'Regional Economic Performance Indicators' consultation **BIS 'Regional Economic Performance Indicators' Consultation** This consultation is about our publication, 'Regional Economic Performance Indicators' (REPI). Please take some time to give us your comments, which will be used to improve the quality of the publication. It will take you approximately 5 minutes to fill in this questionnaire. If you have any questions about this survey please contact Anna Dedecjus (tel: 0207 215 3326, email: anna.dedecjus@bis.gsi.gov.uk)

Regional Economic Performance Indicators' consultation We would like to build up a picture of the users of the REPI statistics. To do so, please answer the following questions 1. Please fill in the following details (optional): Name: Organisation (if applicable): Email: 2. Please tick a box from a list of options below that best decribes you as a respondent. C Central government Large business (over 250 staff) C Local government Medium business (50 to 250 staff) Non-departmental public body C Small business (10 to 49 staff) Business representative organisation/trade body Micro business (up to 9 staff) Charity or social enterprise O Individual Academic institution Other (please specify) 3. Would you be happy for BIS to contact you at a later date to follow up on the responses you have given? O Yes O No

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6. Below is a list of Regional Indicators which our publication covers.

How often do you use the following statistics?

	More than once a Month	Monthly	Quarterly	Yearly	Less than once a Year	Never
Workplace based gross value added	O	O	0	0	0	0
Residence based gross value added	0	0	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Gross disposable income per head	0	0	0	0	O	0
Labour productivity	0	0	0	0	0	0
Investment and output by UK and foreignowned companies	0	0	0	0	O	0
Research & Development	0	0	0	\circ	0	\circ
Employment in high and medium-high technology industries	O	0	O	0	O	0
Educational and vocation attainment	0	0	0	\circ	0	\circ
Business registrations and survival rates	0	0	0	0	O	0
Entrepreneurial activity	0	0	\circ	\circ	O	\circ
Export of goods and services	0	0	0	0	O	\circ
Employment	0	0	0	0	O	\circ
Unemployment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Claimant count	0	0	0	0	0	0
Earnings	0	0	0	0	0	0
Income support	0	0	0	0	0	0
Income deprivation	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	0	0	0	0	0	0
Re-use of vacant and derelict land	O	0	0	0	O	0

7. If you have answered Never for any of the above, do obtain the data elsewhere? If so please give details below.

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8. How often do you use the following spatial breakdowns in REPI?

	Daily	Monthly	Quarterly	Yearly	Less than once a year	Never
National	0	0	0	0	0	\odot
Region/Devolved Administration	\circ	0	\circ	0	0	\circ
Group of regions: Greater South East and North, Midlands and West	O	0	0	O	O	O

9. To what extent would your work/business be disrupted if the statistics that you use were discontinued?

Major disruption to work (e.g. no alternative sources available)
Significant disruption to work (e.g. other sources are available but are not as good)
Some disruption to work (e.g. adequate alternatives can be found with some effort)
No effect

	Major Disruption	Significant Disruption	Some Disruption	No Effect
Workplace based gross value added	O	0	O	0
Residence based gross value added	C	0	O	\circ
Gross disposable income per head	О	0	O	0
Labour productivity	O	0	O	\circ
Investment and output by UK and foreign-owned companies	О	O	O	0
Research & Development	0	0	0	0
Employment in high and medium-high technology industries	O	O	O	O
Educational and vocation attainment	O	0	O	0
Business registrations and survival rates	О	0	0	O
Total entrepreneurial activity	0	0	0	0
Export of goods and services	0	0	O	O
Employment	0	\circ	O	O
Unemployment	О	0	O	0
Claimant count	O	0	O	\circ
Earnings	O	0	O	0
Income support	0	0	0	\circ
Income deprivation	0	0	0	0
Transport	0	0	O	\circ
Re-use of vacant and derelict land	О	0	О	0

For the following three questions please read the statement in each question, and rate your responses from 'Strongly Agree' to 'Strongly Disagree' or 'Not Applicable' (N/A) if you never use the statistics/other elements of the publication.

10. I am satisfied with the relevance of the statistics to my work.

Relevance may not be the same as importance. For example, you may have to use a particular dataset because there is nothing better available. In this case you might rate the dataset lower on relevance than on importance (which was covered in previous question).

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A
Workplace based gross value added	0	0	0	0	0	0
Residence based gross value added	\circ	\circ	\circ	O	0	O
Gross disposable income per head	0	0	0	0	0	0
Labour productivity	\circ	\circ	O	0	0	O
Investment and output by UK and foreignowned companies	0	0	O	0	O	0
Research & Development	O	\circ	O	0	0	0
Employment in high and medium-high technology industries	0	0	0	0	O	0
Educational and vocation attainment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Business registrations and survival rates	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total entrepreneurial activity	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export of goods and services	O	0	0	0	O	0
Employment	O	\circ	O	0	0	0
Unemployment	0	0	0	O	0	0
Claimant count	\circ	\circ	O	0	0	O
Earnings	0	0	O	0	0	0
Income support	0	0	0	0	0	0
Income deprivation	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	\circ	0	0	\circ	0	0
Re-use of vacant and derelict land	0	0	0	0	0	0

11. I find the following elements of the 2011 publication useful ("static" version, published on 24 May 2011).

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N/A
Pre-announcement note	0	0	0	0	0	O
Definitions and background note	0	0	0	0	\circ	0
Economic context note	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charts	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maps	0	0	0	0	0	0

12. Thinking about the 'Regional Economic Performance Indicators' please rate how satisfied you are with the following aspects of quality from 'Very satisfied' to 'Very dissatisfied'.

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Undecided	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied
Ease of access	O	O	0	0	O
Clarity of presentation	0	0	\odot	0	0
Information available on how the data is collected and processed	0	0	O	0	0
The level of detail	O	0	0	0	O
Comparability with other data	0	0	0	O	0
Frequency of updates - "static" version	0	0	0	0	O
Frequency of updates - "dynamic" version	0	0	O	O	O

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