8,443	3,310	42,560	1,237	2,426	1,244
	Q2	51,092	1,070	4,775	3,772	3,973	4,941	5,548	9,143	9,062	3,616	45,900	1,334	2,586	1,272
	Q3	50,644	1,068	4,732	3,685	3,937	4,809	5,498	9,170	8,884	3,616	45,399	1,331	2,616	1,298
	Q4	51,771	1,084	4,827	3,829	4,019	4,957	5,601	9,379	9,094	3,642	46,432	1,328	2,691	1,320

1: The figures exclude traders that cannot be allocated to regions.

Source: Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs

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Table 4(b)(ii) - Total number of companies exporting to the European Union and outside the European Union^{1,2}

Levels	GO Region/Country															
	United Kingdom	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland		
EU25	2004	Q1	21,087	520	2,252	1,694	1,799	2,189	2,264	2,757	3,561	1,384	18,420	660	1,035	972
		Q2	19,857	505	2,153	1,592	1,651	2,077	2,133	2,552	3,336	1,297	17,296	610	980	971
		Q3	17,268	455	1,862	1,387	1,477	1,749	1,816	2,142	2,874	1,115	14,877	556	844	991
		Q4	17,788	467	1,897	1,430	1,510	1,817	1,877	2,184	2,981	1,158	15,321	570	880	1,017
	2005	Q1	17,552	444	1,878	1,414	1,468	1,802	1,833	2,157	2,940	1,133	15,069	562	869	1,052
		Q2	17,484	450	1,869	1,407	1,451	1,760	1,822	2,152	2,919	1,133	14,963	571	881	1,069
		Q3	17,817	460	1,886	1,432	1,486	1,813	1,868	2,180	2,972	1,155	15,252	582	893	1,090
		Q4	18,095	456	1,933	1,453	1,505	1,866	1,893	2,181	3,048	1,165	15,500	590	879	1,126
Outside EU25	2004	Q1	41,138	847	3,835	2,997	3,223	3,956	4,550	7,748	7,559	2,901	37,616	1,026	2,122	374
		Q2	43,023	908	4,047	3,166	3,336	4,162	4,764	7,943	7,860	3,145	39,331	1,083	2,179	430
		Q3	43,979	923	4,147	3,251	3,385	4,277	4,858	8,168	7,980	3,141	40,130	1,136	2,292	421
		Q4	45,169	936	4,195	3,278	3,504	4,384	5,054	8,394	8,195	3,309	41,249	1,179	2,330	411
	2005	Q1	41,972	905	3,884	3,105	3,246	4,052	4,709	7,731	7,704	2,993	38,329	1,071	2,175	397
		Q2	45,967	961	4,278	3,391	3,586	4,480	5,092	8,513	8,392	3,327	42,020	1,179	2,352	416
		Q3	45,308	946	4,207	3,301	3,526	4,325	5,041	8,492	8,194	3,315	41,347	1,175	2,382	404
		Q4	46,321	962	4,293	3,422	3,594	4,459	5,138	8,718	8,352	3,363	42,301	1,168	2,452	400

1 Traders may export to both EU and non-EU countries. Therefore, the sum of companies exporting to EU and non-EU countries will not add up to the total number of exporting companies in table 4b(i).

2 The figures exclude traders that cannot be allocated to regions.

Source: *Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs*

Table 4(c) - Destination of export goods - 2005

Per cent	GO Region/Country													
	United Kingdom ¹	North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
EU	56.5	64.3	54.5	58.0	57.3	54.1	57.3	37.3	54.9	60.8	53.5	62.2	49.4	62.4
North America	16.6	13.0	16.4	14.6	15.1	20.7	16.1	20.1	18.9	13.4	17.3	17.4	21.3	19.7
Asia and Oceania	11.1	9.9	12.7	11.9	12.5	9.8	11.8	15.9	11.2	12.1	12.3	10.6	12.6	8.8
Middle East and Africa	8.0	3.8	9.9	6.9	8.0	8.5	7.7	15.0	8.0	7.0	9.0	5.3	7.1	6.4
Other Europe	6.5	8.1	5.1	6.7	5.9	5.9	6.1	11.2	6.1	5.3	6.9	3.2	7.8	1.7
Latin America and Caribbean	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.9	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.6	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.8	0.9
World	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

1 UK figures include trade that cannot be allocated to regions.

Source: *Statistics and Analysis of Trade Unit, HM Revenue and Customs*

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Table 4(d) - Value¹ of exports of selected services (current prices)

£ million		United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Rest of UK
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West		
Services													
Computer and information	2001	3,255	15	145	80	90	110	180	1,145	1,145	115	3,025	230
	2002	3,845	10	110	55	70	90	135	1,935	1,185	105	3,695	150
	2003	4,825	20	170	55	80	130	190	2,245	1,630	125	4,645	180
Royalties and license fees²	2001	4,690	40	355	40	175	90	535	2,295	905	175	4,610	80
	2002	4,905	40	450	70	205	145	375	1,705	1,560	200	4,750	155
	2003	5,355	60	540	110	175	140	410	1,655	1,730	240	5,060	295
Merchanting and other trade related services	2001	2,665	70	135	30	45	55	75	1,475	655	45	2,585	80
	2002	2,420	35	135	30	40	30	110	1,350	515	40	2,285	135
	2003	2,475	30	145	30	35	35	145	1,495	415	30	2,360	115
Legal, accounting and management consulting	2001	3,490	15	120	80	70	115	100	2,575	250	70	3,395	95
	2002	5,305	25	140	80	90	185	200	3,925	405	115	5,165	140
	2003	5,895	25	150	100	55	190	300	4,295	465	155	5,735	160
Advertising and market research	2001	1,620	5	30	25	55	30	50	1,000	340	40	1,575	45
	2002	1,705	5	35	15	50	25	65	1,100	360	20	1,675	30
	2003	2,155	5	30	30	65	50	110	1,445	355	20	2,110	45
Research and development	2001	2,935	35	50	35	140	50	510	250	1,595	155	2,820	115
	2002	2,900	*3	*3	60	175	40	495	200	1,260	80	2,310	315
	2003	3,465	105	185	80	200	40	635	350	1,345	175	3,115	350
Architectural, surveying and construction⁴	2001	395	10	25	45	15	15	60	150	35	5	360	35
	2002	330	15	20	40	10	15	25	120	40	5	290	40
	2003	370	10	30	25	15	5	50	140	40	10	325	45
Property management⁵	2001	3,690	65	70	190	25	40	580	1,785	810	35	3,600	90
	2002	2,790	300	65	60	55	55	145	890	1,040	65	2,675	115
	2003	1,480	215	30	40	75	25	115	360	490	45	1,395	85
Services between affiliated enterprises, n.i.e.	2001	1,480	5	25	15	10	20	70	475	645	60	1,325	155
	2002	1,620	5	40	25	20	20	110	745	420	45	1,430	190
	2003	2,105	10	65	25	30	155	155	905	465	65	1,875	230
Services not currently regionalised	2001	58,840											
	2002	62,615											
	2003	65,490											
Total Exports of Services (including services not currently regionalised)	2001	83,060											
	2002	88,435											
	2003	93,615											

1 Figures are not National Statistics and may not be accurate to the level shown. Regional data and UK totals are rounded to the nearest £5 million and are consistent with Tables 3.1, 3.7, 3.8 and 3.9 in the 2005 Pink Book, except for Property management which are not given separately in the Pink Book and are unadjusted ITIS data.

2 Excluding Film and Television Royalties and License fees, see Table 3.8 in the Pink Book.

3 Research and Development in North for 2002 = £275million, North East and North West grouped together to avoid disclosure.

4 Construction figures from Table 3.1 in the Pink Book have been combined with figures for Architectural and Surveying from Table 3.9.

5 Part of Other miscellaneous business services, see Table 3.9 in the Pink Book.

Source: DTI analysis of the ONS International Trade in Services (ITIS) Inquiry, adjusted to Pink Book totals

EARNINGS

Table 5(a) -Median Full-Time Hourly Earnings¹ - All Industries

£s Per Hour	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West						
1998 Male	8.90	8.19	8.55	8.19	8.06	8.54	8.83	11.64	9.55	8.52	9.01	8.17	8.50	8.92	7.88	
Female	7.26	6.36	6.79	6.66	6.32	6.74	7.32	9.87	7.55	6.70	7.37	6.70	6.83	7.27	6.64	
Total	8.26	7.47	7.80	7.60	7.50	7.88	8.23	10.78	8.65	7.70	8.39	7.56	7.76	8.29	7.42	
1999 Male	9.21	8.51	8.87	8.43	8.41	8.79	9.18	12.06	9.80	8.67	9.25	8.47	8.82	9.24	8.12	
Female	7.63	6.68	7.06	6.95	6.65	7.04	7.56	10.28	7.90	6.91	7.68	6.96	7.27	7.64	6.96	
Total	8.60	7.78	8.13	7.84	7.86	8.19	8.56	11.23	8.98	7.92	8.64	7.86	8.19	8.63	7.68	
2000 Male	9.56	8.90	9.14	8.74	8.57	9.05	9.48	12.80	10.15	9.06	9.68	8.77	9.14	9.59	8.31	
Female	7.89	7.01	7.33	7.14	6.94	7.36	7.78	10.66	8.26	7.20	8.00	7.25	7.41	7.91	7.21	
Total	8.91	8.22	8.41	8.13	8.06	8.38	8.78	11.84	9.38	8.24	9.04	8.15	8.37	8.94	7.88	
2001 Male	9.99	9.16	9.47	9.00	8.97	9.49	10.02	13.41	10.63	9.48	10.13	8.96	9.50	10.01	8.54	
Female	8.28	7.17	7.74	7.45	7.27	7.73	8.17	11.43	8.68	7.57	8.42	7.47	7.84	8.31	7.58	
Total	9.32	8.36	8.77	8.45	8.37	8.86	9.24	12.46	9.85	8.65	9.47	8.43	8.79	9.35	8.14	
2002 Male	10.40	9.29	9.87	9.32	9.46	9.80	10.41	14.11	11.40	9.90	10.56	9.33	10.03	10.45	8.83	
Female	8.70	7.53	8.19	7.91	7.58	8.03	8.46	12.04	9.26	7.91	8.82	7.71	8.35	8.71	7.97	
Total	9.74	8.61	9.21	8.78	8.76	9.12	9.65	13.13	10.45	9.00	9.88	8.65	9.28	9.78	8.52	
2003 Male	10.75	9.50	10.10	9.84	9.86	10.01	10.79	14.65	11.74	10.27	10.94	9.60	10.12	10.80	9.01	
Female	9.07	7.91	8.62	8.36	8.06	8.30	8.91	12.44	9.65	8.35	9.21	8.11	8.67	9.10	8.19	
Total	10.07	8.76	9.49	9.29	9.21	9.34	10.02	13.61	10.83	9.43	10.24	9.06	9.50	10.10	8.75	
2004 Male	11.23	10.05	10.65	10.32	10.21	10.47	11.26	15.24	12.11	10.46	11.41	10.39	10.46	11.27	9.50	
exc supp surveys	Female	9.57	8.41	8.88	8.78	8.35	8.84	12.94	10.07	8.73	9.64	8.62	9.17	9.59	8.90	
Total	10.56	9.37	9.97	9.71	9.60	9.88	10.47	14.13	11.27	9.72	10.72	9.66	9.89	10.60	9.34	
2004 Male	11.12	9.90	10.57	10.17	10.08	10.30	11.12	15.06	12.00	10.40	11.30	10.21	10.36	11.15	9.46	
inc supp surveys ²	Female	9.42	8.38	8.81	8.71	8.23	8.68	12.80	9.95	8.71	9.56	8.57	9.09	9.44	8.85	
Total	10.45	9.29	9.90	9.62	9.46	9.70	10.34	13.99	11.16	9.66	10.60	9.51	9.82	10.49	9.27	
2005 Male	11.44	10.39	10.85	10.47	10.60	10.70	11.29	15.65	12.17	10.73	11.59	10.30	10.72	11.48	9.93	
Female	9.86	8.80	9.35	9.01	8.85	9.18	9.44	13.35	10.16	8.96	9.96	8.95	9.62	9.87	9.30	
Total	10.79	9.70	10.23	9.92	9.96	10.09	10.52	14.51	11.28	10.00	10.94	9.78	10.27	10.82	9.67	

1 Full-time employees on adult rates whose pay for the survey pay period was unaffected by absence. Earnings include overtime.

2 Two sets of ASHE results are available for 2004. Those excluding supplementary surveys are comparable with 2003 and earlier years; those including supplementary surveys are comparable with 2005 data. 2004 Estimates have been revised for late corrections to the data and also to make them more comparable with 2005 estimates. See *Definitions* section.

Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings, Office for National Statistics; Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment, Northern Ireland

EARNINGS

Table 5(b) - Median Full Time Manufacturing Sector Earnings¹

£s Per Hour	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West						
1998 Male	8.70	8.57	8.74	8.33	8.06	8.48	9.03	10.46	9.58	8.76	8.76	8.75	8.65	8.75	6.92	
Female	6.26	5.79	6.25	5.87	5.69	5.88	6.87	9.11	7.00	6.27	6.37	6.11	5.64	6.29	5.26	
Total	8.15	8.09	8.10	7.75	7.50	7.91	8.54	10.14	8.83	8.14	8.22	8.19	7.88	8.19	6.48	
1999 Male	8.96	8.87	9.01	8.48	8.39	8.63	9.30	10.96	9.86	8.90	9.01	8.92	8.84	9.00	7.09	
Female	6.58	6.09	6.44	6.03	5.92	6.10	7.00	9.75	7.55	6.51	6.69	6.38	6.11	6.62	5.57	
Total	8.43	8.39	8.45	7.95	7.86	8.10	8.84	10.60	9.21	8.42	8.51	8.33	8.13	8.47	6.74	
2000 Male	9.25	9.16	9.36	8.83	8.57	8.78	9.74	11.06	9.88	9.30	9.32	9.08	9.21	9.30	7.64	
Female	6.86	6.20	6.75	6.10	6.14	6.40	7.55	9.99	7.89	6.84	7.01	6.45	6.38	6.90	5.86	
Total	8.71	8.71	8.80	8.25	7.99	8.22	9.21	10.86	9.40	8.79	8.81	8.43	8.42	8.76	7.16	
2001 Male	9.62	9.33	9.67	9.09	8.97	9.24	10.33	11.97	10.71	9.61	9.73	9.40	9.43	9.68	7.80	
Female	7.20	6.59	7.03	6.62	6.31	6.95	7.68	10.88	8.35	7.40	7.34	6.34	6.61	7.23	6.25	
Total	9.11	8.88	9.21	8.53	8.26	8.76	9.78	11.64	10.12	9.14	9.23	8.70	8.66	9.16	7.45	
2002 Male	9.92	9.52	10.06	9.30	9.35	9.54	10.35	12.37	11.02	9.80	10.01	9.56	10.15	10.00	8.13	
Female	7.56	7.01	7.48	6.77	6.59	6.93	8.29	11.89	8.89	7.58	7.71	6.52	6.69	7.58	6.79	
Total	9.41	9.03	9.58	8.75	8.75	8.98	9.94	12.28	10.44	9.37	9.54	8.81	9.13	9.47	7.81	
2003 Male	10.33	9.45	10.39	9.88	9.87	9.87	10.89	13.81	11.61	10.30	10.42	9.89	10.27	10.38	8.70	
Female	7.95	7.41	7.95	7.27	6.98	7.33	8.53	12.70	9.27	8.04	8.15	6.88	7.38	7.97	7.00	
Total	9.83	9.02	9.90	9.32	9.17	9.42	10.33	13.40	11.00	9.89	9.97	9.25	9.49	9.89	8.29	
2004 Male	10.73	10.48	10.81	10.13	10.36	10.33	11.22	14.03	11.85	10.62	10.86	10.60	10.12	10.80	9.05	
exc supp surveys	8.34	7.38	8.21	7.73	7.60	7.86	8.57	12.93	10.04	8.09	8.52	7.77	7.61	8.39	6.84	
Total	10.25	9.90	10.44	9.62	9.78	9.85	10.57	13.57	11.40	10.02	10.40	9.80	9.64	10.32	8.64	
2004 Male	10.61	10.24	10.80	9.98	10.21	10.23	11.03	13.88	11.88	10.53	10.74	10.39	10.02	10.67	9.01	
inc supp surveys ²	8.26	7.40	8.14	7.69	7.48	7.76	8.30	12.45	9.88	8.06	8.43	7.68	7.54	8.29	6.85	
Total	10.15	9.74	10.39	9.47	9.67	9.66	10.42	13.28	11.36	9.94	10.30	9.54	9.50	10.21	8.63	
2005 Male	11.00	10.70	11.22	10.36	10.79	10.47	11.26	14.10	12.33	10.87	11.10	10.80	10.44	11.06	9.30	
Female	8.62	8.17	8.80	7.82	7.64	8.05	9.24	13.08	9.92	8.29	8.77	8.17	7.74	8.63	7.73	
Total	10.51	10.34	10.75	9.92	10.06	9.96	10.80	13.66	11.67	10.32	10.66	10.22	9.74	10.56	9.02	

1 Full-time employees on adult rates whose pay for the survey pay period was unaffected by absence. Earnings include overtime.

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Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings, Office for National Statistics; Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment, Northern Ireland

EARNINGS

Table 5(c) - Median Full Time Service Sector Earnings¹

£s Per Hour	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West						
1998 Male	9.20	8.10	8.52	8.13	8.14	8.68	8.93	12.00	9.76	8.54	9.36	7.91	8.52	9.30	9.20	
Female	7.49	6.55	6.93	6.82	6.69	7.04	7.45	9.93	7.70	6.80	7.64	6.78	6.99	7.08	7.50	
Total	8.38	7.22	7.64	7.48	7.51	7.83	8.20	10.93	8.65	7.60	8.52	7.28	7.68	7.96	8.39	
1999 Male	9.58	8.34	8.87	8.47	8.54	9.06	9.29	12.48	9.92	8.70	9.71	8.25	8.95	9.27	9.59	
Female	7.84	6.82	7.19	7.11	6.94	7.31	7.75	10.31	7.95	6.99	7.92	7.14	7.52	7.40	7.85	
Total	8.70	7.52	7.98	7.75	7.84	8.22	8.54	11.33	8.94	7.78	8.83	7.65	8.23	8.24	8.72	
2000 Male	9.92	8.45	9.18	8.75	8.75	9.34	9.52	13.19	10.42	9.19	10.09	8.82	9.22	9.40	9.93	
Female	8.12	7.14	7.45	7.30	7.29	7.56	7.89	10.73	8.40	7.29	8.22	7.47	7.64	7.60	8.13	
Total	9.05	7.80	8.26	8.00	8.13	8.44	8.70	11.97	9.44	8.14	9.20	8.12	8.39	8.42	9.06	
2001 Male	10.35	8.78	9.35	8.96	9.08	9.88	10.09	13.76	10.90	9.54	10.54	8.95	9.67	9.52	10.38	
Female	8.51	7.26	7.83	7.65	7.68	7.97	8.25	11.48	8.76	7.68	8.63	7.69	8.09	7.91	8.53	
Total	9.46	7.94	8.59	8.34	8.40	8.97	9.13	12.61	9.84	8.53	9.60	8.28	8.83	8.64	9.47	
2002 Male	10.87	9.06	9.85	9.34	9.61	10.13	10.70	14.49	11.76	10.19	11.04	9.34	10.12	9.93	10.89	
Female	8.92	7.61	8.33	8.08	7.80	8.19	8.53	12.06	9.33	7.96	9.02	7.96	8.59	8.20	8.94	
Total	9.89	8.36	9.08	8.76	8.69	9.16	9.60	13.24	10.53	8.96	10.07	8.62	9.35	9.02	9.92	
2003 Male	11.08	9.32	10.07	9.83	9.84	10.09	10.79	14.97	11.99	10.36	11.32	9.48	10.19	9.90	11.10	
Female	9.26	7.94	8.70	8.55	8.30	8.44	9.00	12.44	9.73	8.40	9.36	8.37	8.83	8.38	9.28	
Total	10.18	8.57	9.32	9.22	9.16	9.24	9.94	13.66	10.85	9.34	10.36	9.05	9.46	9.05	10.21	
2004 Male	11.60	9.74	10.63	10.45	10.15	10.50	11.39	15.57	12.40	10.61	11.81	10.56	10.60	10.55	11.63	
exc supp surveys	9.72	8.57	8.94	8.90	8.57	9.01	9.46	12.95	10.11	8.79	9.84	8.79	9.25	9.21	9.72	
Total	10.69	9.18	9.75	9.68	9.46	9.78	10.48	14.22	11.29	9.71	10.85	9.71	9.90	9.95	10.71	
2004 Male	11.48	9.67	10.54	10.30	10.00	10.27	11.24	15.42	12.27	10.54	11.68	10.37	10.53	10.30	11.50	
inc supp surveys ²	9.62	8.51	8.90	8.79	8.45	8.87	9.22	12.82	9.98	8.80	9.71	8.73	9.21	9.10	9.63	
Total	10.56	9.08	9.70	9.60	9.29	9.61	10.34	14.08	11.16	9.64	10.73	9.61	9.84	9.81	10.59	
2005 Male	11.73	10.18	10.70	10.54	10.49	10.82	11.38	16.05	12.29	10.88	11.93	10.09	10.82	10.83	11.75	
Female	10.05	8.90	9.50	9.17	9.15	9.39	9.50	13.40	10.17	9.05	10.14	9.05	9.83	9.61	10.06	
Total	10.89	9.43	10.08	9.88	9.87	10.12	10.45	14.62	11.24	9.97	11.06	9.60	10.35	10.15	10.91	

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Source: Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings, Office for National Statistics; Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment, Northern Ireland

EMPLOYMENT

Table 6(a) - All People of Working Age in Employment^{1,2} - Residence Based

Thousands	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999	Spring	26,235	1,007	2,893	2,166	1,916	2,344	2,505	3,265	3,823	2,233	22,152	1,179	2,222	671
	Summer	26,352	1,026	2,919	2,177	1,919	2,348	2,527	3,304	3,820	2,226	22,266	1,177	2,229	671
	Autumn	26,441	1,033	2,943	2,177	1,924	2,346	2,513	3,304	3,845	2,249	22,334	1,194	2,233	671
	Winter	26,480	1,036	2,930	2,175	1,935	2,330	2,517	3,322	3,863	2,256	22,363	1,191	2,245	672
2000	Spring	26,602	1,041	2,961	2,203	1,946	2,325	2,530	3,322	3,886	2,267	22,482	1,200	2,254	658
	Summer	26,729	1,048	2,971	2,219	1,940	2,330	2,555	3,334	3,887	2,287	22,571	1,200	2,287	666
	Autumn	26,675	1,054	2,926	2,206	1,926	2,320	2,571	3,333	3,872	2,287	22,497	1,188	2,303	680
	Winter	26,819	1,052	2,962	2,223	1,930	2,339	2,596	3,380	3,877	2,284	22,642	1,188	2,304	678
2001	Spring	26,872	1,057	2,975	2,211	1,927	2,365	2,587	3,392	3,892	2,292	22,699	1,180	2,303	685
	Summer	26,859	1,050	2,953	2,208	1,935	2,360	2,568	3,418	3,894	2,298	22,684	1,183	2,290	698
	Autumn	26,901	1,050	2,937	2,202	1,965	2,379	2,585	3,413	3,889	2,300	22,720	1,197	2,294	686
	Winter	26,922	1,054	2,966	2,210	1,953	2,373	2,599	3,413	3,899	2,299	22,766	1,191	2,278	683
2002	Spring	26,983	1,060	2,959	2,207	1,966	2,381	2,584	3,430	3,900	2,309	22,795	1,196	2,298	693
	Summer	27,047	1,061	2,965	2,219	1,980	2,383	2,585	3,434	3,889	2,316	22,832	1,218	2,300	693
	Autumn	27,130	1,054	3,017	2,233	1,975	2,381	2,571	3,431	3,879	2,327	22,868	1,237	2,319	702
	Winter	27,114	1,048	3,018	2,240	1,968	2,381	2,558	3,399	3,881	2,315	22,808	1,253	2,331	716
2003	Spring	27,239	1,059	3,042	2,253	1,973	2,381	2,585	3,399	3,889	2,309	22,891	1,279	2,342	719
	Summer	27,227	1,060	3,053	2,260	1,969	2,372	2,586	3,414	3,876	2,312	22,902	1,281	2,330	707
	Autumn	27,273	1,078	3,049	2,269	1,978	2,354	2,613	3,427	3,860	2,334	22,962	1,277	2,330	700
	Winter	27,400	1,082	3,070	2,268	1,991	2,390	2,626	3,435	3,868	2,352	23,081	1,270	2,337	705
2004	Spring	27,418	1,083	3,060	2,289	2,011	2,389	2,614	3,447	3,857	2,332	23,080	1,286	2,350	696
	Summer	27,420	1,092	3,064	2,288	1,989	2,394	2,626	3,418	3,871	2,344	23,087	1,258	2,365	702
	Autumn	27,546	1,090	3,083	2,292	1,997	2,430	2,623	3,419	3,896	2,334	23,165	1,282	2,375	712
	Winter	27,645	1,107	3,078	2,322	2,010	2,426	2,616	3,458	3,884	2,353	23,254	1,282	2,380	717
2005	Spring	27,618	1,102	3,073	2,295	2,008	2,430	2,621	3,447	3,895	2,370	23,241	1,265	2,380	717
	Summer	27,726	1,098	3,107	2,302	2,026	2,416	2,614	3,467	3,918	2,359	23,307	1,279	2,392	735
	Autumn	27,659	1,100	3,088	2,300	2,047	2,406	2,600	3,455	3,907	2,336	23,240	1,278	2,397	729
	Winter	27,707	1,108	3,077	2,327	2,050	2,389	2,592	3,485	3,913	2,344	23,285	1,273	2,394	737

1 Seasonally adjusted.

2 Including self-employed people.

3 Due to slight methodological differences between the way the national and regional LFS estimates have been interim adjusted for the 2001 Census, there may be small differences between the UK totals and the sum of the regional components.

Source: Labour Force Survey, Office for National Statistics

EMPLOYMENT

Table 6(b) - Percentage of People of Working Age in Employment^{1,2} - Residence Based

Per Cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland	
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999	Spring	73.8	65.3	71.1	72.7	76.1	73.9	77.9	71.5	79.7	78.2	74.5	68.6	71.2	66.9
	Summer	74.0	66.6	71.7	73.0	76.1	74.0	78.5	71.9	79.5	77.8	74.8	68.5	71.4	66.9
	Autumn	74.1	67.1	72.3	73.0	76.2	74.0	78.0	71.6	79.9	78.4	74.9	69.4	71.6	66.7
	Winter	74.1	67.3	71.9	72.9	76.5	73.4	77.9	71.6	80.2	78.4	74.9	69.1	72.0	66.8
2000	Spring	74.4	67.6	72.6	73.8	76.9	73.3	78.2	71.2	80.5	78.7	75.2	69.6	72.3	65.2
	Summer	74.6	68.1	72.8	74.3	76.6	73.4	78.8	71.1	80.5	79.1	75.3	69.5	73.4	65.9
	Autumn	74.3	68.5	71.7	73.7	75.9	73.1	79.2	70.7	80.0	79.0	74.9	68.8	73.8	67.1
	Winter	74.6	68.3	72.5	74.1	75.9	73.6	79.8	71.3	80.0	78.8	75.3	68.8	73.8	66.7
2001	Spring	74.6	68.7	72.8	73.6	75.7	74.3	79.5	71.2	80.2	78.9	75.3	68.2	73.7	67.3
	Summer	74.4	68.2	72.2	73.4	75.8	74.1	78.8	71.3	80.1	79.0	75.1	68.4	73.2	68.4
	Autumn	74.4	68.1	71.7	73.0	76.8	74.5	79.2	71.0	79.9	78.9	75.1	69.0	73.3	67.1
	Winter	74.4	68.3	72.3	73.2	76.1	74.2	79.5	70.8	80.1	78.8	75.1	68.5	72.8	66.7
2002	Spring	74.4	68.7	72.0	73.0	76.5	74.3	79.0	71.0	80.0	79.0	75.1	68.7	73.5	67.5
	Summer	74.5	68.7	72.1	73.2	76.8	74.3	79.0	70.8	79.7	79.2	75.1	69.9	73.6	67.4
	Autumn	74.6	68.2	73.2	73.6	76.5	74.1	78.4	70.7	79.4	79.4	75.1	70.8	74.1	68.1
	Winter	74.5	67.7	73.1	73.7	76.0	74.1	77.8	69.9	79.4	78.8	74.8	71.6	74.5	69.4
2003	Spring	74.7	68.4	73.6	74.0	76.1	74.0	78.5	69.9	79.4	78.5	75.0	72.9	74.8	69.5
	Summer	74.6	68.4	73.7	74.2	75.7	73.6	78.4	70.1	79.1	78.5	74.9	72.9	74.4	68.2
	Autumn	74.6	69.5	73.5	74.3	75.9	73.0	79.1	70.2	78.7	79.0	75.0	72.6	74.2	67.4
	Winter	74.8	69.6	73.9	74.1	76.3	74.1	79.4	70.2	78.8	79.5	75.3	72.0	74.3	67.8
2004	Spring	74.8	69.6	73.6	74.6	76.9	74.0	79.0	70.3	78.5	78.6	75.1	72.8	74.7	66.9
	Summer	74.6	70.0	73.5	74.4	75.9	74.1	79.3	69.5	78.8	78.8	75.0	71.1	75.0	67.3
	Autumn	74.8	69.8	73.8	74.3	76.1	75.1	79.1	69.3	79.1	78.4	75.1	72.4	75.2	68.2
	Winter	75.0	70.8	73.6	75.2	76.5	74.8	78.7	69.8	78.7	78.8	75.2	72.3	75.3	68.5
2005	Spring	74.7	70.3	73.3	74.1	76.2	74.8	78.7	69.3	78.8	79.3	75.0	71.2	75.2	68.3
	Summer	74.9	69.9	74.0	74.1	76.8	74.3	78.4	69.5	79.2	78.8	75.1	71.9	75.5	69.9
	Autumn	74.5	69.9	73.4	73.9	77.4	73.8	77.8	69.1	78.8	77.9	74.7	71.8	75.5	69.1
	Winter	74.5	70.3	73.0	74.7	77.4	73.1	77.5	69.6	78.8	78.0	74.8	71.3	75.4	69.8

1 Figures are seasonally adjusted.

2 Including self-employed people.

Source: Labour Force Survey, Office for National Statistics

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Table 6(c) - Total Employee Jobs^{1,2,3} and Shares of Total UK Jobs - Workplace Based

Thousands	United Kingdom ⁴	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2001 March	25,809	958	2,865	2,103	1,733	2,287	2,290	4,043	3,534	2,006	21,818	1,091	2,251	649	
June	25,987	963	2,886	2,112	1,747	2,283	2,288	4,053	3,585	2,048	21,964	1,094	2,279	650	
September	26,079	969	2,921	2,122	1,754	2,293	2,267	4,054	3,615	2,060	22,056	1,094	2,278	651	
December	26,244	990	2,922	2,129	1,767	2,312	2,265	4,052	3,668	2,077	22,182	1,099	2,300	663	
2002 March	26,019	990	2,901	2,100	1,736	2,297	2,251	4,002	3,636	2,075	21,988	1,086	2,284	661	
June	26,085	995	2,926	2,110	1,739	2,300	2,261	3,973	3,647	2,093	22,047	1,099	2,276	663	
September	26,136	1,006	2,948	2,125	1,752	2,309	2,262	3,948	3,649	2,092	22,092	1,103	2,277	664	
December	26,297	1,010	2,981	2,155	1,749	2,331	2,276	3,973	3,663	2,101	22,238	1,102	2,283	674	
2003 March	26,016	998	2,943	2,134	1,737	2,306	2,258	3,926	3,615	2,068	21,985	1,098	2,265	668	
June	26,146	1,004	2,952	2,164	1,748	2,314	2,273	3,935	3,614	2,090	22,094	1,104	2,279	669	
September	26,186	1,004	2,957	2,175	1,759	2,309	2,281	3,929	3,596	2,102	22,112	1,118	2,285	671	
December	26,408	1,019	2,987	2,200	1,776	2,326	2,305	3,944	3,615	2,122	22,293	1,123	2,310	682	
2004 March	26,232	1,011	2,975	2,205	1,748	2,304	2,290	3,904	3,603	2,115	22,156	1,121	2,277	678	
June	26,343	1,008	2,984	2,219	1,767	2,306	2,296	3,917	3,613	2,127	22,237	1,140	2,288	678	
September	26,398	1,023	2,988	2,239	1,783	2,298	2,282	3,907	3,607	2,137	22,265	1,161	2,291	681	
December	26,701	1,021	3,029	2,258	1,808	2,345	2,289	3,958	3,643	2,158	22,507	1,175	2,327	692	
2005 March	26,569	1,020	3,026	2,242	1,802	2,320	2,278	3,946	3,616	2,146	22,396	1,166	2,315	692	
June	26,608	1,019	3,032	2,245	1,801	2,312	2,276	3,948	3,622	2,173	22,428	1,168	2,320	692	
September	26,640	1,021	3,040	2,254	1,808	2,307	2,271	3,955	3,621	2,166	22,444	1,174	2,334	688	
December	26,818	1,024	3,052	2,265	1,816	2,323	2,294	3,999	3,656	2,173	22,602	1,178	2,342	696	
Percentage of Total UK Employee Jobs															
2001 March	100	3.7	11.1	8.1	6.7	8.9	8.9	15.7	13.7	7.8	84.5	4.2	8.7	2.5	
June	100	3.7	11.1	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.8	15.6	13.8	7.9	84.5	4.2	8.8	2.5	
September	100	3.7	11.2	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.7	15.5	13.9	7.9	84.6	4.2	8.7	2.5	
December	100	3.8	11.1	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.6	15.4	14.0	7.9	84.5	4.2	8.8	2.5	
2002 March	100	3.8	11.1	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.7	15.4	14.0	8.0	84.5	4.2	8.8	2.5	
June	100	3.8	11.2	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.7	15.2	14.0	8.0	84.5	4.2	8.7	2.5	
September	100	3.8	11.3	8.1	6.7	8.8	8.7	15.1	14.0	8.0	84.5	4.2	8.7	2.5	
December	100	3.8	11.3	8.2	6.7	8.9	8.7	15.1	13.9	8.0	84.6	4.2	8.7	2.6	
2003 March	100	3.8	11.3	8.2	6.7	8.9	8.7	15.1	13.9	7.9	84.5	4.2	8.7	2.6	
June	100	3.8	11.3	8.3	6.7	8.9	8.7	15.1	13.8	8.0	84.5	4.2	8.7	2.6	
September	100	3.8	11.3	8.3	6.7	8.8	8.7	15.0	13.7	8.0	84.4	4.3	8.7	2.6	
December	100	3.9	11.3	8.3	6.7	8.8	8.7	14.9	13.7	8.0	84.4	4.3	8.7	2.6	
2004 March	100	3.9	11.3	8.4	6.7	8.8	8.7	14.9	13.7	8.1	84.5	4.3	8.7	2.6	
June	100	3.8	11.3	8.4	6.7	8.8	8.7	14.9	13.7	8.1	84.4	4.3	8.7	2.6	
September	100	3.9	11.3	8.5	6.8	8.7	8.6	14.8	13.7	8.1	84.3	4.4	8.7	2.6	
December	100	3.8	11.3	8.5	6.8	8.8	8.6	14.8	13.6	8.1	84.3	4.4	8.7	2.6	
2005 March	100	3.8	11.4	8.4	6.8	8.7	8.6	14.9	13.6	8.1	84.3	4.4	8.7	2.6	
June	100	3.8	11.4	8.4	6.8	8.7	8.6	14.8	13.6	8.2	84.3	4.4	8.7	2.6	
September	100	3.8	11.4	8.5	6.8	8.7	8.5	14.8	13.6	8.1	84.2	4.4	8.8	2.6	
December	100	3.8	11.4	8.4	6.8	8.7	8.6	14.9	13.6	8.1	84.3	4.4	8.7	2.6	

1 Not seasonally adjusted.

2 Not including self-employed people.

3 Previously published estimates have been revised as a result of integration of data from the new public sector employment series. Estimates from March 2003 onwards have been revised as a result of annual benchmarking to the Annual Business Inquiry.

4 Regions may not sum to UK or England totals.

Source: Short Term Employment & Turnover Survey, Employment, Earnings & Productivity Division, Office for National Statistics

UNEMPLOYMENT

Table 7 - Unemployment Rate^{1,2}

Per Cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999	Spring	6.1	9.9	6.3	6.5	5.3	6.8	4.3	7.8	3.7	4.9	5.9	7.2	7.4	7.4
	Summer	5.9	9.4	6.2	6.0	5.5	6.6	3.7	7.4	4.0	4.3	5.7	7.6	7.0	7.5
	Autumn	5.8	8.9	6.0	6.3	5.5	6.5	4.2	7.3	3.9	4.1	5.6	7.3	7.1	6.7
	Winter	5.8	8.5	6.4	6.4	5.2	6.1	4.0	7.3	3.7	4.2	5.6	6.7	7.5	6.8
2000	Spring	5.6	9.0	5.5	6.0	5.2	6.2	3.7	7.4	3.4	4.2	5.4	6.3	7.6	7.1
	Summer	5.2	9.1	5.1	5.9	4.6	5.8	3.6	7.0	3.1	4.0	5.1	6.0	6.3	5.8
	Autumn	5.3	7.7	5.5	6.1	4.7	6.1	3.6	6.9	3.2	4.0	5.1	6.4	6.3	5.8
	Winter	5.2	7.7	5.4	5.7	4.7	5.9	3.4	6.7	3.5	3.9	5.0	6.4	5.9	6.0
2001	Spring	4.9	7.3	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.1	3.7	6.2	3.1	3.6	4.7	5.9	5.8	6.3
	Summer	5.1	7.3	5.3	5.3	4.7	5.3	3.9	6.3	3.3	3.7	4.8	5.8	6.6	5.9
	Autumn	5.1	7.2	5.4	5.1	4.3	5.4	3.9	7.1	3.5	3.4	4.9	5.2	6.6	6.1
	Winter	5.1	7.5	5.1	5.2	4.8	5.6	3.7	7.0	3.5	3.5	4.9	5.6	6.5	5.9
2002	Spring	5.2	6.8	5.5	5.3	4.4	5.6	3.5	7.0	3.9	3.6	5.0	5.9	6.8	5.6
	Summer	5.2	6.3	5.5	5.5	4.6	5.9	3.7	6.9	3.8	3.8	5.1	5.2	6.4	6.0
	Autumn	5.2	6.6	5.0	5.2	4.8	5.9	4.1	6.6	4.0	4.1	5.1	5.2	6.2	5.5
	Winter	5.1	6.7	4.9	4.9	4.3	5.9	4.4	7.0	3.9	3.6	5.0	4.9	6.1	5.5
2003	Spring	5.0	6.5	5.0	5.4	4.2	5.7	4.0	7.1	3.7	3.7	5.0	4.3	5.4	5.5
	Summer	5.0	6.3	4.9	5.1	4.7	5.6	3.9	7.4	4.0	3.3	5.0	4.6	5.8	5.5
	Autumn	4.9	6.1	4.9	4.9	4.4	5.8	3.6	7.2	3.8	2.8	4.8	4.8	5.8	6.0
	Winter	4.8	5.9	4.6	5.2	4.5	5.4	3.3	6.9	3.9	3.1	4.7	4.7	5.7	5.2
2004	Spring	4.8	5.4	4.5	4.3	4.3	5.5	4.0	6.9	3.8	3.3	4.7	4.6	6.0	5.0
	Summer	4.7	6.0	4.3	4.4	3.9	5.3	3.5	7.0	3.7	3.4	4.6	4.6	5.7	4.6
	Autumn	4.7	6.3	4.6	4.7	4.2	4.8	3.7	7.0	3.6	3.2	4.6	4.4	5.5	5.2
	Winter	4.8	5.4	4.8	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.0	7.1	4.0	3.6	4.7	4.4	5.6	4.8
2005	Spring	4.7	6.4	4.4	5.0	4.3	4.4	3.7	7.2	3.6	3.4	4.6	4.5	5.7	4.9
	Summer	4.7	6.7	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.0	6.6	3.7	3.6	4.7	4.6	5.1	4.6
	Autumn	5.0	6.2	4.7	5.3	4.3	5.0	4.5	7.5	4.1	4.1	5.1	4.7	5.3	4.6
	Winter	5.1	7.0	4.8	5.2	4.7	5.2	4.6	7.5	4.2	3.6	5.2	5.0	5.4	4.1

1 All aged 16 and over unemployed as a percentage of total economically active.

2 These estimates have been interim adjusted for post-2001 Census population estimates and are seasonally adjusted.

Source: Labour Force Survey, Office for National Statistics

CLAIMANT COUNT

Table 8(a) - Claimant Count Rate^{1,2}

Per Cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999 March	4.3	7.2	4.7	5.2	3.7	4.6	3.0	4.6	2.4	3.2	4.1	5.2	5.2	6.9	
June	4.2	7.0	4.6	5.1	3.7	4.5	2.9	4.5	2.3	3.1	4.0	5.1	5.1	6.4	
September	4.0	6.9	4.5	4.9	3.6	4.4	2.8	4.4	2.2	2.9	3.8	4.8	5.0	6.0	
December	3.8	6.5	4.3	4.7	3.4	4.2	2.7	4.2	2.1	2.7	3.6	4.6	4.7	5.6	
2000 March	3.7	6.6	4.3	4.6	3.4	4.1	2.5	3.9	2.0	2.7	3.6	4.5	4.8	5.4	
June	3.6	6.3	4.1	4.3	3.3	4.0	2.4	3.7	1.9	2.5	3.4	4.4	4.5	5.2	
September	3.4	6.0	3.9	4.1	3.2	3.9	2.2	3.5	1.8	2.4	3.2	4.3	4.4	5.1	
December	3.4	5.9	3.9	4.1	3.2	3.9	2.2	3.4	1.7	2.3	3.2	4.3	4.3	5.2	
2001 March	3.2	5.7	3.7	4.0	3.2	3.8	2.1	3.3	1.6	2.1	3.0	4.1	4.0	5.0	
June	3.1	5.5	3.6	3.9	3.1	3.7	2.0	3.2	1.5	2.1	3.0	3.9	3.9	4.9	
September	3.1	5.4	3.6	3.8	3.0	3.6	2.0	3.2	1.5	2.0	2.9	3.8	3.9	4.8	
December	3.1	5.5	3.6	3.7	3.0	3.6	2.0	3.4	1.6	2.0	3.0	3.7	3.9	4.7	
2002 March	3.1	5.2	3.5	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.0	3.5	1.6	2.0	2.9	3.6	3.9	4.6	
June	3.1	5.1	3.5	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.1	3.6	1.6	2.0	2.9	3.5	3.8	4.5	
September	3.1	4.9	3.4	3.6	2.8	3.5	2.1	3.6	1.7	1.9	2.9	3.6	3.8	4.3	
December	3.0	4.7	3.4	3.5	2.8	3.5	2.1	3.6	1.7	1.9	2.9	3.5	3.7	4.3	
2003 March	3.0	4.7	3.3	3.4	2.8	3.5	2.1	3.6	1.7	1.9	2.9	3.4	3.7	4.1	
June	3.0	4.6	3.3	3.4	2.9	3.5	2.2	3.7	1.7	1.9	2.9	3.4	3.8	4.2	
September	3.0	4.4	3.2	3.3	2.9	3.5	2.1	3.6	1.7	1.9	2.8	3.2	3.7	4.2	
December	2.9	4.3	3.1	3.1	2.8	3.4	2.1	3.6	1.7	1.8	2.8	3.1	3.7	4.1	
2004 March	2.8	4.1	3.0	2.9	2.6	3.4	2.0	3.5	1.7	1.7	2.7	3.1	3.6	3.8	
June	2.7	3.9	2.8	2.8	2.5	3.2	2.0	3.5	1.6	1.6	2.6	3.0	3.4	3.6	
September	2.7	3.9	2.8	2.7	2.4	3.2	2.0	3.4	1.6	1.6	2.5	2.9	3.4	3.5	
December	2.6	3.8	2.8	2.7	2.4	3.2	2.0	3.4	1.6	1.6	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.4	
2005 March	2.6	3.8	2.7	2.7	2.4	3.1	2.0	3.4	1.6	1.6	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.4	
June	2.7	3.9	2.9	2.9	2.5	3.5	2.1	3.4	1.6	1.6	2.6	3.0	3.2	3.3	
September	2.8	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.6	3.6	2.2	3.5	1.7	1.6	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.3	
December	2.9	4.0	3.1	3.2	2.7	3.7	2.2	3.5	1.8	1.7	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.3	
2006 March	3.0	4.2	3.2	3.3	2.8	3.9	2.3	3.5	1.9	1.8	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.3	

1 Seasonally adjusted.

2 Rate figures are calculated using mid-2005 workforce estimates.

Source: Labour Market Division, Office for National Statistics

CLAIMANT COUNT

Table 8(b) - Percentage of People Claiming the Jobseeker's Allowance Benefit for a Year or More^{1,2}

Per Cent	United Kingdom ³	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999 March	24.9	25.1	22.2	23.1	21.1	26.1	22.4	31.5	22.0	20.7	24.6	21.9	21.7	43.1	
June	25.6	25.7	22.7	23.9	22.9	26.5	23.6	31.4	23.3	22.4	25.4	22.7	22.4	41.8	
September	24.3	25.2	21.5	22.7	22.0	25.4	22.4	29.5	21.8	20.4	24.1	22.0	22.1	37.4	
December	24.1	25.0	21.5	21.8	21.7	26.7	22.1	29.6	21.2	19.1	23.9	21.4	22.0	36.2	
2000 March	22.2	22.7	19.8	20.2	19.6	25.4	20.3	28.2	19.7	17.4	22.2	19.8	19.9	33.0	
June	23.1	23.4	20.8	21.1	20.6	25.7	21.3	28.3	20.8	18.6	23.1	20.7	21.0	32.4	
September	22.2	23.1	20.4	20.3	20.0	24.3	20.3	26.9	19.5	17.8	22.1	19.5	20.9	30.3	
December	21.1	22.1	19.4	19.2	18.9	23.5	18.8	26.0	18.1	16.1	21.0	18.6	20.0	30.8	
2001 March	19.7	21.3	18.1	17.8	17.3	21.7	16.6	24.7	16.8	14.8	19.5	17.5	18.3	31.3	
June	20.6	22.4	19.2	18.7	18.4	22.7	17.6	24.3	17.3	15.9	20.3	19.7	18.9	32.2	
September	19.7	21.3	18.9	18.1	18.2	21.8	16.1	22.9	15.5	14.8	19.4	18.9	18.0	30.7	
December	18.0	18.7	17.7	16.9	16.9	20.7	14.2	21.0	13.0	13.0	17.7	17.0	15.9	30.8	
2002 March	16.3	17.4	16.1	15.4	15.1	18.9	12.4	19.8	11.3	11.8	16.1	15.3	14.0	27.6	
June	16.7	18.1	16.6	15.7	16.1	19.0	12.8	19.6	11.8	13.1	16.6	16.3	14.1	26.2	
September	16.1	18.1	16.3	14.9	15.4	17.7	12.3	19.2	11.7	12.6	16.0	15.2	14.2	23.3	
December	15.7	17.0	15.8	14.3	14.5	17.1	12.2	19.3	11.9	11.7	15.6	14.8	14.1	22.8	
2003 March	14.6	15.1	14.6	13.0	13.1	15.6	11.1	18.9	11.0	10.8	14.5	13.5	13.0	22.0	
June	15.2	15.2	15.1	13.7	13.6	15.9	12.0	19.3	12.2	11.8	15.2	14.5	13.2	21.8	
September	15.4	14.5	15.3	13.7	14.5	16.0	12.7	19.6	12.5	11.9	15.4	14.3	13.7	21.5	
December	15.8	14.2	15.4	13.9	15.4	16.7	13.3	19.9	13.0	11.9	15.7	13.8	13.9	24.5	
2004 March	15.2	13.7	14.5	13.0	15.0	16.3	12.4	19.7	12.9	11.3	15.2	12.9	13.5	25.3	
June	16.4	14.8	15.2	13.8	16.3	17.4	13.7	20.3	14.6	12.9	16.3	14.4	14.9	26.2	
September	16.1	13.9	14.3	13.1	16.0	17.2	13.6	20.1	14.5	12.2	15.9	14.0	15.3	25.0	
December	15.6	12.8	13.8	12.3	14.9	17.1	12.9	20.1	13.9	10.8	15.3	13.9	15.2	25.2	
2005 March	14.2	11.5	12.2	10.8	13.4	16.0	11.4	19.0	12.7	9.4	13.9	12.6	14.1	22.7	
June	14.3	12.1	12.5	10.9	13.8	15.2	11.9	18.4	12.5	10.0	14.0	12.9	14.8	21.7	
September	14.2	12.6	12.4	11.1	14.0	15.4	12.7	18.0	12.6	10.1	14.0	12.3	14.8	20.6	
December	14.5	13.5	12.8	11.4	14.0	16.3	13.1	18.2	12.6	10.4	14.3	12.1	14.5	21.6	
2004 March	14.2	13.6	12.6	11.8	13.4	16.7	12.7	18.3	12.3	10.2	14.2	12.0	13.4	20.9	

1 Not seasonally adjusted.

2 People who have been claiming for more than 12 months, as a percentage of total computerised claim records. Only computerised JSA claim records are analysed by duration of claim. The number of claims not handled by computer (clerical claims) currently accounts for less than 1 per cent of the total claimant count.

Source: Labour Market Division, Office for National Statistics

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Table 9(a)(i) - Percentage of 16 to 19 year olds educated to Level 2 or higher

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1999 Spring	57.9	54.1	57.3	52.7	54.2	54.0	60.0	59.6	61.9	54.6	57.1	55.8	66.8	55.8
1999 Autumn	64.1	58.4	62.8	61.9	61.4	60.3	65.0	62.7	69.4	66.2	63.7	59.2	71.0	63.3
2000 Spring	58.2	50.7	55.7	53.4	55.5	51.6	56.4	59.7	65.9	60.0	57.4	56.7	66.5	57.9
2000 Autumn	65.6	64.8	64.0	57.6	63.4	62.6	65.2	65.1	70.3	68.8	64.9	69.3	71.5	62.1
2001 Spring	59.2	59.3	58.9	53.4	57.2	58.3	58.0	56.8	59.9	62.0	58.2	59.9	70.0	53.8
2001 Autumn	65.5	64.4	61.5	60.8	63.2	62.8	64.5	65.5	68.4	71.7	64.8	64.1	71.9	66.7
2002 Spring	58.0	54.9	50.8	58.3	57.4	54.4	60.0	55.2	60.7	59.5	56.7	59.6	69.8	57.3
2002 Autumn	66.1	65.6	64.0	62.9	65.3	62.0	65.3	64.4	69.6	67.5	65.3	69.4	73.7	63.5
2003 Spring	59.3	56.5	55.0	55.9	56.9	56.2	60.2	59.6	58.5	63.0	58.0	60.3	72.5	58.4
2003 Autumn	65.4	60.1	64.2	61.8	60.3	59.5	67.7	67.4	68.4	68.3	64.7	64.8	74.0	59.8
2004 Spring	57.5	48.7	57.8	55.4	57.5	49.0	58.9	56.3	58.4	58.3	56.1	57.4	71.2	58.1
2004 Autumn	65.2	55.6	63.5	64.4	62.5	63.2	62.7	65.8	69.2	67.5	64.6	66.9	73.1	59.2
2005 Spring	59.9	57.4	57.3	54.3	55.4	61.2	59.8	56.9	62.4	61.9	58.7	60.3	71.3	59.0
2005 Autumn	65.7	58.3	63.1	62.7	59.7	64.9	67.8	64.0	69.8	69.6	65.1	64.5	74.4	60.7

Source: Department for Education and Skills analyses of the ONS Labour Force Survey

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Table 9(a)(ii) - Percentage of 19 to 21 year olds educated to Level 2 or higher

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1999 Spring	74.7	74.7	80.0	73.4	68.3	68.8	76.0	74.7	78.1	74.6	74.9	68.6	76.2	78.1
1999 Autumn	75.3	74.2	76.1	76.4	72.5	73.5	78.3	72.8	77.8	73.4	75.2	73.5	76.2	78.5
2000 Spring	75.5	74.2	76.4	73.0	71.3	72.2	74.3	73.5	81.1	76.4	75.1	75.0	78.2	79.7
2000 Autumn	75.5	74.5	78.1	72.8	73.6	70.8	77.7	74.9	78.9	76.4	75.6	69.6	76.0	80.8
2001 Spring	76.4	75.7	76.4	73.6	75.6	72.8	78.2	75.6	77.9	79.4	76.2	76.5	78.7	75.2
2001 Autumn	75.9	76.1	76.5	69.9	74.2	72.6	73.3	75.3	77.4	79.0	75.0	75.2	82.4	82.7
2002 Spring	75.7	73.0	72.5	71.0	78.7	70.2	72.0	76.4	79.7	78.7	75.0	75.8	80.0	82.0
2002 Autumn	75.7	70.2	71.3	73.6	77.7	70.2	74.1	75.5	82.3	76.4	75.2	71.1	80.4	82.4
2003 Spring	76.4	73.5	73.2	77.6	77.8	75.2	74.3	73.2	79.7	78.2	75.9	78.0	79.6	76.5
2003 Autumn	76.7	77.9	77.1	76.0	75.2	76.2	79.1	73.8	78.6	76.8	76.6	74.8	79.0	75.2
2004 Spring	75.3	70.8	75.0	74.8	71.9	69.0	76.2	70.4	79.9	80.7	74.5	76.8	81.6	76.5
2004 Autumn	75.2	67.1	77.5	72.1	74.7	68.6	73.6	71.5	81.6	76.5	74.4	78.8	79.2	80.2
2005 Spring	74.9	77.3	76.2	76.1	72.7	72.7	71.8	68.1	79.3	76.7	74.4	78.4	74.5	82.6
2005 Autumn	75.1	77.0	71.5	76.3	73.7	70.7	73.9	75.2	76.9	77.4	74.6	69.7	82.2	75.7

Table 9(a)(iii) - Percentage of 19 to 21 year olds educated to Level 3 or higher

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1999 Spring	50.1	49.1	52.2	50.9	43.1	45.8	47.7	50.2	54.6	48.7	49.8	44.0	56.3	50.1
1999 Autumn	50.1	41.0	50.1	52.5	47.9	48.6	51.2	51.2	52.0	48.9	50.0	47.7	53.9	46.4
2000 Spring	50.0	43.8	49.8	46.1	44.6	46.8	51.1	52.9	56.3	51.1	50.0	46.0	53.7	46.5
2000 Autumn	51.3	46.1	54.4	47.0	50.1	47.0	49.1	50.1	59.0	53.2	51.4	46.2	51.8	55.6
2001 Spring	52.7	47.3	52.8	50.9	55.0	49.6	50.0	51.2	57.6	57.8	52.8	51.1	54.5	49.2
2001 Autumn	51.2	49.8	49.8	45.2	51.3	46.5	46.3	52.5	55.2	56.8	50.6	53.3	55.4	49.0
2002 Spring	51.0	48.6	47.2	45.2	54.3	45.3	46.3	53.2	56.5	53.0	50.4	55.2	53.9	49.7
2002 Autumn	52.0	45.9	44.8	53.7	51.9	47.8	48.4	52.0	59.7	53.4	51.6	46.7	59.3	52.5
2003 Spring	52.0	49.3	45.7	53.3	55.9	48.6	49.6	49.7	57.0	54.3	51.5	50.8	59.4	47.2
2003 Autumn	52.3	54.5	49.6	52.0	54.3	49.3	53.9	48.6	54.2	53.2	51.8	52.0	57.6	49.6
2004 Spring	51.3	47.3	50.6	53.1	49.1	49.3	48.4	45.7	56.5	55.7	50.9	47.2	59.6	45.8
2004 Autumn	51.7	44.6	52.3	49.0	53.6	46.5	47.4	48.1	59.5	56.4	51.4	44.8	60.3	44.8
2005 Spring	51.0	44.1	52.6	49.1	53.0	51.6	48.4	44.6	57.4	53.6	50.8	53.5	53.0	46.3
2005 Autumn	52.0	48.0	45.8	52.2	52.4	47.0	45.9	56.8	58.5	53.0	51.7	50.3	59.5	42.5

Source: Department for Education and Skills analyses of the ONS Labour Force Survey

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Table 9(b)(i) - Percentage of economically active adults (18-59/64) qualified to at least NVQ Level 4

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1998 Spring	25.2	19.8	23.9	23.1	20.9	21.4	22.4	33.8	27.6	25.0	25.1	23.6	27.1	23.8	
1998 Autumn	26.2	21.2	24.2	22.9	22.5	21.5	23.9	34.5	29.3	25.9	26.0	24.8	29.3	23.5	
1999 Spring	26.4	21.3	24.4	22.5	22.2	22.2	24.1	34.9	29.7	25.8	26.2	24.7	29.6	24.4	
1999 Autumn	26.8	20.9	24.6	23.3	23.4	22.7	24.3	35.2	29.7	26.7	26.6	25.3	30.0	24.7	
2000 Spring	27.2	21.5	25.4	23.8	23.6	24.6	24.7	35.8	29.3	26.6	27.1	26.3	29.2	24.6	
2000 Autumn	27.8	21.6	26.2	24.4	24.6	25.3	24.3	36.7	29.4	27.3	27.6	27.3	31.0	24.2	
2001 Spring	27.7	23.1	26.1	24.2	23.4	24.0	24.4	37.9	28.9	27.7	27.5	26.8	31.1	24.5	
2001 Autumn	28.1	22.6	25.6	24.2	23.0	23.9	25.7	39.2	29.6	27.4	27.9	26.0	32.4	25.5	
2002 Spring	28.2	22.7	24.7	24.3	23.2	24.9	25.2	38.2	30.6	26.9	27.8	26.4	32.9	27.8	
2002 Autumn	28.8	24.1	26.2	24.3	24.2	24.5	25.6	37.6	30.9	29.1	28.3	29.3	33.2	28.1	
2003 Spring	29.1	25.1	25.9	24.8	24.2	25.2	26.7	37.1	31.9	29.3	28.7	29.1	33.9	26.5	
2003 Autumn	29.8	25.8	27.0	26.8	25.6	26.0	26.3	37.5	32.5	29.6	29.4	28.7	35.3	27.7	
2004 Spring	30.5	26.3	28.1	27.6	28.0	26.9	27.5	38.0	33.2	29.0	30.2	28.5	34.1	30.7	
2004 Autumn	30.8	24.8	28.9	26.2	28.0	26.8	28.6	38.6	33.2	30.0	30.4	29.3	36.3	29.5	
2005 Spring	30.9	25.9	28.8	26.2	27.4	27.2	28.6	39.4	33.5	29.6	30.6	28.5	35.5	29.5	
2005 Autumn	31.4	26.0	29.1	26.0	27.6	28.4	29.3	41.2	33.8	30.6	31.2	28.9	35.5	28.8	

Table 9(b)(ii) - Percentage of economically active adults (18-59/64) qualified to at least NVQ level 3

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1998 Spring	43.9	39.5	44.1	41.3	40.8	39.2	40.6	49.1	47.0	44.5	43.6	42.2	48.4	42.1	
1998 Autumn	45.6	41.3	44.9	42.4	42.8	40.5	42.7	50.4	48.8	46.3	45.2	43.7	51.1	42.5	
1999 Spring	45.8	42.4	45.1	42.6	41.7	40.9	43.2	51.1	49.7	45.3	45.5	42.8	51.5	43.3	
1999 Autumn	46.6	41.6	45.9	44.7	43.0	41.7	44.0	51.8	49.7	46.6	46.3	43.8	52.6	43.6	
2000 Spring	47.0	41.5	47.0	44.8	43.1	43.4	44.4	52.6	49.5	46.5	46.7	44.2	52.2	43.6	
2000 Autumn	47.8	42.3	48.4	45.3	44.3	43.9	44.5	53.1	50.0	47.7	47.4	45.0	53.2	44.5	
2001 Spring	47.7	43.6	47.9	45.5	44.0	43.3	45.1	54.3	48.7	47.5	47.4	44.9	53.6	43.6	
2001 Autumn	48.4	44.3	48.0	45.2	44.6	43.6	46.4	55.7	49.2	49.1	48.1	45.5	54.5	44.5	
2002 Spring	48.6	45.5	45.9	46.2	45.0	44.5	45.7	54.8	50.8	48.3	48.1	45.9	54.9	47.3	
2002 Autumn	49.5	45.7	48.0	46.4	46.1	45.7	44.9	54.2	52.1	50.6	48.9	48.9	55.7	48.6	
2003 Spring	49.7	47.6	47.8	46.2	46.3	45.9	46.0	53.8	52.3	50.9	49.1	48.6	56.4	47.6	
2003 Autumn	50.5	47.6	48.2	48.1	48.9	46.2	46.7	54.0	53.0	52.1	49.9	50.8	56.6	47.9	
2004 Spring	50.8	47.4	49.8	47.8	49.3	47.3	47.3	54.5	53.7	51.2	50.4	49.5	55.5	48.6	
2004 Autumn	51.4	46.3	50.7	48.2	49.4	47.5	48.4	54.5	54.0	52.0	50.8	49.3	58.5	49.5	
2005 Spring	51.4	48.2	50.8	47.6	50.3	48.0	48.3	54.9	54.0	51.6	51.0	47.7	57.9	48.4	
2005 Autumn	51.9	49.9	50.6	47.8	49.5	48.1	49.6	56.6	54.7	52.5	51.6	48.8	58.1	48.7	

Source: Department for Education and Skills analyses of the ONS Labour Force Survey

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Table 9(b)(iii) - Percentage of economically active adults (18-59/64) qualified to at least NVQ level 2

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1998 Spring	65.8	62.5	66.1	62.8	62.7	61.0	64.3	68.8	68.9	66.7	65.5	65.2	69.0	66.0
1998 Autumn	66.8	64.7	67.0	63.4	63.5	62.0	65.0	69.7	70.3	68.3	66.6	66.4	70.2	65.5
1999 Spring	67.7	65.6	68.4	64.3	63.3	63.1	65.9	70.5	71.2	68.2	67.4	66.4	71.4	66.9
1999 Autumn	68.1	66.1	68.5	66.5	64.4	63.3	66.8	70.5	71.1	68.9	67.9	66.1	71.8	66.8
2000 Spring	68.5	66.3	69.3	66.9	64.8	64.7	66.7	71.2	71.2	69.0	68.3	67.3	71.4	66.6
2000 Autumn	69.1	65.0	70.5	66.8	65.2	65.8	66.6	72.1	71.5	70.4	68.9	67.9	72.4	66.8
2001 Spring	69.1	67.3	70.2	66.3	65.2	65.7	67.3	72.4	70.4	70.1	68.8	66.8	73.2	67.0
2001 Autumn	69.6	67.3	69.5	66.9	66.6	66.2	68.5	73.4	70.3	70.9	69.3	66.9	74.0	69.1
2002 Spring	70.1	68.7	68.9	68.3	67.9	67.1	69.2	73.0	71.6	70.6	69.8	67.8	73.5	71.4
2002 Autumn	70.9	68.4	70.3	68.6	68.1	68.0	68.2	73.4	73.3	71.2	70.5	71.6	74.2	72.6
2003 Spring	70.9	69.2	69.7	68.5	68.2	68.1	68.9	72.9	73.0	71.7	70.4	71.6	74.9	72.9
2003 Autumn	71.6	69.4	70.6	70.1	69.3	68.2	69.8	73.4	73.9	72.7	71.2	73.0	74.7	71.6
2004 Spring	71.8	70.2	71.9	69.7	70.4	68.5	70.3	73.2	74.1	72.3	71.5	72.5	74.2	71.9
2004 Autumn	72.1	70.4	73.0	70.0	69.7	68.9	69.9	72.4	74.5	72.9	71.7	71.5	76.9	71.2
2005 Spring	72.3	72.1	73.1	70.3	70.7	70.2	70.0	72.5	75.0	73.3	72.1	69.7	76.1	70.8
2005 Autumn	73.4	74.5	73.5	70.8	70.9	71.1	71.9	74.4	75.4	74.5	73.2	71.8	77.5	71.8

Table 9(b)(iv) - Percentage of economically active adults (18-59/64) with no qualifications

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1998 Spring	13.0	15.2	13.2	14.7	14.9	17.0	12.1	11.0	9.9	10.7	12.7	15.6	12.5	19.0
1998 Autumn	12.4	14.2	12.7	13.9	13.8	15.9	11.6	10.5	9.4	10.8	12.1	14.2	12.4	19.2
1999 Spring	12.1	13.2	12.1	13.0	14.2	15.0	11.4	10.0	9.3	10.8	11.8	14.4	12.1	19.5
1999 Autumn	12.0	13.0	12.4	12.2	13.3	14.7	12.0	10.2	9.2	9.8	11.5	14.5	12.4	19.6
2000 Spring	11.7	13.0	11.3	11.9	13.5	14.4	12.0	9.8	8.9	9.5	11.2	13.1	13.0	19.3
2000 Autumn	11.4	14.3	11.4	12.4	13.0	13.9	11.6	9.7	8.4	9.4	11.1	12.5	11.9	19.5
2001 Spring	11.5	12.5	11.5	12.7	13.7	13.9	10.5	9.6	9.3	9.0	11.1	14.4	11.9	18.2
2001 Autumn	11.3	12.0	11.9	12.9	13.3	13.4	9.8	9.2	9.6	8.6	10.9	14.2	11.6	17.5
2002 Spring	10.9	11.7	11.8	12.5	12.3	13.2	10.1	9.1	8.9	8.1	10.6	13.1	11.6	15.8
2002 Autumn	10.5	11.5	11.6	11.4	11.9	13.1	10.9	8.3	8.2	7.7	10.2	11.7	10.6	16.3
2003 Spring	10.4	12.0	11.9	11.7	12.8	12.3	10.7	8.5	7.8	7.3	10.2	11.7	10.4	16.1
2003 Autumn	10.0	10.3	11.4	10.3	11.4	11.9	10.5	8.0	7.5	7.3	9.6	11.3	11.2	17.2
2004 Spring	10.1	9.1	11.0	9.7	11.2	12.7	9.6	8.4	8.1	7.7	9.6	12.2	11.2	16.9
2004 Autumn	9.9	10.1	10.3	9.9	11.0	12.4	9.6	9.4	7.5	7.5	9.6	12.1	9.2	17.8
2005 Spring	9.4	9.1	9.0	9.6	10.2	11.4	9.3	8.9	6.9	7.6	8.9	12.1	9.9	17.4
2005 Autumn	9.0	8.2	9.5	9.9	9.9	10.7	8.7	8.6	6.8	6.9	8.7	10.8	9.1	16.5

Source: Department for Education and Skills analyses of the ONS Labour Force Survey

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Table 9(c) - Percentage of employees¹ receiving job related training² in the last 4 weeks

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1999 Spring	15.9	16.7	14.8	17.7	14.7	15.9	15.8	16.1	17.4	16.4	16.2	14.8	15.0	12.8	
1999 Autumn	15.5	13.7	14.9	16.7	14.6	15.3	15.8	16.1	16.5	16.5	15.7	13.0	15.6	12.9	
2000 Spring	16.1	15.4	16.8	16.4	15.7	16.0	15.7	16.9	16.0	17.7	16.4	15.9	15.4	10.7	
2000 Autumn	16.2	15.2	17.7	16.2	14.9	15.9	16.8	17.0	15.7	18.0	16.5	15.5	15.3	12.5	
2001 Spring	16.4	15.6	17.3	16.9	14.4	16.7	16.1	17.8	16.7	17.1	16.7	16.1	15.3	13.2	
2001 Autumn	16.6	17.8	16.7	17.2	14.5	15.9	15.4	18.5	16.8	17.8	16.8	15.1	15.9	15.6	
2002 Spring	16.6	18.0	16.4	16.6	15.8	16.1	14.7	18.0	17.7	17.5	16.8	17.3	15.3	14.2	
2002 Autumn	16.6	17.5	15.8	17.3	15.9	16.1	14.5	18.5	16.6	17.1	16.6	18.9	15.3	15.1	
2003 Spring	15.7	15.9	15.8	16.6	14.0	15.2	14.7	16.5	15.6	16.1	15.6	18.3	15.1	13.9	
2003 Autumn	17.4	18.8	16.8	18.1	17.3	17.6	15.5	18.5	18.1	16.8	17.5	18.1	16.8	15.0	
2004 Spring	16.1	19.2	16.0	16.5	17.0	15.3	14.5	16.3	16.5	16.1	16.2	18.2	16.2	10.6	
2004 Autumn	16.7	17.8	17.0	17.6	16.4	16.7	16.1	16.0	17.3	16.6	16.8	17.7	17.3	11.9	
2005 Spring	16.2	18.2	16.4	16.5	17.3	15.6	15.8	14.4	17.0	16.5	16.3	17.7	15.6	11.8	
2005 Autumn	15.9	17.6	16.1	16.5	14.9	15.3	15.5	16.4	15.6	16.6	16.0	16.8	16.6	9.8	

1 Employees are those working age (defined as Males aged 16-64 and Females aged 16-59) in employment excluding the self-employed, unpaid family workers and those on government programmes.

2 Job-related training includes both on and off-the-job training.

These figures have been revised in line with Census 2001 results by ONS.

Source: Department for Education and Skills analyses of the ONS Labour Force Survey

INCOME SUPPORT CLAIMANTS

Table 10(a) - Total Income Support claimants as a percentage of the 16+ (16-59) population

Per cent		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland ¹
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2003	Nov	8.5	8.2	6.6	5.4	6.6	4.6	7.8	4.2	5.0	6.2	7.9	7.8	10.0	
2004	Feb	8.4	8.1	6.5	5.3	6.5	4.6	7.8	4.2	5.0	6.2	7.8	7.8	10.0	
	May	8.3	8.0	6.4	5.3	6.5	4.5	7.8	4.1	4.9	6.1	7.7	7.6	10.0	
	Aug	8.2	8.0	6.4	5.2	6.5	4.5	7.8	4.1	4.9	6.1	7.7	7.6	10.0	
	Nov	8.0	7.9	6.3	5.2	6.4	4.5	7.8	4.1	4.8	6.1	7.6	7.5	10.1	
2005 ²	Feb	7.9	7.8	6.3	5.1	6.4	4.5	7.8	4.1	4.8	6.0	7.5	7.5	10.1	
	May	7.8	7.7	6.2	5.1	6.3	4.4	7.8	4.1	4.8	6.0	7.4	7.4	10.0	
	Aug	7.8	7.7	6.2	5.1	6.3	4.4	7.8	4.1	4.8	6.0	7.4	7.4	10.1	
	Nov	7.7	7.6	6.2	5.1	6.3	4.4	7.8	4.0	4.8	6.0	7.4	7.3	10.1	

1 Northern Ireland data are not directly comparable with the rest of the UK. See Definitions section.

2 2005 data calculated using mid 2004 population figures.

Source: DWP Information Directorate: Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study.

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Table 10(b) - Pension Credit claimants as a percentage of the 60+ population

Per cent		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland ¹
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2003	Nov	22.4	19.9	18.9	16.0	19.2	13.5	20.0	11.9	14.2	16.8	18.1	20.3	25.9	
2004	Feb	24.4	21.3	20.6	17.4	20.6	15.1	21.3	13.1	15.3	18.2	19.5	21.7	27.0	
	May	26.5	22.9	22.6	19.4	22.4	16.8	22.8	14.5	16.7	19.8	21.3	23.7	28.4	
	Aug	27.4	23.7	23.4	20.2	23.3	17.5	23.7	15.2	17.4	20.6	22.2	24.7	29.1	
	Nov	27.7	24.0	23.7	20.5	23.7	17.8	24.0	15.5	17.6	20.9	22.6	25.0	30.2	
2005 ²	Feb	27.9	24.2	23.9	20.7	23.9	18.1	24.3	15.6	17.8	21.1	22.9	25.2	29.9	
	May	28.1	24.4	24.2	20.9	24.1	18.3	24.5	15.8	18.0	21.4	23.1	25.5	30.2	
	Aug	28.2	24.5	24.3	21.1	24.2	18.4	24.7	15.9	18.1	21.5	23.3	25.6	30.5	
	Nov	28.3	24.6	24.4	21.2	24.3	18.5	24.9	16.0	18.2	21.6	23.4	25.6	30.5	

1 Northern Ireland data are not directly comparable with the rest of the UK. See Definitions section.

2 2005 data calculated using mid 2004 population figures.

Source: DWP Information Directorate: Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study.

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Table 10(c) - Incapacity Benefits¹ Income Support claimants as a proportion of 16-59 year olds

Per cent		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland ²
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2003	Nov	5.0	4.8	3.7	2.9	3.5	2.4	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.4	4.8	4.8	5.7	
2004	Feb	5.0	4.8	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.4	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.4	4.7	4.8	5.7	
	May	4.9	4.8	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.4	3.8	2.1	2.9	3.3	4.6	4.7	5.8	
	Aug	4.8	4.8	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.4	3.8	2.1	2.9	3.3	4.6	4.7	5.9	
	Nov	4.8	4.7	3.6	2.9	3.5	2.4	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.3	4.6	4.7	5.9	
2005 ³	Feb	4.8	4.7	3.5	2.8	3.4	2.4	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.3	4.6	4.7	5.8	
	May	4.7	4.7	3.5	2.8	3.4	2.4	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.3	4.5	4.6	5.9	
	Aug	4.7	4.6	3.5	2.8	3.4	2.3	3.8	2.2	2.9	3.3	4.5	4.6	5.9	
	Nov	4.6	4.6	3.5	2.8	3.4	2.4	3.8	2.1	2.9	3.3	4.5	4.6	5.9	

1 'Incapacity Benefit' are defined as claimants with a disability premium who are not in receipt of a pensioner premium.

2 Northern Ireland data are not directly comparable with the rest of the UK. See Definitions section.

3 2005 data calculated using mid 2004 population figures.

Table 10(d) - Lone Parent¹ Income Support claimants as a percentage of 16-59 year olds

Per cent		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland ²
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2003	Nov	2.8	2.8	2.4	2.0	2.5	1.9	3.5	1.8	1.8	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.8	
2004	Feb	2.8	2.8	2.4	2.0	2.5	1.9	3.4	1.8	1.8	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.8	
	May	2.8	2.7	2.4	2.0	2.5	1.9	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	
	Aug	2.7	2.7	2.3	2.0	2.5	1.9	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.3	
	Nov	2.6	2.6	2.3	1.9	2.4	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	
2005 ³	Feb	2.6	2.6	2.2	1.9	2.4	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	
	May	2.6	2.6	2.2	1.9	2.4	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.7	
	Aug	2.6	2.5	2.2	1.9	2.4	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.8	
	Nov	2.5	2.5	2.2	1.9	2.4	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.7	

1 'Lone Parents' are defined as single people with dependants where the claimant does not receive a pensioner or a disability premium.

2 Northern Ireland data are not directly comparable with the rest of the UK. See Definitions section.

3 2005 data calculated using mid 2004 population figures.

Source: DWP Information Directorate: Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study.

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Table 10(e) - Other¹ Income Support claimants as a percentage of 16-59 year olds

Per cent		GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland ²
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
2003	Nov	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.5	
2004	Feb	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.5	
	May	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	1.8	
	Aug	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.9	
	Nov	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	1.5	
2005	Feb	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.5	
	May	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.4	
	Aug	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	1.3	
	Nov	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.4	

1 'Others' are IS claimants who are not defined as MIG, Disabled, Carers or Lone Parents.

2 Northern Ireland data are not directly comparable with the rest of the UK. See Definitions section.

3 2005 data calculated using mid 2004 population figures.

Source: DWP Information Directorate: Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study.

DEPRIVATION

Table 11 - Distribution of people within families¹ that are dependent on Income Support in England in 2001

Thousands and per cent		England	GO Region/Country								
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West
Level	Population ²	49,139	2,516	6,730	4,965	4,172	5,267	5,388	7,172	8,001	4,928
Level ¹	Persons dependent on IS Benefits	12,867	677	1,875	1,317	1,065	1,424	1,353	2,004	1,968	1,184
Per cent	Dependants / Population	26.2	27	28	27	26	27	25	28	25	24
Per cent	Dependants / Most deprived 20% of population	34.8	36	38	37	33	37	31	37	30	29

1: The number of people within families dependent on Income Support is a DTI estimate derived from the Income strand of the Indices of Multiple Deprivation 2004.

2: Populations are in line with 2001 Census results.

Source: Calculations based on the Indices of Multiple Deprivation 2004, Neighbourhood Renewal Unit, DCLG

BUSINESS REGISTRATION AND SURVIVAL RATES

Table 12(a) - VAT registrations by broad industry sector, as a percentage of VAT registered business stock

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
All industries	1998	10.9	9.6	10.9	9.7	10.2	10.5	10.5	15.0	11.6	9.9	11.4	7.9	9.7	6.7
	1999	10.4	9.7	10.3	9.5	9.7	10.1	9.8	13.8	10.9	9.5	10.7	7.8	9.3	6.4
	2000	10.3	9.8	10.4	9.6	9.9	10.0	10.1	13.4	10.6	9.4	10.7	8.0	9.0	6.0
	2001	9.6	9.3	9.8	9.3	9.5	9.5	9.4	12.0	9.9	8.7	9.9	7.6	8.7	6.1
	2002	9.9	9.8	10.3	9.8	9.9	9.7	9.9	11.8	10.2	9.3	10.3	8.0	8.8	6.1
	2003	10.5	10.7	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.2	12.7	10.7	9.7	10.9	8.9	9.3	6.4
	2004	10.0	9.4	10.3	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.6	12.4	9.9	9.0	10.2	8.7	9.3	7.0
Manufacturing	1998	8.0	8.0	7.1	6.9	7.6	7.5	7.9	11.3	8.3	7.6	8.1	7.3	6.8	6.0
	1999	7.6	7.8	7.1	7.0	7.7	7.0	7.2	10.1	7.6	7.5	7.7	6.9	6.9	6.8
	2000	7.5	7.1	7.0	7.5	7.4	6.5	7.3	10.0	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.3	6.6	5.7
	2001	6.7	7.1	7.1	6.8	6.8	5.8	6.5	8.0	6.7	6.3	6.8	6.3	6.3	5.8
	2002	6.6	7.1	6.7	6.8	7.0	5.8	5.6	7.5	6.5	6.9	6.6	7.3	6.4	5.4
	2003	6.8	7.1	6.8	7.2	6.4	5.8	6.5	8.6	6.5	6.4	6.8	8.2	6.8	5.1
	2004	6.3	5.8	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.3	6.0	8.7	6.0	5.6	6.3	7.4	7.0	5.9
Services	1998	12.6	10.8	12.4	11.4	11.9	12.2	11.9	15.5	12.8	11.9	12.8	10.2	12.1	9.3
	1999	11.9	11.0	11.6	11.0	11.2	11.8	11.1	14.3	11.8	11.4	12.1	10.1	11.2	8.9
	2000	11.8	11.2	11.7	11.1	11.5	11.9	11.5	13.9	11.6	11.1	12.0	10.4	11.1	8.2
	2001	10.9	10.5	11.0	10.5	10.9	11.3	10.4	12.3	10.6	10.2	11.0	9.8	10.6	8.1
	2002	11.2	11.0	11.4	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.1	12.1	11.0	10.8	11.3	10.4	10.5	8.0
	2003	11.8	11.8	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.2	13.0	11.5	11.3	11.9	11.0	10.9	8.8
	2004	11.1	10.2	11.3	11.0	11.2	11.1	10.6	12.6	10.6	10.4	11.2	10.7	10.8	9.5
Other industries	1998	6.5	6.1	7.0	5.7	6.6	6.8	7.4	12.9	8.4	5.8	7.3	4.1	4.8	4.2
	1999	6.4	6.1	6.9	5.7	6.2	6.2	6.9	12.5	8.4	5.5	7.0	4.0	5.2	3.9
	2000	6.2	5.8	6.7	5.8	6.3	6.0	6.9	11.5	8.0	5.9	6.9	4.1	4.7	3.7
	2001	6.3	6.1	6.6	6.4	6.4	6.0	7.1	11.9	8.0	5.7	7.0	4.0	4.5	4.0
	2002	6.9	6.7	7.7	6.9	7.1	6.6	7.9	12.4	8.5	6.1	7.7	4.0	5.2	4.2
	2003	7.6	8.4	8.4	8.5	7.5	7.6	8.3	13.3	9.3	6.6	8.5	5.2	5.8	4.1
	2004	7.4	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.8	13.0	8.6	6.2	8.0	5.0	6.0	4.5

Table 12(b)(i) - VAT registrations per 10,000 of the adult population

Registrations (per 10,000 adult population)	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1998	39.2	20.2	32.7	30.1	35.0	35.3	41.5	67.4	47.1	39.8	41.3	26.6	29.2	29.3	
1999	37.8	20.6	31.5	29.8	33.8	34.5	39.5	63.9	45.2	38.8	39.8	26.4	28.2	28.6	
2000	38.1	20.9	32.0	30.5	34.8	34.9	41.0	63.1	45.0	38.6	40.2	27.1	27.7	26.6	
2001	35.8	20.2	30.5	29.4	33.5	33.6	38.3	56.6	42.3	35.8	37.6	25.7	26.7	27.0	
2002	37.1	21.3	31.9	31.0	35.2	34.5	40.8	55.8	44.2	38.3	39.0	27.1	27.0	27.2	
2003	39.5	23.3	33.9	34.1	37.1	36.9	42.2	60.4	46.9	40.3	41.6	29.9	28.7	28.7	
2004	37.6	20.8	32.2	31.7	35.3	34.9	39.8	59.2	43.5	37.3	39.3	29.0	28.6	31.2	

Source: Inter-Departmental Business Register, ONS, and Small Business Service, DTI

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Table 12(b)(ii) - Index of VAT registrations per head of adult population

Index (UK=100)	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1998	100	51.5	83.6	76.8	89.2	90.1	106.0	172.2	120.3	101.7	105.4	68.0	74.6	74.8
1999	100	54.3	83.2	78.8	89.2	91.2	104.3	168.9	119.4	102.5	105.2	69.8	74.5	75.5
2000	100	54.9	84.0	80.1	91.5	91.7	107.8	165.7	118.3	101.4	105.5	71.1	72.8	70.0
2001	100	56.5	85.1	82.2	93.5	93.8	107.0	158.1	118.1	100.0	105.1	71.7	74.7	75.5
2002	100	57.5	86.2	83.6	95.1	93.0	110.1	150.6	119.3	103.4	105.2	73.2	72.9	73.3
2003	100	59.0	85.7	86.2	93.9	93.3	106.8	152.8	118.7	101.9	105.2	75.5	72.5	72.6
2004	100	55.2	85.5	84.2	93.9	92.6	105.8	157.3	115.4	99.0	104.4	77.0	75.9	82.9

Table 12(c) - Survival rates of businesses

Businesses still registered for VAT three years after registering

Year of registration	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1993	62.1	58.5	59.2	60.6	62.7	60.9	63.6	61.4	63.5	63.4	61.9	61.3	63.0	68.5
1994	62.5	58.6	59.8	61.3	61.9	61.9	64.2	60.8	64.3	64.6	62.2	63.6	62.2	73.7
1995	65.3	62.4	62.7	64.3	65.0	63.1	67.1	62.6	68.3	68.1	65.0	65.5	64.9	76.1
1996	66.0	64.7	63.6	64.3	65.2	64.7	68.5	63.3	69.5	68.6	66.0	66.5	64.0	75.0
1997	67.4	66.4	64.2	66.7	67.1	65.9	69.8	64.2	70.7	70.2	67.3	67.7	66.5	75.0
1998	66.3	66.2	65.1	65.1	66.6	66.4	68.8	62.5	69.6	68.7	66.3	66.5	64.5	72.4
1999	66.5	65.5	64.9	66.1	67.7	66.5	68.1	62.8	69.7	68.0	66.4	68.0	65.3	72.4

Source: Inter-Departmental Business Register, ONS, and Small Business Service, DTI

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Table 13(a) - Total Entrepreneurial Activity

Per cent of adult population	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									Northern Ireland		
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	
2002	5.4	2.9	4.3	3.9	4.6	4.9	6.1	5.6	5.3	5.1	3.6	4.3	3.3
2003	6.4	3.8	4.7	4.2	5.4	6.6	5.5	10.0	7.9	6.8	6.8	5.5	5.3
2004	6.3	5.0	4.0	4.5	7.0	5.2	5.8	7.3	7.0	6.8	5.5	5.2	5.0
2005	6.0	3.8	4.6	5.7	5.3	5.4	6.5	8.3	6.9	6.9	5.3	5.8	4.8

Source: Global Entrepreneurship Monitor UK 2005

Table 13 (b) - Expecting to start a business in the next three years

Per cent of adult population	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country									Northern Ireland		
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland	
2003	7	5	5	6	7	8	7	15	8	8	8	7	6
2004	9.5	5.6	6.7	6.3	7.0	7.6	6.5	15.8	10.4	7.0	7.1	6.7	6.1
2005	8.7	6.6	8.3	7.7	6.9	10.0	8.9	14.6	8.7	8.4	7.4	6.2	6.5

Source: Global Entrepreneurship Monitor UK 2005

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Table 14(a) - Business Enterprise R&D by broad industry sector, as a percentage of total workplace based GVA

Per Cent		United Kingdom ¹	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Total (all industries)	1995	1.4	1.0	1.6	0.6	1.5	1.3	3.7	0.8	2.5	1.6	1.6	0.4	0.5	0.4
	1996	1.4	0.8	1.7	0.5	1.6	1.1	3.7	0.6	2.4	1.4	1.6	0.4	0.5	0.5
	1997	1.3	0.6	1.6	0.5	1.5	1.1	3.9	0.5	2.3	1.4	1.5	0.4	0.5	0.5
	1998	1.3	0.7	1.6	0.5	1.6	1.1	3.6	0.5	2.3	1.6	1.5	0.4	0.6	0.5
	1999	1.4	0.6	1.8	0.5	1.6	1.1	3.8	0.5	2.5	1.5	1.6	0.7	0.6	0.5
	2000	1.4	0.6	1.7	0.5	1.8	0.9	3.9	0.5	2.4	1.4	1.5	0.5	0.6	0.7
	2001	1.4	0.4	1.7	0.5	1.7	0.9	3.9	0.5	2.6	1.5	1.6	0.4	0.7	0.8
	2002	1.4	0.4	1.8	0.5	1.8	0.9	3.4	0.6	2.4	1.8	1.6	0.5	0.9	0.7
2003	1.4	0.9	1.6	0.5	1.5	0.8	4.1	0.4	2.4	1.8	1.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	
Manufacturing	1995	5.1	2.7	4.7	1.8	4.0	3.5	12.6	5.2	10.4	6.1	5.8	1.1	1.8	2.0
	1996	5.0	2.6	5.2	1.7	4.4	3.4	12.5	3.3	10.5	5.7	5.6	1.2	1.9	2.4
	1997	5.0	2.2	5.1	1.6	4.2	3.4	13.9	3.0	10.6	5.6	5.7	1.3	1.6	2.2
	1998	5.3	2.4	5.4	1.7	4.7	3.7	13.7	3.0	11.0	6.3	6.0	1.4	1.9	2.1
	1999	5.9	2.2	6.8	1.9	5.4	3.8	14.2	3.2	12.1	6.3	6.5	2.4	2.4	2.3
	2000	6.1	2.3	7.1	1.9	5.9	3.1	15.5	3.7	12.3	5.9	6.7	1.7	2.8	2.9
	2001	6.5	1.6	7.4	1.8	5.9	3.4	16.2	3.7	13.1	7.4	7.1	1.6	3.7	3.4
	2002	6.9	1.6	8.2	2.2	6.4	3.8	14.6	4.9	13.4	8.2	7.5	2.2	4.6	3.0
2003	7.2	4.1	7.9	2.3	5.7	3.1	18.4	3.8	14.0	9.8	7.9	3.3	3.7	2.2	
Services	1995	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.3	1.4	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.0
	1996	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.4	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.0
	1997	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.3	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0
	1998	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.1	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.1
	1999	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.3	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
	2000	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.3	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
	2001	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.4	0.1	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
	2002	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	1.4	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2
2003	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.7	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	
Other	1995	0.4	1.3	0.7	0.1	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0
	1996	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.2	1.5	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.1
	1997	0.4	0.0	1.0	0.1	1.2	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1
	1998	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.2	1.2	0.1	0.8	0.1	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0
	1999	0.4	0.0	1.0	0.1	1.1	0.2	0.9	0.0	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.0	0.2	0.1
	2000	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.1	1.4	0.1	0.9	0.1	1.2	0.9	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0
	2001	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.1	0.8	0.1	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0
	2002	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.9	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.0
2003	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.1	0.4	0.1	1.0	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.0	

1 Estimates for the United Kingdom include ex-regio GVA data which are excluded from other areas shown in the table. All GVA data presented here exceed published GVA estimates because the FISIM adjustment has not been made (see section 1 of Definitions for details).

Source: Business Enterprise R&D Survey and Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics

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Table 14(b) - Numbers and Percentages of Total Employee Jobs in the High and Medium High Technology Sectors^{1,2}

Thousands and per cent	United Kingdom ^{1,2}	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1998 level	1,518	75	190	114	125	220	150	75	214	129	1,292	77	117	32
per cent	6.1	8.0	6.8	5.6	7.1	9.6	6.8	2.0	6.3	6.6	6.1	7.4	5.4	5.2
1999 level	1,462	68	187	106	115	206	133	77	218	126	1,236	81	114	32
per cent	5.7	7.1	6.6	5.1	6.7	8.9	6.2	1.9	6.1	6.3	5.7	7.6	5.2	5.1
2000 level	1,436	68	181	105	113	192	139	72	211	127	1,208	78	115	35
per cent	5.6	7.1	6.3	5.0	6.5	8.4	6.2	1.8	5.8	6.2	5.5	7.3	5.1	5.4
2001 level	1,365	66	176	102	110	184	136	66	192	124	1,156	71	103	35
per cent	5.2	6.7	6.1	4.8	6.3	8.0	6.0	1.6	5.2	5.9	5.2	6.5	4.5	5.3
2002 level	1,279	64	163	96	103	176	132	57	183	113	1,087	69	91	33
per cent	4.9	6.4	5.5	4.4	5.9	7.6	5.8	1.5	5.0	5.3	4.9	6.3	4.0	4.9
2003 level	1,180	57	153	91	99	160	114	48	172	108	1,002	67	80	30
per cent	5	6	5	4	6	7	5	1	5	5	5	6	4	5
2004 level	1,135	55	148	86	97	148	108	47	163	106	958	69	79	29
per cent	4.3	5.4	4.9	3.8	5.4	6.3	4.7	1.2	4.5	4.8	4.3	6.0	3.4	4.3

1 Great Britain components of estimates are for December each year and are not seasonally adjusted.

2 Northern Ireland estimates refer to September of each year and are calculated using a combination of Census of Employment and Quarterly Employment Survey data.

Source: Annual Business Inquiry, Office for National Statistics; Northern Ireland Census of Employment and Quarterly Employment Survey, DETINI

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Table 14(c) - Gross domestic expenditure on R&D, as a percentage of Total Gross Value Added

Per Cent		United Kingdom ¹	GO Region/Country									England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
Business	1998	1.3	0.7	1.5	0.5	1.6	1.1	3.5	0.4	2.3	1.5	1.4	0.4	0.7	0.5
	1999	1.4	0.6	1.8	0.5	1.6	1.1	3.7	0.5	2.5	1.4	1.5	0.7	0.6	0.5
	2000	1.3	0.6	1.7	0.5	1.7	0.8	3.8	0.5	2.4	1.3	1.5	0.4	0.6	0.7
	2001	1.3	0.4	1.7	0.5	1.7	0.9	3.8	0.4	2.5	1.5	1.5	0.4	0.7	0.7
	2002	1.3	0.4	1.7	0.5	1.8	0.9	3.3	0.5	2.3	1.7	1.5	0.5	0.8	0.7
	2003	1.3	0.8	1.6	0.5	1.5	0.7	3.9	0.4	2.4	1.7	1.5	0.7	0.6	0.5
Government	1998	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.1
	1999	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1
	2000	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1
	2001	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1
	2002	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1
	2003	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1
Higher Education	1998	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.3
	1999	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4
	2000	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.4
	2001	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4
	2002	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.4
	2003	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4
Total	1998	1.9	1.1	1.9	1.0	2.0	1.6	4.3	1.1	3.3	2.3	2.1	0.9	1.6	0.9
	1999	2.0	1.0	2.2	1.0	2.1	1.7	4.4	1.1	3.4	2.1	2.2	1.3	1.5	1.0
	2000	2.0	1.0	2.1	1.0	2.2	1.4	4.6	1.2	3.3	2.1	2.1	1.1	1.6	1.2
	2001	2.0	0.9	2.1	1.0	2.2	1.3	4.6	1.1	3.3	2.1	2.1	1.0	1.7	1.2
	2002	2.0	0.9	2.2	1.1	2.3	1.3	4.2	1.2	3.1	2.3	2.1	1.1	1.9	1.2
	2003	2.0	1.3	2.0	1.2	1.8	1.1	4.8	1.1	3.2	2.3	2.1	1.3	1.7	1.0

1 Estimates for the United Kingdom include ex-regio GVA data which are excluded from other areas shown in the table. All GVA data presented here exceed published GVA estimates because the FISIM adjustment has not been made (see section 1 of Definitions for details).

Source: *Business Enterprise R&D Survey and Regional Accounts, Office for National Statistics*

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Table 14 (e) - Percentage of turnover attributable to new/improved/novel products

Per Cent Industry	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Mining and quarrying	1	*	4	2	1	5	9	3	2	0	1	6	1	2	
Manufacturing of:															
food, clothing, wood, paper, publishing and printing	13	12	12	20	12	13	4	13	18	6	12	18	16	6	
fuels, chemicals, plastics metals & minerals	18	12	19	16	20	14	24	9	12	16	17	31	9	20	
electrical and optical equipment	35	32	20	36	23	31	39	36	51	28	38	21	16	51	
transport equipment	26	10	30	19	51	35	13	7	37	18	28	13	7	20	
not elsewhere classified	15	8	6	22	22	10	24	23	14	28	15	11	15	24	
Electricity, gas and water supply	0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	
Construction	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Wholesale & commission trade (not cars & bikes)	7	3	8	4	19	11	1	7	9	12	7	1	12	4	
Transport, storage and communications	14	5	25	9	10	3	12	8	22	18	15	5	10	3	
Financial Intermediation	19	3	1	1	1	12	12	40	31	8	25	3	5	0	
Real estate, renting and business activities.	7	17	28	3	3	22	2	4	4	1	8	4	5	6	
Total	11	8	6	10	5	0	14	23	23	7	12	2	5	4	

1 * : disclosive data

2 Figures have been calculated using employment weightings.

3 Figures indicate the proportion of total turnover for all enterprises, and not those who are product innovator only.
The turnover from product innovation for enterprises who are not product innovator is estimated at 0.

Source: CIS4

TRANSPORT

Table 15(a) - Usual method of travel¹ to work by region/country of workplace, autumn 2005²

Per cent	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country of workplace										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Car, van or minibus	71.3	71.3	77.4	73.3	77.5	77.4	78.3	39.6	78.1	75.0	70.8	79.5	68.0	84.5	
Motorcycle	1.0	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.6	0.8	1.6	1.1	0.6	0.6	0.8	
Bicycle	2.7	1.9	1.8	2.6	3.3	1.9	4.1	3.1	3.3	3.5	2.9	1.5	1.8	0.9	
Bus, coach	7.5	10.8	7.1	8.5	5.2	7.4	3.9	13.8	4.0	4.8	7.2	5.2	12.0	5.4	
National rail	4.3	1.0	1.9	2.0	0.6	1.8	2.2	19.7	2.8	1.2	4.6	1.8	3.6	0.2	
Other Rail ³	2.1	1.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	14.1	0.1	0.1	2.4	0.1	0.4	*	
Walk	10.5	12.0	9.8	11.9	11.6	9.8	10.0	7.5	10.4	13.3	10.4	10.9	12.6	7.3	
Taxi	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.9	
Other method	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.1	

* Sample size too small for a reliable estimate.

1 Where more than one method of travel is used table shows main method.

2 The data in this table have been reweighted to reflect post-2001 Census population data and are not seasonally adjusted.

3 Question not included for Northern Ireland.

Source: Labour Force Survey, Office for National Statistics

Table 15(b) - Average traffic speed on major English roads¹

Average speed km/h	England	GO Region/Country								
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West
1998	79.4	81.3	78.3	84.2	83.9	83.7	80.3	41.8	83.3	87.5
2001	82.2	87.8	83.1	87.0	85.0	80.9	83.9	44.3	86.3	92.9
2003	83.1	87.2	81.3	84.5	85.5	78.9	88.2	46.6	87.8	95.2

1 The estimates are for those roads surveyed in all three years.

Source: Transport Statistics, Department for Transport

Table 15(c) - Average daily motor vehicle flows¹, all roads²

Thousand vehicles per day	Great Britain	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West				
1993	2.9	2.9	3.5	3.0	2.9	3.5	3.2	5.9	4.1	2.2	3.3	1.9	1.6	
1994	3.0	2.9	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.6	3.3	5.9	4.2	2.2	3.4	1.9	1.7	
1995	3.0	2.9	3.7	3.1	3.0	3.6	3.4	5.9	4.3	2.3	3.4	1.9	1.7	
1996	3.1	3.0	3.7	3.2	3.1	3.7	3.4	5.9	4.4	2.3	3.5	2.0	1.7	
1997	3.2	3.1	3.8	3.2	3.2	3.8	3.5	6.0	4.6	2.3	3.6	2.0	1.8	
1998	3.2	3.1	3.9	3.3	3.2	3.8	3.6	6.0	4.6	2.4	3.6	2.0	1.8	
1999	3.3	3.2	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.9	3.6	6.1	4.7	2.4	3.7	2.1	1.8	
2000	3.3	3.1	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.9	3.6	6.1	4.7	2.4	3.7	2.1	1.8	
2001	3.3	3.2	4.0	3.4	3.3	3.9	3.7	6.1	4.8	2.5	3.8	2.1	1.8	
2002	3.4	3.3	4.1	3.5	3.4	4.0	3.7	6.1	4.9	2.5	3.8	2.2	1.9	
2003	3.4	3.3	4.1	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.7	6.1	4.9	2.6	3.9	2.2	1.9	
2004	3.5	3.4	4.2	3.6	3.6	4.1	3.8	6.1	5.0	2.6	3.9	2.3	2.0	

1 Average daily flow is estimated by dividing the annual traffic estimate by the road length and the number of days in year.

2 From 1993 the traffic estimates have been estimated using new expansion factors and new methodology for measuring road lengths.

Source: Transport Statistics, Department for Transport

INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY RENTAL COST

Table 16(a) - Capital Value of Type 3 Industrial Property (Index)

Index (UK = 100)	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1998 April	100	73.6	86.9	98.2	94.9	98.4	112.5	158.6	140.3	100.9	107.1	76.3	90.6	68.8	
1998 October	100	71.5	85.2	94.8	89.3	95.0	109.8	154.3	145.8	101.7	105.3	79.0	87.0	86.7	
1999 April	100	75.3	83.6	93.1	87.9	94.6	110.7	150.9	145.4	100.4	104.7	78.8	85.1	94.1	
1999 October	100	72.7	83.4	90.0	88.3	94.8	111.3	155.7	146.7	100.4	104.8	77.3	82.4	97.0	
2000 April	100	77.4	80.3	88.3	84.0	91.1	109.2	166.6	147.2	100.5	105.0	74.4	78.0	103.0	
2000 October	100	76.0	78.9	87.8	84.3	90.5	109.9	173.7	148.3	99.2	105.4	72.7	76.0	102.6	
2001 April	100	74.2	81.1	85.7	82.9	89.0	108.1	178.4	154.7	98.5	105.8	70.9	75.3	101.2	
2001 October	100	74.2	80.2	85.1	80.6	90.0	107.4	185.0	156.5	97.3	106.3	69.7	74.4	99.4	
2002 April	100	71.6	82.7	87.3	79.8	87.6	111.2	183.3	157.3	99.5	106.7	69.1	73.1	97.4	
2002 October	100	71.9	83.2	82.4	78.7	87.3	115.6	183.6	157.7	99.7	106.7	68.8	75.2	96.0	
2003 April	100	68.2	83.0	81.2	80.2	84.6	112.9	187.8	158.5	98.9	106.1	71.7	80.8	92.1	
2004 January ¹	100	68.1	83.3	80.6	77.2	86.4	111.0	183.4	162.2	98.5	105.6	69.6	88.3	91.4	
2004 July	100	67.9	84.0	80.6	76.7	84.5	111.9	187.3	165.5	96.7	106.1	68.8	87.0	89.0	
2005 January	100	64.7	82.4	92.8	77.9	81.2	109.6	189.8	167.5	92.6	106.5	66.9	86.2	88.5	
2005 July	100	63.4	84.1	91.8	75.9	79.7	109.5	188.2	170.9	95.9	106.6	69.1	84.7	86.8	
2006 January	100	61.8	82.1	102.4	78.8	77.6	109.4	186.3	170.3	97.9	107.4	66.4	82.6	84.5	

Table 16(b) - Rental Cost of Type 1 Office Accommodation (Index)

Index (UK = 100)	United Kingdom	GO Region/Country										England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
		North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
1998 April	100	82.1	81.2	90.9	78.5	97.9	94.4	173.8	120.0	89.1	100.9	69.7	125.3	97.1	
1998 October	100	78.0	86.4	88.1	74.7	93.1	95.7	194.7	120.8	84.8	101.8	67.1	120.0	96.5	
1999 April	100	77.1	86.2	87.0	75.4	94.5	95.3	198.9	121.0	83.7	102.1	66.3	119.3	95.3	
1999 October	100	79.7	86.2	87.0	72.4	93.5	100.0	202.4	119.5	82.1	102.5	65.9	117.9	93.5	
2000 April	100	75.7	85.2	85.2	65.4	95.4	103.3	202.6	125.4	82.8	102.3	65.4	120.6	93.0	
2000 October	100	76.9	80.7	82.9	67.8	95.7	98.0	220.9	125.9	81.4	103.4	64.1	116.8	97.2	
2001 April	100	74.5	78.2	85.4	61.5	94.8	98.4	235.2	121.6	80.3	103.3	61.5	115.1	93.4	
2001 October	100	76.3	77.0	81.8	65.3	93.5	96.9	235.1	116.8	77.0	102.2	59.8	113.4	107.2	
2002 April	100	81.2	77.2	80.5	75.2	92.6	98.7	238.9	114.8	82.6	104.6	60.4	111.4	86.6	
2002 October	100	85.9	79.2	85.9	75.8	92.6	101.3	212.1	116.8	83.9	103.7	59.1	110.1	93.3	
2003 April	100	84.7	81.3	88.1	80.6	90.8	96.9	216.1	121.3	85.4	105.0	63.7	114.5	76.6	
2004 January ¹	100	83.9	86.0	86.6	81.9	93.3	96.0	195.4	123.6	82.6	103.3	66.5	113.5	90.7	
2004 July	100	96.1	84.8	87.5	77.5	94.1	94.1	184.9	121.3	85.5	102.9	68.2	116.6	89.5	
2005 January	100	97.0	85.2	89.8	78.6	95.0	96.3	184.2	116.0	84.5	103.0	67.5	117.3	88.5	
2005 July	100	99.0	84.1	90.0	77.7	94.5	95.1	181.9	115.9	86.7	102.8	70.6	117.2	87.4	
2006 January	100	96.2	91.1	90.5	77.3	92.4	93.7	188.6	113.1	86.1	103.2	66.0	116.9	88.0	

1 From 2004 the data are compiled for January and July of each year

Source: Indices calculated by DTI based on information from the Property Market Report, Valuation Office, Inland Revenue

RE-USE OF VACANT AND DERELICT LAND

Table 17 - Previously developed land that is vacant or derelict, as a percentage of all developed land

		England	GO Region/Country								
			North East	North West	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West
Approximate total area of developed land (hectares)¹	2001	1,158,900	60,200	160,300	121,000	100,900	129,200	134,900	130,500	205,100	116,700
Previously developed vacant land and buildings (per cent)	1998	1.7	2.5	2.2	3.1	1.5	1.5	1.2	0.6	1.3	1.6
	2001	1.7	3.5	2.0	2.8	1.7	1.7	1.4	0.7	1.1	1.6
	2002	1.8	3.6	2.3	2.4	1.9	2.1	1.4	0.5	1.4	1.7
	2003	1.7	3.0	2.1	2.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	0.6	1.5	1.7
	2004	1.6	3.0	2.0	2.6	1.6	1.6	1.2	0.5	1.2	1.4
Derelict land and buildings (per cent)	1998	1.7	2.8	2.1	3.2	2.3	1.2	1.8	0.4	0.6	1.9
	2001	1.8	3.1	3.5	3.1	2.1	1.3	1.9	0.5	0.6	1.6
	2002	1.7	2.7	3.5	2.7	2.5	1.3	1.3	0.4	0.7	1.4
	2003	1.8	2.5	3.6	2.6	1.9	1.3	1.8	0.3	0.7	1.9
	2004	1.7	2.4	3.6	2.5	2.0	1.4	1.7	0.2	0.7	1.6
All vacant and derelict land and buildings (per cent)	1998	3.3	5.2	4.3	6.3	3.8	2.7	3.0	1.0	1.9	3.6
	2001	3.5	6.6	5.5	5.9	3.7	3.0	3.4	1.2	1.8	3.2
	2002	3.5	6.3	5.8	5.1	4.3	3.4	2.7	0.9	2.1	3.1
	2003	3.4	5.5	5.6	5.1	3.4	2.9	3.2	0.8	2.2	3.6
	2004	3.3	5.4	5.6	5.1	3.6	3.0	2.9	0.7	1.9	3.0

1 See Definitions for description.

Source: Department for Communities and Local Government and National Land Use Database