

# LLEP Business and Economic Intelligence Update

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# 1. Economic Roundup

A summary of some key announcements since the last update together with a round-up of recently published research and insights from a range of organisations.

## Announcements/ Press Releases/ News Stories

<u>Area Skills Advisory Panel (SAP) autumn update</u> - Please see a summary update on some of the current skills work that the SAP is supporting in the Leicester and Leicestershire area – 15/10/2022.

#### Research

<u>Leicester and Leicestershire Internationalisation Report</u> – Provides information on international trade, a key area for economic growth identified in the Leicester and

Leicestershire Local Enterprise Partnership delivery plan. Internationalisation is seen as an important way to increase goods and services flow, which can have a positive effect on the economy. The report shows how internationalisation can help to drive growth, create jobs and boost productivity – 15/10/2022.

<u>Alternative Claimant Count statistics January 2013 to August 2022</u> - Official experimental statistics on the number of people claiming unemployment related benefits and estimates of the proportion in-work – 11/10/2022.

<u>Employees in the UK: Revised 2020 and provisional 2021 estimates -</u> Business Register and Employment Survey (BRES) publishes employee and employment estimates at detailed geographical and industrial levels and is regarded as the definitive source of official government employee statistics - 13/10/2022.

<u>Rising business insolvencies amid high energy prices</u> - Persistently high energy prices are becoming a growing concern for businesses across the UK. Several businesses are finding it increasingly difficult to sustain operations in a high energy-price environment - 07/10/2022.

<u>Business insights and impact on the UK economy</u> - The impact of challenges facing the economy and other events on UK businesses. Based on responses from the voluntary fortnightly business survey (BICS) to deliver real-time information to help assess issues impacting UK business – 06/10/2022.

<u>Business population estimates 2022</u> - Annual business population estimates for the UK and regions in 2022 – 06/10/2022.

<u>UK Labour Market: October 2022 - Estimates of employment, unemployment, inactivity, average weekly earnings, vacancies and other labour market related statistics for the UK – 11/10/2022.</u>

## 2. Claimant Count

In September 2022 the claimant rate in the Leicester and Leicestershire area was 3.1%. This translates to 20,740 claimants. In August the figure was 3.1% (20,670). At a national level the claimant rate in England was 3.8%. This is 0.7 of a percentage point higher than the local figure.

The claimant rate for the Leicester and Leicestershire area could be described as static, as it has remained at 3.1% since June.

The picture is very different in the city and county with Leicester having a claimant rate of 4.8% and Leicestershire 2.1%. This is a difference of 2.7 percentage points. Leicester's claimant rate is 1 percentage point higher than the England average (3.8%).

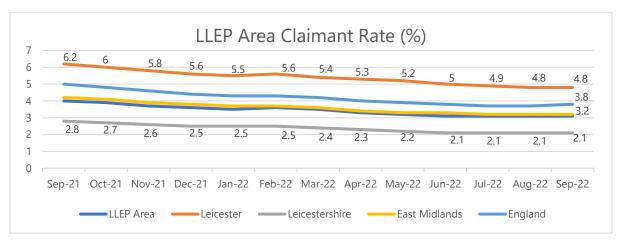


Figure 1: LLEP Area Claimant Rate (%) September 2021 – September 2022

Source: ONS

Figure 2 below provides a timeseries for the Leicester and Leicestershire area and compares this with regional and national figures.

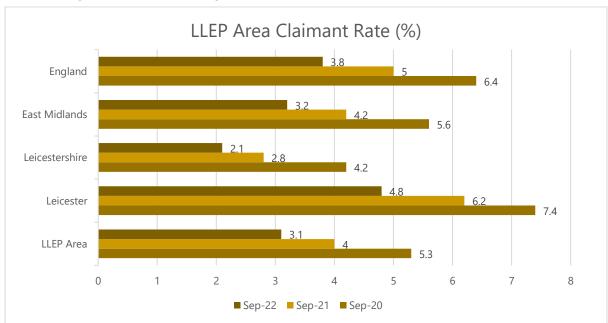


Figure 2: LLEP Area Claimant Rate (%) September 2020 - September 2022

Of the 20,740 claimants over half (54.6% or 11,325) were based in Leicester and 9,415 or 45.4% in Leicestershire.

In March 2020 the claimant rate was 2.3% (or 15,145). Between March 2020 and the end of September 2022 the claimant rate increased by 0.8 of a percentage point to 3.1% (20,740). This translates to an additional 5,595 claimants or a percentage increase of 36.9%.

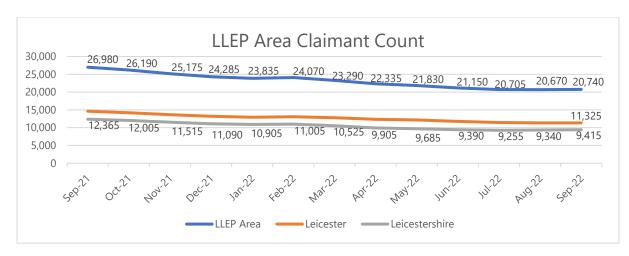


Figure 3: LLEP Area Claimant Count September 2021 – September 2022 Source: ONS

In the Leicester and Leicestershire area over the period March to August 2020 the number of claimants grew from 15,145 to 36,025 (it's peak locally). This was a rise of 20,880 claimants or 138%. When comparing the figures for August 2020 and September 2022 against those for March 2020 the difference has fallen from 20,880 to 5,595. Since September 2021 the number of claimants has fallen by 6,280 (from 26,980).

Figure 11 later in the report, demonstrates the claimant rate over the period January 2021 to September 2022, and the number of unique job postings (for the same period).

Figures 4 and 5 below project claimant numbers forward to the end of September 2023. Projections are based on the last 3, 5 and 8 months and an average of these. These help to identify the direction of travel in relation to claimant numbers. The average figure for September 2023 is 17,443 or 2.6%. This is above the pre-pandemic level of 2.3%. When comparing this month against other recent projections it is shown that projections are growing.

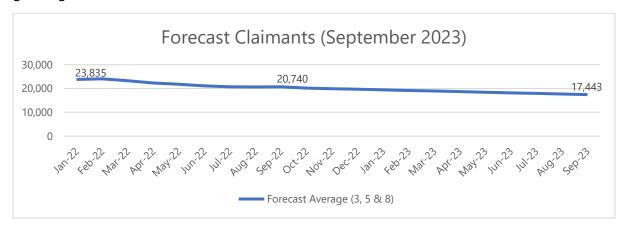


Figure 4: LLEP Area Claimant Forecast Average to September 2023. Source Data: ONS

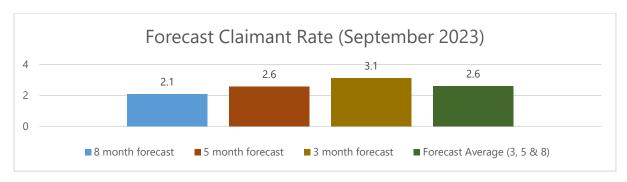


Figure 5: LLEP Area Claimant Rate Forecast, 3, 5, 8 and Forecast Average, September 2023. Source Data: ONS

Note: It must be noted that these forecasts are linear, claimant numbers however are governed by a variety of events both foreseen and unforeseen, as such forecast data should be treated with caution.

In relation to age, figures for September 2022 demonstrate that there were on average a larger share of 25-49 years olds (3.5%) who were claimants than 18-24 years olds (3.3%) and claimants that were 50 and over (2.5%). Claimant rates in England were higher for 18-24 years olds (4.6%), 25-49 years olds (4.3%) and those who are 50 and over (2.9%).

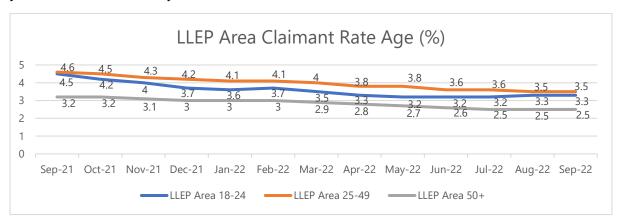


Figure 6: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Age (%) September 2021– September 2022 Source: ONS

Figure 7 below demonstrates the claimant rate for 18-24 years olds for the Leicester and Leicestershire area and its component parts.

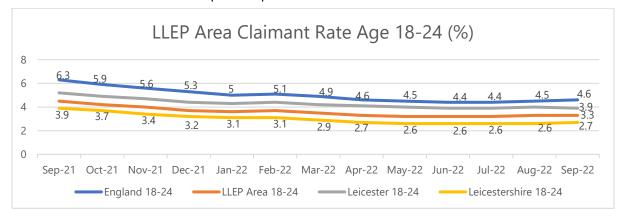


Figure 7: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Claimants Aged 18-24 (%) September 2021 – September 2022 Source: ONS

Eleven thousand five hundred and fifteen (55.5%) claimants were male and 9,225 (44.5%) were female.

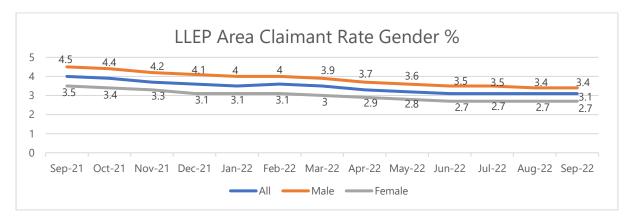


Figure 8: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Gender (%) September 2021 – September 2022 Source: ONS

The figure below demonstrates the number of claimants in the Leicester and Leicestershire area over the period September 2014 to September 2022.

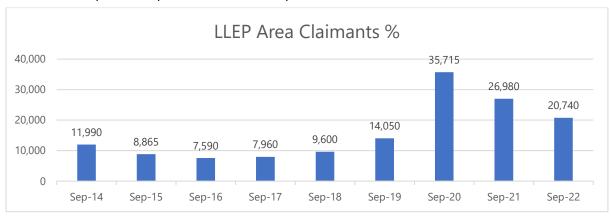


Figure 9: LLEP Area Claimant Count September 2014 - September 2022 Source: ONS

Note: It must be noted that figures will be revised by the Office for National Statistics.

## 3. Universal Credit Claimants

Universal Credit claimants are placed in a conditionality group based on their circumstances and work capability and this determines what is expected of them during their claim.

In the Leicester and Leicestershire area most claimants are either in the working conditionality group or the searching/planning/preparing for work group. However there continues to be growth in those with no work requirements.

When compared to March 2020 all three groups have seen significant growth in numbers.

Over the last month (August to September) the numbers searching, planning, or preparing for work has grown to 25,689 (from 25,558). The numbers who are working has also risen (35,503 to 36,313).

From September 2021 those searching, planning, or preparing for work has fallen by 5,666. Over the same period those with no work requirements grew by 5,666 (19,000 to 24,666).

Since March 2020 there has been a steady but significant rise in the number of people who are not seeking work/ have no work requirements with numbers more than doubling during the period. In March 2020, the figure was 10,997 and in September 2022 it was 24,666 (a rise of 13,669). Over the last year those not seeking work/ have no work requirements has grown by 6.4 percentage points.

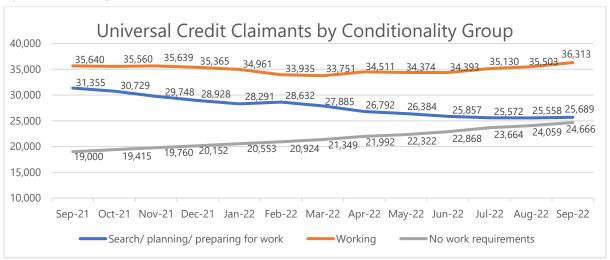


Figure 10: LLEP Area Universal Credit Claimant Count by Conditionality Group September 2021 – September 2022 Source: DWP via Stat-Xplore

For more data on Job Seekers Allowance and the Universal Credit claimant count by district, visit the **Unemployment Dashboard** on the LSR Portal.

# 4. Relationships

The figure below demonstrates the relationship between the claimant count, unique job postings and the Furlough scheme and its closure. Data is for the period 2021 and 2022 in the Leicester and Leicestershire area.

The numbers of unique postings have had a positive impact on the numbers of claimants. In September however there was a fall in the number of unique job postings and a small rise in the number of claimants. The claimant rate in the Leicestershire area has remained at 3.1% for the last 4 months. This may reflect the cost-of-living crisis, energy and other price rises and increases in inflation that translate to larger operating costs and further pressure on business and consumers.

It is likely that things will be further complicated by the impact of and reaction to the measures brought in on the 22/09/2022 by the government through its mini budget and the reversal of these same measures with the appointment of a new Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Note: It must be noted that figures are subject to change and there are likely to be adjustments to those areas identified.

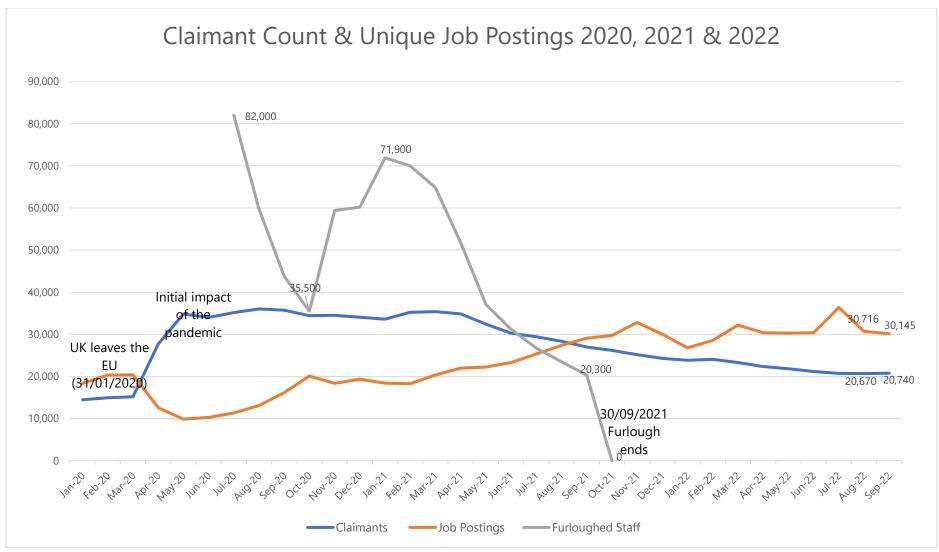


Figure 11: Monthly Claimant Count, Unique Job Postings and Total Number of Eligible Staff Furloughed January 2020 Onwards Source: ONS Claimant Count, Lightcast Unique Job Postings and HMRC Job Retention Scheme

# 5. Job Postings

Unique job posting data is drawn from a range of sources and provides timely data on how the trend in the number of live job adverts is changing in the Leicester and Leicestershire area by occupation and geography.

However, the number of job adverts being posted is not a direct measure of labour force demand. Job adverts may not be removed from online job vacancy boards immediately once a position is filled, so the data may not fully reflect companies who have halted active recruitment.

The data is compiled from multiple job vacancy boards and adverts may still be considered "live" if the posting is still live on any board, even when it has already been removed from an alternative source (Lightcast remove jobs from their Analyst platform after 61 days).

The scope of online job adverts does not fully capture the region's economic activity because of differing advertising methods, for example, casual work may be advertised by word-of-mouth.

Table 1 demonstrates unique job postings by occupation for September 2022. These are compared with March 2020, September 2021 and August 2022. Standard Occupation Codes are at a two-digit level.

The number of unique job postings for September 2022 is higher than September 2021 by 1,074 (30,145 compared to 29,071). This is a rise of 3.7%.

Over the last month the number of job postings fell from 30,716 to 30,145. This is a fall of 571 or 1.9%.

In terms of numbers, over the last year there have been rises in job postings in all but 6 of the occupation areas.

In the last 12 months the occupation areas that saw the largest growth in job postings numbers were:

- Administrative Occupations
- Customer Service Occupations
- Elementary Administrative and Service Occupations

In the last month there have been falls in job postings in all but nine of the occupation areas.

As a means of further understanding how the local jobs market is changing, Table 2 demonstrates the year-to-date unique job postings figures for 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 and compares these.

Across the job market the number of unique job postings (YTD) has increased from 48,528 in 2019 to 101,774 in 2022. This is growth of 53,246 or 109.7%. All occupations areas have seen growth.

2 Digit SOC	Occupation	Mar 2020 Unique Postings	September 2021 Unique Postings	August 2022 Unique Postings	September 2022 Unique Postings	Annual Growth	Annual Growth %	Monthly Growth	Monthly Growth % 2022	Dif Mar 2020 August 2022	% Dif Mar 2020 August 2022
11	Corporate Managers and Directors	1,259	1,605	1,686	1,676	71	4.4	(10)	-0.6	417	33.1
12	Other Managers and Proprietors	451	646	617	594	(52)	-8.0	(23)	-3.7	143	31.7
21	Science, Research, Engineering and Technology Professionals	2,097	2,362	2,392	2,320	(42)	-1.8	(72)	-3.0	223	10.6
22	Health Professionals	973	1,384	1,389	1,306	(78)	-5.6	(83)	-6.0	333	34.2
23	Teaching and Educational Professionals	1,243	1,046	1,043	1,140	94	9.0	97	9.3	(103)	(8.3)
24	Business, Media and Public Service Professionals	1,452	1,737	1,834	1,823	86	5.0	(11)	-0.6	371	25.6
31	Science, Engineering and Technology Associate Professionals	1,209	1,784	1,856	1,818	34	1.9	(38)	-2.0	609	50.4
32	Health and Social Care Associate Professionals	243	440	490	498	58	13.2	8	1.6	255	104.9
33	Protective Service Occupations	58	122	198	165	43	35.2	(33)	-16.7	107	184.5
34	Culture, Media and Sports Occupations	300	510	414	383	(127)	-24.9	(31)	-7.5	83	27.7
35	Business and Public Service Associate Professionals	1,700	2,333	2,559	2,371	38	1.6	(188)	-7.3	671	39.5
41	Administrative Occupations	1,663	2,477	2,795	2,685	208	8.4	(110)	-3.9	1,022	61.5
42	Secretarial and Related Occupations	327	532	578	585	53	10.0	7	1.2	258	78.9
51	Skilled Agricultural and Related Trades	22	50	57	58	8	16.0	1	1.8	36	163.6
52	Skilled Metal, Electrical and Electronic Trades	783	1,143	1,172	1,251	108	9.4	79	6.7	468	59.8
53	Skilled Construction and Building Trades	261	451	317	323	(128)	-28.4	6	1.9	62	23.8
54	Textiles, Printing and Other Skilled Trades	381	590	610	630	40	6.8	20	3.3	249	65.4
61	Caring Personal Service Occupations	1,314	1,991	2,149	2,104	113	5.7	(45)	-2.1	790	60.1
62	Leisure, Travel and Related Personal Service Occupations	165	285	343	321	36	12.6	(22)	-6.4	156	94.5
71	Sales Occupations	1,244	1,584	1,799	1,736	152	9.6	(63)	-3.5	492	39.5
72	Customer Service Occupations	575	965	1,207	1,167	202	20.9	(40)	-3.3	592	103.0
81	Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	308	527	579	622	95	18.0	43	7.4	314	101.9
82	Transport and Mobile Machine Drivers and Operatives	1,093	1,437	1,407	1,301	(136)	-9.5	(106)	-7.5	208	19.0
91	Elementary Trades and Related Occupations	168	401	434	464	63	15.7	30	6.9	296	176.2
92	Elementary Administration and Service Occupations	933	2,449	2,704	2,680	231	9.4	(24)	-0.9	1,747	187.2
Tota I		20,358	29,071	30,716	30,145	1,074	3.7	(571)	-1.9	9,787	48.1

Table 1: LLEP area Job Postings by Standard Occupation Codes Source: Lightcast

SOC	Occupation	Unique Postings YTD 2019	% Share	Unique Postings YTD 2020	% Share	Unique Postings YTD 2021	% Share	Unique Postings YTD 2022	% Share	Growth 2019 - 2022	Growth %	Growth % Share
11	Corporate Managers and Directors	2,782	5.7	3,518	6.4	4,213	5.8	6,075	6.0	3,293	118.4	6.2
12	Other Managers and Proprietors	1,114	2.3	1,230	2.2	1,632	2.2 9.0	2,251	2.2	1,137	102.1	2.1 8.5
21	Science, Research, Engineering and Technology Professionals Health Professionals	4,485 2,486	9.2 5.1	5,700 2,810	10.3 5.1	6,507 3,281	9.0 4.5	8,990 4,558	8.8 4.5	4,505 2,072	100.4 83.3	3.9
					5.6		3.9	4,060	4.5	· ·	97.1	3.9
23	Teaching and Educational Professionals	2,060	4.2	3,084		2,855		,		2,000		
24	Business, Media and Public Service Professionals	3,002	6.2	3,772	6.8	4,974	6.9	6,680	6.6	3,678	122.5	6.9
31	Science, Engineering and Technology Associate Professionals	2,801	5.8	3,146	5.7	4,210	5.8	6,221	6.1	3,420	122.1	6.4
32	Health and Social Care Associate Professionals	677	1.4	754	1.4	1,003	1.4	1,647	1.6	970	143.3	1.8
33	Protective Service Occupations	118	0.2	148	0.3	272	0.4	526	0.5	408	345.8	0.8
34	Culture, Media and Sports Occupations	764	1.6	745	1.3	1,131	1.6	1,292	1.3	528	69.1	1.0
35	Business and Public Service Associate Professionals	3,797	7.8	4,294	7.8	5,892	8.1	8,641	8.5	4,844	127.6	9.1
41	Administrative Occupations	4,008	8.3	4,078	7.4	6,107	8.4	8,823	8.7	4,815	120.1	9.0
42	Secretarial and Related Occupations	829	1.7	749	1.4	1,169	1.6	1,734	1.7	905	109.2	1.7
51	Skilled Agricultural and Related Trades	70	0.1	72	0.1	156	0.2	155	0.2	85	121.4	0.2
52	Skilled Metal, Electrical and Electronic Trades	2,026	4.2	2,129	3.8	3,021	4.2	4,252	4.2	2,226	109.9	4.2
53	Skilled Construction and Building Trades	585	1.2	778	1.4	1,277	1.8	1,079	1.1	494	84.4	0.9
54	Textiles, Printing and Other Skilled Trades	1,082	2.2	887	1.6	1,181	1.6	2,055	2.0	973	89.9	1.8
61	Caring Personal Service Occupations	2,685	5.5	4,064	7.3	4,773	6.6	7,083	7.0	4,398	163.8	8.3
62	Leisure, Travel and Related Personal Service Occupations	567	1.2	458	0.8	632	0.9	1,044	1.0	477	84.1	0.9
71	Sales Occupations	2,876	5.9	3,029	5.5	3,943	5.4	5,698	5.6	2,822	98.1	5.3
72	Customer Service Occupations	1,769	3.6	1,516	2.7	2,338	3.2	3,465	3.4	1,696	95.9	3.2
81	Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	736	1.5	893	1.6	1,402	1.9	1,985	2.0	1,249	169.7	2.3
82	Transport and Mobile Machine Drivers and Operatives	2,991	6.2	3,387	6.1	4,064	5.6	4,034	4.0	1,043	34.9	2.0
91	Elementary Trades and Related Occupations	576	1.2	628	1.1	995	1.4	1,341	1.3	765	132.8	1.4
92	Elementary Administration and Service Occupations	3,230	6.7	3,092	5.6	5,039	6.9	7,758	7.6	4,528	140.2	8.5
	Total Across All Occupations	48,528	100.0	55,361	100.0	72,557	100.0	101,774	100.0	53,246	109.7	100.0

Table 2: LLEP area Job Postings Comparator by Standard Occupation Codes Source: Lightcast

Table 3 demonstrates job posting numbers by district area for September 2021 onwards. Figures for all the areas identified are higher this year than last year.

Area	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	Dec-21	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Sep-22
Blaby	484	512	559	493	370	374	437	458	539	558	732	583	533
Charnwood	4,033	4,056	4,400	3,811	3,410	3,820	4,589	4,256	4,233	4,185	4,951	4,319	4,363
Harborough	1,940	1,954	2,251	2,012	1,872	2,035	2,344	2,049	1,993	2,130	2,558	2,286	2,261
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,744	1,848	1,941	1,789	1,547	1,806	2,091	1,911	1,827	1,857	2,173	1,780	1,711
Leicester	15,856	16,440	18,545	17,295	15,495	15,925	17,115	16,161	16,294	16,273	19,529	16,385	16,004
Leicestershire	13,215	13,279	14,253	12,743	11,289	12,612	15,071	14,208	14,015	14,077	16,833	14,331	14,141
Melton	975	943	969	813	785	907	1,129	994	989	915	1,162	948	1,015
NW West Leics	3,628	3,520	3,625	3,381	2,906	3,234	3,970	4,050	3,956	3,971	4,742	3,973	3,848
Oadby & Wigston	411	446	508	444	399	436	511	490	478	461	515	442	410
Total	29,071	29,719	32,798	30,038	26,784	28,537	32,186	30,369	30,309	30,350	36,362	30,716	30,145

Table 3: Unique Job Postings by Local & District Authority

Source: Lightcast

Figure 12 provides an understanding of monthly job postings for the Leicester and Leicestershire area.



Figure 12: LLEP Area Unique Job Postings March 2020 to September 2022

Source: Lightcast

Figure 13 shows job posting data for Leicester and Leicestershire.

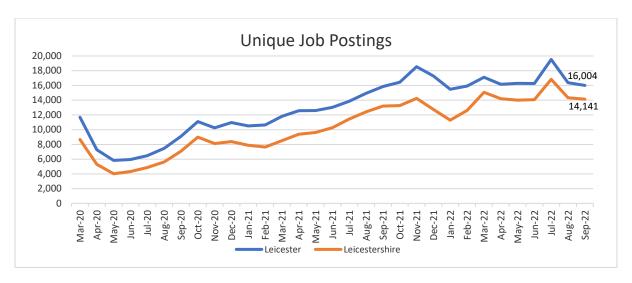


Figure 13: Leicester and Leicestershire Unique Job Postings March 2020 to September 2022 Source: Lightcast

# 6. Business Closures and Incorporations

In September 2022 the number of businesses that ceased trading was 763. The figure for September 2019 was 556, 2020 880 and 2021 1,112.

In August 2022 there were 984 businesses that ceased trading. This is a monthly fall of 221 business failures.

Figure 14 demonstrates the cumulative growth in business failures for the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

In 2022 (to the end of September) there were 9,055 failures. For the same period in 2019 the figure was 6,718, in 2020 3,275 and 2021 8,589.



Figure 14: LLEP Area Cumulative Growth in Dissolved or Liquidated Businesses 2019, 20, 21 and 22. Source: BVD Fame

Figure 15 below compares the monthly numbers of closures for the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

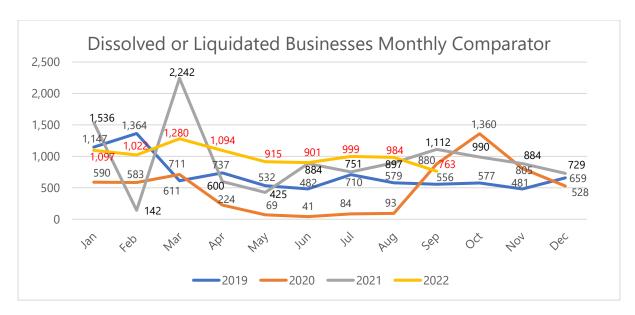


Figure 15: LLEP Area Dissolved or Liquidated Businesses Monthly Comparator Source: BVD Fame

In 2022 (to the end of September) there were 7,922 business incorporations. For the same period in 2019 the figure was 8,685, in 2020 9,544 and 2021 7,390.

Figure 16 demonstrates the cumulative growth for the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022.

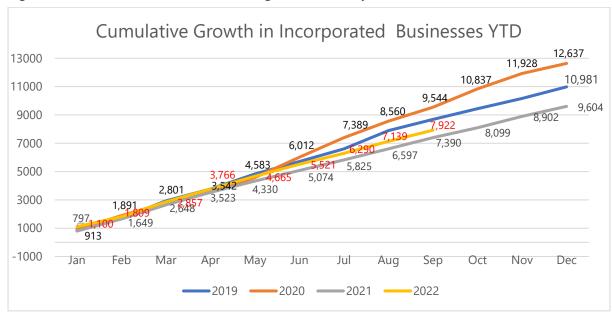


Figure 16: LLEP Area Cumulative Growth in Incorporated Businesses 2019, 20, 21 and 22. Source: BVD Fame

In September 2022 the number of businesses that were incorporated was 783. The figure for September 2019 was 790, 2020 984 and 2021 793.

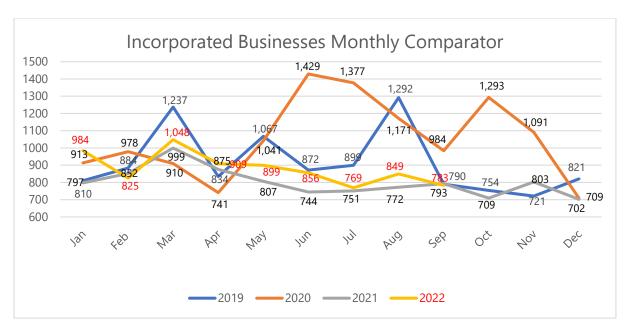


Figure 17: LLEP Area Incorporated Businesses Monthly Comparator Source: BVD Fame

When comparing closures with incorporations in 2022 (YTD) there were 9,055 closures and 7,922 incorporations. This is a difference of 1,133.

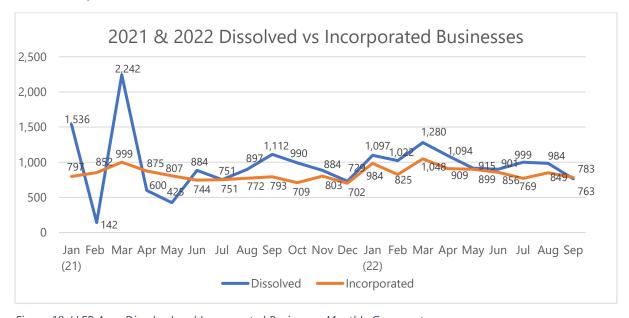


Figure 18: LLEP Area Dissolved and Incorporated Businesses Monthly Comparator Source: BVD Fame

Table 4 demonstrates those sectors where there have been 15 are more business closures and 15 or more incorporations for the year to date (2022). Table 4 also helps provide an understanding of the impact of the pandemic on business and how different sectors are reacting to it. It shows how different parts of the local business community are expanding and contracting and where business is bouncing back as the economy reopens.

Activity (prim. UK SIC 2007)	Dissolved	%	Incorporated	%
Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	2,031	22.4	379	4.8
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	696	7.7	926	11.7
Computer programming, consultancy and related activities	490	5.4	207	2.6
Office administrative, office support and other business support activities	478	5.3	182	2.3
Activities of head offices; management consultancy activities	474	5.2	235	3.0
Food and beverage service activities	423	4.7	591	7.5
Land transport and transport via pipelines	332	3.7	379	4.8
Specialised construction activities	323	3.6	397	5.0
Other personal service activities	305	3.4	286	3.6
Real estate activities	289	3.2	792	10.0
Construction of buildings	242	2.7	357	4.5
Other professional, scientific and technical activities	179	2.0	146	1.8
Human health activities	168	1.9	413	5.2
Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	160	1.8	231	2.9
Warehousing and support activities for transportation	157	1.7	87	1.1
Education	137	1.5	131	1.7
Services to buildings and landscape activities	131	1.4	221	2.8
Architectural and engineering activities; technical testing and analysis	120	1.3	105	1.3
Financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding	116	1.3	265	3.4
Legal and accounting activities	87	1.0	70	0.9
Employment activities	82	0.9	100	1.3
Sports activities and amusement and recreation activities	77	0.9	73	0.9
Manufacture of wearing apparel	71	0.8	47	0.6
Printing and reproduction of recorded media	71	0.8	21	0.3
Manufacture of textiles	69	0.8	43	0.5
Information service activities	65	0.7	37	0.5
Advertising and market research	63	0.7	78	1.0
Creative, arts and entertainment activities	58	0.6	41	0.5
Other manufacturing	56	0.6	30	0.4
Motion picture, video and television programme production, sound	48	0.5	40	0.5
recording and music publishing activities				
Postal and courier activities	48	0.5	27	0.3
Activities auxiliary to financial services and insurance activities	44	0.5	17	0.2
Residential care activities	43	0.5	112	1.4
Manufacture of food products	43	0.5	42	0.5
Security and investigation activities	42	0.5	38	0.5
Repair and installation of machinery and equipment	40	0.4	32	0.4
Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities	34	0.4	34	0.4
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	33	0.4	18	0.2
Social work activities without accommodation	32	0.4	57	0.7
Publishing activities	32	0.4	33	0.4
Rental and leasing activities	31	0.3	33	0.4
Civil engineering	31	0.3	20	0.3
Accommodation	30	0.3	51	0.6
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	22	0.2	51	0.6
Telecommunications	22	0.2	16	0.2
Manufacture of furniture	20	0.2	26	0.3
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture;	19	0.2	21	0.3
manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials				
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	17	0.2	16	0.2
Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related	16	0.2	21	0.3
activities				
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	15	0.2	13	0.2
Activities of membership organisations	15	0.2	11	0.1
Scientific research and development	15	0.2	7	0.1
Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	15	0.2	4	0.1
Repair of computers and personal and household goods	14	0.2	20	0.3
Waste collection, treatment and disposal activities; materials recovery	12	0.1	16	0.2
All	9,050	100.0	7,910	100.0

Table 4 LLEP Area Dissolved or Liquidated and Incorporated Businesses by Sector Year to Date 2022

Source: BVD Fame

Note: Latest figures were gained on the 18/10/2022 and they may be subject to some adjustment. Figures may also reflect delays in notification and processing of data returns to Companies House.

## 7. Useful Links

#### **GOV.UK**

<u>GOV.UK</u> is a United Kingdom public sector information website, created by the Government Digital Service to provide a single point of access to HM Government services and data/information.

#### **Leicester and Leicestershire Local Enterprise Partnership**

The Local Enterprise Partnership works in partnership across the midlands. Information relating to its work can be accessed by going to the <u>Leicestershire Local Enterprise</u>

Partnership website.

#### **LSR Online**

Leicestershire County Council works in partnership with the LLEP to provide a single online portal for local economic data across Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland. The <u>LSR Portal</u> holds data across a wide range of economic indicators (in addition to other measures including health and wellbeing), the majority of which are available at district level.

## **Midlands Engine Economic Observatory**

The <u>Midlands Engine Economic Observatory</u> is an analytical function of the Midlands Engine, providing comprehensive and contemporary data, analysis and intelligence on the whole Midlands economy.

## **NOMIS**

<u>Nomis</u> is a service provided by the Office for National Statistics, ONS, to give free access to the most detailed and up-to-date UK labour market statistics from official sources.

## **Office for National Statistics (ONS)**

The Office for National Statistics produces comprehensive data and analysis on a range of topics that impact the economy and society.

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