

KEY POINTS

- Services Pulse down in October
- 82% of firms saw non-labour input costs increase over the past three months
- 54% plan to expand in the next 1 to 3 years



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SERVICES PULSE

OCTOBER 2022

57.9

-19.5 on previous index reading



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DEMAND / TURNOVER

Past 3 Months



30%



45%



25%

Balance +5%
(-9 on previous reading)



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DEMAND / TURNOVER

Next 3 Months



27%



44%



29%

Balance -1%
(-4 on previous reading)

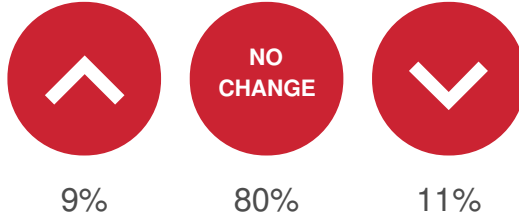


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JOBS

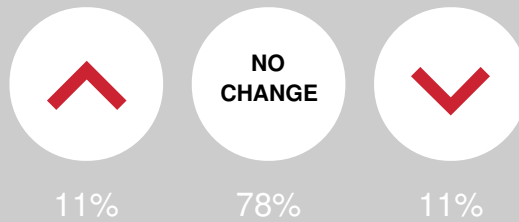
Past 3 Months



Balance -3%
(-3 on previous reading)

JOBS

Next 3 Months



Balance 0%
(-3 on previous reading)

INPUT COSTS EXCLUDING LABOUR

Past 3 Months



82%



18%



1%

Balance +81%
(+1 on previous reading)

SELLING PRICES

Next 3 Months



47%



52%

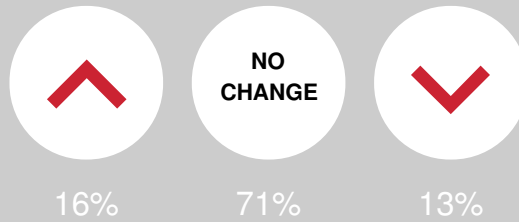


2%

Balance +45%
(-1 on previous reading)

EXPORT ORDERS

Next 3 Months



Balance +3%

BUSINESS AMBITIONS

Next 1 to 3 years

