

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.

[Business insights and impact on the UK economy: 4 May 2023](#) -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 busi... - 04/05/2023.

[How is the average price of items changing over time?](#) - Use our shopping prices comparison tool to see for the first time how the average price of items has changed in the last year - 3 May 2023.

[UK labour market: April 2023](#) - Estimates of employment, unemployment, inactivity, average weekly earnings, vacancies and other labour market related statistics for the UK – 18/04/2023

2. Claimant Count

In April 2023 the claimant rate in the Leicester and Leicestershire area was 3.3%. This translates to 22,435 claimants. In March the figure was 3.2% (21,840). At a national level the claimant rate in England was 3.9%. This is 0.6 of a percentage point higher than the local figure.

The picture is very different in the city and county with Leicester having a claimant rate of 5.2% and Leicestershire 2.2%. This is a difference of 3 percentage points. Leicester's claimant rate is 1.3 percentage points higher than the England average (3.9%) and Leicestershire's 1.7 percentage points lower.

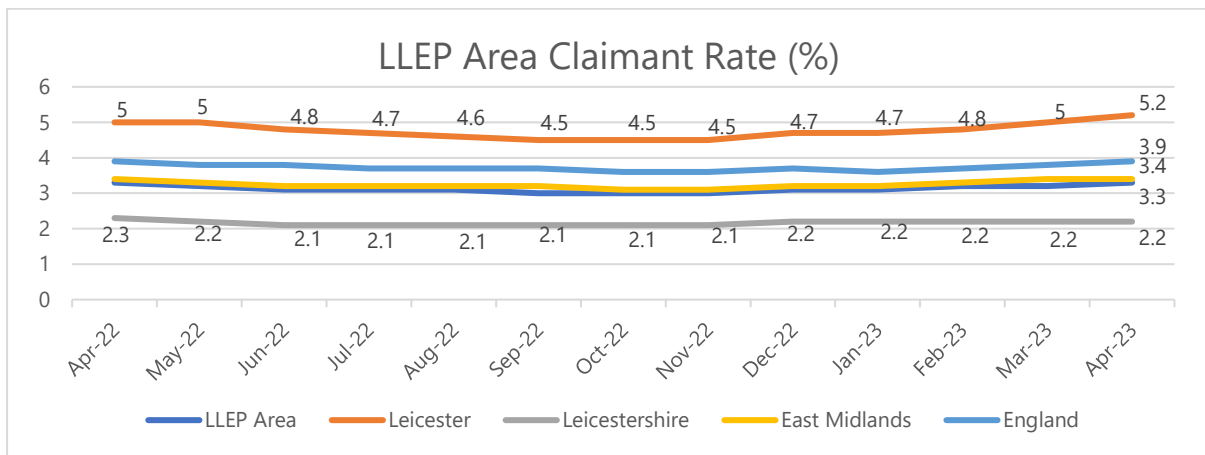


Figure 1: LLEP Area Claimant Rate (%) April 2022 – April 2023
Source: ONS

Figure 2 below provides an annual comparator for the Leicester and Leicestershire area and compares this with regional and national figures.

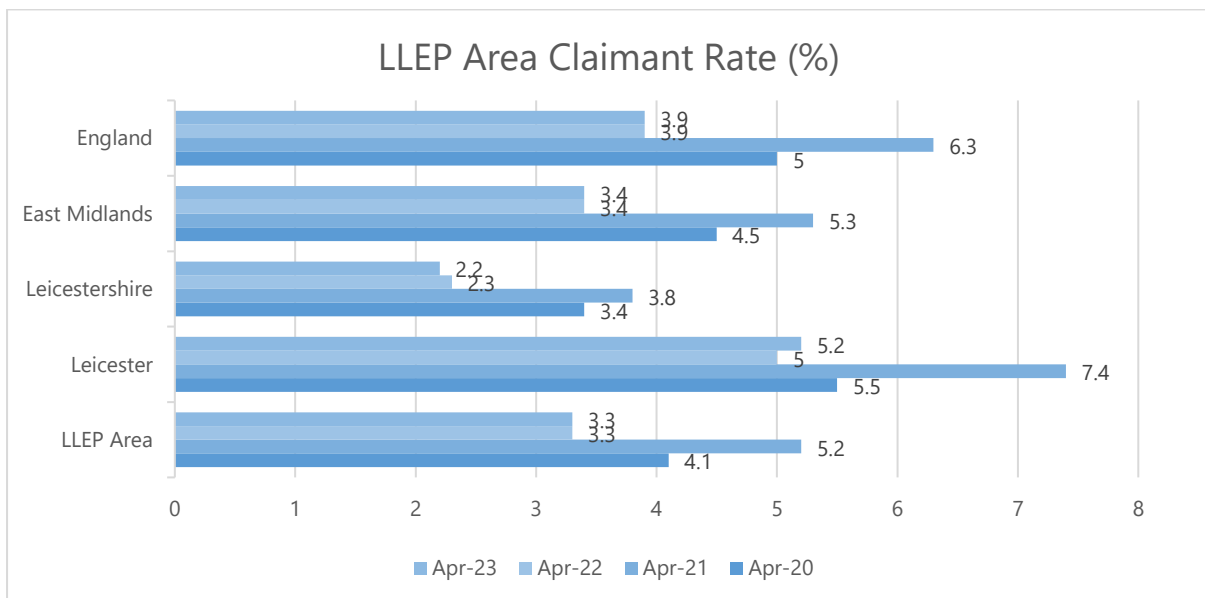


Figure 2: LLEP Area Claimant Rate (%) April 2020 - April 2023
Source: ONS

Of the 22,435 claimants over half (56.7% or 12,725) were based in Leicester and 9,710 or 43.3% in Leicestershire.

In March 2020 the claimant rate was 2.3% (or 15,145). Between March 2020 and the end of April 2023 the claimant rate increased by 1 percentage point to 3.3% (22,435). This translates to an additional 7,290 claimants or a percentage increase of 48.1%.

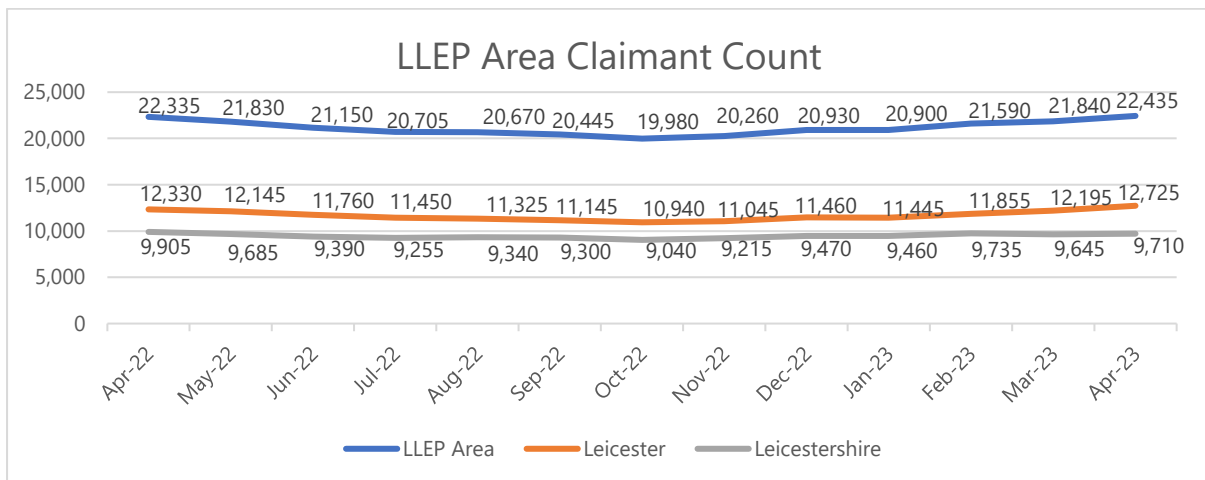


Figure 3: LLEP Area Claimant Count April 2022 – April 2023
Source: ONS

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 April 2023 against those for March 2020 the difference has fallen from 20,880 to 7,290. Since April 2022 the number of claimants has risen by 200 (from 22,235).

Figure 11 later in the report, demonstrates the claimant rate over the period January 2020 to March 2023 and the number of unique job postings (for the same period).

Figures 4 and 5 below project claimant numbers forward to the end of April 2024. Projections are based on the last 3, 5 and 8 months and an average of these. This helps to identify the direction of travel in relation to claimant numbers. The average figure for April 2024 is 26,860 or 3.9%. This is above the pre-pandemic level of 2.3%. Figures continue to demonstrate an upward trend in claimant numbers.

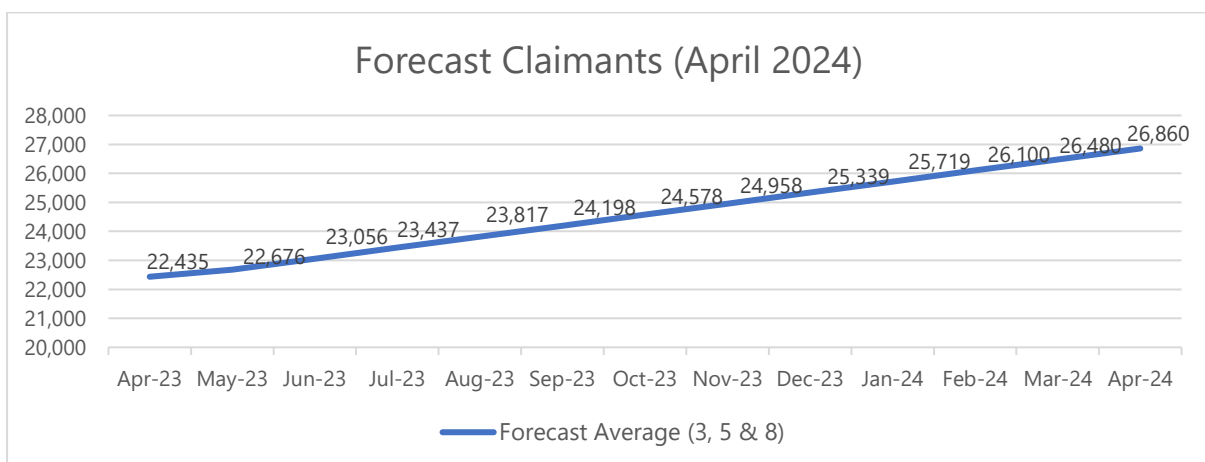


Figure 4: LLEP Area Claimant Forecast Average to April 2024
Source Data: ONS

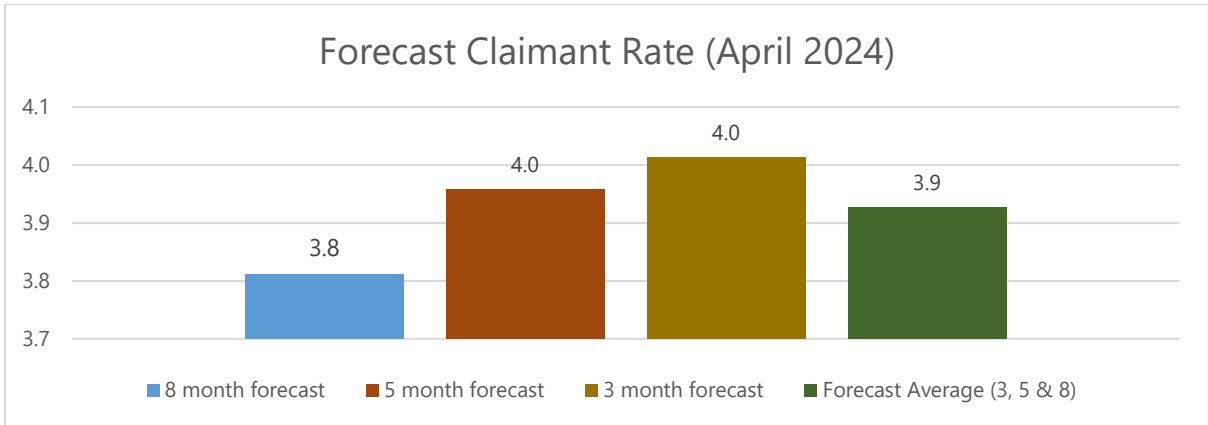


Figure 5: LLEP Area Claimant Rate Forecast, 3, 5, 8 and Forecast Average, April 2024
Source Data: ONS

Note: 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 April 2023 these demonstrate that there were on average a larger share of 25-49 years olds (3.8%) than 18-24 years olds (3.7%) and claimants that were 50 and over (2.6%). The national claimant rates were higher than local figures for 18-24 years olds (5%), 25-49 years olds (4.4%) and those who are 50 and over (2.9%). This is unlikely to translate to figures for Leicester.

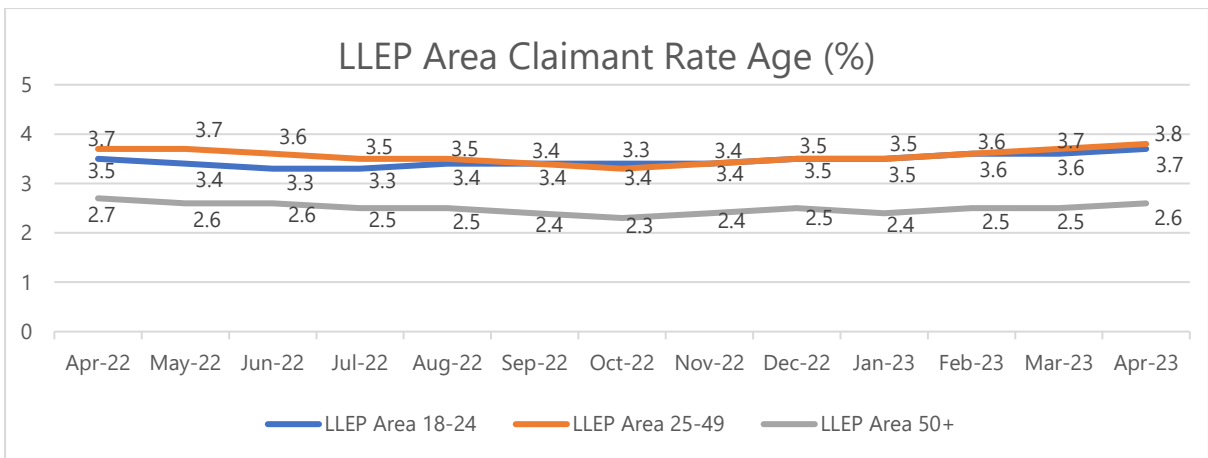


Figure 6: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Age (%) April 2022 – April 2023
Source: ONS

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

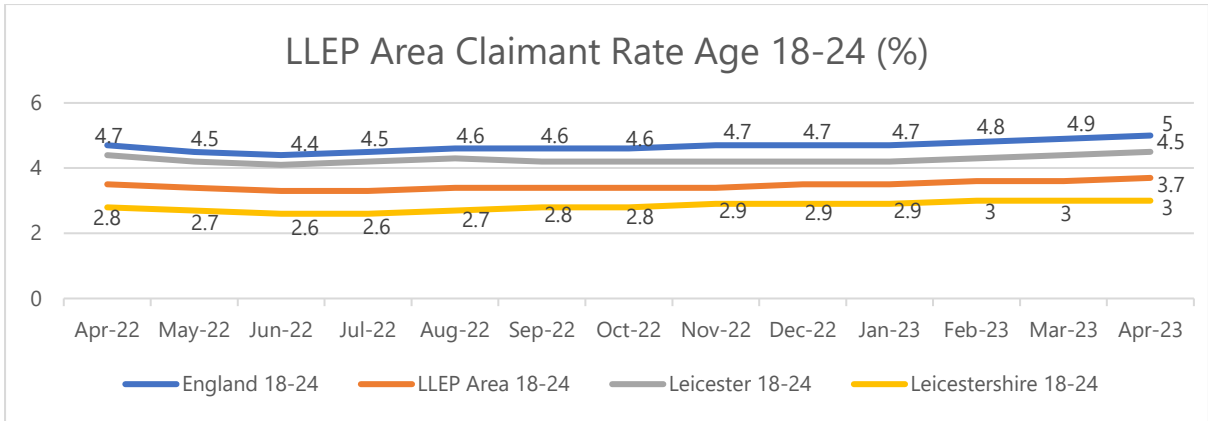


Figure 7: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Claimants Aged 18-24 (%) April 2022 – April 2023
Source: ONS

Twelve thousand four hundred (55.3%) claimants were male and 10,035 (44.7%) were female.

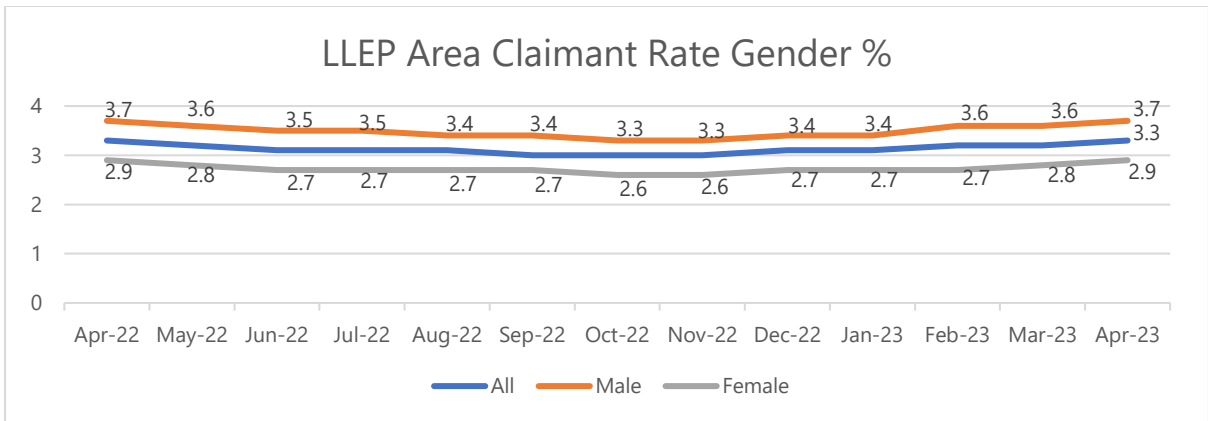


Figure 8: LLEP Area Claimant Rate by Gender (%) April 2022 – April 2023
Source: ONS

The figure below demonstrates the number of claimants in the Leicester and Leicestershire area over the period April 2015 to April 2023.

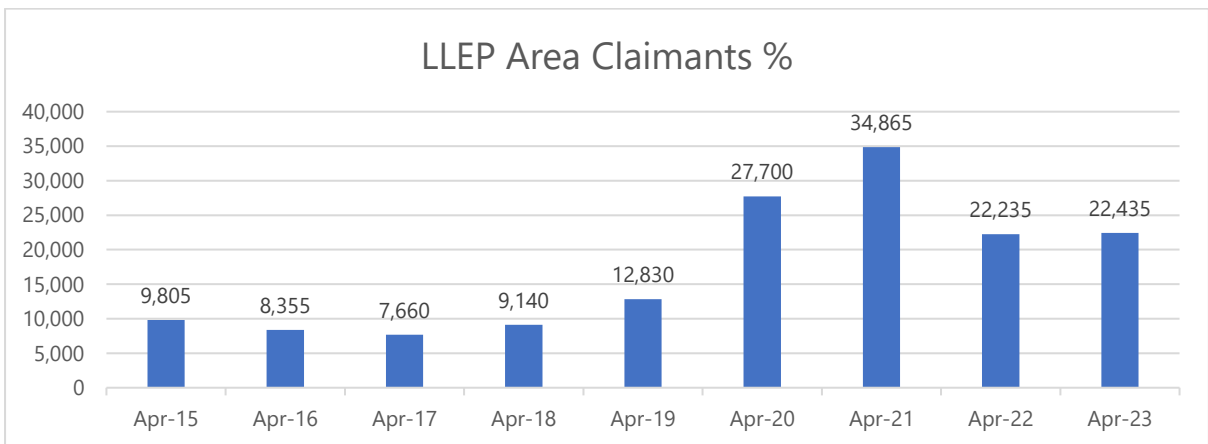


Figure 9: LLEP Area Claimant Count April 2015 – April 2023
Source: ONS

Note: 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. This determines what is expected of them during their claim.

Over the last month (March to April) the numbers searching, planning, or preparing for work has grown from 27,178 to 28,045. The numbers who are working has fallen from 34,144 to 33,893. This is the third consecutive month that there has been a fall in the numbers that are working.

From April 2022 those searching, planning, or preparing for work has fallen by 1,253 (from 26,792). Over the same period those with no work requirements grew by 7,455 (21,992 to 29,447).

Since March 2020 there has been a 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 April 2023 it was 29,447 (a rise of 18,450 or 168%). Over the last year those not seeking work/ have no work requirements has grown by 5.8 percentage points.

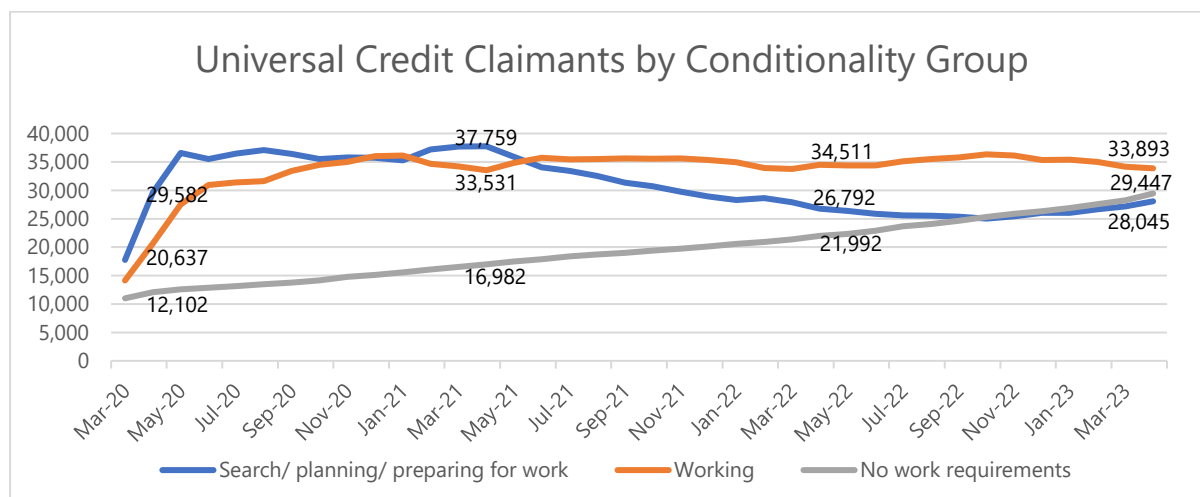


Figure 10: LLEP Area Universal Credit Claimant Count by Conditionality Group March 2020 – April 2023
Source: DWP via Stat-Xplore

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 and unique job postings. Data is for the period January 2020 onwards in the Leicester and Leicestershire area.

In April there was a fall in the number of unique job postings (31,292 to 30,135). The claimant rate over the same period in the Leicester and Leicestershire area has increased to 3.3%. The number of claimants grew from 21,840 to 22,435.

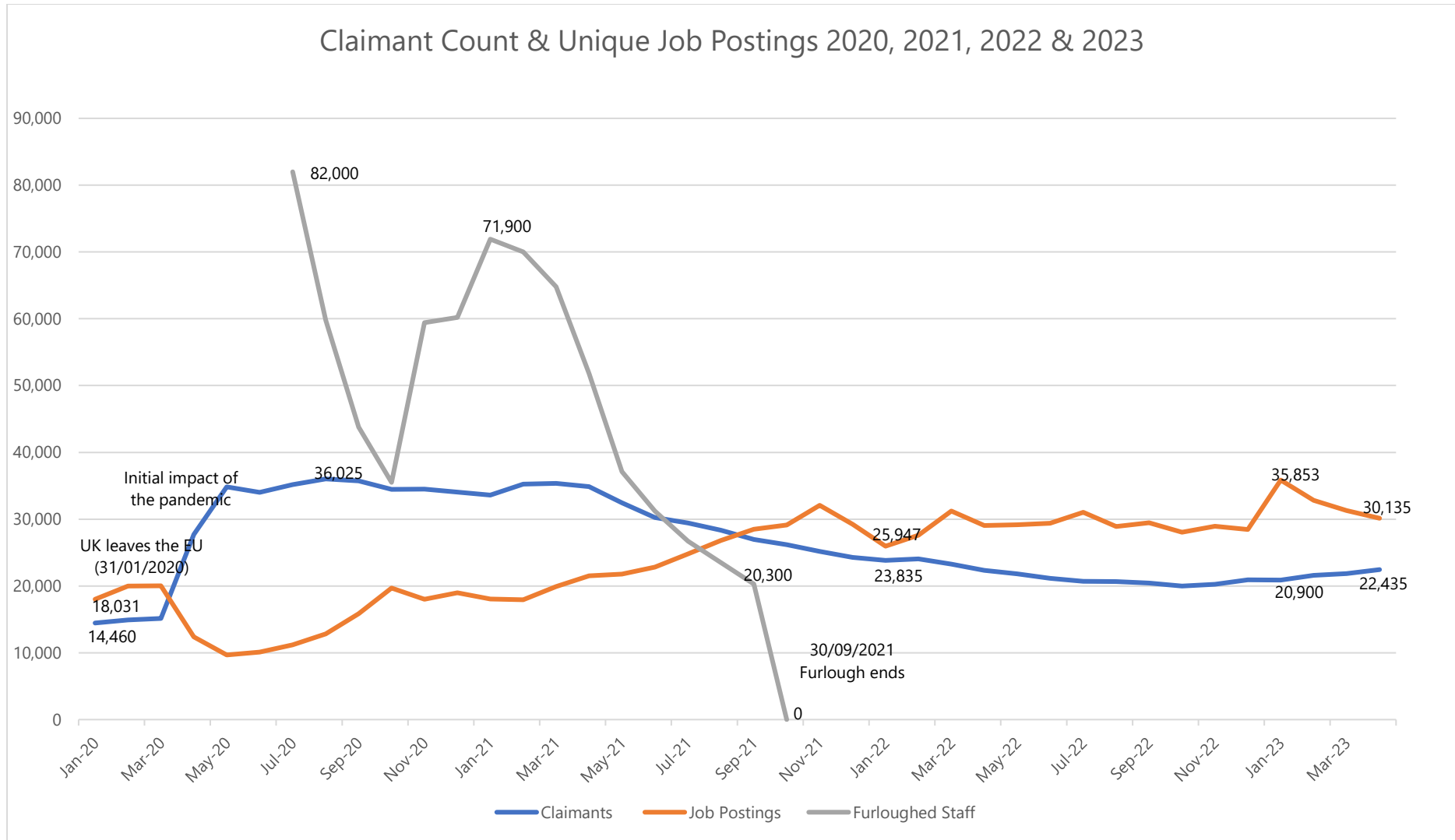


Figure 11: Monthly Claimant Count, Unique Job Postings and Total Number of Eligible Staff Furloughed January 2020 Onwards
 Source: ONS Claimant Count, Lightcast Unique Job Postings and HMRC Job Retention Scheme

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

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.

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 on any board, even when it has already been removed from an alternative source (Lightcast remove job postings 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 April 2023. These are compared with March 2020, April 2022 and March 2023. Standard Occupation Codes are at a two-digit level.

The number of unique job postings for April 2023 is higher than April 2022 by 1,084 (29,051 compared to 30,135). This is a rise of 3.7%.

Over the last month the number of job postings fell from 31,292 to 30,135. This is a fall of 1,157 or 3.7%.

In terms of numbers, over the last year there has been growth in job postings in all but 8 of the occupation areas.

In the last month there has been negative growth in job postings in all but 4 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, 2022 and 2023 and compares these.

Across the job market the number of unique job postings (YTD) has increased from 33,425 in 2019 to 71,924 in 2023. This is growth of 38,499 or 115.2%. All occupations areas have seen growth except transport and mobile machine drivers and operators.

2 Digit SOC	Occupation	Mar 2020 Unique Postings	April 2022 Unique Postings	March 2023 Unique Postings	April 2023 Unique Postings	Annual Growth	Annual Growth %	Monthly Growth	Monthly Growth % 2022	Dif Mar 2020 Feb 2023	% Dif Mar 2020 Feb 2023
11	Corporate Managers and Directors	1,235	1,743	1,867	1,832	89	5.1	(35)	-1.9	597	48.3
12	Other Managers and Proprietors	441	660	575	573	(87)	-13.2	(2)	-0.3	132	29.9
21	Science, Research, Engineering and Technology Professionals	2,085	2,642	2,724	2,446	(196)	-7.4	(278)	-10.2	361	17.3
22	Health Professionals	949	1,438	1,546	1,530	92	6.4	(16)	-1.0	581	61.2
23	Teaching and Educational Professionals	1,216	1,126	1,507	1,431	305	27.1	(76)	-5.0	215	17.7
24	Business, Media and Public Service Professionals	1,436	1,886	2,100	2,043	157	8.3	(57)	-2.7	607	42.3
31	Science, Engineering and Technology Associate Professionals	1,194	1,859	1,717	1,654	(205)	-11.0	(63)	-3.7	460	38.5
32	Health and Social Care Associate Professionals	236	440	688	647	207	47.0	(41)	-6.0	411	174.2
33	Protective Service Occupations	55	144	157	135	(9)	-6.3	(22)	-14.0	80	145.5
34	Culture, Media and Sports Occupations	296	351	483	465	114	32.5	(18)	-3.7	169	57.1
35	Business and Public Service Associate Professionals	1,663	2,495	2,628	2,659	164	6.6	31	1.2	996	59.9
41	Administrative Occupations	1,636	2,410	2,720	2,700	290	12.0	(20)	-0.7	1,064	65.0
42	Secretarial and Related Occupations	321	442	624	570	128	29.0	(54)	-8.7	249	77.6
51	Skilled Agricultural and Related Trades	22	32	52	53	21	65.6	1	1.9	31	140.9
52	Skilled Metal, Electrical and Electronic Trades	773	1,229	1,361	1,278	49	4.0	(83)	-6.1	505	65.3
53	Skilled Construction and Building Trades	254	294	431	381	87	29.6	(50)	-11.6	127	50.0
54	Textiles, Printing and Other Skilled Trades	368	536	620	614	78	14.6	(6)	-1.0	246	66.8
61	Caring Personal Service Occupations	1,282	2,191	2,395	2,215	24	1.1	(180)	-7.5	933	72.8
62	Leisure, Travel and Related Personal Service Occupations	160	334	318	353	19	5.7	35	11.0	193	120.6
71	Sales Occupations	1,212	1,704	1,658	1,650	(54)	-3.2	(8)	-0.5	438	36.1
72	Customer Service Occupations	564	953	1,015	982	29	3.0	(33)	-3.3	418	74.1
81	Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	310	600	586	525	(75)	-12.5	(61)	-10.4	215	69.4
82	Transport and Mobile Machine Drivers and Operatives	1,085	1,173	911	935	(238)	-20.3	24	2.6	(150)	(13.8)
91	Elementary Trades and Related Occupations	164	358	305	279	(79)	-22.1	(26)	-8.5	115	70.1
92	Elementary Administration and Service Occupations	922	1,942	2,125	2,034	92	4.7	(91)	-4.3	1,112	120.6
Total		20,015	29,051	31,292	30,135	1,084	3.7	(1,157)	-3.7	10,120	50.6

Table 1: LLEP area Job Postings by Standard Occupation Codes

Source: Lightcast

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Unique Postings YTD 2019	Unique Postings YTD 2020	Unique Postings YTD 2021	Unique Postings YTD 2022	Unique Postings YTD 2023	Growth 2019 - 2023	Growth %	Growth % Share
Corporate Managers and Directors	5.6	6.2	5.8	5.9	5.6	1,880	2,306	2,291	3,518	4,031	2,151	114.4	5.6
Other Managers and Proprietors	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.0	778	778	865	1,301	1,410	632	81.2	1.6
Science, Research, Engineering and Technology Professionals	8.8	10.7	9.5	9.1	8.2	2,958	3,988	3,729	5,436	5,932	2,974	100.5	7.7
Health Professionals	5.0	4.5	5.2	4.9	4.7	1,668	1,698	2,051	2,895	3,382	1,714	102.8	4.5
Teaching and Educational Professionals	4.6	5.8	4.2	4.5	4.8	1,527	2,155	1,628	2,655	3,469	1,942	127.2	5.0
Business, Media and Public Service Professionals	5.8	7.0	7.3	6.3	6.6	1,952	2,626	2,876	3,768	4,753	2,801	143.5	7.3
Science, Engineering and Technology Associate Professionals	5.4	6.1	5.5	6.3	5.5	1,802	2,275	2,166	3,770	3,926	2,124	117.9	5.5
Health and Social Care Associate Professionals	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.6	2.0	440	483	553	932	1,412	972	220.9	2.5
Protective Service Occupations	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	72	109	138	309	343	271	376.4	0.7
Culture, Media and Sports Occupations	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.4	517	540	538	693	1,040	523	101.2	1.4
Business and Public Service Associate Professionals	7.6	8.3	7.7	8.3	8.3	2,549	3,117	3,027	4,933	5,958	3,409	133.7	8.9
Administrative Occupations	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.9	2,689	2,994	3,179	4,940	6,375	3,686	137.1	9.6
Secretarial and Related Occupations	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.9	545	601	493	962	1,368	823	151.0	2.1
Skilled Agricultural and Related Trades	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	42	42	72	80	112	70	166.7	0.2
Skilled Metal, Electrical and Electronic Trades	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.1	4.2	1,446	1,587	1,707	2,471	3,026	1,580	109.3	4.1
Skilled Construction and Building Trades	1.1	1.2	1.8	1.1	1.4	369	452	701	654	975	606	164.2	1.6
Textiles, Printing and Other Skilled Trades	2.0	1.8	1.1	1.8	2.0	670	684	445	1,055	1,425	755	112.7	2.0
Caring Personal Service Occupations	5.4	6.5	7.3	7.5	7.7	1,820	2,440	2,871	4,473	5,555	3,735	205.2	9.7
Leisure, Travel and Related Personal Service Occupations	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.1	330	291	293	597	783	453	137.3	1.2
Sales Occupations	6.0	5.8	5.2	5.4	5.2	2,012	2,176	2,050	3,236	3,752	1,740	86.5	4.5
Customer Service Occupations	3.7	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.3	1,228	1,107	1,220	2,005	2,360	1,132	92.2	2.9
Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.9	588	591	784	1,210	1,353	765	130.1	2.0
Transport and Mobile Machine Drivers and Operatives	7.7	5.2	6.2	3.9	3.4	2,562	1,932	2,449	2,314	2,410	(152)	-5.9	-0.4
Elementary Trades and Related Occupations	1.5	0.8	1.3	1.3	1.2	504	303	515	763	880	376	74.6	1.0
Elementary Administration and Service Occupations	6.7	4.9	6.0	7.5	7.8	2,251	1,849	2,335	4,487	5,583	3,332	148.0	8.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	33,425	37,376	39,203	59,643	71,924	38,499	115.2	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 April 2022 onwards.

Area	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Sep-22	Oct-22	Nov-22	Dec-22	Jan-23	Feb-23	Mar-23	Apr-23
Blaby	518	605	632	747	643	613	579	633	603	719	591	581	596
Charnwood	4,106	4,077	4,016	4,189	4,011	4,202	3,964	3,895	3,617	4,467	4,061	4,088	3,899
Harborough	2,049	1,993	2,138	2,309	2,235	2,261	2,224	2,242	2,075	2,403	2,162	2,121	2,209
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,911	1,827	1,867	1,977	1,743	1,711	1,578	1,591	1,538	1,924	1,795	1,758	1,805
Leicester	16,129	16,259	16,274	16,912	15,677	15,999	15,387	16,280	16,451	21,207	19,373	18,040	17,034
Leicestershire	12,922	12,913	13,117	14,134	13,239	13,463	12,667	12,679	11,994	14,646	13,394	13,252	13,101
Melton	990	985	918	1,013	930	1,015	937	962	938	1,212	1,193	1,205	1,101
NW Leics	2,858	2,948	3,085	3,453	3,251	3,251	3,000	2,929	2,843	3,475	3,181	3,057	3,069
Oadby & Wigston	490	478	461	446	426	410	385	427	380	446	411	442	422
Total	29,051	29,172	29,391	31,046	28,916	29,462	28,054	28,959	28,445	35,853	32,767	31,292	30,135

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 for the period March 2020 onwards.

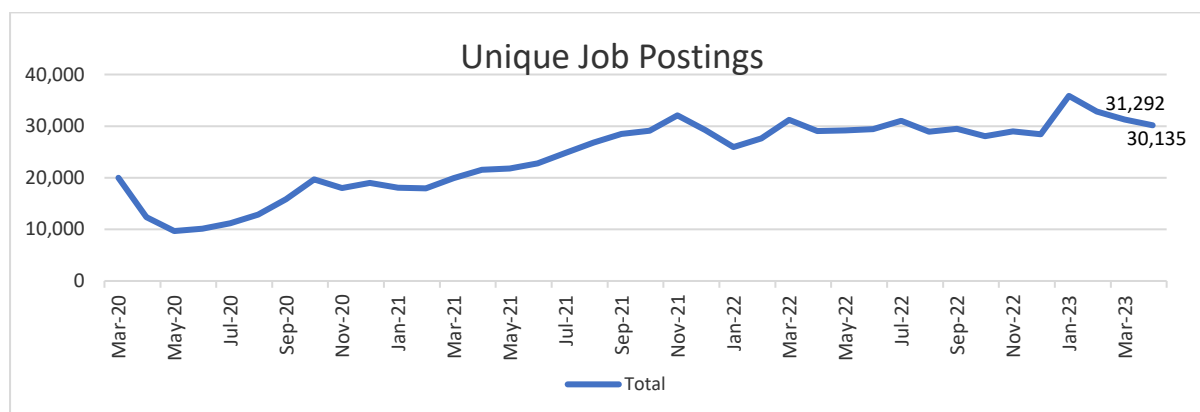


Figure 12: LLEP Area Unique Job Postings March 2020 to April 2023

Source: Lightcast

Figure 13 shows job posting data for Leicester and Leicestershire.

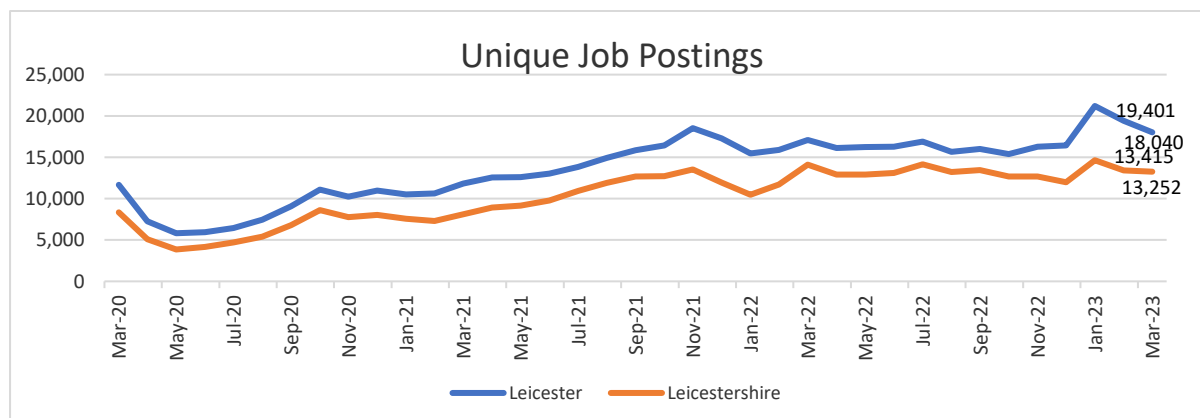


Figure 13: Leicester and Leicestershire Unique Job Postings March 2020 to April 2023

Source: Lightcast

6. Business Closures and Incorporations

In April 2023 the number of businesses that ceased trading was 885. The figure for April 2019 was 725, 2020 187, 2021 527 and 2022 1,056.

In March 2023 there were 882 businesses that ceased trading. This is a monthly rise of 3 failures.

Figure 14 below compares the monthly numbers of dissolved or liquidated businesses for the years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023.

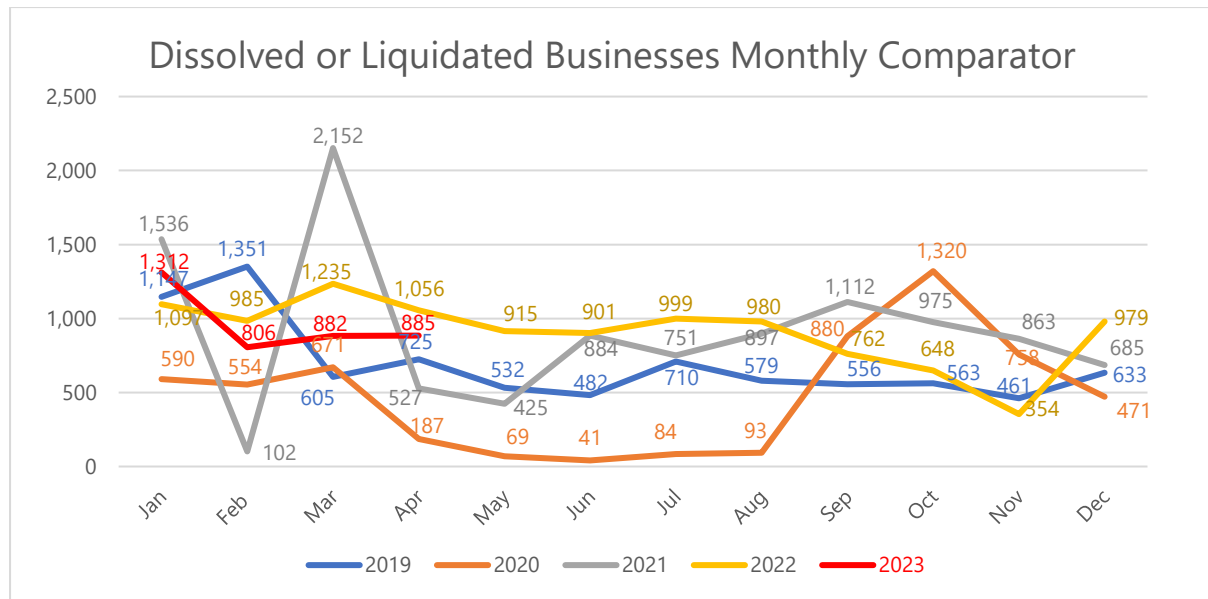


Figure 14: LLEP Area Dissolved or Liquidated Businesses Monthly Comparator

Source: BVD Fame

Figure 15 demonstrates the cumulative growth in business failures for the years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023.

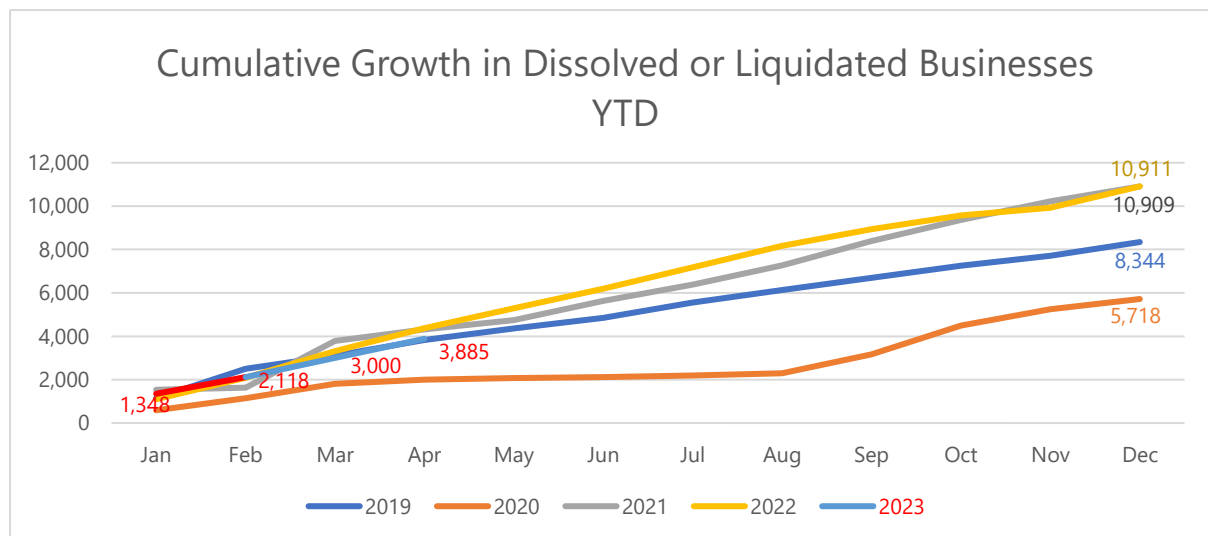


Figure 15: LLEP Area Cumulative Growth in Dissolved or Liquidated Businesses 2019, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Source: BVD Fame

In 2023 (to the end of April) there were 3,885. For the same period in 2019 the figure was 3,828, in 2020 2,002, 2021 4,317 and 2022 4,373.

Figure 16 demonstrates the cumulative growth in business incorporations for the years 2019, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

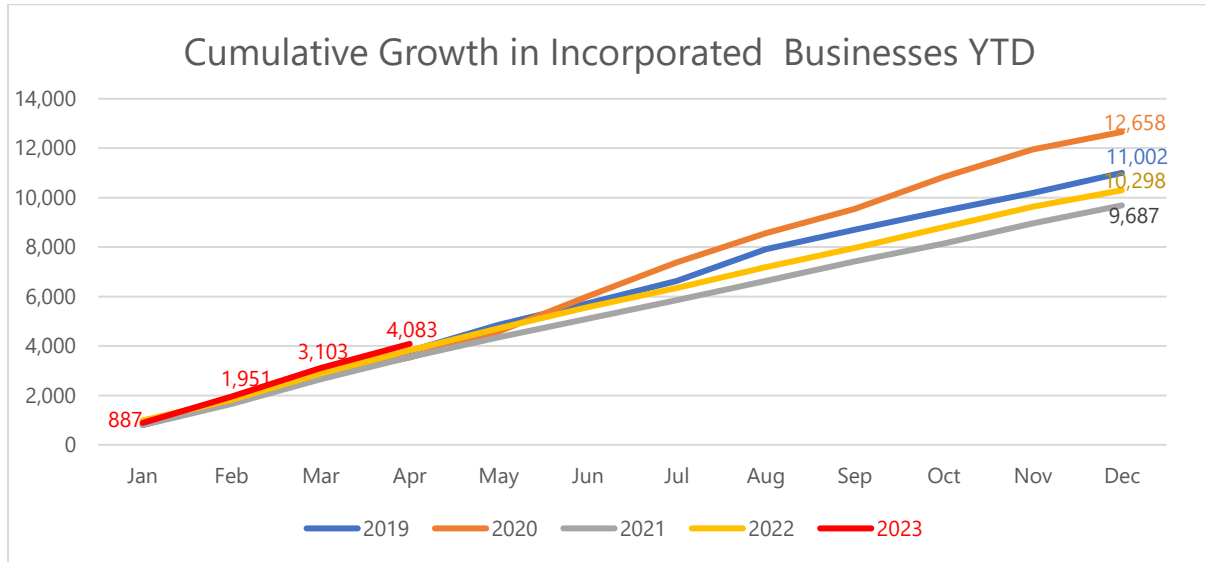


Figure 16: LLEP Area Cumulative Growth in Incorporated Businesses 2019, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Source: BVD Fame

In 2023 (to the end of March) there were 4,083 business incorporations. For the same period in 2019 the figure was 3,788, in 2020 3,537, 2021 3,550 and 2022 3,818.

In April 2023 the number of businesses that were incorporated was 980. The figure for April 2019 was 843, 2020 738, 2021 896 and 2022 925.

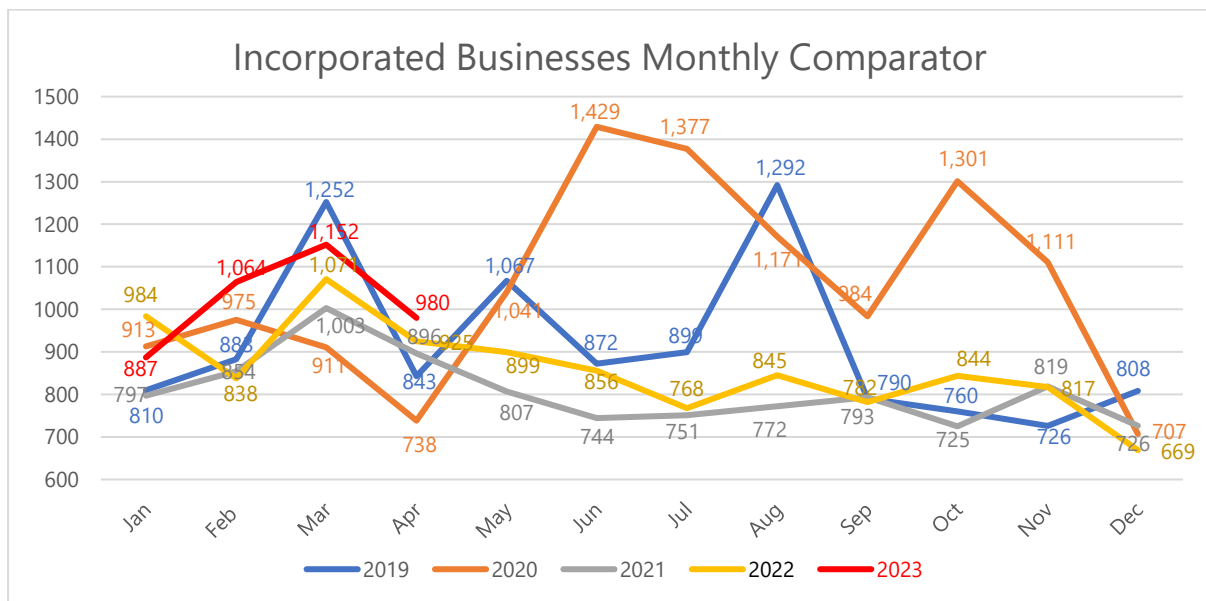


Figure 17: LLEP Area Incorporated Businesses Monthly Comparator

Source: BVD Fame

Figure 18 compares the monthly numbers of dissolved and incorporated businesses for the period January 2022 onwards.

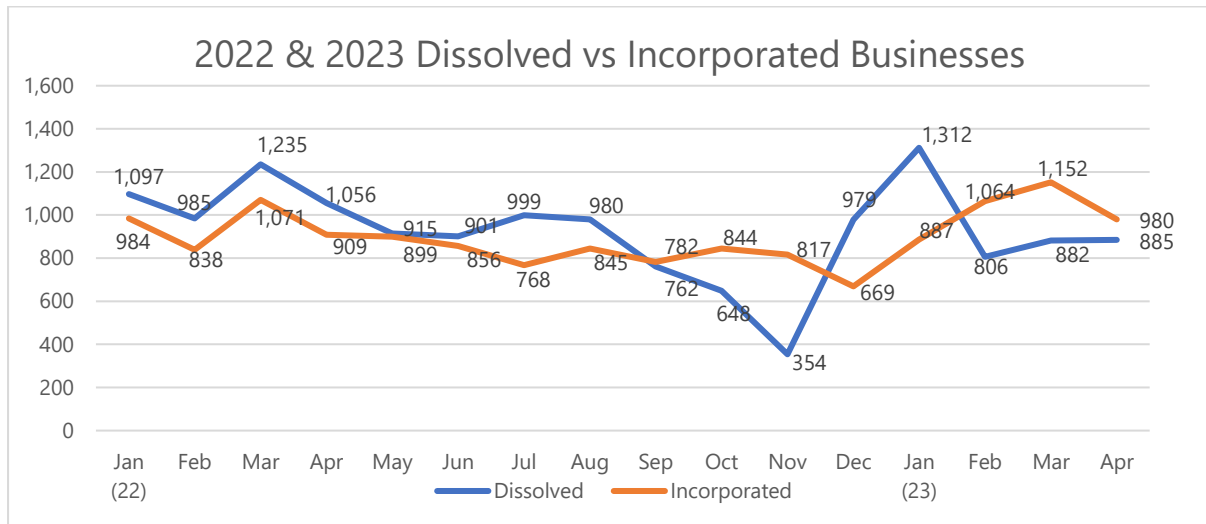


Figure 18: LLEP Area Dissolved and Incorporated Businesses Monthly Comparator
Source: BVD Fame

Figure 19 compares the figures for April for all district areas.

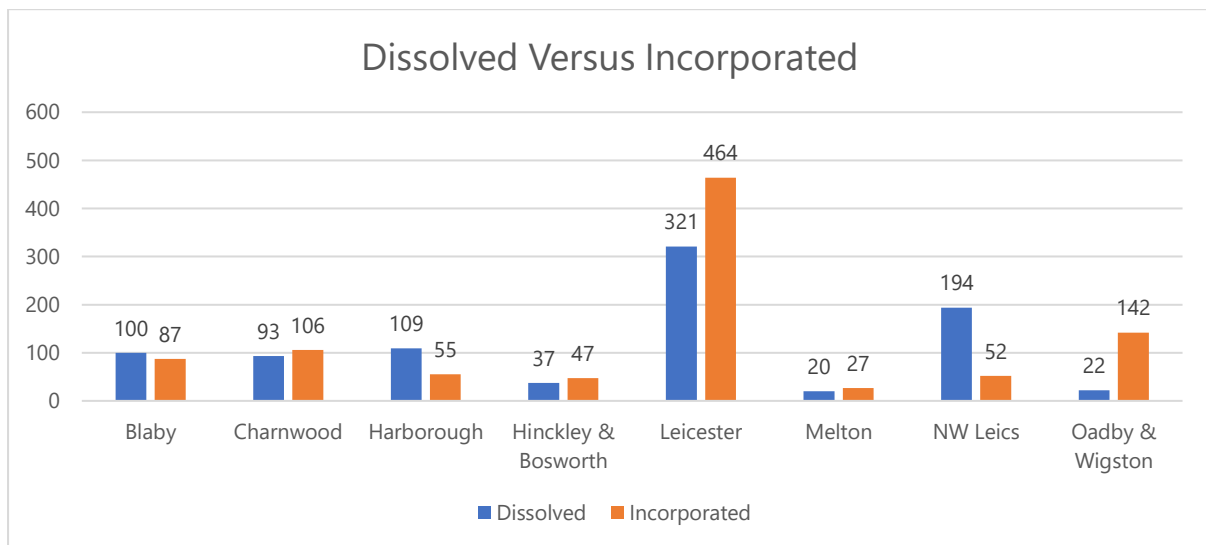


Figure 19: LLEP Area Dissolved and Incorporated Businesses Monthly Area Comparator
Source: BVD Fame

Table 4 demonstrates those sectors where there have been 10 or more business failures and 10 or more incorporations for the year to date (2023). Table 4 also helps provide an understanding of the impact of the cost-of-living crisis on business and how different sectors are reacting. It shows how different parts of the local business community are expanding and contracting.

When comparing closures with incorporations in 2023 (YTD) there were 3,885 closures and 4,083 incorporations. This is a difference of 198.

Activity (prim. UK SIC 2007)	Dis	%	Inc	%
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	419	10.9	480	11.8
Computer programming, consultancy and related activities	367	9.6	145	3.6
Activities of head offices; management consultancy activities	286	7.5	143	3.5
Office administrative, office support and other business support activities	218	5.7	56	1.4
Food and beverage service activities	216	5.6	293	7.2
Real estate activities	178	4.6	317	7.8
Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	176	4.6	512	12.5
Specialised construction activities	163	4.3	183	4.5
Other personal service activities	147	3.8	156	3.8
Land transport and transport via pipelines	135	3.5	103	2.5
Construction of buildings	121	3.2	176	4.3
Other professional, scientific and technical activities	103	2.7	69	1.7
Human health activities	89	2.3	237	5.8
Financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding	80	2.1	117	2.9
Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	73	1.9	99	2.4
Education	68	1.8	62	1.5
Architectural and engineering activities; technical testing and analysis	58	1.5	52	1.3
Legal and accounting activities	51	1.3	33	0.8
Services to buildings and landscape activities	44	1.1	89	2.2
Warehousing and support activities for transportation	42	1.1	46	1.1
Employment activities	41	1.1	47	1.2
Manufacture of wearing apparel	41	1.1	15	0.4
Sports activities and amusement and recreation activities	38	1.0	26	0.6
Information service activities	38	1.0	20	0.5
Advertising and market research	31	0.8	45	1.1
Postal and courier activities	30	0.8	20	0.5
Activities auxiliary to financial services and insurance activities	26	0.7	6	0.1
Residential care activities	24	0.6	63	1.5
Motion picture, video and television programme production, sound recording and music publishing activities	24	0.6	21	0.5
Creative, arts and entertainment activities	22	0.6	25	0.6
Manufacture of food products	21	0.5	17	0.4
Security and investigation activities	20	0.5	11	0.3
Manufacture of textiles	20	0.5	10	0.2
Other manufacturing	19	0.5	11	0.3
Civil engineering	17	0.4	10	0.2
Telecommunications	16	0.4	5	0.1
Accommodation	15	0.4	25	0.6
Social work activities without accommodation	15	0.4	16	0.4
Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related activities	14	0.4	16	0.4
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	14	0.4	12	0.3
Printing and reproduction of recorded media	13	0.3	13	0.3
Repair and installation of machinery and equipment	13	0.3	9	0.2
Publishing activities	10	0.3	18	0.4
Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities	10	0.3	15	0.4
Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	10	0.3	3	0.1
Rental and leasing activities	8	0.2	17	0.4
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	7	0.2	14	0.3
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	6	0.2	26	0.6
Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	4	0.1	11	0.3
Activities of membership organisations	4	0.1	10	0.2
All	3,828	100	4,083	100

Table 4 LLEP Area Dissolved or Liquidated and Incorporated Businesses by Sector Year to Date 2023

Source: BVD Fame

Note: Latest figures were gained on the 10/05/2023 and they may be subject to some adjustment. Figures may also reflect delays in notifications and processing of data returns to Companies House.

7. Useful Links

GOV.UK

[GOV.UK](#) 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 [Leicestershire Local Enterprise 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 [LSR Portal](#) 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 [Midlands Engine Economic Observatory](#) is an analytical function of the Midlands Engine, providing comprehensive and contemporary data, analysis and intelligence on the whole Midlands economy.

NOMIS

[Nomis](#) 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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