
Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy

Departmental Overview
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Our objectives – what we do

1 Deliver an ambitious industrial strategy

We will develop a modern, long-term industrial strategy that lays the foundations for reinvigorating UK economic performance and boosts earning power throughout the country. We will cultivate world-leading science and innovation, build on local strengths and foster enterprise to ensure every place meets its potential.

2 Maximise investment opportunities and bolster UK interests

We will deliver the best results for the UK from exiting the EU by creating a world class business environment that drives investment and employment. As we build our new relationship with the EU we will maintain business and investor confidence and ensure their interests are reflected in the negotiations.

3 Promote competitive markets and responsible business practices

We will secure better outcomes for consumers by creating a more competitive environment for business and industry. We will improve corporate governance, and ensure the labour market offers everyone the opportunity to obtain quality, well-paid jobs and better working conditions.

4 Ensure the UK has a reliable, low cost and clean energy system

We will upgrade and diversify our energy supplies to meet future needs – ensuring they are smarter, cleaner, more secure and affordable for consumers and businesses. We will promote clean growth and take action to tackle climate change, working in partnership with business and international communities.

Our values – how we work

B Brilliant

We are inspiring, high performing, and have a clear sense of purpose in delivering excellent outcomes.

E Enterprising

We are creative, open to ideas, and well connected to the people we serve.

I Inclusive

We capitalise on different perspectives and encourage everyone to bring their whole selves to work.

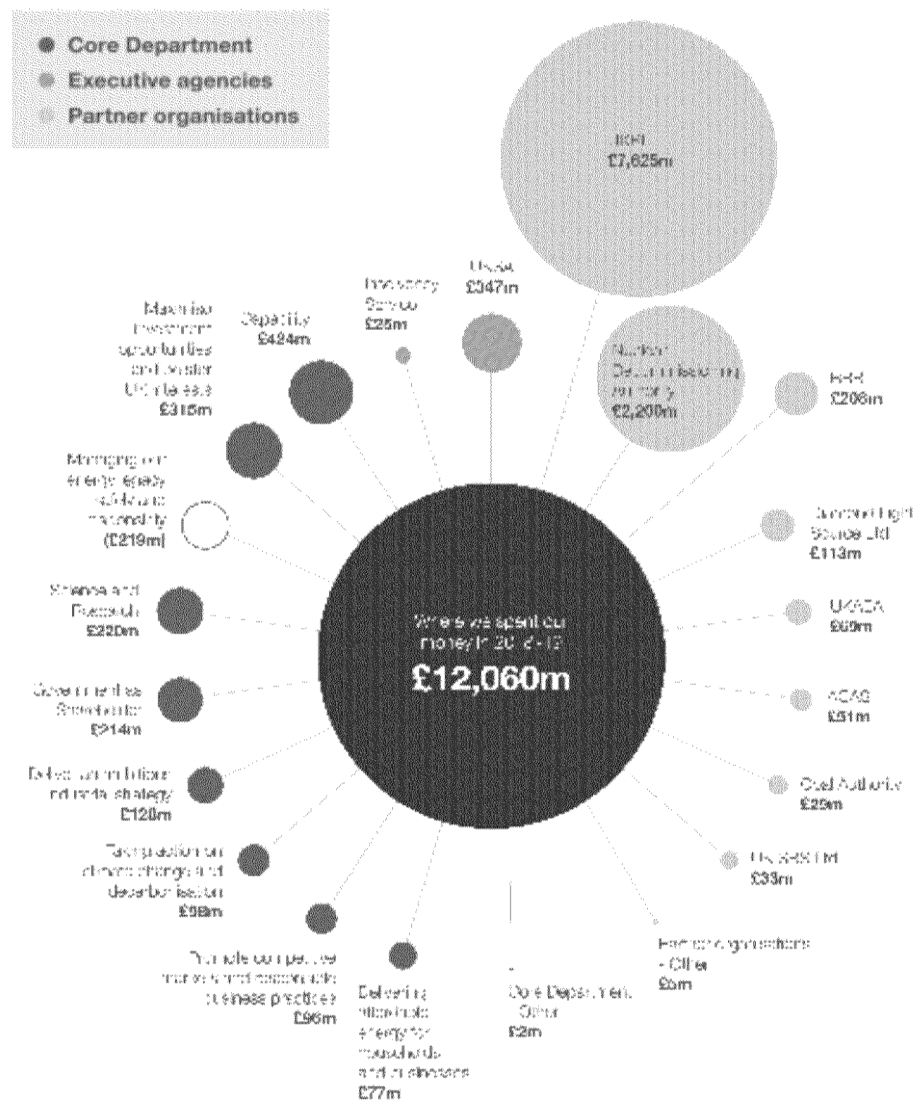
S Skilled

We are expert and committed to our development and impact.

Our people – who we are:

- Core BEIS has c.3790 employees working on a complex Policy portfolio – ranging from Industrial Strategy to Clean Growth to EU Exit Planning.
- BEIS has 40 organisations with which we partner and for which we have policy and/or governance responsibilities.

BEIS Spend 2018/2019 (£12bn)



For the year ending 31 March 2019, the Departmental Group incurred a spend of **£12.1 billion**.

Of this **£1.4 billion** related to the core Department and agencies, and **£10.7 billion** related to our partner organisations.

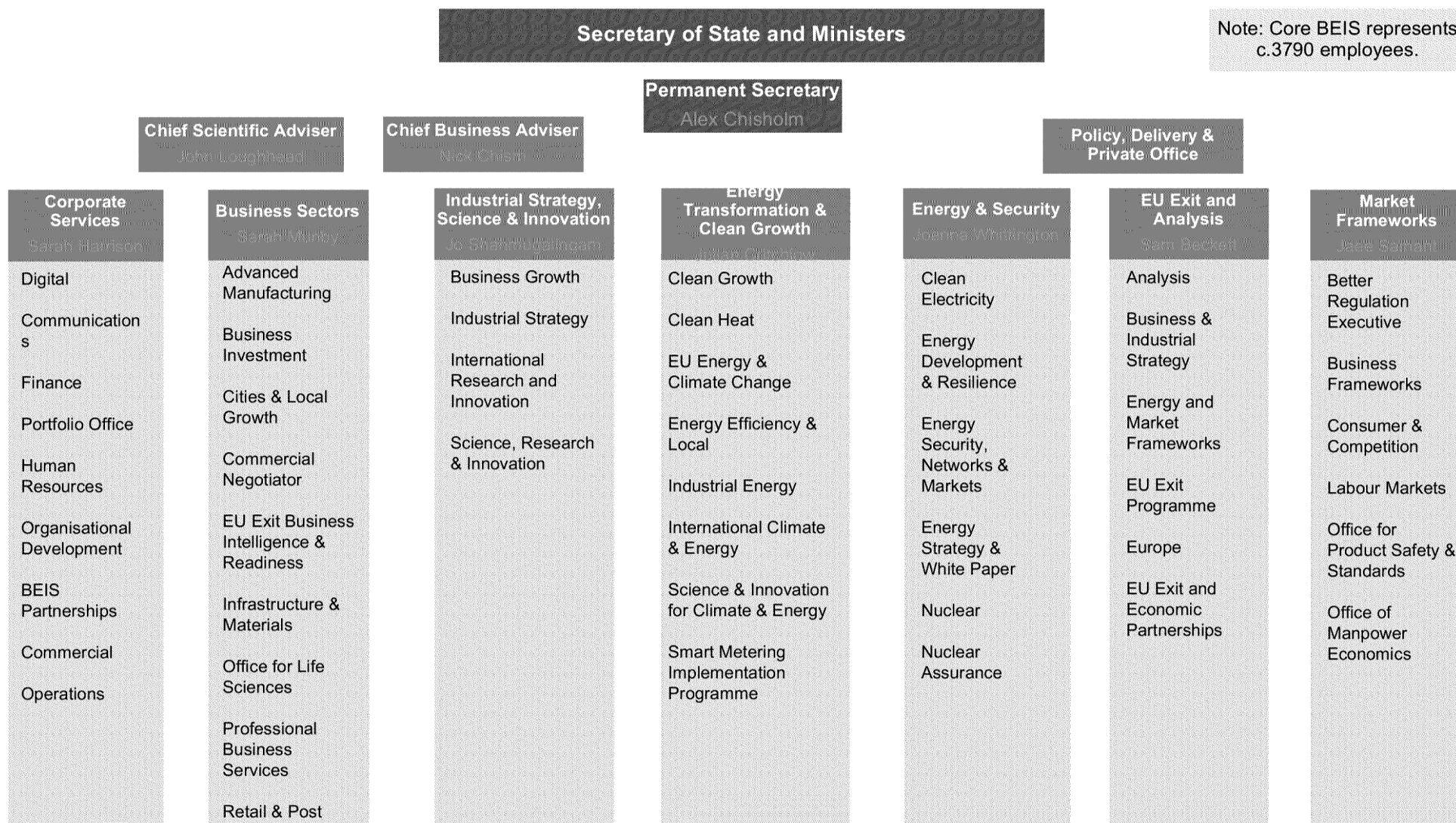
The diagram on the left shows the major areas of spend. The majority of the department's spend, and policy delivery is through it's Partner Organisations, including:

- **£7,625 million** by **UK Research and Innovation (UKRI)**, on funding for Science and Research.
- **£2,200 million** by the **Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (NDA)** on managing our energy legacy safely and responsibly.
- **£347 million** by **UK Space Agency (UKSA)** on delivering an excellent space programme with the maximum economic, scientific and policy benefit for the UK.
- **£208 million** by the **British Business Bank (BBB)** on supporting small businesses in the UK at all stages of their development.

Note: This expenditure corresponds to the net total DEL expenditure for our Departmental Group. It excludes AME expenditure which represents volatile, demand-led spend and technical accounting matters.

Source: Department for Business, Energy, and Industrial Strategy Annual Report and Accounts 2018-2019

BEIS Core Structures



Source: BEIS Organogram of Staff Roles & Salaries and Single Departmental Plan June 2019

Partner Organisations

Classified by Cabinet Office as Arm's Length Bodies (ALBs)

Non-Departmental Public Bodies

- UK Research and Innovation
- Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service
- British Hallmarking Council
- Civil Nuclear Police Authority
- Coal Authority
- Committee on Climate Change
- Competition Service
- Nuclear Decommissioning Authority
- UK Atomic Energy Authority
- Groceries Code Adjudicator (*Office Holder*)
- Pubs Code Adjudicator (*Office Holder*)
- Small Business Commissioner (*Office Holder*)
- Certification Officer (*Office Holder*)

(Tribunal) Non-Departmental Public Bodies

- Central Arbitration Committee
- Competition Appeals Tribunal
- Copyright Tribunal

(Advisory) Non-Departmental Public Bodies

- Committee on Fuel Poverty
- Committee on Radioactive Waste Mgmt.
- Low Pay Commission
- Regulatory Policy Committee

Non-Ministerial Department

- Competition & Markets Authority
- Office of Gas and Electricity Markets
- Land Registry

Executive Agencies

- Companies House
- Insolvency Service
- Intellectual Property Office
- Met Office
- UK Space Agency

Not administratively classified by CO

Public Corporation

- National Physical Laboratory
- National Nuclear Laboratory
- Nuclear Liabilities Fund
- Ordnance Survey
- Post Office Ltd.

Other

- British Business Bank
- Financial Reporting Council
- UK Green Infrastructure Platform

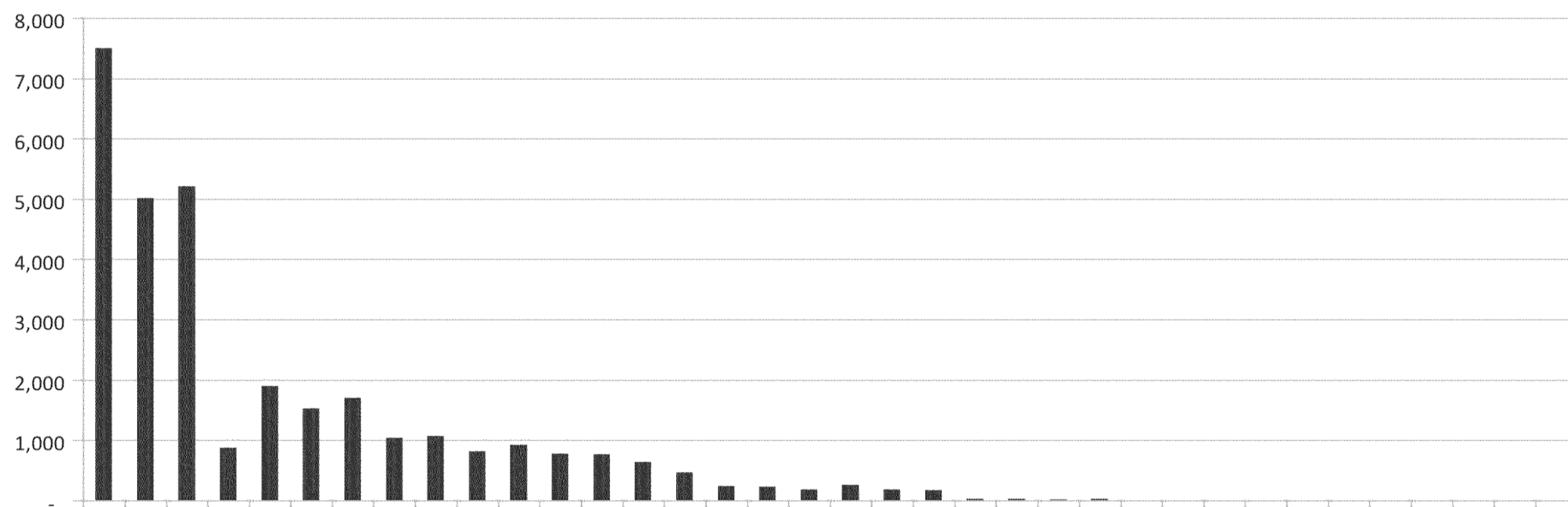
- Electricity Settlements Company
- Low Carbon Contracts Company
- Oil and Gas Authority
- UK Shared Business Service Ltd

Source: Departments, agencies and public bodies, gov.uk

Partner Organisations Headcount

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Certain PO's are excluded from the graph as they have a single post holder, e.g. Groceries Code Adjudicator, Pubs Code Adjudicator, and Certification Officer

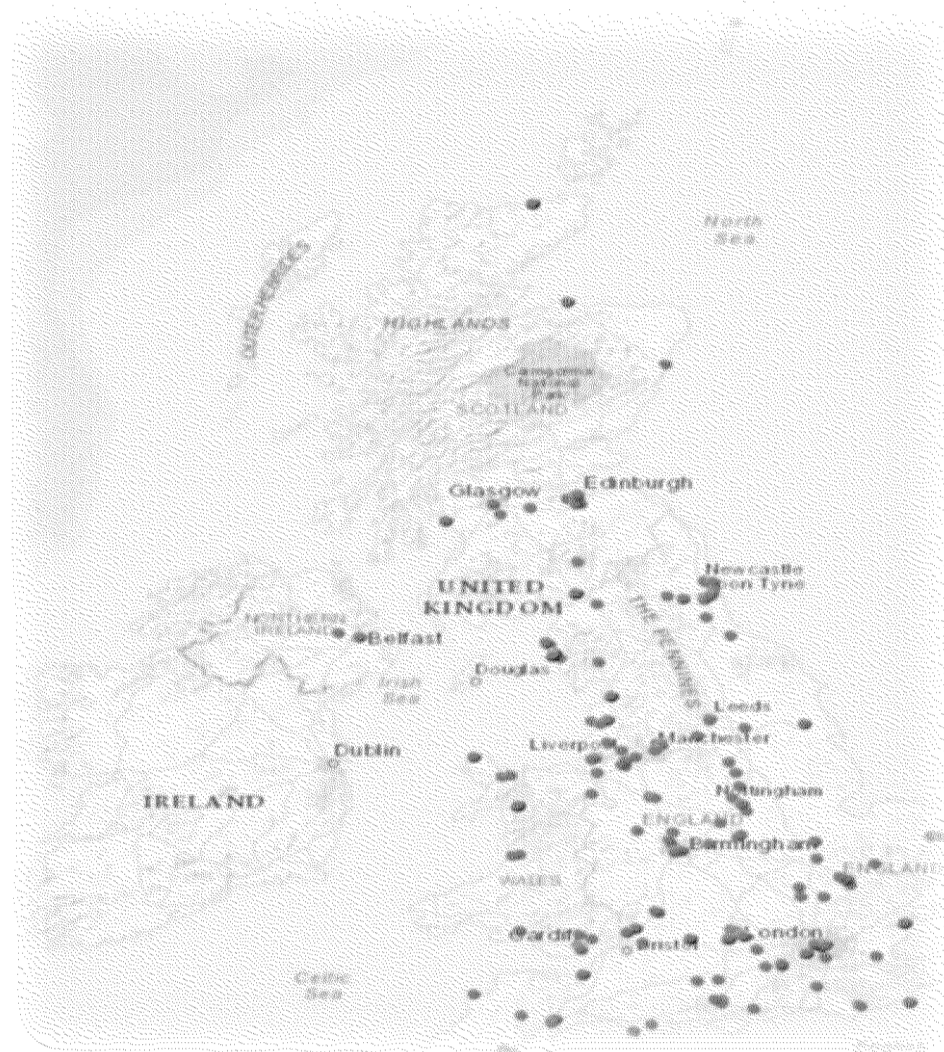


Source: BEIS Annual Report and Accounts 2018-2019, and the annual report and accounts of each Partner Organisation

The BEIS estate

We have core BEIS & Partner Organisation (ALB) staff in each of the four nations, with approximately 80% based outside London, including in:

- Cardiff
- Edinburgh
- Aberdeen
- Belfast
- Birmingham
- Swindon
- Manchester



Source: Various, including BEIS Annual Reports and Accounts, Single Departmental Plan, and evidence provided to Select Committees