

Major Employers in Bristol & South Gloucestershire

(By Employee Numbers)

MAJOR EMPLOYERS IN BRISTOL AND SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE

This Schedule lists businesses and organisations in Bristol and South Gloucestershire employing more than 200 staff at 1st March 2010.

The list excludes retailers (except for retail distribution depots) and businesses that mainly employ staff away from their own premises (eg. security services, employment agencies, cleaning companies).

Information on employee numbers has been gathered from a number of sources including telephone survey, company visits and press reports.

In most cases the businesses and organisations are listed by specific location. Where businesses and organisations are based at more than one location the employment figure relates to the estimated number of staff employed in Bristol and South Gloucestershire.

While considerable care has been taken to produce a comprehensive list of major employers it is inevitable that some errors and omissions will have occurred. Bristol City Council will be happy to receive any amendments or additions that help to improve the accuracy of the list – please contact the City Council’s Economic Development Team on 0117 922 2928.

| Company Name | Location | Unitary Authority | Business Description | No of Employees | Sector |
|--|---------------------------|------------------------------------|---|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Bristol City Council | College Green, Various | Bristol | Local Authority | 5001+ | Government Services |
| Ministry of Defence - Defence Equipment and Support Organisation | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Government Department - Procurement and Management of Defence Equipment | 5001+ | Government Services |
| South Gloucestershire Council | Thornbury | South Gloucestershire | Local Authority | 5001+ | Government Services |
| University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust | Marlborough Street | Bristol | National Health Service Trust | 5001+ | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| University of Bristol | Tyndall Avenue | Bristol | University | 5001+ | Further and Higher Education |
| Airbus in the UK | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Aircraft Wing Design & Manufacturing | 2501 - 5000 | Manufacturing |
| AXA Life | Stoke Gifford | South Gloucestershire | Life Assurance & Financial Services | 2501 - 5000 | Financial Services |
| Lloyds TSB Group | Harbourside, Various | Bristol | Banking & Financial Services | 2501 - 5000 | Financial Services |
| North Bristol NHS Trust | Southmead, Frenchay | Bristol & South Gloucestershire | National Health Service Trust | 2501 - 5000 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| Rolls-Royce | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Design, Manufacture & Support of Aero Gas Turbine Engines | 2501 - 5000 | Manufacturing |

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| Royal Bank of Scotland (includes Nat West Life & Direct Line) | Central Bristol/Aztec West | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Banking Group | 2501 - 5000 | Financial Services |
| University of the West of England | Frenchay | South Gloucestershire | University | 2501 - 5000 | Further and Higher Education |
| Avon & Somerset Police | Various | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Police Authority | 1001 - 2500 | Public Protection Services |
| Avon and Wiltshire Mental Health Partnership NHS Trust | Stapleton/Southmead/Brislington | Bristol | National Health Service Trust | 1001 - 2500 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| Avon Fire and Rescue Service | Various | Bristol | Fire and Rescue Service | 1001 - 2500 | Public Protection Services |
| City of Bristol College | Various | Bristol | College of Further Education | 1001 - 2500 | Further and Higher Education |
| Computershare Investor Services | Bedminster Down | Bristol | Share Registrars | 1001 - 2500 | Financial Services |
| GKN Aerospace | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Manufacture of Wing Components and Assembly Components | 1001 - 2500 | Manufacturing |
| Network Rail | Various | Bristol | Rail Infrastructure | 1001 - 2500 | Transport Services |
| Orange PCS | Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Mobile Phone Network - Head Office | 1001 - 2500 | Telecommunications |
| Royal Mail | Severn Beach/Patchway | South Gloucestershire | Distribution of Business & Direct Mail | 1001 - 2500 | Distribution |

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| Bank of Ireland Financial Services | Temple Back | Bristol | Banking and Financial Services | 751 - 1000 | Financial Services |
| British Broadcasting Corporation | Clifton | Bristol | T.V & Radio Broadcasting Services | 751 - 1000 | Creative and Cultural Venues and Activities |
| Constellation Europe | Avonmouth/Whitchurch & Severnside | Bristol | Distribution of Wines and spirits/Bottling Plant | 751 - 1000 | Distribution |
| DHL Supply Chain | Avonmouth/Emersons Green | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Distribution | 751 - 1000 | Distribution |
| Environment Agency, The | Westbury on Trym/Aztec West | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Governement Agency | 751 -1000 | Government Services |
| Filton College | Filton | South Gloucestershire | College of Further Education | 751 - 1000 | Further and Higher Education |
| First Great Western | Temple Meads | Bristol | Public Transport Operators | 751 - 1000 | Transport Services |
| First Group Bristol | Lawrence Hill, Various | Bristol | Public Transport Operators | 751 - 1000 | Transport Services |
| Hewlett Packard | Stoke Gifford | South Gloucestershire | Computing, Imaging & Printing Equipment | 751 - 1000 | Manufacturing |
| NHS Blood and Transplant | Filton/Stoke Gifford | South Gloucestershire | Organ and Blood Donor Centre | 751 -1000 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| Tesco | Severnside | South Gloucestershire | Distribution Depot | 751 - 1000 | Distribution |
| Aviva | Temple Quay | Bristol | Financial Services | 501 - 750 | Financial Services |

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| BAE Systems | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Aerospace Equipment & Services | 501 - 750 | Manufacturing |
| Bristol Port Company, The | Avonmouth/Royal Portbury | Bristol/North Somerset | Port Operators | 501 - 750 | Transport Services |
| BT Group | Marsh St | Bristol | Telecommunication Services | 501 - 750 | Telecommunications |
| Burges Salmon LLP | Narrow Quay | Bristol | Solicitors | 501 - 750 | Professional & Business Services |
| Capita Business Services Ltd | Temple St | Bristol | TV Licensing | 501 - 750 | Professional & Business Services |
| Clifton College | Clifton | Bristol | Independent School | 501 - 750 | Schools |
| Department for Work and Pensions | Brislington/Bedminster/Fishponds | Bristol | Government Department | 501 - 750 | Government Services |
| Hargreaves Lansdown | Harbourside | Bristol | Financial Advisers and Fund Management | 501 - 750 | Financial Services |
| Lyons Davidson | Victoria St | Bristol | Solicitors | 501 - 750 | Professional & Business Services |
| MBDA | Filton | South Gloucestershire | Defence Systems | 501 - 750 | Manufacturing |
| NHS Bristol | Marlborough Street | Bristol | Primary Care Trust | 501 - 750 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| NHS South Gloucestershire | Emersons Green | South Gloucestershire | Primary Care Trust | 501 - 750 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |

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| RAC Motoring Services | Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Motoring Organisation | 501 - 750 | Transport Services |
| Thales / Aircraft Carrier Alliance | Frenchay | South Gloucestershire | Naval Engineering Consultants | 501 - 750 | Manufacturing |
| TLT Solicitors | Redcliffe St | Bristol | Solicitors | 501 - 750 | Professional & Business Services |
| West of England Job Centre Plus | Various | Bristol | Government Agency - Supporting People into Work | 501 - 750 | Government Services |
| WS Atkins Highway & Transportation Engineers | Almondsbury | South Gloucestershire | Transport Engineers - Highways, Infrastructure and Transportation Schemes | 501 - 750 | Professional & Business Services |
| Alexandra Workwear | Thornbury/Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Workwear & Career Wear | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Allianz Insurance | Central Bristol/Aztec West | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Home & Motor Insurance | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| AstraZeneca | Sevenside | South Gloucestershire | Manufacture of Pharmaceuticals | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Babcock | Ashton Vale | Bristol | Heavy Engineering | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Baileys Caravans | Ashton | Bristol | Caravan Manufacturers | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Beachcroft LLP | Portwall Lane | Bristol | Solicitors | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Bristol News & Media Ltd | Temple Way | Bristol | Newspaper / Magazine Publishers | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |

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| Bristol Water Group | Bedminster Down | Bristol | Water Company | 251 - 500 | Public Utilities |
| British Nuclear Group | Oldbury-on-Severn | South Gloucestershire | Electricity Generation - Nuclear Power Station | 251 - 500 | Public Utilities |
| Canada Life Group Insurance | Temple Quay | Bristol | Life Insurance | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| Chubb Security | Whitchurch | Bristol | Security Systems | 251 - 500 | Miscellaneous |
| Clarke Willmott | Bath Street | Bristol | Solicitors | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| DAS Legal Expenses Insurance | Temple Back | Bristol | Legal Expenses Insurance | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| Deloitte LLP | Temple Quay | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Essilor | Thornbury | South Gloucestershire | Manufacture of Ophthalmic Lenses | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| GE Capital Solutions | Aztec West | South Gloucestershire | Equipment Financing | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| Hanson Aggregates & Concrete | Chipping Sodbury/Various | South Gloucestershire | Sand, Gravel & Aggregates | 251 - 500 | Mining and Quarrying |
| Highways Agency, The | Temple Quay/Avonmouth | Bristol | Government Agency | 251 - 500 | Government Services |
| HM Prison Service, Bristol | Horfield | Bristol | Custodial Establishment | 251 - 500 | Public Protection Services |

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| HM Revenue & Customs | Various | Bristol | Revenue & Customs | 251 - 500 | Government Services |
| Hovis | Avonmouth | Bristol | Bakery | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| HSBC Life UK | Redcliffe St | Bristol | Insurance Services | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| Imperial Tobacco | Southville | Bristol | Tobacco Products | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Indesit | Yate | South Gloucestershire | Manufacture of Tumble Dryers | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Integral | Aztec West | South Gloucestershire | Estate & Property Facilities Management | 251 - 500 | Construction |
| Inter Route | Aztec West | South Gloucestershire | Asset Management Services to the Highways Agency | 251 - 500 | Transport Services |
| ISG Pearce Group | Stoke Gifford | South Gloucestershire | Construction Company | 251 - 500 | Construction |
| Jordans | St Thomas St | Bristol | Business Registration Agents and Legal Services | 251 - 500 | Business Services |
| KPMG | Temple St | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Merlin Housing Society | Chipping Sodbury | South Gloucestershire | Provider of Social Housing | 251 - 500 | Miscellaneous |
| Mitie Group | Emersons Green | South Gloucestershire | Facilities Management/Building Services, etc | 251 - 500 | Construction |

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| MM Teleperformance | Stokes Croft | Bristol | Outsource Contact Centre | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Nisbets | Avonmouth | Bristol | Commercial Catering Equipment Suppliers | 251 - 500 | Distribution |
| Nokia | Central Bristol/Emersons Green | Bristol/South Gloucestershire | Mobile Telecommunications & Software | 251 - 500 | Telecommunications |
| Osborne Clarke | Temple Quay | Bristol | Solicitors | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Price Waterhouse Coopers | Great George St | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 251 - 500 | Professional & Business Services |
| Scottish and Southern Electricity (SSE) | St. Phillips | Bristol | Electricity Supplier | 251 - 500 | Public Utilities |
| Serco - Home Affairs Division | Pucklechurch | South Gloucestershire | Custodial Establishment | 251 - 500 | Public Protection Services |
| Simply Health | Victoria St | Bristol | Healthcare Insurance Agents, Consultants & Brokers | 251 - 500 | Financial Services |
| Tulip Fresh Meats | Westerleigh | South Gloucestershire | Meat Processing | 251 - 500 | Manufacturing |
| Audit Commission, The | Stoke Gifford | South Gloucestershire | Public Sector Auditing Body | 200 - 250 | Government Services |
| Bevan Brittan LLP | Queens St | Bristol | Solicitors | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Bond Pearce LLP | Temple Quay | Bristol | Solicitors | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |

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| Bristol Grammar School | Clifton | Bristol | Independent School | 200 - 250 | Schools |
| Bristol Marriot Royal Hotel, The | College Green | Bristol | Hotel and Conference Centre | 200 - 250 | Hotels |
| Callcredit Information Group | Temple St | Bristol | Callcentre Telemarketing Services | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Ceva | Patchway | South Gloucestershire | Distribution Depot - Newspapers & Magazines | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| Cooperative Legal Services, The | Aztec West | South Gloucestershire | Legal Services | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| DHL Express | Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Parcel Delivery | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| DSG International | Severn Beach | South Gloucestershire | Distribution Depot | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| DST Output | Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Transactional Mail Specialists | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Ernst and Young | Bridewell St | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Grant Thornton | Victoria Street | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Graphic Packaging International | Fishponds | Bristol | Packaging and Manufacturing | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |
| Greencore Group | Bradley Stoke | South Gloucestershire | Pasta Sauce Manufacturers | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |

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| Harding Brothers Ltd | Avonmouth | Bristol | Ship Supplies | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| Higher Education Funding Council | Frenchay | South Gloucestershire | Higher Education Funding Body | 200 - 250 | Further and Higher Education |
| IBM UK | Temple Quay | Bristol | IT Services | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Institute of Physics Publishing | Temple Back | Bristol | Technical Publishers | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |
| Jardine Lloyd Thompson | Victoria St | Bristol | Insurance Brokers | 200 - 250 | Financial Services |
| Kappa Yate | Yate | South Gloucestershire | Manufacturing of Corrugated Packaging | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |
| M J Church Plant | Marshfield | South Gloucestershire | Excavation & Plant Hire, Waste Disposal | 200 - 250 | Construction |
| Motability Finance | Frenchay | South Gloucestershire | Contact Fleet Hire - Customer Operations Dept | 200 - 250 | Financial Services |
| Palmer and Harvey McLane | St Annes Park | Bristol | Wholesale Distributor to Multiple and Independent Retailers | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| Parsons Brinkerhoff | Redland | Bristol | Consulting Engineers | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Robert Wiseman Dairies | Avonmouth | Bristol | Dairy | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |
| SEA Systems | Frenchay | South Gloucestershire | Systems Engineering, Software and Electronic Engineering Services | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |

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| Smith and Williamson | Portwall Lane | Bristol | Chartered Accountants | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Spire Bristol Hospital | Redland | Bristol | Private Hospital | 200 - 250 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| ST Microelectronics | Aztec West | South Gloucestershire | Microelectronics - Silicon Chip Design, Research & Development | 200 - 250 | Manufacturing |
| St Monica Trust | Westbury on Trym | Bristol | Care and Support for the Elderly | 200 - 250 | Healthcare and Welfare Services |
| TNT Express Service | Yate | South Gloucestershire | Distribution Company | 200 - 250 | Distribution |
| Unum | Redcliffe Way | Bristol | Insurance Services | 200 - 250 | Financial Services |
| Veale Wasborough Vizards | Orchard Lane | Bristol | Solicitors | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |
| Western Power Distribution | St. Phillips | Bristol | Electricity Supplier | 200 - 250 | Public Utilities |
| Yell | Lewins Mead | Bristol | Telemarketing Services | 200 - 250 | Professional & Business Services |