

## 2. Individual insolvencies England & Wales

Year	Not Seasonally Adjusted				Seasonally Adjusted <sup>3</sup>		
	Total	Bankruptcy Orders	Debt Relief Orders <sup>1</sup>	Individual Voluntary Arrangements <sup>2</sup>	Total	Bankruptcy Orders	Individual Voluntary Arrangements <sup>2</sup>
<b>1999</b>	28,806	21,611	:	7,195			
<b>2000</b>	29,528	21,550	:	7,978			
<b>2001</b>	29,775	23,477	:	6,298			
<b>2002</b>	30,587	24,292	:	6,295			
<b>2003</b>	35,604	28,021	:	7,583			
<b>2004</b>	46,650	35,898	:	10,752			
<b>2005</b>	67,584	47,291	:	20,293			
<b>2006</b>	107,288	62,956	:	44,332			
<b>2007</b>	106,645	64,480	:	42,165			
<b>2008</b>	106,544	67,428	:	39,116			
<b>1999</b>	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
<b>2000</b>	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
<b>2001</b>	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
<b>2002</b>	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
<b>2003</b>	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
<b>2004</b>	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
<b>2005</b>	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
<b>2006</b>	Q1 23,939	16,283	:	7,656	23,623	15,201	8,422
	Q2 26,722	15,489	:	11,233	26,398	15,276	11,122
	Q3 28,083	15,418	:	12,665	27,780	15,641	12,139
	Q4 28,544	15,766	:	12,778	29,487	16,837	12,650
<b>2007</b>	Q1 29,236	17,937	:	11,299	29,077	16,781	12,296
	Q2 27,327	16,489	:	10,838	27,045	16,451	10,594
	Q3 26,252	15,600	:	10,652	25,993	15,908	10,085
	Q4 23,830	14,454	:	9,376	24,530	15,340	9,190
<b>2008</b>	Q1 24,619	15,814	:	8,805	25,031	15,452	9,579
	Q2 25,966	16,373	:	9,593	24,998	15,568	9,430
	Q3 27,488	17,237	:	10,251	27,214	17,447	9,767
	Q4 28,471	18,004	:	10,467	29,301	18,961	10,341
<b>2009</b>	Q1 30,253	20,446	:	9,807	29,857	19,062	10,795
	Q2 33,073	18,870	1,978	12,225	:	:	r 11,947
	p Q3 35,242	18,347	4,505	12,390	:	:	11,837
<b>Percentage change, latest quarter on previous quarter</b>							
<b>2009</b>	Q3	6.6	-2.8	127.8	1.3	:	-0.9
<b>Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year</b>							
<b>2009</b>	Q3	28.2	6.4	:	20.9	:	21.2

p Provisional.

r Not applicable

r Revised, reflecting routine updates to the seasonally adjusted series.

<sup>1</sup> Debt Relief Orders (DROs) came into effect on 6 April 2009 as an alternative route into personal insolvency. See "Notes to Editors" paragraph 12.

<sup>2</sup> Including Deeds of Arrangement

<sup>3</sup> The series for bankruptcy orders is only seasonally adjusted up to Q1 2009; see "Notes to Editors" paragraph 13.