

Business Plan 2011–2015

Department for Culture, Media and Sport

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A) Vision

The biggest immediate challenge the Department for Culture, Media and Sport faces is delivering a safe and successful Olympic and Paralympic Games in 2012 – the largest peacetime logistical operation this country has ever faced. We are determined to make the most of it, and we want to ensure that London 2012 will be a symbol of our economic vitality, our social and cultural renewal, and our standing on the global stage.

Our vision is to help create the conditions for growth in the creative, communications, cultural, tourism and leisure economies, removing barriers to innovation and levelling the playing field. Where we judge there is a need for a particular intervention, we will provide real support and set strategy and direction. But we want our sectors and industries to drive their own agenda.

Where the market will not deliver, the Government's role is to try and redress the balance. We have set a stretching ambition to have the best super-fast broadband network in Europe. We know that this infrastructure is an essential building block for economic growth, and that the internet is a powerful democratic force in holding government to account at every level. We know that we may need to break down the digital divide by supporting rural communities. We want there to be truly local TV.

We will play our part in building the Big Society. We want everyone to be able to play sport and enjoy their local and our national culture. Passion for the arts and sport is instilled at a young age – which is why we want to give all children the opportunity to learn to play sport and play a musical instrument. We want to encourage a culture of giving, so that more of us have a greater connection with the things we care about.

We believe that there should be public funding for the arts and culture. We need to make sure that, during a time when we have to reduce public spending, our world-class cultural institutions can continue to thrive. But funding should not be an excuse for dependence. We want to see our cultural institutions adapt their business models, liberating them to raise and spend money as they see fit.

Jeremy Hunt, Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

B) Coalition Priorities

Structural Reform Priorities

1. Deliver the 2012 Olympics and Paralympics

- Deliver a safe and successful Olympic and Paralympic Games in London in 2012, and help to deliver a genuine and lasting legacy throughout the country

2. Create a sporting legacy from the Olympic and Paralympic Games

- Encourage competitive sport in schools by establishing a new School Games competition, improve local sports facilities and establish a lasting community sports legacy

3. Create the conditions for growth

- Facilitate sustainable growth in the tourism, media, leisure, creative, communications and cultural industries, including by reforming the media regulatory regime

4. Boost the Big Society and strengthen cultural organisations

- Encourage philanthropic giving, return the National Lottery to its founding principles and foster the development of a new breed of strong local media groups. Reform arm's length bodies, support a move towards more sustainable business models and support libraries into the next generation

5. Facilitate the delivery of universal broadband

- Stimulate private sector investment to deliver the best super-fast broadband network in Europe by 2015

B) Coalition Priorities

Other major responsibilities

Protect our nation's cultural heritage

- Preserve museum collections, archives, historic buildings, sites and monuments, and maintain free access to national museums and galleries

Support major events and encourage the celebration of ceremonial traditions

- Work with the Scottish Government to deliver a successful Commonwealth Games in Glasgow in 2014, ensure that the 2013 Rugby League and the 2015 Rugby Union World Cups are successful; and co-ordinate the Government's role for the wedding of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge in April 2011 and Her Majesty The Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations in June 2012

Support innovation, diversity and creative excellence in the arts

- Fund the arts and make access to music education fairer so that all children can choose to learn to play a musical instrument

Support cultural, media and sports diplomacy

- Build effective international relationships for the benefit of the sport, creative, cultural and tourism industries

Ensure accountability to Parliament for our policies and the money we spend

- Provide Parliament and interested bodies with factual and timely information on our policies, functions and performance

B) Coalition Priorities

The Department will no longer...

...hold onto power at a national level. We will transfer more responsibility for the Royal Parks to the Mayor of London, and we will no longer sponsor museums that should be the responsibility of local communities. We will resolve the future of the Tote and end government intervention in deciding the level of the Horserace Betting Levy

...over-regulate. We will remove unnecessary red tape and barriers, ensuring that people remain protected by only essential regulation. For example, we will cut red tape to encourage the performance of more live music

...spend as much money on administration. We will reduce the cost of the Department by 50%, rationalising our arm's length bodies, and making those that we still require leaner and more effective

C) Structural Reform Plan

The Coalition is committed to a programme of reform that will turn government on its head. We want to bring about a power shift, taking power away from Whitehall and putting it into the hands of people and communities, and a horizon shift, making the decisions that will equip Britain for long-term success. For too long citizens have been treated as passive recipients of centralised, standardised services. This Government is putting citizens back in charge, and Structural Reform Plans are part of this shift of power from government to people.

This section sets out how, and when, the Department will achieve the reforms that are needed to make this happen. Structural Reform Plans are key tools for holding departments to account for the implementation of Programme for Government commitments, replacing the old top-down systems of targets and central micromanagement.

Each month, the Department publishes a simple report on its progress in meeting these commitments. These reports are available on our departmental website and on the Number 10 website.

All legislative timings and subsequent actions are subject to Parliamentary timetable and approval.

1. Deliver the 2012 Olympics and Paralympics

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Deliver a safe and successful Olympic and Paralympic Games in London in 2012, and help to deliver a genuine and lasting legacy throughout the country

ACTIONS	Start	End
1.1 Ensure that the Olympic and Paralympic Games deliver value for money		
i. Identify £20m savings in the 2010 Spending Review process	Completed	-
ii. Review uncommitted project budgets and all releases of contingency funds	Started	Sep 2012
1.2 Improve governance within Whitehall to ensure effective delivery		
i. Put in place new Whitehall governance structures as part of the Spending Review	Completed	-
ii. Implement improvements to the wider delivery programme with external partners	Completed	-
1.3 Ensure that Olympic venues and infrastructure are delivered on time and to budget		
i. Publish final Olympic and Paralympic Transport Plan	May 2011	May 2011
ii. Work with the Olympic Delivery Authority to ensure the:		
a) Completion of the main Olympic Park venues (Olympic Stadium, Aquatics Centre, Velodrome and the Basketball and Handball arenas)	Jul 2011	Jul 2011
b) Completion of the Olympic Village	Jan 2012	Jan 2012
c) Handing over of the Olympic Park for operation	Jan 2012	Jan 2012
1.4 Work with other government departments and the Mayor of London to ensure that essential public services are provided for the Games		
i. Work with the Home Office to review Olympic security preparations	Completed	-
ii. Work with the Home Office, the Mayor of London and other partners to ensure that effective security plans and capabilities are in place	Started	Jul 2012
iii. Ensure that regulations restricting advertising and street trading are made	Nov 2011	Nov 2011
iv. Ensure that the London Organising Committee of the Olympic and Paralympic Games (LOCOG) secures agreements with designated hospitals outlining the service that will be provided to the Olympic/Paralympic family	Started	Sep 2011

1. Deliver the 2012 Olympics and Paralympics

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ACTIONS	Start	End
1.4 Work with other government departments and the Mayor of London to ensure that essential public services are provided for the Games (continued)		
v. Open the Government Co-ordination Centre to oversee all government services for the Olympic and Paralympic Games	Jan 2012	Jan 2012
vi. Ensure that the UK Border Agency and LOCOG put in place the necessary arrangements to allow athletes and those helping with the Games entry to the UK, using the Olympic and Paralympic accreditation cards	Mar 2012	Nov 2012
vii. Publish the final spectrum plan for radio communications at the Games, detailing the spectrum bands which will be made available for the Olympic and Paralympic Games	Jan 2012	Jan 2012
1.5 Agree and implement a compelling legacy plan for the Games		
i. Publish overall legacy plan for London 2012 [See priority 2 for detail of the Sport Legacy]	Completed	-
ii. Work with The Prince's Trust and London 2012 networks to implement 'Opportunity – inspired by – London 2012', a programme which uses the Games to offer 500 disadvantaged young people a unique chance to develop their skills and be involved in London 2012 related events	Started	Oct 2012
iii. Work with DFID and the London 2012 International Inspiration foundation to use the power of sport to enrich the lives of 12 million children in 20 countries worldwide	Started	Mar 2014
iv. Support London 2012 partners to ensure that the opportunities to engage with the Olympic and Paralympic Games through grass roots participation in sport, community engagement and opportunities for economic growth are realised across the UK	Started	Mar 2014

2. Create a sporting legacy from the Olympic and Paralympic Games

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Encourage competitive sport in schools by establishing an annual Olympic and Paralympic-style schools event, improve local sports facilities and establish a lasting community sports legacy

ACTIONS	Start	End
2.1 Launch a new School Games competition		
i. Work with sports to develop a strategy for their engagement with the School Games	Completed	-
ii. Work with sports to develop appropriate formats for their inclusion in the School Games	Started	Oct 2011
iii. Ensure that Sport England selects bodies to develop the competition at the intra-school level, inter-school level and county-level	Completed	-
iv. Launch the School Games at the Olympic Park	Completed	-
v. Ensure that Sport England appoints delivery bodies for 2011 county-level competitions and the 2012 national competition	Started	May 2011
vi. Publish the finalised framework and rules for each level of the competition	Sep 2011	Sep 2011
vii. School Games sport days and nine county level events held	By Sep 2011	By Sep 2011
viii. New School Games competition established as an annual event	From Sep 2012	From Sep 2012
2.2 Use the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games to establish a lasting community sporting legacy		
i. Direct the Sport Lottery Distributor to take responsibility for the community sports legacy following London 2012	Completed	-
ii. Publish the community legacy strategy for sports	Completed	-
iii. Through the Places People Play initiative upgrade to 1,000 local sports clubs/facilities	May 2011	Mar 2013
iv. Recruit 40,000 sports leaders to organise and lead community sport	May 2011	Mar 2013

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ACTIONS	Start	End
2.3 Support sports facilities and clubs		
i. Determine appropriate steps to protect playing fields	Completed	-
ii. Consult on playing fields proposals	Completed	-
iii. Introduce a programme of improvement and protection for playing fields as part of the community sports legacy	May 2011	May 2011
iv. Investigate how to use cash in dormant betting accounts to set up a capital fund to improve local sports facilities and support sports clubs	Completed	-
v. Announce findings of investigation, and begin to implement	Jan 2011 (Overdue)	
vi. Review the impact of bureaucracy on the running of sports and local sports clubs	Completed	-
2.4 Reform the arm's length bodies in the sport sector, and improve governance arrangements to ensure that sporting bodies better reflect the needs of the communities they serve		
i. Merge Sport England and UK Sport	Started	Apr 2013
ii. Abolish the Football Licensing Authority, and transfer its essential functions to another body	Started	Apr 2013
iii. Work with football bodies to consider how best to improve football governance, including options to support the co-operative ownership of football clubs by supporters	Started	Sep 2011
iv. Publish proposals for improving governance in sport	Sep 2011	Sep 2011

3. Create the conditions for growth (p.1 of 3)

Facilitate sustainable growth in the tourism, media, leisure, creative and cultural industries, including by reforming the media regulatory regime

ACTIONS	Start	End
3.1 Enable the tourism industry to deliver faster, more balanced economic growth and streamline and refocus tourism organisations in the process		
i. Publish government tourism strategy	Completed	-
ii. Encourage private sector contribution to a new match-funded marketing initiative to promote tourism from overseas	Completed	-
iii. Start £100m campaign as part of a cross-government campaign to market Britain internationally	May 2011	Jul 2011
iv. Work with Visit England to improve existing consumer feedback platforms, by enhancing rating and star grading systems for accommodation and attractions	Started	Mar 2012
v. Reform Visit England to facilitate increased industry expertise on its board	Started	Mar 2013
vi. Restructure Visit Britain to ensure better targeting of high-value and emerging tourism markets, and to achieve significant reductions in its administration costs	Started	Mar 2013
vii. Create industry task-force to identify regulation holding the tourism industry back	Jun 2011	Jun 2011
viii. Consult on moving the first bank holiday in May	Oct 2011	Mar 2012
ix. Modify Tourist Boards to become smaller, highly focused, industry-led partnerships	Started	May 2015
3.2 Help to make the UK an attractive place to invest by bidding for major sporting events, and helping to win backing for major cultural events		
i. Prepare major sporting events legislation for introduction when appropriate	Started	Dec 2012
ii. Finalise and publish the summary of government support available to sports bodies bidding for events	Started	Sep 2012
3.3 Work with the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills to enhance the support that the UK's intellectual property framework gives to entrepreneurialism, economic growth and social and commercial innovation¹	Started	Apr 2011 (Overdue)
¹ This action refers to the independent Review of Intellectual Property and Growth, chaired by Professor Ian Hargreaves		

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Facilitate sustainable growth in the tourism, media, leisure, creative and cultural industries, including by reforming the media regulatory regime

ACTIONS	Start	End
3.4 Change the media regulatory regime by reforming Ofcom and deregulating the broadcasting sector to reduce the burden placed on business		
i. Identify areas for scaling back Ofcom duties	Completed	-
ii. Reform Ofcom through the introduction of the Public Bodies Bill to reduce unnecessary spending and return responsibility for broadcasting policy to DCMS	Completed	-
iii. Conduct a scoping exercise to identify avenues for reducing regulatory and competition controls	Started	Nov 2011
iv. Develop a new framework for the communications industries to promote growth	Nov 2011	Apr 2015
3.5 Ensure that the BBC becomes more accountable and offers better value for money for licence fee payers		
i. Give the National Audit Office access to the BBC's accounts	Started	Nov 2011
ii. Secure a detailed arrangement to implement the new licence fee settlement, by amending the BBC Agreement and legislating to implement new funding commitments, including provisions on: (a) new partnership with the Welsh language TV channel (S4C) and (b) the BBC World Service	Started	Mar 2013
3.6 Work with Digital UK to ensure the switchover of TV transmitters from analogue to digital across the UK, region by region		
i. Implement digital switchover in Yorkshire, Anglia, Central England and Scottish TV	Started	Dec 2011
ii. Implement digital switchover in Meridian, London, Tyne Tees and Ulster TV	Started	Dec 2012

4. Boost the Big Society and strengthen cultural organisations

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Encourage philanthropic giving, return the National Lottery to its founding principles and foster the development of a new breed of strong local media groups, support libraries into the next generation

ACTIONS	Start	End
4.1 Introduce incentives to increase charitable giving		
i. Work with Cabinet Office and the Treasury to incentivise more social investment, philanthropy and giving, including a strategy to boost giving from private individuals to cultural institutions, incorporating insights from behavioural science	Completed	-
ii. Work with Cabinet Office and the Treasury to publish White Paper on giving	May 2011	May 2011
iii. Implement measures to facilitate fundraising by cultural and charitable institutions		
a) Agree with national museums a framework for creating charitable trusts, which will encourage and manage museum donations and private income	Started	Mar 2011 (Overdue)
b) Implement new framework and establish trusts	Apr 2011	Mar 2012
c) Complete the transfer of a proportion of accumulated reserves to new museum trusts	Mar 2015	Mar 2015
iv. Roll out £80million match funding scheme to raise at least an equivalent amount from private donors	Started	Mar 2014
4.2 Reform the National Lottery so that more money goes into sport, the arts and heritage		
i. Lay statutory instrument to allocate 60% of National Lottery funding to the arts, sport and heritage causes, and 40% to the voluntary and community sector	Completed	-
ii. Impact of National Lottery reforms comes into effect (more funding for original causes of sport, the arts and heritage, and the voluntary and community sector)	Apr 2012	Apr 2012
4.3 Reform the Big Lottery Fund to ensure that only voluntary and community sector projects are funded and to prevent funding of politicised projects		
i. Issue new policy directions to the Big Lottery Fund	Completed	-

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ACTIONS	Start	End
4.4 Stop wasteful spending by National Lottery distributors, by banning lobbying activities and reducing administration costs to 5% of total income		
i. Agree plans for administrative cost reductions with distributors	Completed	-
4.5 Scrap rules on local cross-media ownership to create more opportunities and flexibility for local media		
i. Announce the removal of all local cross-media ownership rules	Completed	-
ii. Lay order before Parliament	Completed	-
4.6 Enable the creation of new local TV stations		
i. Commission economic analysis of options	Completed	-
ii. Publish consultation paper	Completed	-
iii. Conduct consultation	Completed	-
iv. Publish final decision following consultation	Apr 2011	Apr 2011
v. Issue any necessary directions or draft legislation	May 2011	Oct 2011
vi. Propose new licensing arrangements for local TV stations	Nov 2011	Nov 2011
vii. First local TV stations licensed	By Aug 2012	By Aug 2012
viii. 10 to 20 local TV stations licensed	By May 2015	By May 2015
4.7 Work with the Cabinet Office to review the government advertising model		
i. Publish a review of government advertising, encompassing the potential for a payment by results model, using government channels, and a US-style Ad Council	Completed	-
ii. Begin to implement results of review	Completed	-
iii. Complete internal review on a new approach to public service information	Oct 2011	Oct 2011

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ACTIONS	Start	End
4.8 Work with the Department for Education to address the commercialisation and premature sexualisation of childhood in the media		
i. Publish findings of independent review to advise on regulatory and non-regulatory measures to address the commercialisation and premature sexualisation of childhood	May 2011	May 2011
4.9 Support public libraries into the next generation through the Future Libraries Programme and by encouraging communities to get more involved in the running of local library services		
i. Work with ten pilot areas in England to develop options for achieving greater efficiency and improved services according to local need	Completed	-
ii. Publish update on the Future Libraries Programme	Completed	-
iii. Share emerging learning from the pilots among local authorities through a range of activities (for example peer support, active learning sets, workshops)	Started	Jul 2011
iv. Examine the barriers to community delivery of public library services	Started	May 2011
v. Publish best practice guidance around community delivery of public library services	May 2011	May 2011
4.10 Reform the arm's length bodies in the cultural sector		
i. Support Arts Council England in reforming the way regular funding is invested in arts organisations, to ensure a more strategic approach	Started	Jun 2011
ii. Identify options for relinquishing control and sponsorship of each non-national museum currently funded by DCMS	Completed	-
iii. Abolish the UK Film Council, transferring essential activities to another body whilst reviewing policy to support a more sustainable British film industry	Started	Mar 2012
iv. Abolish the Museums, Libraries and Archives Council, and transfer essential functions to another body	Started	Mar 2012

5. Facilitate the delivery of universal broadband

Stimulate private sector investment to deliver the best super-fast broadband network in Europe by 2015

ACTIONS	Start	End
5.1 Create a level playing field between incumbents and new providers		
i. Examine barriers to new providers seeking to invest in fibre optic networks	Completed	-
ii. Hold an industry round table to discuss ways to increase certainty and confidence for potential investors	Completed	-
5.2 Open up access to infrastructure to facilitate super-fast broadband in many areas		
i. Conduct a public consultation (with participation from industry regulators) on access to ducts, sewers and poles that can be used to carry fibre optic cable	Completed	-
ii. Work with Ofcom to require BT and other infrastructure providers to allow the use of their assets to deliver super-fast broadband	Started	Nov 2011
iii. Regularly review and introduce, if necessary, legislative powers to open relevant utility infrastructure to broadband providers	Started	May 2015
iv. Issue guidance on micro-trenching and street works	Nov 2011	Nov 2011
5.3 Facilitate the introduction of super-fast broadband in remote areas at the same time as in more populated areas		
i. Start market testing community-led pilots in the Highlands and Islands, North Yorkshire, Cumbria and Herefordshire	Completed	-
ii. Publish policy paper setting out the lessons learned from community-led pilots and the Government's approach to investment in broadband until 2015	Nov 2011	Nov 2011
iii. If required, instruct Broadband Delivery UK to allocate funding to areas where the market has not delivered, after digital switchover has finished in 2012	Sep 2012	Sep 2012
iv. Ensure that all businesses in Enterprise Zones have superfast broadband access	Jan 2012	May 2015

D) Departmental expenditure

This section sets out how the Department is spending taxpayers' money as clearly and transparently as possible.

We have included a table to show the Department's planned expenditure over the Spending Review period, as agreed with the Treasury. It is split into money spent on administration (including the cost of running departments themselves), programmes (including the frontline), and capital (for instance new buildings and equipment).

This section also includes a bubble chart setting out further detail how its settlement will be allocated for the 2011/12 financial year, across its key programmes and activities.

Table of spending for 2011/12 to 2014/15

This section sets out the Department's planned expenditure over the Spending Review period, as agreed with the Treasury.

£bn ^{1 2 3}	Baseline 2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15
Total departmental expenditure allocation – <i>of which</i>	2.6	2.9	2.6	1.4	1.2
Olympics	1.0	1.2	0.9	0.0	-0.1
<i>Administration spending⁴</i>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
<i>Programme spending⁴ of which</i>	1.2	1.3	1.8	1.1	1.0
<i>Olympics</i>	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.0	0.0
<i>Capital spending of which</i>	1.2	1.4	0.6	0.2	0.1
<i>Olympics</i>	1.0	1.1	0.2	0.0	-0.1

Administration spending: the costs of all central government administration other than the costs of direct frontline service provision.

Programme spending: spending on activities, goods and services, such as pay and benefits (excluding admin spending as defined above).

Capital spending: spending on assets with a lasting value, such as buildings and equipment.

1. Detailed breakdown of these budgets will be published by April 2011

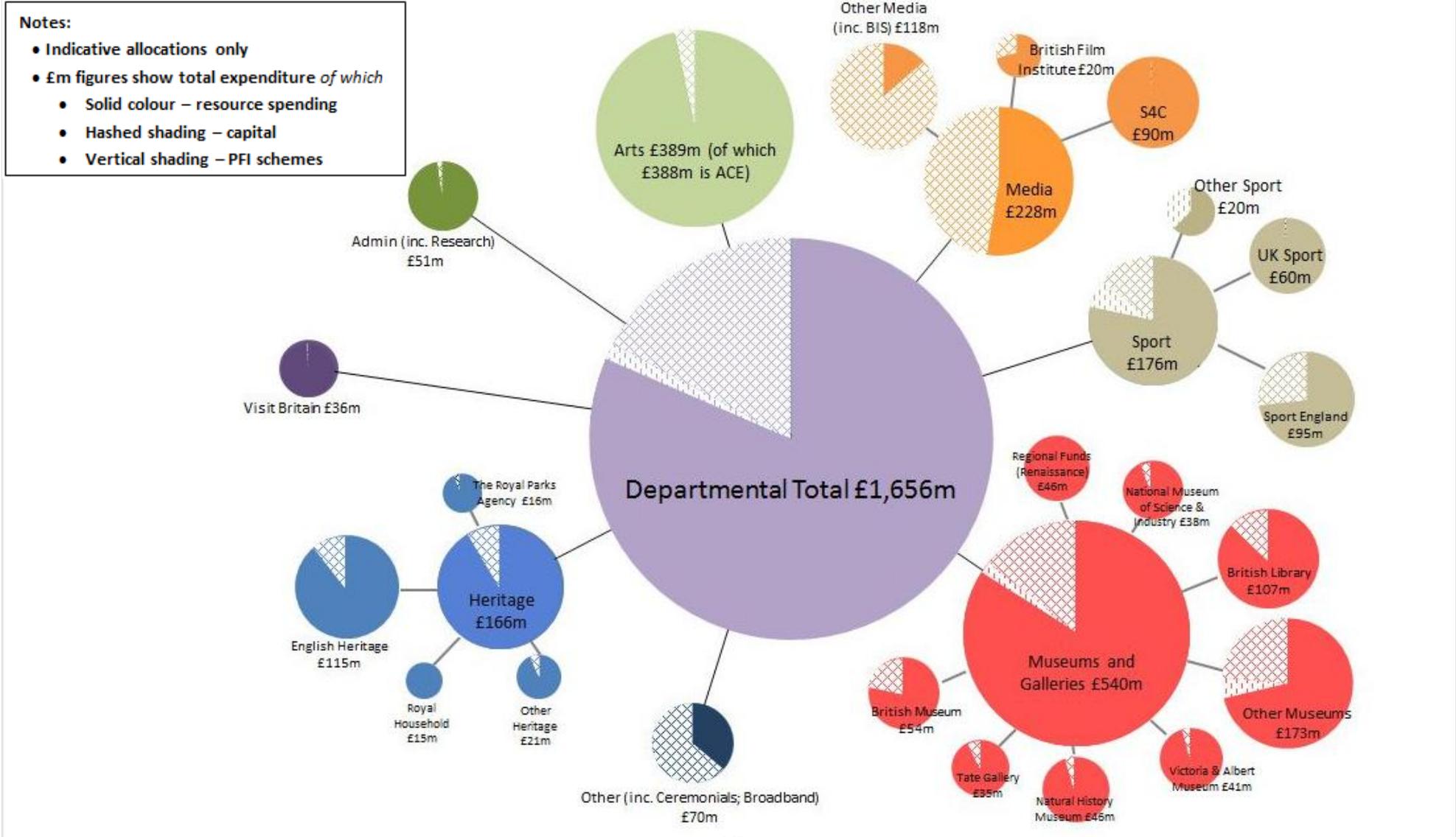
2. Excludes departmental Annually Managed Expenditure

3. Numbers may not sum due to rounding

4. Excludes depreciation

Planned Departmental Expenditure 2011/12

This bubble chart sets out further detail on how our settlement will be allocated for the 2011/12 financial year, across our key programmes and activities (excluding expenditure on the Olympics)



Common Areas of Spend

This data aims to let the public compare DCMS operations against other public and private sector organisations, by setting out the cost of common operational areas against common data standards. Here, departments are setting out historical data from 2009/10 to form a baseline for future updates.

In 2009/10, the DCMS ¹ ...
...employed 439 full-time equivalent (FTE) people; engaged 35 temporary staff and had an average staff cost of £57,281
...had a total estate of 8,049sqm with a cost of £7.2m equating to a cost per FTE of £12,064
...procured goods and services with a cost of £26.2m with third party suppliers, and were able to provide detailed categorisation for 100% of this
...had major projects with a value of £10.5bn of which the largest were the Olympics and Broadband
...spent £4.8m with third party suppliers on ICT and had an average cost of desktop per FTE of £2,671
...spent £29.9m on staff pay
...spent £8.5m on the HR, Finance, Procurement, Legal and Communications aspects of Corporate Services
...was unable to provide information on Fraud and Debt
...spent £7.1m with Small and Medium Enterprises and was unable to provide information on spend with Voluntary and Charitable Sector, or grants to these organisations

During the baseline year, few of the data standards above were available for consistent comparison across government. So historical data has not always been prepared on a consistent basis. Departments have set out caveats and exceptions that explain how their data fits with the common standard, and are critical to understanding this data. We are working to improve substantially the quality of data and particularly consistency across departments.

More detailed data, the caveats, definitions and supplementary information is available in Annex A. In future, we will publish updates to this information as part of our regular reporting of business plan data.

Note 1: Organisations covered: The Department for Culture, Media, and Sport. Does not currently include the functions transferred in from Department for Business Innovation and Skills.

Organisations excluded: All arm's length bodies

E) Transparency

Transparency is key to improved outcomes and productivity in our public services. Public reporting of data promotes higher quality and more efficient services, choice and accountability. Transparency is a driver of economic growth because it enables the development of tools to support users, commissioners and providers of public services.

This section sets out how departments will publish information that will allow taxpayers to assess the efficiency and productivity of public services, holding them more effectively to account. The commitments in this section will be kept under continuous review – it is essential that public services are consistently proactive in publishing information to help citizens make the best decisions and routinely appraise their success in delivering meaningful transparency to their users.

This Business Plan makes commitments to the publication of key data sets that will improve the transparency of the public service – at the same time, it commits to providing data that is of good quality so that it can be used for effective comparison and to publishing this information in such a way so that it is as accessible as possible. In addition, departments are expected to work with data users to promote awareness of new data sets as they are published so that they become the focus of innovation and enterprise.

In most cases the data will be available free of charge.

Information strategy (p.1 of 2)

Transparency is a key operating principle for the Department for Culture, Media and Sport. We are committed to sharing information and will be releasing data in line with the Public Data principles. We will embed a culture of transparency throughout our delivery chain, and the arm's length bodies that we sponsor will be adopting similar levels of transparency as a term of their funding.

Transparency is championed at Board level by the Director of Finance and SIRO, Simon Judge: simon.judge@culture.gsi.gov.uk, 020 7211 2350.

The Prime Minister has made it clear that all the public must have access to data that will help to hold us to account. Under this principle, we will:

- Release data on the Department's administrative spend and provide information on how the organisation is run
- Release data on the resource that is invested into programmes, policy and procurement
- Provide information on the delivery and outcomes of major programmes and the impact of our policies
- Continue to provide timely and accurate information to the public and Parliament about all of our activities, in particular we aim to respond to correspondence within 48 hours

We will also meet our legal duty under the Equality Act to publish data, annually from July 2011, that evidences how our policies help bridge gaps in fairness. Equality and diversity breakdowns for data used in the indicators and information strategy will be presented where available, to help show a fuller picture of the impact of our work.

Information strategy (p.2 of 2)

The Department already regularly publishes the following corporate data, to reflect our continuing work to strive for even greater value for money. The financial data on this list will be released on a monthly basis, whilst the rest will be reviewed and published as appropriate (at least on an annual basis).

- Staff Organogram
- Headcount data and aggregate costs of all permanent staff
- Grades, job titles and annual pay rates for Senior Civil Servants earning over £150,000
- Details of SCS expense claims and meetings with lobbyists
- Energy consumption of Departmental HQ
- All items of expenditure over £500
- All new tender documents for contracts over £10,000
- All new contracts, including details of all new ICT contracts

As part of their funding agreements, Museums, Arts Council England and the Sports bodies will be committing to publish information on allocated money to organisations they fund, so people can track value for money.

DCMS has created a specific space to host all Transparency information: www.transparency.culture.gov.uk . Information about contracts is at: www.contractsfinder.businesslink.gov.uk . All datasets will be registered on data.gov.uk and published in line with the Public Data Principles. The Department supports the principles of the new 'right to data' and members of the public can request data and further information via transparency@culture.gov.uk.

Input indicators

The input indicators show what is being ‘purchased’ with public money against the key structural reform priorities i.e. the resources being invested into delivering the impacts that the Department and our public, private and voluntary sector partners are aiming to achieve. They do not reflect the entire value of the sectors that we fund. Neither do they cover all the resources being invested into delivering the impacts that the Department and our public, private and voluntary sector partners are aiming to achieve.

Input indicator	When will publication start?	How often will it be published?	How will this be broken down?
Number of premises covered per £million of broadband delivery programme expenditure.	2012	Quarterly	N/A
Progress towards delivery on time and to budget of Olympic and Paralympic Games (Ratio of actual spend as percentage of anticipated final cost to percentage of actual progress of Olympic Delivery Authority programme).	Apr 2011	Quarterly	By total Olympic capital programme; venues & infrastructure; transport; athletes' village; transformation.
Public funding per school participating in the School Games.	Sep 2011	Quarterly	By school type, number of school children in school and locality.
Ratio of charitable giving (donations and sponsorship) to grant-in-aid for cultural institutions funded by DCMS.	July 2011	Annual	By cultural institution. ACE by artform, trusts, sponsorship, donations and lottery revenue partnership funding.

Impact indicators

Our impact indicators are designed to help the public to judge whether our policies and reforms are having the effect they want. It is difficult to quantify the true impact of culture, sport and heritage on people's lives, but these indicators aim to give a broad picture of how the Department is performing.

Impact indicator	When will publication start?	How often will it be published?	How will this be broken down?
Broadband Delivery UK's Best-in-Europe scorecard (measuring Coverage, Speed, Price and Choice of broadband service).	Late 2011	Annual	By average fixed download, upload and mobile speeds, by mobile, standard, and/or superfast service, and by market concentration.
Proportion of people directly employed in tourism.	July 2011	Annual	Disaggregation to UK nations.
Proportion of children participating in competitive sport.	Aug 2011	Annual, possibly on rolling quarterly basis	By in-and-out of school, region, age, rural/urban, gender, disability, ethnicity and socio-economic group.
Total amount of charitable giving (donations and sponsorship) to cultural institutions funded by DCMS.	July 2011	Annual	By cultural institution.

Other data

As detailed in our information strategy, we will publish a range of other datasets on our website, and these can be found at:

www.transparency.culture.gov.uk

Our organogram is available at http://www.culture.gov.uk/about_us/working_with_us_organogram

We have highlighted key data, which will be particularly useful to help people to judge the progress of structural reforms.

Data which will help people to judge the progress of structural reforms:

Olympic and Paralympic economic report (spend vs. profile; estimated costs; progress against milestones and anticipated activity (including staging and government services and ODA activity)

A meta-evaluation of the impacts and legacy of the London 2012 Games

National Lottery funding to the arts, sport and heritage causes, and the voluntary and community sector, by cause and by region

Number of local TV services licensed, by region

Take up of digital television

Broadband Take-up

National Museums and Galleries attendance levels

Attendance levels at Arts Council England's regularly funded art organisations, by artform

Visitor figures at English Heritage sites

Sports satellite account, estimate value of sport to UK economy

Creative/Digital industries economic estimates

Number of foreign and domestic visits to the UK and spend per visit

Other data

Other key datasets:

The DCMS Taking Part Survey will also measure:

- Proportion of adults and children playing musical instruments, various sport
- Sport participation breakdowns (1x30minute sessions, once in last 4 weeks);
- Proportion of adults and children who participate in cultural activities
- Satisfaction with last cultural experience
- Engagement with different Olympic activities (from 2012 onwards)
- Charitable giving and volunteering in the culture and sport sector
- Sport medals (number of medals won at the Olympic or Paralympic Games or the most significant international events)
- Adult sport participation levels by County and Local Authority
- Tourism Day Visit Survey, measuring domestic day visits within the UK
- Occupancy Survey, measuring serviced accommodation occupancy levels

This information strategy covers all the 'official statistics' produced by the DCMS and our Crown/Non-Crown bodies that are designated 'official statistics producers' under the Statistics and Registration Services Act 2007. The DCMS Official Statistics Catalogue can be found here:

http://www.culture.gov.uk/what_we_do/research_and_statistics/4824.aspx

DCMS have also encouraged arm's length bodies to release other collected management information and financial information. This includes digital engagement usage figures for National Museums and Galleries; and English Heritage's online usage figures for the National Monuments Record.