Under Served Markets Workshop

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THE NATIONAL RETAIL PLANNING FORUM

 The work in setting up NRPF is precisely to create a knowledge base where at least we can retain some memory of what has happened – good and bad

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- Comprehensive knowledge base
- Annual update of retail planning bibliography
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Retail - A Vital Resource

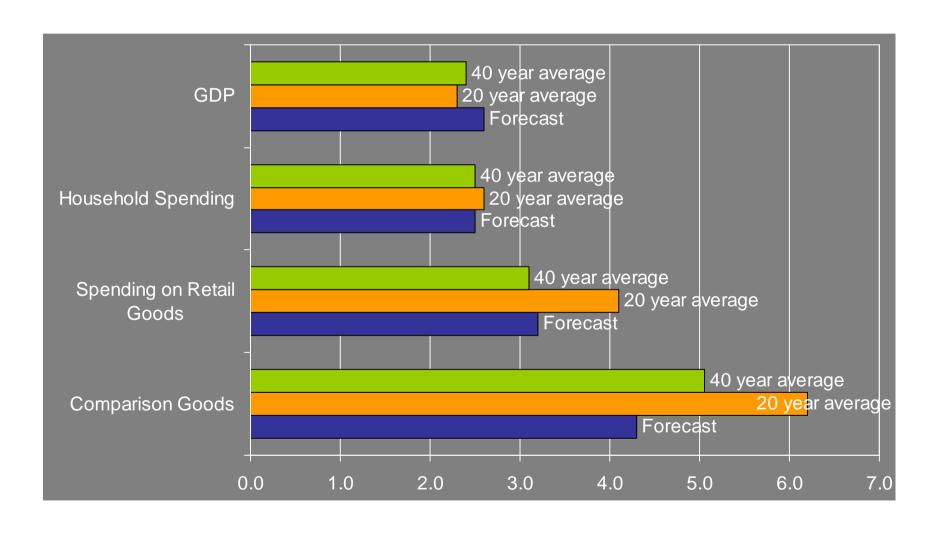
- £238bn sales 21% of GDP
- 3.5m employees
- 4,600 separate trading locations
- 200 shopping trips per annum
- Harrods / Marks and Spencer / Regent Street
- 65% Pension Fund Property Assets

Markets in the UK

- Over 1100 retail markets in the UK
- 150,000 stalls available every week
- 46,000 market traders
- 96,000 people employed in market industry
- 435 million shopping visits per year
- £1.1 billion spent at markets each year

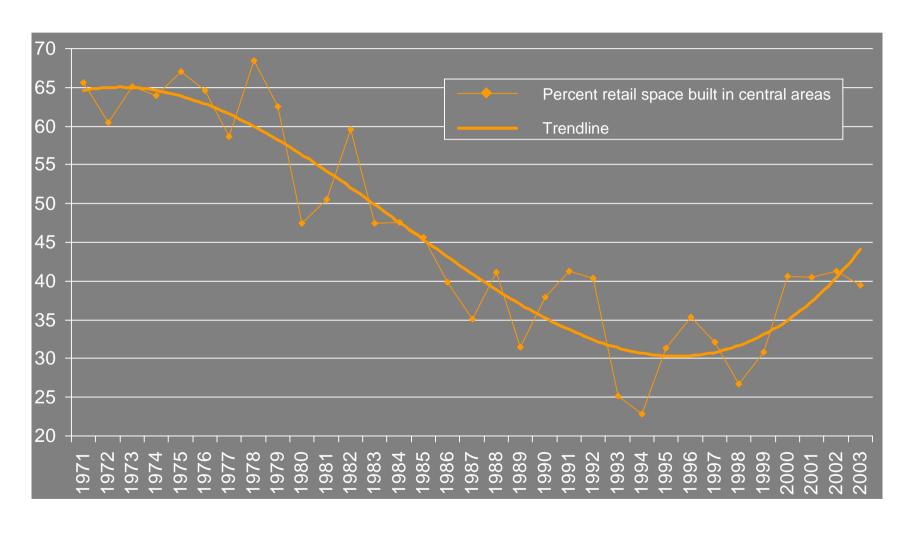
Nabma survey 2005

Spending growth 2006 - 2015

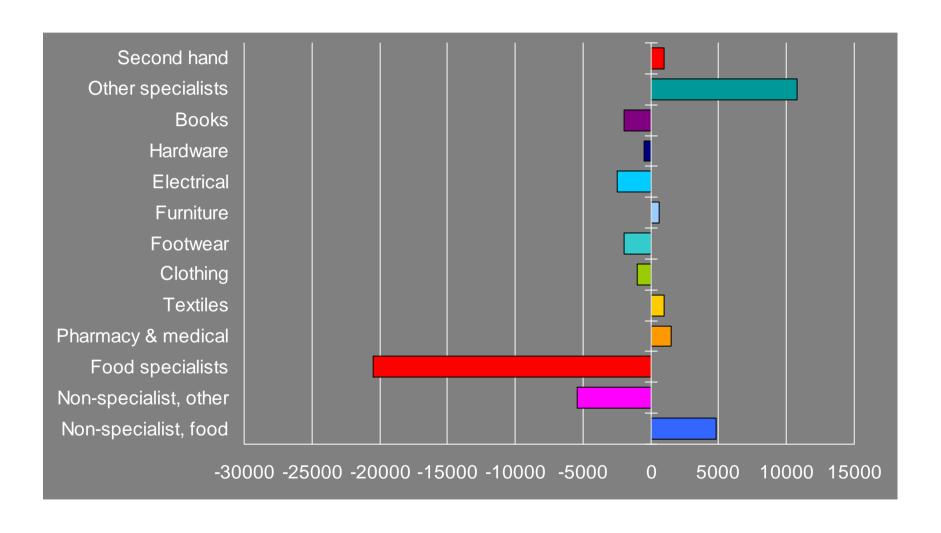


Consumers

Regeneration gains momentum



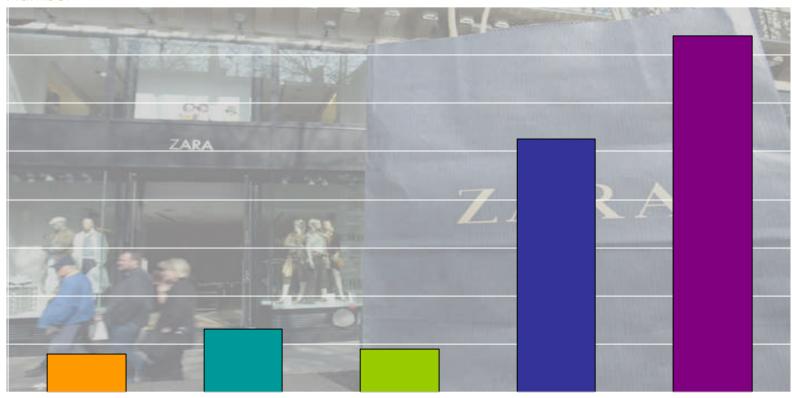
Growth of specialist retailers



: Retailers

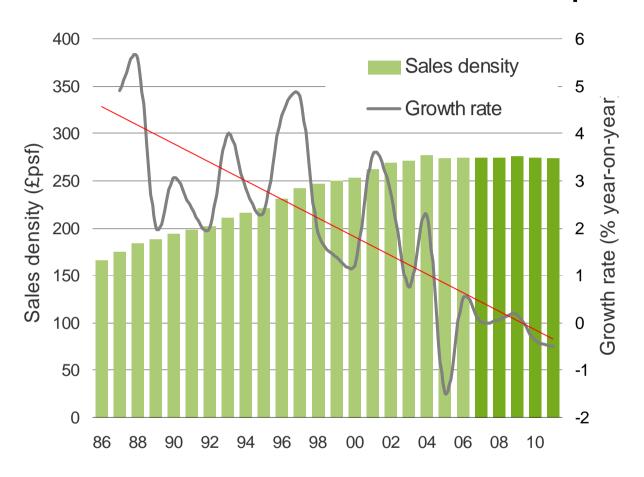
Foreign retailers entering the UK

Number



: Retailers

Sales densities under downward pressure

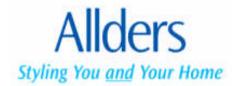


Source: Goodman

Competition is rife

	% of customers shared with other food stores	% of customers shared with other food stores	Five year change (2002 -2007) % points
Tesco	82.3	83.1	-0.8
Sainsbury	86.7	86.6	0.0
Asda	82.6	84.2	-1.6
Morrisons	87.5	90.3	-2.8
Average of big 4	84.3	86.1	Source: Verdict -1.3

Retailer casualties











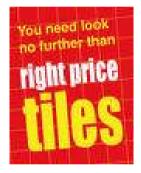
















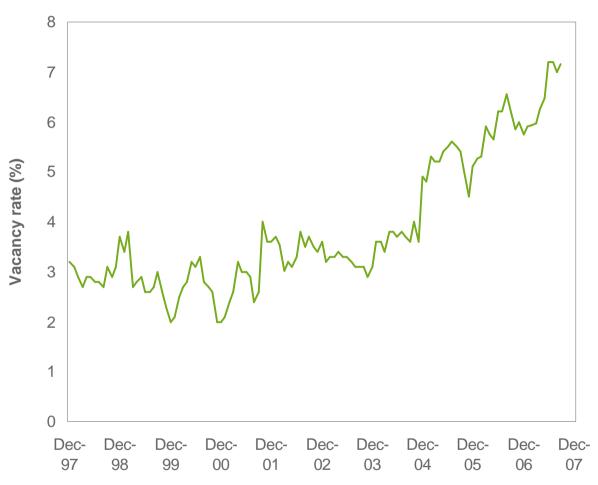






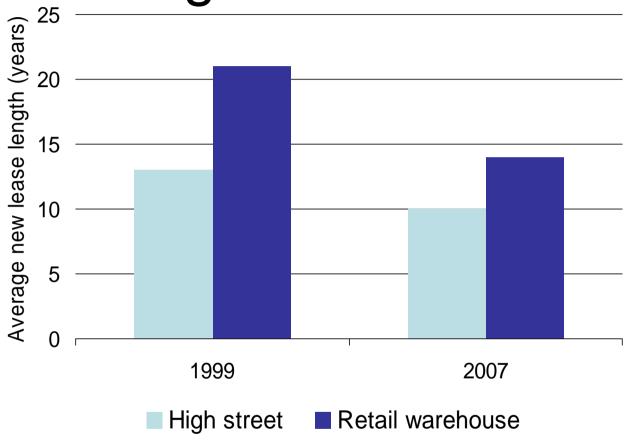


Vacancy rates are accelerating



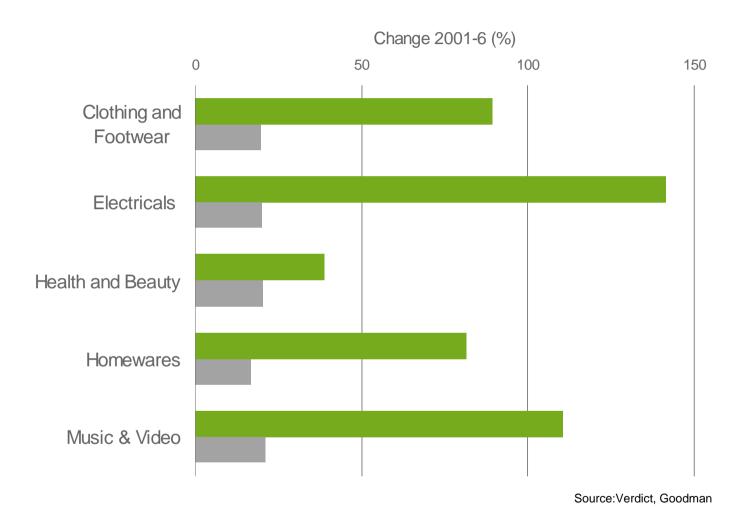
Source: IPD Monthly Index, Goodman

Lease lengths are shortening



Source: IPD, Goodman

Grocers' non-food sales are still growing strongly



The rise of the chameleon retailer



Extra (approx. 60,000 sq. ft. and above)



Superstore (approx. 20,000-50,000 sq. ft.)



Metro (approx. 7,000-15,000 sq. ft.)



Express (up to 3,000 sq. ft.)

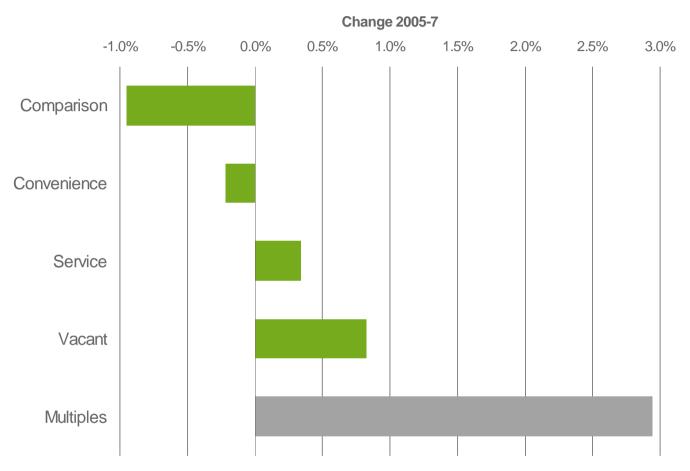


Homeplus (35,000-50,000 sq. ft.)





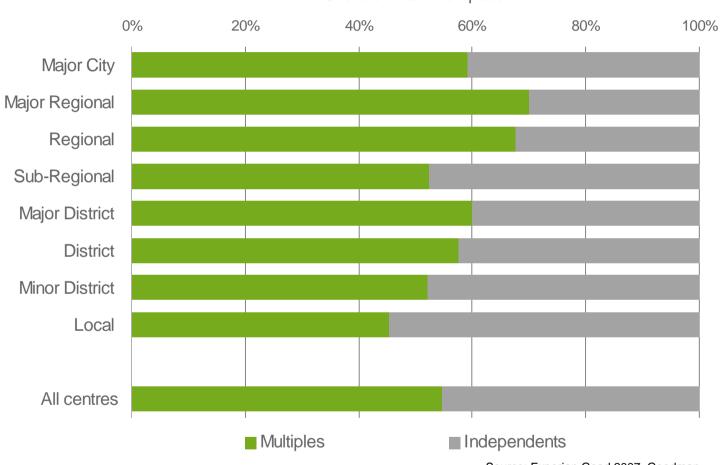
Changes in the retail mix 2005-7: national average



Source: Experian Goad 2007, Goodman Note: Floorspace change

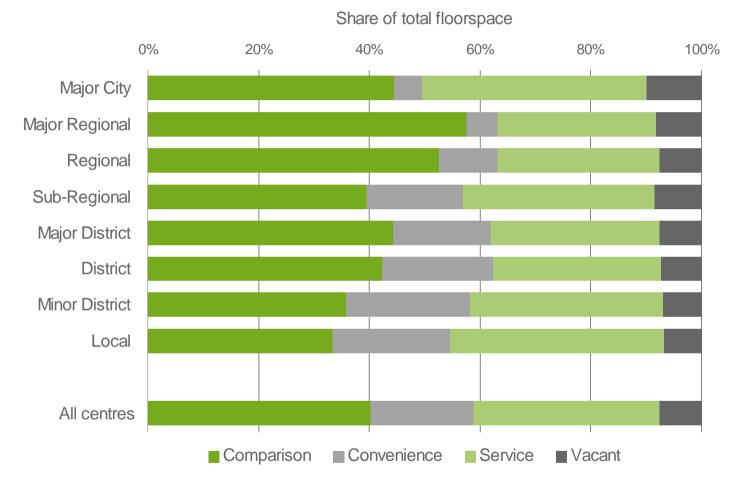
How dominant are the multiples?

Share of total floorspace



Source: Experian Goad 2007, Goodman

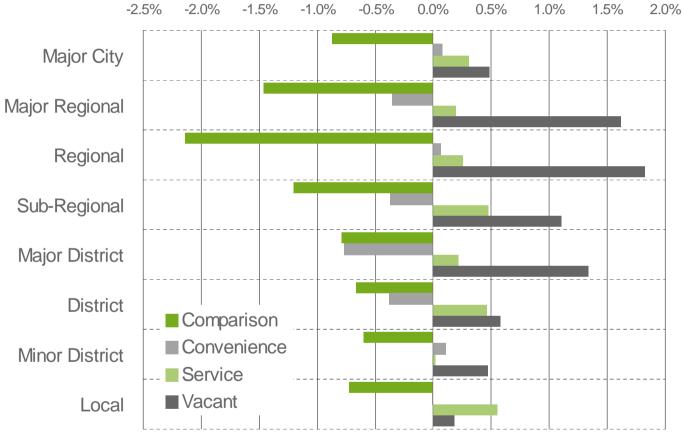
Current retailer mix across the hierarchy



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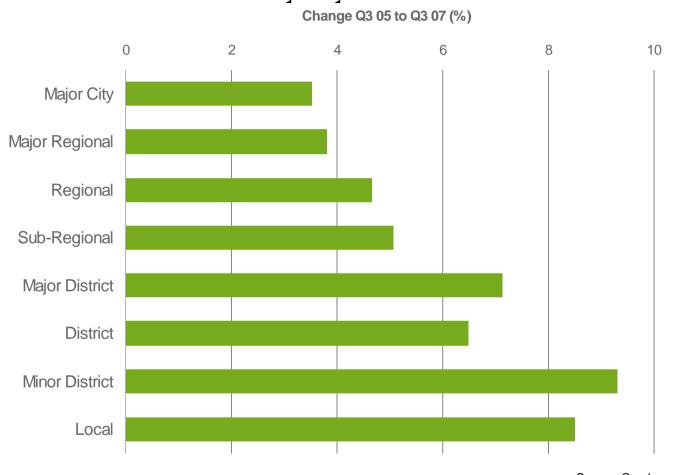
Changes in the mix 2005-7: by status





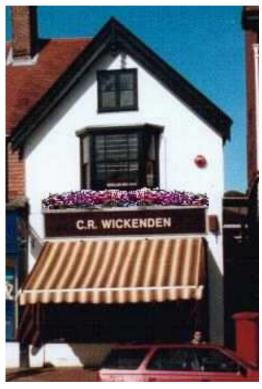
Source: Experian Goad 2007, Goodman

Recent rental growth by town



Source: Goodman

Revival of the independent retailer?

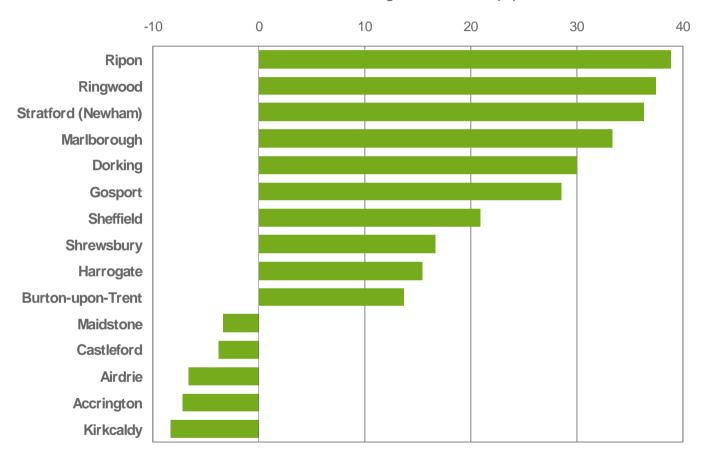






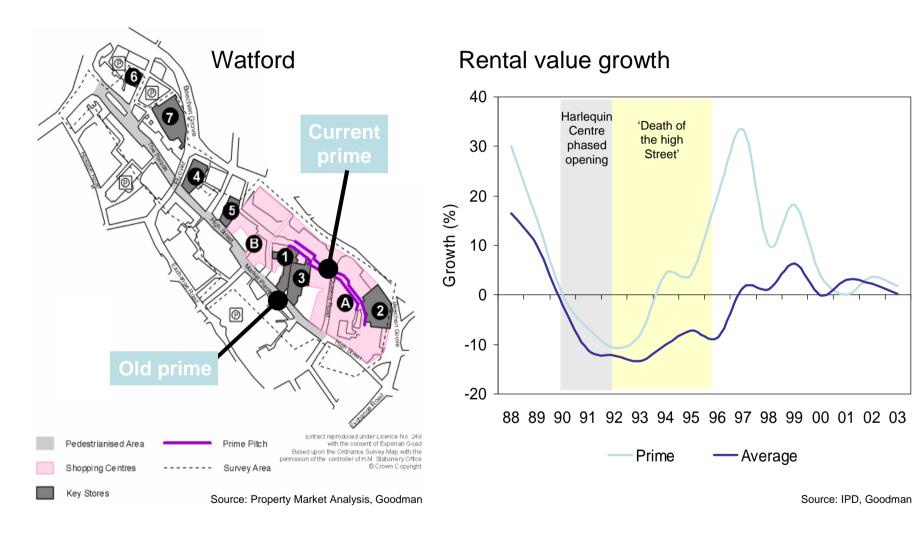
Town centre rental growth: winners and losers

Rental change Q3 05 to Q3 07 (%)



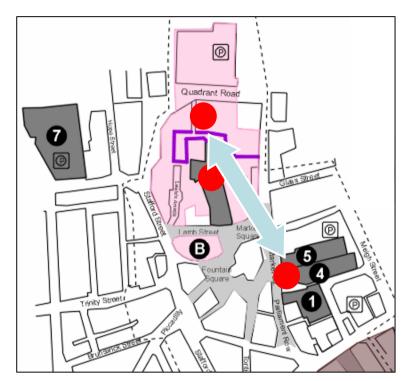
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What makes for a successful town centre?



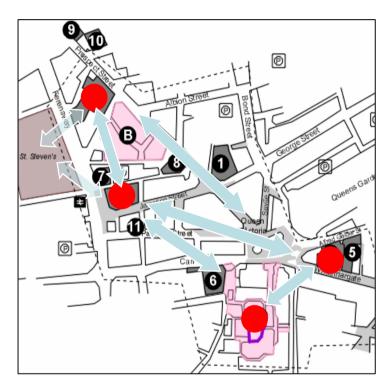
Footfall effects on trading performance

Concentration: Hanley



Key attractors

Dilution: Hull





Source: Property Market Analysis, Goodman

A new agenda for shopping place design

Place-making will be at the forefront of strategies for retail development. But in pursuit of competitive advantage, shopping places will seek to innovate by becoming highly differentiated environments

Future Shopping Places Building Design Partnership, 2007