

Brexit Questionnaire for Chambers of Commerce

Q.1 What has been the overall impact of the Brexit referendum vote on your UK business so far?

	%	
• Very positive	3]	
• Fairly positive	5]	8
• Made no difference	35	
• Fairly negative	38]	
• Very negative	16]	54
• Don't know	3	

Q.2 What do you think the likely effect of Brexit will be on future investments in the UK by your company over the next 5-10 years?

	%	
• Very positive (increase in future UK investment of more than 10%)	2]	
• Fairly positive (increase in future UK investment of up to 10%)	7]	10
• No effect either way	25	
• Fairly negative (decrease in future UK investment of less than 10%)	33]	
• Very negative (decrease in future UK investment greater than 10%)	22]	55
• Don't know	10	

Q.3 What is your company's assessment of the current state of the UK economy?

	%	
• Very positive	2]	
• Fairly positive	19]	21
• Neither positive nor negative	25	
• Fairly negative	44]	
• Very negative	8]	52
• Don't know	2	

Q.4 And how does your company view the overall state of the UK economy over the next 5-10 years?

	%	
• Very positive	3]	
• Fairly positive	16]	19
• Neither positive nor negative	16	
• Fairly negative	44]	
• Very negative	15]	58
• Don't know	7	

Q.5 How confident is your company that a positive outcome for the UK will be achieved from the Brexit negotiations by March 2019?

	%	
• Very confident	2]	
• Fairly confident	11]	13
• Not very confident	44]	
• Not at all confident	38]	82
• Don't know	5	

Q.6 From the issues listed below, which are the two key issues your company would like to see addressed in the Brexit negotiations?

	%
• A solution that allows companies smooth access to both high and low-skilled workers from abroad?	43
• A solution that allows the UK Government to strike trade deals	22
• A solution that allows for continued regulatory alignment with the EU	30
• A solution that allows for companies to be compliant with EU data laws	9
• A solution that allows for companies to have smooth access to the EU market for goods and services	72
• Other	5
• Don't know	2

Q.7 Does your business have UK Operations?

• Yes	(91)
• No	(9)

Q.8 How many employees does your business have in the UK (including any sub-entities)?

	%
• 1-50	63
• 51-100	8
• 101-250	7
• 251-1,000	10
• 1,001 -5,000	7
• Over 5,000	4

Q.9 Which sector best describes your business?

	%
• Financial Services and Legal	20
• Professional Services	23
• Manufacturing	10
• Technology	9
• Chemicals, Oil and Gas	1
• Pharmaceuticals	1
• Energy and Utilities	2
• Hospitality	2
• Property/Real Estate	3
• Luxury	4
• Retail	5
• Public sector	2
• Other	18