



SNAP POLLING OF MEMBERS

PHASE 5 TRACKER - AUGUST 2020

23

TOTAL RESPONSES
FROM 16 JULY 30 JULY 2020

100%

SMES (<250 EMPLOYEES)

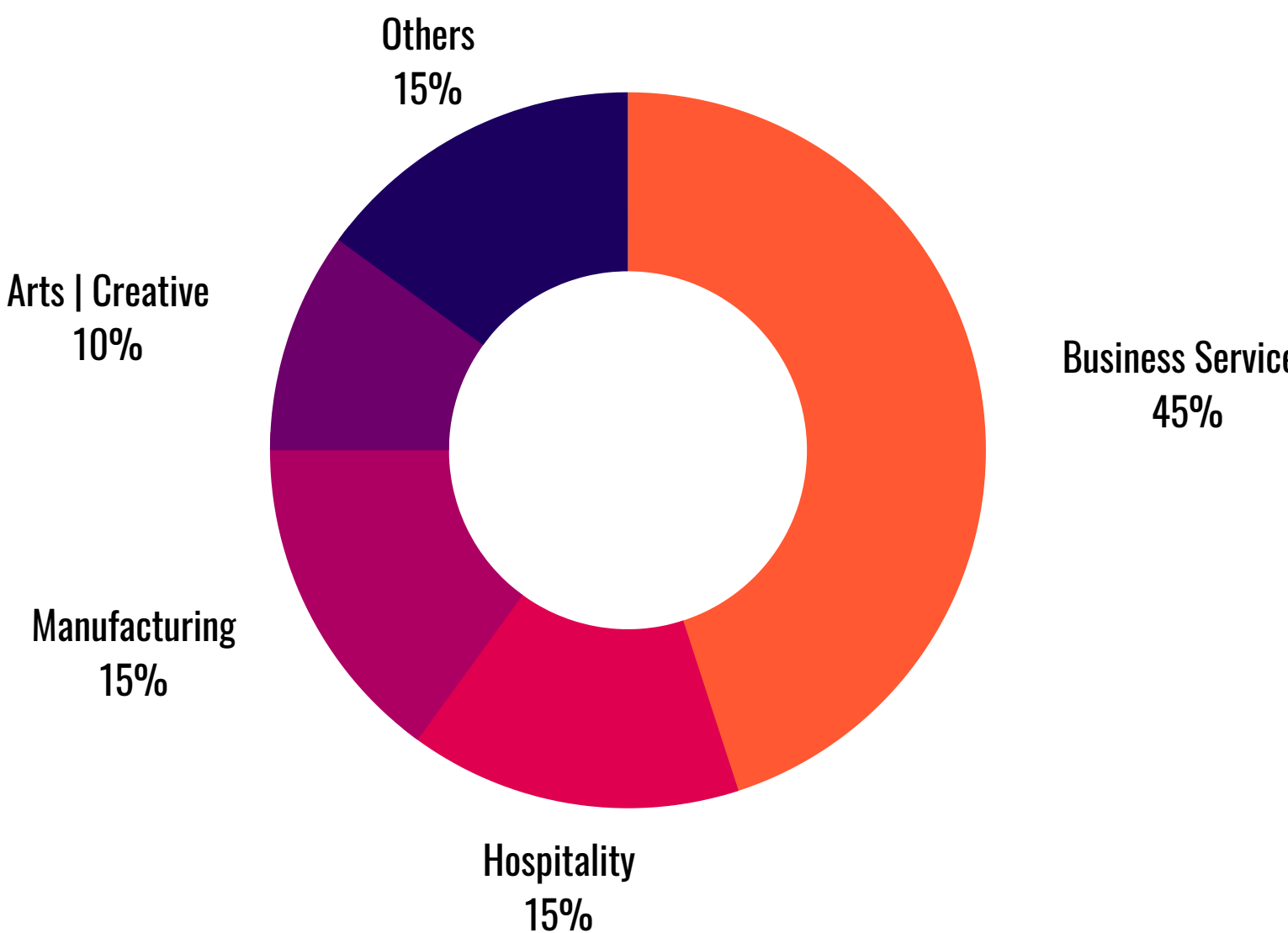
65%

MICRO BUSINESSES (<10
EMPLOYEES)

10%

SOLE TRADERS

SECTORS



LOCATION BUSINESS IS BASED





Midlothian
& East Lothian
Chamber
of Commerce

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CURRENT OPERATING STATUS



40%

LESS THAN 25% OF
CAPACITY

38%

OPERATING AT 76 TO 100%
CAPACITY

19%

OPERATING AT 26 TO 75%
CAPACITY

FURLOUGH SCHEME



52%

HAVE PLACED STAFF ON
FURLOUGH

82%

USING SCHEME HAVE PUT
MORE THAN HALF OF STAFF
ON FURLOUGH

30%

USING SCHEME EXPECT TO
BRING AT LEAST 50%+ BACK

REDUNDANCIES



84%

EXPECT NO REDUNDANCIES IN
THE NEXT MONTH

68%

EXPECT NO REDUNDANCIES IN
THE NEXT 6 MONTHS

65%

EXPECT NO REDUNDANCIES
IN THE NEXT 3 MONTHS



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FINANCIALS OVER LAST MONTH **£££**

60%

HAVE LOWER CASH
RESERVES

38%

HAVE LOWER INCOME FROM
SALES

58%

HAVE LEVEL OVERHEAD
BUSINESS COSTS

CASH RESERVES **£££**

38%

HAVE CASH RESERVES FOR
NEXT 1-3 MONTHS

33%

HAVE CASH RESERVES FOR
NEXT 3-6 MONTHS

OBSTACLES IN REBUILDING BUSINESS



67%

ARE MOST CONCERNED OF
FURTHER LOCKDOWNS

43%

ARE HAPPY WITH THE CAPACITY
OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT

38%

ARE CONCERNED BY RISING
BUSINESS COSTS

38%

ARE CONCERNED BY A LACK
OF CUSTOMER DEMAND

34%

ARE CONCERNED BY BREXIT
PREPARATIONS