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Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot

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Project Overview

The Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector study was commissioned by Nottingham City Council on behalf of the Midlands Energy Hub, sponsored by the Department of Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS), and its stakeholders across the Midlands including the Local Enterprise Partnerships (LEPs) and Local Authorities.

The study was commissioned in November 2020 and awarded to kMatrix Data Services Ltd and Sustainability West Midlands, with the aim of understanding the current state of the sector, where support is needed to help grow the sector across the Midlands from a Local Authority level to a regional level and the role the sector can play to drive a low-carbon recovery from Covid-19.

The UK has a clear commitment to clean growth, where the economy continues to grow while reducing greenhouse gas emissions. The commitments are set out in the Industrial Strategy and the Clean Growth Strategy. The UK has a strong record of clean growth, cutting carbon emissions by 42% between 1990 and 2015, while experiencing a 67% increase in GDP during the same period, in contrast to the G7 emissions reduction of 3% and GDP increase of 61%¹. This has been achieved through a variety of strategies including improved energy efficiency, increased recycling of waste products and improved automobile engine technology, with the largest contribution in reduction of emissions from the decarbonisation of power. The UK now has the largest installed offshore wind capacity in the world².

Although the UK is arguably a world leader in clean growth, there is an ongoing need for further development across multiple sectors to deliver on the low carbon economy commitments both local and central government are pursuing. LEPs in the Midlands are fully cognizant of the need to support and further develop the green economy, as set out in their Energy Strategies and Local Industrial Strategies.

The study is grounded in evidenced data provided by the kMatrix big data analytical tool, which has been used to inform the nature of the sector across the Midlands region, in a number of sub-sectors. The data has been used alongside desk research, documentation review, stakeholder engagement and collaboration with partners and the awarding authority to produce a series of reports constituting an evidence base of both quantitative and qualitative evidence. This evidence not only informs policy recommendations as an integral part of the study, but also acts as a baseline from which progress can be measured post Covid-19 and into the future.

The study involved the production of a quantitative evidence base led by kMatrix and a qualitative evidence-base led by Sustainability West Midlands with findings from each workstream enriching the evidence of the other. By full collaboration between partners, the project steering group and stakeholders, the evidence base produced by the project delivers a comprehensive overview of the LCEGS market, with detailed information at the LEP and Local Authority levels. The wider relevance to the green recovery and national commitment to net zero by 2050 have been considered throughout the work and are integral to the policy recommendations and growth forecasts made during the study.



¹https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/700496/ clean-growth-strategy-correction-april-2018.pdf

² https://gwec.net/global-figures/global-offshore/

Report Introduction

This report is one of a series which quantify the LCEGS sector for the MEH as a region and from the perspective of the nine LEPs which comprise the MEH. The data in this report are produced using the kMatrix Big Data Analytical Tool, with full methodology paper delivered to the MEH.

The MEH Regional analysis of the LCEGS sector, at the Local Authority level is available in a separate report. The data in this report is specifically for the Leicester and Leicestershire Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) and constituent Local Authorities. The reason for this delineation is the presence of some Local Authorities in more than one LEP, for example Hinckley and Bosworth is served by both Coventry and Warwick LEP and Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Likewise Bromsgrove, Redditch and Wyre Forest are all served by both Greater Birmingham and Solihull LEP and Worcestershire LEP. The purpose of the data at the LEP-level is to provide the individual LEPs with a snapshot of the LCEGS sector within the geographical area they serve, regardless of whether the Local Authorities within their boundaries are also served by other LEPs. To avoid the issue of double counting, the data at the Regional and LEP-level have been segregated, except for limited LEP-level data being available in the Regional report for growth rate comparison.

Alongside the data evidence-base is a qualitative evidence base including literature review and stakeholder engagement with 1-2-1 interviews and workshops. Both the data produced by kMatrix and the qualitative findings of Sustainability West Midlands have fed into the research and production of all reports.

The full list of reports available through this project include:

- Midlands Region Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Black Country Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services
 Market Snapshot
- Coventry and Warwick Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Greater Birmingham and Solihull Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Greater Lincolnshire Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Leicester and Leicestershire Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Marches Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Stoke and Staffordshire Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Worcestershire Local Enterprise Partnership Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Market Snapshot
- Midlands Energy Hub Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Covid Impact Report
- Literature review & excel spreadsheet
- Stakeholder report
- Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Recommendations Report
- Midlands Energy Growth Forecast, Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services Growth Forecast for Net Zero 2030 and 2050



Local Authorities within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP

This report includes local authority-level data, to allow deep disaggregation within the LEP area. For clarity of data visualization, the names of many local authorities have been shortened. The formal names and shortened labels of the local authorities within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP are listed below:

Formal name	Shortened label
Blaby DC	Blaby
Charnwood BC	Charnwood
Harborough DC	Harborough
Hinckley & Bosworth BC	Hinckley & Bosworth
Leicester City C	Leicester
Melton BC	Melton
North West Leicestershire DC	North West Leicestershire
Oadby & Wigston DC	Oadby & Wigston



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Executive Summary

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services (LCEGS) sector was worth £2.8bn to the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's economy in 2019/20, as indicated by the value of sales in the sector. These sales were generated by over 1,000 businesses that employed over 21,000 people in the sector in 2019/20.

Sales and growth

The Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP grew year on year since 2017/18. In 2017/18 total sales in the sector were worth £2.5bn and have now reached £2.8bn in 2019/20.

The sector in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP grew by 4.1% during the financial year 2017/18 to 2018/19 and 4.6% during 2018/19 to 2019/20. This rate of growth is slower than both the MEH average (5.2% and 5.9% respectively) and the UK average for the same period (10.0% and 8.1% respectively), however, the fast rate of growth in London raises the UK average.

Employment

Employment in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector in 2019/20 was 21,437, up from 20,089 in 2017/18. Annual growth rate in employment was 3.0% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 3.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20. This rate of growth is slower than both the MEH average (5.7% and 5.0% respectively) and the UK average for the same period (9.4% and 7.3% respectively) however, the fast rate of growth in London raises the UK average.

Companies

The number of companies in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector in 2019/20 was 1,022, up from 982 in 2017/18. Annual growth rate in the number of companies was 0.5% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 3.5% between 2018/19 and 2019/20. This rate of growth is slower than both the MEH average (3.7% and 6.9% respectively) and the UK average for the same period (9.3% and 10.3% respectively) however, the fast rate of growth in London raises the UK average.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's sub-sectors

In 2019/20 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector was made up by the following proportions: Renewable Energy 41%, Low Carbon 37% and Environmental 22%.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's sub-sector strengths

The four largest sub-sectors in the Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector by sales account for 56% of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's total sales and are made up of:

- Wind (£474m) this includes control systems development and manufacture, drive train development, manufacture and systems integration, consulting houses and companies providing power firming systems and services, maintenance services and grid integration services.
- Building Technologies (£394m) this includes head office functions, building systems design and consultancy and building systems providers and installers.



- Alternative Fuels (£384m) this includes R&D functions, alternative fuel providers, designers and consultancy, process implementation, sales and accounting and application development specialists.
- Photovoltaic (£296m) this includes head office functions, systems developers, providers and installers.

The next seven largest sub-sectors by sales account for a further 40% of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's total sales and are made up of:

- Water & Waste Water Treatment (£212m) development and implementation by utilities along with supply, consultancy and implementation by independent consulting engineers
- Biomass (£211m) this includes systems development, supply, implementation and R&D
- Waste Management (£188m) this includes process development and new process implementation and consulting, public and private operations management and supply and installation of operational equipment.
- Recovery and Recycling (£155m) this includes waste collection, glass stock processing and paper feedstock processing.
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle (£154m) include selling agencies, alternative fuel development companies and consulting and applications development for vehicle conversion specialists.
- Geothermal (£122m) this includes branch office functions, design, international consultancy, lateral geothermal systems providers and installers at the domestic and small commercial level and vertical control systems developers and suppliers.
- Energy Management (£61m) this includes registered gas engineers, measurement and control systems and fitting and maintenance.

Sub-sector growth

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's four largest sub-sectors by sales have all enjoyed high levels of growth in sales, number of employees and number of companies between 2017/18 and 2019/20:

- Wind sales have grown from £437m to £474m (8.6%), number of employees by 6.4% and number of companies by 3.6%
- Building Technologies sales have grown from £362m to £394m (9.0%), number of employees by 6.8% and number of companies by 4.3%
- Alternative Fuels sales have grown from £353m to £384m (8.9% increase), number of employees by 6.9% and number of companies by 4.5%
- Photovoltaic sales have grown from £272m to £296m (8.8% increase), number of employees by 6.7% and number of companies by 4.7%

Sub-sectors which saw stronger growth than the UK average between 2017/18 and 2019/20 include:

- Hydro with 9.5% (MEH 11.0%, UK 1.8%)
- Contaminated Land Reclamation and Remediation with 9.0% (MEH 11.4%, UK 1.0%)
- Energy Management with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.7%)
- Air Pollution with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.8%)
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.7%)

Sub-sectors which saw weaker growth than the UK average between 2017/18 and 2019/20 include:

- Environmental Consultancy with 8.9% (MEH 11.3%, UK 16.8%)
- Environmental Monitoring with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK12.2%)
- Marine Pollution Control with 8.7% (MEH 11.4%, UK 12.7%)
- Noise & Vibration Control with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 23.3%)
- Recovery & Recycling with 9.0% (MEH 11.3%, UK 13.7%)
- Waste Management with 8.7% (MEH 11.2%, UK 12.6%)



- Water & Waste Water Treatment with 9.0% (MEH 11.3%, UK 12.7%)
- Additional Energy Sources with 8.7% (MEH 11.3%, UK 15.9%)
- Alternative Fuels with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 13.8%)
- Building Technologies with 9.0% (MEH 11.5%, UK 13.7%)
- Carbon Capture & Storage with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 19.0%)
- Biomass with 8.7% (MEH 11.3%, UK 28.2%)
- Geothermal with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 18.8%)
- Photovoltaic with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 24.3%)
- Wave & Tidal with 8.5% (MEH 11.2%, UK 24.9%)
- Wind with 8.6% (MEH 11.3%, UK 42.2%)

Investment in R&D

Investment in R&D within Leicester and Leicestershire LEP grew in all three categories of investment between 2017/18 and 2019/20:

- Private Equity Investment in R&D grew 10.2% from £126m in 2017/18 to £139m in 2019/20
- Venture capital Investment in R&D grew 4.1% from £258m in 2017/18 to £269m in 2019/20
- Other Investment in R&D grew 9.3% from £382m in 2017/18 to £417m in 2019/20

Sub-sector Strengths and Weaknesses

Sub-sector strengths include:

- Energy Management has stronger growth than the UK and above average market size.
- Contaminated Land has a significantly stronger growth than the UK average, but below average market size.
- Hydro has a significantly stronger growth than the UK average, but below average market size.
- Waste Management has weaker growth than the UK, but significantly above average market size.
- Photovoltaic has weaker growth than the UK, but significantly above average market size.
- Water & Waste Water Treatment has weaker growth than the UK, but significantly above average market size.
- Biomass has weaker growth than the UK, but significantly above average market size.
- Building Technologies has weaker growth than the UK, but slightly above average market size.
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle has a stronger growth than the UK average, but below average market size.
- Air Pollution has a stronger growth than the UK average, but slightly below average market size.

Sub-Sector weaknesses include:

- Geothermal has weaker growth than the UK and below average market size.
- Wave & Tidal has weaker growth than the UK and below average market size.

Scalability of sub-sectors

Scalability of the sub-sectors within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP is variable and when combined with GVA, strengths include:

- Building Technologies with very high Scalability and very high GVA (stronger position than the MEH average)
- Wind with high GVA and High Scalability (stronger position than the MEH average)
- Alternative Fuels with high GVA and High Scalability
- Photovoltaic with high GVA and high Scalability (stronger position than the MEH average)



- Renewable Energy General Consultancy with high Scalability but small GVA
- Environmental Monitoring, Instrumentation and Analysis high Scalability but small GVA (stronger position than the MEH average)
- Biomass with good GVA and good Scalability (stronger position than the MEH average)
- Geothermal with good GVA and good Scalability (stronger position than the MEH average)

Skills Shortages

The skills and employment estimates are based on the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC).

Sector shortages

The skills shortage for the LCEGS sector for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP being 8.6% (MEH 8.7%).

Significant skills gaps are present within some SOC's with large numbers of employees:

- Production Engineers 34.5% (MEH 35.7%)
- Power Distribution Engineers 30.1% (MEH 29.8%)
- Technicians 22.0% (MEH 22.2%)

Insignificant skills gaps are present within some SOC's with large numbers of employees:

- General Semi-skilled Worker 2.1% (MEH 2.1%)
- Maintenance Engineer 6.2% (MEH 6.3%)
- Specialist or Consultant 3.2% (MEH 3.3%)
- Administrative Workers 2.1% (MEH 2.1%)

Level 1 shortages

Skills shortages within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP at Level 1:

- Low Carbon 10.6% (MEH 10.5%)
- Renewable Energy 6.9% (MEH 7.0%)
- Environmental 10.3% (MEH 10.3%)

Skills gaps vary between SOC's for different Level 1 and Level 2 sub-sectors, for example: Production Engineers:

- Low Carbon 45.2% (MEH 47.3%)
- Renewable Energy 27.6% (MEH 27.9%)
- Environmental 34.2% (MEH 34.9%)

Power Distribution Engineers:

- Low Carbon 34.9% (MEH 33.7%)
- Renewable Energy 27.4% (MEH 27.1%)
- Environmental 32.6% (MEH 32.6%)

Technicians:

- Low Carbon 27.9% (MEH 27.9%)
- Renewable Energy 17.3% (MEH 17.3%)
- Environmental 22.8% (22.9%)



Estimated Employment Requirements to Reach Net Zero by 2030 and 2050

Estimated growth in employees for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP to reach zero by 2030:

- Worst-case scenario for the UK economy is 20.5% (MEH 20.3%)
- Best-case scenario for the UK economy is 58.1% (MEH 57.9%)

Estimated growth in employees for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP to reach zero by 2050:

- Worst-case scenario for the UK economy is 86.0% (MEH 86.0%)
- Best-case scenario for the UK economy is 342.7% (MEH 342.4%)

Growth requirements for SOC's vary between Level 1 and Level 2 subsectors, for example the estimated growth requirement to reach net zero, best-case scenario for the UK economy: Production Engineers:

- Low Carbon 19.0% (MEH 17.0%)
- Renewable Energy 34.9% (MEH 34.5%)
- Environmental 27.5% (MEH 27.0%)

Power Distribution Engineers:

- Low Carbon 26.6% (MEH 28.1%)
- Renewable Energy 35.4% (MEH 35.1%)
- Environmental 29.2% (MEH 29.3%)

Technicians:

- Low Carbon 33.2% (MEH 34.2%)
- Renewable Energy 45.4% (MEH 45.9%)
- Environmental 39.5% (MEH 39.6%)

Current Training Provision and Potential for Upskilling the Workforce

Strengths in the current training provision compared with the potential upskilling of the workforce in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP include:

- Noise & Vibration Control with very good training capacity and strong potential for upskilling
- Building Technologies with good training capacity and upskilling potential
- Water and Waste Water Treatment with good training capacity

Weaknesses in the current training provision compared with the potential upskilling of the workforce in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP include:

- Alternative Fuels with very high upskilling potential but lower training capacity
- Photovoltaic with strong potential for upskilling but poor training capacity
- Waste Management strong potential for upskilling but poor training capacity

Potential of Level 2 sub-sectors to impact on CO₂ reduction.

Sub-sectors with a high estimated CO₂ reduction impact include:

- Wind with large market and high estimated potential impact
- Building Technologies with large market and average estimated potential impact
- Alternative Fuels with large market and average estimated potential impact
- Photovoltaic with above average estimated potential impact and good market

Sub-sectors with a low estimated CO₂ reduction impact include:

• Environmental Consultancy with low estimated potential impact and small market



Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Exports

The value of exports in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector in 2019/20 was £292m, an increase from £268m in 2017/18. This accounted for 10% of the MEH's LCEGS exports in 2019/20 and is in line with Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's 10% share of the overall MEH LCEGS market.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS exports grew by 3.0% and 5.6% over the last three years which compared with MEH growth of 4.5% and 6.2% and UK growth of approximately 8.7% and 9.5% respectively.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's top Export sub-sectors which saw large export market and strong growth include:

- Building Technologies £41m
- Wind £52m
- Waste Management £19m
- Energy Management £6m
- Photovoltaic £32m
- Alternative Fuels £40m
- Biomass £22m
- Geothermal £13m
- Recovery and Recycling £16m
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle £16m

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Imports

The value of imports in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services sector in 2019/20 was £269m, an increase from £255m in 2017/18. This accounted for 10% of the MEH's LCEGS imports in 2019/20 and is in line with the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's 10% share of the overall MEH LCEGS market.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS imports grew by 1.4% and 4.0% over the last three years which compared with MEH growth of 5.8% and 5.9% and UK growth of approximately 10.0% and 7.4% respectively.



Introduction to the Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services Sector

This section includes a summary definition of the Low Carbon Environmental Goods Services sector, followed by a detailed description of the dataset that sits behind the data analysis and detail regarding the types of activities measured.

Summary Sector Definition

The Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services sector comprises products and services from across the economy, which actively enable a shift towards a green economy. The LCEGS sector is considered an 'umbrella' or horizontal sector, crossing many other traditional sectors, counting products and services from those sectors which can reduce carbon emissions and improve the environment:



The sector is comprised of both core elements and those in the chain and network of supply, without whom the sector could not function.

Brief Methodology

kMatrix uses a unique data triangulation methodology, developed with Professor R. Jaikumar of Harvard University over 35 years ago.

The process was originally developed to look at individual companies, providing evidenced data for development. As such, sectors are classified from the 'bottom up', collecting activities from the most finite level of granulation and grouping them into successive levels of detail.





Example of bottom-up approach to classification - LCEGS Taxonomy

This is quite different to the National Statistical Approach, which classifies from the 'top down', with a company choosing their 2-digit code, then successive codes down through the classification system. The SIC system is very good as a national accounting system, but it struggles with hard to measure sectors such LCEGS. Here, the kMatrix system of data collection, which triangulates transactional data from many sources, up to 70,000 for this study, provides the flexibility of a definition tailored to the sector being studied. Although the sector is classified from the bottom up, the sector taxonomy is reported from the sector level down, through a series of levels of complexity.

This process has measured the LCEGS sector for the Greater London Authority and the UK for over a decade. kMatrix also collaborate with academic colleagues in several fields, co-authoring academic papers, which are peer-reviewed and published in academic journals including Nature, Climate Services and the Lancet.

Example sectors the process has been applied to, where evidence is available in the public domain via clients publishing reports or published peer-reviewed academic journals include:

- Cyber Security: <u>https://www.eunity-project.eu/m/filer_public/4b/62/4b6262dc-3bca-4145-a84b-</u> <u>b514049156ce/1_lsec_japan_eunity_ecso_wg2_cima_seldeslachts_ulrich_20190124881.pdf</u>
- Low carbon environmental goods and services sector: <u>https://www.london.gov.uk/sites/default/files/london_low_carbon_market_snapshot_-</u> <u>2019.pdf</u> and <u>https://www.enterprisem3.org.uk/sites/default/files/2020-02/Hampshire-LCEGS-Market-</u> <u>Report-2015-16-to-2017-18-2nd-Draft_0.pdf</u>
- The green Economy: <u>https://rgs-ibg.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/pdf/10.1002/geo2.36</u> and <u>https://www.nature.com/articles/s41599-019-0329-3</u>
- Adaptation economy: <u>https://www.nature.com/articles/nclimate2944</u>
- Carbon Finance: https://www.nature.com/articles/nclimate1492?draft=marketing
- Weather and Climate: <u>https://advances.sciencemag.org/content/3/5/e1602632.full</u>
- Climate Services:
 <u>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2405880719300494?via%3Dihub</u>



The LCEGS Dataset

The data used in this report is based upon the work and methodology used by kMatrix to provide datasets on the UK's Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services (LCEGS) sector for UK Government reported annually by the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (BIS) from 2008/09 to 2011/12 and further reported every 3 years for the UK and London by the Greater London Authority to 2017/18, representing a continuous annual timeseries of the LCEGS sector for over a decade.

The LCEGS sector has been defined using 24 sub-sectors (or Level 2 markets) grouped into three broad categories (or Level 1 markets) - Environmental, Renewable Energy and Low Carbon. The addition of the Renewable Energy and Low Carbon groupings illustrates the evolution of the current LCEGS sector definition from its original Environmental roots and reflects developments in the market as sectors across the economy evolve to address the environmental challenges that they and the world is facing.

The dataset measures the core activities of the sector along with those in the supply chain, without whom the LCEGS sector could not operate. For example, the Wind sector includes those companies which develop the systems integration software enabling the power generated though turbines to be integrated into the National Grid, but it also includes those companies installing and maintaining the system integration software itself. Another example would be the collection of household waste, where the collection, processing and recycling of the waste is included, along with those companies who design, manufacture and supply the waste collection equipment itself.

The time series provides 11 years of sales, companies and employment data and 10 years of growth rates for the LCEGS sector as a whole. The data is then broken down into three Level 1 sub-sectors (Low Carbon, Environmental and Renewable Energy) and then those three sub-sectors are split into further Level 2 sub-sectors to provide greater resolution and insights for analysing the data.

The kMatrix methodology is based around the production of a taxonomy, similar to that used for biological taxonomic ranking, with similar products and services being grouped together. As an illustration (provided below), the LCEGS sector is broken down into three Level 1 sub-sectors, one of which is Renewable Energy, which is in turn broken down into seven Level 2 sub-sectors, one of which is Wind that is then broken down into a further three Level 3 sub-sectors and so on:

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Although the taxonomy is reported and organised 'top down' as it goes from the sector to Level 1, to Level 2 etc., the data is gathered and organised from the 'bottom up'. The data is collected at the most finite disaggregation and then 'rolled up' to form the different levels. The current LCEGS sector definition, used in this report, includes 2,800 product and service activities at level 5 that are derived from sector supply chain activities (componentry & assemblies) and value chain activities (R&D, Supply & Training).

A glossary of economic activities included for each sub-sector of LCEGS is included as Appendix 1, a brief explanation of the LCEGS methodology as Appendix 2 and then a high-level comparison of data and methodologies between the Office of National Statistics (ONS) Environmental Goods and Services sector and LCEGS is presented in Appendix 3.

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What is actually measured?

The dataset measures the core activities of the sector along with enabling activities in the supply chain, without whom the LCEGS sector could not operate. For example, the Wind sector includes those companies which develop the systems integration software enabling the power generated though turbines to be integrated into the National Grid, but it also includes those companies installing and maintaining the system integration software itself. Another example would be the collection of household waste, where the collection, processing and recycling of the waste is included, along with those companies who design, manufacture and supply the waste collection equipment itself.

The purpose of the LCEGS dataset in its original form, is to provide a standardized measure of the complete LCEGS sector. The whole dataset includes those 'core' activities, which would immediately come to mind such as the manufacture of a wind turbine blade, but also the less obvious 'non-core' activities, such as the manufacture of the bearings for the turbine. Non-Core activities can be considered "enablers" for the Core sector and are often companies who have diversified from existing strengths into new sector activities. Non-core activities also include mid-stream activities, R&D, finance, training and other activities which cross multiple other sectors, but without which the LCEGS sector could not function.



The definition of a sector is almost always open to debate, in terms of what is, or is not, considered to be part of the sector in question. The kMatrix methodology includes all aspects that can realistically be considered part of the LCEGS sector. The taxonomy is built and interrogated by assembling activities and services which are then grouped together under different headings. From the example taxonomy in figure 1, seven level 2 activities are grouped together to form the Renewable Energy Level 1 heading. There are five levels in total, comprising approximately 2,800 activities.

The following picture illustrates the two distinctive sides of the LCEGS market, the smaller Core market and the much larger Non-Core market, provided by enablers within the LCEGS sector. Examples give a simplistic overview of the types and differences between activities, with the Core side including activities such as manufacture of wind turbines and building insulation materials. The enablers providing Non-Core activities are offering components that are non-sector specific, such as valves, gaskets, drive chains etc., alongside financial, legal and administration activities.

In essence, Core activities are those products and services which are generally LCEGS specific, whereas the Non-Core activities, provided by enablers are products and services which are not LCEGS specific and can generally be found in other sectors. Core activities are considered vertical in nature, being sector specific, whereas Non-Core activities are horizontal, crossing other sectors. Both sides of the market are required for the sector to function.





The economic values provided are Sales values, which are transactions made within the sector, which have an economic footprint that can be measured. For companies which service multiple sectors, for example in finance, the sales value is the value of sales that company has in the LCEGS market, it does not include finance sales into other sectors.

The complexity of determining the potential contribution to net zero

Understanding the potential contribution of each sub-sector to net zero targets (2030 & 2050) is important in identifying where priority markets lie for reaching those goals. Although the LCEGS sector entails low carbon and renewable energy technologies, they are not all equal in terms of their own carbon footprints or their ability to impact on net zero targets.

When assessing the potential for each Level 2 sub-sector to contribute to net-zero, there are a number of factors to consider, including:

- The embodied carbon of the product, is the carbon footprint to make the product, increasing throughout the supply chain and across geographies
- The carbon emissions during transportation, installation and commissioning of a product
- The emissions produced during operational lifetime of a product
- The emissions produced during decommissioning, dismantling and recovery of materials
- The localisation and format of the chain and network of supply



Academia varies with regards to estimating the carbon footprint of products, for example, photovoltaic systems produce almost zero carbon emissions when in operation, however carbon emissions are produced during the manufacturing process. Life cycle analysis of renewable energy systems, quantifying the carbon emissions of photovoltaic systems, report a wide range of carbon emissions factors. This is partly due to different methodologies and associated assumptions or design considerations³.

There are also variations in carbon emissions within industries, for example, the life cycle carbon emissions from both on- and off-shore wind are very low at 15 and 12 gCO₂eq/kWh⁴. The carbon emissions reduction of wind power cannot be solely estimated as being the value of carbon emissions displaced from coal- or gas-fired generation. Wind power is not carbon-zero, because greenhouse gases are emitted during installation, maintenance and decommissioning and wind power will not replace all forms of conventional generation equally and will depend on the operation of the whole grid. Variations in cost and carbon emissions estimates are affected by assumptions made in the calculation itself and the differences in wind turbine designs, manufacturing and installations locations, maintenance and disposal.

When the embodied emissions for each material involved in manufacture, transport to site and installation are quantified, higher rated turbines had greater embodied carbon emissions, with a 3 MW turbine incorporating 1046 tCO2eq, compared with only 58 tCO2eq for an 80 kW turbine. However, the greater electricity output from the larger turbines offset these emissions more quickly, with a recovery of 6 days for a 3.4 MW turbine, compared with 354 days for a 100kW one.⁵ Renewable energy generation is clean when compared with conventional energy generation methods, however the cost, payback time, size of power generation, construction time, resource capacity, characteristics of resource, external funding and other factors have affected how quickly different technologies have been adopted and the subsequent relative sizes of each market. The size of each market, corresponding to the carbon emissions displaced from conventional energy generation methods differs, as does the lifecycle carbon footprint of each renewable energy subsector.

Building Technologies are hugely important in terms of decarbonisation potential. An estimated 37% of UK emissions are attributable to heat⁶, so building technologies such as roof and wall insulation, insulative glazing and other technologies designed to prevent the loss of heat can indirectly lead to reduction in energy usage and carbon emissions. As for the renewable energy subsector, the reductions in carbon emissions through a decrease in energy consumption, must offset

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/766109/ decarbonising-heating.pdf



³ Nian, V (2016) Impacts of changing design considerations on the life cycle carbon emissions of solar photovoltaic systems. J. Applied Energy 183 (2016) 1471-1487 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.apenergy.2016.08.176

⁴ https://www.climatexchange.org.uk/media/1459/life_cycle_wind_-_executive_summary_.pdf

⁵ Smoucha EA, Fitzpatrick K, Buckingham S, Knox OGG (2016) Life Cycle Analysis of the Embodied Carbon Emissions from 14 Wind Turbines with Rated Powers between 50 Kw and 3.4 Mw. J Fundam Renewable Energy Appl 6: 211. doi:10.4172/20904541.1000211

⁶ Clean Growth – Transforming Heating, Overview of Current Evidence, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, December 2018

any embodied carbon and those emissions associated with transportation, installation, those produced during usage, maintenance and 'end-of-life' recovery of materials.

In terms of sub-sectors within the Environmental Level 1 sub-sector, the carbon footprint of Water and Waste Water Treatment may be decreased dramatically by the usage of forward osmosis membrane-technology during the next generation of waste water treatment⁷.

Within Waste Management, the collection, re-use and recycling of the 2 Mt of waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) produced in the UK each year has become a foremost environmental issue in the UK⁸, where efforts are undergoing to increase the levels and efficiency of recycling. Each sub-sector within the LCEGS sector has the potential to play their part in the move towards net zero, but as indicated above, the relative impact they may have varies both between sub-sectors and between academics attempting to quantify current levels.

For this study, the level 2 sub-sectors have been allocated a relative impact score of "Low", "Medium" and "High", based upon estimates including the activities present in the area being studied, the localization of chains and networks and supply and the technologies both being used and produced.

⁸ Clarke C, Williams I, Turner D, (2019) Evaluating the carbon footprint of WEE management in the UK. J Resources, Conservation & Recycling 141 (2019) 465-473



⁷ Environ. Sci.: Water Res. Technol., 2020, 6, 153

1. Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services (LCEGS) Analysis

This section of the report analyses the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS at Level 1 and Level 2. It also provides information at Level 3 to show the type of activities included in these sub-sectors.

1.1 LCEGS Compared by Year

In this section of the report, the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS performance is compared for the last three years for the three key measures of Sales, Employment and Growth.



Figure 2: Employment 2017/18 to 2019/20



Figure 3: Companies 2017/18 to 2019/20



Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS sales in 2019/20 were £2.8bn, up from £2.5bn in 2017/18.

Annual sales growth in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS was 4.1% from 2017/18 to 2018/19 and 4.6% from 2018/19 to 2019/20.

In comparison MEH Regional sales growth in LCEGS was 5.2% and 5.9% respectively.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS employment in 2019/20 was 21,437, up from 20,089 in 2017/18.

Annual employment growth in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS was 3.0% from 2017/18 to 2018/19 and 3.6% from 2018/19 to 2019/20.

In comparison MEH Regional employment growth in LCEGS was 5.7% and 5.0% respectively.

Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS company count in 2019/20 was 1,022, up from 982 in 2017/18.

Annual company growth in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS was 0.5% from 2017/18 to 2018/19 and 3.5% from 2018/19 to 2019/20.

In comparison MEH Regional company growth in LCEGS was 3.7% and 6.9% respectively.

Growth in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP has been lower across each of the three parameters between 2017/18 and 2019/20 when compared with the MEH Region as a whole.



1.2 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS at Level 1

The analysis in this section of the report focuses on the Level 1 and Level 2 split of LCEGS in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP for each of the last three years.



Figure 4 shows the three-year LCEGS sales split by Level 1.

In 2017/18 the split was 41% Renewable Energy, 37% Low Carbon and 22% Environmental. The split had not changed in 2019/20.

Figure 5: Employment 2017/18 to 2019/20 (Level 1)



Figure 5 shows the three-year employment split by Level 1.

In 2017/18 the split was 41% Renewable Energy, 37% Low Carbon and 22% Environmental. The split had not changed in 2019/20.

Figure 6: Companies 2017/18 to 2019/20 (Level 1)



Figure 6 shows the three-year company split by Level 1.

In 2017/18 the split was 41% Renewable Energy, 37% Low Carbon and 23% Environmental. The split had not changed in 2019/20.

In 2019/20 MEH Regional LCEGS sales was split - Renewable Energy 39%, Low Carbon 39% and Environmental 22%.



1.3 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Level 1 - Low Carbon Market

In this section we look at the Low Carbon market in greater detail. Initially we split the market into eight further sub-sectors (Level 2) and then look at the highest performing Level 2 sub-sectors in more detail by highlighting activity happening within them at Level 3.

1.3.1 Low Carbon Market (Level 2)



Low Carbon is further sub-divided into eight sub-sectors, of which four account for 97% of sales (Figure 7). These four are made up of Building Technologies 38%, Alternative Fuels 37%, Alternative Fuel Vehicle 15% and Energy Management 6%.

Each of these four sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Building Technologies from £361.7m to £394.4m; Alternative Fuels from £353.0m to £384.4m; Alternative Fuel Vehicle from £141.1m to £153.6m and Energy Management from £55.9m to £60.9m.



Figure 8: Employment 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same four sub-sectors account for 97% of employment (Figure 8). They are Building Technologies 38%, Alternative Fuels 37%, Alternative Fuel Vehicle 15% and Energy Management 6%.

Each of these four sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Building Technologies from 2,851 to 3,045; Alternative Fuels from 2,787 to 2,980; Alternative Fuel Vehicle from 1,116 to 1,190 and Energy Management from 444 to 474.





Figure 9: Companies 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same four sub-sectors again account for 97% of companies (Figure 9). They are Building Technologies 39%, Alternative Fuels 37%, Alternative Fuel Vehicle 15% and Energy Management 6%.

Each of these four sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Building Technologies from 139 to 145; Alternative Fuels from 133 to 139; Alternative Fuel Vehicle from 54 to 57 and Energy Management from 21 to 22.



2.3.2 Low Carbon Market at Level 3

		Sales £m	# Companies	# Employees
	Alternative Fuels (main Stream) for Vehicles Only	98.8	36	768
	Other Fuels and Vehicles	54.8	21	422
Alternative Fuel Vehic	le			
Alternative Fuels	Batteries Bio Fuels Alternative for Vehicles Only Main Stream Bio Fuels Other Bio Fuels Other Fuels	14.9 8.3 74.4 254.4 32.4	5 3 26 92 12	116 64 581 250
Building Technologies	Doors	99.1	34	769
	Insulation and Heat Retention Materials	62.2	23	486
	Monitoring and Control Systems	69.7	26	540
	Windows	163.1	61	1,250
Energy Management	Consulting, Education & Training	7.7	3	60
	Energy Saving Electrical Equipment	9.1	3	71
	Energy Saving Heating & Ventilation Equipment	9.2	3	71
	Energy Saving Lighting Equipment	12.1	4	94
	Gas Supply	17.2	6	135

Figure 10: Summary of selected metrics for 2019/20 for selected Low Carbon Level 2 sub-sectors at Level 3

The top four Level 2 sub-sectors for Low Carbon are Alternative Fuel Vehicle, Alternative Fuels, Building Technologies and Energy Management, making up 97% of the Low Carbon market in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Figure 10 shows a summary of the Sales, Companies and Employees for these Level 2 sub-sectors, broken out into their Level 3 sub-sectors.

Building Technologies is the largest Level 2 sub-sector and Windows is the largest of the four Level 3 sub-sectors, making up 41% of the market. Example companies in this sub-sector would include window manufacturers, agents and installers.

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Alternative Fuels has five sub-sectors at level 3, of which, Other Biofuels accounts for 66% of Sales. Example companies of this sub-sector would include process designers and consultancy, process implementation and sales and application development specialists.

Alternative Fuel Vehicles has only two sub-sectors at level 3, with Alternative Fuels (main stream) for Vehicles Only holding 64% of the market share. Example companies in this sub-sector would include selling agencies, alternative fuel development companies and consulting and applications development for vehicle conversion specialists.

Energy Management has six sub-sectors at level 3, with Gas Supply holding 25% of the market share. Example companies in this sub-sector would include registered gas engineers, measurement and control systems and fitting and maintenance.



1.4 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Level 1 - Renewable Energy Market

In this section we look at the Renewable Energy market in greater detail. Initially we split the market into eight further sub-sectors, Level 2, and then look at the highest performing Level 2 sub-sectors in more detail by highlighting activity happening within them at Level 3.

1.4.1 Renewable Energy Market at Level 2





Renewable Energy is then split into seven sub-sectors, of which four account for 98% of sales (Figure 11). These four are made up of Wind 42%, Photovoltaic 26%, Biomass 19% and Geothermal 11%.

Each of these four sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Wind from £436.5m to £473.9m; Photovoltaic from £271.7m to £295.5m; Biomass from £193.9m to £210.8m and Geothermal from £112.2m to £122.1m.



Figure 12: Employment 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same four sub-sectors account for 98% of employment (Figure 12). They are made up of Wind 42%, Photovoltaic 26%, Biomass 19% and Geothermal 11%.

Each of these four sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Wind from 3,447 to 3,670; Photovoltaic from 2,150 to 2,293; Biomass from 1,525 to 1,624 and Geothermal from 886 to 945.





Figure 13: Companies 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same four sub-sectors also account for 98% of companies (Figure 13). They are made up of Wind 42%, Photovoltaic 27%, Biomass 19% and Geothermal 11%.

Each of these four sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Wind from 167 to 173; Photovoltaic from 106 to 111; Biomass from 75 to 79 and Geothermal from 44 to 46.

Note: there are 0 companies listed for Wave & Tidal, because these are engineering services to the wave and tidal sector from various companies, delivered by the equivalent of 3 employees from various organisations, however counting all of those organisations as companies would give a false impression of the sub-sector being larger than it is. The sales are opportunistic and not necessarily regular by their nature.



1.4.2 Renewable Energy Market at Level 3





The top four Level 2 sub-sectors for Low Carbon are Wind, Photovoltaic, Biomass and Geothermal, making up 98% of the Renewable Energy market in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Figure 14 shows a summary of the Sales, Companies and Employees for these Level 2 sub-sectors, broken out into their Level 3 sub-sectors.

Wind is the largest Level 2 sub-sector with 42% of sales and has three sub-sectors at Level 3, the largest being Wind Farm Systems which makes up 37% of sales in this market. Example companies include those providing power firming systems and services, maintenance services and grid integration services.

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Photovoltaic has five sub-sectors at level 3, the largest being Systems & Equipment which makes up 52% of sales in this market. Example companies include systems developers, suppliers and installers.

Biomass has five sub-sectors at level 3, the largest being Biomass Energy Systems which makes up 47% of the sales in this market, example companies include developers, installers and consultancies.

Geothermal has five sub-sectors at Level 3, the largest being Suppliers of Systems which makes up 31% of the sales in this market. Example companies include lateral geothermal systems providers and installers at the domestic and small commercial level and vertical control systems developers and suppliers.



1.5 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Level 1 - Environmental Market

In this section we look at the Environmental market in greater detail. Initially we split the market into eight further sub-sectors, Level 2, and then look at the highest performing Level 2 sub-sectors in more detail by highlighting the activity happening within them at Level 3.

1.5.1 Environmental Market at Level 2





Environmental is split into nine sub-sectors, of which three account for 90% of sales (Figure 15). These three are made up of Water Supply & Waste Water Treatment 34%, Waste Management 30% and Recovery & Recycling 25%.

Each of these three sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Water Supply and Waste Water Treatment from £194.8m to £212.3m; Waste Management from £172.8m to £187.8m and Recovery and Recycling from £142.0m to £154.8m.



Figure 16: Employment 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same three sub-sectors account for 90% of employment (Figure 16). They are made up of Water Supply & Waste Water Treatment 34%, Waste Management 30% and Recovery & Recycling 25%.

Each of these three sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Water & Waste Water Treatment from 1,541 to 1,648; Waste Management from 1,360 to 1,450 and Recovery and Recycling from 1,123 to 1,200.





Figure 17: Companies 2019/20 (Level 2)

The same three sub-sectors also account for 90% of companies (Figure 17). They are made up of Water Supply & Waste Water Treatment 35%, Waste Management 29% and Recovery & Recycling 26%.

Each of these three sub-sectors have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20: Water & Waste Water Treatment from 78 to 81; Waste Management from 65 to 68 and Recovery and Recycling from 56 to 59.



1.5.2 Environmental Market at Level 3



Figure 18: Summary of selected metrics for 2019/20 for Waste Management and Water & Waste Water Treatment sub-sectors at Level 3

Figure 18 shows the Sales, Companies and Employees for the Waste Management and Water & Waste Water Treatment Level 2 sub-sectors broken down into their Level 3 sub-sectors.

Water & Waste Water Treatment is made up of four Level 3 sub-sectors, the largest being Water Treatment and Distribution which makes up 77% of sales. Example activities include development and implementation by utilities along with supply, consultancy and implementation by independent consulting engineers.

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Waste Management is made up of four Level 3 sub-sectors with sales more evenly distributed across them than for the Water and Waste Water Treatment market. The largest Level 3 sub-sector is Equipment for Waste Treatment which makes up 36% of sales in the market. Example companies are those involved in development, manufacture and supply. The next largest sub-sector is Construction & Operation of Waste Treatment Facilities which makes up 33% of sales. Example companies are those involved in both public and private operations management and supply and installation of operational equipment.



Figure 19: Summary of selected metrics for 2019/20 for Recovery and Recycling at Level 3

Figure 19 shows the Sales, Companies and Employees for the Level 2 Recovery & Recycling sub-sector broken down into its Level 3 sub-sectors. There are eighteen Level 3 sub-sectors and Waste Collection, including the collection of all waste, both municipal and commercial (landfill and recyclates), is clearly the largest sub-sector making up 43% of all sales in the Recovery and Recycling sub-sector. There are then a number of waste stream stock processing sub-sectors with the largest ones being Glass, Rubber Products, Textiles, Paper and Composting.

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1.6 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Level 2 Summary

Figure 20 compares all 24 sub-sectors of LCEGS and shows that the four leading sub-sectors: Wind (17%), Building Technologies (14%), Alternative Fuels (14%) and Photovoltaic (11%) and have the largest share in terms of sales, company numbers and employment and accounted for 56% of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS sector activity in 2019/20.

There is then a second grouping of seven sub-sectors that are: Water & Waste Water Treatment 8%, Biomass 8%, Waste Management 7%, Recovery and Recycling 6%, Alternative Fuel Vehicle 6%, Geothermal 4% and Energy Management 2%, and that make up a further 40% of the LCEGS sector sales in 2019/20.

These 11 sub-sectors dominate the LCEGS sector sales and together made up 96% of its overall sales in 2019/20.



Figure 20: LCEGS Summary 2019/20 for Sales, Number of Companies and Number of Employees



1.7 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP and the MEH's LCEGS compared

The Leicester and Leicestershire LEP accounts for 10% of the Midlands Energy Hub Region's LCEGS sector.



Figure 21: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP Measures 2019/20 by Level 1

Figures 21 and 22 compare the profile of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP and the MEH region's LCEGS activities at Level 1 for sales (outer circle), companies (middle circle) and employment (inner circle). Leicester and Leicestershire LEP is broadly in line with the MEH LCEGS sector, with slightly more market within the Renewable Energy sub-sector than the regional average, with a weaker Low Carbon sun-sector.



Figure 22: MEH Measures 2019/20 by Level 1

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Figure 23: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS sub-sectors for 2019/20 at Level 2



Figure 24: MEH's LCEGS sub-sectors for 2019/20 at Level 2

Figures 23 and 24 extends the analysis by comparing the profile of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP and MEH's LCEGS activities at Level 2 for sales (outer circle), companies (middle circle) and employment (inner circle).

There are some differences between the two, such as slightly stronger Wind, Photovoltaic, Biomass and Recovery & Recycling in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP than the regional average.

Other differences relate to percentage share of market for the different measures, although this is within 1% of the Regional average.

1.8 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D

This section examines the investment profile of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP at the sector level and Level 1 for 2017/18, 2018/19 and 2019/20 and for Level 2 and the top Level 3 subsectors.

Figure 25: : Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D by Fiscal Year



Figure 25 shows the investment for the three financial years of the sector study, made into the whole LCEGS sector.

Private Equity Investment has grown from £126m in 2017/18 to £139m in 2019/20, representing 9.4% growth between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 0.7% growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20.

By comparison, the MEH region's growth rates were 5.8% and 6.1%.

Venture Capital Investment has grown from £258m in 2017/18 to £269m in 2019/20, representing 6.9% growth between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -2.6% growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20.

By comparison, the MEH region's growth rates were 5.4% and 6.2%.

Other Investment has grown from £382m in 2017/18 to £417m in 2019/20, representing 4.4% growth between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 4.7% growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20.

By comparison, the MEH region's growth rates were 6.2% and 5.6%.

Figure 26: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D by Fiscal Year – Level 1

139.1

Environmental (29.2)

Low Carbon

(53.4)

Renewable Energy

(56.5)

2019/20

Private Equity Investment in R&D

138.1

Environmental (30.1)

Low Carbon

Renewable Energy

(55.1)

2018/19

(52.8)

Figure 26 shows the investment for the three financial years of the sector study, made into the LCEGS sector, split into Level 1.

Private Equity Investment was split in 2019/20 Renewable Energy 41%, Low Carbon 38% and Environmental 21%. This is broadly in line with the sales split of 41%, 37% and 22%.

Venture Capital Investment in R	&D

258.3	2/6.2	268.9
Environmental (55.0)	Environmental (59.9)	Environmental (58.7)
Low Carbon (92.5)	Low Carbon (104.4)	Low Carbon (103.9)
Renewable Energy (110.8)	Renewable Energy (111.9)	Renewable Energy (106.3)
2017/18	2018/19	2019/20

Other Investment in R&D

Venture Capital Investment was split in 2019/20 Renewable Energy 40%, Low Carbon 39% and Environmental 22%. This suggests slightly more emphasis on Low Carbon than would be expected considering the sales split of 41%, 37% and 22%.

381.7	398.6	417.3
Environmental (84.0)	Environmental (90.8)	Environmental (87.1)
Low Carbon (137.2)	Low Carbon (150.0)	Low Carbon (155.7)
Renewable Energy (160.4)	Renewable Energy (157.8)	Renewable Energy (174.5)
2017/18	2018/19	2019/20

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126.2

Environmental (27.2)

(44.4)

Renewable Energy

(54.6)

2017/18

Low Carbon

Other Investment was split in 2019/20 Renewable Energy 42%, Low Carbon 37% and Environmental 21%. This is broadly in line with the sales split of 41%, 37% and 22%.





Figure 27: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Level 2 Low Carbon Private Equity Investment in R&D

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Investment for each of the top four Low Carbon sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20:

- Building Technologies from £17m to £20m for Private Equity, £34m to £41m for Venture Capital and £49m to £64m for Other Investment
- Alternative Fuels from £16m to £21m for Private Equity, £35m to £40m for Venture Capital and £53m to £60m for Other Investment
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle from £7m to £8m for Private Equity, was steady at £13m for Venture Capital and fell from £21m to £19m for Other Investment
- Energy Management was steady at £3m for Private Equity, grew from £5m to £6m for Venture Capital and fell from £9m to £8m for Other Investment



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Figure 28: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Low Carbon top Level 3 sub-sectors



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Investment for the Level 3 sub-sectors of the top Level 2 sub-sectors within Low Carbon have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20. The pattern of investment for Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Investment is similar to the Sales pattern in section 2.3.

Figure 29: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Level 2 Renewable Energy



Private Equity Investment in R&D

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Investment for most of the top four Renewable Energy sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20:

- Wind fell from £24m to £23m for Private Equity, £48m to £44m for Venture Capital and grew from £67m to £72m for Other Investment.
- Photovoltaic fell from £15m to £14m for Private Equity, £29m to £28m for Venture Capital and £44m to £41m for Other Investment.
- Biomass grew from £10m to £14m for Private Equity, £21m to £28m for Venture Capital and £31m to £42m for Other Investment.
- Geothermal from £5m to £12m for Private Equity, £11m to £21m for Venture Capital and £17m to £37m for Other Investment.



Figure 30: : Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Renewable Energy top Level 3 sub-sectors

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Investment for the Level 3 sub-sectors of the top Level 2 sub-sectors within Renewable Energy have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20. The pattern of investment for Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Investment is similar to the Sales pattern in section 2.4.





Figure 31: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Level 2 Environmental Private Equity Investment in R&D

Investment for most of the top three Environmental sub-sectors grew between 2017/18 and 2019/20:

- Water & Waste Water Treatment from £9m to £10m for Private Equity, £18m to £20m for Venture Capital and was steady at £28m for Other Investment
- Waste Management grew from £8m to £9m for Private Equity, £16m to £17m for Venture Capital and £23m to £27m for Other Investment
- Recovery and Recycling fell from £8m to £7m for Private Equity, was steady at £15m for Venture Capital and fell from £24m to £23m for Other Investment





Figure 32: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Investment in R&D 2019/20 – Environmental top Level 3 sub-sectors, Waste Management and Water and Waste Water Treatment

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Investment for the Level 3 sub-sectors of the top Level 2 sub-sectors within Environmental have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20. The pattern of investment for Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Investment is similar to the Sales pattern in section 2.5.







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Investment for the Level 3 sub-sectors of the top Level 2 sub-sectors within Environmental have grown between 2017/18 and 2019/20. The pattern of investment for Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Investment is similar to the Sales pattern in section 2.5.

1.9 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Company Size

In this section we look at the number of companies within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, split by size of company, using the standard classification of company size. Growth between one year and the next is shown in red.

Company size classifications:

- Start-up = any company formed during the previous 12 months, for 2017/18 that would include companies formed during 2016/17 and so on
- Micro = companies with 2-9 employees
- SME = Small and Medium-sized companies, with 10-249 employees
- Large = companies with 250-1,500 employees
- Corporations = any company with 1,501 or more employees
- Total Companies = the total company count

Start-ups listed in 2017/18 will have been formed in 2016/17, those listed in 2018/19 will have been formed in 2017/18 and those in 2019/20 will have been formed in 2018/19. Start-up companies are a discrete category, not dependent on number of employees and are not double counted in the other categories.



Table 1 shows the company count for the LCEGS sector across the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, split by Start-up, Micro, SME, Large and Corporations, with the Total Number of Companies for reference. The table is also split by Level 1, providing both a sector and Level 1 overview.

		# Start-up						# Micro					# SMEs		
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Level 1	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Environmental	11	0.0%	11	9.1%	12	67	0.0%	67	3.0%	69	111	0.9%	112	3.6%	116
Low Carbon	18	0.0%	18	5.6%	19	108	1.9%	110	2.7%	113	180	0.0%	180	3.9%	187
Renewable Energy	20	0.0%	20	5.0%	21	120	0.0%	120	4.2%	125	200	0.5%	201	3.5%	208
Total	49	0.0%	49	6.1%	52	295	0.7%	297	3.4%	307	491	0.4%	493	3.7%	511
			# Large				# (Corporatio	ons			Tota	l # Compa	nies	
		Growth	# Large	Growth			# (Growth	Corporatio	ons Growth			Tota Growth	ıl # Compa	nies Growth	
Level 1	2017/18	Growth %	# Large 2018/19	Growth %	2019/20	2017/18	# (Growth %	Corporatio 2018/19	ons Growth %	2019/20	2017/18	Tota Growth %	ul # Compa 2018/19	nies Growth %	2019/20
Level 1 Environmental	2017/18 22	Growth % 0.0%	# Large 2018/19 22	Growth % 4.5%	2019/20 23	2017/18 11	# (Growth % 0.0%	Corporatio 2018/19 11	ons Growth % 9.1%	2019/20	2017/18 222	Tota Growth % 0.5%	Il # Compa 2018/19 223	nies Growth % 3.6%	2019/20 231
Level 1 Environmental Low Carbon	2017/18 22 36	Growth % 0.0% 0.0%	# Large 2018/19 22 36	Growth % 4.5% 5.6%	2019/20 23 38	2017/18 11 18	# (Growth % 0.0% 0.0%	Corporatio 2018/19 11 18	ons Growth % 9.1% 5.6%	2019/20 12 19	2017/18 222 360	Tota Growth % 0.5% 0.8%	il # Compa 2018/19 223 363	nies Growth % 3.6% 3.3%	2019/20 231 375
Level 1 Environmental Low Carbon Renewable Energy	2017/18 22 36 40	Growth % 0.0% 0.0%	# Large 2018/19 22 36 40	Growth % 4.5% 5.6% 5.0%	2019/20 23 38 42	2017/18 11 18 20	# 0 Growth % 0.0% 0.0%	Corporatio 2018/19 11 18 20	ons Growth % 9.1% 5.6% 5.0%	2019/20 12 19 21	2017/18 222 360 400	Tota Growth % 0.5% 0.8% 0.5%	Il # Compa 2018/19 223 363 402	nies Growth % 3.6% 3.3% 3.5%	2019/20 231 375 416

Table 1: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Number of Companies Split by Company Size, with Growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Level 1

Table 1 shows that the growth in the number of companies per size grouping is similar across the Level 1 sub-sectors, with growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20 being stronger in all size groupings than the previous year.

The strongest growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20 of 9.1% was seen in start-up's and corporations for Environmental, with the weakest growth of 3.0% was seen in Micro in the Environmental sub-sector.

Tables 2a and 2b show the company count for the LCEGS sector across the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, split by Start-up, Micro, SME, Large and Corporations, with the Total Number of Companies again for reference. The table is also split by Level 2.

				# Start-up					# SMEs							
			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Level 1	Level 2	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Environmental	Air Pollution	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Environmental	Contaminated Land	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	17	0.0%	17	5.9%	18	28	0.0%	28	3.6%	29
Environmental	Waste Management	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	20	0.0%	20	0.0%	20	33	0.0%	33	3.0%	34
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	4	0.0%	4	0.0%	4	23	4.3%	24	0.0%	24	39	0.0%	39	5.1%	41
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	4	0.0%	4	25.0%	5
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	16	6.3%	17	0.0%	17	27	0.0%	27	3.7%	28
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	40	2.5%	41	2.4%	42	67	0.0%	67	3.0%	69
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	42	0.0%	42	2.4%	43	69	1.4%	70	2.9%	72
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Low Carbon	Energy Management	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	6	0.0%	6	16.7%	7	11	0.0%	11	0.0%	11
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Renewable Energy	Biomass	4	0.0%	4	0.0%	4	23	0.0%	23	4.3%	24	38	0.0%	38	2.6%	39
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	13	0.0%	13	7.7%	14	22	0.0%	22	4.5%	23
Renewable Energy	Hydro	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	1	0.0%	1	100.0%	2
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	5	0.0%	5	20.0%	6	32	0.0%	32	3.1%	33	53	0.0%	53	3.8%	55
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Renewable Energy	Wind	8	0.0%	8	12.5%	9	50	0.0%	50	4.0%	52	83	1.2%	84	2.4%	86
Total		47	0.0%	47	4.3%	49	294	0.7%	298	3.4%	306	490	0.6%	493	3.7%	511

Table 2a: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Number of Companies Split by Company Size, with Growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Level 2



		# Large					# Corporations					Total # Companies				
			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Level 1	Level 2	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Environmental	Air Pollution	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5
Environmental	Contaminated Land	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	6	0.0%	6	0.0%	6	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	56	1.8%	57	3.5%	59
Environmental	Waste Management	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	65	1.5%	66	3.0%	68
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	8	0.0%	8	0.0%	8	4	0.0%	4	0.0%	4	78	0.0%	78	3.8%	81
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	9	0.0%	9	0.0%	9
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	5	20.0%	6	0.0%	6	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	54	1.9%	55	3.6%	57
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	13	0.0%	13	7.7%	14	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	133	1.5%	135	3.0%	139
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	14	0.0%	14	7.1%	15	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	139	0.7%	140	3.6%	145
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	3	0.0%	3	33.3%	4
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Low Carbon	Energy Management	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	21	0.0%	21	4.8%	22
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Renewable Energy	Biomass	8	0.0%	8	0.0%	8	4	0.0%	4	0.0%	4	75	1.3%	76	3.9%	79
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	4	0.0%	4	25.0%	5	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	44	0.0%	44	4.5%	46
Renewable Energy	Hydro	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	11	0.0%	11	0.0%	11	5	0.0%	5	20.0%	6	106	0.9%	107	3.7%	111
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Renewable Energy	Wind	17	0.0%	17	0.0%	17	8	0.0%	8	12.5%	9	167	0.0%	167	3.6%	173
Total		97	0.0%	97	4.1%	101	47	0.0%	47	4.3%	49	982	0.5%	987	3.5%	1,022

Table 2b: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Number of Companies Split by Company Size, with Growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Level 2

Table 2 shows that the growth in the number of companies per size grouping is more variable at this level of detail, as would be expected with a smaller number of companies having a greater impact on growth rates. For example, a 25% increase in Geothermal is seen in the Large category when 4 companies grew to 5.

1.10 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS by Skills

In this section we look at the skills within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, through the number of employees listed in accordance with Standard Occupational Classification 2020 Index. This data will be overlaid with demand mapping during the Policy development and Growth forecasting phase of the study. Table 3 shows the number of employees within each standard Occupational Class for the LCEGS sector as a whole, per year.

Table 3: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills, measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – LCEGS Sector

		LCEG	S Sector T	otals	
		Growth		Growth	
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Technicians	492	8.0%	531	2.2%	543
Snr Management SME	1,148	8.9%	1,251	-8.0%	1,150
Supervisory	1,154	1.7%	1,173	15.5%	1,355
Middle / Junior Management	1,153	-4.1%	1,105	10.4%	1,221
Designer / Developer	168	3.3%	174	2.2%	178
Clerical	593	0.8%	598	11.4%	666
Self Employed	157	-3.9%	151	16.9%	176
Advisor or Agent	111	5.4%	117	-1.1%	116
Educator	4	4.2%	4	9.0%	4
Specialist or Consultant	621	7.1%	665	2.2%	679
Editor	19	7.5%	20	2.0%	21
Industrial Researchers	191	6.5%	204	-4.1%	195
Scientist	83	7.9%	90	1.1%	91
Maintenance Engineer	1,301	7.1%	1,394	-2.4%	1,360
Civil Engineer	96	3.1%	99	0.8%	100
Production Engineer	247	7.6%	265	3.0%	273
Power distribution Engineer	613	10.2%	676	-5.3%	640
Construction Engineer	134	11.7%	150	4.5%	157
Sales Exec	630	7.6%	677	3.4%	700
Marketing Personnel	615	12.3%	691	5.5%	729
General Semi Skilled Worker	1,272	6.4%	1,353	-1.4%	1,335
General Labour	1,518	5.6%	1,603	7.1%	1,716
Other Employees	1,736	-7.0%	1,615	14.5%	1,849
Administrative workers	668	5.6%	705	5.9%	747
Total Number of Employees	20,089	3.0%	20,689	3.6%	21,437

At the sector-level we can see that the number of employees per occupational classification varies considerably between each year. For example, the Senior Management SME classification saw growth of 8.9% between 2017/18 and -8.0% between 2018/19.

Due to the varied nature of the LCEGS sector, which draws from many more traditional sectors such as Engineering, Construction and many others, the decrease in employee numbers from year to year can be a result of employees working within the same company, but within a different sector. An example would be a company engineering components within both the Wind sub-sector and Automotive sector, where one year the company services more Wind than Automotive contracts, the employee numbers would count more Wind employees; the following year the company services more Automotive contracts than Wind contracts, resulting in an apparent reduction in the number of employees for the Wind sector, which is true with regards to those working *within the LCEGS Sector* but it does not necessarily follow that they are job losses within companies themselves.

The Total Number of Employees increases year on year, which is more reliable indication of employment growth due to the larger numbers being less impacted by the natural fluctuations mentioned above.



Table 4 shows the number of employees within each standard Occupational Class for the Level 1 sub-sectors.

	Low Carbon						Rene	ewable En	ergy		Environmental				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Technicians	149	7.8%	160	2.5%	164	206	8.2%	222	1.8%	227	138	7.8%	148	2.5%	152
Snr Management SME	258	8.7%	280	-7.2%	260	678	9.1%	739	-8.5%	676	213	8.8%	232	-7.5%	214
Supervisory	266	2.3%	272	14.7%	312	666	1.3%	675	16.0%	782	222	2.1%	226	15.2%	261
Middle / Junior Management	269	-3.7%	258	10.5%	286	662	-4.4%	632	10.5%	699	223	-3.7%	215	10.3%	237
Designer / Developer	41	3.3%	42	2.3%	43	52	3.3%	54	1.8%	54	76	3.3%	78	2.3%	80
Clerical	140	1.0%	141	11.0%	157	338	0.7%	340	11.6%	380	115	0.9%	117	11.4%	130
Self Employed	55	-3.8%	53	16.7%	61	43	-4.2%	41	17.2%	48	59	-3.8%	57	16.8%	67
Advisor or Agent	54	5.2%	56	-0.7%	56	15	5.6%	15	-1.5%	15	43	5.5%	45	-1.5%	45
Educator	0	3.8%	0	9.4%	0	0	3.8%	0	8.8%	0	4	4.2%	4	8.9%	4
Specialist or Consultant	156	7.1%	167	2.3%	171	327	7.1%	350	2.2%	358	138	7.1%	147	2.0%	150
Editor	4	7.6%	4	2.0%	4	5	7.1%	5	2.0%	5	10	7.6%	11	2.0%	11
Industrial Researchers	107	6.7%	114	-4.2%	109	23	6.4%	24	-4.1%	23	62	6.3%	66	-3.9%	63
Scientist	54	8.0%	59	1.0%	59	9	7.5%	9	1.4%	9	21	7.9%	22	1.3%	22
Maintenance Engineer	303	6.6%	323	-2.1%	316	713	7.5%	766	-2.6%	746	286	6.8%	305	-2.2%	298
Civil Engineer	21	3.2%	22	0.7%	22	23	2.8%	24	0.9%	24	51	3.2%	53	0.7%	54
Production Engineer	71	7.6%	76	3.3%	79	108	7.5%	116	2.7%	119	68	7.7%	73	3.1%	75
Power distribution Engineer	122	10.0%	134	-4.7%	128	348	10.4%	384	-5.7%	362	144	10.1%	158	-4.7%	151
Construction Engineer	27	11.5%	30	4.8%	32	46	12.0%	52	4.2%	54	61	11.5%	68	4.7%	71
Sales Exec	180	7.4%	193	4.0%	201	324	7.6%	349	2.9%	359	125	7.6%	135	3.7%	140
Marketing Personnel	179	12.2%	200	5.6%	212	323	12.4%	363	5.4%	382	114	12.2%	128	5.8%	135
General Semi Skilled Worker	302	6.4%	321	-1.3%	317	690	6.5%	735	-1.4%	725	279	6.3%	297	-1.4%	293
General Labour	489	5.7%	517	7.4%	555	826	5.5%	871	6.8%	931	203	5.7%	215	7.3%	230
Other Employees	380	-9.2%	345	14.7%	396	1,018	-5.9%	958	13.2%	1,085	338	-7.8%	311	18.3%	368
Administrative workers	167	5.2%	176	6.3%	187	353	5.9%	374	5.7%	396	147	5.3%	154	6.1%	164
Total Number of Employees	7,445	3.1%	7,674	3.6%	7,952	8,164	2.8%	8,396	3.6%	8,699	4,481	3.1%	4,619	3.6%	4,786

Table 4: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills, measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Level 1

A similar pattern is seen the Level 1 figures, with natural fluctuations in employee numbers. The numbers do give an indication of the relative scale of employment between sub-sectors in the different occupational classes.



The top 11 sub-sectors account for 94% of employment in the LCEGS sector in the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Tables 5a-5d shows the number of employees within each standard Occupational Class for the top 11 Level 2 sub-sectors of the LCEGS sector.

	Alternative Fuel Vehicle						Alte	ernative Fu	uels		Biomass				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Technicians	8	7.5%	9	2.3%	9	59	8.1%	64	2.8%	66	36	7.9%	39	1.7%	40
Snr Management SME	15	8.9%	16	-7.6%	15	51	9.0%	56	-8.0%	51	149	8.8%	162	-8.2%	149
Supervisory	18	1.5%	19	15.3%	21	61	2.3%	62	15.2%	72	145	1.0%	146	16.2%	170
Middle / Junior Management	18	-4.1%	17	10.5%	19	61	-3.5%	59	10.2%	65	143	-4.5%	136	10.3%	150
Designer / Developer	2	3.0%	2	3.1%	2	11	3.7%	11	1.8%	11	17	3.2%	17	2.1%	18
Clerical	11	1.4%	11	11.1%	12	31	0.7%	31	11.7%	34	74	1.0%	75	11.5%	84
Self Employed	11	-4.2%	11	17.1%	13	17	-3.7%	16	16.8%	19	7	-4.3%	7	17.5%	8
Advisor or Agent	20	5.4%	21	-1.0%	21	2	5.0%	2	-0.1%	2	2	5.9%	3	-2.3%	2
Educator	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	3.8%	0	8.8%	0
Specialist or Consultant	3	7.5%	3	5.1%	4	49	7.3%	52	2.0%	53	81	6.8%	87	2.7%	89
Editor	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	2	6.7%	2	2.1%	2
Industrial Researchers	32	6.6%	34	-4.4%	32	23	6.9%	24	-4.1%	23	3	5.8%	3	-3.9%	3
Scientist	3	7.6%	3	1.7%	3	42	8.1%	45	0.9%	45	5	7.4%	5	1.4%	5
Maintenance Engineer	25	7.2%	27	-2.3%	27	78	6.7%	84	-2.1%	82	147	7.6%	158	-2.8%	153
Civil Engineer	4	3.3%	4	0.6%	4	0	2.9%	0	0.8%	0	2	2.7%	3	0.7%	3
Production Engineer	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	43	7.8%	46	3.3%	48	22	7.5%	24	2.8%	25
Power distribution Engineer	4	10.2%	4	-4.7%	4	14	10.2%	16	-4.6%	15	73	10.4%	81	-5.6%	76
Construction Engineer	4	11.4%	4	5.0%	5	0	11.8%	0	4.5%	0	2	11.6%	2	4.6%	3
Sales Exec	22	7.4%	23	3.8%	24	64	8.0%	69	3.3%	71	72	7.6%	78	3.0%	80
Marketing Personnel	22	12.4%	24	5.6%	26	64	12.3%	72	5.9%	76	73	12.1%	82	5.8%	87
General Semi Skilled Worker	19	6.0%	20	-0.8%	20	81	6.5%	86	-1.5%	85	145	6.1%	154	-1.2%	152
General Labour	30	6.0%	32	7.0%	34	110	6.1%	117	7.4%	126	152	5.9%	161	6.6%	172
Other Employees	22	-14.8%	19	24.2%	24	77	-18.7%	63	18.3%	74	217	-5.2%	206	12.9%	232
Administrative workers	15	5.8%	16	5.8%	17	41	5.0%	43	6.3%	45	75	6.3%	80	5.3%	84
Total Number of Employees	1,116	2.9%	1,148	3.7%	1,190	2,787	3.3%	2,878	3.5%	2,980	1,525	2.8%	1,568	3.6%	1,625

Table 5a: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills, measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Alternative Fuel Vehicle, Alternative Fuels and Biomass



		Building Technologies					Energy Management					Geothermal				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth		
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	
Technicians	63	7.6%	68	2.3%	69	12	8.1%	13	2.4%	13	18	7.7%	19	2.5%	20	
Snr Management SME	158	8.5%	171	-6.8%	159	21	8.9%	23	-8.2%	21	69	8.9%	75	-7.5%	70	
Supervisory	150	2.4%	154	14.3%	176	22	2.0%	23	15.4%	26	67	2.1%	68	15.1%	79	
Middle / Junior Management	152	-3.7%	146	10.6%	162	23	-4.0%	22	10.5%	24	68	-4.0%	65	10.5%	72	
Designer / Developer	18	3.0%	19	2.7%	19	6	3.6%	6	1.9%	6	8	3.2%	8	2.4%	8	
Clerical	79	1.1%	80	10.6%	88	11	1.0%	12	11.4%	13	34	0.9%	34	11.2%	38	
Self Employed	18	-3.5%	17	16.1%	20	6	-4.4%	5	17.9%	6	4	-3.9%	4	16.8%	4	
Advisor or Agent	22	5.0%	23	-0.2%	23	5	6.0%	5	-2.1%	5	4	5.7%	4	-1.7%	4	
Educator	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	3.6%	0	9.5%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	
Specialist or Consultant	84	7.0%	90	2.5%	92	13	7.2%	14	1.9%	14	35	7.1%	38	2.0%	38	
Editor	1	8.0%	1	2.0%	1	2	7.4%	2	2.1%	2	2	7.6%	2	2.0%	2	
Industrial Researchers	41	6.7%	44	-4.2%	42	5	6.4%	5	-4.4%	5	3	6.4%	3	-4.1%	3	
Scientist	5	7.7%	6	1.2%	6	2	7.5%	3	1.9%	3	2	7.7%	2	1.4%	2	
Maintenance Engineer	155	6.3%	164	-2.0%	161	27	7.5%	29	-2.5%	29	70	6.7%	75	-2.1%	73	
Civil Engineer	10	3.6%	10	0.5%	10	4	2.2%	5	1.3%	5	4	3.3%	4	0.7%	4	
Production Engineer	20	7.1%	21	3.6%	22	5	8.1%	6	2.6%	6	12	7.4%	13	3.2%	13	
Power distribution Engineer	82	9.9%	90	-4.7%	86	13	10.3%	14	-4.9%	14	35	10.2%	38	-5.0%	36	
Construction Engineer	15	11.2%	17	5.1%	18	5	12.2%	5	3.9%	5	3	11.6%	3	4.7%	3	
Sales Exec	72	6.8%	77	4.6%	81	13	7.6%	14	3.5%	15	36	7.4%	39	3.9%	40	
Marketing Personnel	73	12.1%	81	5.3%	86	13	12.6%	14	5.8%	15	35	12.2%	39	5.5%	41	
General Semi Skilled Worker	161	6.4%	171	-1.2%	169	26	6.1%	27	-1.1%	27	70	6.3%	75	-1.2%	74	
General Labour	298	5.6%	315	7.5%	338	39	5.8%	42	6.9%	44	103	5.8%	109	7.2%	117	
Other Employees	225	-5.6%	212	12.4%	238	34	-9.0%	31	16.2%	36	100	-5.5%	94	12.3%	106	
Administrative workers	89	5.1%	93	6.5%	99	14	5.8%	14	5.6%	15	35	5.3%	37	6.2%	39	
Total Number of Employees	2,851	3.0%	2,936	3.7%	3,045	444	3.0%	457	3.5%	474	886	3.0%	912	3.6%	945	

Table 5b: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills, measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Building Technologies, Energy Management and Geothermal



	Photovoltaic						Recove	ery and Re	cycling		Waste Management				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth	
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Technicians	58	8.2%	63	2.1%	64	41	7.5%	44	2.9%	46	35	8.3%	38	1.8%	39
Snr Management SME	178	9.1%	195	-8.6%	178	48	9.2%	52	-7.6%	48	62	8.8%	67	-7.9%	62
Supervisory	171	1.5%	173	16.2%	201	49	2.5%	51	14.6%	58	68	1.6%	69	15.8%	80
Middle / Junior Management	172	-4.3%	164	10.1%	181	49	-3.7%	47	10.5%	52	68	-4.0%	65	10.2%	72
Designer / Developer	13	3.5%	13	1.7%	13	35	3.3%	36	2.3%	37	15	3.5%	15	1.8%	15
Clerical	87	0.6%	87	12.0%	98	25	0.9%	25	11.5%	28	36	0.6%	36	11.6%	41
Self Employed	9	-4.1%	9	17.2%	10	12	-3.8%	12	16.7%	13	18	-4.2%	17	17.4%	20
Advisor or Agent	1	6.0%	1	-2.4%	1	4	5.4%	5	-0.7%	5	24	5.7%	26	-2.1%	25
Educator	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	4.2%	0	9.1%	0	1	4.4%	1	8.7%	2
Specialist or Consultant	81	7.1%	87	2.3%	89	40	7.2%	43	1.6%	44	37	7.2%	40	2.5%	41
Editor	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	2	7.8%	2	2.0%	2	4	7.4%	4	2.0%	4
Industrial Researchers	6	6.3%	7	-4.1%	6	11	6.9%	12	-4.3%	11	33	6.0%	35	-3.8%	34
Scientist	0	7.6%	0	1.7%	0	9	8.1%	10	1.3%	10	6	7.5%	7	1.2%	7
Maintenance Engineer	174	7.4%	187	-2.8%	182	62	6.5%	66	-1.7%	65	84	7.2%	90	-2.6%	88
Civil Engineer	5	2.6%	5	1.0%	5	19	3.5%	19	0.8%	19	13	2.7%	14	0.8%	14
Production Engineer	24	7.9%	26	2.6%	27	22	7.6%	24	3.7%	25	15	7.7%	16	2.7%	17
Power distribution Engineer	89	10.3%	99	-5.2%	93	34	10.3%	37	-4.6%	36	42	10.0%	46	-5.2%	44
Construction Engineer	9	12.0%	10	4.3%	11	19	11.7%	21	4.8%	22	17	11.8%	19	4.3%	20
Sales Exec	86	8.0%	92	2.7%	95	41	7.5%	44	4.3%	46	34	7.9%	37	2.7%	38
Marketing Personnel	85	12.3%	95	5.8%	100	33	12.5%	37	5.4%	39	33	12.0%	37	5.8%	39
General Semi Skilled Worker	182	6.5%	194	-1.6%	190	81	6.2%	87	-1.0%	86	76	6.5%	81	-1.8%	79
General Labour	234	5.9%	248	6.9%	265	83	5.8%	88	7.5%	94	47	5.5%	50	6.7%	53
Other Employees	252	-6.7%	235	13.6%	267	68	-13.9%	59	22.3%	72	107	-7.3%	99	18.6%	118
Administrative workers	91	5.8%	96	5.6%	101	34	4.9%	36	6.6%	38	46	5.5%	48	5.8%	51
Total Number of Employees	2,150	3.0%	2,214	3.5%	2,293	1,123	3.1%	1,158	3.6%	1,200	1,360	2.9%	1,400	3.6%	1,450

Table 5c: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills, measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Photovoltaic, Recovery & Recycling and Waste Management



Table 5d: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Skills	measured as Job Descriptions with growth 2017/18 to 2019/20 – Water & Waste Water Treatment
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	W	ater & Wa	aste Water	Treatme	Wind						
		Growth		Growth			Growth				
Skill	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	
Technicians	51	7.7%	55	2.7%	57	91	8.4%	98	1.5%	100	
Snr Management SME	85	8.5%	92	-7.2%	86	277	9.3%	302	-8.9%	275	
Supervisory	84	2.2%	86	15.1%	99	278	1.1%	281	15.9%	326	
Middle / Junior Management	86	-3.4%	83	10.2%	91	274	-4.6%	262	10.8%	290	
Designer / Developer	20	3.2%	21	2.8%	21	13	3.4%	14	1.2%	14	
Clerical	43	1.2%	44	11.2%	49	140	0.5%	140	11.5%	157	
Self Employed	22	-3.5%	22	16.4%	25	21	-4.3%	20	17.3%	23	
Advisor or Agent	3	5.1%	3	-0.7%	3	2	5.5%	2	-1.3%	2	
Educator	0	5.0%	0	8.2%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	
Specialist or Consultant	48	6.9%	52	2.0%	53	127	7.4%	136	1.9%	138	
Editor	1	7.9%	2	2.3%	2	0	6.9%	0	1.6%	0	
Industrial Researchers	4	6.6%	4	-4.1%	4	3	6.8%	3	-4.5%	3	
Scientist	2	7.9%	2	1.7%	2	1	7.5%	1	0.9%	1	
Maintenance Engineer	115	6.7%	123	-2.3%	120	316	7.6%	340	-2.6%	331	
Civil Engineer	15	3.4%	15	0.6%	15	11	2.7%	11	1.0%	11	
Production Engineer	26	7.9%	28	2.7%	29	48	7.4%	52	2.7%	53	
Power distribution Engineer	55	10.0%	61	-4.3%	58	147	10.5%	163	-6.3%	153	
Construction Engineer	20	11.2%	22	5.0%	24	31	12.2%	34	4.0%	36	
Sales Exec	38	7.6%	41	3.7%	43	128	7.4%	138	2.7%	142	
Marketing Personnel	37	12.0%	42	6.1%	44	129	12.7%	145	4.7%	152	
General Semi Skilled Worker	99	6.2%	105	-1.4%	104	287	6.7%	307	-1.4%	302	
General Labour	52	5.8%	55	7.3%	59	329	4.9%	345	6.8%	369	
Other Employees	131	-5.3%	124	16.3%	144	441	-5.8%	416	13.2%	470	
Administrative workers	52	5.2%	55	5.9%	58	148	6.0%	157	5.9%	167	
Total Number of Employees	1,541	3.2%	1,590	3.6%	1,648	3,447	2.7%	3,540	3.7%	3,670	

Again, a similar pattern is seen the Level 2 figures as those in Level 1, with natural fluctuations in employee numbers. As for Level 1, the numbers do give an indication of the relative scale of employment between sub-sectors in the different occupational classes.



1.11 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Growth

In Section 1.1 annual growth in Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS sales, companies and employment was compared with growth in the MEH's LCEGS sector as a whole for 2017/18 to 2019/20. Table 6 shows the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's annual growth in more detail by breaking it down into subsectors for each of the three years. Growth between one year and the next is shown in red.

The Leicester and Leicestershire LEP covers 10% of the MEH's total LCEGS sector in terms of sales. The growth rates for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP are slower than the MEH regional average, but exhibit a similar pattern, being relatively uniform across sub-sectors compared with the UK. The UK growth rates are affected by the activity in London, which are more volatile than in other areas of the country, such as the MEH region. As such, the MEH growth rates are more indicative of the growth rates you would expect in regions not affected by activities in London. The growth rates for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP are in line with this trend.

While annual growth in the LCEGS sector as a whole has varied between 0.8 and 4.6% for each of the three parameters, Table 6 shows that the sector has grown evenly in terms of sales across the Level 2 sub-sectors. The advantage of even growth is less volatility and more stability and certainty in the market. It is illustrative of the whole LCEGS sector growing together due to better coordination across networks and chains of supply than the national average. There is more variation in growth between sub-sectors in terms of the number of employees and companies, as they respond to different pressures within different sub-sectors.

The Leicester and Leicestershire LEP has grown slower than the MEH average, but it is still above the UK average for some Level 2 sub-sectors, which are a reflection of the opportunities that are being created by drivers of growth including policy, regulation and consumer choices, these include:

- Air Pollution, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 4.4% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 4.3% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 1.7% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -4.3% between 2018/19 and 2019/20
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 4.1% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 4.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 7.4% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -1.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20
- Alternative Fuels, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 4.1% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 4.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 10.2% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 3.3% between 2018/19 and 2019/20
- Contaminated Land, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 3.7% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 5.0% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 5.5% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -4.3% between 2018/19 and 2019/20
- Energy Management, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 4.1% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 4.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 6.7% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -1.0% between 2018/19 and 2019/20



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• Hydro, where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's growth rates were 4.1% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and 5.2% between 2018/19 and 2019/20 and the UK growth rates were 5.6% between 2017/18 and 2018/19 and -3.6% between 2018/19 and 2019/20

		Sales £m				# Companies					# Employees					
		Growth			Growth			Growth	Growth			Growth		Growth		
Level 1	Level 2	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Environmental	Air Pollution	13.5	4.4%	14.1	4.3%	14.7	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5	107	2.8%	110	3.6%	114
Environmental	Contaminated Land	13.4	3.7%	13.9	5.0%	14.6	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5	106	2.8%	109	3.7%	113
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	17.2	4.1%	17.9	4.5%	18.7	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	136	2.9%	140	3.6%	145
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	3.6	5.6%	3.8	5.3%	4.0	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	29	0.0%	29	3.4%	30
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	2.6	3.8%	2.7	7.4%	2.9	1	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	21	0.0%	21	4.8%	22
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	7.5	4.0%	7.8	5.1%	8.2	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	59	3.4%	61	3.3%	63
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	142.0	4.2%	147.9	4.7%	154.8	56	1.8%	57	3.5%	59	1,123	3.1%	1,158	3.6%	1,200
Environmental	Waste Management	172.8	4.0%	179.7	4.5%	187.8	65	1.5%	66	3.0%	68	1,360	2.9%	1,400	3.6%	1,450
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	194.8	4.1%	202.8	4.7%	212.3	78	0.0%	78	3.8%	81	1,541	3.2%	1,590	3.6%	1,648
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	22.3	4.0%	23.2	4.3%	24.2	9	0.0%	9	0.0%	9	176	3.4%	182	3.3%	188
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	141.1	4.1%	146.9	4.6%	153.6	54	1.9%	55	3.6%	57	1,116	2.9%	1,148	3.7%	1,190
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	353.0	4.1%	367.4	4.6%	384.4	133	1.5%	135	3.0%	139	2,787	3.3%	2,878	3.5%	2,980
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	361.7	4.1%	376.6	4.6%	394.1	139	0.7%	140	3.6%	145	2,851	3.0%	2,936	3.7%	3,045
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	9.0	4.4%	9.4	4.3%	9.8	3	0.0%	3	33.3%	4	71	2.8%	73	4.1%	76
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Low Carbon	Energy Management	55.9	4.1%	58.2	4.6%	60.9	21	0.0%	21	4.8%	22	444	2.9%	457	3.7%	474
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Renewable Energy	Biomass	193.9	4.0%	201.7	4.5%	210.8	75	1.3%	76	3.9%	79	1,525	2.8%	1,568	3.6%	1,624
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	112.2	4.0%	116.7	4.6%	122.1	44	0.0%	44	4.5%	46	886	2.9%	912	3.6%	945
Renewable Energy	Hydro	7.4	4.1%	7.7	5.2%	8.1	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	58	3.4%	60	3.3%	62
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	271.7	4.0%	282.7	4.5%	295.5	106	0.9%	107	3.7%	111	2,150	3.0%	2,214	3.6%	2,293
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	12.0	4.2%	12.5	4.8%	13.1	5	0.0%	5	0.0%	5	95	3.2%	98	4.1%	102
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0.3	0.0%	0.3	33.3%	0.4	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	3
Renewable Energy	Wind	436.5	3.9%	453.7	4.5%	473.9	167	0.0%	167	3.6%	173	3,447	2.7%	3,540	3.7%	3,670
Total		2,544.4	4.1%	2,647.6	4.6%	2,768.9	980	0.8%	988	3.5%	1,023	20,091	3.0%	20,687	3.6%	21,437

Table 6: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Sales (£m), Company and Employment Growth 2017/18 to 2019/20

Some sub-sectors have shown stronger growth across the 3-year study period 2017/18 to 2019/20 than the UK average and should be considered strengths of the region and include:

- Hydro with 9.5% (MEH 11.0%, UK 1.8%)
- Contaminated Land Reclamation and Remediation with 9.0% (MEH 11.4%, UK 1.0%)
- Energy Management with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.7%)



- Air Pollution with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.8%)
- Alternative Fuel Vehicle with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 5.7%)

Some sub-sectors have shown weaker growth across the 3-year study period 2017/18 to 2019/20 than the UK average and include:

- Environmental Consultancy with 8.9% (MEH 11.3%, UK 16.8%)
- Environmental Monitoring with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK12.2%)
- Marine Pollution Control with 8.7% (MEH 11.4%, UK 12.7%)
- Noise & Vibration Control with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 23.3%)
- Recovery & Recycling with 9.0% (MEH 11.3%, UK 13.7%)
- Waste Management with 8.7% (MEH 11.2%, UK 12.6%)
- Water & Waste Water Treatment with 9.0% (MEH 11.3%, UK 12.7%)
- Additional Energy Sources with 8.7% (MEH 11.3%, UK 15.9%)
- Alternative Fuels with 8.9% (MEH 11.4%, UK 13.8%)
- Building Technologies with 9.0% (MEH 11.5%, UK 13.7%)
- Carbon Capture & Storage with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 19.0%)
- Biomass with 8.7% (MEH 11.3%, UK 28.2%)
- Geothermal with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 18.8%)
- Photovoltaic with 8.8% (MEH 11.3%, UK 24.3%)
- Wave & Tidal with 8.5% (MEH 11.2%, UK 24.9%)
- Wind with 8.6% (MEH 11.3%, UK 42.2%)

By overlaying the sales for each sub-sector as a proportion of the UK market, the impact of stronger or weaker sales growth can be examined more closely. Table 7 shows how the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP compares with the UK as a whole for the 24 Level 2 sub-sectors. The LEP as a % of UK Sales and MEH Sales has been converted to a Proportionality Factor, where 1.0 equals the sector value (1.3% and 10.4% respectively), below 1.0 represents a smaller market than the sector total proportion and above 1.0 represents a market which is larger than the sector total proportion. Likewise the LEP/ UK and LEP/MEH Growth Factor indicates where growth is stronger than the UK (above 1.0) or weaker than the UK (below 1.0)

		UK MEH					LEP							
			UK 3-		MEH 3-									
		UK Sales	Year	MEH	year		LEP Sales	LEP 3-		LEP/UK	LEP/UK		LEP/MEH	LEP/MEH
		£m	Growth	Sales £m	Growth	MEH as %	£m	year	LEP as %	Sales	Growth	LEP as %	Growth	Sales
Level 1	Level 2	2019/20	%	2019/20	%	of UK	2019/20	growth %	of UK	Prop.	Factor	of MEH	Factor	Prop
Environmental	Air Pollution	1,283.9	5.8%	143.2	11.4%	11.2%	14.7	8.9%	1.1%	0.9	1.5	10.3%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Contaminated Land Reclamation & Remediation	1,269.2	1.0%	143.3	11.4%	11.3%	14.6	9.0%	1.1%	0.9	9.3	10.2%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy and Related Services	1,268.4	16.8%	179.9	11.3%	14.2%	18.7	8.9%	1.5%	1.2	0.5	10.4%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring, Instrumentation and Analysis	247.6	12.2%	38.0	11.3%	15.4%	4.0	8.8%	1.6%	1.3	0.7	10.4%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	206.3	12.7%	27.7	11.4%	13.4%	2.9	8.7%	1.4%	1.1	0.7	10.3%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	394.7	23.3%	79.5	11.4%	20.1%	8.2	8.9%	2.1%	1.6	0.4	10.3%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	11,071.7	13.7%	1,452.5	11.3%	13.1%	154.8	9.0%	1.4%	1.1	0.7	10.7%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Waste Management	7,384.8	12.6%	1,769.7	11.2%	24.0%	187.8	8.7%	2.5%	2.0	0.7	10.6%	0.8	1.0
Environmental	Water Supply and Waste Water Treatment	10,943.9	12.7%	2,014.9	11.3%	18.4%	212.3	9.0%	1.9%	1.5	0.7	10.5%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	2,129.7	15.9%	234.7	11.3%	11.0%	24.2	8.7%	1.1%	0.9	0.5	10.3%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	19,578.8	5.7%	1,472.3	11.4%	7.5%	153.6	8.9%	0.8%	0.6	1.6	10.4%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	32,416.4	13.8%	3,761.4	11.4%	11.6%	384.4	8.9%	1.2%	0.9	0.6	10.2%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	24,963.7	13.7%	3,995.6	11.5%	16.0%	394.1	9.0%	1.6%	1.3	0.7	9.9%	0.8	0.9
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	816.0	19.0%	90.3	11.3%	11.1%	9.8	8.8%	1.2%	1.0	0.5	10.8%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	16,336.5	27.6%	133.9	17.7%	0.8%	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Low Carbon	Energy Management	3,950.9	5.7%	559.7	11.4%	14.2%	60.9	8.8%	1.5%	1.2	1.6	10.9%	0.8	1.0
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	4,946.3	2.9%	5.4	29.0%	0.1%	0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0
Renewable Energy	Biomass	11,234.4	28.2%	1,943.2	11.3%	17.3%	210.8	8.7%	1.9%	1.5	0.3	10.8%	0.8	1.0
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	19,687.0	18.8%	1,163.0	11.3%	5.9%	122.1	8.8%	0.6%	0.5	0.5	10.5%	0.8	1.0
Renewable Energy	Hydro	703.5	1.8%	74.4	11.0%	10.6%	8.1	9.1%	1.1%	0.9	5.0	10.8%	0.8	1.0
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	11,132.4	24.3%	2,773.4	11.3%	24.9%	295.5	8.8%	2.7%	2.1	0.4	10.7%	0.8	1.0
Renewable Energy	Renewable Energy General Consultancy	722.1	10.8%	122.8	11.3%	17.0%	13.1	8.8%	1.8%	1.4	0.8	10.6%	0.8	1.0
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	171.5	24.9%	4.1	11.2%	2.4%	0.4	8.5%	0.2%	0.2	0.3	8.8%	0.8	0.8
Renewable Energy	Wind	36,664.3	42.2%	4,373.1	11.3%	11.9%	473.9	8.6%	1.3%	1.0	0.2	10.8%	0.8	1.0
		219,523.9	18.9%	26,556.2	11.4%	12.1%	2,768.6	8.8%	1.3%			10.4%		

Table 7: UK, MEH and Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Sales (£m) and 3-Year Growth Comparison



Figure 34 shows how the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP compares with the UK for the 24 Level 2 sub-sectors, with regards to size of market and growth across the three-year study period 2017/18 to 2019/20.

The x-axis represents the LEP/UK sales proportionality factor, which was calculated for each sub-sector by dividing the LEP sales a percentage of the UK, by 1.1%. This proportionality factor demonstrates where the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP holds a larger or smaller share of the UK market than would be expected, where:

- 1 = 1.1% of the UK market
- >1 = larger than 1.1% share
- <1 = smaller than 1.1% share

The y-axis represents the growth rate of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 2 sub-sectors compared with the UK. This was calculated by dividing the 3-year growth rate of the LEP by the average UK growth rate. This growth rate factor demonstrates which sub-sectors have a stronger or slower growth rate than the UK, where:

- 1 = the UK growth rate
- >1 = stronger than the UK average growth
- <1 = weaker than UK growth

The graph is split into four quadrants along 1 on each axis, with sub-sectors in each demonstrating:

- Top right = larger market share than expected and stronger growth than the UK average
- Bottom Right = larger market share than expected, but weaker growth than the UK average
- Top left = smaller market share than expected, but stronger growth than the UK average
- Bottom left = smaller market share than expected and weaker growth than the UK average

The bubbles represent the 24 Level 2 sub-sectors and are sized by the 2019/20 sales £m, illustrating the relative sizes of each sub-sector.

Figure 34 clearly illustrates the strong growth of the two relatively small sub-sectors, Contaminated Land & Reclamation and Hydroelectric. Contaminated Land & Reclamation and Hydroelectric are strengths, because they are both above the expected size of market (1.1 for Contaminated Land and 1.1 for Hydro) and are growing significantly stronger than the UK average (9.0% LEP vs 1.0% UK for Contaminated Land and 9.1% vs. 1.8% Uk for Hydro)



Figure 34: LEP/UK Sales proportionality factor vs. LEP/UK Growth factor of Level 2 Sub-sectors – Bubbles Sized by Sales £m



Figure 35 provides the same information as figure 1, but with Contaminated Land and Hydro excluded. By excluding these outliers with very strong growth, we can examine the other sub-sectors. Energy Management has the ideal characteristics of above UK average growth and above LEPK average size. Those in the lower right quadrant (red) hold a larger UK share than the average LCEGS UK market share. The large size of sub-sectors such as Photovoltaic, Building Technologies, Water & Waste Water Treatment, Waste Management and Biomass set these sub-sector apart as being strengths. Alternative Fuel Vehicle has a smaller market share than expected, but stronger growth than the UK average. Those in the lower left (yellow) quadrant such as Geothermal and Wave & tidal can be considered relative weaknesses.



Figure 35: LEP/UK Sales proportionality factor vs. LEP/UK Growth factor of Level 2 Sub-sectors – Bubbles Sized by Sales £m – Excluding Contaminated Land, Nuclear and Hydro

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1.12 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Sector Scalability

In this section we explain the concept of scalability, what influences it, how it can be combined with GVA to explore opportunities and finally why it is different to using only growth.

Scalability refers to the combination of:

- Existence of appropriate available market
- The scalability of technology within a company, area or market
- Affordability of technology
- Availability of appropriate skill sets in the locality.
- Historic growth
- Accessibility of networks and chains of supply

All of these factors are taken into consideration when grading scalability.

The scalability of the sector has been calculated by attributing a scalability factor of 'Low', 'Medium' or 'High' per product or service at the Local Authority level, which has been given the corresponding value of 1 = Low; 2 = Medium and 3 = High. We have then taken the average of those values for the products and services grouped together for the Levels to produce an index of scalability.

For example, there are 30 products and services within the Level 3 sub-sector of Windows, within the Building technologies (Low Carbon) sub-sector. For each Local Authority (using Amber Valley as an example), each product and service was allocated a scalability factor:

11 products and services listed as 'High' with a score of 3

15 products and services listed as 'Medium' with a score of 2

4 products and services listed a 'Low' with a score of 1

Calculation:

$$\frac{(11x3) + (15x2) + (4x1)}{30} = 2.23$$

The scalability index has been calculated for the 2769 products and services at Level 5 of the dataset, for each Local Authority, with the average being used to plot the potential for scalability against the GVA of the sector at Level 2.

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Figure 36 shows the GVA plotted against the scalability index of the 24 Level 2 sub-sectors for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, with each bubble sized by the GVA of that sub-sector. The most desirable position would be the top right-hand corner of the graph, with high GVA and high Scalability. We can see that the Building Technologies and Wind sub-sectors have a good combination of size and scalability, while Renewable Energy General Consultancy may be small in terms of market but is highly scalable. Biomass is a good example of a sub-sector which is has good GVA but low scalability. Scalability graphs for each Local Authority can be found in Appendix 4.

Scalability index -2,505 2.5 Renewable Energy General Consultancy Building Technologies 2.495 2.49 Environmental Monitoring Wind 2.485 2.48 2.475 2.47 Alternative Fuels Air Pollution Geothermal 2.465 Noise & Vibration Control Biomass 2.46 Carbon Capture & Storage Photovoltaic Waste 2.455 Manage. Alternative Fuel Vehicle 2.45 Hydro• Environmental Consultancy 2.445 Water & Waste Water Treatment Additional Energy Sources 2.44 Recovery and Recycling 2,435 Energy Management 2.43 2,425 2.42 Ma.. Contaminated Land 2.415 2 41 2 405 2.4 2.395 2.39 Carbon Finance 2.385 2.38 0.0 20.0 40.0 60.0 80.0 100.0 120.0 140.0 160.0 180.0 200.0 220.0 240.0 260.0 280.0 300.0 320.0 340.0 360.0 380.0 GVA £m

Figure 36: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Scalability vs. GVA of Level 2 Sub-sectors – Bubbles Sized by GVA

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Figure 37 shows the same principle as Figure 36, but with GVA plotted against the growth rates of the Level 2 sub-sectors for 2019/20. This figure illustrates a different pattern of opportunity to the use of the scalability index. When only viewing growth, it would be easy to miss the opportunity in Renewable Energy General Consultancy, with such a low growth rate. For this reason, scalability is a more useful measure than previous growth when looking at opportunities.







1.13 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Demand Analysis

This section provides data and analysis regarding the demand analysis which feeds into the Growth 2030/2050 sister report, produced as part of this project. There are three sub-sections:

- 1.12.1 Current employment and growth required for 2030 and 2050 net zero targets.
- 1.12.2 Current training provision and potential for upskilling of the current workforce within each Level 2 sub-sector
- 1.12.3 Potential of Level 2 sub-sectors to impact on CO2 reduction.

1.13.1 Current employment, skills gaps and forecasts for 2030 and 2050 net zero targets

In this section we explore the current levels of employment, per Standard Occupational Classification, identifying sills gaps that are present in the sector and sub-sectors and then estimate the skills requirements needed to achieve net zero targets for 2030 and 2050.

It is difficult to untangle the impact of Covid and the impact of Brexit on the LCEGS sector and for the purposes of this study, we have not attempted to do so. A sister document produced during this study, which maps the monthly LCEGS sector for the MEH region and the nine LEPs, to Level 2 sub-sector detail provides the evidence of the significant impact on the sector since March 2020. The impact during 2020 is illustrated in figure 38, which shows the LCEGS sales, by month for 2018, 2019 and 2020 for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Although there has been support for business during the pandemic, many people and businesses have postponed work. There is a large section of the LCEGS sector that will always function, for example waste will be collected, water purified, electricity produced etc. Unfortunately, much of the activity in the sector can and has been postponed until there is more certainty in the market. It is anticipated that the sector will bounce back as restrictions are lifted, particularly with not just the political will, but more so the social emphasis on net zero.





Figure 38: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP LCEGS Sales, by month 2018, 2019 and 2020

Due to the uncertainty surrounding the current and potential future economic performance of the UK (and global) economy, the forecasting estimates have been produced on a best case vs. worst case scenario basis:

Timeline for Net Zero	Implications of Covid-19 and Brexit
Net Zero 2030	Best-Case Scenario
	Worst-Case Scenario
Net Zero 2050	Best-Case Scenario
	Worst-Case Scenario

Worst-case scenario refers to a situation with the economy being slow to recover, with slow growth and therefore slow recovery of the LCEGS sector. Bestcase scenario refers to a situation where the economy 'bounces' back, with strong growth and rapid recovery of the LCEGS sector. In theory, the need to decarbonize will increase with the expansion of the whole economy, therefore the number of employees required to reach net zero will be larger in a bestcase scenario than in a worst-case scenario.



The growth forecasts for both 2030 and 2050 begin with the same baseline employment figures for 2019/20, illustrated by the wide base of the triangles in the diagram.

On top of that, the normal growth in the sector that will increase between 2020 and 2030 or 2050 sits on top of that base and has the greatest effect on the growth of the employment numbers. The effect of normal sector growth is more significant for the 2050 target than the 2030 target due to an additional 20 years of normal growth. The extent of growth is determined by whether the UK economy as a whole bounces back from 2020 or takes more time.

On top of that growth is the additional employment required to achieve net zero. In this diagram, the additional employment section is sized the same for both targets. This is to emphasise that to reach net

zero by 2030 would require *relatively* more people with less technology, whereas by 2050, streamlined processes, new technologies, technology compression and changes in practice are likely to lead to a situation requiring *relatively* fewer people, but improved technology.

In essence, most of the employment growth is likely to be normal sector growth, resulting in a higher number of employees in 2050 than 2030, regardless of net zero targets. The LCEGS sector will not stand still during decarbonisation, new technologies and processes will be developed, and the wider economy will still grow. Decarbonisation will not be linear, the quicker it is achieved, the more people are likely to be needed, however, the longer it takes, the more opportunity for technology to impact. In reality, the additional employment component of growth is more nuanced and varies between sub-sectors and geographical area.

Table 8 shows the current 2019/20 employment figures and the estimated employment required to achieve net zero by 2030 and 2050, best- and worstcase scenarios for the LCEGS sector for the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP.

Shortage of employees refers to the employees that are 'imported' from outside the area, representing a skills gap and the estimated employment requirement and growth assumes those skills gaps are filled.

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Employment Total in this analysis is lower than elsewhere in the study. The total employment count in other areas of the study are triangulated from the output and are the number of people required to produce the output recorded, bearing in mind the skills, technology and nature of the sector and subsectors in each location. When this data is then overlaid with the data on the SOC classification, there are some jobs that do not 'fit'. Not all jobs can be split into the SOC classification system, because there are new sectors whose job descriptions are not an exact match. It is not appropriate to allocate them as "Other Employees" because they are often combinations of the SOC classifications, also in start-ups and micro companies the same person can be performing several roles with different SOCs for a few days at a time. In a sector comprised of predominately micro and SMEs, this lack of transparency has a higher impact than other sectors comprised of fewer, larger companies.

The employment count refers to 'heads equivalent', so although for example, there are 4 Educators listed, with a shortage of 1, making a total of 6 (5.57 rounded to 6) in the region, this will equate to over 60 people providing 'pockets' of time, to equate to 6 full time jobs.

A limitation of the SOC system is in terms of measuring the number of people involved in installation, distribution, multi-engineering, monitoring or other job descriptions, which could be informative and perhaps future projects could look at breaking the total employment numbers into classifications of job descriptions using the industries own language and tailored to each sub-sector.

The purpose of the data is to indicate skills gaps of those jobs we *can* measure within this project, in order to inform training needs etc. As such, we have based the forecasts on those job descriptions we can measure and forecast on those. In order to reach net zero, the estimation of employment requirement not only takes into account the number of people required to achieve it, within the network and chain of supply, but also forecasts change of practice, e.g. improved manufacturing processes.

In summary, the estimation of employment requirements represents the number of employees likely to be employed in 2030 or 2050, having achieved net zero and can be considered the target numbers of employees per SOC. In terms of changes in number of employees, there are three factors in play:

- The usual increase in employment numbers through normal sector growth
- The additional increase in employment numbers needed to achieve net zero
- These two growths are moderated by the introduction of new technologies, technology compression and changes in practice over time

Table 8: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Current Employment and Net Zero 2030 and 2050 Estimated Employment Requirements – Sector Data

						Net Zero	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050					
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case Scenario			
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in		
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees		
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required		
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no		
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)		
Technicians	543	120	22.0%	663	709	7.0%	927	39.9%	1,098	65.8%	2,625	296.1%		
Snr Management SME	1,150	115	10.0%	1,265	1,510	19.4%	1,967	55.5%	2,315	83.0%	5,550	338.8%		
Supervisory	1,355	140	10.4%	1,495	1,777	18.8%	2,338	56.3%	2,743	83.4%	6,510	335.3%		
Middle / Junior Management	1,221	125	10.3%	1,346	1,593	18.3%	2,088	55.1%	2,469	83.4%	5,839	333.7%		
Designer / Developer	178	46	26.0%	224	233	3.9%	306	36.6%	359	60.3%	857	282.6%		
Clerical	666	1	0.2%	667	868	30.1%	1,144	71.4%	1,349	102.2%	3,212	381.2%		
Self Employed	176	23	12.8%	199	230	15.5%	302	51.9%	356	78.8%	847	325.9%		
Advisor or Agent	116	19	16.3%	135	152	12.6%	199	47.8%	234	74.0%	558	314.7%		
Educator	4	1	30.3%	6	6	0.5%	7	32.8%	9	52.7%	20	267.7%		
Specialist or Consultant	679	22	3.2%	701	889	26.8%	1,172	67.2%	1,377	96.4%	3,277	367.4%		
Editor	21	1	3.8%	21	27	25.8%	36	66.9%	42	94.6%	99	363.1%		
Industrial Researchers	195	15	7.7%	210	253	20.5%	336	59.8%	396	88.2%	935	344.7%		
Scientist	91	31	34.6%	123	118	-3.6%	154	25.2%	185	50.9%	432	252.3%		
Maintenance Engineer	1,360	84	6.2%	1,444	1,782	23.4%	2,342	62.2%	2,737	89.5%	6,531	352.2%		
Civil Engineer	100	27	26.7%	126	131	3.4%	171	35.3%	201	59.1%	478	279.1%		
Production Engineer	273	94	34.5%	368	356	-3.0%	470	27.9%	550	49.7%	1,305	255.1%		
Power distribution Engineer	640	193	30.1%	834	838	0.6%	1,101	32.1%	1,292	55.1%	3,068	268.1%		
Construction Engineer	157	27	17.0%	184	205	11.6%	268	46.2%	316	72.0%	754	310.7%		
Sales Exec	700	79	11.3%	779	910	16.9%	1,197	53.6%	1,410	81.1%	3,357	331.0%		
Marketing Personnel	729	80	11.0%	809	952	17.7%	1,247	54.2%	1,475	82.3%	3,510	333.9%		
General Semi Skilled Worker	1,335	28	2.1%	1,363	1,740	27.7%	2,289	68.0%	2,695	97.8%	6,434	372.2%		
General Labour	1,716	0	0.0%	1,716	2,251	31.2%	2,953	72.1%	3,465	101.9%	8,268	381.8%		
Other Employees	1,849	90	4.9%	1,939	2,426	25.1%	3,173	63.6%	3,735	92.6%	8,879	357.8%		
Administrative workers	747	15	2.1%	762	978	28.4%	1,280	68.0%	1,508	97.9%	3,590	371.0%		
Total	16,001	1,377	8.6%	17,379	20,935	20.5%	27,468	58.1%	32,316	86.0 %	76,937	342.7%		

Table 8 shows that the skills gap throughout the sector varies considerably between SOCs within the sector, with significant gap's within large occupational groupings for Production Engineers 34.5% (MEH 35.7%), Power Distribution Engineer 30.1% (MEH 29.8%) and Technicians 22.0% (MEH 22.2%). Conversely, there are low skills gap's within large occupational grouping such as General Semi-skilled Worker 2.1% (MEH 2.1%) Maintenance Engineer 6.2% (MEH 6.3%), Specialist or Consultant 3.2% (MEH 3.3%) and Administrative Workers 2.1% (MEH 2.1%).


Key points at a sector-level:

- Estimated growth in employees to reach net zero under worst-case scenario economic growth conditions by 2030 is 20.5% (MEH 20.3%)
- Estimated growth in employees to reach net zero under best-case scenario economic growth conditions by 2030 is 58.1% (MEH 57.9%)
- Estimated growth in employees to reach net zero under worst-case scenario economic growth conditions by 2050 is 86.0% (MEH 86.0%)
- Estimated growth in employees to reach net zero under best-case scenario economic growth conditions by 2050 is 342.7% (MEH 342.4%)

Tables 9, 10 and 11 provide the estimated employment growth for the three Level 1 sub-sectors.

The Level 1 sub-sectors have different shortages of employees, representing skills gaps: Low Carbon – 10.6% (MEH 10.5%) Renewable Energy – 6.9% (MEH 7.0%) Environmental – 10.3% (MEH 10.3%)

Skill gaps between SOC's also varies between Level 1 sub-sectors:

Production Engineers: Low Carbon 45.2% (MEH 47.3%); Renewable Energy 27.6% (MEH 27.9%) and Environmental 34.2% (MEH 34.9%) Power Distribution Engineers: Low Carbon 34.9% (MEH 33.7%); Renewable Energy 27.4% (MEH 27.1%) and Environmental 32.6% (MEH 32.6%) Technicians: Low Carbon 27.9% (MEH 27.9%); Renewable Energy 17.3% (MEH 17.3%) and Environmental 22.8% (22.9%)

Shortages also vary between Level 2 sub-sectors, for example the shortage in Production Engineers for Geothermal is 68.7% (MEH 68.8%), but only 13.9% (MEH 13.4%) in Photovoltaic. Level 2 tables are located in Appendix 5.

Growth requirements are similar at the sub-sector level of analysis, but demonstrates more variation in SOC's between sub-sectors, for example to reach net zero by 2030, best case scenario would require growth in:

Production Engineers of: Low Carbon 19.0% (MEH 17.0%); Renewable Energy 34.9% (MEH 34.5%) and Environmental 27.5% (MEH 27.0%) Power Distribution Engineers of: Low Carbon 26.6% (MEH 28.1%); Renewable Energy 35.4% (MEH 35.1%) and Environmental 29.2% (MEH 29.3%) Technicians of: Low Carbon 33.2% (MEH 34.2%); Renewable Energy 45.4% (MEH 45.9%) and Environmental 39.5% (MEH 39.6%)



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Table 9: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Current Employment and Net Zero 2030 and 2050 Estimated Employment Requirements – Low Carbon

		Low C	arbon			Net Zero	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050				
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	
Technicians	164	46	27.9%	210	215	2.1%	280	33.2%	335	59.1%	793	277.1%	
Snr Management SME	260	32	12.1%	291	340	16.7%	442	51.9%	523	79.3%	1,257	331.3%	
Supervisory	312	41	13.2%	353	406	15.0%	532	50.6%	635	79.8%	1,510	327.5%	
Middle / Junior Management	286	38	13.2%	323	373	15.4%	486	50.4%	578	78.6%	1,375	325.1%	
Designer / Developer	43	12	27.7%	55	56	2.2%	74	34.7%	87	57.8%	209	278.4%	
Clerical	157	0	0.3%	157	205	30.7%	270	71.8%	315	100.9%	750	377.8%	
Self Employed	61	10	16.0%	71	80	11.7%	105	47.4%	123	72.6%	296	314.7%	
Advisor or Agent	56	9	15.9%	65	74	13.6%	97	48.6%	114	75.1%	271	317.6%	
Educator	0	0	19.8%	0	0	6.4%	0	44.5%	0	67.3%	1	293.3%	
Specialist or Consultant	171	7	3.9%	178	223	25.6%	295	66.2%	348	96.0%	823	363.5%	
Editor	4	0	4.1%	5	6	25.4%	8	66.9%	9	93.3%	22	363.6%	
Industrial Researchers	109	9	7.8%	118	141	19.9%	188	60.0%	220	87.6%	519	341.7%	
Scientist	59	21	35.1%	80	77	-4.4%	99	23.5%	121	50.8%	279	248.1%	
Maintenance Engineer	316	25	8.0%	341	411	20.5%	541	58.7%	638	86.9%	1,520	345.7%	
Civil Engineer	22	7	31.6%	29	29	-0.7%	38	30.2%	45	51.8%	107	263.4%	
Production Engineer	79	36	45.2%	115	103	-10.2%	136	19.0%	158	37.9%	372	224.4%	
Power distribution Engineer	128	45	34.9%	172	166	-3.5%	218	26.6%	258	49.5%	613	255.4%	
Construction Engineer	32	7	20.8%	38	41	7.7%	54	40.9%	64	67.2%	152	298.0%	
Sales Exec	201	29	14.2%	229	259	13.0%	345	50.4%	402	75.2%	967	321.7%	
Marketing Personnel	212	31	14.5%	242	277	14.2%	359	48.2%	429	76.9%	1,018	320.1%	
General Semi Skilled Worker	317	8	2.6%	326	416	27.7%	544	67.2%	642	97.1%	1,524	368.2%	
General Labour	555	0	0.0%	555	730	31.5%	957	72.4%	1,117	101.1%	2,678	382.4%	
Other Employees	396	24	6.0%	420	517	23.2%	676	61.1%	802	91.0%	1,911	355.3%	
Administrative workers	187	5	2.6%	192	245	27.5%	318	65.9%	379	97.3%	894	365.7%	
Total	4,128	439	10.6%	4,567	5,391	18.0%	7,065	54.7%	8,339	82.6%	19,861	334.9%	



Table 10: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Current Employment and Net Zero 2030 and 2050 Estimated Employment Requirements – Re	Renewable Energy
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		Renewab	le Energy			Net Zero	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	227	39	17.3%	266	295	10.9%	386	45.4%	459	72.7%	1,099	313.7%
Snr Management SME	676	60	8.9%	737	888	20.5%	1,158	57.1%	1,362	84.9%	3,263	342.9%
Supervisory	782	71	9.1%	853	1,029	20.6%	1,358	59.2%	1,582	85.4%	3,752	339.6%
Middle / Junior Management	699	62	8.9%	761	910	19.5%	1,198	57.4%	1,413	85.7%	3,329	337.4%
Designer / Developer	54	11	21.0%	66	71	8.1%	94	42.2%	110	66.1%	263	298.4%
Clerical	380	1	0.2%	380	494	29.8%	651	71.1%	772	102.9%	1,836	382.5%
Self Employed	48	5	9.4%	53	63	19.6%	83	56.6%	97	84.2%	231	338.4%
Advisor or Agent	15	3	17.5%	18	20	10.6%	26	46.5%	31	72.8%	73	307.2%
Educator	0	0	12.5%	0	0	11.1%	0	54.6%	0	81.6%	0	324.6%
Specialist or Consultant	358	10	2.8%	368	469	27.4%	619	68.1%	728	97.8%	1,728	369.5%
Editor	5	0	3.3%	5	7	26.0%	9	67.9%	10	95.1%	25	364.9%
Industrial Researchers	23	2	7.0%	25	30	22.2%	40	60.4%	47	88.5%	112	352.5%
Scientist	9	3	30.3%	12	12	0.7%	16	31.4%	19	53.4%	45	271.4%
Maintenance Engineer	746	41	5.4%	786	980	24.6%	1,291	64.2%	1,497	90.4%	3,578	354.9%
Civil Engineer	24	5	21.6%	29	31	7.3%	41	40.8%	48	66.1%	114	295.8%
Production Engineer	119	33	27.6%	152	155	2.2%	205	34.9%	240	57.9%	572	276.8%
Power distribution Engineer	362	99	27.4%	461	475	3.1%	624	35.4%	731	58.5%	1,727	274.6%
Construction Engineer	54	7	12.9%	61	71	15.6%	93	51.7%	109	77.9%	260	325.5%
Sales Exec	359	33	9.2%	392	468	19.2%	612	56.0%	727	85.1%	1,716	337.3%
Marketing Personnel	382	34	8.9%	416	498	19.7%	657	57.8%	773	85.6%	1,840	342.1%
General Semi Skilled Worker	725	13	1.8%	738	944	27.9%	1,245	68.7%	1,463	98.2%	3,507	375.3%
General Labour	931	0	0.0%	931	1,219	31.0%	1,599	71.8%	1,882	102.3%	4,482	381.6%
Other Employees	1,085	48	4.4%	1,133	1,426	25.8%	1,862	64.3%	2,193	93.5%	5,197	358.6%
Administrative workers	396	7	1.7%	403	519	28.8%	681	69.1%	800	98.6%	1,908	373.8%
Total	8,459	587	6.9%	9,046	11,073	22.4%	14,545	60.8%	17,090	88.9%	40,657	349.4%



Table 11: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Current Employment and Net Zero 2030 and 2050 Estimated Employment Requirements – Environmental

		Environ	mental			Net Zerc	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	152	35	22.8%	187	200	7.0%	260	39.5%	305	63.5%	733	292.6%
Snr Management SME	214	23	10.6%	237	282	19.0%	367	54.9%	431	81.8%	1,030	335.0%
Supervisory	261	28	10.8%	289	341	18.1%	447	54.9%	526	82.1%	1,248	332.3%
Middle / Junior Management	237	25	10.7%	262	310	18.3%	404	54.2%	478	82.5%	1,135	333.6%
Designer / Developer	80	23	28.3%	103	105	2.2%	138	34.0%	162	57.9%	385	274.8%
Clerical	130	0	0.2%	130	170	30.5%	223	71.7%	262	101.5%	626	381.6%
Self Employed	67	8	12.3%	75	87	16.3%	114	53.0%	135	80.9%	320	327.7%
Advisor or Agent	45	7	16.4%	52	58	12.1%	76	47.2%	90	73.1%	215	313.8%
Educator	4	1	30.8%	5	5	0.2%	7	32.3%	8	52.0%	19	266.4%
Specialist or Consultant	150	5	3.5%	156	197	26.8%	258	65.9%	302	93.8%	726	366.8%
Editor	11	0	4.0%	11	14	25.9%	19	66.5%	22	94.9%	53	362.0%
Industrial Researchers	63	5	7.7%	68	82	20.8%	108	59.2%	128	89.1%	304	347.2%
Scientist	22	8	34.8%	30	29	-3.1%	39	27.4%	45	50.0%	108	255.9%
Maintenance Engineer	298	19	6.2%	317	391	23.5%	510	61.0%	603	90.3%	1,433	352.5%
Civil Engineer	54	14	27.0%	68	70	3.6%	92	35.1%	108	59.3%	257	278.7%
Production Engineer	75	26	34.2%	101	98	-2.8%	129	27.5%	153	50.9%	361	257.2%
Power distribution Engineer	151	49	32.6%	200	197	-1.8%	259	29.2%	304	51.8%	728	263.9%
Construction Engineer	71	13	18.4%	84	93	10.4%	122	44.7%	143	70.0%	342	305.7%
Sales Exec	140	17	12.2%	157	183	16.8%	240	52.5%	282	79.7%	673	328.8%
Marketing Personnel	135	15	11.4%	150	177	17.9%	232	54.0%	273	81.8%	652	333.5%
General Semi Skilled Worker	293	6	2.2%	299	381	27.2%	500	67.2%	590	97.3%	1,403	368.9%
General Labour	230	0	0.0%	230	302	31.1%	397	72.3%	465	101.9%	1,108	380.7%
Other Employees	368	18	5.0%	386	483	25.0%	636	64.5%	741	91.7%	1,771	358.3%
Administrative workers	164	4	2.2%	168	215	28.1%	281	67.9%	330	96.8%	788	370.5%
Total	3,415	351	10.3%	3,765	4,471	18.8%	5,857	55.6%	6,886	82.9%	16,419	336.1%



1.13.2 Current Training Provision and Potential for Upskilling of the Current Workforce within each Level 2 sub-sector

In this section we explore both the current training capacity within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP and the potential for upskilling of the workforce.

Current training capacity takes into account the current offerings from local training providers for each sub-sector and is an estimate of the provision of services compared with a national average. It takes into account those training services provided through both the traditional education system and training companies. It does not include training provided in-house by other company employees.

The potential for upskilling the workforce refers to the potential for each sub-sector to either upskill their current workforce and/or upskill workers from other sectors to easily move into the sub-sector being measured. It refers to the rate of upskilling potential compared with the rate of increase in demand, combined with the ability of the skill sets to upgrade in line with the rate of increase in demand and the rate of new technology and methods introduction.

Both the current training capacity and the potential for upskilling the workforce of the sector have been calculated by attributing a factor of 'Low', 'Medium' or 'High' per product or service at the Local Authority level, which has been given the corresponding value of 1 = Low; 2 = Medium and 3 =High. We have then taken the average of those values for the products and services grouped together for the Levels to produce an index for both factors.

For example, there are 30 products and services within the Level 3 sub-sector of Windows, within the Building technologies (Low Carbon) sub-sector. For each Local Authority (using Amber Valley as an example), each product and service was allocated a current training capacity factor: 21 products and services listed as 'High' with a score of 3

9 products and services listed as 'Medium' with a score of 2

0 products and services listed a 'Low' with a score of 1

Calculation:

$$\frac{(21x3) + (9x2) + (0x1)}{30} = 2.7$$

The same process was applied with regards to the potential for upskilling the workforce, with the same example of Amber Valley scoring:

15 products and services listed as 'High' with a score of 3

15 products and services listed as 'Medium' with a score of 2

0 products and services listed a 'Low' with a score of 1

Calculation:

$$\frac{(15x3) + (15x2) + (0x1)}{30} = 2.5$$

Both the current training capacity and upskilling potential indexes have been calculated for the 2769 products and services at Level 5 of the dataset, for each Local Authority, with the average being used to plot graphs comparing the two factors at Level 2 for the MEH region and the nine LEPs. This allows us to examine which sub-sectors have a current workforce which has a potential for upskilling combined with good current training capacity and which sub-sectors could benefit from additional training capacity.



Figure 39 illustrates the current training capacity compared with the upskilling potential of Level 2 sub-sectors of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP, with the bubbles sized by sales £m. This graph shows how the Level 2 sub-sectors perform *relative to each other* within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. Each LEP has its own graph, with different patterns, for example, Photovoltaics upskilling potential is very high in the Black Country, but low in Greater Lincolnshire and conversely, Water and Waste Water Treatment upskilling potential is higher in Greater Lincolnshire than the Black Country. Figure 39: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Current Training Capacity against the Potential Upskilling of the Workforce by Level 2 Sub-sector



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Figure 39 shows that Noise and Vibration Control holds the strongest position, with good current training capacity combined with a strong potential for upskilling. Building Technologies is also strong, along with Wind. Alternative Fuels has strong upskilling potential, but scores lower for current training capacity. With 30% of UK carbon emissions being emitted from domestic heating, insulating windows and other building technologies have the potential to impact significantly on CO2 reduction.

1.13.3 Potential of Level 2 sub-sectors to impact on CO2 reduction.

In this section we estimate CO_2 reduction potential for Level 2 sub-sectors within the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP. As outlined in the introduction to the Low Carbon Environmental Goods and Services sector of this report, there is a wide range of variance within academia regarding how to accurately measure the CO_2 reduction potential of products and services. As such, the potential reduction in CO_2 has been estimated, considering the activities within each area, the localization of chains and networks of supply and the technologies in use or being produced.

The CO_2 reduction potential has been determined for each Level 2 Sub-sector in each Local Authority, by estimating 'High', 'Medium' and 'Low'.

The 'Low', 'Medium' and 'High' categories have also been allocated a scale of Low = 1, Medium = 2 and High = 3, with the averages across the Local Authorities within each LEP being used to provide a visual representation of levels of CO_2 reduction potential within the MEH region and each LEP.

A worked example for Waste Management in the D2N2 LEP, with 17 Local Authorities:

7 Local Authorities estimated as 'High' with a score of 3

4 Local Authorities estimated as 'Medium' with a score of 2

6 Local Authorities estimated as 'Low' with a score of 1

Calculation:

$$\frac{(7x3) + (4x2) + (4x1)}{17} = 1.9$$

Figures 40 shows the estimated CO₂ reduction potential against the sales (£m) for each Level 2 subsector, with the bubbles sized for sales and provide a visualization of the relative market sizes and CO₂ reduction potential of the sub-sectors relative to the other sub-sectors. It illustrates the dominance of the Wind Sub-sector, in terms of both sales and CO₂ reduction potential compared with the other Level 2 sub-sectors. Conversely, it also highlights the relatively small size and CO₂ reduction potential of the Environmental Consultancy Sub-sector. Alternative Fuels and Building Technologies have a strong position in terms of size of market, with Building Technologies having a higher CO₂ reduction potential. Photovoltaic is also in a favourable position, with high CO₂ reduction potential and reasonably large market.





Figure 40: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Estimated CO2 Reduction Potential against Sales (£m) by Level 2 Sub-sector





2. Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS by Local Authority

2.1 LCEGS by Local Authority

This section of the report the analyses the of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's 8 Local Authorities.

Figure 41 shows LCEGS for 2019/20 split by Local Authority for sales (outer circle), companies (middle circle) and employment (inner circle). Leicester accounts for 31% of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS sales, only 24% of companies and 31% of employment, Blaby is the next largest, with 15% of sales, but 21% of companies and 16% of employment. The smallest Local Authority is Oadby and Wigston only 3% of the market.



Figure 41: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS 2019/20 by Local Authority for Sales, Companies and Employment

Local Authorities are analysed in more detail, by year, by economic measure and by LCEGS activity in the following section.

2.2 Local Authority Analysis by Year and Sector

Table 12 shows the key metrics of Sales, Available Sales, GVA, Number of Companies and Number of Employees for each Local Authority at the Sector Level for three years with growth rates.

Sales represent the value of sales transactions (£m) and represent the turnover of companies. Available Sales (£m) provides a value for the portion of the market that is not 'locked' by long term contracts and is realistically available for market penetration by new market entrants, without the need for aggressive marketing or pricing strategies. GVA means the Gross Value Added and is the value of the transactions minus raw materials etc and represents the profit made.

Available sales fluctuate in all Local Authorities as contracts end and new ones begin

GVA tracks sales, with differences in growth rates between the two being within 0.1%.

The fluctuation between company and employees numbers are not entirely independent, but they don't necessarily track each other. The fluctuation of employees can represent employees who are redeployed into other sectors within the same company and do not necessarily represent unemployment. Redeployment to other sectors (often with the same product e.g. financial analytics) is often due to the fluctuations in contracts affecting Available Sales.

Company number fluctuations might be a result of trading in other sectors, not that the company itself has ceased to trade.

Growth is similar between years for the Local Authorities, less than 1.0% higher during 2018/19-2019/20 than the previous year.

There is significant difference in the growth rates between Local Authorities, with the strongest growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20 seen in:

- Blaby 8.0%
- North West Leicestershire 7.6%
- Harborough 7.2%



Table 12: Local Authorities Sales, Available Sales, GVA, Number of Employees and Number of Companies 2017/18 to 2019/20

		Sales £m					Available Sales £m					GVA £m				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth		
Local Authority	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	
Blaby	351.6	7.1%	376.7	8.0%	407.0	208.7	9.8%	229.1	3.4%	236.8	275.5	7.1%	295.1	8.0%	318.9	
Charnwood	341.5	3.7%	354.3	4.0%	368.6	207.9	2.1%	212.3	4.8%	222.4	274.8	3.7%	285.0	4.0%	296.5	
Harborough	209.2	6.6%	223.0	7.2%	239.1	123.8	7.4%	133.0	6.1%	141.1	164.2	6.6%	175.1	7.2%	187.7	
Hinkley & Bosworth	204.4	2.4%	209.3	2.4%	214.4	124.7	-1.4%	123.0	5.6%	129.8	160.3	2.4%	164.1	2.4%	168.1	
Leicester	845.2	1.4%	857.1	1.6%	870.9	518.5	-2.1%	507.4	3.8%	526.9	659.0	1.4%	668.3	1.6%	679.1	
Melton	114.1	5.8%	120.7	6.7%	128.7	68.9	4.8%	72.2	10.1%	79.5	90.2	5.7%	95.4	6.7%	101.8	
North West Leicestershire	395.8	6.7%	422.5	7.6%	454.5	230.3	9.0%	251.1	6.9%	268.4	315.7	6.7%	337.0	7.6%	362.7	
Oadby & Wigston	82.7	1.6%	84.1	1.8%	85.6	47.0	9.2%	51.4	0.3%	51.5	66.8	1.6%	67.9	1.8%	69.1	
Total	2,544.4	4.1%	2,647.6	4.6%	2,768.6	1,529.9	3.2%	1,579.5	4.9%	1,656.5	2,006.5	4.1%	2,087.9	4.6%	2,183.8	
		#	Employee				#	Companie	36							

		#	Employee	es		# Companies					
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth		
Local Authority	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	
Blaby	2,938.8	16.1%	3,412.8	0.1%	3,416.7	204.0	0.2%	204.3	3.2%	210.8	
Charnwood	3,060.0	1.7%	3,112.9	5.7%	3,291.4	147.4	-4.3%	141.1	-6.3%	132.2	
Harborough	1,517.9	0.6%	1,527.0	4.6%	1,597.3	62.2	4.6%	65.0	-2.4%	63.5	
Hinkley & Bosworth	1,632.8	-2.6%	1,590.1	3.4%	1,643.6	90.3	-2.6%	88.0	10.4%	97.1	
Leicester	6,519.8	0.4%	6,546.6	2.4%	6,704.6	242.3	-7.6%	224.0	11.4%	249.5	
Melton	949.4	13.8%	1,080.0	8.8%	1,174.6	45.0	10.8%	49.8	-4.3%	47.7	
North West Leicestershire	2,766.2	-1.2%	2,731.7	4.8%	2,862.0	163.7	14.7%	187.9	1.7%	191.1	
Oadby & Wigston	704.6	-2.4%	687.9	8.6%	747.2	27.3	0.6%	27.4	10.6%	30.4	
Total	20,089	3.0%	20,689	3.6%	21,437	982	0.5%	988	3.5%	1,022	

2.3 Local Authority Analysis by Year – Level 1

Figure 42 shows the different profiles of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities when sales is split at Level 1. The Local authorities show variation in Environmental of 23% for Blaby, Harborough, Hinckley and Bosworth, Melton and Oadby and Wigston, to 22% for Charnwood, Leicester and North West Leicestershire; Low carbon from 38% for Blaby, Melton, North West Leicestershire and Oadby and Wigston, to 36% for Leicester; and Renewable Energy from 42% for Leicester to 39% for Blaby, Melton and Oadby and Wigston. This highlights that Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities are not a homogeneous market, but they actually show subtle regional variations in activity within the LCEGS sector. This is further confirmed by Figure 42 below.

Figure 42: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities LCEGS Sales 2019/20 (Level 1)

Blaby	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(23%)	(38%)	(39%)
Charnwood	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(22%)	(37%)	(41%)
Harborough	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(23%)	(37%)	(40%)
Hinkley & Bosworth	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(23%)	(37%)	(40%)
Leicester	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(22%)	(36%)	(42%)
Melton	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(23%)	(38%)	(39%)
North West Leicestershire	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(22%)	(38%)	(40%)
Oadby & Wigston	Environmental	Low Carbon	Renewable Energy
	(23%)	(38%)	(39%)
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2.4 Local Authority Analysis by Year – Level 2

Figure 43 extends the analysis to include the Top 7 sub-sectors for each of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities. Typically, seven sub-sectors account for over 75% of the total value, but the sub-sectors and their rankings do differ across the 8 Local Authorities. There are consistent sub-sectors running through many of the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities and these include Wind, Building Technologies, Alternative Fuels and Photovoltaic, they are represented in all of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities and are consistent with the LEP's top four sub-sectors.

Figure 43: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Local Authorities LCEGS Sales 2019/20 at Level 2

Blaby	Alternative Fuels (15%)	Wind (15%)	Building Technologies (14%)	Photovoltaic (11%)	Water & Waste Water Treatmen	Biomass (7%)	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (22%)
Charnwood	Wind (19%)	Building Technolog (15%)	gies Alternative Fuel (14%)	s Photovoltaio (10%)	Water & Waste Water Treatm	Biomass (7%)	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (22%)
Harborough	Wind (17%)	Building Technologie (15%)	Alternative Fuels (13%)	Photovoltaic (10%)	Water & Waste Water Treatmen	Biomass (7%)	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (21%)
Hinkley & Bosworth	Wind (16%)	Building Technologies (15%)	Alternative Fuels (13%)	Photovoltaic (11%)	Biomass (8%)	Water & Waste Water Treatme	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (22%)
Leicester	Wind (18%)	Alternative Fuels (14%)	Building Technologies (13%)	Photovoltaic (11%)	Biomass (8%)	Water & Waste Water Treatm	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (21%)
Melton	Wind (16%)	Building Technologies (16%)	Alternative Fuels (14%)	Photovoltaic (10%)	Water & Waste Water Treatmen	Biomass (7%)	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (22%)
North West Leicestershire	Wind (17%)	Building Technologies (15%)	Alternative Fuels (14%)	Photovoltaic (11%)	Biomass (8%)	Water & Waste Water Treatm	Waste Manage ment (6%)	17 others (23%)
Oadby & Wigston	Wind (17%)	Building Technologies (15%)	Alternative Fuels (14%)	Photovoltaic (10%)	Water & Waste Water Treatmen	Biomass (7%)	Waste Managem ent (7%)	17 others (22%)

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2.5 Local Authority LCEGS Company Size

In Section we look at the sizes of companies within each Local Authority, with Table 13 showing a good range of growth rates between the Local Authorities.

Table 13: Local Authorities Companies by Size from 2017/18 to 2019/20

		# Start-up				# Micro					# SMEs				
		Growth		Growth			Growth		Growth			Growth	(Growth	
Local Authority	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20	2017/18	%	2018/19	%	2019/20
Blaby	10	0.2%	10	2.7%	11	61	-0.1%	61	3.5%	63	102	0.3%	102	3.0%	105
Charnwood	7	-4.2%	7	-7.2%	7	45	-4.9%	42	-6.4%	40	73	-4.0%	70	-6.2%	66
Harborough	3	4.9%	3	-2.2%	3	19	4.2%	20	-2.8%	19	31	5.2%	33	-2.5%	32
Hinkley & Bosworth	5	-2.2%	4	9.3%	5	27	-1.7%	27	9.3%	29	45	-3.2%	44	11.0%	49
Leicester	12	-8.2%	11	12.3%	13	72	-7.1%	67	11.1%	75	121	-7.8%	112	11.7%	125
Melton	2	11.0%	2	-3.7%	2	14	10.9%	15	-3.9%	14	22	10.9%	25	-4.4%	24
North West Leicestershire	8	15.2%	9	2.0%	10	49	15.0%	57	2.2%	58	82	14.6%	94	1.3%	95
Oadby & Wigston	1	-0.4%	1	10.8%	2	8	0.5%	8	10.4%	9	14	0.8%	14	10.7%	15
Total	49	0.5%	49	3.5%	51	295	0.6%	297	3.5%	307	491	0.5%	493	3.5%	511
			# Large				# (Corporatio	ns			Tota	al # Compar	ies	
		Growth	# Large	Growth			# (Growth	Corporatio	ns Growth			Tota Growth	al # Compar	iies Growth	
Local Authority	2017/18	Growth %	# Large 2018/19	Growth %	2019/20	2017/18	# (Growth %	Corporatio 2018/19	ns Growth %	2019/20	2017/18	Tota Growth %	al # Compar 0 2018/19	iies Growth %	2019/20
Local Authority Blaby	2017/18 20	Growth % 0.4%	# Large 2018/19 20	Growth % 2.8%	2019/20 21	2017/18 10	# (Growth % -0.2%	Corporatio 2018/19 10	ns Growth % 2.9%	2019/20 11	2017/18 204	Tota Growth % 0.2%	al # Compar (2018/19 5 204	iies Growth % 3.2%	2019/20 211
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood	2017/18 20 15	Growth % 0.4% -4.1%	# Large 2018/19 20 14	Growth % 2.8% -5.8%	2019/20 21 13	2017/18 10 7	# (Growth % <u>-0.2%</u> -3.7%	Corporatio 2018/19 10 7	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6%	2019/20 11 7	2017/18 204 147	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3%	ll # Compar 2018/19 204 141	iies Growth % <u>3.2%</u> -6.3%	2019/20 211 132
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood Harborough	2017/18 20 15 6	Growth % 0.4% -4.1% 3.9%	# Large 2018/19 20 14 6	Growth % 2.8% -5.8% -1.7%	2019/20 21 13 6	2017/18 10 7 3	# (Growth % -0.2% -3.7% 2.6%	Corporatio 2018/19 10 7 3	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6% -1.1%	2019/20 11 7 3	2017/18 204 147 62	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3% 4.6%	l # Compar 2018/19 204 141 65	iies Growth % 3.2% -6.3% -2.4%	2019/20 211 132 63
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood Harborough Hinkley & Bosworth	2017/18 20 15 6 9	Growth % 0.4% -4.1% 3.9% -2.8%	# Large 2018/19 20 14 6 9	Growth % 2.8% -5.8% -1.7% 10.8%	2019/20 21 13 6 10	2017/18 10 7 3 5	# (Growth % -0.2% -3.7% 2.6% -2.9%	2018/19 2018/19 10 7 3 4	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6% -1.1% 10.8%	2019/20 11 7 3 5	2017/18 204 147 62 90	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3% 4.6% -2.6%	al # Compar 2018/19 204 141 65 88	nies Growth % 3.2% -6.3% -2.4% 10.4%	2019/20 211 132 63 97
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood Harborough Hinkley & Bosworth Leicester	2017/18 20 15 6 9 24	Growth % 0.4% -4.1% 3.9% -2.8% -7.3%	# Large 2018/19 20 14 6 9 22	Growth % -5.8% -1.7% 10.8% 10.7%	2019/20 21 13 6 10 25	2017/18 10 7 3 5 12	# (Growth % -0.2% -3.7% 2.6% -2.9% -7.9%	2018/19 2018/19 10 7 3 4 4 11	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6% -1.1% 10.8% 11.4%	2019/20 11 7 3 5 12	2017/18 204 147 62 90 242	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3% 4.6% -2.6% -7.6%	al # Compar 2018/19 204 141 65 88 224	iies Growth % 3.2% -6.3% -2.4% 10.4% 11.4%	2019/20 211 132 63 97 250
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood Harborough Hinkley & Bosworth Leicester Melton	2017/18 20 15 6 9 24 5	Growth % 0.4% -4.1% 3.9% -2.8% -7.3% 9.8%	# Large 2018/19 20 14 6 9 22 5	Growth % 2.8% -5.8% -1.7% 10.8% 10.7% -4.9%	2019/20 21 13 6 10 25 5	2017/18 10 7 3 5 12 2	# (Growth % -0.2% -3.7% 2.6% -2.9% -7.9% 10.1%	2018/19 10 7 3 4 11 2	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6% -1.1% 10.8% 11.4% -3.8%	2019/20 11 7 3 5 12 2	2017/18 204 147 62 90 242 45	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3% 4.6% -2.6% -7.6% 10.8%	al # Compar 2018/19 204 141 65 88 224 50	ies Growth % -6.3% -2.4% 10.4% 11.4% -4.3%	2019/20 211 132 63 97 250 48
Local Authority Blaby Charnwood Harborough Hinkley & Bosworth Leicester Melton North West Leicestershire	2017/18 20 15 6 9 24 5 16	Growth % 0.4% -4.1% 3.9% -2.8% -7.3% 9.8% 14.6%	# Large 2018/19 20 14 6 9 22 5 5 19	Growth % 2.8% -5.8% -1.7% 10.8% 10.7% -4.9% 2.1%	2019/20 21 13 6 10 25 5 19	2017/18 10 7 3 5 12 2 8	# 0 Growth % -0.2% -3.7% 2.6% -2.9% -7.9% 10.1% 14.6%	2018/19 10 7 3 4 4 11 2 9	ns Growth % 2.9% -6.6% -1.1% 10.8% 11.4% -3.8% 2.1%	2019/20 11 7 3 5 12 2 10	2017/18 204 147 62 90 242 45 164	Tota Growth % 0.2% -4.3% 4.6% -2.6% -7.6% 10.8% 14.7%	l # Compar 2018/19 204 141 65 888 224 50 188	ies Growth % 3.2% -6.3% -2.4% 10.4% 11.4% -4.3% 1.7%	2019/20 211 132 63 97 250 48 191
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Company number fluctuations may represent companies in more than one sector (such as automotive), who trade sporadically within the LCEGS sector. Decreases in company numbers can therefore be a result of trading in other sectors, not that the company itself has ceased to trade.

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3. Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS and International Trade

3.1 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Exports

This section of the report addresses Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Exports over the past three years when compared with UK totals and then identifies leading LCEGS export products and services and their destination markets.



The value of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Exports was £268m in 2017/18 and has grown to £292m in 2019/20.

Growth between 2017/18 and 2018/19 was 3.0% and growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20 was 5.6%.

This is compared with MEH growth of 4.5% and 6.2% and UK growth of approximately 8.7% and 9.5% respectively.

Figure 45: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Exports (%) by Sub-Sector 2019/20



Leicester and Leicestershire LEP represented 10% of all MEH LCEGS exports in 2019/20. This is in line with Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's 10% of overall MEH Sales.

Figure 45 shows the proportion of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS exports by Level 2 sub-sector, with Wind (18%), Building Technologies (14%), Alternative Fuels (14%), Photovoltaic (11%) and Water & Waste Water Treatment (8%) being the leading sub-sectors and accounting for 65% of all Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS exports.

This compares with the MEH proportions of Wind (17%), Building Technologies (15%), Alternative Fuels (15%), Photovoltaic (11%) and Water & Waste Water Treatment (8%) accounting for 66% of exports.





Figure 47: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Imports (%)

by Sub-Sector 2019/20

Figure 46: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Imports (£m) 2015/16 to 2017/18

The value of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Imports was £255m in 2017/18 and has grown to £269m in 2019/20.

Growth between 2017/18 and 2018/19 was 1.4% and growth between 2018/19 and 2019/20 was 4.0%.

This is compared with MEH growth of approximately 5.8% and 5.9% and UK growth of approximately 10.0% and 7.4% respectively.



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Leicester and Leicestershire LEP represented 10% of all MEH LCEGS imports in 2019/20. This is in line with Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's 10% of overall MEH Sales.

Figure 47 shows the proportion of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS imports by Level 2 sub-sector, with Wind (17%), Building Technologies (15%), Alternative Fuels (12%), Photovoltaic (11%) and Biomass (8%) being the leading sub-sectors and accounting for 63% of all Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS imports.



In Table 14 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS exports are shown by sub-sector for each of the three years of the report and have been expressed as a percentage of that sub-sector's overall sales. The overall average for 2019/20 is 10.5%, with only 1 percentage point variation between sub-sectors, which is consistent across the three years, indicating a stable and established export market.

Table 14: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Exports as a % of Sales 2017/18 to 2019/20

		2017/18				2018/19			2019/20		
				Exports			Exports			Exports	
			Exports	as a % of		Exports	as a % of		Exports	as a % of	
Level 1	Level 2	Sales £m	£m	Sales	Sales £m	£m	Sales	Sales £m	£m	Sales	
Environmental	Air Pollution	13.5	1.4	10.5%	14.1	1.5	10.3%	14.7	1.5	10.5%	
Environmental	Contaminated Land	13.4	1.4	10.5%	13.9	1.4	10.4%	14.6	1.5	10.4%	
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	17.2	1.7	10.1%	17.9	1.9	10.6%	18.7	2.0	10.6%	
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	3.6	0.4	10.9%	3.8	0.4	10.5%	4.0	0.4	10.5%	
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	2.6	0.3	10.5%	2.7	0.3	10.9%	2.9	0.3	10.5%	
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	7.5	0.8	10.9%	7.8	0.8	10.6%	8.2	0.9	10.6%	
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	142.0	15.1	10.6%	147.9	15.8	10.7%	154.8	16.3	10.5%	
Environmental	Waste Management	172.8	17.9	10.4%	179.7	18.2	10.1%	187.8	19.3	10.3%	
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	194.8	20.1	10.3%	202.8	21.2	10.5%	212.3	22.2	10.5%	
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	22.3	2.3	10.4%	23.2	2.4	10.2%	24.2	2.5	10.4%	
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	141.1	13.9	9.8%	146.9	15.7	10.7%	153.6	16.0	10.4%	
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	353.0	38.0	10.8%	367.4	39.7	10.8%	384.4	39.5	10.3%	
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	361.7	38.8	10.7%	376.6	38.0	10.1%	394.1	41.2	10.4%	
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	9.0	0.9	10.2%	9.4	1.0	10.4%	9.8	1.0	10.2%	
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	
Low Carbon	Energy Management	55.9	5.7	10.3%	58.2	6.1	10.5%	60.9	6.3	10.3%	
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	
Renewable Energy	Biomass	193.9	19.8	10.2%	201.7	20.8	10.3%	210.8	22.0	10.4%	
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	112.2	12.0	10.7%	116.7	12.4	10.6%	122.1	12.9	10.6%	
Renewable Energy	Hydro	7.4	0.7	10.1%	7.7	0.8	10.9%	8.1	0.9	10.6%	
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	271.7	29.1	10.7%	282.7	29.6	10.5%	295.5	31.6	10.7%	
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	12.0	1.4	11.3%	12.5	1.4	11.1%	13.1	1.3	10.0%	
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0.3	0.0	12.0%	0.3	0.0	11.9%	0.4	0.0	10.1%	
Renewable Energy	Wind	436.5	46.4	10.6%	453.7	47.0	10.4%	473.9	52.3	11.0%	
Total		2,544.4	268.3	10.5%	2,647.6	276.4	10.4%	2,768.9	291.8	10.5%	

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In Table 15 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LEP's LCEGS available exports are shown by sub-sector for each of the three years of the report and have been expressed as a percentage of that sub-sector's overall exports. The overall average for 2019/20 is 24.3%, with subtle variation between sub-sectors.

			2017/	18	2018/19				2019/	/20	The sub-sectors
											with the highest
		Exports	Available	Available Exports	Exports	Available	Available Exports	Exports	Available	Available Exports	available export
Level 1	Level 2	£m	Exports Em	as a % of Exports	£m	Exports Em	as a % of Exports	£m	Exports Em	as a % of Exports	to export ratio
Environmental	Air Pollution	1.4	0.3	24.6%	1.5	0.3	23.8%	1.5	0.4	24.6%	
Environmental	Contaminated Land	1.4	0.3	24.7%	1.4	0.4	24.4%	1.5	0.4	25.2%	in 2019/20 are:
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	1.7	0.4	24.5%	1.9	0.5	25.0%	2.0	0.5	25.6%	Alternative
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	0.4	0.1	24.3%	0.4	0.1	24.9%	0.4	0.1	25.5%	Fuels 26.5%:
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	0.3	0.1	24.3%	0.3	0.1	24.6%	0.3	0.1	24.8%	Facis 201070)
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	0.8	0.2	24.4%	0.8	0.2	24.5%	0.9	0.2	24.2%	Environmental
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	15.1	3.8	25.5%	15.8	3.7	23.6%	16.3	4.0	24.3%	Consultancy
Environmental	Waste Management	17.9	4.4	24.7%	18.2	4.6	25.1%	19.3	4.7	24.3%	25.6%;
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	20.1	5.0	24.8%	21.2	5.2	24.4%	22.2	5.4	24.1%	Environmental
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	2.3	0.5	23.5%	2.4	0.6	23.9%	2.5	0.6	24.1%	Manitaring
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	13.9	3.5	25.0%	15.7	3.9	25.1%	16.0	3.8	23.5%	wonitoring
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	38.0	8.2	21.6%	39.7	9.6	24.2%	39.5	10.5	26.5%	25.5%; Carbon
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	38.8	9.9	25.4%	38.0	9.4	24.7%	41.2	10.1	24.4%	Capture and
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	0.9	0.2	24.5%	1.0	0.2	24.7%	1.0	0.3	25.3%	Storage 25.3%:
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	Bonowahlo
Low Carbon	Energy Management	5.7	1.4	24.4%	6.1	1.5	24.1%	6.3	1.5	24.2%	Reliewable
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.0	0.0	0.0%	consultancy
Renewable Energy	Biomass	19.8	5.1	25.8%	20.8	5.2	25.0%	22.0	5.3	24.3%	25.2% and
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	12.0	3.1	25.6%	12.4	3.1	24.9%	12.9	3.2	24.6%	Contaminated
Renewable Energy	Hydro	0.7	0.2	24.6%	0.8	0.2	25.7%	0.9	0.2	22.4%	Land
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	29.1	7.2	24.8%	29.6	7.3	24.7%	31.6	7.5	23.9%	
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	1.4	0.3	24.8%	1.4	0.3	24.4%	1.3	0.3	25.2%	Reclamation
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0.0	0.0	23.6%	0.0	0.0	25.1%	0.0	0.0	23.6%	and
Renewable Energy	Wind	46.4	11.6	25.1%	47.0	11.9	25.4%	52.3	12.2	23.2%	Remediation
Total		268.3	66.0	24.6%	276.4	68.3	24.7%	291.8	71.0	24.3%	25.2%

Table 15: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Available Exports and Available Exports as a % of Exports 2017/18 to 2019/20

This compares with the MEH sub-sectors with the highest available export to export ratio in 2019/20 of: Geothermal 25.0%; Building Technologies 24.9%; Marine Pollution Control 24.9%; Carbon Capture and Storage 24.9%; Environmental Consultancy 24.8% and Environmental Monitoring 24.7%.

Matrix

In Table 16 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS imports are shown by sub-sector for each of the three years of the report and have been expressed as a percentage of that sub-sector's overall sales. The overall average for 2019/20 is 9.7%, with less than 1.0 percentage point variation between sub-sectors, which is consistent across the three years, indicating a stable and established import market.

		2017/18				2018/19				
				Imports			Imports			Imports
			Imports	as a % of		Imports	as a % of		Imports	as a % of
Level 1	Level 2	Sales £m	£m	Sales	Sales £m	£m	Sales	Sales £m	£m	Sales
Environmental	Air Pollution	13.5	1.4	10.1%	14.1	1.4	9.9%	14.7	1.5	10.0%
Environmental	Contaminated Land	13.4	1.2	9.2%	13.9	1.3	9.6%	14.6	1.4	9.8%
Environmental	Environmental Consultancy	17.2	1.7	9.8%	17.9	1.9	10.4%	18.7	1.7	9.3%
Environmental	Environmental Monitoring	3.6	0.4	10.2%	3.8	0.4	11.1%	4.0	0.4	9.3%
Environmental	Marine Pollution Control	2.6	0.3	10.3%	2.7	0.3	10.2%	2.9	0.3	10.4%
Environmental	Noise & Vibration Control	7.5	0.7	9.5%	7.8	0.8	9.8%	8.2	0.9	10.7%
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	142.0	15.0	10.6%	147.9	15.2	10.2%	154.8	15.9	10.3%
Environmental	Waste Management	172.8	18.0	10.4%	179.7	16.7	9.3%	187.8	18.9	10.1%
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	194.8	18.7	9.6%	202.8	20.2	9.9%	212.3	21.4	10.1%
Low Carbon	Additional Energy Sources	22.3	2.1	9.5%	23.2	2.4	10.2%	24.2	2.3	9.4%
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	141.1	13.5	9.6%	146.9	16.0	10.9%	153.6	13.9	9.0%
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	353.0	36.1	10.2%	367.4	37.9	10.3%	384.4	32.1	8.3%
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	361.7	37.0	10.2%	376.6	36.9	9.8%	394.1	40.5	10.3%
Low Carbon	Carbon Capture & Storage	9.0	0.9	9.5%	9.4	0.9	9.4%	9.8	1.0	10.2%
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0
Low Carbon	Energy Management	55.9	5.5	9.9%	58.2	5.6	9.6%	60.9	6.4	10.6%
Low Carbon	Nuclear Power	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0
Renewable Energy	Biomass	193.9	19.0	9.8%	201.7	17.7	8.8%	210.8	22.1	10.5%
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	112.2	12.0	10.7%	116.7	11.4	9.8%	122.1	11.9	9.7%
Renewable Energy	Hydro	7.4	0.8	10.6%	7.7	0.7	9.6%	8.1	0.8	9.9%
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	271.7	26.7	9.8%	282.7	29.1	10.3%	295.5	29.4	9.9%
Renewable Energy	Renewable Consultancy	12.0	1.3	10.9%	12.5	1.3	10.4%	13.1	1.4	10.3%
Renewable Energy	Wave & Tidal	0.3	0.0	9.9%	0.3	0.0	9.3%	0.4	0.0	10.8%
Renewable Energy	Wind	436.5	43.0	9.8%	453.7	40.7	9.0%	473.9	44.9	9.5%
Total		2,544,4	255.2	10.0%	2.647.6	258.6	9.8%	2,768,6	268.9	9.7%

Table 16: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Imports as a % of Sales 2017/18 to 2019/20





Figure 48 shows the Exports plotted against the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Growth from to 2018/19 to 2019/20 for all Level 2 sub-sectors, with the bubbles sized according to the size of the Exports. Here we can see that the Wind and Building Technologies hold the most desirable positions of strong growth and large market. All other top 11 sub-sectors, with the exception of Water & Waste Water Treatment have strong growth. Markets that should be considered Export strengths include: Building Technologies and Wind in particular, but also all other top 11 sub-sectors, with the exception of Water & Waste Water Treatment have strong growth. Markets Waster & Waster Water Treatment have strong growth.



Figure 48: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Exports vs Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 2 Growth for 2019/20

Matrix

Figure 49 shows the Available Exports plotted against the Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Growth from to 2018/19 to 2019/20 for all Level 2 sub-sectors, with the bubbles sized according to the size of the Exports. Here we can see that the pattern is slightly different from the Export graph in figure 48, Alternative Fuels has moved to the right as there is more Export Market Available compared with Wind.

Figure 49: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Available Exports vs Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 2 Growth for 2019/20







The Top 12 destinations for Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS exports are shown in Figure 50. China is the top destination, followed by India, Thailand, Taiwan, Pakistan, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, Malaysia, Turkey, Poland, Singapore and Brazil.

The USA, Germany and France, who are three of the UK's largest trading partners, are conspicuously absent from the Top 12 destinations for LCEGS and this has been a feature of international trade in LCEGS since 2007/08 when the analysis first began.

The LCEGS sector has a very different trading pattern to other mainstream UK sectors, predominantly due to long term, historic trading relationships within this sector.



Kong

Arabia





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Brazil

Footer

3.2 Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS Priority Markets

Table 17 combines analysis of Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's LCEGS product and service exports with destination countries using a heat map. The table shows the value of exports in £m and then colour codes the values – dark green for higher values and white for lower values. The table has been simplified by excluding the lowest value destination countries and lowest value products/services. The results show the top 32 export destinations and the top 11 (out of 24) sub-sectors.

Level 1	Level 2	Australia	Brazil	Canada	Chile	China	Denmark	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Hungary	India	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Malaysia	Mexico
Environmental	Recovery and Recycling	0.23	0.53	0.42	0.06	1.34	0.32	0.27	0.29	0.74	0.39	0.92	0.23	0.27	0.29	0.58	0.14
Environmental	Waste Management	0.28	0.59	0.46	0.06	1.45	0.32	0.28	0.30	0.78	0.45	1.03	0.25	0.31	0.30	0.65	0.16
Environmental	Water & Waste Water Treatment	0.35	0.81	0.61	0.09	1.71	0.47	0.41	0.48	1.07	0.61	1.43	0.36	0.39	0.46	0.90	0.22
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuel Vehicle	0.37	0.84	0.66	0.10	1.95	0.52	0.42	0.47	1.12	0.65	1.53	0.38	0.48	0.50	0.99	0.24
Low Carbon	Alternative Fuels	0.56	1.60	1.10	0.16	3.03	0.85	0.81	0.74	2.11	1.06	2.75	0.71	0.61	0.75	1.79	0.36
Low Carbon	Building Technologies	0.53	1.20	0.98	0.15	3.29	0.77	0.65	0.74	1.73	0.97	2.30	0.58	0.67	0.68	1.45	0.37
Low Carbon	Carbon Finance	0.13	0.31	0.28	0.04	0.73	0.17	0.15	0.20	0.42	0.24	0.43	0.13	0.17	0.13	0.39	0.09
Low Carbon	Energy Management	0.10	0.24	0.18	0.03	0.55	0.14	0.12	0.13	0.33	0.18	0.50	0.11	0.11	0.14	0.26	0.06
Renewable Energy	Biomass	0.21	0.48	0.39	0.05	1.23	0.27	0.27	0.28	0.76	0.39	0.82	0.23	0.23	0.25	0.56	0.13
Renewable Energy	Geothermal	0.59	1.27	0.98	0.15	3.23	0.75	0.61	0.72	1.82	0.96	2.27	0.57	0.59	0.69	1.41	0.36
Renewable Energy	Photovoltaic	0.32	0.66	0.55	0.08	1.63	0.37	0.35	0.37	0.93	0.57	1.36	0.32	0.36	0.39	0.74	0.18
Renewable Energy	Wind	0.43	0.95	0.78	0.10	2.24	0.52	0.42	0.51	1.28	0.72	1.62	0.41	0.46	0.50	1.01	0.26
Level 1	Level 2	Netherlands	Pakistan	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Russia	Saudi Arabia	Singapore	A Africa	S Korea	Sweden	Taiwan	Thailand	Turkey	UAE	US
Level 1 Environmental	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling	Netherlands 0.36	Pakistan 0.92	Poland 0.56	Portugal 0.24	Romania 0.35	Russia 0.27	Saudi Arabia 0.70	Singapore 0.59	A Africa 0.28	S Korea 0.28	Sweden 0.18	Taiwan 0.93	Thailand 0.95	Turkey 0.58	UAE 0.49	US 0.19
Level 1 Environmental Environmental	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management	Netherlands 0.36 0.37	Pakistan 0.92 0.97	Poland 0.56 0.59	Portugal 0.24 0.24	Romania 0.35 0.40	Russia 0.27 0.28	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70	Singapore 0.59 0.59	A Africa 0.28 0.28	S Korea 0.28 0.31	Sweden 0.18 0.19	Taiwan 0.93 1.00	Thailand 0.95 1.07	Turkey 0.58 0.60	UAE 0.49 0.55	US 0.19 0.20
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment	Netherlands 0.36 0.37 0.54	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84	Portugal 0.24 0.24 0.34	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00	Singapore 0.59 0.59 0.76	A Africa 0.28 0.28 0.39	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76	US 0.19 0.20 0.27
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Netherlands 0.36 0.37 0.54 0.62	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79	Portugal 0.24 0.24 0.34 0.40	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07	Singapore 0.59 0.59 0.76 0.93	A Africa 0.28 0.28 0.39 0.39	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 1.26	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels	Netherlands 0.36 0.37 0.54 0.62 0.92	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55	Portugal 0.24 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84	Singapore 0.59 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33	A Africa 0.28 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 1.26 2.64	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies	Netherlands 0.36 0.37 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33 2.05	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02 0.81	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.68	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69	Singapore 0.59 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36	A Africa 0.28 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.54	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 1.26 2.64 2.05	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies Carbon Finance	Netherlands 0.36 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87 0.20	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33 2.05 0.58	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28 0.34	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64 0.16	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02 0.81 0.22	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.68 0.14	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69 0.37	Singapore 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36 0.35	A Africa 0.28 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67 0.15	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70 0.18	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.42 0.13	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15 0.47	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 1.26 2.64 2.05 0.60	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44 0.32	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21 0.25	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45 0.11
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies Carbon Finance Energy Management	Netherlands 0.36 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87 0.20 0.14	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33 2.05 0.58 0.44	Poland 0.56 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28 0.34 0.25	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64 0.16 0.11	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02 0.81 0.22 0.16	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.68 0.14 0.13	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69 0.37 0.30	Singapore 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36 0.35 0.25	A Africa 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67 0.15 0.11	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70 0.18 0.13	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.42 0.13 0.08	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15 0.47 0.43	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 2.64 2.05 0.60 0.41	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44 0.32 0.26	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21 0.25 0.23	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45 0.11 0.08
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Renewable Energy	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies Carbon Finance Energy Management Biomass	Netherlands 0.36 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87 0.20 0.14 0.33	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 2.33 2.05 0.58 0.44 0.75	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28 0.34 0.25 0.54	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64 0.16 0.11 0.21	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02 0.81 0.22 0.16 0.35	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.64 0.68 0.14 0.13 0.25	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69 0.37 0.30 0.63	Singapore 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36 0.35 0.25 0.54	A Africa 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67 0.15 0.11 0.29	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70 0.18 0.13 0.27	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.42 0.13 0.08 0.18	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15 0.47 0.43 0.88	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 2.64 2.05 0.60 0.41 0.89	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44 0.32 0.26 0.54	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21 0.25 0.23 0.45	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45 0.11 0.08 0.18
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Renewable Energy Renewable Energy	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies Carbon Finance Energy Management Biomass Geothermal	Netherlands 0.36 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87 0.20 0.14 0.33 0.79	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33 2.05 0.58 0.44 0.75 2.15	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28 0.34 0.25 0.54 1.28	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64 0.16 0.11 0.21 0.60	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.49 0.58 1.02 0.81 0.22 0.16 0.35 0.85	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.68 0.14 0.13 0.25 0.67	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69 0.37 0.30 0.63 1.53	Singapore 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36 0.35 0.25 0.54 1.37	A Africa 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67 0.15 0.11 0.29 0.61	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70 0.18 0.13 0.27 0.67	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.42 0.13 0.08 0.18 0.43	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15 0.47 0.43 0.88 2.27	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 2.64 2.05 0.60 0.41 0.89 2.13	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44 0.32 0.26 0.54 1.37	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21 0.25 0.23 0.45 1.20	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45 0.11 0.08 0.18 0.18 0.47
Level 1 Environmental Environmental Environmental Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Low Carbon Renewable Energy Renewable Energy	Level 2 Recovery and Recycling Waste Management Water & Waste Water Treatment Alternative Fuel Vehicle Alternative Fuels Building Technologies Carbon Finance Energy Management Biomass Geothermal Photovoltaic	Netherlands 0.36 0.54 0.62 0.92 0.87 0.20 0.14 0.33 0.79 0.47	Pakistan 0.92 0.97 1.31 1.58 2.33 2.05 0.58 0.44 0.75 2.15 1.13	Poland 0.56 0.59 0.84 0.79 1.55 1.28 0.34 0.25 0.54 1.28 0.72	Portugal 0.24 0.34 0.40 0.56 0.64 0.16 0.11 0.21 0.60 0.34	Romania 0.35 0.40 0.58 1.02 0.81 0.22 0.16 0.35 0.85 0.50	Russia 0.27 0.28 0.38 0.47 0.64 0.68 0.14 0.13 0.25 0.67 0.37	Saudi Arabia 0.70 0.70 1.00 1.07 1.84 1.69 0.37 0.30 0.63 1.53 0.87	Singapore 0.59 0.76 0.93 1.33 1.36 0.35 0.25 0.54 1.37 0.71	A Africa 0.28 0.39 0.38 0.86 0.67 0.15 0.11 0.29 0.61 0.37	S Korea 0.28 0.31 0.45 0.50 0.92 0.70 0.18 0.13 0.27 0.67 0.40	Sweden 0.18 0.19 0.25 0.32 0.54 0.42 0.13 0.08 0.18 0.43 0.23	Taiwan 0.93 1.00 1.36 1.19 2.27 2.15 0.47 0.43 0.88 2.27 1.27	Thailand 0.95 1.07 1.37 1.26 2.64 2.05 0.60 0.41 0.89 2.13 1.19	Turkey 0.58 0.60 0.81 0.92 1.66 1.44 0.32 0.26 0.54 1.37 0.77	UAE 0.49 0.55 0.76 0.86 1.42 1.21 0.25 0.23 0.45 1.20 0.64	US 0.19 0.20 0.27 0.31 0.50 0.45 0.11 0.08 0.18 0.18 0.47 0.24

Table 17: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 2 Exports by Country for 2019/20 in £m

Table 17 can be read horizontally to identify the strongest exporting sub-sectors i.e. Alternative Fuels, vertically to identify the strongest trading partners i.e. China, and using both vertical and horizontal you can identify strong niches like Geothermal to Taiwan and Building Technologies to India.

Matrix

Tables 18a, 18b and 18c apply the same conventions as Table 13, but this time broken down to Level 3, which reveals Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's priority exports in more detail. The tables show the same 32 destination countries but for 30 out of a total of 126 Level 3 market activities.

Level 2	Level 3	Australia	Brazil	Canada	Chile	China	Denmark	France	Germany	Hong Kong	Hungary	India
Recovery and Recycling	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01
Recovery and Recycling	Glass Stock Processing	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.01	0.20	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.09	0.05	0.13
Recovery and Recycling	Technologies, Research & Development	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.03
Recovery and Recycling	Waste Collection	0.10	0.22	0.18	0.02	0.57	0.14	0.12	0.13	0.32	0.17	0.38
Waste Management	Construction & Operation of Waste Treatment Facilities	0.08	0.19	0.14	0.02	0.41	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.28	0.13	0.29
Waste Management	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.01	0.19	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.05	0.15
Waste Management	Equipment For Waste Treatment	0.11	0.22	0.18	0.02	0.55	0.12	0.09	0.10	0.30	0.18	0.37
Waste Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.06	0.10	0.08	0.01	0.31	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.12	0.09	0.21
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Engineering	0.08	0.15	0.12	0.02	0.37	0.11	0.09	0.10	0.24	0.12	0.28
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Water Treatment and Distribution	0.27	0.65	0.48	0.07	1.32	0.36	0.31	0.37	0.81	0.48	1.13
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Alternative Fuels (main Stream) for Vehicles Only	0.27	0.61	0.51	0.07	1.46	0.41	0.31	0.35	0.81	0.50	1.13
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Other Fuels and Vehicles	0.10	0.22	0.15	0.02	0.48	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.31	0.15	0.39
Alternative Fuels	Main Stream Bio Fuels	0.09	0.26	0.23	0.03	0.53	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.35	0.23	0.43
Alternative Fuels	Other Bio Fuels	0.39	1.13	0.73	0.11	1.95	0.64	0.60	0.50	1.48	0.70	1.97
Alternative Fuels	Other Fuels	0.04	0.12	0.07	0.01	0.35	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.17	0.06	0.20
Building Technologies	Doors	0.12	0.29	0.25	0.04	0.87	0.23	0.14	0.21	0.47	0.23	0.62
Building Technologies	Insulation and Heat Retention Materials	0.10	0.22	0.20	0.03	0.56	0.13	0.11	0.14	0.29	0.16	0.41
Building Technologies	Monitoring and Control Systems	0.10	0.23	0.15	0.03	0.50	0.14	0.10	0.12	0.33	0.17	0.40
Building Technologies	Windows	0.20	0.46	0.38	0.06	1.36	0.27	0.30	0.28	0.65	0.40	0.87
Energy Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.04
Biomass	Biomass Energy Systems	0.08	0.21	0.16	0.03	0.56	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.37	0.18	0.35
Biomass	Biomass Furnace Systems	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.06	0.03	0.08
Biomass	Boilers and related Systems	0.07	0.16	0.13	0.02	0.42	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.23	0.13	0.28
Biomass	Manufacturing Of Boilers and Related Systems	0.04	0.07	0.07	0.01	0.14	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.10
Geothermal	Manufacture and Supply of Specialist Equipment	0.17	0.40	0.26	0.04	0.94	0.23	0.19	0.19	0.49	0.27	0.58
Geothermal	Suppliers of Systems	0.17	0.36	0.26	0.05	0.98	0.22	0.20	0.21	0.56	0.26	0.72
Geothermal	Whole Systems Manufacture	0.15	0.32	0.29	0.04	0.82	0.18	0.11	0.19	0.49	0.26	0.55
Photovoltaic	Other Related Equipment and Chemicals	0.07	0.14	0.11	0.02	0.37	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.22	0.12	0.29
Photovoltaic	Photovoltaic Cells	0.08	0.13	0.15	0.01	0.31	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.18	0.12	0.28
Photovoltaic	Systems & Equipment	0.16	0.37	0.28	0.05	0.87	0.20	0.19	0.18	0.49	0.32	0.74
Wind	Large Wind Turbine	0.18	0.44	0.29	0.04	0.91	0.21	0.14	0.19	0.56	0.32	0.64
Wind	Small Wind Turbine	0.10	0.22	0.23	0.03	0.56	0.15	0.13	0.15	0.37	0.21	0.48
Wind	Wind Farm Systems	0.15	0.29	0.26	0.03	0.76	0.15	0.14	0.17	0.36	0.19	0.50

Table 18a: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 3 Exports by Country for 2019/20 in £m



At Level 3 greater levels of detail are created that reveal more niche export markets, i.e. Other Bio Fuels to India, Large Wind Turbine to Taiwan and Thailand, Alternative Fuels (Main Stream for Vehicles Only) to Pakistan and Water Treatment and Distribution to China.

Level 2	Level 3	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Malaysia	Mexico	Netherlands	Pakistan	Poland	Portugal	Romania	Russia
Recovery and Recycling	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Recovery and Recycling	Glass Stock Processing	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.07	0.02	0.05	0.14	0.08	0.03	0.04	0.04
Recovery and Recycling	Technologies, Research & Development	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Recovery and Recycling	Waste Collection	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.25	0.06	0.16	0.39	0.23	0.11	0.14	0.12
Waste Management	Construction & Operation of Waste Treatment Facilities	0.07	0.10	0.09	0.21	0.05	0.13	0.31	0.18	0.08	0.13	0.08
Waste Management	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.09	0.02	0.05	0.13	0.07	0.03	0.05	0.04
Waste Management	Equipment For Waste Treatment	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.24	0.06	0.14	0.35	0.24	0.09	0.16	0.11
Waste Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.12	0.03	0.05	0.18	0.10	0.04	0.06	0.05
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Engineering	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.17	0.04	0.10	0.30	0.16	0.06	0.10	0.07
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Water Treatment and Distribution	0.28	0.31	0.36	0.72	0.17	0.43	0.99	0.67	0.27	0.38	0.31
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Alternative Fuels (main Stream) for Vehicles Only	0.28	0.39	0.38	0.77	0.18	0.48	1.23	0.60	0.29	0.43	0.35
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Other Fuels and Vehicles	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.22	0.06	0.14	0.35	0.18	0.11	0.14	0.11
Alternative Fuels	Main Stream Bio Fuels	0.10	0.14	0.15	0.28	0.08	0.16	0.45	0.29	0.11	0.16	0.10
Alternative Fuels	Other Bio Fuels	0.51	0.39	0.50	1.31	0.23	0.64	1.59	1.06	0.37	0.76	0.45
Alternative Fuels	Other Fuels	0.06	0.04	0.05	0.11	0.03	0.06	0.15	0.12	0.04	0.05	0.05
Building Technologies	Doors	0.13	0.15	0.16	0.33	0.10	0.21	0.54	0.33	0.16	0.23	0.18
Building Technologies	Insulation and Heat Retention Materials	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.24	0.06	0.15	0.37	0.24	0.11	0.15	0.12
Building Technologies	Monitoring and Control Systems	0.09	0.12	0.12	0.24	0.06	0.16	0.41	0.23	0.10	0.12	0.11
Building Technologies	Windows	0.25	0.28	0.29	0.64	0.15	0.35	0.73	0.49	0.27	0.31	0.28
Energy Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Biomass	Biomass Energy Systems	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.25	0.06	0.15	0.33	0.22	0.09	0.15	0.11
Biomass	Biomass Furnace Systems	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.06	0.01	0.03	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.03	0.02
Biomass	Boilers and related Systems	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.18	0.04	0.10	0.26	0.19	0.07	0.12	0.09
Biomass	Manufacturing Of Boilers and Related Systems	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.07	0.02	0.05	0.10	0.09	0.03	0.05	0.03
Geothermal	Manufacture and Supply of Specialist Equipment	0.17	0.15	0.19	0.39	0.11	0.23	0.54	0.33	0.17	0.22	0.16
Geothermal	Suppliers of Systems	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.44	0.10	0.21	0.68	0.42	0.17	0.25	0.20
Geothermal	Whole Systems Manufacture	0.13	0.15	0.17	0.34	0.09	0.20	0.53	0.31	0.15	0.23	0.18
Photovoltaic	Other Related Equipment and Chemicals	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.15	0.04	0.10	0.27	0.17	0.07	0.11	0.08
Photovoltaic	Photovoltaic Cells	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.18	0.05	0.12	0.22	0.16	0.08	0.13	0.09
Photovoltaic	Systems & Equipment	0.17	0.20	0.21	0.39	0.08	0.23	0.60	0.36	0.18	0.25	0.18
Wind	Large Wind Turbine	0.17	0.18	0.20	0.41	0.11	0.25	0.68	0.38	0.15	0.24	0.21
Wind	Small Wind Turbine	0.10	0.12	0.13	0.29	0.07	0.17	0.41	0.27	0.11	0.16	0.12
Wind	Wind Farm Systems	0.14	0.15	0.17	0.30	0.08	0.20	0.51	0.34	0.11	0.20	0.16

Table 18b: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 3 Exports by Country for 2019/20 in £m



Level 2	Level 3	Saudi Arabia	Singapore	South Africa	South Ko	Sweden	Taiwan	Thailand	Turkey	UAE	US
Recovery and Recycling	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.01	. 0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
Recovery and Recycling	Glass Stock Processing	0.10	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.15	0.12	0.09	0.06	0.02
Recovery and Recycling	Technologies, Research & Development	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01
Recovery and Recycling	Waste Collection	0.31	. 0.27	0.12	0.13	0.08	0.41	0.40	0.23	0.23	0.08
Waste Management	Construction & Operation of Waste Treatment Facilities	0.23	0.19	0.09	0.10	0.06	0.30	0.35	0.20	0.17	0.05
Waste Management	Consultancy, Training and Education	0.09	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.02	0.12	0.13	0.07	0.08	0.03
Waste Management	Equipment For Waste Treatment	0.26	i 0.21	0.11	0.12	0.07	0.39	0.39	0.20	0.23	0.08
Waste Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.12	0.12	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.19	0.21	0.13	0.08	0.03
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Engineering	0.21	. 0.15	0.09	0.10	0.06	0.28	0.31	0.16	0.16	0.05
Water & Waste Water Treatment	Water Treatment and Distribution	0.77	0.60	0.29	0.34	0.19	1.06	1.05	0.64	0.59	0.22
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Alternative Fuels (main Stream) for Vehicles Only	0.83	0.72	0.28	0.40	0.25	0.84	0.92	0.72	0.67	0.24
Alternative Fuel Vehicle	Other Fuels and Vehicles	0.24	0.20	0.10	0.10	0.07	0.35	0.34	0.20	0.19	0.07
Alternative Fuels	Main Stream Bio Fuels	0.29	0.24	0.14	0.12	0.09	0.39	0.43	0.23	0.24	0.08
Alternative Fuels	Other Bio Fuels	1.34	0.90	0.61	0.70	0.38	1.60	1.90	1.19	1.00	0.34
Alternative Fuels	Other Fuels	0.12	0.11	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.13	0.17	0.14	0.10	0.05
Building Technologies	Doors	0.49	0.32	0.15	0.18	0.12	0.57	0.54	0.37	0.28	0.10
Building Technologies	Insulation and Heat Retention Materials	0.26	i 0.22	0.12	0.13	0.07	0.40	0.31	0.26	0.23	0.08
Building Technologies	Monitoring and Control Systems	0.28	0.25	0.12	0.12	0.08	0.37	0.37	0.23	0.18	0.08
Building Technologies	Windows	0.67	0.56	0.27	0.27	0.15	0.81	0.82	0.58	0.52	0.18
Energy Management	Technologies, Research & Development	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.01
Biomass	Biomass Energy Systems	0.31	. 0.23	0.14	0.12	0.09	0.41	0.43	0.20	0.20	0.08
Biomass	Biomass Furnace Systems	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.08	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.01
Biomass	Boilers and related Systems	0.20	0.19	0.09	0.09	0.05	0.28	0.28	0.20	0.14	0.06
Biomass	Manufacturing Of Boilers and Related Systems	0.08	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.02	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.06	0.03
Geothermal	Manufacture and Supply of Specialist Equipment	0.49	0.40	0.18	0.18	0.11	0.57	0.67	0.36	0.29	0.14
Geothermal	Suppliers of Systems	0.45	0.42	0.20	0.22	0.13	0.63	0.65	0.37	0.36	0.15
Geothermal	Whole Systems Manufacture	0.30	0.33	0.12	0.16	0.11	0.64	0.42	0.38	0.34	0.10
Photovoltaic	Other Related Equipment and Chemicals	0.19	0.16	0.07	0.09	0.05	0.26	0.26	0.18	0.15	0.05
Photovoltaic	Photovoltaic Cells	0.18	0.17	0.10	0.09	0.05	0.30	0.24	0.15	0.13	0.05
Photovoltaic	Systems & Equipment	0.48	0.36	0.18	0.21	. 0.12	0.66	0.65	0.41	0.34	0.13
Wind	Large Wind Turbine	0.45	0.32	0.20	0.19	0.12	0.66	0.67	0.41	0.34	0.14
Wind	Small Wind Turbine	0.29	0.23	0.13	0.15	0.09	0.46	0.49	0.29	0.24	0.08
Wind	Wind Farm Systems	0.32	0.29	0.14	0.17	0.10	0.51	0.49	0.33	0.24	0.10

Table 18c: Leicester and Leicestershire LEP's Level 3 Exports by Country for 2019/20 in £m



Appendix 1

LCEGS Sector Definition

The **Low Carbon and Environmental Goods and Services** (LCEGS) is divided into three Level 1 subsectors - Environmental, Renewable Energy and Low Carbon. These are in turn divided into 24 Level 2 sub-sectors:

- The Environmental sub-sector is made up of the following: Air Pollution Control, Contaminated Land Reclamation & Remediation, Environmental Consultancy, Environmental Monitoring, Marine Pollution Control, Noise & Vibration Control, Recovery & Recycling, Waste Management and Water Supply & Waste Water Treatment.
- The Renewable Energy sub-sector is made up of the following: Biomass, Geothermal, Hydro, Photovoltaic, Renewable Energy Consultancy, Wave & Tidal and Wind.
- The Low Carbon sub-sector is made up of the following: Additional Energy Sources, Alternative Fuels & Vehicles, Alternative Fuels, Building Technologies, Carbon Capture & Storage, Carbon Finance, Energy Management and Nuclear Power.

Environmental activities include 9 Level 2 sub-sectors, divided into 47 Level 3 activity groupings:

- Air Pollution includes indoor and industrial air quality and emissions control.
- Contaminated Land Reclamation/Remediation includes Decommissioning of Nuclear Sites.
- Environmental Consulting includes consulting, training & other services.
- Environmental Monitoring includes analysis, monitoring and instrumentation.
- Marine Pollution and Noise & Vibration Control both include abatement, consulting and R&D.
- Recovery & Recycling includes Waste Collection and various recycling processes
- Waste Management includes Waste Treatment Facilities & Equipment, consulting and R&D
- Water Supply and Waste Water Treatment includes treatment, distribution, consulting and R&D.

Low Carbon includes 8 Level 2 sub-sectors, divided into 49 Level 3 activity groupings:

- Carbon Finance includes Credits Finance, Fund Management, Trading and Research
- Carbon Capture & Storage includes Capture, Pipeline, Storage and Engineering.
- Energy Management includes Lighting, Heating & Ventilation and Engineering.
- Nuclear Power includes Construction, Commissioning, Operations, Engineering and Testing Services.
- Additional Energy Sources include Energy Storage Research, Fuel Cells & Hydrogen.
- Alternative Fuels & Vehicles includes main stream and other vehicle fuels.
- Alternative Fuels includes Main Stream and other Bio Fuels, Batteries and Other Fuels.
- Building Technologies includes Doors, Windows, Monitoring & Control Systems and Insulation/Heat Retention Materials.

Renewable Energy includes 7 Level 2 sub-sectors, divided into 30 Level 3 activity groupings:



- Wind includes Large Turbines, Small Turbines and Wind Farm Systems.
- Wave & Tidal includes Ebb & Flood, Pumps & Equipment, Turbine & Generation etc.
- Photovoltaic includes Systems & Equipment, Cells and Chemicals.
- Hydro includes Turbines, Pumps, Electricity Supply and Dams.
- Geothermal includes Whole Systems, Specialist Equipment, Consulting and R&D.
- Biomass includes Energy, Furnace, Boilers and Related Systems.
- Renewable Energy consulting includes specialist consulting and legal advice.

Further detail on the Level 2 sub-sectors are provided below in their Level 1 groupings:

Environmental

Air Pollution Control sub-sector includes a wide range of manufacturing, operations, consulting and engineering functions that relate to improving and maintaining air quality. It includes:

- Emission Control sensing and monitoring systems and technologies.
- Indoor Air Quality Control (domestic and industrial) through ventilation, cooling and purification systems.
- Dust & Particulate control through installed technologies like filters, towers, scrubbers, cyclones and eliminators.
- Process Engineering for odour control and other cleaner technologies.
- Industrial Emission Control technologies and equipment (manufacture, installation, operations and maintenance).
- Emission Control through manufacture, installation and operation of sampling, control and evaluation systems.

Contaminated Land Reclamation and Remediation sub-sector includes all activities that bring land back into agricultural, industrial, community or commercial use. This includes longer term activities like the decommissioning of nuclear sites.

Remediation and land reclamation include land forming, bunds, geotextiles, storage & containment, oil interceptors, drainage systems, monitoring systems, proprietary treatment processes, sampling & analysis, site investigation, specialist cleaning services, cleaner technology R&D, surface & ground water services, organic waste composting and other services.

Decommissioning includes equipment, consulting, project management, safety critical assessment, pollution control, enviro risk analysis & impact assessment, recycling & compaction, waste collection & containment, waste water treatment, site assessment, excavation, sampling & analysis and monitoring.

Environmental Consulting and Services sub-sector includes consulting, training and management services that are specific to the environmental sector. It includes:

• Specialist consulting - habitat assessment, regulations, compliance and management systems, audits and impact assessment, eco design, eco-investment, climate change modelling, insurance and bio-diversity advice & assessment.



- Manpower and executive recruitment, temporary and permanent recruitment, contracted and interim management services.
- Management services general consulting, financial, IT, software and marketing services.
- Training and education publications, online publications, teaching aids, newsletters and courses for waste management, waste water treatment etc.

Environmental Monitoring, Instrumentation and Analysis sub-sector includes activities that measure water, soil and air quality and that support wider pollution control activities in other land, water, marine or air- based environmental sub-sectors. It includes:

- Environmental monitoring- development of cleaner monitoring processes and technologies, vehicle testing, oil spill detection, food testing, nitrate levels, meteorological, water/soil/air quality testing and monitoring.
- Instrumentation equipment & control manufacture, supply, maintenance and development of instrumentation, laboratory equipment and software for environmental/air/water/land/marine analysis.
- Environmental analysis laboratory testing, data logging & recording, quality reporting, collection & collation of samples, auto sampling systems, in-field measurement and reporting and R&D in water, soil and emissions analysis.

Marine Pollution Control sub-sector includes responses to pollution hazards at sea and also discharged from land-based sources. It includes the following products and services for deep sea, coastal waters and inland waterways. It includes:

- Marine pollution abatement manufacture, supply and maintenance of booms, chemical discharge treatment equipment, solid & liquid waste/radioactive containment and treatment equipment and monitoring services, spillage clean-up services, shoreline & shallow water remediation and maintenance services and collection & containment services.
- R&D cleaner processes and technologies, monitoring systems, oil absorbents, boom and containment systems, water containment and treatment technologies.
- Specialist consulting and training chemical discharge prevention, education, policy & planning, training, publications, sewerage discharge management, radioactive waste management and solid and liquid waste management.

Noise & Vibration Control sub-sector includes all activities that prevent or control noise and vibration pollution. It includes:

- Noise abatement manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of barriers, acoustic management equipment, noise insulation, noise & vibration control and monitoring equipment, acoustic management equipment, noise insulation materials, monitoring services, large plant services and surface modifications.
- R&D noise attenuation, noise sensing, vibration sensing, vibration control and noise & vibration abatement equipment and cleaner technologies and process by development.
- Consulting and training consulting, publications, training and noise monitoring services.

Recovery & Recycling sub-sector includes all activities relating to the collection and processing of domestic and industrial waste products. It includes:

 Waste collection - manufacture, supply, installation and operation of equipment and services for collection of household, industrial and hazardous waste, treatment of waste prior to landfill and supply of pre-treated recyclates.



- Engineering & equipment engineering services and process control for the complete range of recycling stock
- Consulting & training collection and processing consultancy and training, publishing, legal & insurance advice.
- R&D metals recovery, pyrolysis, bio-based systems, new recyclable materials, new collection & processing technologies.
- Recycling stock recovery, recycling, processing, sorting, supply and packaging of rubber, plastics, paper, oil, electrical, electronics, glass, composting, construction & demolition, automotive, wood and textiles stocks.

Waste Management sub-sector includes the treatment/management of domestic and industrial waste that cannot otherwise be recycled. It includes:

- Construction & operation of waste treatment facilities for anaerobic digestion, composting, incineration, landfill, waste to energy conversion and the supporting engineering services.
- Equipment for Waste treatment, manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of bio filters, bio reactors, collection equipment, grease traps, oil interceptors, materials processing equipment, monitoring & control equipment and nightsoil & landfill leachate treatment.
- R&D incineration technologies, energy from waste systems, cleaner processing & treatment technologies, disposal of hazardous waste and other materials processing technologies.
- Consultancy and training books, periodicals & publications, specialist consulting and training for asbestos, hazardous materials and other waste management systems.

Water Supply and Waste Water Treatment sub-sector includes activities relating to the treatment of pollutants in the water supply. It includes:

- Water treatment and distribution, manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of systems for activated sludge, aerobic & anaerobic treatment, biological odour & corrosion control, demand management & leakage reduction, effluent treatment, filters, microbial treatment, screens, sequencing batch reactors, water disinfection and storm/grey water treatment.
- Engineering field engineering, pipe & valve maintenance, fitting & construction, fabrication & welding and engineering design.
- R&D water purification, water management, black/grey water treatment, biocides, bio reactors and aerobic/anaerobic treatment technologies.
- Consulting and training engineering and water management training, publishing and specialist consulting for water systems treatment, management and engineering.

Renewable Energy

Biomass Energy sub-sector includes all activities that convert biomass into energy but excludes biomass materials (see Alternative Fuels). It includes:

- Biomass furnace systems manufacture, supply, consulting, design, installation, engineering and other services for domestic, industrial and community applications.
- Biomass energy systems manufacture, supply, consulting, design, installation, engineering and other services for domestic, industrial and community applications.
- Manufacture of biomass boilers and systems including boilers, cogeneration, heat exchange and packaged power systems for domestic, industrial and community applications.



- Biomass boilers and related systems including supply, consulting, design, engineering, installation and other services for boilers, cogeneration, heat exchange and packaged power systems for domestic, industrial and community applications.
- Technical and operational consulting.

Geothermal Energy sub-sector includes all activities relating to the extraction and use of heat generated from the earth. It includes:

- Manufacture and supply of specialist thermally enhanced equipment grout, heat pumps, pipes, flow control valves, drilling equipment, installation rigs and ancillary equipment.
- Whole systems manufacture and supply for industrial, residential and community geothermal energy applications.
- Component design and research design services, component research and component recycling.
- Consulting & related services architectural, construction, systems design, consulting, engineering, installation and project development services.

Hydroelectric Energy sub-sector includes activities that help to extract energy from river and other water sources held in dams (as opposed to wave or tidal energy) that is used to drive turbines and generators. Large scale civil engineering/construction activities associated with dam building have not been included in this analysis. It includes:

- Turbines manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of turbine generators, control systems, spares and structural supports and fittings.
- Dams & structures manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of dam operational systems, control systems, maintenance services and sluice gates and actuators.
- Pumping & lubrication manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of pumps, spares, storage and lubrication systems and spares.
- Electricity supply manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of power factor, power distribution and grid connections and supporting structures.

Nuclear Power sub-sector includes all activities that relate to the generation of nuclear power, excluding decommissioning of nuclear sites. It includes:

- Nuclear safety engineering services, regulatory compliance, reactor management, fail-to-safety engineering.
- Nuclear power plant operations management, engineering and PR.
- Nuclear cooling equipment manufacture, installation and maintenance.
- Construction of plant and equipment site development, reactor and buildings and power plant/equipment construction.
- Commissioning engineering services cooling & thermal control, engineering maintenance, instrumentation, power distribution, reactor & plant commissioning.
- Sampling & testing services thermal control testing, remote monitoring, back-up plant monitoring and effluent discharge testing.
- Nuclear scientific services research, laboratory testing and fuel management.

Photovoltaic Energy sub-sector includes all activities that help to convert solar radiation into useable energy. It includes:

• Chemicals - production and supply of solar chemicals and solar pond salt.



- Systems & equipment manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of active and batch systems, clerestory windows, light shelves and tubes, solar box cookers, solar combi-systems and solar lighting design.
- R&D solar power and solar car research.
- Photovoltaic cells manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of photovoltaic modules, mounting systems, ancillary components, cells and cell materials.
- Other equipment & chemicals manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of glass houses, convection towers, heliostats, parabolic collectors, turbines, trough collectors, towers and solar trackers.

Renewable Energy Consulting sub-sector includes consulting and legal services specific to Renewables i.e. not included in general or specific environmental consulting. It includes:

- Legal services wind farm location and other renewable energies.
- Consulting turbines, solar and photovoltaic applications, public sector and corporate Renewables policies, nuclear energy, insulation technologies and alternative fuel technologies.

Wave & Tidal Energy sub-sector includes all activities that help to convert the energy from waves and tides into usable power (also known as marine renewable energy). It includes:

- Turbines & generators the manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of tidal turbines, structural supports and fittings, spares and turbine control systems.
- Pumps & equipment the manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of pumps and pump spares.
- Two basin schemes provision of structural engineering and field maintenance services.
- Ebb & flow systems manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of ebb and flood generation systems.
- Assessment & Measurement waves, water levels, turbidity, tidal energy, sediment, salinity pollutants, fish stocks monitoring and local/global environmental impact assessment.
- Other general services financial planning, operational and maintenance services.

Wind Energy sub-sector includes all activities that convert wind power into usable energy. This includes wind farm systems, large and small wind turbines. The sub-sector is divided by size of turbine rather than location (onshore and offshore) because it is easier to differentiate and map supply chain activities in this way. It includes:

- Wind farm systems manufacture, supply, installation, operation and maintenance of integration, power plant, power control, grid entry equipment and systems and electrical and mechanical componentry.
- Small wind turbines manufacture, supply, installation, operation and maintenance of small turbine systems (blades, towers, fixing structures, cowlings, enclosures, gear boxes and drive trains), componentry and research.
- Large Wind Turbines manufacture, supply, installation, operation and maintenance of large turbine systems (blades, towers, fixing structures, cowlings, enclosures, gear boxes and drive trains), componentry and research.



Low Carbon

Additional Energy Sources sub-sector groups together R&D, Design and Prototyping activities relating to a range of new Low Carbon energy sources.

These energy sources include: Fuel Cells, Hydraulic Accumulators, Hydrogen, Molten Salt, Thermal Mass, Compressed Air, Superconducting Magnets and more general energy storage research.

This is a small sub-sector (in value and impact) because only energy sources that have a current economic footprint (i.e. trading) are included. This excludes a number of promising energy sources that are still in development and for which economic evidence is not yet available.

Alternative Fuel and Vehicles sub-sector includes Low Carbon Fuel and technology activities that relate to (predominantly) automotive transport. It is divided into Alternative Fuels (main stream) and Other Fuels and Vehicles. This sub-sector does not include bio diesel (see Alternative Fuels). It includes:

- Alternative Fuels includes the production, supply and distribution of Natural Gas (Compressed or Liquefied), Synthetic Fuel and Auto Gas (LPG, LP Gas or Propane).
- Other Fuels and Vehicles includes vehicle technologies and fuel sources that are still at an early stage.
- Research, Design, Development and Prototyping activities are included for: Hydrogen fuel cells and hydrogen internal combustion, Electric, Hybrid Electric, Steam powered, Organic waste fuel, Wood gas, Solar powered and Air, Spring & Wind powered vehicles.

Alternative Fuels sub-sector includes a wide range of Low(er) carbon fuel sources that are not included under Renewable Energy. It includes the manufacture, production, supply and distribution of:

- Batteries chemicals, chargers, controllers, cables, connectors, containers, suppliers and testing equipment.
- Bio fuels for Vehicles bio diesel, butanol, ethanol and vegetable oils.
- Mainstream Bio fuel applications (non-transport) bio diesel, butanol and ethanol.
- Other Bio fuels biomass, methane, peanut oil, vegetable oil, wood and woodgas.
- Other fuels Hydrogen.

Building Technologies sub-sector includes main stream building materials and systems that contribute to reduced energy use and to lowering the carbon footprint of buildings. It includes:

- Windows the manufacture, supply, distribution, installation and development of double glazed, electro chromatic, insulated alloy, honeycomb and triple glazed units.
- Doors the manufacture, supply, distribution, installation and development of insulated alloy and plastic doors.
- Insulation and heat retention materials the manufacture, supply, distribution, installation and development of insulation materials, heat retention surfaces & ceramics, electronic control systems and controlled venting and ducting systems.
- Monitoring and control systems the manufacture, supply, distribution, installation and development of energy and distributed energy control, monitoring, management and analysis systems.



Carbon Capture & Storage sub-sector includes activities that store carbon emissions - from locations like power plants and prevent them entering the atmosphere. It includes manufacturing, supply, distribution, installation, maintenance, development and design of:

- Pre combustion capture systems
- Post combustion capture systems
- Oxy-Fuel combustion systems
- Pipeline systems and services
- Ship storage and discharge systems
- Ocean storage equipment and services
- Mineral storage equipment and services
- Geological storage equipment and services
- Engineering, project management and consulting services.

Carbon Finance sub-sector includes investment activities and financial instruments for emission reduction projects and carbon trading. This includes:

- Carbon credits finance and fund management land, project or general trading services from finance houses and investment funds.
- Carbon credits trading development and supply of trading systems, land/project/general trading houses and transactions.
- Carbon market intelligence carbon markets analysis & reporting and carbon trading by forecasting and reporting from journals, online, data providers or other publishing sources.
- Projects and verification data collection, verification, legal, project development, capacity development and carbon declaration services.
- Press and journalism financial press and periodicals, other journals, data providers and online services.

Energy Management sub-sector includes energy saving and power management activities for industrial and domestic use. It includes:

- R&D into high efficiency lighting, heating & ventilation, power, lighting, equipment & pumps and advance management systems.
- Gas Supply monitoring, meterage, leak detection & maintenance, gas supply control and manufacture of high efficiency consumer equipment and devices.
- Lighting manufacture, supply, distribution and installation of energy saving light bulbs & tubes, lighting and control systems.
- Heating & Ventilation manufacture, supply, distribution and installation of energy saving equipment and systems.
- Electrical manufacture, supply and installation of energy saving power control, building control, power consumption control & monitoring systems.
- Consulting and other services advice & consultancy, publication, training and design of management systems.



Appendix 2

The kMatrix Methodology

2.1 Introduction

This sector (until 2015) has not been well documented by government statistics, so the methodology works beyond standard industrial and market classifications and looks for multiple sources of industrial-based evidence to quantify market values. kMatrix is unique in how it identifies, assembles, evaluates, monitors and develops rules for the use of those sources to quantify 'difficult-to-measure' markets.

Market activities are only included when there are multiple data sources. These sources are screened to remove duplicate references to any single source and then shortlisted by removing outliers and unreliable sources. This shortlist is then screened again until some consistency in value is achieved.

Market values created in this way are then "reality tested" by comparing these values within and across sectors, against known national/regional industrial specialism, across nations, against known trade flows and recognised industry benchmarks.

This methodology is quantitative and data intensive. Its uniqueness resides in the ability to manage and select reliable sources that are specific to each market activity. The data sources are global in nature and derive from government, private sector, institutional, industrial, trade, advertising, HR, financial, investor, academic and other (unpublished) sources. Up to 900 sources are used to compile the national LCEGS data set.

Sources are carefully managed. kMatrix measure and rate their sources' accuracy and reliability over time and exclude sources that are outdated or without a measurable track record. They use no less than seven qualified sources showing some consistency in results for deriving any values that they print. They create a mean value from these selected values and then assign a confidence level (generally of about 85%) based upon the spread of selected values around the mean

In contrast to most research or consulting reports kMatrix do not identify, copy and then acknowledge single data sources for specific tables or analytical comments. This is impossible for them to do because they multi-source every aspect of their data and then "transform" it into a new value. This makes single source attribution meaningless.

2.2 Measures

Throughout this dataset the focus is on a small number of key measures. To summarise, these are:

- Sales This is the estimate (in £m) of economic activity by identified companies in a defined region within the supply/value chain for market products and services. The estimate is based upon where sales activity takes place rather than where it is reported.
- **Companies** This is a measure of the total number of companies in a defined region that match, or fit within, the market activity headings.



- **Employment** This is a measure of the estimated employment numbers across all aspects of the supply/value chain. National, regional and other economic data sources have been used to estimate current employment levels for each area of market activity.
- Growth This is a multi-year measure that includes historical AND forecast growth. The growth
 measure is derived from live, rapidly changing and multi-sourced data links and is specifically
 based upon growth in Sales. Growth is generally a measure of increased market opportunity
 and can be used for trend analysis, comparison across different markets or as a moving
 indicator of market confidence (growth time series).
- **Exports** This is a measure of products and services sold overseas and is calculated using incountry/out-of-country data and additional data from the logistics and freight forwarding industry.

2.3 kMatrix's Methodology

The methodology for sector analysis is definition and source-driven. The definition determines WHAT gets measured and the source model determines HOW it gets measured.

All of the data measures are multi-sourced, and the process starts by defining the financial value of the sector (based upon our inclusive definition) from a wide variety of sources.

When kMatrix create a sector definition they always check that multiple sources of economic data exist for each included activity. This financial value is checked against existing sector values and also against the value of other economic sectors.

This is an iterative process that continues until they arrive at robust values and comparisons for all activities within the sector (comparative values of Wind vs. Photovoltaic vs. Biomass) that can then be meaningfully compared across global economies (UK vs. US vs. China etc.) and across different sectors (environmental consultancy vs. other specialist consulting activities). It is important that the methodology triangulates economic values in this way so that they:

- a) Can exclude the research bias that often occurs from focusing on a single sector in a single country and
- b) Ensure that they are effectively monitoring a sector that is still evolving by absorbing activities often included in other sectors.

Sales

The key measure that is used for financial value is Sales i.e., the value of sector products and services sold either to other businesses or directly to consumers from the geographically located company base, whether it be national, regional, sub-regional or Local Authority. This means that the analysis only includes activities where there is a measurable economic footprint. It does not include publicly-funded research or pre-commercial consumption of funds, except where those activities result in the purchase of product and services from third parties

As they derive the financial value for the sector they also assemble and assess the UK company base that is contributing to this value. In the first case they identify all "significant" or "specialist" companies, these are companies where LCEGS account for over 80% of company sales, and then the supply/value chain companies where LCEGS sales is an


important and measurable component of their overall sales - (over 20%). These percentages are indicative and vary for different LCEGS activities.

Companies

The company count acts as a further reality check on the financial value of the sector by comparing company turnover values in this and other sectors and also assists in the geographical analysis of where LCEGS value is created. For company counts and company listings we use standard data sources (FAME, Companies House etc), international sources, industry/trade sources, the advertising industry (YELL etc.) and, with caution, company-published information.

One important fact about the methodology is that in a typical SIC approach to sector analysis, a company is counted once and the value of its activities are very often assigned to a single category (which may or may not reflect what a company actually sells now), within a single sector and from a single geographical location.

This approach is to identify and assign value to different activities within a company that may fall within the same sector and to exclude values associated with different sectors. Where possible, they also break the reported activity down within larger multi-site companies so that only the value created within a region/LA is reported for that region/LA.

By analysing a sector in this way, they are able to capture the economic value generated by all "specialist" and supply/value chain companies, without any double counting of value. However, the methodology does mean that a single company may contribute value to multiple activities, and we have to be careful not to double-count companies. To avoid this we assign a company, for counting purposes, to the activity that accounts for most of its sector sales. This does mean that on some occasions some of the smaller activities in our analysis may have a financial value in the sales column but a zero in the company column.

Employment

When financial values and company numbers have been calculated the methodology then looks at the employment base for the sector. The analysis of employment includes HR/Recruitment industry data, trade/industry data, government statistics, company reported employment levels and a variety of industry benchmarks that show employee input ratios into different products and processes. They do not survey companies directly for this information.

From these different sources we calculate employment numbers for LCEGS sector activities, taking into account how staff can operate processes that produce products for different markets. We, therefore, measure our employment numbers in Whole Time Equivalents (WTE).

Growth

Sales Growth is both an historical and a forecast measure and the methodology applies the same multi-source rigour to assessing growth that has already occurred as to growth that may occur. Growth forecasting shows the importance of both multi sourcing AND tracking the historical reliability/accuracy of sources used. It is based upon continuous monitoring of forecast "opinions" that are constantly being updated and re-evaluated, as a result "in-year" measurements of predicted growth can vary depending on when the sample is taken and change as sources respond to events like recession.

For this reason, we measure annual growth as a) a value frozen at a point in time and b) a time series (monthly or quarterly) measured throughout the year. In this file we include only the single



(frozen) forecast. Separate files with detailed time series forecasts and trend analysis for the LCEGS sector are available.

Annual growth figures are useful in calculating and comparing the future contribution of sector activities beyond the current baseline. The percentage growth shows the RATE of change, the application of growth rates to the current sales baseline shows the IMPACT of change. Measuring the impact of change in financial terms shows how the ranking and importance of existing activities to the region/local authority may change over time and suggests when and where action may need to be taken to accommodate changes in the employment and company base.

The quoted growth rates in this dataset apply specifically to sales value. A growth in sales is indicative of changes in company numbers/employment but 5% sales growth does not necessarily equate to 5% employment growth. Companies can achieve growth in different ways and the recession has shown that companies will consume any "slack" before creating new jobs.

Geography

The methodology is designed to locate and measure economic activity at various geographical levels. The smallest unit of measurement is the Local Authority, but it can analyse data at county, sub-regional, LEP, regional and UK level.

When the methodology calculates and measures economic activity at the local authority level it takes into account existing local government boundaries, local GDP calculations and demographics, the postcode location of companies in the sector and any other local data that is available and relevant to the sector. When we measure sales and employment, therefore, our numbers are based upon where the business is located, rather than where people live.

There are some limits to what economic measures can be meaningfully or accurately applied at the local level. This is due to the range and specificity of data sources. Most of the economic development measures within this dataset can be accurately represented at a local level. Growth is an exception because rates cannot meaningfully be differentiated at a local level, therefore we apply regional growth rates throughout.



Appendix 3

LCEGS and Office of National Statistics Environmental Goods and Services Sector Comparison

The purpose of this appendix is to provide a brief description of some of the differences between the Office of National Statistics (ONS) Environmental Goods and Services Sector (EGSS) data and the LCEGS data provided by kMatrix. The two methodologies differ in the way data is collected, their methodologies, and in terms of their sector definitions.

kMatrix is a data house that specialises in providing evidential data for business modelling and analysis on a multi-sectoral basis. We provide back room services to the likes of Deloitte and PWC amongst others in the UK, New Zealand, Australia, US and the EU for sectoral analysis and due diligence for sectoral development and investment. We also provide our business and technology profiling services through these channels to market, as well as direct to universities for technology spinouts and individual businesses for development purposes. Further customers include government departments such as BEIS, Home Office and various local and regional government departments.

The ONS EGSS data is produced primarily for the purpose of national accounting. It is sector-specific, using narrow sector definitions and takes no account of the value or supply chains in a sector. In contrast, the kMatrix methodology was originally designed to help companies by measuring technologies or activities using small taxonomies, to assist with investment and developmental planning. This capability was expanded to provide market data for a number of economic sectors, by creating larger taxonomies to capture as much of the market as possible, including the supply and value chains. Each taxonomy for a sector will draw relevant activities from many other sectors, to fully capture all activity. In this way, the LCEGS taxonomy captures activities across multiple sectors and down the value and supply chains. This difference in *what* is being measured is the fundamental reason why the definitions used by ONS and LCEGS do not align.

The kMatrix methodology uses a unique process of 'triangulation' to measure metrics such as employment and other characteristics of a sector at varying levels of detail. This process has been developed over 30 years and has been adopted by various governments, universities and major corporates to provide economic industry data for hard to measure sectors. It is similar in concept to the triangulation of satellites to work GPS satellite navigation systems. The methodology uses multiple data points which can be economic or non-economic in origin, from a number of different sources to 'triangulate' the value of a product or service in question.

This process is different to the methodology used by the ONS to produce the EGSS data, predominantly because the ONS data relies on self-certification of companies into SIC codes, whereas the kMatrix methodology calculates values based on multiple sources of data. The ONS data is based on where companies choose to classify themselves. kMatrix data looks at the activities of companies and attributes those activities to different sub-sectors. In effect, the ONS system is limited to the ability or willingness of companies to list which sectors their products or services are used in, this method is likely to produce both over and underestimates of market size as companies will attribute more or less of their activities to relevant SIC codes. The kMatrix methodology does not rely on company cooperation but looks at their activities and breaks them down into the levels or sub-sectors they are relevant to.



The kMatrix process operates on a 'bottom up' basis, meaning we look at products and services delivered, rather than company classifications and turnover, which is classed as 'top down' (SIC system). The bottom up process was developed to assist individual companies based on sectoral analysis findings and provide evidential data and advice. By looking at the sector from the bottom up (by each activity, product or service), the sector can be determined in accordance with the relevant sector definition, whilst allowing the flexibility to 'add in' or 'opt out' of various activities depending on the purpose of the reporting. ONS data itself is not used to produce kMatrix figures, but the kMatrix values can be reported out through the ONS classification system if required.

Table 1 shows a comparison between employment analysis for the London region using the SIC classification methodology and the kMatrix methodology for the Manufacturing sector and the Construction sector.

Methodology	Sector	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
		Jobs	Jobs	Jobs	Jobs	Jobs	Jobs
SIC based	Manufacturing	106,750	108,250	106,750	112,000	108,000	105,250
SIC based	Construction	133,250	150,500	146,500	146,250	145,250	155,750
kMatrix	Manufacturing	137,351	135,943	138,951	141,873	140,308	131,230
kMatrix	Construction	166,629	195,334	177,915	184,022	184,317	199,038
Indexed number	ers for the rows	100	101.4	100.0	104.9	101.2	98.6
above show		100	112.9	109.9	109.8	109.0	116.9
that growth in	the	100	99.0	101.2	103.3	102.2	95.5
construction se	ana ectors is similar	100	117.2	106.8	110.4	110.6	119.4
for both the SIG definitions	C and kMatrix						

Table 1: Comparison of 2011 - 2016 Employment Data for SIC and kMatrix in London

Sector - LCEGS is made up of elements from many different traditional sectors (including manufacturing, finance, construction, consulting and energy) therefore as a grouping it includes products and services from those sectors that together amount to the total value of the LCEGS grouping.

Scale - The ONS system only produces estimates of the sector size at the country level, whereas the LCEGS data can be provided by Country, Region, City, Local Authority etc.



Table 2 shows a summary of the main differences between the kMatrix data and the ONS EGSS data.

	kMatrix - LCEGS	ONS - EGSS
Sector definition	The LCEGS sector includes the	The environmental goods and
	EGSS definition but expands it	services sector is made up of
	to include all activities that	areas of the economy engaged in
	contribute and enable growth	producing goods and services for
	in the sector. Those elements	environmental protection
	which are excluded from EGSS	purposes, as well as those
	which are produced for	engaged in conserving and
	purposes that, while beneficial	maintaining natural resources.
	to the environment, primarily	Excluded from the scope of EGSS
	satisfy technical, human and	are goods and services produced
	economic needs or that are	for purposes that, while
	requirements for health and	beneficial to the environment,
	safety are included in LCEGS if	primarily satisfy technical, human
	they contribute to the sector.	and economic needs or that are
	For more information please	requirements for health and
	see Appendix 3 and Appendix 4	safety.
-	of this report.	
Sector size measurement	Triangulation of data from	Company surveys via company
-	multiple sources	self-certification
Sector sales coverage	Full value of sales for the sector,	Only sector sales, not including
	including supply and value	supply or value chains
	chain	
Geographic range of	Global, Country, Regional, City	Country
coverage	& Local Authority	
Available data includes	Sales, number of employees,	Output, GVA, employee count
	number of companies, exports,	and exports
	growth rates (historical and	
	torecast) & 60+ more metrics	
For further information and	detail on the ONS – EGSS definitior	1:

Table 2: kMatrix and	ONS – EGSS	Comparison	Summary	Table

https://www.ons.gov.uk/economy/environmentalaccounts/bulletins/ukenvironmentalaccounts/2 010to2015

Appendix 4

LCEGS Scalability vs. GVA by Local Authority for Level 2

Blaby – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20





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Charnwood – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20







Harborough – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20







Hinckley & Bosworth – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20

RMatrix





Leicester – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20







Melton – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20

Reveatrix

Matrix



North West Leicestershire – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20

RMatrix





Oadby & Wigston – Scalability Index vs. GVA for 2019/20

Reveatrix



Appendix 5

LCEGS Current Employment, Skills Gaps and Forecasts for Net Zero 2030 and 2050 Scenarios for Top Level 2 Sub-sectors

Alternative Fuel Vehicle

		Alternative	Fuel Vehicle			Net Zerc	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	9	4	43.7%	13	12	-7.3%	15	18.7%	18	40.3%	44	236.0%
Snr Management SME	15	3	22.3%	18	19	7.4%	25	37.7%	30	67.1%	72	301.0%
Supervisory	21	5	23.2%	26	28	5.7%	37	41.0%	43	61.3%	106	299.6%
Middle / Junior Management	19	4	21.8%	23	25	8.0%	33	39.9%	39	67.6%	93	295.4%
Designer / Developer	2	1	44.9%	3	3	-9.8%	4	18.5%	4	40.9%	10	237.5%
Clerical	12	0	0.5%	12	16	30.4%	21	71.7%	25	99.1%	61	386.6%
Self Employed	13	3	21.9%	15	17	7.1%	22	40.3%	25	64.2%	60	291.0%
Advisor or Agent	21	5	22.7%	25	27	7.5%	35	40.3%	41	64.1%	99	292.2%
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Specialist or Consultant	4	0	7.9%	4	5	19.2%	6	56.6%	7	88.0%	18	348.0%
Editor	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Industrial Researchers	32	4	11.3%	36	42	16.6%	56	56.7%	66	83.2%	153	326.7%
Scientist	3	2	43.6%	5	4	-10.1%	6	19.8%	7	40.6%	16	230.9%
Maintenance Engineer	27	4	13.5%	30	35	14.1%	45	49.8%	55	80.2%	128	323.5%
Civil Engineer	4	2	44.8%	6	5	-9.8%	7	18.0%	8	38.5%	20	231.7%
Production Engineer	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Power distribution Engineer	4	3	68.7%	7	5	-22.9%	7	0.4%	8	19.7%	20	184.1%
Construction Engineer	5	2	33.6%	6	6	-3.6%	8	28.2%	9	49.8%	22	260.8%
Sales Exec	24	5	22.5%	30	31	5.9%	42	41.5%	50	69.3%	117	293.6%
Marketing Personnel	26	6	22.6%	32	33	5.6%	44	40.3%	52	64.2%	123	290.8%
General Semi Skilled Worker	20	1	4.6%	20	26	24.6%	33	62.8%	40	94.8%	94	358.7%
General Labour	34	0	0.0%	34	44	30.1%	58	71.4%	68	101.3%	164	386.5%
Other Employees	24	3	10.6%	26	31	18.3%	40	54.4%	48	81.5%	114	333.2%
Administrative workers	17	1	4.6%	18	22	24.9%	29	64.9%	35	95.4%	80	353.3%
Total	335	56	16.6%	391	437	11.8%	576	47.2%	679	73.7%	1,615	313.1%



Alternative Fuels

		Alternat	ive Fuels			Net Zerc	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Cas	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	66	23	35.0%	88	85	-3.5%	112	26.1%	135	52.1%	318	259.4%
Snr Management SME	51	10	18.9%	61	67	9.6%	88	43.9%	103	69.6%	248	306.7%
Supervisory	72	13	18.3%	85	94	10.1%	123	44.3%	144	68.9%	346	306.5%
Middle / Junior Management	65	13	20.1%	78	85	8.0%	112	42.4%	133	70.0%	312	298.7%
Designer / Developer	11	4	31.8%	15	15	-2.1%	20	32.3%	23	54.5%	56	270.8%
Clerical	34	0	0.3%	34	45	30.8%	60	73.8%	69	101.2%	165	377.2%
Self Employed	19	3	18.6%	22	24	8.2%	32	45.4%	37	65.2%	91	309.1%
Advisor or Agent	2	0	17.6%	2	2	9.3%	3	45.4%	3	65.7%	8	310.3%
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Specialist or Consultant	53	3	5.7%	56	70	24.4%	91	61.7%	110	96.6%	255	354.9%
Editor	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Industrial Researchers	23	2	8.9%	26	30	17.9%	40	57.7%	47	85.2%	111	336.2%
Scientist	45	16	36.0%	62	58	-5.1%	75	21.7%	93	50.2%	212	244.1%
Maintenance Engineer	82	9	10.7%	90	106	16.7%	141	56.4%	169	86.4%	396	337.7%
Civil Engineer	0	0	39.7%	0	0	-5.5%	1	24.9%	1	43.7%	1	238.8%
Production Engineer	48	25	52.0%	73	62	-14.3%	83	13.6%	95	30.8%	223	206.8%
Power distribution Engineer	15	8	51.4%	23	20	-12.6%	26	13.3%	30	33.5%	72	219.5%
Construction Engineer	0	0	27.2%	0	0	2.7%	1	38.8%	1	60.1%	2	280.6%
Sales Exec	71	12	16.8%	83	92	10.2%	122	46.8%	141	69.1%	344	312.8%
Marketing Personnel	76	14	17.9%	90	100	12.0%	127	41.5%	156	74.5%	368	311.3%
General Semi Skilled Worker	85	3	3.6%	88	110	25.7%	145	64.9%	171	95.4%	406	363.2%
General Labour	126	0	0.0%	126	167	33.0%	219	74.2%	251	99.7%	606	382.2%
Other Employees	74	7	9.1%	81	96	18.8%	126	55.6%	150	85.7%	353	336.7%
Administrative workers	45	2	3.4%	47	60	27.6%	77	64.5%	92	97.3%	216	361.1%
Total	1,064	166	15.6%	1,231	1,389	12.9%	1,821	48.0%	2,155	75.1%	5,110	315.3%



Biomass

		Bior	nass			Net Zerc	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Cas	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Cas	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	40	9	23.3%	49	52	6.6%	68	38.3%	80	62.6%	193	293.4%
Snr Management SME	149	16	10.8%	165	194	17.7%	255	54.2%	301	82.2%	723	337.5%
Supervisory	170	19	11.1%	189	221	16.9%	295	55.9%	344	81.9%	814	330.4%
Middle / Junior Management	150	16	10.8%	167	197	18.1%	256	53.9%	304	82.4%	727	336.8%
Designer / Developer	18	4	21.7%	22	23	5.9%	30	40.8%	35	63.9%	86	298.3%
Clerical	84	0	0.2%	84	111	31.4%	145	72.9%	167	98.6%	408	385.6%
Self Employed	8	1	11.3%	9	11	17.5%	14	51.2%	17	80.9%	40	334.1%
Advisor or Agent	2	0	11.4%	3	3	17.8%	4	54.3%	5	80.0%	12	330.3%
Educator	0	0	12.5%	0	0	11.1%	0	54.6%	0	81.6%	0	324.6%
Specialist or Consultant	89	3	3.3%	92	117	27.5%	155	68.5%	181	96.4%	429	366.9%
Editor	2	0	2.4%	3	3	27.4%	4	70.2%	5	95.1%	12	374.3%
Industrial Researchers	3	0	5.5%	3	4	24.2%	5	62.8%	6	92.6%	15	352.7%
Scientist	5	1	23.4%	6	7	6.6%	9	38.2%	10	60.9%	25	292.0%
Maintenance Engineer	153	11	6.9%	164	201	22.4%	267	62.8%	304	85.3%	740	351.2%
Civil Engineer	3	1	23.1%	3	3	7.2%	4	38.8%	5	64.0%	12	291.0%
Production Engineer	25	8	32.5%	33	33	1.1%	42	28.5%	50	52.3%	120	263.4%
Power distribution Engineer	76	26	33.9%	102	100	-1.9%	132	29.9%	155	52.0%	365	258.7%
Construction Engineer	3	0	17.3%	3	3	11.5%	4	46.5%	5	71.9%	12	311.1%
Sales Exec	80	9	10.7%	88	104	17.2%	137	54.6%	165	86.2%	389	339.7%
Marketing Personnel	87	9	10.5%	96	113	17.9%	149	56.0%	176	84.1%	414	332.6%
General Semi Skilled Worker	152	3	2.2%	156	199	27.8%	256	64.8%	310	99.1%	742	376.5%
General Labour	172	0	0.0%	172	224	30.0%	297	72.5%	348	102.3%	833	384.2%
Other Employees	232	13	5.4%	245	301	23.1%	400	63.3%	462	88.6%	1,116	356.0%
Administrative workers	84	2	2.1%	85	108	26.4%	143	67.6%	170	99.2%	408	377.7%
Total	1,788	151	8.4%	1,938	2,332	20.3%	3,073	58.5%	3,604	85.9%	8,635	345.5%



Building Technologies

		Building Te	chnologies			Net Zerc	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	69	9	13.5%	79	90	15.0%	118	50.3%	140	78.3%	333	322.7%
Snr Management SME	159	11	6.7%	170	208	22.5%	271	59.4%	319	87.7%	769	352.6%
Supervisory	176	13	7.1%	188	229	21.6%	299	58.8%	362	92.2%	852	352.5%
Middle / Junior Management	162	11	7.1%	173	212	22.5%	276	59.0%	326	87.9%	782	351.1%
Designer / Developer	19	3	13.4%	22	25	15.4%	33	50.9%	39	77.0%	93	321.6%
Clerical	88	0	0.1%	89	116	31.0%	152	71.2%	178	101.0%	424	378.2%
Self Employed	20	1	6.5%	21	26	22.1%	34	58.9%	40	89.9%	95	350.4%
Advisor or Agent	23	2	6.6%	24	30	24.0%	39	61.8%	47	92.4%	111	356.9%
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Specialist or Consultant	92	2	2.0%	94	119	27.4%	160	70.7%	185	97.6%	442	372.2%
Editor	1	0	1.3%	1	1	28.5%	1	69.3%	2	100.0%	4	371.0%
Industrial Researchers	42	1	3.5%	43	54	24.6%	71	65.5%	84	94.2%	199	360.4%
Scientist	6	1	13.9%	7	8	14.3%	10	49.9%	12	77.1%	29	323.6%
Maintenance Engineer	161	7	4.1%	168	210	25.4%	275	64.0%	321	91.3%	774	361.3%
Civil Engineer	10	1	14.7%	12	13	14.4%	17	49.3%	20	73.7%	48	318.0%
Production Engineer	22	4	19.4%	26	29	9.4%	38	45.0%	44	69.4%	105	300.7%
Power distribution Engineer	86	18	21.4%	104	112	6.8%	146	40.2%	173	65.9%	412	294.1%
Construction Engineer	18	2	9.6%	19	23	18.6%	30	54.2%	36	83.8%	85	338.0%
Sales Exec	81	6	6.9%	87	104	20.3%	139	60.2%	162	86.6%	390	350.1%
Marketing Personnel	86	6	6.5%	91	112	22.3%	146	60.2%	172	88.4%	409	347.7%
General Semi Skilled Worker	169	2	1.4%	171	223	30.0%	291	69.9%	341	99.3%	812	373.9%
General Labour	338	0	0.0%	338	444	31.0%	582	71.9%	683	101.7%	1,632	382.2%
Other Employees	238	8	3.2%	246	312	26.6%	407	65.1%	483	96.3%	1,156	369.4%
Administrative workers	99	1	1.5%	100	129	28.7%	168	67.3%	200	98.8%	473	370.8%
Total	2,165	109	5.0%	2,274	2,829	24.4%	3,703	62.8%	4,368	92.1%	10,426	358.4%



Energy Management

		Energy Ma	anagement			Net Zero	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current Er	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	13	6	46.9%	19	17	-11.1%	22	15.8%	26	38.6%	63	228.8%
Snr Management SME	21	5	22.9%	26	28	7.0%	36	37.8%	43	63.7%	104	294.1%
Supervisory	26	6	24.2%	32	34	4.9%	44	36.8%	53	62.7%	125	286.1%
Middle / Junior Management	24	6	23.1%	29	31	5.3%	40	36.9%	49	64.9%	115	292.1%
Designer / Developer	6	3	47.4%	9	8	-10.2%	11	16.3%	13	35.4%	31	230.6%
Clerical	13	0	0.5%	13	17	28.6%	22	71.9%	26	101.0%	61	369.8%
Self Employed	6	1	22.2%	8	8	5.9%	11	40.5%	13	68.2%	30	292.7%
Advisor or Agent	5	1	21.3%	6	7	7.6%	9	41.8%	11	66.3%	26	301.3%
Educator	0	0	18.4%	0	0	6.6%	0	45.9%	0	68.9%	1	295.3%
Specialist or Consultant	14	1	6.8%	15	18	22.6%	24	59.1%	28	89.9%	68	354.0%
Editor	2	0	4.8%	3	3	24.7%	4	67.1%	5	92.6%	12	362.5%
Industrial Researchers	5	1	11.3%	5	6	17.7%	8	55.5%	9	81.3%	22	332.6%
Scientist	3	1	49.3%	4	3	-13.4%	5	16.1%	6	36.7%	13	215.1%
Maintenance Engineer	29	4	13.5%	32	37	14.4%	49	51.1%	58	78.6%	136	319.0%
Civil Engineer	5	2	46.9%	7	6	-11.3%	8	17.0%	9	35.7%	22	224.1%
Production Engineer	6	4	72.8%	10	7	-24.6%	10	-0.4%	12	16.9%	27	176.3%
Power distribution Engineer	14	10	69.8%	23	18	-22.7%	24	2.6%	28	19.6%	66	184.4%
Construction Engineer	5	2	36.5%	7	7	-4.2%	9	25.6%	11	49.9%	26	253.2%
Sales Exec	15	3	22.4%	18	20	7.1%	26	40.5%	30	64.1%	72	290.1%
Marketing Personnel	15	3	23.2%	18	19	5.8%	26	40.5%	30	62.2%	73	295.6%
General Semi Skilled Worker	27	1	4.5%	28	35	23.9%	46	63.9%	55	93.0%	130	361.7%
General Labour	44	0	0.0%	44	59	32.2%	76	71.6%	89	100.4%	214	380.8%
Other Employees	36	4	11.4%	40	47	17.9%	62	55.6%	72	80.5%	174	334.2%
Administrative workers	15	1	4.7%	16	20	24.3%	26	63.9%	31	92.7%	74	364.7%
Total	349	66	18.8%	415	457	10.0%	599	44.3%	705	69.8%	1,682	305.2%



Geothermal

		Geoth	ermal			Net Zerc	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	20	9	45.3%	28	25	-10.4%	33	17.8%	39	38.9%	93	228.0%
Snr Management SME	70	16	22.4%	85	92	7.4%	119	39.4%	141	65.7%	337	294.5%
Supervisory	79	18	22.7%	97	103	6.9%	134	38.9%	157	62.9%	377	290.1%
Middle / Junior Management	72	16	22.3%	88	95	7.8%	123	39.9%	143	63.1%	343	289.4%
Designer / Developer	8	4	45.8%	12	11	-10.4%	14	17.3%	16	38.4%	39	228.2%
Clerical	38	0	0.5%	39	51	32.3%	66	72.3%	78	101.7%	182	373.4%
Self Employed	4	1	23.2%	6	6	5.4%	8	38.6%	9	63.5%	22	293.3%
Advisor or Agent	4	1	23.6%	5	5	5.5%	7	38.2%	8	64.2%	19	287.2%
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Specialist or Consultant	38	3	6.8%	41	50	22.4%	66	60.2%	77	88.0%	185	350.0%
Editor	2	0	4.5%	2	3	24.7%	4	64.8%	4	95.6%	10	355.7%
Industrial Researchers	3	0	10.7%	3	4	16.1%	5	54.7%	6	81.2%	13	332.1%
Scientist	2	1	45.0%	3	3	-9.9%	4	18.5%	5	39.1%	11	231.8%
Maintenance Engineer	73	10	13.7%	83	95	14.6%	124	49.1%	147	76.5%	356	327.3%
Civil Engineer	4	2	47.5%	5	5	-11.1%	6	15.6%	7	36.7%	18	227.9%
Production Engineer	13	9	68.7%	22	17	-22.4%	23	2.0%	26	19.9%	63	183.7%
Power distribution Engineer	36	26	70.9%	62	47	-23.7%	62	0.1%	73	18.0%	176	183.6%
Construction Engineer	3	1	35.0%	5	4	-2.8%	6	27.4%	7	47.9%	16	254.9%
Sales Exec	40	9	23.1%	50	53	7.1%	69	38.0%	82	64.7%	194	290.9%
Marketing Personnel	41	9	22.0%	50	54	7.5%	70	41.1%	83	65.5%	197	294.3%
General Semi Skilled Worker	74	3	4.6%	77	96	24.0%	126	63.8%	150	94.3%	357	362.1%
General Labour	117	0	0.0%	117	152	29.9%	200	70.8%	234	99.8%	564	382.3%
Other Employees	106	12	11.0%	118	139	18.1%	182	54.5%	217	84.2%	504	328.3%
Administrative workers	39	2	4.5%	41	51	24.9%	68	65.1%	79	91.9%	189	357.7%
Total	887	151	17.0%	1,039	1,161	11.8%	1,518	46.2%	1,789	72.3%	4,263	310.4%



Photovoltaic

		Photo	voltaic			Net Zerc	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	64	6	8.9%	70	84	19.0%	110	56.0%	131	86.0%	312	343.8%
Snr Management SME	178	8	4.4%	186	232	24.7%	305	64.1%	360	94.1%	852	359.0%
Supervisory	201	9	4.3%	210	264	25.6%	347	65.3%	406	93.3%	969	361.7%
Middle / Junior Management	181	8	4.5%	189	236	25.0%	310	64.1%	369	95.1%	857	353.2%
Designer / Developer	13	1	8.7%	14	17	20.5%	23	58.4%	27	84.5%	64	341.8%
Clerical	98	0	0.1%	98	127	29.8%	167	70.8%	198	102.8%	471	381.8%
Self Employed	10	0	4.6%	11	13	22.9%	17	60.5%	21	94.3%	48	350.1%
Advisor or Agent	1	0	4.8%	1	2	26.3%	2	60.1%	3	93.7%	6	364.7%
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Specialist or Consultant	89	1	1.4%	90	116	29.0%	154	71.2%	180	100.0%	423	370.6%
Editor	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Industrial Researchers	6	0	2.3%	7	8	27.4%	11	68.0%	13	96.4%	31	372.6%
Scientist	0	0	9.1%	0	0	16.7%	0	60.5%	0	86.2%	1	340.9%
Maintenance Engineer	182	5	2.7%	187	239	27.9%	313	67.4%	365	94.9%	863	361.2%
Civil Engineer	5	0	9.1%	5	6	18.3%	8	58.3%	10	86.7%	23	338.7%
Production Engineer	27	4	13.9%	30	35	15.6%	46	51.7%	54	76.4%	129	324.5%
Power distribution Engineer	93	12	12.7%	105	122	16.2%	161	52.6%	185	76.0%	440	318.4%
Construction Engineer	11	1	6.5%	11	14	20.3%	18	62.8%	21	88.0%	51	353.2%
Sales Exec	95	4	4.4%	99	127	27.9%	162	63.7%	194	96.2%	455	359.2%
Marketing Personnel	100	4	4.2%	105	132	26.7%	173	65.3%	207	97.9%	480	359.0%
General Semi Skilled Worker	190	2	0.9%	192	248	28.9%	327	70.4%	383	99.1%	907	372.0%
General Labour	265	0	0.0%	265	346	30.3%	455	71.7%	540	103.5%	1,275	380.6%
Other Employees	267	6	2.3%	274	356	30.2%	455	66.5%	542	98.1%	1,285	369.6%
Administrative workers	101	1	0.9%	102	133	30.1%	176	72.1%	205	100.9%	489	379.7%
Total	2,180	72	3.3%	2,252	2,857	26.9%	3,741	66.1%	4,412	95.9%	10,432	363.3%



Recovery and Recycling

		Recovery an	nd Recycling			Net Zerc	o by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Cas	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	46	17	37.1%	62	60	-4.6%	78	25.1%	92	47.2%	219	250.1%
Snr Management SME	48	10	19.7%	58	64	10.8%	82	42.1%	97	67.2%	231	299.5%
Supervisory	58	11	19.8%	69	76	10.0%	100	43.6%	118	69.3%	274	293.7%
Middle / Junior Management	52	10	19.4%	62	69	9.8%	89	42.2%	106	69.9%	253	304.5%
Designer / Developer	37	14	37.4%	51	49	-4.3%	64	25.4%	75	47.4%	180	252.0%
Clerical	28	0	0.4%	28	37	30.9%	48	72.1%	56	99.3%	133	377.9%
Self Employed	13	2	18.3%	16	18	10.3%	23	45.0%	27	71.8%	64	301.0%
Advisor or Agent	5	1	18.5%	6	6	9.4%	8	46.6%	9	66.9%	22	304.4%
Educator	0	0	15.9%	0	0	9.6%	0	47.5%	0	70.1%	1	298.6%
Specialist or Consultant	44	3	5.7%	47	57	23.4%	75	62.0%	88	88.7%	212	356.8%
Editor	2	0	3.4%	2	3	26.2%	4	70.0%	4	95.7%	10	364.0%
Industrial Researchers	11	1	9.5%	12	15	19.7%	19	56.8%	23	84.0%	54	339.9%
Scientist	10	4	37.2%	14	14	-4.5%	18	25.2%	21	47.6%	50	251.2%
Maintenance Engineer	65	7	10.7%	72	86	19.5%	110	53.3%	131	83.1%	309	330.0%
Civil Engineer	19	7	35.7%	26	25	-2.9%	33	26.0%	39	48.8%	93	253.8%
Production Engineer	25	13	54.6%	38	32	-15.6%	42	11.1%	49	30.6%	118	211.4%
Power distribution Engineer	36	20	55.4%	55	46	-17.0%	61	10.4%	72	29.9%	170	208.3%
Construction Engineer	22	6	27.8%	28	28	2.0%	37	34.0%	44	56.9%	105	276.4%
Sales Exec	46	8	18.3%	55	60	10.2%	79	43.8%	93	69.9%	220	303.2%
Marketing Personnel	39	7	18.2%	46	52	12.8%	67	45.8%	80	72.2%	187	303.3%
General Semi Skilled Worker	86	3	3.7%	89	111	25.2%	146	64.2%	172	93.6%	411	363.2%
General Labour	94	0	0.0%	94	124	30.8%	163	72.9%	189	100.5%	453	379.1%
Other Employees	72	6	8.6%	78	94	20.4%	125	61.4%	145	86.0%	344	342.5%
Administrative workers	38	1	3.7%	40	50	25.3%	66	66.0%	77	93.5%	184	362.0%
Total	897	152	17.0%	1,049	1,175	12.0%	1,539	46.7%	1,807	72.2%	4,297	309.6%



Waste Management

		Waste Ma	nagement			Net Zero	by 2030		Net Zero by 2050			
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario	Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case	Scenario
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)
Technicians	39	5	12.9%	44	51	17.2%	66	50.9%	78	78.0%	188	328.3%
Snr Management SME	62	4	6.8%	66	82	23.1%	106	60.6%	125	89.5%	301	354.9%
Supervisory	80	5	6.6%	85	107	25.2%	136	59.5%	161	89.1%	383	349.3%
Middle / Junior Management	72	5	6.6%	76	94	22.7%	122	59.8%	145	89.9%	342	347.9%
Designer / Developer	15	2	12.8%	17	20	15.8%	26	52.1%	31	79.4%	73	325.3%
Clerical	41	0	0.1%	41	53	30.5%	70	72.3%	82	101.0%	195	378.2%
Self Employed	20	1	6.7%	22	27	22.9%	35	60.2%	41	90.9%	98	353.5%
Advisor or Agent	25	2	6.9%	27	33	21.9%	43	60.0%	51	88.5%	121	350.6%
Educator	2	0	6.5%	2	2	23.6%	3	62.6%	3	80.0%	8	346.8%
Specialist or Consultant	41	1	2.0%	42	54	29.5%	70	68.4%	82	97.6%	199	377.7%
Editor	4	0	1.4%	4	6	30.2%	7	71.2%	8	99.7%	20	373.1%
Industrial Researchers	34	1	3.3%	35	44	25.5%	59	66.3%	70	98.6%	164	366.3%
Scientist	7	1	13.7%	8	9	14.4%	12	51.4%	14	77.2%	32	319.6%
Maintenance Engineer	88	3	3.9%	91	115	25.8%	150	64.4%	176	92.4%	424	364.9%
Civil Engineer	14	2	13.5%	16	18	15.9%	24	51.4%	28	80.0%	66	324.2%
Production Engineer	17	3	19.1%	20	22	9.5%	28	43.4%	33	69.0%	80	303.1%
Power distribution Engineer	44	9	20.3%	53	57	7.6%	76	42.7%	89	67.4%	212	299.8%
Construction Engineer	20	2	9.9%	22	26	19.7%	34	56.0%	40	82.9%	94	335.6%
Sales Exec	38	2	6.6%	40	49	21.9%	64	59.4%	77	89.7%	185	358.6%
Marketing Personnel	39	3	6.7%	41	51	23.0%	66	59.1%	79	91.3%	188	355.7%
General Semi Skilled Worker	79	1	1.2%	80	102	27.3%	137	70.2%	160	99.1%	380	372.9%
General Labour	53	0	0.0%	53	70	30.9%	92	72.6%	109	104.5%	257	382.5%
Other Employees	118	4	3.3%	122	154	26.1%	205	68.8%	235	93.0%	569	367.5%
Administrative workers	51	1	1.4%	52	67	29.2%	88	69.6%	103	98.3%	247	376.8%
Total	1,002	58	5.7%	1,059	1,311	23.8%	1,719	62.3%	2,020	90.7%	4,829	355.9%



Water and Waste Water Treatment

	Wate	er & Waste	Water Treatm	ent	Net Zero by 2030				Net Zero by 2050				
	Current Employment				Worst Case	e Scenario	Best Case Scenario		Worst Case Scenario		Best Case Scenario		
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	
Technicians	57	5	9.6%	62	75	20.1%	97	56.9%	113	82.2%	274	341.0%	
Snr Management SME	86	4	4.7%	90	112	25.3%	147	63.8%	171	91.5%	410	357.8%	
Supervisory	99	4	4.5%	103	126	22.6%	170	65.3%	198	92.2%	475	361.2%	
Middle / Junior Management	91	4	4.5%	95	119	25.4%	156	63.7%	183	92.0%	437	359.6%	
Designer / Developer	21	2	9.1%	23	28	19.9%	37	57.4%	43	85.9%	102	337.7%	
Clerical	49	0	0.1%	49	64	30.2%	84	71.1%	100	103.3%	239	387.2%	
Self Employed	25	1	4.5%	26	33	24.6%	44	65.2%	51	94.1%	121	359.7%	
Advisor or Agent	3	0	4.4%	3	4	25.4%	6	63.0%	7	93.9%	16	364.0%	
Educator	0	0	4.5%	0	0	26.4%	0	66.5%	0	94.1%	0	362.3%	
Specialist or Consultant	53	1	1.4%	53	69	29.3%	91	69.8%	106	97.5%	253	374.0%	
Editor	2	0	0.9%	2	2	28.6%	3	70.3%	3	102.1%	8	374.6%	
Industrial Researchers	4	0	2.2%	4	5	28.6%	7	66.6%	8	98.6%	19	371.2%	
Scientist	2	0	8.8%	2	2	19.6%	3	57.8%	4	87.3%	8	338.5%	
Maintenance Engineer	120	3	2.8%	123	157	27.4%	206	67.1%	244	98.1%	576	367.9%	
Civil Engineer	15	1	9.1%	16	20	20.2%	26	57.2%	30	83.8%	73	341.4%	
Production Engineer	29	4	14.0%	33	38	14.5%	50	49.6%	59	78.8%	139	318.7%	
Power distribution Engineer	58	9	14.7%	67	77	14.5%	100	49.0%	117	75.1%	284	324.0%	
Construction Engineer	24	2	6.7%	25	31	22.2%	40	60.6%	48	89.1%	113	350.6%	
Sales Exec	43	2	4.7%	45	56	26.5%	74	65.1%	86	92.0%	204	357.2%	
Marketing Personnel	44	2	4.4%	46	58	24.4%	76	65.3%	89	91.8%	215	365.7%	
General Semi Skilled Worker	104	1	0.9%	105	136	29.6%	177	68.9%	210	100.6%	496	373.8%	
General Labour	59	0	0.0%	59	78	31.8%	101	71.2%	119	101.9%	284	381.5%	
Other Employees	144	3	2.3%	148	191	29.5%	246	66.7%	292	97.4%	694	369.6%	
Administrative workers	58	1	0.9%	59	77	30.5%	99	69.3%	117	99.7%	279	375.7%	
Total	1,189	50	4.2%	1,239	1,557	25.7%	2,038	64.5%	2,397	93.5%	5,719	361.7%	



Wind

		W	ind		Net Zero by 2030				Net Zero by 2050				
		Current En	nployment		Worst Case Scenario		Best Case Scenario		Worst Case Scenario		Best Case Scenario		
					Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	Estimated #	Growth in	
		Shortage		#	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	
		of	Shortage as	Employees	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	Needed to	Required	
	# Employees	Employees	a % of Total	if Skills Gap	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	Reach Net	(assumes no	
SOC	2019/20	2019/20	Employees	Filled	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2030	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	Zero by 2050	skills gap)	
Technicians	100	13	13.4%	113	130	14.5%	170	50.5%	203	79.2%	487	330.0%	
Snr Management SME	275	19	7.0%	295	365	23.8%	472	60.2%	550	86.9%	1,331	351.8%	
Supervisory	326	24	7.2%	350	434	24.0%	572	63.6%	663	89.5%	1,564	347.2%	
Middle / Junior Management	290	20	6.9%	310	375	20.8%	499	60.8%	586	88.9%	1,377	343.8%	
Designer / Developer	14	2	13.8%	16	19	17.2%	24	52.8%	28	78.6%	68	324.6%	
Clerical	157	0	0.1%	157	201	28.3%	267	70.1%	322	105.7%	758	383.5%	
Self Employed	23	2	6.7%	25	31	23.9%	40	63.2%	47	88.1%	112	351.4%	
Advisor or Agent	2	0	6.9%	2	3	19.5%	4	62.6%	5	91.0%	11	341.6%	
Educator	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Specialist or Consultant	138	3	2.1%	141	181	27.9%	238	68.6%	283	100.5%	674	376.9%	
Editor	0	0	1.1%	0	0	28.2%	1	77.4%	1	95.2%	2	366.3%	
Industrial Researchers	3	0	3.3%	3	4	28.0%	5	59.9%	6	92.7%	15	386.6%	
Scientist	1	0	15.2%	1	1	15.8%	1	50.8%	1	72.4%	3	335.1%	
Maintenance Engineer	331	14	4.2%	345	437	26.7%	576	67.2%	669	94.2%	1,590	361.3%	
Civil Engineer	11	2	13.9%	13	15	14.9%	19	50.0%	22	76.8%	54	323.0%	
Production Engineer	53	11	20.7%	65	69	6.3%	92	43.1%	108	67.0%	257	297.8%	
Power distribution Engineer	153	32	21.2%	185	201	8.9%	263	42.3%	311	68.1%	729	294.2%	
Construction Engineer	36	4	11.0%	40	47	18.1%	61	53.7%	72	81.2%	172	332.5%	
Sales Exec	142	10	7.2%	152	181	19.2%	240	58.3%	281	84.9%	666	338.9%	
Marketing Personnel	152	11	7.1%	163	196	20.5%	260	59.8%	302	85.7%	737	353.5%	
General Semi Skilled Worker	302	4	1.4%	306	394	28.5%	524	71.0%	608	98.4%	1,474	380.8%	
General Labour	369	0	0.0%	369	488	32.3%	634	71.9%	745	102.1%	1,773	380.9%	
Other Employees	470	16	3.5%	486	617	26.9%	809	66.3%	954	96.1%	2,249	362.2%	
Administrative workers	167	2	1.3%	169	220	30.5%	286	69.2%	336	98.8%	799	372.9%	
Total	3,515	190	5.4%	3,705	4,607	24.3%	6,059	63.5%	7,104	91.8%	16,900	356.2%	

