

Table 1: Business Expectations for the Next Three and Six Months by Industry

Industry	General Business Outlook for July - December 2010 compared with April - June 2010				(per cent) Forecast for July - September 2010	
	Net Weighted Balance	Up	Same	Down	Output	Numbers Employed
Electronics	+33	43	47	10	+45	+12
- Semiconductors	+48	56	36	8	+60	+35
- Computer Peripherals	+17	17	83	0	+58	-7
- Data Storage	-13	19	49	32	-13	-32
- Infocomms & Consumer Electronics	+72	72	28	0	+84	+12
- Other Electronic Modules & Components	+44	44	56	0	+17	+28
Chemicals	+19	27	65	8	0	+8
- Petroleum	0	0	100	0	-60	0
- Petrochemicals	-27	0	73	27	-26	+1
- Specialties	+30	35	60	5	+23	+3
- Others	+80	80	20	0	+57	+44
Biomedical Manufacturing	-1	1	97	2	-23	0
- Pharmaceuticals	0	0	100	0	-29	0
- Medical Technology	-4	4	88	8	0	0
Precision Engineering	+18	23	72	5	+19	+18
- Machinery & Systems	+13	18	77	5	+18	+18
- Precision Modules & Components	+21	27	67	6	+19	+16
Transport Engineering	+7	19	69	12	-3	0
- Marine & Offshore Engineering	+3	23	57	20	-22	-13
- Aerospace	+10	10	90	0	+17	+22
- Land	+24	24	76	0	+60	0
General Manufacturing Industries	+15	19	77	4	+22	+3
- Food, Beverages & Tobacco	+14	14	86	0	+30	+13
- Printing	+8	8	92	0	+13	+8
- Miscellaneous	+22	32	58	10	+22	-9
Total All Industries	+18	25	68	7	+15	+7