

1 Company liquidations ¹

■ England & Wales

Year	Not Seasonally Adjusted			Seasonally Adjusted			
	Total	Compulsory Liquidations	Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations ²	Total	Compulsory Liquidations	Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations ²	
1999	14,280	5,209	9,071				
2000	14,317	4,925	9,392				
2001	14,972	4,675	10,297				
2002	16,306	6,231	10,075				
2003	14,184	5,234	8,950				
2004	12,192	4,584	7,608				
2005	12,893	5,233	7,660				
2006	13,137	5,418	7,719				
2007	12,507	5,165	7,342				
p 2008	15,535	5,494	10,041				
1999	Q1	3,912	1,379	2,533	3,714	1,332	2,382
	Q2	3,590	1,294	2,296	3,613	1,231	2,383
	Q3	3,376	1,240	2,136	3,452	1,306	2,145
	Q4	3,402	1,296	2,106	3,501	1,340	2,161
2000	Q1	3,637	1,210	2,427	3,451	1,163	2,289
	Q2	3,370	1,300	2,070	3,379	1,220	2,159
	Q3	3,709	1,231	2,478	3,796	1,313	2,482
	Q4	3,601	1,184	2,417	3,691	1,229	2,462
2001	Q1	3,943	1,359	2,584	3,767	1,316	2,451
	Q2	3,684	1,348	2,336	3,704	1,267	2,437
	Q3	3,640	940	2,700	3,722	1,021	2,701
	Q4	3,705	1,028	2,677	3,779	1,070	2,708
2002	Q1	4,141	1,408	2,733	3,982	1,364	2,618
	Q2	4,066	1,679	2,387	4,037	1,556	2,481
	Q3	3,808	1,390	2,418	3,930	1,502	2,427
	Q4	4,291	1,754	2,537	4,357	1,808	2,549
2003	Q1	3,797	1,585	2,212	3,689	1,552	2,137
	Q2	3,767	1,470	2,297	3,737	1,378	2,359
	Q3	3,314	1,075	2,239	3,418	1,167	2,250
	Q4	3,306	1,104	2,202	3,341	1,137	2,204
2004	Q1	3,248	1,208	2,040	3,178	1,196	1,982
	Q2	3,108	1,197	1,911	3,069	1,125	1,945
	Q3	2,900	1,061	1,839	2,989	1,129	1,859
	Q4	2,936	1,118	1,818	2,956	1,134	1,822
2005	Q1	3,010	1,101	1,909	2,950	1,097	1,853
	Q2	3,407	1,422	1,985	3,355	1,345	2,010
	Q3	3,306	1,454	1,852	3,397	1,524	1,874
	Q4	3,170	1,256	1,914	3,191	1,267	1,924
2006	Q1	3,564	1,473	2,091	3,501	1,478	2,023
	Q2	3,235	1,263	1,972	3,198	1,198	2,000
	Q3	3,172	1,286	1,886	3,241	1,332	1,909
	Q4	3,166	1,396	1,770	3,196	1,410	1,787
2007	Q1	3,274	1,384	1,890	3,207	1,392	1,815
	Q2	3,191	1,399	1,792	3,095	1,334	1,760
	Q3	3,113	1,234	1,879	3,167	1,277	1,890
	Q4	2,929	1,148	1,781	3,039	1,162	1,877
2008	Q1	3,262	1,080	2,182	r 3,172	r 1,098	r 2,075
	Q2	3,689	1,410	2,279	r 3,639	r 1,340	r 2,299
	Q3	4,059	1,467	2,592	r 4,118	r 1,495	r 2,623
	p Q4	4,525	1,537	2,988	4,607	1,562	3,045
Percentage change, latest quarter on previous quarter							
2008	Q4	11.5	4.8	15.3	11.9	4.5	16.1
Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year							
2008	Q4	54.5	33.9	67.8	51.6	34.4	62.2

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¹ Including partnerships.

² Where the Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation is the first Insolvency procedure entered into (see "Notes to Editors" paragraph 8).

1a. Compulsory liquidations by industry (SIC 2003) ^{1,4}

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Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit		2007 ²		2008			
			Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	7	4	13	5	7	..
Section B		FISHING	0	3	0	3	4	..
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING	2	2	5	2	2	..
Section D		MANUFACTURING						
	DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	2	9	2	2	5	..
	DB	Textiles and textile products	7	9	5	6	3	..
	DC	Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	..
	DD	Wood and wood products	3	5	10	7	11	..
	DE	Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	9	8	7	11	8	..
	DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	1	1	0	0	0	..
	DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	1	1	1	1	3	..
	DH	Rubber and plastic products	1	6	5	4	3	..
	DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	6	3	2	6	2	..
	DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	10	13	14	23	15	..
	DK	Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	5	5	6	5	8	..
	DL	Electrical and optical equipment	5	8	0	6	4	..
	DM	Transport equipment	3	4	3	3	1	..
	DN	Not elsewhere classified	10	8	6	10	6	..
		Total	63	80	61	84	69	..
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	7	6	9	11	9	..
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION						
	451	Site preparation	19	23	23	28	35	..
	452	Building of complete constructions or parts thereof; civil engineering	81	62	83	91	90	..
	453	Building installation	44	50	40	63	61	..
	454	Building completion	55	58	60	75	98	..
	455	Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	3	4	3	6	8	..
		Total	202	197	209	263	292	..
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	20	23	22	17	18	..
	51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	86	80	83	87	64	..
	52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	72	69	74	87	83	..
		Total	178	172	179	191	165	..
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551	Hotels	6	8	7	12	10	..
	553	Restaurants	42	28	27	29	41	..
	554	Bars	38	37	38	37	53	..
		Other	7	4	3	9	6	..
		Total	93	77	75	87	110	..
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	21	35	37	29	31	..
	61	Water transport	1	3	2	1	1	..
	62	Air transport	3	0	1	0	3	..
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	23	23	25	24	21	..
	64	Post and telecommunications	36	31	18	38	38	..
		Total	84	92	83	92	94	..
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	2	3	2	2	5	..
		Other	30	36	23	26	37	..
		Total	32	39	25	28	42	..
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70	Real estate activities	41	26	38	56	63	..
	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	2	0	2	0	3	..
	72	Computer and related activities	11	16	16	24	32	..
	73	Research and development	1	0	0	0	0	..
	74	Other business activities	52	60	66	79	98	..
		Total	107	102	122	159	196	..
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	4	3	1	3	6	..
Section M		EDUCATION	16	10	12	14	5	..
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	10	17	13	14	14	..
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	108	80	84	82	130	..
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	2	0	1	0	1	..
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	1	4	3	2	0	..
ALL OTHERS ²			355	362	332	436	454	..
Total			1,271	1,250	1,227	1,476	1,600	..

.. Not yet available

¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Unknown SIC

³ An industry breakdown according to the previously used Insolvency Trade Classifications (ITC) is available up to Q3 2006 at <http://www.insolvency.gov.uk/otherinformation/statistics/200702/table4.htm>. The period from Q4 2006 to Q2 2007 is not available broken down by industry.

⁴ Totals for compulsory liquidations here are not the same as the headline figures under Table 1. This is because the industrial breakdown has been compiled from a specially selected extract from the live database, whereas the headline figures are produced monthly using a different reporting system.

1b. Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations by industry (SIC 2003)

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Section	Sub-section	2 digit	3 digit	2007		2008			
				Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A			AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	3	5	7	11	9	7
Section B			FISHING	0	0	0	0	1	0
Section C			MINING AND QUARRYING	0	1	0	1	3	6
Section D			MANUFACTURING						
	DA		Food products, beverages and tobacco	14	7	10	13	16	18
	DB		Textiles and textile products	23	19	17	26	29	26
	DC		Leather and leather products	0	2	0	1	2	1
	DD		Wood and wood products	18	13	11	24	21	25
	DE		Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	51	52	54	47	69	62
	DF		Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	1	0	0	0
	DG		Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	4	1	6	1	10	6
	DH		Rubber and plastic products	5	21	18	18	13	10
	DI		Other non-metallic mineral products	9	12	9	10	13	13
	DJ		Basic metals and fabricated metal products	53	32	51	37	64	58
	DK		Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	12	12	12	14	9	15
	DL		Electrical and optical equipment	20	10	16	17	18	19
	DM		Transport equipment	7	5	6	8	8	16
	DN		Not elsewhere classified	46	36	55	51	42	58
			Total	262	222	266	267	314	327
Section E			ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	1	3	2	0	2	4
Section F	45		CONSTRUCTION						
	451		Site preparation	7	8	3	7	5	4
	452		Building of complete constructions or parts thereof; civil engineering	118	143	171	164	206	255
	453		Building installation	76	77	101	117	123	128
	454		Building completion	68	72	69	81	89	101
	455		Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	1	3	2	3	7	7
			Total	270	303	346	372	430	495
Section G			WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50		Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	44	52	58	57	67	96
	51		Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	113	103	133	148	141	170
	52		Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	143	143	190	209	213	232
			Total	300	298	381	414	421	498
Section H	55		HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551		Hotels	10	8	3	11	13	19
	553		Restaurants	68	79	55	80	98	96
	554		Bars	26	30	40	47	31	45
			Other	12	18	14	21	17	21
			Total	116	135	112	159	159	181
Section I			TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60		Land transport; transport via pipelines	43	35	54	54	63	71
	61		Water transport	1	0	2	0	1	9
	62		Air transport	0	2	3	0	2	3
	63		Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	20	20	19	20	31	35
	64		Post and telecommunications	32	22	23	28	27	27
			Total	96	79	101	102	124	145
Section J			FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66		Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	2	7	4	4	5	7
			Other	16	8	16	22	38	47
			Total	18	15	20	26	43	54
Section K			REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70		Real estate activities	45	40	51	63	106	116
	71		Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	9	9	8	17	6	12
	72		Computer and related activities	76	69	82	85	78	90
	73		Research and development	2	4	5	1	4	1
	74		Other business activities	399	336	467	436	513	616
			Total	531	458	613	602	707	835
Section L			PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	5	2	2	4	1	5
Section M			EDUCATION	12	11	13	15	17	11
Section N			HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	14	14	15	23	18	18
Section O			OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	112	107	126	115	145	152
Section P			PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	1	3	2	2	1	1
Section Q			EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	0	0	2	0	1	0
ALL OTHERS ²				138	125	174	166	196	249
Total				1,879	1,781	2,182	2,279	2,592	2,988

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² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

³ Where the Creditors Voluntary Liquidation is the first insolvency procedure entered into (see "Notes to Editors" paragraph 8).

2. Individual insolvencies England & Wales

Year	Not Seasonally Adjusted			Seasonally Adjusted			
	Total	Bankruptcy Orders	Individual Voluntary Arrangements ¹	Total	Bankruptcy Orders	Individual Voluntary Arrangements ¹	
1999	28,806	21,611	7,195				
2000	29,528	21,550	7,978				
2001	29,775	23,477	6,298				
2002	30,587	24,292	6,295				
2003	35,604	28,021	7,583				
2004	46,650	35,898	10,752				
2005	67,584	47,291	20,293				
2006	107,288	62,956	44,332				
2007	106,645	64,480	42,165				
p 2008	106,544	67,428	39,116				
1999	Q1	7,025	5,799	1,226	6,760	5,436	1,324
	Q2	7,120	5,527	1,593	7,053	5,446	1,607
	Q3	7,592	5,365	2,227	7,493	5,356	2,138
	Q4	7,069	4,920	2,149	7,500	5,374	2,127
2000	Q1	7,837	5,667	2,170	7,639	5,316	2,323
	Q2	7,532	5,414	2,118	7,418	5,318	2,100
	Q3	7,316	5,451	1,865	7,208	5,440	1,768
	Q4	6,843	5,018	1,825	7,264	5,476	1,788
2001	Q1	7,750	6,078	1,672	7,496	5,707	1,788
	Q2	7,714	6,115	1,599	7,576	5,995	1,581
	Q3	7,434	5,817	1,617	7,348	5,808	1,540
	Q4	6,877	5,467	1,410	7,356	5,967	1,389
2002	Q1	7,411	6,027	1,384	7,511	6,019	1,492
	Q2	7,861	6,269	1,592	7,343	5,769	1,575
	Q3	7,892	6,249	1,643	7,815	6,246	1,569
	Q4	7,423	5,747	1,676	7,918	6,259	1,659
2003	Q1	8,426	6,912	1,514	8,145	6,502	1,643
	Q2	8,889	6,948	1,941	8,684	6,764	1,920
	Q3	9,291	7,221	2,070	9,202	7,223	1,979
	Q4	8,998	6,940	2,058	9,573	7,532	2,041
2004	Q1	10,665	8,524	2,141	10,330	8,008	2,322
	Q2	11,535	9,060	2,475	11,250	8,810	2,440
	Q3	12,227	9,315	2,912	12,122	9,342	2,779
	Q4	12,223	8,999	3,224	12,948	9,737	3,211
2005	Q1	13,190	10,188	3,002	13,424	10,137	3,286
	Q2	16,873	12,338	4,535	15,805	11,318	4,487
	Q3	18,010	12,256	5,754	17,857	12,330	5,528
	Q4	19,511	12,509	7,002	20,498	13,506	6,992
2006	Q1	23,939	16,283	7,656	23,680	15,235	8,445
	Q2	26,722	15,489	11,233	26,210	15,115	11,095
	Q3	28,083	15,418	12,665	27,682	15,568	12,114
	Q4	28,544	15,766	12,778	29,715	17,038	12,678
2007	Q1	29,236	17,937	11,299	29,116	16,788	12,328
	Q2	27,327	16,489	10,838	26,774	16,214	10,561
	Q3	26,252	15,600	10,652	25,900	15,842	10,058
	Q4	23,830	14,454	9,376	24,854	15,636	9,218
2008	Q1	24,619	15,814	8,805	r 24,987	r 15,409	r 9,577
	Q2	25,966	16,373	9,593	r 24,896	r 15,468	r 9,428
	Q3	27,488	17,237	10,251	r 27,217	r 17,451	r 9,766
p	Q4	28,471	18,004	10,467	29,444	19,100	10,344

Percentage change, latest quarter on previous quarter

2008	Q4	3.6	4.4	2.1	8.2	9.4	5.9
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Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year

2008	Q4	19.5	24.6	11.6	18.5	22.2	12.2
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¹ Including Deeds of Arrangements

2a. Bankruptcy orders by petition type and trading status England & Wales

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Year	Bankruptcy Orders	Debtor's petitions		Creditor's petitions		Bankruptcy Orders	Self-employed ¹		Other individuals ¹		
		count	%	count	%		count	%	count	%	
1999	21,611	12,327	57.0	9,284	43.0	21,611	10,723	49.6	10,888	50.4	
2000	21,550	13,312	61.8	8,238	38.2	21,550	9,952	46.2	11,598	53.8	
2001	23,477	15,514	66.1	7,963	33.9	23,477	9,839	41.9	13,638	58.1	
2002	24,292	16,955	69.8	7,337	30.2	24,292	8,854	36.4	15,438	63.6	
2003	28,021	19,882	71.0	8,139	29.0	28,021	9,139	32.6	18,882	67.4	
2004	35,898	27,872	77.6	8,026	22.4	35,898	9,564	26.6	26,334	73.4	
2005	47,291	38,131	80.6	9,160	19.4	47,291	10,839	22.9	36,452	77.1	
2006	62,956	53,038	84.2	9,918	15.8	62,956	10,894	17.3	52,062	82.7	
2007	64,480	54,433	84.4	10,047	15.6	64,480	7,058	10.9	57,422	89.1	
p 2008	67,428	56,600	83.9	10,828	16.1	67,428	
1999	Q1	5,799	3,336	57.5	2,463	42.5	5,799	2,996	51.7	2,803	48.3
	Q2	5,527	3,096	56.0	2,431	44.0	5,527	2,721	49.2	2,806	50.8
	Q3	5,365	3,102	57.8	2,263	42.2	5,365	2,614	48.7	2,751	51.3
	Q4	4,920	2,793	56.8	2,127	43.2	4,920	2,392	48.6	2,528	51.4
2000	Q1	5,667	3,554	62.7	2,113	37.3	5,667	2,571	45.4	3,096	54.6
	Q2	5,414	3,276	60.5	2,138	39.5	5,414	2,519	46.5	2,895	53.5
	Q3	5,451	3,292	60.4	2,159	39.6	5,451	2,518	46.2	2,933	53.8
	Q4	5,018	3,190	63.6	1,828	36.4	5,018	2,344	46.7	2,674	53.3
2001	Q1	6,078	3,987	65.6	2,091	34.4	6,078	2,666	43.9	3,412	56.1
	Q2	6,115	3,890	63.6	2,225	36.4	6,115	2,609	42.7	3,506	57.3
	Q3	5,817	3,889	66.9	1,928	33.1	5,817	2,414	41.5	3,403	58.5
	Q4	5,467	3,748	68.6	1,719	31.4	5,467	2,150	39.3	3,317	60.7
2002	Q1	6,027	4,223	70.1	1,804	29.9	6,027	2,261	37.5	3,766	62.5
	Q2	6,269	4,333	69.1	1,936	30.9	6,269	2,235	35.7	4,034	64.3
	Q3	6,249	4,374	70.0	1,875	30.0	6,249	2,244	35.9	4,005	64.1
	Q4	5,747	4,025	70.0	1,722	30.0	5,747	2,114	36.8	3,633	63.2
2003	Q1	6,912	4,892	70.8	2,020	29.2	6,912	2,468	35.7	4,444	64.3
	Q2	6,948	4,851	69.8	2,097	30.2	6,948	2,267	32.6	4,681	67.4
	Q3	7,221	5,148	71.3	2,073	28.7	7,221	2,296	31.8	4,925	68.2
	Q4	6,940	4,991	71.9	1,949	28.1	6,940	2,108	30.4	4,832	69.6
2004	Q1	8,524	6,472	75.9	2,052	24.1	8,524	2,437	28.6	6,087	71.4
	Q2	9,060	7,028	77.6	2,032	22.4	9,060	2,455	27.1	6,605	72.9
	Q3	9,315	7,236	77.7	2,079	22.3	9,315	2,300	24.7	7,015	75.3
	Q4	8,999	7,136	79.3	1,863	20.7	8,999	2,372	26.4	6,627	73.6
2005	Q1	10,188	8,219	80.7	1,969	19.3	10,188	2,446	24.0	7,742	76.0
	Q2	12,338	9,840	79.8	2,498	20.2	12,338	2,835	23.0	9,503	77.0
	Q3	12,256	9,902	80.8	2,354	19.2	12,256	2,850	23.3	9,406	76.7
	Q4	12,509	10,170	81.3	2,339	18.7	12,509	2,708	21.6	9,801	78.4
2006	Q1	16,283	13,492	82.9	2,791	17.1	16,283	3,150	19.3	13,133	80.7
	Q2	15,489	13,086	84.5	2,403	15.5	15,489	2,898	18.7	12,591	81.3
	Q3	15,418	13,036	84.6	2,382	15.4	15,418	2,990	19.4	12,428	80.6
	Q4	15,766	13,424	85.1	2,342	14.9	15,766	1,856	11.8	13,910	88.2
2007	Q1	17,937	15,356	85.6	2,581	14.4	17,937	1,981	11.0	15,956	89.0
	Q2	16,489	13,923	84.4	2,566	15.6	16,489	1,767	10.7	14,722	89.3
	Q3	15,600	13,173	84.4	2,427	15.6	15,600	1,660	10.6	13,940	89.4
	Q4	14,454	11,981	82.9	2,473	17.1	14,454	1,650	11.4	12,804	88.6
2008	Q1	15,814	13,275	83.9	2,539	16.1	15,814	1,915	12.1	13,899	87.9
	Q2	16,373	13,754	84.0	2,619	16.0	16,373	1,828	11.2	14,545	88.8
	Q3	17,237	14,369	83.4	2,868	16.6	17,237	2,115	12.3	15,122	87.7
	p Q4	18,004	15,202	84.4	2,802	15.6	18,004

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¹ Changes have been made to the part of the database used to capture information on trading status and industry codes. From 2006 Q4, "self-employed" includes the categories "self-employed"; "trader but failure not as a result of trading" and "trading partnership" and "other individuals" includes "non-trading"; "non-surrender" and "unknown". The breakdown by trading status from Q4 2006 should not therefore be considered to be entirely consistent with that for the earlier period.

2b. Income payments ¹ England & Wales

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Year	Total	Income	Income	
		Payments Orders	Payments Agreements	
1999	2,451	2,451	:	
2000	2,346	2,346	:	
2001	2,396	2,396	:	
2002	2,322	2,322	:	
2003	2,812	2,720	92	
2004	6,238	1,238	5,000	
2005	9,102	69	9,033	
2006	11,990	86	11,904	
2007	13,332	77	13,255	
p 2008	12,567	64	12,503	
1999	Q1	522	522	:
	Q2	543	543	:
	Q3	690	690	:
	Q4	696	696	:
2000	Q1	486	486	:
	Q2	540	540	:
	Q3	652	652	:
	Q4	668	668	:
2001	Q1	565	565	:
	Q2	458	458	:
	Q3	710	710	:
	Q4	663	663	:
2002	Q1	565	565	:
	Q2	458	458	:
	Q3	630	630	:
	Q4	669	669	:
2003	Q1	464	462	2
	Q2	444	432	12
	Q3	917	885	32
	Q4	987	941	46
2004	Q1	783	709	74
	Q2	1,257	413	844
	Q3	2,140	90	2,050
	Q4	2,058	26	2,032
2005	Q1	1,430	25	1,405
	Q2	1,882	11	1,871
	Q3	2,900	12	2,888
	Q4	2,890	21	2,869
2006	Q1	1,973	29	1,944
	Q2	2,532	21	2,511
	Q3	3,798	20	3,778
	Q4	3,687	16	3,671
2007	Q1	2,483	23	2,460
	Q2	2,895	27	2,868
	Q3	4,244	11	4,233
	Q4	3,710	16	3,694
2008	Q1	2,169	18	2,151
	Q2	2,490	11	2,479
	Q3	3,622	15	3,607
	p Q4	4,286	20	4,266

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¹ See "Notes to Editors" paragraph 12.

2c. Trading-related bankruptcies by industry (SIC 2003)

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Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit		2007 ³		2008			
			Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	43	35	31	39	33	..
Section B		FISHING	3	5	4	2	7	..
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING	0	5	1	0	1	..
Section D		MANUFACTURING						
	DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	0	0	2	1	1	..
	DB	Textiles and textile products	2	7	7	6	5	..
	DC	Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	..
	DD	Wood and wood products	3	8	12	8	15	..
	DE	Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	4	5	5	4	5	..
	DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	1	0	1	..
	DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	1	0	0	0	1	..
	DH	Rubber and plastic products	2	1	1	1	2	..
	DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	3	6	0	2	3	..
	DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	7	2	8	4	10	..
	DK	Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	3	3	1	2	2	..
	DL	Electrical and optical equipment	1	1	0	1	3	..
	DM	Transport equipment	0	1	4	2	0	..
	DN	Not elsewhere classified	7	6	9	4	5	..
		Total	33	40	50	35	53	..
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	29	16	36	21	28	..
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION						
	451	Site preparation	58	51	58	65	66	..
	452	Building of complete constructions or parts thereof; civil engineering	73	72	99	80	76	..
	453	Building installation	111	96	120	106	110	..
	454	Building completion	133	157	189	178	203	..
	455	Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	4	2	4	0	1	..
		Total	379	378	470	429	456	..
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	43	57	52	45	57	..
	51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	48	56	59	65	77	..
	52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	204	180	215	194	241	..
		Total	295	293	326	304	375	..
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551	Hotels	7	11	14	6	15	..
	553	Restaurants	39	36	38	40	45	..
	554	Bars	96	124	139	167	159	..
		Other	21	16	17	19	32	..
		Total	163	187	208	232	251	..
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	155	135	179	166	201	..
	61	Water transport	0	1	1	3	0	..
	62	Air transport	0	2	0	1	1	..
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	44	43	52	52	56	..
	64	Post and telecommunications	30	32	47	42	61	..
		Total	229	213	279	264	319	..
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	3	0	0	0	4	..
		Other	29	37	26	36	34	..
		Total	32	37	26	36	38	..
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70	Real estate activities	19	11	17	30	47	..
	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	4	0	1	2	1	..
	72	Computer and related activities	9	8	7	6	10	..
	73	Research and development	0	0	0	0	0	..
	74	Other business activities	45	46	64	42	77	..
		Total	77	65	89	80	135	..
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	3	2	2	3	4	..
Section M		EDUCATION	20	17	25	14	24	..
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	30	47	34	41	39	..
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	283	283	309	302	326	..
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	2	6	3	5	3	..
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	0	3	2	0	3	..
ALL OTHERS ²			21	10	21	19	17	..
Total			1,642	1,642	1,916	1,826	2,112	..

.. Not yet available

¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Unknown SIC

³ An industry breakdown according to the previously used Insolvency Trade Classifications (ITC) is available up to Q3 2006 at <http://www.insolvency.gov.uk/otherinformation/statistics/200702/table5.htm>. The period from Q4 2006 to Q2 2007 is not available broken down by industry.

⁴ Totals for trading-related bankruptcies here are not entirely consistent with the headline figures under Table 1. This is because the industrial breakdown has been compiled from a specially selected extract from the live database, whereas the headline figures are produced monthly using a different reporting system.

3. Receiverships, Administrations and Company Voluntary Arrangements ¹

England & Wales

not seasonally adjusted

Year		Receivership Appointments ²	Administrator Appointments ³	In Administration (Enterprise Act 2002) ³	Company Voluntary Arrangements
1999		1,618	440	:	475
2000		1,595	438	:	557
2001		1,914	698	:	597
2002		1,541	643	:	651
2003		1,261	497	247	726
2004		864	1	1,601	597
2005		590	4	2,257	604
2006		588	0	3,560 ⁴	534
2007		337	3	2,509	418
p 2008		867	2	4,820 ⁵	587
1999	Q1	419	193	:	106
	Q2	397	81	:	128
	Q3	375	64	:	120
	Q4	427	102	:	121
2000	Q1	454	89	:	124
	Q2	429	135	:	160
	Q3	355	101	:	121
	Q4	357	113	:	152
2001	Q1	649	125	:	132
	Q2	435	141	:	163
	Q3	369	146	:	141
	Q4	461	286	:	161
2002	Q1	455	176	:	151
	Q2	346	151	:	151
	Q3	377	162	:	181
	Q4	363	154	:	168
2003	Q1	315	160	0	178
	Q2	298	167	0	165
	Q3	334	154	14	171
	Q4	314	16	233	212
2004	Q1	224	1	:	176
	Q2	199	0	:	154
	Q3	203	0	421	137
	Q4	238	0	457	130
2005	Q1	114	0	489	179
	Q2	167	4	568	183
	Q3	170	0	620	130
	Q4	139	0	580	112
2006	Q1	180	0	753	124
	Q2	153	0	653	147
	Q3	93	0	675	157
	Q4	162	0	1,479 ⁴	106
2007	Q1	88	1	683	96
	Q2	77	0	585	102
	Q3	80	2	666	129
	Q4	92	0	575	91
2008	Q1	159	1	858	140
	Q2	177	0	938	131
	Q3	270	1	1,006	167
p Q4	Q4	261	0	2,018 ⁵	149

Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year

2008	Q4	183.7	:	251.0	63.7
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: Not applicable

¹ Registered at Companies House

² Includes Law of Property Act receiverships (see "Notes to Editors" Paragraph 9). Receivership figures from Q1 2007 are not consistent with those for the earlier period; re-run figures from 1998-2006 inclusive are awaited from Companies House (see "Notes to Editors" paragraph 10)

³ See paragraph 7 of the Press Release "Notes to Editors" for changes wef 15 September 2003 under the Enterprise Act 2002

⁴ The figure for Q4 2006 includes 844 separate, limited companies created and managed by "Safe Solutions Accountancy Limited" for which Grant Thornton was appointed administrator.

⁵ The figure for Q4 2008 includes 729 separate managed service companies for which BDO Stoy Hayward was appointed administrator. The administrations were approved in September 2008, but the statistics are counted based on the date registered at Companies House (which fell in October 2008, i.e. Q4).

3a. Receiverships by industry (SIC 2003) ¹

England & Wales

not seasonally adjusted

Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit		2007		2008			
			Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	2	0	1	0	0	1
Section B		FISHING	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING	0	1	0	0	0	0
Section D		MANUFACTURING						
	DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	0	1	1	0	1	1
	DB	Textiles and textile products	1	0	1	0	1	0
	DC	Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DD	Wood and wood products	0	0	0	1	0	1
	DE	Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	0	1	1	2	2	1
	DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	0	0	0	1	1	0
	DH	Rubber and plastic products	0	2	0	1	0	0
	DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	0	0	0	0	0	1
	DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	0	2	2	1	1	3
	DK	Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	1	2	3	0	0	0
	DL	Electrical and optical equipment	1	0	0	1	0	0
	DM	Transport equipment	1	1	0	0	0	0
	DN	Not elsewhere classified	5	2	0	3	0	2
		Total	9	11	8	10	6	9
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	0	0	0	0	0	2
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION						
	451	Site preparation	0	0	0	0	1	1
	452	Building of complete constructions or parts thereof, civil engineering	7	5	14	17	23	39
	453	Building installation	0	0	2	1	1	0
	454	Building completion	0	2	4	4	4	4
	455	Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	7	7	20	22	29	44
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	3	0	2	5	7	8
	51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	1	1	4	3	5	5
	52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	0	2	1	2	0	2
		Total	4	3	7	10	12	15
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551	Hotels	2	1	3	2	0	0
	553	Restaurants	6	0	2	2	0	1
	554	Bars	3	0	0	2	2	3
		Other	0	0	0	0	2	1
		Total	11	1	5	6	4	5
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	0	0	1	0	0	0
	61	Water transport	0	0	0	0	0	0
	62	Air transport	0	1	0	0	0	0
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	0	0	1	1	0	0
	64	Post and telecommunications	0	1	0	2	0	1
		Total	0	2	2	3	0	1
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	0	1	0	0	1	0
		Other	0	1	3	5	4	4
		Total	0	2	3	5	5	4
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70	Real estate activities	23	36	76	74	151	129
	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	1	1	0	0	1	0
	72	Computer and related activities	0	1	2	3	1	2
	73	Research and development	0	0	0	0	0	0
	74	Other business activities	14	15	19	19	26	28
		Total	38	53	97	96	179	159
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section M		EDUCATION	1	0	0	0	1	0
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	0	1	0	1	0	1
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	2	2	10	8	10	9
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL OTHERS ²			6	9	6	16	24	11
Total			80	92	159	177	270	261

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¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

3b. Administrations (Enterprise Act) by industry (SIC 2003) ¹

England & Wales

not seasonally adjusted

Section	Sub-section 2 digit	3 digit	2007		2008			
			Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	8	3	4	5	4	5
Section B		FISHING	0	0	0	2	0	1
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING	0	2	1	0	1	2
Section D		MANUFACTURING						
	DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	14	5	8	13	10	15
	DB	Textiles and textile products	6	5	7	9	9	11
	DC	Leather and leather products	1	0	0	2	1	1
	DD	Wood and wood products	5	6	7	5	11	10
	DE	Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	28	20	41	27	33	28
	DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	0	0	1	2
	DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	9	3	1	3	5	6
	DH	Rubber and plastic products	6	6	14	10	9	12
	DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	1	5	3	4	2	7
	DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	21	22	30	38	28	52
	DK	Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	4	8	10	5	8	11
	DL	Electrical and optical equipment	13	5	13	12	9	7
	DM	Transport equipment	11	12	4	2	9	9
	DN	Not elsewhere classified	16	22	34	27	28	30
		Total	135	119	172	157	163	201
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	2	0	0	1	0	2
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION						
	451	Site preparation	1	3	0	2	2	6
	452	Building of complete constructions or parts thereof, civil engineering	42	41	59	48	72	98
	453	Building installation	20	13	26	27	15	33
	454	Building completion	13	11	17	20	15	16
	455	Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	1	3	7	2	0	3
		Total	77	71	109	99	104	156
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	16	10	13	19	21	41
	51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	48	36	66	66	48	101
	52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	41	25	52	66	53	75
		Total	105	71	131	151	122	217
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551	Hotels	0	4	8	5	2	11
	553	Restaurants	21	16	27	22	33	26
	554	Bars	5	4	5	9	17	13
		Other	4	2	1	6	4	3
		Total	30	26	41	42	56	53
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	17	12	14	23	25	25
	61	Water transport	0	0	0	1	0	3
	62	Air transport	0	1	0	4	2	2
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	9	6	12	8	27	12
	64	Post and telecommunications	10	6	4	10	11	12
		Total	36	25	30	46	65	54
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	2	2	6	2	0	5
		Other	7	5	6	8	15	39
		Total	9	7	12	10	15	44
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70	Real estate activities	12	24	31	53	105	116
	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	2	3	7	6	11	10
	72	Computer and related activities	19	17	33	39	28	39
	73	Research and development	2	3	0	1	5	6
	74	Other business activities	136	119	153	198	191	976 ³
		Total	171	166	224	297	340	1,147
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	0	0	2	0	2	1
Section M		EDUCATION	5	7	11	5	7	4
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	7	5	14	8	8	15
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	36	27	44	32	48	48
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	0	0	0	1	0	0
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL OTHERS ²			45	46	63	82	71	68
Total			666	575	858	938	1,006	2,018

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¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

³ The figure for Q4 2008 includes 729 separate managed service companies for which BDO Stoy Hayward was appointed administrator. The administrations were approved in September 2008, but the statistics are counted based on the date registered at Companies House (which fell in October 2008, i.e. Q4).

3c. Company voluntary arrangements by industry (SIC 2003) ¹

England & Wales

not seasonally adjusted

Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit		2007		2008			
			Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY	1	0	0	1	1	0
Section B		FISHING	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING	0	0	0	0	2	0
Section D		MANUFACTURING						
	DA	Food products, beverages and tobacco	0	1	2	1	1	1
	DB	Textiles and textile products	0	0	2	3	2	1
	DC	Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DD	Wood and wood products	1	0	1	3	0	1
	DE	Pulp, paper and paper products publishing and printing	1	2	6	3	4	2
	DF	Coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	0	0	0	1	0	0
	DG	Chemicals, chemical products and man-made fibres	0	0	1	1	1	1
	DH	Rubber and plastic products	4	0	1	2	0	0
	DI	Other non-metallic mineral products	0	0	0	0	2	0
	DJ	Basic metals and fabricated metal products	7	3	13	8	6	4
	DK	Machinery and equipment not elsewhere classified	0	1	0	0	0	1
	DL	Electrical and optical equipment	6	2	1	1	1	0
	DM	Transport equipment	0	1	0	0	0	0
	DN	Not elsewhere classified	6	2	4	5	3	3
		Total	25	12	31	28	20	14
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY	0	0	0	0	0	1
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION						
	451	Site preparation	0	1	3	0	0	0
	452	Building of complete constructions or parts thereof; civil engineering	7	8	11	19	17	15
	453	Building installation	3	6	3	8	7	5
	454	Building completion	5	3	6	1	4	4
	455	Renting of construction or demolition equipment with operator	0	0	1	0	0	0
		Total	15	18	24	28	28	24
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS						
	50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	3	2	5	1	4	2
	51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	9	3	2	4	10	8
	52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	8	2	10	3	6	10
		Total	20	7	17	8	20	20
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS						
	551	Hotels	0	0	1	3	1	0
	553	Restaurants	8	1	3	3	4	8
	554	Bars	1	3	1	2	10	10
		Other	1	1	3	0	0	1
		Total	10	5	8	8	15	19
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION						
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	4	2	1	2	4	7
	61	Water transport	0	0	0	0	0	0
	62	Air transport	0	0	0	0	0	1
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	1	2	1	1	0	1
	64	Post and telecommunications	2	1	3	1	1	0
		Total	7	5	5	4	5	9
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION						
	66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	0	1	0	0	0	0
		Other	1	0	2	1	1	2
		Total	1	1	2	1	1	2
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	70	Real estate activities	4	2	0	4	6	4
	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	0	0	1	0	1	0
	72	Computer and related activities	3	2	10	9	10	4
	73	Research and development	1	0	1	0	1	1
	74	Other business activities	32	15	24	24	33	27
		Total	40	19	36	37	51	36
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY	0	0	0	1	0	0
Section M		EDUCATION	2	3	1	3	2	3
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK	1	2	2	1	5	1
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES	4	14	9	6	7	11
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE	0	0	0	0	0	1
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL OTHERS ²			3	5	5	5	10	8
			129	91	140	131	167	149

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¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

3d. Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations following Administration ¹

England & Wales

not seasonally adjusted

Year		Number of new cases
1999		:
2000		:
2001		:
2002		:
2003		0
2004		165
2005		681
2006		914
2007		1,095
p 2008		993
1999	Q1	:
	Q2	:
	Q3	:
	Q4	:
2000	Q1	:
	Q2	:
	Q3	:
	Q4	:
2001	Q1	:
	Q2	:
	Q3	:
	Q4	:
2002	Q1	:
	Q2	:
	Q3	:
	Q4	:
2003	Q1	:
	Q2	:
	Q3	0
	Q4	0
2004	Q1	12
	Q2	18
	Q3	36
	Q4	99
2005	Q1	204
	Q2	147
	Q3	149
	Q4	181
2006	Q1	212
	Q2	216
	Q3	244
	Q4	242
2007	Q1	276
	Q2	285
	Q3	264
	Q4	270
2008	Q1	270
	Q2	223
	Q3	264
p	Q4	236
Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year		
2008	Q4	-12.6

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: Not applicable

¹ Since the revisions to corporate administration under the Enterprise Act, those administrations which resulted in a Creditors' Voluntary Liquidation (CVL) have been separately recorded by Companies House. These post-Administration new case CVLs are not included under the headline CVL figures at Table 1 as they do not represent a new company entering into an insolvency procedure for the first time. Similar information for Administrations converting to a Compulsory Liquidation or to a Company Voluntary Arrangement is not available; however numbers of these are relatively low in comparison.

4. Insolvencies Scotland

not seasonally adjusted

Year	Individuals			Companies ¹			
	Total	Sequestrations (No. of LILA ²)	Protected Trust Deeds	Total	Compulsory Liquidations	Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations	
1999	5,339	3,195	2,144	572	364	208	
2000	5,766	2,965	2,801	583	344	239	
2001	6,827	3,048	3,779	602	378	224	
2002	8,389	3,215	5,174	788	556	232	
2003	8,780	3,328	5,452	631	436	195	
2004	9,321	3,297	6,024	621	431	190	
2005	11,846	4,965	6,881	569	420	149	
2006	13,638	5,430	8,208	549	416	133	
2007	13,814	6,219	7,595	539	439	100	
p 2008	19,864	12,322	7,542	524	437	87	
1999	Q1	1,213	776	437	153	83	70
	Q2	1,311	807	504	136	89	47
	Q3	1,451	842	609	144	98	46
	Q4	1,364	770	594	139	94	45
2000	Q1	1,395	751	644	136	75	61
	Q2	1,527	751	776	153	92	61
	Q3	1,391	712	679	139	85	54
	Q4	1,453	751	702	155	92	63
2001	Q1	1,503	709	794	166	102	64
	Q2	1,746	750	996	141	82	59
	Q3	1,881	839	1,042	108	75	33
	Q4	1,697	750	947	187	119	68
2002	Q1	1,858	832	1,026	240	170	70
	Q2	2,136	797	1,339	175	123	52
	Q3	2,247	834	1,413	184	139	45
	Q4	2,148	752	1,396	189	124	65
2003	Q1	2,015	799	1,216	183	133	50
	Q2	2,189	858	1,331	168	118	50
	Q3	2,367	845	1,522	154	109	45
	Q4	2,209	826	1,383	126	76	50
2004	Q1	2,154	720	1,434	153	95	58
	Q2	2,160	851	1,309	147	110	37
	Q3	2,441	923	1,518	168	113	55
	Q4	2,566	803	1,763	153	113	40
2005	Q1	2,462	908	1,554	140	103	37
	Q2	2,830	1,307	1,523	159	120	39
	Q3	3,593	1,461	2,132	151	115	36
	Q4	2,961	1,289	1,672	119	82	37
2006	Q1	3,111	1,241	1,870	128	96	32
	Q2	3,544	1,305	2,239	133	99	34
	Q3	3,601	1,528	2,073	156	132	24
	Q4	3,382	1,356	2,026	132	89	43
2007	Q1	3,471	1,505	1,966	166	132	34
	Q2	3,498	1,606	1,892	165	131	34
	Q3	3,527	1,545	1,982	125	105	20
	Q4	3,318	1,563	1,755	83	71	12
2008	Q1	3,324	1,444	1,880	102	95	7
	Q2	4,735	2,853 (1,709)	1,882	132	111	21
	Q3	5,998	4,055 (2,773)	1,943	127	111	16
	p Q4	5,807	3,970 (2,651)	1,837	163	120	43

Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year

2008	Q4	75.0	154.0	4.7	96.4	69.0	258.3
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¹ Including partnerships.

² On 1 April 2008, Part 1 of the Bankruptcy and Diligence etc. (Scotland) Act 2007 came into force making significant changes to some aspects of bankruptcy, debt relief and debt enforcement in Scotland. This included the introduction of the new route into bankruptcy for people with low income and low assets (LILA). Of the number or sequestrations, individuals who meet LILA criteria are shown in brackets (See "Notes to Editors" paragraph 13).

4a. Compulsory liquidations by industry (SIC 2003) ¹

Scotland

not seasonally adjusted

Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit	2007 ³				2008			
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY							
		1	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
Section B		FISHING							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING							
		0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Section D		MANUFACTURING							
	DA	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
	DB	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	0
	DC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DD	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
	DE	0	5	2	1	2	1	0	2
	DF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DG	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	DH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	DI	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	DJ	3	2	2	0	1	1	2	0
	DK	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	DL	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DM	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DN	2	2	1	0	0	2	1	0
	Total	11	14	7	3	3	8	5	5
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY							
		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION							
	451	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
	452	9	7	8	5	8	6	8	11
	453	2	6	5	4	8	4	5	7
	454	4	4	3	3	3	4	2	6
	455	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Total	17	17	17	12	19	15	15	25
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS							
	50	2	1	2	0	2	3	1	4
	51	2	4	6	1	2	3	3	4
	52	5	8	8	3	7	5	2	7
	Total	9	13	16	4	11	11	6	15
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS							
	551	1	2	2	0	0	3	1	0
	553	8	3	2	3	2	4	5	2
	554	9	6	1	1	1	4	2	3
	Other	4	2	1	0	0	1	1	3
	Total	22	13	6	4	3	12	9	8
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION							
	60	1	4	2	2	2	2	3	2
	61	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	62	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	63	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	2
	64	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2
	Total	1	7	3	3	5	4	5	6
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION							
	66	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	2
	Total	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	2
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES							
	70	4	8	7	1	3	4	1	7
	71	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
	72	9	2	3	2	3	4	4	4
	73	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
	74	41	49	31	26	33	37	52	29
	Total	56	60	41	31	42	45	58	41
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY							
		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section M		EDUCATION							
		1	2	1	1	2	1	0	0
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK							
		0	0	0	1	3	2	1	1
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES							
		8	3	6	6	2	4	7	4
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL OTHERS ²		5	2	4	5	3	8	2	9
Total		132	131	105	71	95	111	111	120

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¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

³ Prior to Q1 2007, company liquidations in Scotland were classified according to the Insolvency Trade Classifications (ITC); these breakdowns are available at <http://www.insolvency.gov.uk/otherinformation/statistics/2007/02/table7.htm> from Q1 1998 to Q4 2006.

4b. Creditors' voluntary liquidations by industry (SIC 2003) ¹

Scotland

not seasonally adjusted

Section	Sub-section 2 digit 3 digit	2007 ³				2008			
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 p
Section A		AGRICULTURE, HUNTING AND FORESTRY							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section B		FISHING							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section C		MINING AND QUARRYING							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section D		MANUFACTURING							
	DA	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	DB	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	DC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DE	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	DF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DG	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DI	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	DJ	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DK	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0
	DL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DM	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	DN	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1	4	3	2	1	2	0	3
Section E		ELECTRICITY, GAS AND WATER SUPPLY							
		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section F	45	CONSTRUCTION							
	451	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	452	5	2	2	2	0	1	0	2
	453	0	3	1	1	2	0	1	0
	454	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
	455	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	6	5	3	3	2	2	1	4
Section G		WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE; REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES, MOTOR CYCLES AND PERSONAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS							
	50	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
	51	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	3
	52	3	5	3	0	1	1	0	3
	Total	5	6	5	0	2	1	2	8
Section H	55	HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS							
	551	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	553	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	554	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
	Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Section I		TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATION							
	60	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	3
	61	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	63	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	4
Section J		FINANCIAL INTERMEDIATION							
	66	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	Total	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Section K		REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES							
	70	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
	71	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
	72	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	2
	73	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	74	11	9	5	4	2	4	5	10
	Total	14	11	5	5	2	7	6	15
Section L		PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCE; COMPULSORY SOCIAL SECURITY							
		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Section M		EDUCATION							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Section N		HEALTH AND SOCIAL WORK							
		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section O		OTHER COMMUNITY, SOCIAL & PERSONAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES							
		0	1	3	1	0	0	3	2
Section P		PRIVATE HOUSEHOLDS EMPLOYING STAFF AND UNDIFFERENTIATED PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES OF HOUSEHOLDS FOR OWN USE							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Section Q		EXTRA-TERRITORIAL ORGANISATIONS AND BODIES							
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALL OTHERS ²		3	0	0	0	0	7	1	4
Total		34	34	20	12	7	21	16	43

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¹ The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC 2003) definitions can be found at [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1\(2003\).pdf](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/sic/downloads/UK_SIC_Vol1(2003).pdf)

² Including unknown or invalid SIC codes and non-trading or dormant companies

³ Prior to Q1 2007, company liquidations in Scotland were classified according to the Insolvency Trade Classifications (ITC); these breakdowns are available at <http://www.insolvency.gov.uk/otherinformation/statistics/200702/table7.htm> from Q1 1998 to Q4 2006.

5. Receiverships, Administrations and Company Voluntary Arrangements¹ Scotland

not seasonally adjusted

Year		Receivership Appointments	Administrator Appointments ²	In Administration (Enterprise Act 2002) ²	Company Voluntary Arrangements
1999		69	3	:	0
2000		108	6	:	2
2001		97	4	:	3
2002		118	12	:	2
2003		118	6	3	7
2004		82	0	31	6
2005		56	0	55	8
2006		34	0	86	5
2007		75	0	37	6
p 2008		121	0	123	4
1999	Q1	22	3	:	0
	Q2	21	0	:	0
	Q3	17	0	:	0
	Q4	9	0	:	0
2000	Q1	24	2	:	1
	Q2	35	1	:	0
	Q3	30	0	:	1
	Q4	19	3	:	0
2001	Q1	26	2	:	1
	Q2	27	1	:	1
	Q3	19	1	:	1
	Q4	25	0	:	0
2002	Q1	26	5	:	0
	Q2	26	3	:	1
	Q3	29	3	:	1
	Q4	37	1	:	0
2003	Q1	41	4	0	0
	Q2	21	1	0	3
	Q3	36	1	1	1
	Q4	20	0	2	3
2004	Q1	30	0	9	1
	Q2	23	0	11	4
	Q3	13	0	7	0
	Q4	16	0	4	1
2005	Q1	27	0	8	1
	Q2	9	0	7	4
	Q3	12	0	19	2
	Q4	8	0	21	1
2006	Q1	11	0	28	2
	Q2	16	0	20	1
	Q3	3	0	18	1
	Q4	4	0	20	1
2007	Q1	9	0	15	2
	Q2	22	0	11	1
	Q3	8	0	6	2
	Q4	36	0	5	1
2008	Q1	56	0	12	0
	Q2	17	0	35	2
	Q3	43	0	21	0
p	Q4	5	0	55	2
Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year					
2008	Q4	-86.1	:	1,000.0	100.0

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: Not applicable

¹ Registered at Companies House (Scotland)

² See paragraph 7 of the Press Release "Notes to Editors" for changes wef 15 September 2003 under the Enterprise Act 2002

6. Insolvencies

Northern Ireland

not seasonally adjusted

Year	Individuals			Companies			
	Total	Bankruptcy Orders	Individual Voluntary Arrangements	Total	Compulsory Liquidations	Creditors' Voluntary Liquidations	
1999	573	401	172	..	58	..	
2000	616	349	267	..	83	..	
2001	468	292	176	..	60	..	
2002	541	334	207	102	49	53	
2003	835	517	318	142	95	47	
2004	1,115	666	449	121	76	45	
2005	1,454	821	633	138	85	53	
2006	1,809	1,035	774	128	78	50	
2007	1,338	898	440	164	122	42	
p 2008	1,638	1,079	559	209	158	51	
1999	Q1	147	110	37	..	16	..
	Q2	131	100	31	..	14	..
	Q3	108	68	40	..	14	..
	Q4	187	123	64	..	14	..
2000	Q1	202	104	98	..	22	..
	Q2	171	116	55	..	27	..
	Q3	110	54	56	..	15	..
	Q4	133	75	58	..	19	..
2001	Q1	137	86	51	..	16	..
	Q2	137	88	49	..	18	..
	Q3	79	37	42	..	11	..
	Q4	115	81	34	..	15	..
2002	Q1	121	74	47	24	12	12
	Q2	143	85	58	19	5	14
	Q3	121	74	47	33	17	16
	Q4	156	101	55	26	15	11
2003	Q1	146	90	56	37	30	7
	Q2	219	141	78	42	25	17
	Q3	205	109	96	29	19	10
	Q4	265	177	88	34	21	13
2004	Q1	253	155	98	35	19	16
	Q2	282	173	109	39	27	12
	Q3	286	165	121	28	20	8
	Q4	294	173	121	19	10	9
2005	Q1	302	174	128	29	15	14
	Q2	438	241	197	47	28	19
	Q3	320	193	127	31	19	12
	Q4	394	213	181	31	23	8
2006	Q1	408	245	163	29	19	10
	Q2	494	285	209	41	24	17
	Q3	425	241	184	28	15	13
	Q4	482	264	218	30	20	10
2007	Q1	343	218	125	36	29	7
	Q2	338	228	110	38	29	9
	Q3	338	227	111	42	28	14
	Q4	319	225	94	48	36	12
2008	Q1	330	226	104	42	37	5
	Q2	479	331	148	57	42	15
	Q3	386	229	157	44	27	17
	p Q4	443	293	150	66	52	14

Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year

2008	Q4	38.9	30.2	59.6	37.5	44.4	16.7
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7. Rate of company liquidations¹

Year		England & Wales		Scotland	
		% of Active Register	% of Total Register ²	% of Active Register	% of Total Register ²
1999	Q1	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.8
	Q2	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.7
	Q3	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.8
	Q4	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.7
2000	Q1	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
	Q2	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
	Q3	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
	Q4	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
2001	Q1	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
	Q2	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
	Q3	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.7
	Q4	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.7
2002	Q1	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8
	Q2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8
	Q3	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9
	Q4	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9
2003	Q1	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8
	Q2	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8
	Q3	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7
	Q4	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6
2004	Q1	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6
	Q2	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5
	Q3	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5
	Q4	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6
2005	Q1	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
	Q2	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
	Q3	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5
	Q4	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5
2006	Q1	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5
	Q2	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.4
	Q3	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.4
	Q4	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4
2007	Q1	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
	Q2	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
	Q3	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.4
	Q4	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4
2008	Q1	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3
	Q2	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3
	Q3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3
	p Q4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4

p provisional

¹ Calculated from company liquidations in the latest twelve month period divided by the average number of companies in that period. As from Q2 2008, register figures supplied by Companies House are counted at the end of each calendar month; previously they were monthly averages.

² The total register includes companies being wound up or dormant.