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# 1 Introduction

This project was carried out as part of the research behind the development of a 'Global Business Plan for Consumer Markets'. The primary audience for this report is the 'Global Consumer Markets Steering Group', but it is envisaged that it will provide material worthy of wider distribution internally to our Consumer Markets networks.

This report is made up of three main parts:

- Volume 1 KPMG's competitive position in Consumer Markets
- Volume 2 A profile of the Consumer Markets sector
- Volume 3 A profile of the top Consumer Markets companies

The report covers the three Consumer Markets segments, namely Consumer Products, Food & Drink, and Retail, as defined by KPMG UK (refer to appendix 1, 'SIC codes and descriptions').

The report covers mainly the UK, Continental Europe, and the US, but adopts a global perspective wherever possible. Further research over the coming months will look to make good the gaps.

# 2 KPMG's Competitive Position in Consumer Markets

## 2.1 Research Approach

This section of the report covers KPMG's and its major competitors' audit market share within the Consumer Markets sector. It was hoped that it would be possible to determine the share of audit and non-audit fees, however, it was impossible to determine either of these for any of the geographical regions included in the report other than the UK as companies outside of the UK are not required to publish this data. For the UK it was possible to determine the share of audit fees and non-audit fees paid to the auditors.

It was also hoped that we might be able to break non-audit fees down into fees obtained by Consulting, Tax and FAS, however, even in the UK where one had access to non-audit fees it was found to be impossible to break these fees down as the information is either unavailable or inaccessible. No individual research or analysis has been carried out by KPMG on the competitive position of its various services in Consumer Markets, or in any other sector for that matter - the data is very hard to come by.

Surveys, studies and reports by third parties which aim to give an indication of audit share, non-audit share, or competitive position have been included wherever available. This also applies to the breakdown of non-audit share into Consulting, Tax and FAS.

It was decided that KPMG's competitive position in relation to its competitors would be determined using the following league tables:

- FTSE All Share (includes FTSE 100, Mid 250 and SmallCap)
- FT Europe 500
- FT US 500
- FT Global 500

The FTSE All Share is updated every quarter, while each of the FT 500 lists are published annually at the end of January so, much of the company information contained in the FT lists was found to be outdated. In order to ensure the competitive positioning analysis carried out is relevant today, all the company data was updated and now corresponds to the most recent information obtainable in November. The market capitalisation figures for the FTSE All Share and the FT 500 lists are all as at 9 November, 1999 and exchange rates used to convert these figures from local currencies into US dollars were obtained as at that date. In some cases, companies listed on the FT 500 lists had been acquired or had merged. Those companies which had been acquired and for which no recent data was available have not been included in the calculations and analysis. Those companies that have merged are either listed as one company, or two separate companies depending on how the most recent figures were presented in their company accounts. The rankings of companies on the FT 500 lists are published in January 1999.

A number of sources were used to obtain relevant company information, namely:

- FTSE All Share and FT 500 Listings
- OneSource

- DataStream
- FT Discovery
- KPMG IHQ 'Large Companies List'
- Company Websites
- KPMG Client Database

For the purpose of identifying Consumer Markets companies within the four listings/league tables the FTSE 'Actuaries Industry Classification System' was used. On the basis of this system, and given KPMG's new structure, we define the Consumer Markets sector as comprising the following codes (refer to appendix 2 for the full definitions):

- 341 Clothing & Footwear
- 342 Furnishings & Floor Coverings
- 345 Household Appliances & H/wares
- 347 Leisure Equipment
- 349 Other Textiles & Leather Goods
- 415 Beverages Brewers
- 416 Beverages Distillers & Vintners
- 418 Soft Drinks
- 433 Farming & Fishing
- 435 Food Processors
- 475 Household Products
- 477 Personal Products

- 490 Tobacco
- 519 Distributors Other
  - 524 Discount & Super Stores and W/houses
  - 526 Retailers Hardlines
  - 527 Retailers Multi Department
  - 528 Retailers Soft Goods
  - 546 Photography
  - 560 Restaurants, Pubs & Breweries
  - 585 Funerals & Cemeteries
  - 586 Laundries & Cleaners
  - 588 Security & Alarm Services
  - 630 Food & Drug Retailers

After discussion with International Headquarters in Amsterdam and in order to remain in keeping with KPMG's Global Client List, it was decided that five companies, although identified through the FTSE 'Actuaries Industry Classification System' as being Consumer Markets companies, should be omitted from our analysis. For the same reasons, it was decided that another seven companies, although not identified through the FTSE 'Actuaries Industry Classification System' as being Consumer Markets companies, should be omitted from our analysis. For the same reasons, it was decided that another seven companies, although not identified through the FTSE 'Actuaries Industry Classification System' as being Consumer Markets companies, should be included in our analysis. These companies are listed below:

#### Companies omitted:

- Fuji Photo Film Co. Ltd
- Ingram Micro, Inc.
- Mitsubishi Corp.
- Sony Corp.
- TDK Corp.

- Companies added:
- Black & Decker Corp.
- Ecolab, Inc.
- Johnson & Johnson
- Rexel SA
- Seagram Co. Ltd (The)
- Securitas Ab
- Sodexho Alliance SA

# 2.2 Summary of Findings

In summary, the size of KPMG's current market and its competitive position in terms of audit market share is as follows:

| Global Consumer Markets Sector - Summary |         |               |                          |            |                             |                     |
|--|---------|---------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
|  | No. of  | Market Cap    | Turnover <sup>1</sup> /  | Audit fees | Non-audit fees <sup>3</sup> | KPMG rank by        |
|  | clients | @ 9/11/99 \$m | Revenue <sup>2</sup> \$m | \$m        | \$m                         | no. of co.s audited |
| FT Global 500                            | 80      | 2,332,533.4   | 1,481,030.9              | N/A        | N/A                         | 3 <sup>rd</sup>     |
| FT US 500                                | 85      | 1,808,239.8   | 1,122,871.9              | N/A        | N/A                         | $4^{\mathrm{th}}$   |
| FT Europe 500                            | 86      | 797,359.3     | 794,452.4                | N/A        | N/A                         | $2^{nd}$            |
| FTSE All Share <sup>4</sup>              | 121     | 287,076.9     | 382,192.4                | 97.7       | 183.7                       | 2 <sup>nd</sup>     |
| FTSE 100 <sup>4</sup>                    | 20      | 217,692.3     | 249,084.8                | 56.7       | 116.4                       | 2 <sup>nd</sup>     |
| FTSE Mid 250 <sup>4</sup>                | 32      | 51,856.2      | 80,872.2                 | 18.3       | 30.3                        | $4^{\mathrm{th}}$   |
| FTSE SmallCap <sup>4</sup>               | 69      | 17,528.4      | 52,235.4                 | 22.8       | 37.0                        | 2 <sup>nd</sup>     |

Notes:

1. For the FTSE lists the figure is turnover or gross sales

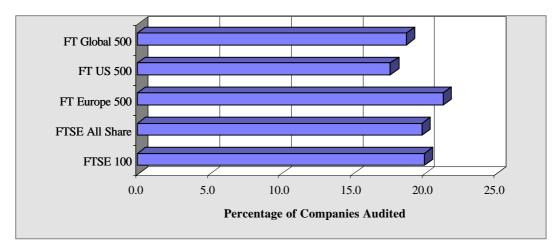
2. For the FT lists the figure is net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue

less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

3. Non-audit fees include only those fees awarded to the auditors

4. Figures were converted using rate as @ 9/11/99 US\$ = £ 0.6158

KPMG's audit share of Consumer Markets companies from each of the four lists under consideration, according to the number of companies audited, is as follows:



KPMG Audit Share in the Consumer Markets Sector

#### Key findings:

**KPMG** has a strong position in Europe, ranking  $2^{nd}$  in terms of the number of companies audited. In the UK, KPMG's strengths lie in its share of FTSE 100 and FTSE SmallCap clients. Overall in the UK, KPMG comes in joint  $2^{nd}$  place with E&Y in terms of the share of FTSE All Share clients, but ranks ahead of E&Y in terms of the share of market capitalisation, turnover, audit fees and non-audit fees. Globally, KPMG's position is quite strong, it ranks  $3^{rd}$ . Its weakest position is in the US where it ranks only  $4^{th}$ .

**PricewaterhouseCoopers** is in an extremely strong position world-wide, ranking 1<sup>st</sup> in terms of the number of companies audited in the FTSE All Share and in all three FT 500 lists. In terms of its share of market capitalisation and turnover, PwC ranks 1<sup>st</sup> in all but the FT US 500 where it comes in 2<sup>nd</sup> to E&Y. The merger has obviously served the two companies well, enabling them to build up a globally powerful brand name.

**Ernst & Young** ranks 4<sup>th</sup> globally and 3<sup>rd</sup> in Europe, one place behind KPMG in both of these geographic regions. Its strengths lie in the US where it ranks  $2^{nd}$  and in the UK where it ranks joint  $2^{nd}$  with KPMG in terms of the number of companies audited. Its strength in the UK comes from its  $2^{nd}$  place position with 31.3% share of the FTSE Mid 250 Consumer Markets companies.

**Deloitte Touche (Tohmatsu)** ranks joint 4<sup>th</sup> with AA in the UK FTSE All Share, but it does better than AA in all other geographic regions. It ranks 4<sup>th</sup> in Europe, 3<sup>rd</sup> in the US, and 2<sup>nd</sup> globally, putting it a place ahead of KPMG in both of the latter two geographic regions.

**Arthur Andersen** gives the worst performance of the Big Five accounting firms ranking  $6^{th}$  in Europe and  $5^{th}$  in the US and globally. It ranks joint  $4^{th}$  with D&T in the UK FTSE All Share. Its strongest position is within the UK FTSE Mid 250 where it ranks  $3^{rd}$ .

The **non-Big Five** auditors have been analysed as a whole, with no one company being a match for any of the Big Five. In combination the non-Big Five rank  $3^{rd}$  in the UK FTSE All Share, but have no audit clients within the FTSE 100. In Europe they rank  $5^{th}$  and globally they rank last in  $6^{th}$  place. They have no audit clients within the FT US 500 list.

## 2.3 UK

The FTSE All Share, which is made up of the companies listed on the FTSE 100, the FTSE Mid 250 and the FTSE SmallCap, was used as the basis for the analysis of KPMG's competitive position in Consumer Markets in the UK. The Consumer Markets companies were identified using the pre-selected FTSEA codes as listed above. In the fourth quarter 1999, the totals for the FTSE All Share Consumer Markets companies were:

- 121 companies (15.5% of the total FTSE All Share)
- with a total market capitalisation of £176.8bn, or \$287.1bn
- gross annual sales of £235.4bn, or \$382.3bn
- generating audit fees of £60.2m, or \$97.8m
- and non-audit fees of £113.1m, or \$183.7m

|              | FTSE All Share Consumer Markets Companies - Audit Market Share |       |                            |       |                |       |                  |       |                      |       |
|--------------|--|-------|----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
| Auditor      | No. of<br>clients  | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 £m | %     | Turnover<br>£m | %     | Audit fees<br>£m | %     | Non-audit<br>fees £m | %     |
| PwC          | 42   | 34.7  | 88,896.4                   | 50.3  | 133,299.2      | 56.6  | 28.86            | 47.9  | 75.70                | 66.9  |
| KPMG         | 24   | 19.8  | 37,443.8                   | 21.2  | 41,770.7       | 17.7  | 12.11            | 20.1  | 14.04                | 12.4  |
| E&Y          | 24   | 19.8  | 23,434.6                   | 13.3  | 29,916.6       | 12.7  | 9.28             | 15.4  | 14.00                | 12.4  |
| Non-Big Five | 15   | 12.4  | 3,315.9                    | 1.9   | 2,365.8        | 1.0   | 1.84             | 3.1   | 1.08                 | 1.0   |
| D&T          | 8  | 6.6   | 12,053.2                   | 6.8   | 13,568.3       | 5.8   | 5.10             | 8.5   | 4.02                 | 3.6   |
| AA           | 8  | 6.6   | 11,638.2                   | 6.6   | 14,433.4       | 6.1   | 3.00             | 5.0   | 4.30                 | 3.8   |
| Total        | 121  | 100.0 | 176,782.0                  | 100.0 | 235,354.1      | 100.0 | 60.19            | 100.0 | 113.14               | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: Non-audit fees include only those fees awarded to the auditors

It is interesting to note that PwC has 34.7% of the Consumer Markets companies listed on the FTSE All Share as clients, but even larger shares of the combined market capitalisation, turnover, audit and non-audit fees, with its share of the latter accounting for almost 67% of all the non-audit fees paid by the FTSE All Share Consumer Markets companies to their auditors. E&Y, although in joint second place with KPMG in terms of the number of clients, has shares of market capitalisation, turnover, and audit fees well below those of KPMG. KPMG's share of market capitalisation, turnover, and audit fees is very much in line with its share of clients, but its share of non-audit fees is lower than its share of clients and equal to E&Y's at 12.4%.

Refer to appendix 3 for the 'FTSE All Share Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor'.

#### 2.3.1 FTSE 100

Of the 'top 100' companies listed on the FTSE All Share, 20 are Consumer Markets companies. The top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Diageo, Unilever, Tesco, B.A.T., and Kingfisher, account for:

- 46.6% of the total market capitalisation for the 'top 100'
- 50.9% of the gross annual sales
- 45.3% of the audit fees
- 46.4% of the non-audit fees

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 2nd, auditing:

- 1 of the top five companies: Diageo
- 3 of the remaining 15 companies: Boots, Allied Domecq, and Associated British Foods

|   | FTSE 100 Consumer Markets Companies - Audit Market Share |                |       |                            |       |                |       |                  |       |                      |       |
|---|--|----------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
| A | uditor   | No. of clients | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 £m | %     | Turnover<br>£m | %     | Audit fees<br>£m | %     | Non-audit<br>fees £m | %     |
| P | wC   | 10             | 50.0  | 73,872.5                   | 55.1  | 105,698.4      | 68.9  | 19.50            | 55.9  | 55.70                | 77.7  |
| K | CPMG   | 4              | 20.0  | 30,689.3                   | 22.9  | 25,342.6       | 16.5  | 8.40             | 24.1  | 8.70                 | 12.1  |
| E | &Y   | 3              | 15.0  | 11,990.3                   | 8.9   | 10,869.3       | 7.1   | 3.20             | 9.2   | 5.00                 | 7.0   |
| C | 0&Т  | 2              | 10.0  | 9,924.7                    | 7.4   | 7,370.1        | 4.8   | 1.80             | 5.2   | 1.30                 | 1.8   |
| A | A  | 1              | 5.0   | 7,578.1                    | 5.7   | 4,106.0        | 2.7   | 2.00             | 5.7   | 1.00                 | 1.4   |
| T | otal   | 20             | 100.0 | 134,054.9                  | 100.0 | 153,386.4      | 100.0 | 34.90            | 100.0 | 71.70                | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: Non-audit fees include only those fees awarded to the auditors

PwC's performance seen in the FTSE All Share overleaf, is due mainly to its superior performance in the FTSE 100 where it audits 50 % of the Consumer Markets companies. Its share of turnover and non-audit fees is even more impressive at 68.9% and 77.7% respectively. KPMG is in second place auditing 20% of the FTSE 100 Consumer Markets companies and capturing a 24.1% share of the audit fees. AA, D&T and E&Y have extremely low shares of non-audit fees and turnover in relation to their share of clients. D&T's and E&Y's share of audit fees is also poor and constitutes only a little more than half their share of clients.

Refer to appendix 4 for an analysis of the FTSE Mid 250 and the FTSE SmallCap.

## 2.4 Europe

The FT Europe 500 is made up of the top 500 companies in Europe, ranked by market capitalisation. As with the FTSE All Share, the Consumer Markets companies were identified using the pre-selected FTSEA codes. In November 1999, the totals for the FT Europe 500 Consumer Markets companies were:

- 86 companies (17.2% of the total FT Europe 500)
- with a total market capitalisation of \$797.4bn
- net annual sales of \$794.5bn

Of these 86 companies, 18.6% (16 companies) are ranked in the top 100 of the FT Europe 500. 32.6% (28 companies) are ranked in the top 200.

The top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Nestle, Carrefour, Unilever, L'Oreal, and LVMH Moet-Hennessy Louis Vuitton, account for:

- 33.7% of the total market capitalisation
- 24.0% of the net annual sales

The top 20 companies, the above five plus Diageo, Pinault-Printemps Redoute, Hennes & Mauritz, Ahold, Tesco, Promodes, Danone Group, Metro, Heineken, British American

Tobacco, Kingfisher, Marks & Spencer, Cadbury Schweppes, J Sainsbury, and Castorama DuBois Investissements, account for:

- 66.5% of the total market capitalisation
- 57.9% of the net annual sales

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 2nd, auditing:

- 2 (1 shared) of the top five companies: Nestle and Carrefour
- 6 (4 shared) of the following 15 companies: Diageo, Pinault-Printemps Redoute, Promodes, Metro, Heineken, and Castorama DuBois Investissements

| FT Euro               | ope 500 Consume | er Marke | ets Companies - A           | Audit M | larket Share   |       |
|-----------------------|-----------------|----------|-----------------------------|---------|----------------|-------|
| Auditor               | No. of clients  | %        | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %       | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
| PwC                   | 26.5            | 30.8     | 249,528.8                   | 31.3    | 303,770.9      | 38.2  |
| KPMG                  | 18.3            | 21.3     | 231,021.7                   | 29.0    | 205,966.0      | 25.9  |
| E&Y                   | 12.0            | 14.0     | 87,180.2                    | 10.9    | 66,692.5       | 8.4   |
| DTT                   | 11.3            | 13.2     | 94,860.2                    | 11.9    | 94,024.6       | 11.8  |
| Non-Big Five          | 10.3            | 12.0     | 70,541.7                    | 8.8     | 71,508.1       | 9.0   |
| АА                    | 6.5             | 7.6      | 61,204.8                    | 7.7     | 51,060.8       | 6.4   |
| Auditor not available | 1.0             | 1.2      | 3,021.9                     | 0.4     | 1,429.5        | 0.2   |
| Total                 | 86.0            | 100.0    | 797,359.3                   | 100.0   | 794,452.4      | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

KPMG and PwC have both achieved shares of market capitalisation and revenue higher than their share of clients. The remaining Big Five and the non-Big Five seem to have their share of market capitalisation and revenue more or less in line with their share of clients, although E&Y does have a fairly low share of revenue.

Refer to appendix 5 for the 'FT Europe 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor'.

In terms of the country of ownership of Consumer Markets companies listed on the FT Europe 500, the country with the strongest representation is the UK with a total of 31 companies, or 36.1%, followed by France with 16, the Netherlands with 9, and Germany with 7 companies.

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|                 | FT Europe 500 CM | I Co.s by C | Country - Audit Marl | xet Shai | ·e          |       |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------|----------------------|----------|-------------|-------|
| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies |             | Market Cap           |          | Revenue     |       |
|                 |                  | %           | @ 9/11/99 \$m        | %        | <b>\$</b> m | %     |
| Belgium         | 3.0              | 3.5         | 8,510.3              | 1.1      | 19,344.1    | 2.4   |
| Denmark         | 2.0              | 2.3         | 3,684.4              | 0.5      | 6,148.4     | 0.8   |
| Finland         | 1.0              | 1.2         | 870.2                | 0.1      | 926.9       | 0.1   |
| France          | 16.0             | 18.6        | 252,968.7            | 31.7     | 167,569.6   | 21.1  |
| Germany         | 7.0              | 8.1         | 36,066.7             | 4.5      | 93,814.8    | 11.8  |
| Greece          | 1.0              | 1.2         | 3,021.9              | 0.4      | 1,429.5     | 0.2   |
| Ireland         | 1.0              | 1.2         | 2,094.2              | 0.3      | 2,468.9     | 0.3   |
| Italy           | 3.0              | 3.5         | 7,304.1              | 0.9      | 12,310.0    | 1.5   |
| Netherlands     | 9.0              | 10.5        | 117,335.9            | 14.7     | 142,408.5   | 17.9  |
| Norway          | 1.0              | 1.2         | 2,516.1              | 0.3      | 4,081.3     | 0.5   |
| Portugal        | 1.0              | 1.2         | 1,937.2              | 0.2      | 3,331.4     | 0.4   |
| Spain           | 3.0              | 3.5         | 8,865.1              | 1.1      | 10,799.4    | 1.4   |
| Sweden          | 4.0              | 4.7         | 36,883.5             | 4.6      | 20,385.0    | 2.6   |
| Switzerland     | 3.0              | 3.5         | 86,213.3             | 10.8     | 59,257.5    | 7.5   |
| United Kingdom  | 31.0             | 36.1        | 229,087.5            | 28.7     | 250,177.3   | 31.5  |
| Total           | 86.0             | 100.0       | 797,359.1            | 100.0    | 794,452.6   | 100.0 |

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

Refer to appendix 6, 'FT Europe 500 CM Companies by Country - Audit Market Share', for the competitive position of auditors by country.

## 2.5 US

The FT US 500 is made up of the top 500 companies in the US, ranked by market capitalisation. Again, the Consumer Markets companies were identified using the pre-selected FTSEA codes. In November 1999, the totals for the FT US 500 Consumer Markets companies were:

- 85 companies (17.0% of the total FT US 500)
- with a total market capitalisation of \$1,808.2bn
- net annual sales of \$1,122.9bn

Of these 85 companies, 21.2% (18 companies) are ranked in the top 100 of the FT US 500. 44.7% (38 companies) are ranked in the top 200.

The top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Wal-Mart Stores, Johnson & Johnson, Coca-Cola Company, Procter & Gamble, and Home Depot, account for:

- 44.3% of the total market capitalisation
- 22.3% of the net annual sales

The top 20 companies, the above five plus McDonald's, Philip Morris, PepsiCo, Gillette, Kimberly-Clark, Anheuser-Busch, Colgate-Palmolive, Gap, Dayton Hudson, Walgreen, Amazon.com, Sara Lee, Eastman Kodak, Lowe's, and Campbell Soup, account for:

- 71.9% of the total market capitalisation
- 45.4% of the net annual sales

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 4th, auditing:

- 1 of the top five companies: Home Depot
- 2 of the following 15 companies: PepsiCo and Gillette

|         | FT US 500 Consumer Markets Companies - Audit Market |       |                             |       |                |       |
|---------|---|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Auditor | No. of clients                                      | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %     | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
| PwC     | 24.0  | 28.2  | 419,778.3                   | 23.2  | 252,704.7      | 22.5  |
| E&Y     | 20.0  | 23.5  | 604,290.4                   | 33.4  | 302,060.3      | 26.9  |
| DTT     | 16.0  | 18.8  | 329,570.3                   | 18.2  | 251,156.7      | 22.4  |
| KPMG    | 15.0  | 17.6  | 300,300.8                   | 16.6  | 200,594.3      | 17.9  |
| AA      | 10.0  | 11.8  | 154,300.0                   | 8.5   | 116,355.9      | 10.4  |
| Total   | 85.0  | 100.0 | 1,808,239.8                 | 100.0 | 1,122,871.9    | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

In the US, it is interesting to note that although PwC is in first place with its share of clients, E&Y has a share of market capitalisation that is 10 percentage points above its own share of clients and also above PwC's share of market capitalisation. The remaining Big Five and the non-Big Five seem to have their share of market capitalisation and revenue more or less in line with their share of clients.

Refer to appendix 7 for the 'FT US 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor'.

## 2.6 Global

The FT Global 500 is made up of the top 500 companies globally, ranked by market capitalisation. The Consumer Markets companies were identified using the pre-selected FTSEA codes. In November 1999, the totals for the FT Global 500 Consumer Markets companies were:

- 80 companies (16% of the total FT Global 500)
- with a total market capitalisation of \$2,332.5bn
- net annual sales of \$1,481.0bn

Of these 80 companies, 15% (12 companies) are ranked in the top 100 of the FT Global 500. 37.5% (30 companies) are ranked in the top 200.

The top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Wal-Mart Stores, Johnson & Johnson, Coca-Cola Company, Procter & Gamble, and Home Depot, account for:

- 34.3% of the total market capitalisation
- 16.9% of the net annual sales

It is interesting to note that the five companies topping the FT Global 500 are the same five companies topping the FT US 500. The top five European companies are within the top 20 companies globally.

The top 20 companies, the above five plus Seven-Eleven Japan, Nestle, Carrefour, McDonald's, Philip Morris, Unilever, PepsiCo, L'Oreal, Gillette, Kimberly-Clark, Anheuser-Busch, Colgate-Palmolive, LVMH, Diageo, and Ito-Yokado, account for:

- 65.0% of the total market capitalisation
- 43.2% of the net annual sales

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 3rd, auditing:

- 1 of the top five companies: Home Depot
- 5 (1 shared) of the following 15 companies: Nestle, Carrefour, PepsiCo, Gillette, and Diageo

Overall, audit market shares are:

|             | FT Global 500 Consum | er Market | s Companies - A             | udit M | arket Share    |       |
|-------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|--------|----------------|-------|
| Auditor     | No. of clients       | %         | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %      | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
| PwC         | 24.5                 | 30.6      | 672,053.6                   | 28.8   | 448,054.6      | 30.3  |
| DTT         | 17.0                 | 21.3      | 409,712.1                   | 17.6   | 321,208.6      | 21.7  |
| KPMG        | 15.0                 | 18.8      | 447,426.3                   | 19.2   | 287,956.0      | 19.4  |
| E&Y         | 11.5                 | 14.4      | 578,318.8                   | 24.8   | 265,249.2      | 17.9  |
| AA          | 10.5                 | 13.1      | 193,199.8                   | 8.3    | 142,033.0      | 9.6   |
| Non-Big Fiv | ve 1.5               | 1.9       | 31,822.8                    | 1.4    | 16,529.5       | 1.1   |
| Total       | 80.0                 | 100.0     | 2,332,533.4                 | 100.0  | 1,481,030.9    | 100.0 |

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

Globally, most of the Big Five and the non-Big Five seem to have their share of market capitalisation and revenue fairly in line with their share of clients, but E&Y once again has a share of market capitalisation which is 10 percentage points higher than its share of clients.

Refer to appendix 8 for the 'FT Global 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor'.

In terms of the country of ownership of Consumer Markets companies listed on the FT Global 500, the country with the strongest representation is the US with a total of 48 companies, or 60.0%, followed by the UK with 12, France with 6, and Japan with 5 companies.

|                 | FT Global 500 CM | Co.s by C | ountry - Audit Mark         | et Shar | e              |       |
|-----------------|------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|---------|----------------|-------|
| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies | %         | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %       | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
| Canada          | 2.0              | 2.5       | 31,722.4                    | 1.4     | 17,216.3       | 1.2   |
| France          | 6.0              | 7.5       | 198,601.6                   | 8.5     | 106,926.3      | 7.2   |
| Germany         | 1.0              | 1.3       | 17,003.4                    | 0.7     | 52,221.6       | 3.5   |
| India           | 1.0              | 1.3       | 11,916.8                    | 0.5     | 2,292.6        | 0.2   |
| Japan           | 5.0              | 6.3       | 150,291.1                   | 6.4     | 76,840.7       | 5.2   |
| Netherlands     | 3.0              | 3.8       | 93,817.0                    | 4.0     | 125,581.0      | 8.5   |
| Sweden          | 1.0              | 1.3       | 20,651.3                    | 0.9     | 2,834.4        | 0.2   |
| Switzerland     | 1.0              | 1.3       | 73,215.2                    | 3.1     | 49,449.6       | 3.3   |
| United Kingdom  | 12.0             | 15.0      | 156,840.6                   | 6.7     | 163,796.2      | 11.1  |
| United States   | 48.0             | 60.0      | 1,578,474.0                 | 67.7    | 883,872.4      | 59.7  |
| Total           | 80.0             | 100.0     | 2,332,533.4                 | 100.0   | 1,481,031.1    | 100.0 |

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

Refer to appendix 9, 'FT Global 500 CM Companies by Country - Audit Market Share', for the competitive position of auditors by country.

# 2.7 KPMG's Competitive Position by Service Discipline

### 2.7.1 The World's Leading Accounting Firms

International Accounting Bulletin conducted a number of surveys on the world's leading accounting firms. Surveys published between April 1999 and January 2000, cover the UK, Europe, the US, and the World, and give us a good indication of KPMG's position among the Big Five firms in each of these regions, providing fee income/revenue figures between 1997 and 1999. Unfortunately, few of the Big Five have provided International Accounting Bulletin with information on the fee split between their service disciplines. KPMG's competitive position in each of the following surveys exactly matches its position in the FTSE and FT 500 lists within the same geographic regions.

### 2.7.1.1 International Accounting Bulletin Survey - UK

According to *International Accounting Bulletin 30 November 1999*, the year was eventful, but conditions were good and growth for UK accounting firms strong again. PwC was in first place and earned almost double the fee income of the next contender, KPMG. The remaining Big Five were close at each other's heels. Deloitte & Touche, with growth of 21.4%, is closing the gap between itself and its nearest rival E&Y who only managed a 13% growth rate.

Although **audit** is considered a mature market, 1999 proved to be a good year. E&Y achieved growth of 11%, while Deloitte achieved a growth rate of 20% with some major client wins from the other Big Five firms. Grant Thornton experienced audit growth of 10% and is expecting to benefit from the government's efforts to encourage entrepreneurial business, the mid-tier firms' traditional client base.

Stagnant **consulting** revenues prevented further growth and neither Deloitte nor E&Y reached last year's 30% plus growth figures. E&Y said that its consultancy figures grew by 10%, while Deloitte said its figures grew by 12%, but it expects growth to return to 20% plus in the year 2000. Consulting revenues at the mid-tier firm RSM Robson Rhodes grew by almost 40%, although strategic changes have lost the firm some traditionally recurring fees.

**Corporate finance** also enjoyed a good year with Deloitte growing 31% and E&Y growing 22% in this area. HLB Kidsons, another mid-tier firm, also registered strong growth of 26%. The biggest surprise in this area was in corporate recovery where Baker Tilly achieved a 50% growth rate, albeit in a declining market. Corporate recovery also grew at Grant Thornton (over 15%), at Deloitte (9%), and at Pannell Kerr Forster (5%).

On the **legal** front, the Big Five appear undeterred despite the regulatory difficulties. PwC recently set up Landwell, its global network of associated law firms, while KPMG managed to attract some partners away from Arnheim Tite & Lewis, the PwC correspondent, to establish Klegal. Arthur Andersen and E&Y are still looking to make themselves a major presence in legal services, despite AA's failure to bring Wilde Sapte, the City law firm, on board, and E&Y's failure to sign anyone up in the UK. Deloitte remains the only one of the Big Five to show no interest in setting up an affiliation with a legal firm though they have apparently

already lost work with some of their legal clients who fear that this attitude may change and that Deloitte will eventually become a competitor.

| Firm                         | Most Recent<br>Fee Income<br>£m | Previous Year's<br>Fee Income<br>£m | Growth<br>Rate<br>% | Fiscal<br>Year<br>End |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| PricewaterhouseCoopers       | 1,536.5 <sup>1</sup>            | -                                   | -                   | Apr-99                |
| KPMG                         | 774.6                           | 659.4                               | 17.5                | Sep-98                |
| Ernst & Young <sup>2</sup>   | 713.0                           | 630.9                               | 13.0                | Jun-99                |
| Deloitte & Touche            | 683.6                           | 563.2                               | 21.4                | Sep-99                |
| Arthur Andersen <sup>3</sup> | 465.0                           | 390.1                               | 19.2                | Dec-98                |

Fee data for the Big Five in the UK is:

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Nov '99

Notes:

1. Estimated by IAB.

2. These figures were reported last year as gross - they were, in fact, net.

3. Figure inlcuded Arthur Andersen, Andersen Conulting and associated law firms Garretts and Dorman Jeffrey & Co.

Only Deloitte & Touche and Ernst & Young provided data on the fee split between their service disciplines:

| Service               | Ernst & Young<br>Fee Split % | Deloitte & Touche<br>Fee Split % |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Audit                 | 32.0 1                       | -                                |
| Accounting            | -                            | -                                |
| Tax                   | 29.0                         | 23.0                             |
| Management Consulting | 25.0                         | 19.0                             |
| Corporate Finance     | 14.0                         | 8.0                              |
| Legal                 | -                            | -                                |
| Other                 | -                            | 50.0 <sup>2</sup>                |

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Nov '99 Notes:

1. Includes assurance & advisory, corporate recovery, consulting, and outsourcing

2. Includes accounting

### 2.7.1.2 International Accounting Bulletin Survey - Europe

According to *International Accounting Bulletin 30 April 1999*, 1998 was another good year for European accounting firms with steady growth rates that reached double digits.

One of the main drivers of growth was the continued demand for consulting services, an area in which major growth was achieved. The Big Five were the main beneficiaries of this growth, while the mid-tier accounting firms increasingly focused on developing specialist advisory services which they could sell to niche markets.

The introduction of the euro and a surge in M&A activity proved to be lucrative sources of fee income for both the Big five and non-Big Five. The Big Five also undertook a lot of due diligence work.

The rationalisation and consolidation of many of the accounting firms' clients' industries, led to fewer, but larger audits making the marketplace more competitive. As Europe's economic boundaries expanded, the accounting firms had to become more global and many of them, notably KPMG, DTT and E&Y, began restructuring along global lines during 1998/99. The mid-tier firms also followed suit with Grant Thornton and RSM both moving towards a single pan-European practice.

| Firm                                | '98 Fee Income '97 Fee Income<br>US\$m US\$m |                      | Growth<br>% | Fiscal<br>Year End |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| PricewaterhouseCoopers <sup>1</sup> | 6,537.0                                      | -                    | 16.0        | Jun-98             |
| KPMG <sup>1</sup>                   | 4,755.0 <sup>2</sup>                         | 4,315.0 <sup>2</sup> | 10.2        | Sep-98             |
| Ernst & Young                       | 3,756.4 <sup>2</sup>                         | 3,176.6 <sup>2</sup> | 18.3        | Sep-98             |
| Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu            | 2,650.0 <sup>2</sup>                         | 2,100.0 <sup>2</sup> | 26.2        | Sep-98             |
| Arthur Andersen <sup>1</sup>        | 2,135.3                                      | 1,866.9              | 14.4        | Aug-98             |

Fee data for the Big Five in Europe is:

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Apr '99 Notes: 1. Includes Africa and Middle East.

2. Gross fee income.

Three of the Big Five provided data on the fee split between their service disciplines:

| Service               | PricewaterhouseCoopers<br>Fee Split % | KPMG<br>Fee Split % | Ernst & Young<br>Fee Split % |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Audit                 | 44.0                                  | 51.0                | 43.0                         |
| Accounting            | -                                     | -                   | -                            |
| Tax                   | $20.0^{1}$                            | $20.0^{1}$          | 26.0                         |
| Management Consulting | 26.0                                  | 21.0                | 31.0                         |
| Corporate Finance     | 7.0                                   | 7.0 <sup>2</sup>    | -                            |
| Legal                 | -                                     | -                   | -                            |
| Other                 | 3.0                                   | 1.0                 | -                            |

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Apr '99 Notes:

1. Includes legal.

2. Includes financial advisory services.

#### 2.7.1.3 International Accounting Bulletin Survey - US

According to *International Accounting Bulletin 31 January 2000*, 1999 was a turning point for US accounting firms with market needs continuing to evolve and the technological revolution generating high demand for all service lines. The main focus this year is on new media, consulting, and niche opportunities and with a number of US firms looking into opportunities to recruit new media experts, it would appear that this is regarded as a key area for business expansion.

The average 1999 growth rate amongst the firms in International Accounting Bulletin's revenue table was greater than 15%, which implies that the previous year's boom is ongoing. Arthur Andersen reports that its e-commerce services are growing rapidly and PwC has said that e-business is having an impact on clients in all service lines and is a fundamental part of the firm's development. PwC has designed a number of new e-business products such as e.conomy, a web based business-to-business marketplace, a web certification programme, and emm@, an e-business maturity model. PwC's performance is also seen to be a result of globalisation. Mid-tier firms have said that they are also reaping the benefits of e-business and that growth in this area is flourishing.

The Big Five firms have emphasised that the traditional **audit and accounting** service lines have shown little or no decline as new disciplines have expanded. The strength of the US economy and the boom in e-commerce, appear to have encouraged growth in most service areas although, Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) business is said to be in decline.

In terms of **tax** services, the acquisition of McGladrey & Pullen, the RSM network, by tax preparation giant H&R Block in February 1999, was a major development.

In **consulting**, KPMG's planned flotation of its consulting arm remains a hot topic and if it succeeds it will become the first US accounting firm to launch an IPO. It is believed that all of the Big Five are considering this route, although Deloitte has said that this is not an option for its US firm. However, the SEC has yet to endorse KPMG's plan and most in the industry believe that it will not do so as the plan stands due to the issue of auditor independence.

The mid-tier firm Grant Thornton is planning to announce the launch of a new **financial** advisory services arm by August 2000.

The Big Five foray into **legal services** continues with KPMG's formation of a strategic alliance in August with members of SALTNET, a national network of state and local tax attorneys, and E&Y's links in November with McKee Nelson, the Washington DC based law firm. This trend towards the formation of links and alliances with law firms by the Big Five is likely to be slow-moving in the US due to the regulatory barriers that currently exist, and although the US bar regulators are considering removing the ban on multidisciplinary partnerships, this will take years on a state by state basis. Deloitte & Touche claim not to be interested in the acquisition of legal practices although, they say they are interested in a form of legal network.

| Firm                   | Most Recent<br>Fee Income |         |      | Fiscal<br>Year |
|------------------------|---------------------------|---------|------|----------------|
|                        | US\$m                     | US\$m   | %    | End            |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers | 6,960.0                   | 5,860.0 | 18.7 | Jun-99         |
| Ernst & Young          | 5,545.0 <sup>1</sup>      | N/A     | N/A  | Sep-98         |
| Deloitte & Touche      | 5,300.0                   | 4,300.0 | 23.3 | Dec-99         |
| KPMG                   | 4,700.0                   | 3,800.0 | 22.0 | Jun-99         |
| Arthur Andersen        | 3,300.0                   | 2,800.0 | 17.9 | Aug-99         |

Fee data for the Big Five in the US is:

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Jan '00 Notes:

1. Gross figures for 1998.

Three of the Big Five provided data on the fee split between their service disciplines:

| Service               | PricewaterhouseCoopers<br>Fee Split % | Deloitte & Touche<br>Fee Split % | KPMG<br>Fee Split % |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Audit                 | 33.0 <sup>1</sup>                     | 30.0 <sup>1</sup>                | 35.0                |
| Accounting            | -                                     | -                                | -                   |
| Tax                   | 18.0 <sup>2</sup>                     | 18.0                             | 22.0                |
| Management Consulting | 36.0                                  | 42.0                             | 42.0                |
| Corporate Finance     | -                                     | -                                | -                   |
| Other                 | 13.0                                  | 10.0                             | 1.0                 |

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Apr '99 Notes: 1. Includes accounting.

2. Includes less 1

2. Inlcudes legal services.

## 2.7.1.4 International Accounting Bulletin Survey - World

According to *International Accounting Bulletin 23 December 1999*, the year proved once again to be one of double-digit percentage growth in fees, with the total annual revenues for the Big Five reaching \$60million, a growth rate of 16% on the previous year. However, during 1999 most of the Big Five were involved in plans that look likely to reduce the links between their auditors and their consultants. The need for outside capital investment, competition in recruitment, and regulators' concerns over auditors' independence, are among the pressures the accounting firms are currently faced with. In fact some of these changes are already evident in the world rankings as Arthur Andersen is now ranked in terms of its own revenues rather than in combination with Andersen Consulting. As a result, Arthur Andersen has fallen from second to fifth place, but although its revenues are now a long way off from DTT in fourth place, their growth rate was the highest of the Big Five at 19.7%. Once again, PwC is at the top having earned over \$5 billion more than E&Y in second place. E&Y in fact had the lowest growth rate of all the Big Five and looks likely to be overtaken by KPMG.

KPMG partly attributed its 17% growth rate to its success in implementing its globally integrated structure.

The enormous difference between the growth rates of the Big Five and the mid-tier accounting firms was evident again in 1999. The average growth in revenue among the 30 largest accounting firms outside the Big Five, was just under 8%. The revenues of these firms amounted to about \$17 billion - less than PwC's revenue. BDO International, the largest of the mid-tier firms reported growth of 10.1%. RSM International, small business specialist Fiducial International, BKR International, International Group of Accounting Firms, and SC International, all reported similar levels of growth. HLB International, MacIntyre Strater International, CPA Associates International, Morison International/NACPAF, INAA Group, and Kingston Sorel International, all reported particularly high growth in revenues of between 17.9% and 40.7%.

Although general **audit and accounting** services do not offer the same impressive rates of growth as other service disciplines, with the improvement in the European economy and the continuing growth in North America, recruitment of new audit clients and expansion amongst existing clients has meant increased fees for auditors. The spate of mergers and acquisitions in recent years has given the Big Five the chance to win clients from their rivals; Arthur Andersen increased its pure audit fees by about 10% in 1999, mainly through such wins. Growth is also coming from the addition of value-added services such as business risk assessment, which can be sold on top of audits.

**Tax**, a traditional service offered by the accounting firms, has also made a significant contribution to revenue growth in recent years with a growth rate of about 20%. According to DTT, the new emphasis on providing added-value tax planning services has spurred growth.

The expected slowdown in IT **consulting** work had not yet been felt at the time of this survey and for the Big Five firms, consulting remained the key driver of growth with e-commerce looking particularly strong. Deloitte reported that both D&T Consulting Group and its separate middle-market consulting businesses were growing rapidly. Arthur Andersen's consulting revenues grew 36% to \$1.4 billion. Industry-specific solutions based on Internet technologies appear to be particularly strong in growth, but PwC points out that global human resources consulting and outsourcing are other areas of expansion.

Other service areas such as **corporate finance**, have grown largely due to the increasing rate of mergers and acquisitions and other similar activities taking place world-wide, but also due to the increasing range of advisory services being made available by the accounting firms. This applies not only to the Big Five, but to the mid-tier firms too. Horwath International established a corporate finance group in the early part of 1999, linking specialists around the globe. On the downside, the expansion of the Big Five means that there are many assignments they cannot undertake due to conflicts of interest with existing clients and the mid-tier firms often benefit from this.

The Big Five continued with their foray into **legal services** throughout 1999, either through their own start-ups, or through agreements with established law firms. In November, Ernst & Young formed an alliance with a law firm in Washington DC, becoming the first such alliance in the US. However, some of the mid-tier firms claim that this move into legal services by the Big Five is creating more work for them, as the law firms do not want to do business with the competition.

| Firm                     | '99 Revenues          | '98 Revenues          | Growth | Fiscal   |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------|----------|
|                          | US\$m                 | US\$m                 | %      | Year End |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers   | 17,595.0 <sup>1</sup> | 15,300.0              | 15.0   | Jun-99   |
| Ernst & Young            | 12,400.0 <sup>2</sup> | 10,900.0 <sup>2</sup> | 13.8   | Sep-99   |
| KPMG                     | 12,200.0 <sup>2</sup> | 10,400.0 <sup>2</sup> | 17.3   | Sep-99   |
| Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu | 10,600.0              | 9,000.0               | 17.8   | Aug-99   |
| Arthur Andersen          | 7,300.0               | 6,100.0               | 19.7   | Aug-99   |

World fee data for the Big Five is:

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Dec '99

Notes:

1. Estimated by IAB.

2. Gross figures.

Only E&Y provided data on the fee split between their service disciplines:

| Service               | Ernst & Young<br>Fee Split % |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Audit                 | 40.0                         |
| Accounting            | -                            |
| Tax                   | 23.0 <sup>1</sup>            |
| Management Consulting | 33.0                         |
| Corporate Finance     | 4.0                          |
| Legal                 | -                            |
| Other                 | -                            |

Source: International Accounting Bulletin Dec '99 Notes: 1. Includes legal.

### 2.7.2 The World's Leading Consulting Firms

Management Consultant International conducted a number of surveys on the world's leading consulting firms. Surveys published between June 1999 and October 1999, cover the UK, the US, the World, and Asia-Pacific, and give us a good indication of KPMG's position among the top ten firms in each of these regions, providing fee income/revenue figures between 1997 and 1999. Unfortunately, not all of these firms have provided Management Consultant International with information on the fee split between the industries they serve.

### 2.7.2.1 Management Consultant International Survey - UK

The UK's top ten consulting firms by revenues are:

| Firm                          | Revenues<br>£m     | Growth<br>% | Fiscal<br>Year End |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| PricewaterhouseCoopers        | 604.0              | 28.6        | Jun-99             |
| Andersen Consulting           | 545.2              | 22.6        | Dec-98             |
| Computer Sciences Corporation | 263.0              | 60.4        | Apr-99             |
| Ernst & Young                 | 240.0              | 11.1        | Jun-99             |
| KPMG Consulting               | 217.0              | 50.7        | Sep-98             |
| Deloitte Consulting/DTT       | 195.1              | 50.2        | Aug-98             |
| Mercer Consulting Group       | 154.9 <sup>1</sup> | 33.2        | Dec-98             |
| PA Consulting Group           | 154.0              | 22.2 2      | Dec-98             |
| McKinsey & Company            | 140.0 <sup>3</sup> | N/A         | Dec-98             |
| Aon Consulting                | 102.7              | 14.0        | Dec-98             |

Source: Management Consultant International Aug '99

Notes:

1. Includes revenue of Sedgwick Noble Lowndes for month of December '98.

- 2. In last year's survey, a figure of £142.0m was reported for December '97. This figure included revenue generated abroad and has been restated to £126m which accounts for UK-based clients only.
- 3. Estimated by MCI.

The fee split between the industries they serve is:

| Service            | PwC         | Andersen<br>Consulting | CSC               | Ernst &<br>Young | KPMG<br>Consulting | PA<br>Consulting |
|--------------------|-------------|------------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|
|                    | Fee Split % | Fee Split %            | Fee Split %       | Fee Split %      | Fee Split %        | Fee Split %      |
| Financial Services | 29.0        | 42.0                   | 10.0              | 43.0             | 43.0               | 24.0             |
| Products           | 5.0         | 19.0                   | 7.0               | 7.0              | 9.0                | -                |
| Utilities          | 7.0         | 12.0                   | 18.0              | 6.0              | 3.0                | 14.0             |
| Distribution       | -           | -                      | -                 | 2.0              | -                  | -                |
| Transportation     | 2.0         | -                      | 1.0               | 2.0              | 1.0                | 8.0              |
| Healthcare         | 6.0         | -                      | -                 | 1.0              | 3.0                | 4.0              |
| Manufacturing      | 6.0         | -                      | 6.0               | 13.0             | 6.0                | 13.0             |
| Telecommunications | 14.0        | 3.0                    | 34.0              | 2.0              | 8.0                | 7.0              |
| Technology         | -           | 9.0 <sup>1</sup>       | -                 | 2.0              | -                  | -                |
| Government         | 12.0        | 3.0                    | -                 | 4.0              | 10.0               | 11.0             |
| Energy/Environment | 5.0         | 12.0                   | 7.0               | 18.0             | 4.0                | 2.0              |
| Other              | 14.0        | -                      | 17.0 <sup>2</sup> | _                | 13.0 <sup>3</sup>  | 17.0             |

Source: Management Consultant International Aug '99

Notes:

- 1. Includes media and high technology.
- 2. Aerospace and defence.
- 3. 2% represents leisure and tourism.

#### 2.7.2.2 Management Consultant International Survey - Europe

Europe's top ten consulting firms by revenues are:

| Firm                          | Revenues<br>Euro/m | Growth<br>%       | Fiscal<br>Year End |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Andersen Consulting           | 2,587.5            | 32.7              | Dec-98             |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers        | 1,800.0            | 40.0              | Jun-99             |
| Computer Sciences Corporation | 1,020.0            | 27.6              | Apr-99             |
| Ernst & Young International   | $1,001.0^{-1}$     | 44.9              | Sep-98             |
| KPMG                          | 834.5              | 34.8              | Sep-98             |
| McKinsey & Company            | 780.6 <sup>2</sup> | $10.0^{-2}$       | Dec-98             |
| Gemini Consulting             | 639.1 <sup>2</sup> | 16.0              | Dec-98             |
| Deloitte Consulting/DTT       | 626.0              | 59.7              | Aug-98             |
| AT Kearney                    | 356.0              | 25.0              | Dec-98             |
| Mercer Consulting Group       | 343.7 <sup>3</sup> | 25.0 <sup>2</sup> | Dec-98             |

Source: Management Consultant International Jul '99 Notes:

- 1. Includes finaincail advisory services.
- 2. Estimated by MCI.
- 3. Includes Sedgwick Noble Lowndes' revenue for Dec '98.

The fee split between the industries they serve is:

| Service            | AC<br>Fee Split % | PwC<br>Fee Split % | CSC<br>Fee Split % | KPMG<br>Fee Split % |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Financial Services | 38.0              | 27.0               | 30.0               | 31.0                |
| Products           | 18.0              | 33.0               | -                  | 31.0 1              |
| Utilities          | 7.0               | 3.0                | 5.0                | -                   |
| Distribution       | -                 | -                  | 5.0                | -                   |
| Transportation     | 4.0               | 4.0                | -                  | -                   |
| Healthcare         | -                 | 1.0                | -                  | 4.0                 |
| Manufacturing      | -                 | -                  | 30.0 <sup>2</sup>  | -                   |
| Telecoms & Tech    | $18.0^{3}$        | 11.0               | 10.0               | $14.0^{-4}$         |
| Government         | 3.0               | 8.0                | 10.0               | 20.0                |
| Energy/Environment | 12.0              | 8.0                | -                  | -                   |
| Other              | -                 | 5.0                | 10.0               | -                   |

Source: Management Consultant International Jul '99

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#### Notes:

- 1. 21% represents industrial products, 10% consumer markets.
- 2. Inculdes aerospace and defence.
- 3. Includes electronics, media and entertainment.
- 4. Includes information and entertainment.

#### 2.7.2.3 Management Consultant International Survey - US

The US's top ten consulting firms by revenues are:

| Firm                                  | Revenues<br>US\$m      | Growth<br>%       | Fiscal<br>Year End |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Andersen Consulting                   | 4,259.0                | 24.0              | Dec-98             |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers                | 3,400.0 <sup>1</sup>   | 25.9 <sup>2</sup> | Jun-99             |
| Deloitte Consulting/DTT               | 2,925.9 <sup>1,3</sup> | 34.6              | Aug-99             |
| Ernst & Young LLP                     | 2,500.0                | 34.8              | Sep-98             |
| IBM Global Services, Consulting Group | 2,295.0 4              | 22.0 5            | Dec-98             |
| KPMG LLP                              | 1,963.0 <sup>6</sup>   | 40.9 7            | Jun-99             |
| Computer Sciences Corporation         | 1,900.0                | 17.0 8            | Apr-99             |
| McKinsey & Company                    | 1,100.0 5              | 13.6 5            | Dec-98             |
| Booz-Allen & Hamilton                 | 990.0 <sup>5</sup>     | 7.0 5             | Mar-99             |
| Mercer Consulting Group               | 926.0 <sup>9</sup>     | 12.5              | Dec-98             |

Source: Management Consultant International Sept '99

#### Notes:

- 1. Estimated by firm.
- 2. In last vear's survey, a figure of \$1.950.0m was reported for the vear-end June This figure has been restated to \$2.7bn to include HR consulting and other management consulting revenues omitted last vear.
- 3. '98 and '99 figures have been adjusted to include financial consulting services.
- 4. Estimated by MCI based on US percentage of global revenue. Revenues now include IBM's business.
- 5. Estimated by MCI.
- 6. Includes revenues of Barents Group.
- 7. In last vear's survey, a figure of \$1,500.0m was reported for the vear-end June '98. This has been restated to \$1,393.0m to account for revenue of Barents and other affiliated consulting groups.
- 8. In last vear's survey, a figure of \$2,000.0m was reported for the vear-end April This figure has been restated to \$1,623.9m due to redefinition of consulting.
- 9. Includes revenue of Sedgwick Noble Lowndes for month of December.

| Service            | PwC<br>Fee Split % | Andersen<br>Consulting<br>Fee Split % | Ernst &<br>Young LLP<br>Fee Split % | KPMG<br>LLP<br>Fee Split % | CSC<br>Fee Split % | Booz-Allen &<br>Hamilton<br>Fee Split % |
|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|---|
| Financial Services | 24.0               | 23.0                                  | 19.0                                | 24.0                       | 24.0               | 15.0                                    |
| Products           | 33.0               | 12.0                                  | 11.0                                | 16.0                       | 5.0                | 10.0                                    |
| Utilities          | -                  | 6.0                                   | 1.0                                 | -                          | -                  | -                                       |
| Distribution       | -                  | -                                     | -                                   | -                          | -                  | -                                       |
| Transportation     | -                  | 3.0                                   | 2.0                                 | -                          | -                  | -                                       |
| Healthcare         | -                  | 4.0                                   | 24.0                                | 6.0                        | 4.0                | -                                       |
| Manufacturing      | -                  | -                                     | 15.0                                | -                          | 8.0                | 15.0                                    |
| Telecommunications | 14.0               | 21.0 1                                | 7.0                                 | 18.0                       | -                  | 10.0                                    |
| Technology         | -                  | 8.0                                   | 4.0                                 | -                          | -                  | -                                       |
| Government         | 18.0 <sup>2</sup>  | 8.0                                   | 1.0                                 | 24.0                       | 23.0               | 40.0 2                                  |
| Energy/Environment | 11.0               | 15.0                                  | 13.0                                | -                          | 7.0                | 10.0 <sup>3</sup>                       |
| Other              | -                  | -                                     | 3.0                                 | 12.0                       | 29.0 4             | -                                       |

The fee split between the industries they serve is:

Source: Management Consultant International Sept '99

Notes:

1. Includes media and entertainment

2. Includes transportation.

3. Includes utilities.

4. 12% represents aerospace and defence.

### 2.7.2.4 Management Consultant International Survey - World

The World's top ten consulting firms by revenues are:

| Firm                                 | Most Recent<br>Revenues<br>US\$m | Previous Year's<br>Revenues<br>US\$m | Growth<br>Rate<br>% | Fiscal<br>Year<br>End |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
|                                      |                                  |                                      | 70                  |                       |
| Andersen Consulting                  | 8,307.0                          | 6,647.0                              | 24.9                | Dec-98                |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers               | 6,000.0                          | 4,286.0                              | 40.0                | Jun-98                |
| Ernst & Young International          | 3,970.0                          | 2,950.0                              | 34.6                | Sep-98                |
| Computer Sciences Corporation        | 3,500.0 <sup>2</sup>             | 3,000.0                              | 16.7                | Mar-99                |
| Deloitte Consulting/DTT              | 3,240.0                          | 2,310.0                              | 40.3                | Aug-98                |
| KPMG                                 | 3,000.0 <sup>3</sup>             | 2,300.0 <sup>3</sup>                 | 30.4                | Sep-98                |
| McKinsey & Company                   | 2,500.0                          | 2,200.0                              | 13.6                | Dec-98                |
| Mercer Consulting Group <sup>4</sup> | 1,543.0 <sup>5</sup>             | 1,338.0                              | 15.3                | Dec-98                |
| Arthur Andersen                      | 1,367.6                          | 952.9 <sup>6,7</sup>                 | 43.5                | Aug-98                |
| AT Kearney                           | 1,234.0                          | 1,061.0                              | 16.3                | Dec-98                |

Source: Management Consultant International Jun '99

#### Notes:

- 1. In last year's survey, a figure of \$2.7bn was reported for the year-end September 1997. This figure has been restated to include financial advisory services.
- 2. Estimated by firm.
- 3. Gross fee income.
- 4. Consists of William M Mercer, Mercer Management Consulting, and National Economic Research Assocs.
- 5. Does not include Sedgwick Noble Lowndes.
- 6. Represents Arthur Andersen's Business Consulting and Economic & Financial Consulting practices.
- 7. Does not include outsourcing.

The fee split between the industries they serve is:

| Service            | Andersen          | PwC               | E&Y         | CSC              | DTT/Deloitte      | KPMG        | AT          |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                    | Consulting        |                   | Internat'l  |                  | Consulting        |             | Kearney     |
|                    | Fee Split %       | Fee Split %       | Fee Split % | Fee Split %      | Fee Split %       | Fee Split % | Fee Split % |
| Financial Services | 28.0              | 24.0              | 19.0        | 24.0             | 15.0              | 31.0        | 18.0        |
| Products           | 16.0              | 33.0              | 11.0        | -                | -                 | 21.0        | 14.0        |
| Utilities          | 6.0               | -                 | 1.0         | -                | -                 | -           | 4.0         |
| Distribution       | -                 | -                 | -           | 5.0 <sup>1</sup> | -                 | -           | -           |
| Transportation     | 3.0               | -                 | 2.0         | -                | -                 | -           | 4.0         |
| Healthcare         | 3.0               | -                 | 24.0        | 4.0              | 13.0              | 4.0         | 4.0         |
| Manufacturing      | -                 | -                 | 15.0        | 8.0              | 32.0              | -           | -           |
| Telecommunications | 24.0 <sup>2</sup> | 14.0 <sup>3</sup> | 2.0         | -                | 8.0               | 14.0        | 7.0         |
| Technology         | -                 | -                 | 4.0         | -                | -                 | -           | 15.0        |
| Government         | 7.0               | 18.0 <sup>4</sup> | 1.0         | 23.0             | 9.0               | -           | -           |
| Energy/Environment | 13.0              | 11.0 <sup>5</sup> | 13.0        | 7.0              | 9.0               | -           | 5.0         |
| Other              | -                 | -                 | 8.0 6       | 29.07            | 14.0 <sup>8</sup> | 30.0        | 29.0        |

Source: Management Consultant International Jun '99

#### Notes:

- 1. Includes retail.
- 2. Includes media, entertainment, and high technology.
- 3. Includes media and entertainment.
- 4. Includes transport and services.
- 5. Includes utilities.
- 6.5% represents media/entertainment.
- 7. 12% represents aerospace and defence.
- 8. 11% represents consumer business.

#### 2.7.2.5 Management Consultant International Survey - Asia-Pacific

Asia-Pacific's top ten consulting firms by revenues are:

| Firm                          | Revenues<br>US\$m    | Growth<br>%       | Fiscal<br>Year End |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Andersen Consulting           | 591.0                | 0.5               | Dec-98             |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers        | 363.2                | 15.3              | Jun-99             |
| Deloitte Consulting/DTT       | 345.9                | $16.5^{-1}$       | Aug-99             |
| KPMG Consulting               | 210.0                | 22.8              | Sep-99             |
| Computer Sciences Corporation | 210.0 <sup>2</sup>   | N/A               | Dec-98             |
| Ernst & Young                 | 148.4                | 14.8 <sup>3</sup> | Sep-98             |
| Arthur Andersen               | 113.3 <sup>4,5</sup> | 12.7              | Aug-98             |
| Boston Consulting Group       | 100.0                | N/A               | Dec-98             |
| Cap Gemini Group <sup>6</sup> | 84.4 <sup>2</sup>    | N/A               | Dec-98             |
| Booz-Allen & Hamilton         | 62.0                 | (6.0)             | Mar-99             |

Source: Management Consultant International Oct '99 Notes:

- In last year's survey, a figure of \$260.8m was reported for the year-end August '98.
   1998 and 1999 revenues have been adjusted to include financial advisory services.
- 2. Estimated by MCI.
- 3. In last year's survey, gross revenues of \$160m were reported for the year-end September '97. This year, the figure reported is the net fee income of \$129.3m.
- 4. Excludes outsourcing and HR consulting. Revenue does not include India.
- 5. In last year's survey, a figure of \$74m was reported for the year-end August '98. This has been restated by firm to include business consulting and economic & financial consulting practices.
- 6. Combined figures of Cap Gemini Asia-Pacific and Gemini Consulting.

| Service            | Andersen<br>Consulting<br>Fee Split % | KPMG<br>Consulting<br>Fee Split % | Ernst &<br>Young<br>Fee Split % | Booz-Allen &<br>Hamilton<br>Fee Split % |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Financial Services | 26.0                                  | 15.0                              | 14.0                            | 30.0                                    |
| Products           | 13.0                                  | 6.0                               | -                               | 10.0                                    |
| Utilities          | 5.0                                   | 5.0                               | 1.0                             | -                                       |
| Distribution       | -                                     | -                                 | -                               | -                                       |
| Transportation     | 6.0                                   | 23.0                              | 1.0                             | 20.0                                    |
| Healthcare         | -                                     | 3.0                               | -                               | 10.0                                    |
| Manufacturing      | -                                     | 8.0                               | 71.0                            | 20.0                                    |
| Telecommunications | $25.0^{-1}$                           | 14.0                              | 2.0                             | -                                       |
| Technology         | -                                     | -                                 | -                               | 10.0                                    |
| Government         | 16.0                                  | 16.0                              | 3.0                             | -                                       |
| Energy/Environment | 9.0                                   | -                                 | 8.0                             | -                                       |
| Other              | _                                     | $10.0^{-2}$                       | -                               | _                                       |

The fee split between the industries they serve is:

Source: Management Consultant International Oct '99

#### Notes:

1. Includes high technology.

2. Includes mining.

### 2.7.3 The UK Consulting Market

A report by Industry Research Group, entitled 'Current Market Outlook' and based on their annual survey of the largest consultancy firms, covers the 'UK market for Management Consultancy' and gives an indication of KPMG Consulting's competitive position in the consumer goods and retail sectors. The figures were published in the July/August 1999 issue of Management Consultancy magazine and relate to sales by the UK operations of the companies, including sales abroad, but excluding fee income from foreign offices.

A summary of the report's findings follows:

- According to Industry Research Group, one of the most noticeable things about the consultancy market is that historically, the annual increases in fee income are inconsistent, and one cannot assume that the fee income increase from any individual market will be of much the same value from year to year. In short, the only certain thing about this market seems to be the growth, the rate of growth however, remains unpredictable.
- The market is dominated by relatively few large firms. In 1998, the seven largest firms together accounted for almost 50% of the total fee income.
- In 1998, the consultancy market grew by £582 million over 1997 levels to a grand total of £3,276 million in fee income. The overall growth was 21.6% compared to a 1997/96 growth rate of 28.6%, but this slower growth rate had been anticipated.
- KPMG took an 11% share of the £582 million increase in fee income in 1998. This placed it second after Cap Gemini who took a 15% share. Of the total £3.3 billion fee income, KPMG took a 6.6% share in third place. Cap Gemini in second place, took a 7.2% share. PwC was in first place with a market share of 12.8%.
- In 1998, KPMG ranked third with a total fee income of £217 million. This is a growth of 41.6% over 1997 figures. PwC ranked first with a fee income £420 million, but a growth of only 6.9% over 1997. Cap Gemini ranked second with a fee income of £236.1 million, a growth rate of 58.1% over 1997.
- By far the most important market for consultancy is the financial services sector and the most important service offering, information technology. The following table illustrates the change in the composition of the consultancy market since 1996:

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|  | 1996    | 1997    | 1998        | 1998/97  |
|--|---------|---------|-------------|----------|
|  | £m      | £m      | £m          | % Change |
| Financial Services   | 556.8   | 759.3   | 1.071.0     | 41.0     |
| (Banking, financial, insurance, business services and leasing) |         |         |             |          |
| Central Government   | 221.3   | 250.6   | 281.8       | 12.4     |
| (State organisations/departments)                              |         |         |             |          |
| Local Government &   | 90.5    | 105.3   | 110.3       | 4.7      |
| Utilities  | 218.2   | 275.2   | 319.0       | 15.9     |
| (Coal, gas, electricity, water)                                |         |         |             |          |
| Transport Industry   | 126.4   | 123.8   | 148.4       | 19.9     |
| (Road, rail, inland transport, air and sea transport)          |         |         |             |          |
| Communications   | 127.5   | 171.6   | 215.0       | 25.3     |
| (Post & Telecommunications)                                    |         |         |             |          |
| Manufacturing  | 227.5   | 311.0   | 423.8       | 36.3     |
| (Metal goods and engineering)                                  |         |         |             |          |
| Consumer Goods   | 129.9   | 142.3   | 155.3       | 9.2      |
| (Food, drink, tobacco, textiles, etc.)                         |         |         |             |          |
| Healthcare & Pharmaceutical                                    | 103.7   | 133.8   | 158.3       | 18.3     |
| (Private healthcare, healthcare products and                   |         |         |             |          |
| pharmaceutical companies)<br><b>Retail Industry</b>            | 51.3    | 60.9    | 78.6        | 29.0     |
|  |         | 000     |             |          |
| Leisure & Tourism<br>  | 13.8    | 16.1    | 23.5        | 45.7     |
| Energy   | n/a     | n/a     | 95.4        | n/a      |
| (Oil, petrochemicals)  | ,       | ,       | <b>50 1</b> | ,        |
| Media  | n/a     | n/a     | 60.4        | n/a      |
| (Television, radio and print media)                            | 1       | ,       | 11.0        | ,        |
| The Professions  | n/a     | n/a     | 11.0        | n/a      |
| Charities & Non-profit Organisations                           | n/a     | n/a     | 7.9         | n/a      |
| Other diverse markets  | n/a     | n/a     | 40.3        | n/a      |
| Other unidentified markets                                     | 228.7   | 344.9   | 77.0        | n/a      |
| Total Fee Income   | 2,095.5 | 2,694.9 | 3,276.9     | 21.6     |

Source: Industry Research Group 1999

- As is illustrated above, growth in spending on consultancy by the consumer goods sector is much lower at 9.2% than any other commercial sector, though the 1997 growth rate was in fact similar. On the other hand, the growth in spending by the retail industry, is the fourth highest at 29.0% in relation to the other sectors.
- 1999 fee income is projected to increase by £679.2 million to a total of £3,956 million. This represents a growth rate of 20.7%. The following table illustrates the projected fee incomes in 1999 for each of the sectors served by the consulting market:

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|  | 1999 Est.  | 1999/98 | 1999/98 |
|--|------------|---------|---------|
|  | Fee Income | Change  | Change  |
|  | £m         | £m      | %       |
| Financial Services   | 1,421.1    | 350.1   | 32.7    |
| (Banking, financial, insurance, business services and                  |            |         |         |
| leasing)   |            |         |         |
| Central Government   | 326.8      | 45.0    | 16.0    |
| (State organisations/departments)                                      |            |         |         |
| Local Government &   | 118.2      | 7.9     | 7.2     |
| Utilities  | 345.8      | 26.8    | 8.4     |
| (Coal, gas, electricity, water)  |            |         |         |
| Transport Industry   | 170.5      | 22.1    | 14.9    |
| (Road, rail, inland transport, air and sea transport)                  |            |         |         |
| Communications   | 260.8      | 45.8    | 21.3    |
| (Post & Telecommunications)  |            |         |         |
| Manufacturing  | 501.7      | 77.9    | 18.4    |
| (Metal goods and engineering)  |            |         |         |
| Consumer Goods   | 171.0      | 15.7    | 10.1    |
| (Food, drink, tobacco, textiles, etc.)                                 |            |         |         |
| Healthcare & Pharmaceutical  | 197.4      | 39.1    | 24.7    |
| (Private healthcare, healthcare products and pharmaceutical companies) |            |         |         |
| Retail Industry  | 83.7       | 5.1     | 6.5     |
| Leisure & Tourism  | 26.1       | 2.6     | 11.0    |
| Energy   | 111.5      | 16.1    | 16.9    |
| (Oil, petrochemicals)  |            |         |         |
| Media  | 65.9       | 5.5     | 9.1     |
| (Television, radio and print media)                                    |            |         |         |
| The Professions  | 12.1       | 1.1     | 10.0    |
| Charities & Non-profit Organisations                                   | 8.7        | 0.8     | 10.3    |
| Other diverse markets  | 47.8       | 7.5     | 18.5    |
| Other unidentified markets   | 86.9       | 9.9     | 12.9    |
| Total Fee Income   | 3.956.0    | 679.1   | 20.7    |

#### Source: Industry Research Group 1999

Note: Other unidentified markets - the total projected fee income has been calculated to reflect a similar proportion of total fee income as in 1998. This is an estimate.

As is illustrated above, growth in spending on consultancy by the consumer goods sector is expected to improve and at 10.1% is no longer lower than any other commercial sector. On the other hand, the growth in spending by the retail industry has fallen dramatically from 29.0% to a mere 6.5%, the lowest of the commercial sectors.

### 2.7.3.1 Consumer Goods Sector

In 1997, there were 39 consultancy firms selling into this sector; this fell to 38 in 1998. The top 10 of these firms had a combined fee income of £93.6 million in 1997, 65.8% of the total

fee income for the consumer goods sector. In 1998, their combined fee income rose to £108.8 million, 70.1% of the total fee income for the sector. Fee incomes for 1997 and 1998 for the top 10 firms are illustrated in the table below:

|                            | 1997<br>Fee Income | 1997<br>Market Share | 1998<br>Fee Income | 1998<br>Market Share | 1997/98<br>Fee Income |
|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
|                            | £m                 | %                    | £m                 | %                    | % Change              |
| McKinsey                   | 20.0               | 14.1                 | 22.0               | 14.1                 | 10.0                  |
| KPMG Management Consulting | 9.9                | 7.0                  | 14.4               | 9.3                  | 45.7                  |
| Deliotte Consulting        | 9.2                | 6.5                  | 13.0               | 8.3                  | 41.3                  |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers     | 11.8               | 8.3                  | 12.7               | 8.1                  | 7.6                   |
| Ernst & Young              | 8.0                | 5.6                  | 11.2               | 7.2                  | 40.0                  |
| Gemini                     | 10.0               | 7.0                  | 8.0                | 5.1                  | -20.0                 |
| Andersen Consulting        | 7.2                | 5.1                  | 7.9                | 5.0                  | 9.7                   |
| Druid                      | 8.0                | 5.6                  | 7.2                | 4.6                  | -10.0                 |
| Lorien                     | 4.4                | 3.1                  | 6.4                | 4.1                  | 45.5                  |
| REL Consultancy            | 5.1                | 3.6                  | 6.0                | 3.8                  | 17.6                  |

*Source: Industry Research Group 1999* Note: Figures in italics are estimates

#### 2.7.3.2 Retail Sector

In 1997, there were 35 consultancy firms selling into this sector; this rose to 39 in 1998. The top 10 of these firms had a combined fee income of £48.5 million in 1997, 79.6% of the total fee income for the retail sector. In 1998, their combined fee income rose to £59.2 million, 75.4% of the total fee income for the sector. Fee incomes for 1997 and 1998 for the top 10 firms are illustrated in the table below:

|                            | 1997<br>Fee Income | 1997<br>Market Share | 1998<br>Fee Income | 1998<br>Market Share | 1997/98<br>Fee Income |
|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
|                            | £m                 | %                    | £m                 | %                    | % Change              |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers     | 4.5                | 7.4                  | 11.8               | 15.0                 | 162.2                 |
| Arthur Andersen            | 8.0                | 13.1                 | 9.5                | 12.1                 | 18.8                  |
| REL Consultancy            | 6.6                | 10.8                 | 7.0                | 8.9                  | 6.1                   |
| ICL                        | 5.5                | 9.0                  | 6.5                | 8.3                  | 18.2                  |
| Ernst & Young              | 4.8                | 7.9                  | 5.7                | 7.3                  | 18.8                  |
| KPMG Management Consulting | 6.0                | 9.9                  | 4.6                | 5.9                  | -23.3                 |
| CSC                        | 4.1                | 6.7                  | 4.6                | 5.9                  | 12.2                  |
| Boston Consulting Group    | 3.0                | 4.9                  | 3.3                | 4.2                  | 10.0                  |
| DMR Consulting Group       | 3.0                | 4.9                  | 3.2                | 4.1                  | 6.7                   |
| Andersen Consulting        | 3.0                | 4.9                  | 3.0                | 3.8                  | 0.0                   |

*Source: Industry Research Group 1999* Note: Figures in italics are estimates

### 2.7.4 The European Consulting Market

A report entitled 'Image & Performance of Management Consultancies in Europe 1999' and published by CSS, a division of Taylor Nelson Sofres - specialists in MCS, Law, Accountancy, and Tax, covers the European market for Management Consultancy and gives a good indication of KPMG Consulting's competitive position and performance in the marketplace. The research is based on 1062 telephone interviews using a common, structured questionnaire across 12 European countries. The sectors covered were agriculture & mining, construction, manufacturing & transport, wholesale & retail trade, financial, real estate & investment, and the services sectors. The research was conducted during May and July 1999 and its objectives were to:

- Compare the awareness and reputation of the leading international consultancies across the European consultancy market.
- Identify criteria considered when selecting a new consultancy firm.
- Identify the future needs of buyers of consultancy advice.
- Pinpoint areas of weak service delivery
- Highlight areas where firms are seen to have an edge over their competitors.
- Give advantage when pitching for new business.
- Provide input into strategy and marketing planning.

A brief overview of the report's findings in relation to KPMG Consulting follows:

- Overall, KPMG Consulting is the fifth best-known management consultancy brand in Europe and has also seen improvements in awareness in the whole European market, and amongst companies of the \$1bn + sector.
- European buyers of management consultancy are consistent in their agreement that KPMG Consulting does not have a strong image for creative/innovative approach or using leading edge technology.
- The firm does not have a particularly strong reputation for any service other than financial management.
- All told, KPMG Consulting is very widely used across Europe. Indeed the firm has the second highest market penetration of all the consultancy firms, however, this usage is concentrated in a small proportion of services, most particularly financial management.
- KPMG Consulting records the third strongest marketing recall and a seven point improvement on the 1997 report results.
- Satisfaction amongst KPMG Consulting clients is average. The firm has a high proportion of clients who are 'quite satisfied', but has a relatively low score in terms of 'very satisfied' clients.
- The most frequently mentioned area felt to be in need of improvement amongst clients relates to the need for KPMG Consulting to be more customer focused. Quality and continuity of staff is also a concern.

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#### 2.7.4.1 Consumer Markets Sector

This report is part of the wider study of the European consultancy market reviewed above. Of the 1062 telephone interviews conducted for the above study, 275 were conducted with Consumer Markets companies. The countries covered are the same as those in the main European report with respondents coming from Belgium (14%), France (13%), Germany (7%), Italy (12%), the Netherlands (11%), Nordic Region (7%) (includes Denmark, Finland, Sweden, and Norway), Spain (9%), Switzerland (9%), and the UK (16%).

A summary of the report's findings follows:

- PwC is the best known management consultancy firm among consumer organisations.
- PwC and McKinsey lead on more image attributes than any other firm, but they often share this lead with other firms, or have only a marginal lead. Other firms with strong images among Consumer Markets companies are Andersen Consulting, Arthur Andersen, and KPMG Consulting.
- Service line reputations largely follow the consulting firms' historical functional specialisms. McKinsey leads for Corporate Strategy, IBM, Andersen Consulting, and Gemini have the strongest reputations for IT services, and the Big Five lead for Financial Management. Andersen Consulting is the only firm which maintains a strong reputation across a wide range of services and in particular, manages to be successful for both Corporate Strategy and IT.
- The management consultancy firms' positions in the Consumer Markets sector are similar to those held across Europe as a whole, the exceptions being McKinsey and KMPG Consulting. McKinsey is much weaker in this sector, particularly in terms of awareness, image for international capability, and market penetration. KPMG Consulting on the other hand, is somewhat stronger in this sector than in others across Europe.
- As with the other sectors, business sector expertise is the most widely sought attribute in the appointment of a new or additional management consultancy. Consumer Markets companies perceive PwC to have the highest level of expertise in their sector, followed by KMPG Consulting, and Andersen Consulting.
- Again, as with the other sectors, the service improvement most requested by Consumer Markets companies of management consultancies is a more customer oriented approach.

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# 1 Consumer Market UK SIC Codes and Descriptions

| SIC92 | SIC 92 System<br>description | SIC92 Long description  | Ind<br>Sect<br>Code | Industry<br>Sector | Ind<br>Seg<br>Code | Industry Segment | LoB |
|-------|------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----|
| 74600 | Investigatn/Security         | Investigation & security activities   | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51140 | Mach/Eqt/Craft Agent         | Agents involved in the sale of machinery, industrial equipment, ships & aircraft                            | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51150 | Houshld Goods Agent          | Agents involved in the sale of furniture, household goods, hardware & ironmongery                           | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51160 | Textile/Clothg Agent         | Agents involved in the sale of textiles, clothing, footwear & leather goods                                 | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51170 | Agnts Sale Food/Beve         | Agents involved in the sale of food, bevs & tobacco   | <b>K</b> 1          | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51180 | Agents Oth Specialist        | Agents specialising in the sale of particular<br>products or ranges of products not elsewhere<br>classified | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51190 | Agent Variety Goods          | Agents involved in the sale of a variety of goods   | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51420 | Wsale Clothing/Ftwear        | Wholesale of clothing & footwear  | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51440 | Wsale China/Wallpaper        | Wholesale of china & glassware, wallpaper & cleaning material   | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51540 | Wsale Hardware/Plumb         | Wholesale of hardware, plumbing & heating equipment & supplies  | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51570 | Wsale Waste/Scrap            | Wholesale of waste & scrap  | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51610 | Wsale Machine Tools          | Wholesale of machine tools  | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51620 | Wsale Construc Machn         | Wholesale of construction machinery   | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 51630 | Machin Textile Wsale         | Wholesale of machinery for the textile industry, & of sewing & knitting machines                            | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51640 | Wsale Office Mach/Eq         | Wholesale of office machinery & equipment   | <b>K</b> 1          | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51650 | Machin Other Wsale           | Wholesale of other machinery for use in industry, trade & navigation  | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51660 | Agric Mach/Acc Wsale         | Wholesale of agricultural machinery & accessories & implements, including tractors                          | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 51700 | Wholesale Not Specif         | Other wholesale   | K1                  | R&D                | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |

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|-------|------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------|--------------------|------------------|-----|
| 52110 | Food General Retail          | Retail sale in non-specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco predominating | <b>K</b> 1          | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52120 | Oth Ret NonSpec Stor         | Other retail sale in non-specialised stores  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52240 | Ret Bread/Cake/Sugar         | Retail sale of bread, cakes, flour confectionery & sugar confectionery                 | <b>K</b> 1          | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52260 | Retail Tobacco Prod          | Retail sale of tobacco products  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52270 | Food Specialist Retail       | Other retail sale of food, bevs & tobacco in specialised stores                        | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52310 | Dispensing Chemists          | Dispensing chemists  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52320 | Ret Medical/Orthopaedic      | Retail sale of medical & orthopaedic goods   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52460 | DIY Materials Retail         | Retail sale of hardware, paints & glass  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52470 | Ret Bks/Nwspa/Statnr         | Retail sale of books, newspapers & stationery  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52481 | Floor Covers Retail          | Retail sale of floor coverings   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52483 | Specialist Ret Other         | Other retail sale in specialised stores not elsewhere classified                       | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52500 | Second-Hand Stor Ret         | Retail sale of second-hand goods in stores   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52610 | Mail Order Retail            | Retail sale via mail order houses  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52620 | Stalb/Mrkts Retail           | Retail sale via stalls & markets   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52630 | Non-Store Retail Oth         | Other non-store retail sale  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52710 | Shoes/Leather Repair         | Repair of boots, shoes & other articles of leather                                     | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52720 | Electr Hsehld Repair         | Repair of electrical household goods   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 52730 | Clock/Jewellery Repair       | Repair of watches, clocks & jewellery  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 52740 | Repair Not Elsewhere         | Repair not elsewhere classified  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 71401 | Rent Sport/Rcreat Eq         | Renting of sporting & recreational equipment   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 74700 | Industrial Cleaning          | Industrial cleaning  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 93010 | Washing/DryCleaning          | Washing & dry cleaning of textile & fur products                                       | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 93020 | Hairdrssg/Oth Beauty         | Hairdressing & other beauty treatment  | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 93030 | Funeral/Related Actv         | Funeral & related activities   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | CM  |
| 93040 | Physical Well-Being          | Physical well-being activities   | K1                  | R&D    | K1A                | Retail           | СМ  |
| 15320 | Fruit/Veg Juice Manf         | Manf of fruit & vegetable juice  | L1                  | F&D    | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |
| 15612 | Cereals Foods Manf           | Manf of breakfast cereals & cereal based foods   | L1                  | F&D    | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |
| 15620 | Starches/Starch Prod         | Manf of starches & starch products   | L1                  | F&D    | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |

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|-------|------------------------------|--|--------------|-----|--------------------|-----|-----|
| 15810 | Bread/Pastry/Cakes           | Manf of bread; manuf of fresh pastry gds & cakes                   | L1           | F&D |                    | F&D | CM  |
| 15820 | Rusk/Bisc/Psv Pastry         | Manf of rusks & biscuits; manf of preserved pastry goods & cakes   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15830 | Sugar Manf/Refining          | Manf of sugar  | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15841 | Cocoa/Chocola Confec         | Manf of cocoa & chocolate confectionery                            | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15842 | Sugar Confectry Manf         | Manf of sugar confectionery  | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15850 | Macaroni/Noodles/            | Manf of macaroni, noodles, couscous & similar farinaceous products | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15861 | Tea Processing               | Tea processing   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15862 | Coffee (&Subst) Prod         | Production of coffee & coffee substitutes                          | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15870 | Condiments/Seasnings         | Manf of condiments & seasonings                                    | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15880 | Homogenised Food Prep        | Manf of homogenised food prep & dietetic food                      | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15891 | Soup Manufuc                 | Manf of soups  | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15892 | Oth Foods Manufac            | Manf of other food products not elsewhere classified               | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15910 | Distilled Bevrg Manf         | Manf distilled potable alcoholic beverages                         | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15920 | Ethyl Alcohol Prod           | Production of ethyl alcohol from fermented materials               | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15931 | Wine From Grape Manf         | Manf of wine of fresh grapes & grape juice                         | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15932 | Wine From Concentrate        | Manf of wine based on concentrated wine must                       | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15941 | Cider & Perry Manf           | Manf of cider & perry  | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15942 | Fermntd Fruit Be Oth         | Manf of other fermented fruit beverages                            | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15950 | Fermentd Bevegs Oth          | Manf of other non-distilled fermented beverages                    | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15960 | Beer Production              | Manf of beer   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15970 | Malt Production              | Manf of malt   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 15980 | Soft Drinks/Water Prd        | Production of mineral waters & soft drinks                         | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 16000 | Tobacco Prods Manf           | Manf of tobacco products   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 24630 | Essential Oils Manf          | Manf of essential oils   | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 51250 | Tobacco Unmanf Wsale         | Wholesale of unmanufactured tobacco                                | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | CM  |
| 51340 | Alcohol/Oth Bev Wsale        | Wholesale of alcoholic & other beverages                           | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 51350 | Tobacco Prodct Wsale         | Wholesale of tobacco products                                      | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |
| 51360 | Sugar/Chocolat Wsale         | Wholesale of sugar & chocolate & sugar confect                     | L1           | F&D | L1A                | F&D | СМ  |

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| 51370 | Coffee/Tea/Spic Wsale        | Wholesale of coffee, tea, cocoa & spices                                    | L1                  | F&D                | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |
| 51390 | Food/Bev/Tob Nwspec          | Non-specialised wholesale of food, beverages, & tobacco                     | L1                  | F&D                | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |
| 52250 | Ret Alchlc/Oth Bvrgs         | Retail sale of alcoholic & other beverages                                  | L1                  | F&D                | L1A                | F&D              | СМ  |
| 01110 | Cereal/Oth Crop Grwg         | Growing of cereals & other crops not elsewhere specified                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01120 | Veg/Hortc/Nusry Prod         | Growing of vegetables, horticultural specialities & nursery products        | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01130 | Fruit/Nut/Spice Grwg         | Growing of fruit, nuts, beverage & spice crops                              | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01210 | Cattle/Dairy Farming         | Farming of cattle, dairy farming  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01220 | Sheep/Goats/Horses           | Farming of sheep, goats, horses, asses, mules & hinnies                     | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01230 | Farming Of Swine             | Farming of swine  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01240 | Farming Of Poultry           | Farming of poultry  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01250 | Farming Animals Other        | Other farming of animals  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 01300 | Farming mixed                | Growing of crops combines with farming of animals (mixed farming)           | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01410 | Agricultural Svs Actvt       | Agricultural service activities   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 01420 | Animal Hsbndry Svs           | Animal husbandry service activities, except veterinary activities           | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 01500 | Hunting & Related actv       | Hunting, trapping and game propagation including related service activities | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 05010 | Fishing                      | Fishing   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 05020 | Fish Hutcheries Farm         | Operation of fish hatcheries & fish farms                                   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15111 | Animal Slaughtering          | Slaughtering of animals other that poultry & rabbits                        | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15112 | Animal Prod Procssng         | Animal by-product processing  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15120 | Poultry Prodct/Presv         | Production & preserving of poultry meat                                     | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15131 | Bacon/Ham Productn           | Bacon & ham production  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15132 | Meat/Poultry Prod Oth        | Other meat & poultry meat processing  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15201 | Fish Freezing                | Freezing of fish  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15202 | Fish Oth Proce/Presv         | Other fish processing & preserving  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |

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| 15310 | Potatoes Proc/Presv          | Processing & preserving of potatoes                                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15330 | Fruit/Veg Oth Proc           | Processing & preserving of fruit & vegetables not elsewhere classified | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15410 | Crude Oil/Fats Manf          | Manf of crude oils & fats  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15420 | Refined Oil/Fats Man         | Manf of refined oils & fats  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15430 | Margarine/Fats Manf          | Manf of margarine & similar edible fats                                | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15511 | Milk Liq/Cream Prod          | Liquid milk & cream products   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15512 | Butter/Cheese Prod           | Butter & cheese production   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15513 | Milk Products Other          | Manf of other milk products  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15520 | Ice Cream Manf               | Manf of ice cream  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15611 | Grain Milling                | Grain milling  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15710 | Farm Animal Feed Prp         | Manf of prepared feeds for farm animals                                | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 15720 | Pet Foods Prepd Manf         | Manf of prepared pet foods   | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 51110 | Agricl & RawMats             | Agents involved in the sale of agricultural raw                        | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
|       | Agent                        | materials, live animals, textile raw materials & semi-finished goods   |                     |                    |                    |                  |     |
| 51210 | Grain/Seed/Feed WSal         | Wholesale of grain, seeds & animal feeds                               | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 51220 | Flowers/Plants WSale         | Wholesale of flowers & plants  | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 51230 | Live Animals WSale           | Wholesale of live animals  | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 51240 | Hide/Skin/Leath Wsale        | Wholesale of hides, skins & leather                                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 51310 | Fruit/Vegetable Wsale        | Wholesale of fruit & vegetables  | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 51320 | Meat/Meat Prod Wsale         | Wholesale of meat & meat products                                      | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 51330 | Dairy Prods/Fat Wsale        | Wholesale of dairy produce, eggs, edible oils & fats                   | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | CM  |
| 51380 | Food/Fish Oth Wsale          | Wholesale of other food including fish, crustaceans                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | CM  |
|       |                              | & molluscs   |                     |                    |                    | -                |     |
| 52210 | Retail Fruit/Vegtbl          | Retail sale of fruit & vegetables                                      | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 52220 | Ret Meat/Meat Prod           | Retail sale of meat & meat products                                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1A                | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 52230 | Ret Fish/Crustc/Moll         | Retail sale of fish, crustaceans & molluscs                            | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 71310 | Rent Agric Mach/Eqpm         | Renting of agricultural machinery & equipment                          | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Agriculture      | СМ  |
| 15113 | Fellmongery                  | Fellmongery  | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17110 | Cotton Prep/Spinning         | Preparation & spinning of cotton-type fibres                           | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17120 | Wool Prep/Spinning           | Preparation & spinning of woollen-type fibres                          | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |

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| 17130 | Worsted Prep/Spinning        | Preparation & spinning of worsted-type fibres   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | CM  |
| 17140 | Flax Prep/Spinning           | Preparation & spinning of flax-type fibres  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | CM  |
| 17150 | Silk (& Synth) Manf          | Throwing & prep of silk including from coils and<br>throwing & texturing of synthetic or artificial<br>filament yarns | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17160 | Sewing Threads Manf          | Manf of sewing threads  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17170 | Textile Oth Prep/Spin        | Preparation & spinning of other textile fibres  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17210 | Cotton-type Weaving          | Cotton-type weaving   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17220 | Woollen-type Weaving         | Woollen-type weaving  | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17230 | Worsted-type Weaving         | Worsted-type weaving  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17240 | Silk-type Weaving            | Silk-type weaving   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17250 | Textile Oth Weaving          | Other textile weaving   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17300 | Textiles Finishing           | Finishing of textiles   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17402 | Sack, Canvas Gds Manf        | Manf of canvas goods, sacks etc   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17520 | Cordage/Rope/Netting         | Manf of cordage, rope, twine & netting  | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17530 | Non-wovens Manf              | Manf of non-wovens & articles made from non-<br>wovens except apparel   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17541 | Lace Manf                    | Manf of lace  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17542 | Narrow Fabrics Manf          | Manf of narrow fibres   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17543 | Textiles Other Manf          | Manf of other textiles not elsewhere classified   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17600 | Knitted/Crocheted Fabr       | Manf of knitted & crocheted fabrics   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17710 | Knitted/Crocheted Hosr       | Manf of knitted & crocheted hosiery   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 17720 | Pullovers/Cardigans          | Manf of knitted & crocheted pullovers, cardigans & similar articles   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18100 | Leather Clothes Manf         | Manf of leather clothes   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | CM  |
| 18210 | Workwear Manf                | Manf of workwear  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18221 | Men's Outerwear Oth          | Manf of other men's outerwear   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18222 | Women's Outerwear Oth        | Manf of other women's outerwear   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18231 | Men's Underwear Manf         | Manf of men's underwear   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18232 | Women's Underwr Manf         | Manf of women's underwear   | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18241 | Hats Manf                    | Manf of hats  | <b>M</b> 1          | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |
| 18242 | Apparel Accessor Oth         | Manf of other wearing apparel and accessories   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles         | СМ  |

| SIC92 | SIC 92 System<br>description | SIC92 Long description  | Ind<br>Sect<br>Code | Industry<br>Sector | Ind<br>Seg<br>Code | Industry Segment        | LoB |
|-------|------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| 18300 | Fur Manf Dress/Dye           | Dressing & dyeing of fur; manf of articles of fur   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 19100 | Leather Tanng Drssng         | Tanning & dressing of leather   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 19200 | Luggage/Saddlery             | Manf of luggage, handbags etc, saddlery & harness   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 19300 | Footwear Manf                | Manf of footwear  | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 24700 | Non-Made Fibres Manf         | Manf of man-made fibres   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 36400 | Sports Goods Manf            | Manf of sports goods  | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 51410 | Wsale Textiles               | Wholesale of textiles   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 52410 | Textiles Retail Sale         | Retail sale of textiles   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 52420 | Clothing Retail Sale         | Retail sale of clothing   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 52430 | Footwr/Leathr Gd Ret         | Retail sale of footwear & leather goods   | M1                  | CPs                | M1B                | Textiles                | СМ  |
| 21220 | Hshld/Sanitary Goods         | Manf of hshold & sanitary goods & of toilet reqs  | M1                  | CPs                | M1C                | Hshld chems & cosmetics | СМ  |
| 24520 | Perfume/Toilet Prp Manf      | Manf of perfumes & toilet preparations  | M1                  | CPs                | M1C                | Hshld chems & cosmetics | СМ  |
| 51450 | Wsale Perfume/Cosmet         | Wholesale of perfume & cosmetics  | M1                  | CPs                | M1C                | Hshld chems & cosmetics | СМ  |
| 52330 | Ret Cosmtic/Toiletry         | Retail sale of cosmetic & toilet articles   | M1                  | CPs                | M1C                | Hshld chems & cosmetics | СМ  |
| 17401 | Soft Furnishings Manf        | Manf of soft furnishings  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 17403 | Househld Textl Manf          | Manf of household textiles  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 17511 | Woven Carpet & Rugs          | Manf of woven carpets & rugs  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 17512 | Tufted Carpets & Rugs        | Manf of tufted carpets & rugs   | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 17513 | Carpts/Rugs Oth Manf         | Manf of other carpets & rugs  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 36110 | Chairs/Seats Manf            | Manf of chairs & seats  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 36120 | Office & Shop Furnitr        | Manf of other office & shop furniture   | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 36130 | Kitchen Furnitr Manf         | Manf of other kitchen furniture   | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 36140 | Furnitr Other Manf           | Manf of other furniture   | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 36150 | Mattresses Manf              | Manf of mattresses  | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 45430 | Floor\ Wall Covering         | Floor & wall covering   | M1                  | CPs                | M1D                | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 51471 | Wsale Furniture              | Wholesale of furniture  | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Furniture & fittings    | СМ  |
| 33403 | Camera/Project Manf          | Manf of photographic & cinematographic equipmt  | M1                  | CPs                | M1E                | Photographic            | СМ  |
| 52482 | Office Eqp/Comput Ret        | Retail sale of photographic, optical & precision<br>equipmt, office supplies & equipmt (incldg<br>computers, etc) | M1                  | CPs                |                    | Photographic            | СМ  |
| 20200 | Veneer/Plywood/Board         | Manf of veneer sheets, plywood, laminboard, particle board, fibre board & other panels & board                    | M1                  | CPs                | M1F                | Wood products           | СМ  |

| SIC92 | SIC 92 System<br>description | SIC92 Long description   | Ind<br>Sect<br>Code | Industry<br>Sector | Ind<br>Seg<br>Code | Industry Segment               | LoB |
|-------|------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----|
| 20400 | Wooden Contains Manf         | Manf of wooden containers  | M1                  | CPs                | M1F                | Wood products                  | СМ  |
| 20510 | Wood Prods Oth Manf          | Manf of other products of wood   | M1                  | CPs                | M1F                | Wood products                  | СМ  |
| 26210 | Ceramic Hsehld/Ornm          | Manf of ceramic household & ornamental articles  | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 26220 | Ceramic Sanitary Fixt        | Manf of ceramic sanitary fixtures  | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 26230 | Ceramic Insulators           | Manf of ceramic insulators & insulating fittings   | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 26240 | Ceramic Oth Tec Prod         | Manf of other technical ceramic products   | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 26250 | Ceramic Oth Prod             | Manf of other ceramic products   | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 26260 | Ceramic Refrctry Prd         | Manf of refractory ceramic products  | M1                  | CPs                | M1G                | Pottery, clay & glass products | СМ  |
| 20520 | Cork/Straw Arts Manf         | Manf of articles of cork, straw & plaiting materials                                       | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 26822 | Non-Metal Min Prod           | Manf of other non-metallic mineral products not elsewhere classified                       | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 33500 | Watches Clocks Manf          | Manf of watches & clocks   | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36210 | Coins/Medals Manf            | Striking of coins & medals   | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36220 | Jewellery etc Manf           | Manf of jewellery & related articles not elsewhere specified                               | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36300 | Musical Instrum Manf         | Manf of musical instruments  | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36501 | Arcade Game/Toy Manf         | Manf of professional & arcade games & toys   | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36502 | Games&Toys Oth Manf          | Manf of other games & toys not elsewhere classified  | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36610 | Jewellery Imitatn Mn         | Manf of imitation jewellery  | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36620 | Brooms & Brushes             | Manf of brooms & brushes   | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36631 | Stationery Goods Mnf         | Manf of miscellaneous stationers goods   | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 36632 | Manufac Not Elsewhere        | Other manf not elsewhere classified  | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 51472 | Hhold Oth Goods WSale        | Wholesale of other household goods not elsewhere classified                                | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 52440 | Furniture/Hhld Art Ret       | Retail sale of furniture, lighting equipment & household articles not elsewhere classified | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 71340 | Rent Oth Mach/Equipm         | Renting of other machinery & equipment not elsewhere classified                            | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |
| 71402 | Rent Oth Persnl/Hsehld       | Renting of other personal & household goods not elsewhere classified                       | M1                  | CPs                | M1H                | CPs other                      | СМ  |

# 2 FTSE Actuaries Industry Classification System

| ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS            | SECTORS                          | SUBSECTORS  |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 30 CYCLICAL<br>CONSUMER GOODS | 31 AUTOMOBILES                   | 311 Automobiles<br>Companies which manufacture and assemble passenger automobiles<br>and motor cycles   |
|                               |                                  | <ul> <li>Auto Parts</li> <li>Manufacturers of auto parts other than those classified elsewhere (e.g.<br/>in Tyres &amp; Rubber – 317)</li> </ul>  |
|                               |                                  | <b>317 Tyres &amp; Rubber</b><br>Tyre manufacturers and treaders for automobiles, trucks, tractors and aircraft   |
|                               | 34 HOUSEHOLD GOODS<br>& TEXTILES | <b>341</b> Clothing & Footwear<br>Manufacturers of all types of clothing and footwear, including those<br>for sportswear  |
|                               |                                  | <ul> <li>Furnishings &amp; Floor Coverings</li> <li>Manufacturers of furniture (including office furniture) and furnishings, carpets and other materials for covering floors</li> </ul>   |
|                               |                                  | <b>345</b> Household Appliances & Housewares<br>Manufacturers of consumer electronic and electrical equipment,<br>domestic appliances, lighting, tools for use in the home, hardware,<br>cutlery, tableware, giftware and watches |
|                               |                                  | <ul> <li>347 Leisure Equipment</li> <li>Manufacturers of leisure equipment not classified under 'Clothing &amp; Footwear' - 341 or 'Home Entertainment' - 535</li> </ul>  |
|                               |                                  | <ul> <li>349 Other Textiles &amp; Leather Goods</li> <li>Manufacturers of textile materials and goods other than clothing, and of leather goods other than footwear. Processors of hides and skins</li> </ul>                     |

|    | ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS             |    | SECTORS                       |    | SUBSECTORS   |
|----|--------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|--|
| 40 | NON-CYCLICAL<br>CONSUMER GOODS | 41 | BEVERAGES 41                  | 15 | <b>Beverages - Brewers</b><br>Manufacturers and shippers of malt and malt liquors such as beer, ale<br>and stout (NB: brewers are classified in 'Beverages - Brewers' - 415<br>or in the 'Restaurants, Pubs and Breweries' subsector - 560 of the<br>'Cyclical Services' Economic Group) |
|    |                                |    | 410                           | 16 | <b>Beverages - Distillers &amp; Vintners</b><br>Distillers, blenders and shippers of alcoholic bevs such as whisky,  |
|    |                                |    | 410                           | 10 | brandy, rum, gin or liquors. Also producers of wine and cider  |
|    |                                |    | 41                            | 18 | <b>Soft Drinks</b><br>Manufacturers of non-alcoholic beverages including carbonated<br>mineral waters  |
|    |                                | 43 | FOOD PRODUCERS43.& PROCESSORS |    | <b>Farming &amp; Fishing</b><br>Crop growers excluding forestry. Companies which raise livestock,<br>commercial fishers, manufacturers of livestock feeds. Owners of<br>plantations  |
|    |                                |    | 43:                           |    | Food Processors  |
|    |                                |    |                               |    | Processors and wholesalers of food   |
|    |                                | 44 | HEALTH 44                     |    | Health Maintenance Organisations<br>Owners and operators of health maintenance organisations   |
|    |                                |    | 44-                           | 14 | Hospital Management & Long Term Care<br>Owners and operators of hospitals, clinics, nursing homes,   |
|    |                                |    |                               |    | rehabilitation and retirement centres  |
|    |                                |    | 444                           |    | Medical Equipment & Supplies   |
|    |                                |    |                               |    | Manufacturers of medical equipment, devices and eye care products  |
|    |                                |    | 44                            |    | Other Health Care  |
|    |                                |    |                               |    | Diversified and other health care companies not classified elsewhere (e.g. Education, Business Training & Employment Agencies – 583)   |
|    |                                |    |                               |    | (e.g. Education, Dusiness Training & Employment Argenetes - 505)   |

|    | ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS                            |    | SECTORS                               |                 | SUBSECTORS   |
|----|---|----|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| 40 | NON-CYCLICAL<br>CONSUMER GOODS<br>(continued) | 46 | PACKAGING                             | 4 <del>60</del> | Packaging<br>Manufacturers of containers from paper, board, plastic, film, glass<br>and/or metal   |
|    |   | 47 | PERSONAL CARE &<br>HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS | 475<br>477      | Household Products<br>Producers of detergents, soaps and polishes<br>Personal Products<br>Producers of toiletries, cosmetics and hygiene products                |
|    |   | 48 | <b>PHARMACEUTICALS</b>                | 4 <del>80</del> | Pharmaceuticals<br>Biotechnology and drug research and development and/or exploitation   |
|    |   | 49 | ТОВАССО                               | 490             | <b>Tobacco</b><br>Cigarette and tobacco manufacturers  |
| 50 | CYCLICAL<br>SERVICES                          | 51 | DISTRIBUTORS                          | <del>514</del>  | Distributors of Industrial Components & Equipment<br>Distributors, wholesalers and/or stockists of electrical, electronic,<br>engineering equipment and supplies |
|    |   |    |                                       |                 | Vehicle Distribution<br>Distributors, sellers and/or servicers of vehicles and distributors of<br>vehicle parts and components<br>Distributors - Other           |
|    |   |    |                                       |                 | Distributors, wholesalers and/or stockists other than those classified elsewhere   |

|    | ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS                  | SECTORS                                 |                | SUBSECTORS  |
|----|-------------------------------------|---|----------------|---|
| 50 | CYCLICAL<br>SERVICES<br>(continued) | 52 GENERAL RETAILERS                    | 524            | <b>Discount &amp; Super Stores and Warehouses</b><br>Shops concentrating on mass distribution of both hardlines and soft<br>goods at discounted prices due to volume  |
|    | ()                                  |   | 526            | <b>Retailers - Hardlines</b><br>Shops concentrating on the sale of a single class of goods, not classified elsewhere (e.g. food and drugs - 630, soft goods - 528 or vehicles - 518) - such as auto parts or home and office products |
|    |                                     |   | 527            | <b>Retailers - Multi Department</b><br>Retail outlets with more than one department, selling a varied range of goods not classified elsewhere (e.g. 'Discount & Super Stores and Warehouses' - 524)                                   |
|    |                                     |   | 528            | <b>Retailers - Soft Goods</b><br>Shops concentrating on the sale of a single class of soft goods - clothing, etc.   |
|    |                                     | 53 <del>LEISURE,</del><br>ENTERTAINMENT | <del>532</del> | Gaming<br>Providers of gaming and casino facilities   |
|    |                                     |   | <del>535</del> | How Entertainment<br>Providers of products and of entertainment services, generally enjoyed<br>at home, other than those classified in the 'Media & Photography'<br>sector - 542, 543 & 546.  |
|    |                                     |   | <del>536</del> | Hotels<br>Hoteliers   |
|    |                                     |   | <del>538</del> | Leisure Facilities<br>Providers of leisure facilities   |

|    | ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS                  | SECTORS                             |                 | SUBSECTORS  |
|----|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| 50 | CYCLICAL<br>SERVICES<br>(continued) | 54 MEDIA &<br>PHOTOGRAPHY           | <del>542</del>  | Brondcasting Contractors<br>Independent radio and television contractors, not classified elsewhere<br>(e.g. 'Cable & Satellite' 543). Companies providing facilities and/or<br>programmes for contractors. Film production. |
|    |                                     |                                     | <del>543</del>  |   |
|    |                                     |                                     | <del>545</del>  | Media Agencies<br>Advertising, marketing and public relations agencies and consultants  |
|    |                                     |                                     | 546             | <b>Photography</b><br>Manufacturers of photographic equipmt for use by the general public.  |
|    |                                     |                                     | 547             | Operators of photographic studios and film development companies<br>Publishing & Printing<br>Publishing, newspapers and printers of documents   |
|    |                                     | 56 RESTAURANTS, PUBS<br>& BREWERIES | 560             | <b>Restaurants, Pubs &amp; Breweries</b><br>Operators of restaurants and pubs, including integrated brewery<br>companies  |
|    |                                     | 58 SUPPORT SERVICES                 | <del>581</del>  | Business Support Services<br>Providers of non-financial services to a wide range of industries which<br>could have been provided "in house" excluding those activities classified<br>elsewhere.                             |
|    |                                     |                                     | <del>583</del>  | Education, Business Training & Employment Agencies  |
|    |                                     |                                     |                 | Providers of education, business and mgmt training courses and employment services  |
|    |                                     |                                     | <del>58</del> 4 | Environmental Control<br>Providers of solid and hazardous waste management, recovery and<br>disposal services   |

|    | ECONOMIC<br>GROUPS                  |    | SECTORS                      |                | SUBSECTORS   |
|----|-------------------------------------|----|------------------------------|----------------|--|
| 50 | CYCLICAL<br>SERVICES<br>(continued) | 58 | SUPPORT SERVICES (continued) |                | Funerals & Cemeteries<br>Funeral directors, cemetery and crematorium operators<br>Laundries & Cleaners |
|    | (continued)                         |    |                              | 200            | Launderers and dry cleaners  |
|    |                                     |    |                              | 588            | •  |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | Companies installing, servicing and monitoring alarm systems and those                                 |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | providing security services  |
|    |                                     | 59 | TRANSPORT                    | <del>591</del> | Airlines & Airports  |
|    |                                     |    |                              | •              | Air transport companies and operators of airports and related facilities                               |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | and services   |
|    |                                     |    |                              | <del>596</del> | ,  |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | Land transport and related facilities and services, including road and                                 |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | tunnel operators and vehicle rental, and agencies which undertake the                                  |
|    |                                     |    |                              | <del>597</del> | transportation of goods from shippers to receivers<br>Shipping & Ports                                 |
|    |                                     |    |                              | <del>371</del> | Water-borne transport and related services and terminal facilities                                     |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | water-bonne transport and related services and terminal facilities                                     |
| 60 | NON-CYCLICAL                        | 63 | FOOD & DRUG                  | 630            | Food & Drug Retailers  |
|    | SERVICES                            |    | RETAILERS                    |                | Retailers of food and drug products  |
|    |                                     | 67 | TELECOMMUNICATION            | 673            | Fixed-Line Telecommunication Services  |
|    |                                     | 07 | SERVICES                     | 075            | Operators of fixed line telecommunications networks  |
|    |                                     |    |                              | <del>678</del> |  |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | Operators of mobile (cellular and satellite broadcast)   |
|    |                                     |    |                              |                | telecommunications networks  |

# 3 FTSE All Share Listed Consumer Markets Companies By Auditor

| Company Name                  | FTSE  | Market Cap      | Gross Ann'l | Ann'l Op. | Annual      | Auditor | Audit  | Non-Audit | FTSEA | Primary   | KPMG          | Lead Partner                 |
|-------------------------------|-------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------|--------|-----------|-------|---|---------------|------------------------------|
|                               | Index | (@ 9-11-99)     | Sales       | Income    | Fiscal      | Name    | Fees   | Fees      | Code  | SIC Code  | Service       |                              |
|                               |       | ( <b>£000</b> ) | (£000)      | (£000)    | Year End    |         | (£000) | (£000)    |       |   |               |                              |
| Cadbury Schweppes plc         | 100   | 7,578,130       | 4,106,000   | 560,000   | 2-Jan-1999  | AA      | 2,000  | 1,000     | 435   | 15841 - Manuf. of cocoa and chocolate confectionery   | С             | ROD Paterson,<br>London      |
| TOTAL AA FTSE 100             | 1     | 7,578,130       | 4,106,000   | 560,000   |             |         | 2,000  | 1,000     |       | enceonate confectionery   |               | London                       |
| Compass Group plc             | 100   | 4,980,460       | 4,213,800   | 214,400   | 30-Sep-1998 | D&T     | 1,400  | 900       | 560   | 55520 - Catering  | С             | MH Moine,<br>London/Paris    |
| Dixons Group plc              | 100   | 4,944,240       | 3,156,300   | 195,700   | 1-May-1999  | D&T     | 400    | 400       | 526   | 52450 - Retail sale of electrical<br>household appliances and radio<br>and television goods |               | A Aldridge, London           |
| TOTAL D&T FTSE 100            | 2     | 9,924,700       | 7,370,100   | 410,100   |             |         | 1,800  | 1,300     |       |   |               |                              |
| Bass plc                      | 100   | 5,682,240       | 4,609,000   | 758,000   | 30-Sep-1998 | E&Y     | 1,700  | 3,400     | 560   | 15960 - Manufacture of beer   |               | B Marchant,<br>Birmingham    |
| Scottish & Newcastle plc      | 100   | 3,288,590       | 3,293,900   | 399,400   | 2-May-1999  | E&Y     | 700    | 1,300     | 560   | 15960 - Manufacture of beer   |               | I McLaren,<br>Edinburgh      |
| Whitbread plc                 | 100   | 3,019,500       | 2,966,400   | 369,500   | 27-Feb-1999 | E&Y     | 800    | 300       | 560   | 55301 - Licensed restaurants  | С             | OR Tant, London              |
| TOTAL E&Y FTSE 100            | 3     | 11,990,330      | 10,869,300  | 1,526,900 |             |         | 3,200  | 5,000     |       |   |               |                              |
| Allied Domecq plc             | 100   | 3,366,870       | 4,308,000   | 612,000   | 31-Aug-1998 | KPMG    | 3,000  | 2,000     | 416   | 15910 - Manuf. of distilled<br>potable alcoholic beverages                                  | A; T; C; O    | AJ Barber, London            |
| Assoc. British Foods plc      | 100   | 2,918,790       | 4,195,000   | 297,000   | 12-Sep-1998 | KPMG    | 2,000  | 1,300     | 435   | 15830 - Manuf. of sugar   | A; T; C; O    | AJ Barber, London            |
| Boots Co The plc              | 100   | 5,481,110       | 5,044,600   | 487,800   | 31-Mar-1999 | KPMG    | 800    | 2,200     | 527   | 52310 - Dispensing chemists   | A; T; C; F; O | MP Wareing,<br>Birmingham    |
| Diageo plc                    | 100   | 18,922,560      | 11,795,000  | 1,697,000 | 30-Jun-1999 | KPMG    | 2,600  | 3,200     | 416   | 15910 - Manuf. of distilled potable alcoholic beverages                                     | A; T; C; F    | MJH Hughes,<br>London        |
| TOTAL KPMG FTSE<br>100        | 4     | 30,689,330      | 25,342,600  | 3,093,800 |             |         | 8,400  | 8,700     |       |   |               |                              |
| British American Tobacco      | 100   | 8,943,180       | 14,584,000  | 1,011,000 | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 4,000  | 5,600     | 490   | N/A   | F             | GK Sutton, London            |
| Great Universal Stores plc    | 100   | 4,536,020       | 5,466,600   | 538,000   | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 1,600  | 3,700     | 527   | 52610 - Retail sale via mail<br>order houses  |               | D Illingworth,<br>Manchester |
| Imperial Tobacco Group<br>plc | 100   | 3,583,500       | 4,029,000   | 436,000   | 26-Sep-1998 | PwC     | 500    | 1,900     | 490   | 16000 - Manuf. of tobacco<br>products   |               | T Davies, Bristol            |
| Kingfisher plc                | 100   | 8,783,380       | 7,457,800   | 632,500   | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 1,500  | 2,600     | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores                                     | С             | S Nevin, London              |

| Company Name              | FTSE    | Market Cap      | Gross Ann'l | Ann'l Op. | Annual      | Auditor | Audit  | Non-Audit | FTSEA | Primary   | KPMG    | Lead Partner                 |
|---------------------------|---------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------|--------|-----------|-------|---|---------|------------------------------|
|                           | Index   | (@ 9-11-99)     | Sales       | Income    | Fiscal      | Name    | Fees   | Fees      | Code  | SIC Code  | Service |                              |
|                           |         | ( <b>£000</b> ) | (£000)      | (£000)    | Year End    |         | (£000) | (£000)    |       |   |         |                              |
| Marks & Spencer plc       | 100     | 7,954,640       | 8,224,000   | 512,000   | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 900    | 500       | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   | T; C    | IJ Anderson, London          |
| Reckitt & Colman plc      | 100     | 3,000,840       | 2,202,400   | 288,200   | 2-Jan-1999  | PwC     | 1,500  | 3,600     | 475   | 24512 - Manuf. of cleaning and polishing preparations   | Т       | CM Hyman, London             |
| Sainsbury (J) plc         | 100     | 6,911,990       | 16,433,000  | 836,000   | 3-Apr-1999  | PwC     | 600    | 2,900     | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating | С       | RH Reid, London              |
| South African Breweries   | 100     | 4,380,840       | 3,049,600   | 369,200   | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 1,200  | 13,000    | 415   | N/A   |         | BS Brown, London             |
| Tesco plc                 | 100     | 12,125,500      | 17,158,000  | 934,000   | 27-Feb-1999 | PwC     | 700    | 1,900     | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating |         | GM Reid, London              |
| Unilever plc              | 100     | 13,652,590      | 27,094,000  | 2,955,000 | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 7,000  | 20,000    | 435   | 24520 - Manuf. of perfumes and toilet preparations  | С       | E Williams, London           |
| TOTAL PWC FTSE 100        | 10      | 73,872,480      | 105,698,400 | 8,511,900 |             |         | 19,500 | 55,700    |       |   |         |                              |
| Brown (N) Group plc       | Mid 250 | 572,030         | 327,840     | 46,147    | 27-Feb-1999 | AA      | 42     | 107       | 528   | 52610 - Retail sale via mail order houses   |         | D Illingworth,<br>Manchester |
| JJB Sports plc            | Mid 250 | 615,690         | 372,976     | 39,560    | 31-Jan-1999 | AA      | 65     | 241       | 528   | 52489 - Other retail sale in<br>specialised stores not elsewhere<br>classified                        |         |                              |
| Safeway plc               | Mid 250 | 2,044,180       | 7,510,700   | 421,800   | 3-Apr-1999  | AA      | 300    | 300       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating |         | M Stock, London              |
| Storehouse plc            | Mid 250 | 330,770         | 1,328,600   | 98,100    | 27-Mar-1999 | AA      | 200    | 300       | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   |         | A Aldridge, London           |
| TOTAL AA FTSE MID<br>250  | 4       | 3,562,670       | 9,540,116   | 605,607   |             |         | 607    | 948       |       |   |         |                              |
| Brake Bros plc            | Mid 250 | 314,110         | 755,900     | 30,700    | 31-Dec-1998 | D&T     | 100    | 200       | 435   | 51390 - Non-specialised<br>wholesale of food, beverages<br>and tobacco                                |         | P Bassett, London            |
| Smith (W H) Group plc     | Mid 250 | 1,032,070       | 2,391,000   | 120,000   | 31-Aug-1999 | D&T     | 500    | 100       | 528   | 52470 - Retail sale of books,<br>newspapers and stationery  |         | G Reid, London               |
| TOTAL D&T FTSE MID<br>250 | 2       | 1,346,180       | 3,146,900   | 150,700   |             |         | 600    | 300       |       |   |         |                              |

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| Coca-Cola Beverages plc           | Mid 250 | 1,264,400   | 1,003,200   | 6,500     | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 1,100  | 4,100     | 418   | N/A   |         |                                 |
| Enterprise Inns plc               | Mid 250 | 2,301,220   | 80,758      | 30,629    | 30-Sep-1998 | E&Y     | 45     | 163       | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  |         |                                 |
| Express Dairies plc               | Mid 250 | 307,510     | 794,000     | 65,700    | 31-Mar-1999 | E&Y     | 200    | 300       | 435   | 51330 - Wholesale of dairy<br>produce, eggs and edible oils<br>and fats                               |         | J Eggleston,<br>Leicester       |
| Greenalls Group The plc           | Mid 250 | 795,960     | 983,432     | 209,104   | 25-Sep-1998 | E&Y     | 232    | 150       | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  | A; C    | M Holly, Manchester             |
| Greene King plc                   | Mid 250 | 397,630     | 292,600     | 60,500    | 1-May-1999  | E&Y     | 100    | 100       | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  | A; C; F | RF Ferguson,<br>Cambridge       |
| Iceland Group plc                 | Mid 250 | 541,770     | 1,741,600   | 71,900    | 2-Jan-1999  | E&Y     | 100    | 100       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating |         | D Morris, Leeds<br>(Consultant) |
| Next plc                          | Mid 250 | 2,364,420   | 1,239,100   | 157,900   | 30-Jan-1999 | E&Y     | 200    | N/A       | 528   | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing   |         | B Marchant,<br>Birmingham       |
| Northern Foods plc                | Mid 250 | 585,300     | 1,285,900   | 111,700   | 31-Mar-1999 | E&Y     | 200    | 1,000     | 435   | 15139 - Other meat and poultry meat processing  |         | J Campbell, Leeds               |
| Somerfield plc                    | Mid 250 | 573,810     | 5,897,900   | 235,700   | 24-Apr-1999 | E&Y     | 200    | 200       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating |         | RM D'A Samuda,<br>Birmingham    |
| United Biscuits (Holdings)<br>plc | Mid 250 | 1,024,590   | 1,685,200   | 92,100    | 2-Jan-1999  | E&Y     | 1,853  | 267       | 435   | 15820 - Manuf. of rusks and<br>biscuits; Manuf. of preserved<br>pastry goods and cakes                |         | P Bassett, London               |
| TOTAL E&Y FTSE MID<br>250         | 10      | 10,156,610  | 15,003,690  | 1,041,733 |             |         | 4,230  | 6,380     |       |   |         |                                 |
| Morrison (WM)<br>Supermarkets plc | Mid 250 | 2,034,240   | 2,533,781   | 170,121   | 31-Jan-1999 | KPMG    | 90     | 115       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco                  | А       | AJ Morton, Leeds                |
| Signet Group plc                  | Mid 250 | 875,760     | 991,205     | 102,295   | 30-Jan-1999 | KPMG    | 416    | 566       | 526   | predominating<br>52489 - Other retail sale in<br>specialised stores not elsewhere<br>classified       |         | S Nevin, London                 |
| Unigate plc                       | Mid 250 | 638,380     | 2,309,400   | 125,200   | 31-Mar-1999 | KPMG    | 500    | 300       | 435   | N/A   | A; F    | DP Clifford, London             |
| TOTAL KPMG FTSE<br>MID 250        | 3       | 3,548,380   | 5,834,386   | 397,616   |             |         | 1,006  | 981       |       |   |         |                                 |

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| Arcadia Group plc                       | Mid 250  | 293,260     | 2,086,600   | 172,400   | 29-Aug-1998 | PwC     | 400    | 1,800           | 528   | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing   |         | G Kilbey, London<br>(Director) |
| Debenhams plc                           | Mid 250  | 838,710     | 1,378,800   | 145,000   | 28-Aug-1999 | PwC     | 200    | 100             | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   |         |                                |
| Gallaher Group plc                      | Mid 250  | 2,517,170   | 4,255,000   | 390,000   | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 400    | 600             | 490   | 16000 - Manuf. of tobacco<br>products   |         | AG Steet, London               |
| Matalan plc                             | Mid 250  | 1,199,030   | 278,200     | 23,800    | 2-Jan-1999  | PwC     | 100    | 100             | 528   | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing   |         | A Lucas, London                |
| New Look Group plc                      | Mid 250  | 323,000     | 366,900     | 44,300    | 27-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 100    | 400             | 528   | 63120 - Storage and warehousing   |         |                                |
| PizzaExpress plc                        | Mid 250  | 537,670     | 126,600     | 29,100    | 30-Jun-1999 | PwC     | 100    | N/A             | 560   | 55301 - Licensed restaurants  |         | HGD Green, London              |
| Selfridges plc                          | Mid 250  | 403,990     | 307,400     | 16,600    | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 100    | 27              | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   |         | G Kilbey, London<br>(Director) |
| Tate & Lyle plc                         | Mid 250  | 1,998,840   | 4,117,300   | 202,800   | 26-Sep-1998 | PwC     | 1,600  | 100             | 435   | 15830 - Manuf. of sugar   |         | S Nevin, London                |
| Wetherspoon (J D) plc                   | Mid 250  | 688,330     | 269,699     | 35,389    | 1-Aug-1999  | PwC     | 48     | 237             | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  |         | CM Hyman, London               |
| Williams plc                            | Mid 250  | 2,414,150   | 2,446,900   | 347,500   | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 1,400  | 6,600           | 588   | 28630 - Manuf. of locks and hinges  |         | AP Pearson,<br>Birmingham      |
| Wolverhampton & Dudley<br>Breweries plc | Mid 250  | 418,230     | 285,700     | 54,800    | 3-Oct-1998  | PwC     | 55.0   | 24.0            | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  |         | C                              |
| TOTAL PWC FTSE MID<br>250               | 11       | 11,632,380  | 15,919,099  | 1,461,689 |             |         | 4,503  | 9,988           |       |   |         |                                |
| Electronics Boutique plc                | Mid 250  | 326,180     | 159,426     | 14,019    | 31-Jan-1999 | BDO     | 67     | 26              | 526   | 52482 - Retail sale of<br>photographic, optical &<br>precision equipment, office<br>supplies & equipment<br>(including computers, etc.) |         | S Nevin, London                |
| Photo-ME International plc              | Mid 250  | 1,360,610   | 197,506     | (3,628)   | 30-Apr-1999 | Menzies | 248    | 40              | 546   | 74810 - Photographic activities   |         |                                |
| TOTAL NON-BIG FIVE<br>FTSE MID 250      | 2        | 1,686,790   | 356,932     | 10,391    |             |         | 315    | 66              |       |   |         |                                |
| Bulmer (H P) Holdings plc               | SmallCap | 244,470     | 314,996     | 28,281    | 30-Apr-1999 | AA      | 123    | 1,909           | 416   | 15941 - Manuf. of cider and perry   | Т       | M Wareing, London              |
| Fine Art Developments plc               | SmallCap | 105,680     | 215,146     | 21,457    | 31-Mar-1999 | AA      | 232    | 376             | 528   | 52610 - Retail sale via mail<br>order houses  |         |                                |
| Robert Wiseman Dairies<br>plc           | SmallCap | 147,230     | 257,168     | 19,754    | 3-Apr-1999  | AA      | 42     | 67              | 435   | N/A   |         |                                |
| TOTAL AA FTSE<br>SMALLCAP               | 3        | 497,380     | 787,310     | 69,492    |             |         | 397    | 2,352           |       |   |         |                                |

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| Allders plc                    | SmallCap | 116,540     | 520,095         | 17,026    | 30-Sep-1998 | D&T     | 142    | 5         | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-   | С       | P Baker, London          |
| Coats Viyella plc              | SmallCap | 348,290     | 2,082,900       | 88,500    | 31-Dec-1998 | D&T     | 2,000  | 2,200     | 349   | specialised stores<br>17160 - Manuf. of sewing<br>threads   | С       | CM Hyman, London         |
| Paterson Zochonis plc          | SmallCap | 75,780      | 357,297         | 10,756    | 31-May-1999 | D&T     | 334    | 66        | 477   | 24511 - Manuf. of soap and  |         |                          |
| Photobition Group plc          | SmallCap | 241,710     | 90,971          | 16,053    | 30-Jun-1999 | D&T     | 223    | 148       | 546   | detergents<br>22220 - Printing not elsewhere<br>classified  | Т       | GM Reid, London          |
| TOTAL D&T FTSE<br>SMALLCAP     | 4        | 782,320     | 3,051,263       | 132,335   |             |         | 2,699  | 2,419     |       |   |         |                          |
| Albert Fisher Group The<br>plc | SmallCap | 84,610      | 930,000         | 11,900    | 31-Aug-1999 | E&Y     | 600    | 1,200     | 435   | 15330 - Processing and<br>preserving of fruit and<br>vegetables not elsewhere<br>classified           |         | G Stevens,<br>Birmingham |
| Alldays plc                    | SmallCap | 29,490      | 697,658         | 16,535    | 2-Nov-1998  | E&Y     | 196    | 281       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco<br>predominating |         |                          |
| Baird (William) plc            | SmallCap | 81,480      | 530,515         | 26,545    | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 275    | 358       | 341   | 18221 - Manuf. of other men's<br>outerwear  |         |                          |
| Budgens plc                    | SmallCap | 105,540     | 411,229         | 15,840    | 2-May-1999  | E&Y     | 115    | 155       | 630   | 52110 - Retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores with food,<br>beverages or tobacco                  |         | DR Clifford, London      |
| City Centre Restaurants plc    | SmallCap | 152,530     | 185,866         | 6,994     | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 86     | 71        | 560   | predominating<br>55301 - Licensed restaurants   |         |                          |
| Dairy Crest Group plc          | SmallCap | 275,250     | 697,400         | 46,800    | 31-Mar-1999 | E&Y     | 200    | 200       | 435   | 15511 - Liquid milk and cream production  | C; F    | M Carey, Cardiff         |
| Finlay (James) plc             | SmallCap | 75,680      | 214,093         | 16,351    | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 111    | 65        | 435   | N/A   | Т       | D Adamson,<br>Glasgow    |
| Fuller Smith & Turner plc      | SmallCap | 85,420      | 127,835         | 15,150    | 27-Mar-1999 | E&Y     | 57     | 117       | 560   | 15960 - Manufacture of beer   |         | 2111-82                  |
| Glenmorangie plc               | SmallCap | 86,560      | 44,987          | 9,952     | 31-Mar-1999 | E&Y     | 54     | 37        | 416   | 15910 - Manuf. of distilled potable alcoholic beverages   |         |                          |
| Kleeneze plc                   | SmallCap | 150,260     | 145,740         | 9,561     | 30-Apr-1999 | E&Y     | 74     | 55        | 527   | 52610 - Retail sale via mail<br>order houses  | Т       | TM Shaw,<br>Birmingham   |
| Regent Inns plc                | SmallCap | 160,810     | 58,316          | 11,003    | 3-Jul-1999  | E&Y     | 78     | 79        | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  |         |                          |
| TOTAL E&Y FTSE<br>SMALLCAP     | 11       | 1,287,630   | 4,043,639       | 186,631   |             |         | 1,846  | 2,618     |       |   |         |                          |

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| Allied Textile Cos plc                       | SmallCap             | 81,640            | 206,600           | 11,800           | 30-Sep-1998                | KPMG    | 243       | 74        | 349        | 17110 - Preparation and<br>spinning of cotton-type fibres   | A; T; F               | AJ Morton, Leeds                      |
| Beattie (James) plc                          | SmallCap             | 66,300            | 104,575           | 9,012            | 31-Jan-1999                | KPMG    | 25        | 27        | 527        | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   | A; T; C; F            | R Samuda,<br>Birmingham               |
| Black (Peter) Holdings plc                   | SmallCap             | 212,180           | 135,997           | 16,593           | 31-Jan-1999                | KPMG    | 124       | 64        | 475        | 19300 - Manuf. of footwear  | A; T; F               | M Bousfield, Leeds                    |
| Booker plc                                   | SmallCap             | 323,690           | 6,149,100         | (58,300)         | 27-Mar-1999                | KPMG    | 700       | 1,800     | 435        | 51390 - Non-specialised<br>wholesale of food, beverages<br>and tobacco  | A; T; F               | S Nevin, London                       |
| Carpetright plc                              | SmallCap             | 366,500           | 277,722           | 23,152           | 1-May-1999                 | KPMG    | 51        | 27        | 528        | 52481 - Retail sale of floor coverings  | A; T; C; F            | S Masters, London                     |
| DFS Furniture Co plc                         | SmallCap             | 302,970           | 295,486           | 24,481           | 31-Jul-1999                | KPMG    | 50        | 68        | 526        | 52440 - Retail sale of furniture,<br>lighting equipment and<br>household articles not<br>elsewhere classified | A; T; F               | D Zissman,<br>Birmingham              |
| Geest plc                                    | SmallCap             | 330,830           | 522,100           | 28,100           | 2-Jan-1999                 | KPMG    | 100       | 100       | 435        | 51310 - Wholesale of fruit and vegetables   | С                     | NV Tamplin,<br>Nottingham             |
| Greggs plc                                   | SmallCap             | 239,370           | 291,420           | 20,215           | 2-Jan-1999                 | KPMG    | 86        | 34        | 630        | 15810 - Manuf. of bread;<br>Manuf. of fresh pastry goods<br>and cakes   | A; T; C               | R Bottomley,<br>Newcastle             |
| Harvey Nichols Group plc                     | SmallCap             | 113,020           | 130,659           | 13,720           | 3-Apr-1999                 | KPMG    | 65        | 83        | 527        | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   | A; T; C               | A Comber, London                      |
| Harveys Furnishing plc                       | SmallCap             | 95,460            | 266,088           | 11,425           | 24-Apr-1999                | KPMG    | 65        | 4         | 526        | N/A   |                       |                                       |
| Headlam Group plc                            | SmallCap             | 301,860           | 327,593           | 25,152           | 31-Dec-1998                | KPMG    | 248       | 130       | 519        | 51479 - Wholesale of other<br>household goods not elsewhere<br>classified                                     | A; T; F               | J Guy, Milton<br>Keynes               |
| McBride plc                                  | SmallCap             | 144,720           | 496,800           | 22,800           | 30-Jun-1999                | KPMG    | 300       | 300       | 475        | 24511 - Manuf. of soap and detergents   | A; T; C; F            | AJ Barber, London                     |
| MFI Furniture Group plc                      | SmallCap             | 254,320           | 810,400           | (16,200)         | 24-Apr-1999                | KPMG    | 300       | 1,400     | 526        | 52440 - Retail sale of furniture,<br>lighting equipment and<br>household articles not<br>elsewhere classified | A; T; C; F            | CD Wright, London                     |
| Moss Bros Group plc                          | SmallCap             | 99,890            | 153,742           | 15,388           | 30-Jan-1999                | KPMG    | 55        | 90        | 526        | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing   | A; T; C; F            | A Kingsley, London                    |
| Dasis Stores plc                             | SmallCap             | 104,130           | 111,800           | 11,700           | 30-Jan-1999                | KPMG    | 39        | 27        | 528        | 18222 - Manuf. of other<br>women's outerwear  | A; C; F               | N Austin, London                      |
| Relyon Group plc<br>Silentnight Holdings plc | SmallCap<br>SmallCap | 55,840<br>113,390 | 77,601<br>236,074 | 10,046<br>16,629 | 31-Dec-1998<br>30-Jan-1999 |         | 53<br>201 | 91<br>44  | 342<br>342 | 36150 - Manuf. of mattresses<br>36150 - Manuf. of mattresses  | A; T; F<br>A; T; C; F | I Robinson, Bristol<br>T Booth, Leeds |
| TOTAL KPMG FTSE<br>SMALLCAP                  | 17                   | 3,206,110         | 10,593,757        | 185,713          |                            |         | 2,705     | 4,363     |            |   |                       |                                       |

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| Alexon Group plc               | SmallCap | 96,480      | 144,773     | 15,057    | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 56     | 8         | 528   | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing   |         | SR Charles, London |
| Brown & Jackson plc            | SmallCap | 361,920     | 339,304     | 26,246    | 26-Jun-1999 | PwC     | 161    | 242       | 524   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   |         | SR Charles, London |
| Chapelthorpe plc               | SmallCap | 71,490      | 139,548     | 10,975    | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 148    | 1,090     | 349   | 24700 - Manuf. of man-made<br>fibres  |         |                    |
| Clinton Cards plc              | SmallCap | 166,520     | 208,460     | 15,575    | 31-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 65     | 29        | 528   | 52489 - Other retail sale in<br>specialised stores not elsewhere<br>classified                                |         |                    |
| Courtaulds Textiles plc        | SmallCap | 114,140     | 893,000     | 29,100    | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 500    | 500       | 349   | 18232 - Manuf. of women's underwear   | A; T; F | H Lafebre, London  |
| Courts plc                     | SmallCap | 234,230     | 550,190     | 49,890    | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 398    | 189       | 526   | 52440 - Retail sale of furniture,<br>lighting equipment and<br>household articles not<br>elsewhere classified |         |                    |
| Devro plc                      | SmallCap | 161,300     | 263,870     | 38,207    | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 293    | 412       | 435   | 15112 - Animal by-product processing  |         |                    |
| Dewhirst Group plc             | SmallCap | 96,690      | 380,154     | 23,766    | 15-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 110    | 66        | 341   | 18222 - Manuf. of other<br>women's outerwear  | Т       | C Adams, Leeds     |
| Hazlewood Foods plc            | SmallCap | 235,170     | 788,900     | 27,400    | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 500    | 200       | 435   | 15139 - Other meat and poultry meat processing  |         |                    |
| House of Fraser plc            | SmallCap | 165,640     | 797,700     | 36,100    | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 200    | N/A       | 527   | 52120 - Other retail sale in non-<br>specialised stores   | Т       | AK Jones, London   |
| Linton Park plc                | SmallCap | 59,220      | 196,785     | 20,362    | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 351    | 199       | 435   | 51511 - Wholesale of petroleum<br>and petroleum products  |         |                    |
| Mansfield Brewery plc          | SmallCap | 242,000     | 175,890     | 25,182    | 27-Mar-1999 | PwC     | 43     | 86        | 560   | 55402 - Public houses and bars  |         |                    |
| Matthews (Bernard) plc         | SmallCap | 145,490     | 340,751     | 20,119    | 3-Jan-1999  | PwC     | 126    | 84        | 435   | 15120 - Production and<br>preserving of poultry meat  |         |                    |
| Menzies (John) plc             | SmallCap | 219,630     | 1,279,300   | 9,900     | 1-May-1999  | PwC     | 300    | 400       | 519   | N/A   |         | SR Charles, London |
| Monsoon plc                    | SmallCap | 110,200     | 132,030     | 19,946    | 29-May-1999 | PwC     | 38     | 22        | 526   | N/A   |         |                    |
| Perkins Foods plc              | SmallCap | 134,980     | 388,100     | 21,900    | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 200    | 400       | 435   | 15139 - Other meat and poultry meat processing  |         | T Awty, London     |
| PIC International Group<br>plc | SmallCap | 109,930     | 3,260,300   | 46,400    | 30-Jun-1998 | PwC     | 800    | 4,900     | 435   | 74140 - Business and<br>management consultancy<br>activities  | T; C    | M Stevens, London  |
| T & S Stores plc               | SmallCap | 274,800     | 648,400     | 28,762    | 2-Jan-1999  | PwC     | 146    | 89        | 630   | 52240 - Retail sale of bread,<br>cakes, flour confectionery and<br>sugar confectionery                        |         |                    |

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| Company Name                        | FTSE     | Market Cap       | Gross Ann'l | Ann'l Op.  | Annual              | Auditor | Audit  | Non-Audit | FTSEA      | Primary  | KPMG    | Lead Partner       |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------------|-------------|------------|---------------------|---------|--------|-----------|------------|--|---------|--------------------|
|                                     | Index    | (@ 9-11-99)      | Sales       | Income     | Fiscal              | Name    | Fees   | Fees      | Code       | SIC Code   | Service |                    |
|                                     |          | (£000)           | (£000)      | (£000)     | Year End            |         | (£000) | (£000)    |            |  |         |                    |
| Thorntons plc                       | SmallCap | 130,990          | 141,267     | 12,308     | 26-Jun-1999         | PwC     | 63     | 675       | 630        | 15841 - Manuf. of cocoa and                        |         |                    |
|                                     |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | chocolate confectionery                            |         |                    |
| Walker Greenbank plc                | SmallCap | 27,370           | 74,360      | 166        | 31-Jan-1999         | PwC     | 114    | 156       | 342        | 21240 - Manuf. of wallpaper                        |         |                    |
| Wickes plc                          | SmallCap | 233,310          | 538,603     | 22,404     | 31-Dec-1998         | PwC     | 240    | 268       | 526        | 52460 - Retail sale of hardware,                   |         |                    |
|                                     |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | paints and glass                                   |         |                    |
| TOTAL PWC FTSE<br>SMALLCAP          | 21       | 3,391,500        | 11,681,685  | 499,765    |                     |         | 4,852  | 10,015    |            |  |         |                    |
| Ashley (Laura) Holdings             | SmallCap | 104,440          | 288,300     | (16,600)   | 30-Jan-1999         | BDO     | 600    | 100       | 528        | 52440 - Retail sale of furniture,                  |         | MS Morrow, Londo   |
| plc                                 |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | lighting equipment and                             |         |                    |
|                                     |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | household articles not                             |         |                    |
|                                     | a 110    | <b>T</b> ( ) ( ) |             | 2 000      | <b>AF 1 1 0 0 0</b> |         | 10     |           |            | elsewhere classified                               |         |                    |
| Belgo Group plc                     | SmallCap | 76,600           | 27,090      | 3,998      | 27-Jun-1999         |         | 49     | 15        | 560        | 55301 - Licensed restaurants                       |         |                    |
| Blacks Leisure Group plc            | SmallCap | 95,710           | 146,681     | 14,523     | 28-Feb-1999         | BDO     | 109    | 55        | 526        | 52420 - Retail sale of clothing                    | 1.0     | A Plavsic, London  |
| Body Shop International             | SmallCap | 244,500          | 303,700     | 20,100     | 27-Feb-1999         | BDO     | 300    | 600       | 528        | 24520 - Manuf. of perfumes and toilet preparations | A; C    | A Lucas, London    |
| The plc<br>Old English Inns plc     | SmallCap | 70,880           | 63,252      | 11,370     | 4-Apr-1999          | BDO     | 37     | 83        | 560        | 55402 - Public houses and bars                     |         |                    |
| Wyevale Garden Centres              | SmallCap | 183,240          | 75,492      | 10,642     | 31-Dec-1998         | BDO     | 42     | 83<br>4   | 500<br>526 | 52489 - Other retail sale in                       |         |                    |
| plc                                 | SmanCap  | 185,240          | 75,492      | 10,042     | 31-Dec-1998         | BDO     | 42     | 4         | 520        | specialised stores not elsewhere                   |         |                    |
| pie                                 |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | classified   |         |                    |
| Luminar plc                         | SmallCap | 254,620          | 50,962      | 9,097      | 28-Feb-1999         | GT      | 34     | 10        | 560        | 55402 - Public houses and bars                     |         |                    |
| Nichols (J N) (Vimto) plc           | SmallCap | 57,330           | 72,966      | 9,203      | 31-Dec-1998         | GT      | 42     | 17        | 418        | 15980 - Production of mineral                      |         |                    |
|                                     | 1        |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | waters and soft drinks                             |         |                    |
| Save Group plc                      | SmallCap | 29,840           | 422,841     | 9,630      | 24-Dec-1998         | GT      | 62     | 24        | 528        | 50500 - Retail sale of                             |         |                    |
|                                     | -        |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | automotive fuel                                    |         |                    |
| Yates Bros Wine Lodges plc          | SmallCap | 222,410          | 120,281     | 16,717     | 28-Mar-1999         | GT      | 40     | 6         | 560        | 55402 - Public houses and bars                     |         |                    |
| Sfi Group plc                       | SmallCap | 165,960          | 41,008      | 8,259      | 31-May-1999         | HCW     | 31     | 28        | 560        | 55402 - Public houses and bars                     |         |                    |
| Barr (A G) plc                      | SmallCap | 83,220           | 106,892     | 12,303     | 30-Jan-1999         | HLBK    | 81     | 18        | 418        | 15980 - Production of mineral                      |         |                    |
|                                     |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | waters and soft drinks                             |         |                    |
| Acatos & Hutcheson plc              | SmallCap | 40,310           | 289,413     | (6,223)    | 28-Mar-1999         | PKF     | 100    | 53        | 435        | 15420 - Manuf. of refined oils                     |         | E Williams, London |
|                                     |          |                  |             |            |                     |         |        |           |            | and fats   |         |                    |
| TOTAL NON-BIG FIVE<br>FTSE SMALLCAP | 13       | 1,629,060        | 2,008,878   | 103,019    |                     |         | 1,527  | 1,013     |            |  |         |                    |
| OVERALL TOTAL                       | 121      | 176,781,980      | 235,354,055 | 18,947,391 |                     |         | 60,187 | 113,143   |            |  |         |                    |

Source: FTSE AllShare Nov '99, OneSource, DataStream and FT Discovery as at Nov '99, IHQ - Top 1000 Companies List, Company Websites, KPMG Client Database

#### Auditor Key:

BDO = BDO Stoy Hayward; GT = Grant Thornton; HCW = Horwath Clark Whitehill; HLBK = HLB Kidsons; PKF = Pannell Kerr Forster

# 4 Analysis of the FTSE Mid 250 and the FTSE SmallCap

# 4.1 FTSE Mid 250

Of the 'mid 250' companies listed on the FTSE All Share, 32 are Consumer Markets companies. Of these, the top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Gallaher Group, Williams, Next, Enterprise Inns, and Safeway, account for:

- 36.5% of the total market capitalisation for the 'mid 250'
- 31.2% of the gross annual sales
- 20.8% of the audit fees
- 41.1% of the non-audit fees

The top 20 companies in the mid 250 range, the above five plus Morrison (Wm.) Supermarkets, Tate & Lyle, Photo-ME International, Coca-Cola Beverages, Matalan, Smith (WH) Group, United Biscuits, Signet Group, Debenhams, Greenalls Group, Wetherspoon, Unigate, JJB Sports, Northern Foods, and Somerfield, account for:

- 85.1% of the total market capitalisation
- 82.8% of the gross annual sales
- 86.1% of the audit fees
- 81.9% of the non-audit fees

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 4th, auditing:

- None of the top five companies
- 3 of the following 15 companies: Morrison (Wm.) Supermarkets, Signet Group, and Unigate

|              | FTS               | E Mid | 250 Consumer               | Marke | ets Compan     | ies - A | udit Marke       | t Share | <u>)</u>             |       |
|--------------|-------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|----------------|---------|------------------|---------|----------------------|-------|
| Auditor      | No. of<br>clients | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 £m | %     | Turnover<br>£m | %       | Audit fees<br>£m | %       | Non-audit<br>fees £m | %     |
| PwC          | 11                | 34.4  | 11,632.4                   | 36.4  | 15,919.1       | 32.0    | 4.50             | 40.0    | 9.99                 | 53.5  |
| E&Y          | 10                | 31.3  | 10,156.6                   | 31.8  | 15,003.7       | 30.1    | 4.23             | 37.6    | 6.38                 | 34.2  |
| AA           | 4                 | 12.5  | 3,562.7                    | 11.2  | 9,540.1        | 19.2    | 0.61             | 5.4     | 0.95                 | 5.1   |
| KPMG         | 3                 | 9.4   | 3,548.4                    | 11.1  | 5,834.4        | 11.7    | 1.01             | 8.9     | 0.98                 | 5.3   |
| Non-Big Five | 2                 | 6.3   | 1,686.8                    | 5.3   | 356.9          | 0.7     | 0.32             | 2.8     | 0.07                 | 0.4   |
| D&T          | 2                 | 6.3   | 1,346.2                    | 4.2   | 3,146.9        | 6.3     | 0.60             | 5.3     | 0.30                 | 1.6   |
| Total        | 32                | 100.0 | 31,933.0                   | 100.0 | 49,801.1       | 100.0   | 11.26            | 100.0   | 18.66                | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: Non-audit fees include only those fees awarded to the auditors

PwC is not only in first place with 34.4% of the FTSE 'mid 250' Consumer Markets companies, but it also has 53.5% of the non-audit fees paid by those companies to their auditors. KPMG on the other hand has got a share of non-audit fees only just over half that of its already small share of clients. Similarly, both AA's and D&T's share of non-audit fees is substantially lower than their share of clients (AA's share of audit fees is also very poor). This would imply that PwC is doing a far better job of cross-selling other services than KPMG, AA and D&T are doing. The non-Big Five's share of non-audit fees is also very low - only 0.4% - compared to their share of clients, as is their share of turnover - only 0.7%.

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# 4.2 FTSE SmallCap

Of the 432 'SmallCap' companies listed on the FTSE All Share, 69 are Consumer Markets companies. Of these, the top five companies (in terms of market capitalisation as at 9/11/99), Carpetright, Brown & Jackson, Coats Viyella, Geest, and Booker, account for:

- 16.0% of the total market capitalisation for the 'SmallCap'
- 29.1% of the gross annual sales
- 21.5% of the audit fees
- 19.2% of the non-audit fees

The top 20 companies in the 'SmallCap' range, the above five plus DFS Furniture, Headlam Group, Dairy Crest Group, T&S Stores, Luminar, MFI Furniture Group, Body Shop International, Bulmer (HP) Holdings, Mansfield Brewery, Photobition Group, Greggs, Hazlewood Foods, Courts, Wickes, and Yates Bros. Wine Lodges, account for:

- 51.3% of the total market capitalisation
- 47.8% of the gross annual sales
- 42.4% of the audit fees
- 42.6% of the non-audit fees

In terms of audit market share KPMG ranks 2nd, auditing:

- 3 of the top five companies: Carpetright, Geest, and Booker
- 4 of the following 15 companies: DFS Furniture, Headlam Group, MFI Furniture Group, and Greggs

|              | FTSI              | E Small | Cap Consumer               | · Mark | ets Compa      | nies - A | udit Mark        | et Shar | ·e                   |       |
|--------------|-------------------|---------|----------------------------|--------|----------------|----------|------------------|---------|----------------------|-------|
| Auditor      | No. of<br>clients | %       | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 £m | %      | Turnover<br>£m | %        | Audit fees<br>£m | %       | Non-audit<br>fees £m | %     |
| PwC          | 21                | 30.4    | 3,391.5                    | 31.4   | 11,681.7       | 36.3     | 4.85             | 34.6    | 10.02                | 34.6  |
| KPMG         | 17                | 24.6    | 3,206.1                    | 29.7   | 10,593.8       | 32.9     | 2.71             | 19.3    | 4.36                 | 19.3  |
| Non-Big Five | 13                | 18.8    | 1,629.1                    | 15.1   | 2,008.9        | 6.2      | 1.53             | 10.9    | 1.01                 | 10.9  |
| E&Y          | 11                | 15.9    | 1,287.6                    | 11.9   | 4,043.6        | 12.6     | 1.85             | 13.2    | 2.62                 | 13.2  |
| D&T          | 4                 | 5.8     | 782.3                      | 7.2    | 3,051.3        | 9.5      | 2.70             | 19.2    | 2.42                 | 19.2  |
| AA           | 3                 | 4.3     | 497.4                      | 4.6    | 787.3          | 2.4      | 0.40             | 2.8     | 2.35                 | 2.8   |
| Total        | 69                | 100.0   | 10,794.0                   | 100.0  | 32,166.5       | 100.0    | 14.03            | 100.0   | 22.78                | 100.0 |

Overall, audit market shares are:

Note: Non-audit fees include only those fees awarded to the auditors

It is interesting to note here that KPMG has achieved only a 19.3% share of audit and non-audit fees with a 24.6% share of clients, while on the other hand, D&T has managed to capture an almost identical share of audit and non-audit fees with a meagre 5.8% share of clients. The remaining Big Five seem to have their share of market capitalisation, turnover, and audit and non-audit fees fairly in line with their share of clients. Although in third place, the non-Big Five have a very poor share of turnover, one third the size of their share of clients, and only a slightly better share of audit and non-audit fees.

# 5 FT Europe 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor

| Company Name  | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor             | FTSE | A Primary  | KPMG    | Lead Partner              |
|---|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------|------|--|---------|---------------------------|
|   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name                | Code | SIC Code   | Service |                           |
|   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |                     |      |  |         |                           |
| Cadbury Schweppes PLC                                   | UK      | 99     | 12,306.2                | 6,747.9                 | 1,055.1        | 31-Jan-1999 | AA                  | 435  | 2064 - Candy and other<br>confectionery products | С       | ROD Paterson,<br>London   |
| Carrefour SA (merged with Promodes SA)                  | Fra     | 53     | 61,893.2                | 30,537.6                | 842.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA/<br>KPMG         | 630  | 5411 - Grocery stores                            | A; C    | J-M Pinel, Paris          |
| Centros Comerciales Pryca SA<br>(owned by Carrefour SA) | Spa     | 297    | 3,542.0                 | 3,518.1                 | 128.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA                  | 630  | 5400 - Food stores                               |         |                           |
| Christian Dior SA                                       | Fra     | 317    | 8,188.0                 | 7,944.7                 | 1,217.8        | 31-Dec-1998 |                     | 349  | 3161 - Luggage                                   |         |                           |
| Orkla AsA   | Nor     | 396    | 2,516.1                 | 4,081.3                 | 282.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA                  | 435  | 2038 - Frozen specialties,<br>nec                |         |                           |
| SafeWay PLC   | UK      | 232    | 3,319.6                 | 12,370.6                | 694.7          | 30-Apr-1999 | AA                  | 630  | 5411 - Grocery stores                            |         | M Stock, London           |
| Seita-Societe Nationale Des<br>Tabacs SA                | Fra     | 360    | 2,888.8                 | 3,286.0                 | 216.9          | 31-Dec-1998 |                     | 490  | 5194 - Tobacco products wholesale                | Т       |                           |
| Tabacalera SA   | Spa     | 293    | 3,036.0                 | 3,458.7                 | 157.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA                  | 490  | 132 - Tobacco                                    |         |                           |
| TOTAL ARTHUR<br>ANDERSEN                                | 6.5     |        | 61,204.8                | 51,060.8                | 3,456.5        |             |                     |      |  |         |                           |
| Ahold (Koninklijke) NV                                  | Net     | 75     | 20,184.9                | 29,539.9                | 1,134.6        | 31-Jan-1999 | DTT                 | 630  | 5411 - Grocery stores                            | T; C    | J Scheffers,<br>Amsterdam |
| Benckiser NV  | Net     | 480    | 3,115.5                 | 1,948.0                 | 220.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT                 | 475  | 2841 - Soap and other detergents                 |         |                           |
| Benetton SpA  | Ita     | 388    | 3,777.8                 | 2,210.3                 | 246.9          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT                 | 341  | 2330 - Womens' and misses' outerwear             |         | B Borgia, Verona          |
| Castorama DuBois<br>Investissements SCA <sup>3</sup>    | Fra     | 387    | 11,171.5                | 3,621.5                 | 220.8          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/<br>KPMG/<br>MG | 526  | 5251 - Hardware stores                           | A; T; C | J-M Pinel, Paris          |
| Compass Group   | UK      | 203    | 8,087.8                 | 7,003.8                 | 356.4          | 30-Sep-1998 | D&T                 | 560  | 5812 - Eating places                             | С       | MH Moine,<br>London/Paris |
| Danisco A/S   | Den     | 291    | 2,401.1                 | 2,892.6                 | 245.9          | 30-Apr-1999 | DTT/E&Y             | 435  | 2063 - Beet sugar                                |         |                           |
| Delhaize-LE Lion (Etablis<br>Freres & Cie)              | Bel     | 299    | 3,836.2                 | 14,367.8                | 382.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT                 | 630  | 5411 - Grocery stores                            |         |                           |
| Dixons Group PLC  | UK      | 272    | 8,029.0                 | 5,190.4                 | 343.7          | 31-May-1999 | D&T                 | 526  | 5734 - Computer and software stores              |         | A Aldridge, London        |

| Company Name                                       | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> N | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op. | Annual      | Auditor      | FTSEA | Primary  | KPMG    | Lead Partner                 |
|--|---------|--------|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------|--|---------|------------------------------|
|  |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)               | Sales                   | Income     | Fiscal      | Name         | Code  | SIC Code                                       | Service |                              |
|  |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )            | ( <b>\$</b> m)          | (\$m)      | Year End    |              |       |  |         |                              |
| Eridania Beghin-Say SA <sup>3</sup>                | Fra     | 253    | 2,739.8                   | 11,612.7                | 729.2      | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/<br>GNA  | 435   | 2046 - Wet corn milling                        |         |                              |
| Hermes International SCA                           | Fra     | 415    | 4,596.0                   | 855.0                   | 178.1      | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/GN       | 349   | 3170 - Handbags and personal leather goods     |         |                              |
| Kerry Group PLC                                    | Ire     | 483    | 2,094.2                   | 2,468.9                 | 181.4      | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT          | 435   | 2087 - Flavoring extracts<br>and syrups, nec   |         |                              |
| L'Oreal SA   | Fra     | 37     | 44,170.4                  | 12,810.5                | 1,652.0    | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/PwC      | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                     |         |                              |
| Pinault-Printemps Redoute SA                       | Fra     | 81     | 22,908.5                  | 18,400.0                | 741.7      | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/<br>KPMG | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-<br>order houses       | A; T; C | G Riviere, Paris             |
| Rexel SA   | Fra     | 286    | 3,854.5                   | 5,815.1                 | 317.1      | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/<br>KPMG | 514   | 5063 - Electrical apparatus and eqp, wholesale | A; T    | T Yaeda / K Nagata,<br>Tokyo |
| Smith (W H) Group PLC                              | UK      | 456    | 1,676.0                   | 3,895.4                 | 195.5      | 31-Aug-1999 | D&T          | 528   | 5942 - Book stores                             |         | G Reid, London               |
| TOTAL DELOITTE<br>TOUCHE TOHMATSU                  | 11.33   |        | 94,860.2                  | 94,024.6                | 5,067.1    |             |              |       |  |         |                              |
| Asda Group PLC (acquired by Wal-Mart) <sup>4</sup> | UK      | 154    | 10,953.1                  | 13,281.2                | 705.7      | 01-May-1999 | E&Y          | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                          |         | D Illingworth,<br>Manchester |
| wal-walt)  |         |        | 9,227.4                   |                         |            | 30-Sep-1998 | E&Y          | 560   | 2082 - Malt beverages                          |         | B Marchant.                  |
| Bass PLC   | UK      | 145    | 9,227.4                   | 7,032.4                 | 1,120.3    | 50 Bep 1990 | Lai          | 500   | 2002 Mait bevelages                            |         | Birmingham                   |
| Bic (Societe) SA                                   | Fra     | 354    | 2,473.7                   | 1,387.6                 | 224.8      | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y          | 345   | 3951 - Pens and<br>mechanical pencils          | С       | C                            |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon SA                       | Fra     | 184    | 9,048.1                   | 15,771.5                | 445.2      | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y/BR       | 630   | 5140 - Groceries and<br>related products       | Т       |                              |
| Christian Dior SA                                  | Fra     | 317    | 8,188.0                   | 7,944.7                 | 1,217.8    | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y/AA       | 349   | 3161 - Luggage                                 |         |                              |
| Coca-Cola Beverages PLC                            | UK      | 410    | 2,053.3                   | 1,999.9                 | 79.0       | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y          | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled and canned         |         |                              |
| Danisco A/S  | Den     | 291    | 2,401.1                   | 2,892.6                 | 245.9      | 30-Apr-1999 | E&Y/DTT      | 435   | 2063 - Beet sugar                              |         |                              |
| Hennes & Mauritz (H & M)<br>Ab                     | Swe     | 98     | 20,651.3                  | 2,834.4                 | 433.4      | 30-Nov-1998 | E&Y          | 528   | 5651 - Family clothing stores                  | С       |                              |
| LVMH Moet-Hennessy Louis<br>Vuitton SA             | Fra     | 107    | 32,074.4                  | 7,727.8                 | 1,211.2    | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y/CF       | 349   | 3161 - Luggage                                 | Т       |                              |
| Next PLC   | UK      | 393    | 3,839.6                   | 2,057.7                 | 252.8      | 31-Jan-1999 | E&Y          | 528   | 5311 - Department stores                       |         | B Marchant,<br>Birmingham    |

| Company Name   | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op. | Annual      | Auditor          | FTSEA | Primary                                      | KPMG          | Lead Partner  |
|--|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------|------------------|-------|--|---------------|---|
|  |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income     | Fiscal      | Name             | Code  | SIC Code                                     | Service       |   |
|  |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | (\$m)                   | (\$m)      | Year End    |                  |       |  |               |   |
| Northern Foods PLC                                   | UK      | 496    | 950.5                   | 2,124.6                 | 178.8      | 31-Mar-1999 | E&Y              | 435   | 2090 - Misc. food and kindred products       |               | J Campbell, Leeds   |
| Scottish & Newcastle                                 | UK      | 176    | 5,340.4                 | 4,176.3                 | 748.6      | 31-May-1999 | E&Y              | 560   | 2082 - Malt beverages                        |               | I McLaren, Edinburgh  |
| Somerfield PLC                                       | UK      | 338    | 931.8                   | 9,714.3                 | 333.9      | 30-Apr-1999 | E&Y              | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                        |               | RM D'A Samuda,  |
| Whitbread  | UK      | 205    | 4,903.4                 | 4,915.8                 | 661.0      | 28-Feb-1999 | E&Y              | 560   | 2082 - Malt beverages                        | С             | Birmingham<br>OR Tant, London                                 |
| TOTAL ERNST & YOUNG                                  | 12      | 203    | 87,180.2                | 66,692.5                | 6,298.4    | 20-100-1999 | Lat              | 500   | 2002 - Mait beverages                        | e             | OK Tant, London   |
|  |         |        | ,                       | ,                       | 0,290.4    |             |                  |       |  |               |   |
| Adidas-Salomon AG                                    | Ger     | 235    | 3,727.3                 | 5,641.7                 | 439.9      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG             | 341   | 3021 - Rubber and plastics footwear          | A; T; C       | D Kuhn, Frankfurt   |
| Allied Domecq PLC                                    | UK      | 178    | 5,467.5                 | 5,202.4                 | 1,135.5    | 31-Aug-1998 | KPMG             | 416   | 2084 - Wines, brandy, and brandy spirits     | A; T; C; O    | AJ Barber, London   |
| Associated British Foods PLC                         | UK      | 150    | 4,739.8                 | 6,972.5                 | 526.9      | 30-Sep-1998 | KPMG             | 435   | 2051 - Bread, cake, and<br>related products  | A; T; C; O    | AJ Barber, London   |
| Boots Co (The) PLC                                   | UK      | 83     | 8,900.8                 | 8,116.3                 | 927.6      | 31-Mar-1999 | KPMG             | 527   | 5912 - Drug stores and<br>proprietary stores | A; T; C; F; C | MP Wareing,<br>Birmingham                                     |
| Carlsberg A/S  | Den     | 306    | 1,283.4                 | 3,255.7                 | 206.4      | 30-Sep-1998 | KPMG/<br>PwC     | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                        | A; T; C       | AR Johansen,<br>Copenhagen                                    |
| Carrefour SA (merged with Promodes SA)               | Fra     | 53     | 61,893.2                | 30,537.6                | 842.0      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                        | A; C          | J-M Pinel, Paris  |
| Castorama DuBois<br>Investissements SCA <sup>3</sup> | Fra     | 387    | 11,171.5                | 3,621.5                 | 220.8      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>DTT/MG  | 526   | 5251 - Hardware stores                       | A; T; C       | J-M Pinel, Paris  |
| Colruyt Etn FR NV                                    | Bel     | 351    | 2,216.9                 | 2,077.2                 | 37.1       | 31-Mar-1998 | KPMG             | 475   | 5411 - Grocery stores                        | A; T          | K Van Oostveldt,<br>Antwerp                                   |
| Comptoirs Modernes SA<br>(acquired by Carrefour SA)  | Fra     | 323    | N/A                     | N/A                     | N/A        | N/A         | KPMG/<br>Fidulor | 630   | 5412 - Grocery stores                        | A; T; C       | J-M Pinel, Paris  |
| Continente SA (owned by<br>Promodes SA)              | Spa     | 412    | 2,287.1                 | 3,822.6                 | (123.8)    | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG             | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                     | А             | V Pérez, Madrid/H<br>Albarracín, Madrid/A<br>Rosés, Barcelona |
| Diageo PLC   | UK      | 29     | 30,728.4                | 19,323.7                | 3,007.9    | 30-Jun-1999 | KPMG             | 416   | 2085 - Distilled and blended liquors         | A; T; C; F    | MJH Hughes, London  |
| Electrolux Ab  | Swe     | 251    | 6,855.9                 | 14,752.4                | 752.8      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG             | 345   | 3630 - Household<br>appliances               | A; T; C; F; C | T Jansson, Stockholm  |
| Heineken NV  | Net     | 86     | 16,377.4                | 6,068.5                 | 770.2      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG             | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                        | A; T; C       | W van Hulsenbeek,<br>Amsterdam                                |

| Company Name  | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> I | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor      | FTSEA | A Primary   | KPMG    | Lead Partner                 |
|---|---------|--------|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|-------|---|---------|------------------------------|
|   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)               | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name         | Code  | SIC Code  | Service |                              |
|   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )            | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |              |       |   |         |                              |
| Metro AG  | Ger     | 72     | 17,003.4                  | 52,221.5                | (1,215.6)      | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>PwC | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                            | A; T; C | J Siemes, Duesseldorf        |
| Morrison (WM) Supermarkets<br>PLC                   | UK      | 341    | 3,303.4                   | 4,207.8                 | 242.9          | 31-Jan-1999 | KPMG         | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                               | А       | AJ Morton, Leeds             |
| Nestle SA   | Swi     | 8      | 73,215.2                  | 49,449.6                | 5,105.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG         | 435   | 2023 - Dry, condensed,<br>evaporated dairy prods    | A; T; C | S Cormack, London            |
| Pinault-Printemps Redoute SA                        | Fra     | 81     | 22,908.5                  | 18,400.0                | 741.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>DTT | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-<br>order houses            | A; T; C | G Riviere, Paris             |
| Promodes SA (merged with Carrefour SA) <sup>3</sup> | Fra     | 118    | 19,654.5                  | 23,038.6                | 583.6          | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>BLB | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                               | A; T    | Y Gouhir, Caen               |
| Raisio Yhtyma Oyj                                   | Fin     | 421    | 870.2                     | 926.9                   | 53.0           | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG         | 435   | 2041 - Flour and other grain mill products          | A; T; C | T Nyroos, Turku              |
| Rexel SA  | Fra     | 286    | 3,854.5                   | 5,815.1                 | 317.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/<br>KPMG | 514   | 5063 - Electrical apparatus and eqp, wholesale      | A; T    | T Yaeda / K Nagata,<br>Tokyo |
| Suedzucker AG                                       | Ger     | 447    | 1,574.1                   | 5,050.7                 | 90.7           | 28-Feb-1999 | KPMG         | 435   | 2062 - Cane sugar refining                          | А       |                              |
| Unigate PLC   | UK      | 493    | 1,036.7                   | 3,815.6                 | 195.1          | 31-Mar-1999 | KPMG         | 435   | 2010 - Meat products                                | A; F    | DP Clifford, London          |
| Vendex KBB NV                                       | Net     | 372    | 2,698.5                   | 2,696.7                 | 141.1          | 31-Jan-1999 | KPMG         | 527   | 5411 - Grocery stores                               | A; T; C | T Oudejans,<br>Amsterdam     |
| TOTAL KPMG  | 18.33   |        | 231,021.7                 | 205,966.0               | 14,113.2       |             |              |       |   |         |                              |
| Assa Abloy Ab                                       | Swe     | 413    | 3,560.7                   | 1,077.2                 | 110.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC          | 588   | 3429 - Hardware, nec                                |         |                              |
| British American Tobacco PLC                        | UK      | 114    | 14,522.9                  | 11,817.6                | 1,731.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC          | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes                                   | F       | GK Sutton, London            |
| Carlsberg A/S                                       | Den     | 306    | 1,283.4                   | 3,255.7                 | 206.4          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC/<br>KPMG | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                               | A; T; C | AR Johansen,<br>Copenhagen   |
| CSM NV  | Net     | 457    | 1,871.6                   | 2,143.5                 | 184.8          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC          | 435   | 2030 - Canned &<br>preserved fruits &<br>vegetables |         | J ten Wolde,<br>Amsterdam    |
| Danone (Groupe) SA                                  | Fra     | 69     | 17,900.8                  | 14,411.7                | 1,440.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/MG       | 435   | 2020 - Dairy products                               |         |                              |
| Debenhams PLC                                       | UK      | 448    | 1,362.0                   | 2,260.7                 | 244.3          | 31-Aug-1998 | PwC          | 527   | 5136 - Men's clothing wholesale                     | Т       | G Kilbey, London             |
| Gallaher Group PLC                                  | UK      | 242    | 4,087.6                   | 1,557.0                 | 643.5          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC          | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes                                   |         | AG Steet, London             |
| Gehe AG   | Ger     | 273    | 2,404.2                   | 14,441.7                | 276.8          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC          | 519   | 5122 - Drugs & toiletries wholesale                 |         |                              |

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|----------------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------|-------|---|---------|---|
|                                  |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)               | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name             | Code  | SIC Code  | Service |   |
|                                  |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )            | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |                  |       |   |         |   |
| Great Universal Stores PLC       | UK      | 120    | 7,366.1                   | 9,032.0                 | 714.9          | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC              | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-                                    |         |   |
| (The)                            |         |        |                           |                         |                |             |                  |       | order houses  |         |   |
| Gucci Groep NV                   | Net     | 458    | 7,750.2                   | 1,042.5                 | 240.1          | 31-Jan-1999 | PwC              | 349   | 3172 - Personal leather goods, nec                          | С       | JJL Lourens, Utrecht                            |
| Hagemeyer NV                     | Net     | 382    | 2,398.4                   | 7,241.6                 | 369.5          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 519   | 5064 - Appliances wholesale                                 | Т       | MA Lewis,<br>Amsterdam                          |
| Imperial Tobacco Group PLC       | UK      | 223    | 5,819.3                   | 1,575.7                 | 724.7          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC              | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes   |         | T Davies, Bristol                               |
| Jeronimo Martins SGPS SA         | Por     | 425    | 1,937.2                   | 3,331.4                 | (153.7)        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       |         |   |
| Kingfisher PLC                   | UK      | 104    | 14,263.4                  | 12,385.0                | 846.1          | 31-Jan-1999 | PwC              | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                                    | С       | S Nevin, London                                 |
| L'Oreal SA                       | Fra     | 37     | 44,170.4                  | 12,810.5                | 1,652.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/DTT          | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                                  |         |   |
| Marks & Spencer PLC              | UK      | 60     | 12,917.6                  | 13,587.8                | ,              | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC              | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                                    | T; C    | IJ Anderson, London                             |
| Metro AG                         | Ger     | 72     | 17,003.4                  | 52,221.5                | (1,215.6)      | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/<br>KPMG     | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                                    | A; T; C | J Siemes, Duesseldorf                           |
| Numico (Koninklijke) NV          | Net     | 278    | 5,684.7                   | 1,755.2                 | 218.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 435   | 2023 - Dry, condensed,<br>evaporated dairy prods            |         | GC Molenkamp, The<br>Hague                      |
| Reckitt & Colman PLC             | UK      | 209    | 4,873.1                   | 3,619.5                 | 499.9          | 31-Jan-1999 | PwC              | 475   | 2840 - Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods                     | Т       | CM Hyman, London                                |
| Richemont (Cie Financiere)<br>AG | Swi     | 197    | 10,450.8                  | 7,612.7                 | 1,476.9        | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC              | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes   |         |   |
| Rinascente LA SpA                | Ita     | 479    | 1,569.7                   | 4,431.2                 | (335.2)        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 527   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       |         | LR Guerini, Milan                               |
| Sainsbury (J) PLC                | UK      | 74     | 11,224.4                  | 27,066.3                | 1,461.0        | 30-Apr-1999 | PwC              | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       | С       | RH Reid, London                                 |
| Securitas Ab                     | Swe     | 322    | 5,815.6                   | 1,721.0                 | 104.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 581   | 7381 - Detective, guard, & armored car svcs                 |         |   |
| Sodexho Alliance SA              | Fra     | 218    | 5,622.9                   | 6,853.4                 | 248.7          | 31-Aug-1998 | PwC/ O<br>Belnet | 581   | 5812 - Eating places  |         |   |
| Swatch Group AG (The)            | Swi     | 276    | 2,547.3                   | 2,195.2                 | 298.4          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 345   | 3873 - Watches, clocks, and watchcases                      |         |   |
| Tate & Lyle PLC                  | UK      | 402    | 3,245.9                   | 6,843.4                 | 324.4          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC              | 435   | 2061 - Raw cane sugar                                       |         | S Nevin, London                                 |
| Tesco PLC                        | UK      | 71     | 19,690.6                  | 28,433.5                | 1,590.9        | 28-Feb-1999 | PwC              | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       |         | GM Reid, London                                 |
| Unilever Plc/NV <sup>5</sup>     | Nuk     | 10     | 57,254.7                  | 89,972.6                | 9,533.5        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 435   | 2099 - Food preparations,<br>nec & 2020 - Dairy<br>products | С       | H Veenman,<br>Amsterdam / E<br>Williams, London |
| Williams PLC                     | UK      | 280    | 3,920.3                   | 3,850.2                 | 519.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC              | 588   | 7382 - Security systems<br>services                         |         | AP Pearson,<br>Birmingham                       |
| TOTAL PRICEWCOOPERS              | 26.5    |        | 249,528.8                 | 303,770.9               | 23,908.8       |             |                  |       |   |         |   |

| Company Name   | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor          | FTSEA | Primary                                       | KPMG    | Lead Partner      |
|--|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------|-------|---|---------|-------------------|
|  |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name             | Code  | SIC Code                                      | Service |                   |
|  |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |                  |       |   |         |                   |
| Beiersdorf AG  | Ger     | 262    | 5,794.0                 | 3,728.2                 |                | 31-Dec-1998 | BDO              | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                    | С       |                   |
| Karstadt Quelle AG                                   | Ger     | 294    | 3,942.2                 | 10,388.5                | · · ·          | 31-Dec-1998 | BDO              | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                      |         |                   |
| Promodes SA (merged with Carrefour SA) <sup>3</sup>  | Fra     | 118    | 19,654.5                | 23,038.6                | 583.6          | 31-Dec-1998 | BLB/<br>KPMG     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                         | А; Т    | Y Gouhir, Caen    |
| Casino Guichard Perrachon SA                         | Fra     | 184    | 9,048.1                 | 15,771.5                | 445.2          | 31-Dec-1998 | BR/E&Y           | 630   | 5140 - Groceries and related products         | Т       |                   |
| LVMH Moet-Hennessy Louis<br>Vuitton SA               | Fra     | 107    | 32,074.4                | 7,727.8                 | 1,211.2        | 31-Dec-1998 | CF/E&Y           | 349   | 3161 - Luggage                                | Т       |                   |
| Comptoirs Modernes SA<br>(acquired by Carrefour SA)  | Fra     | 323    | N/A                     | N/A                     | N/A            | N/A         | Fidulor/<br>KPMG | 630   | 5412 - Grocery stores                         | A; T; C | J-M Pinel, Paris  |
| D'Ieteren SA NV                                      | Bel     | 408    | 2,457.2                 | 2,899.1                 | 268.9          | 31-Dec-1998 | GD               | 519   | 5012 - Motor vehicles wholesale               |         |                   |
| Hermes International SCA                             | Fra     | 415    | 4,596.0                 | 855.0                   | 178.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | GN/DTT           | 349   | 3170 - Handbags and<br>personal leather goods |         |                   |
| Eridania Beghin-Say SA <sup>3</sup>                  | Fra     | 253    | 2,739.8                 | 11,612.7                | 729.2          | 31-Dec-1998 | GNA/<br>DTT      | 435   | 2046 - Wet corn milling                       |         |                   |
| Parmalat Finanziaria SpA                             | Ita     | 443    | 1,956.6                 | 5,668.5                 | 300.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | GT               | 435   | 2026 - Fluid milk                             |         | L Barbieri, Parma |
| Castorama DuBois<br>Investissements SCA <sup>3</sup> | Fra     | 387    | 11,171.5                | 3,621.5                 | 220.8          | 31-Dec-1998 | MG/DTT/<br>KPMG  | 526   | 5251 - Hardware stores                        | A; T; C | J-M Pinel, Paris  |
| Danone (Groupe) SA                                   | Fra     | 69     | 17,900.8                | 14,411.7                | 1,440.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | MG/PwC           | 435   | 2020 - Dairy products                         |         |                   |
| Pernod Ricard SA                                     | Fra     | 288    | 3,783.8                 | 3,495.9                 | 373.2          | 31-Dec-1998 | MG/JD/<br>ALG    | 416   | 2084 - Wines, brandy, and brandy spirits      | Т       |                   |
| Seita-Societe Nationale Des<br>Tabacs SA             | Fra     | 360    | 2,888.8                 | 3,286.0                 | 216.9          | 31-Dec-1998 | MG/AA            | 490   | 5194 - Tobacco products wholesale             | Т       |                   |
| Sodexho Alliance SA                                  | Fra     | 218    | 5,622.9                 | 6,853.4                 | 248.7          | 31-Aug-1998 | O Belnet/<br>PwC | 581   | 5812 - Eating places                          |         |                   |
| Douglas Holding AG                                   | Ger     | 461    | 1,621.5                 | 2,342.4                 | (56.0)         | 31-Dec-1998 | SP               | 528   | 5999 - Retail stores<br>miscellaneous         |         |                   |
| TOTAL NON-BIG FIVE                                   | 10.33   |        | 70,541.7                | 71,508.1                | 3,350.0        |             |                  |       |   |         |                   |
| Hellenic Bottling CO                                 | Gre     | 325    | 3,021.9                 | 1,429.5                 | 164.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | N/A              | 435   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled and canned        |         |                   |
| TOTAL NOT AVAILABLE                                  | 1       |        | 3,021.9                 | 1,429.5                 | 164.0          |             |                  |       |   |         |                   |

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| Company Name               | Country FT 5 | 00 Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op. | Annual   | Auditor | FTSEA | Primary  | KPMG    | Lead Partner |
|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|------------|----------|---------|-------|----------|---------|--------------|
|                            | Rar          | k (@ 9-11-99)              | Sales                   | Income     | Fiscal   | Name    | Code  | SIC Code | Service |              |
|                            | 199          | 8 (\$m)                    | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | (\$m)      | Year End |         |       |          |         |              |
|                            |              |                            |                         |            |          |         |       |          |         |              |
| OVERALL TOTAL <sup>6</sup> | 86           | 797,359.2                  | 794,452.4               | 56,357.9   |          |         |       |          |         |              |

Source: FT 500 Listings Jan '99, OneSource, DataStream and FT Discovery as at Nov '99, IHQ - Top 1000 Companies List, Company Websites

#### Notes:

1. All market cap figures were obtained in local currencies and converted to US\$ at the local currency to US\$ rate @ 9/11/99

- 2. The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover
- 3. Sales and income figures were converted from euros to US\$ at 1.1743, the rate @ 1/1/99

4. DataStream now lists Asda's stock as 'dead'

- 5. Unilever Plc/NV's figures are the combined figures of Unilever Plc and Unilever NV
- 6. Companies which have merged or been acquired and for which figures are no longer available have not been included in the total number of companies

#### Auditor key:

ALG = A & L Genot BLB = B. L. Bringuier BR = B. Roussel CF = Cogerco-Flipo GD = G. Delvaux GN = G. Noel GNA = Gramet Nahum & Associes GT = Grant Thornton JD = J.Delquie MG = Mazars et Guerard SP = Susat & Partner

# 6 FT Europe 500 Listed CM Companies by Country - Audit Market Share

| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %     | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
|-----------------|------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Belgium         | 3.0              | 3.5   | 8,510.3                     | 1.1   | 19,344.1       | 2.4   |
| DTT             | 1.0              | 33.3  | 3,836.2                     | 45.1  | 14,367.8       | 74.3  |
| Non-Big Five    | 1.0              | 33.3  | 2,457.2                     | 28.9  | 2,899.1        | 15.0  |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 33.3  | 2,216.9                     | 26.0  | 2,077.2        | 10.7  |
| Denmark         | 2.0              | 2.3   | 3,684.4                     | 0.5   | 6,148.4        | 0.8   |
| DTT             | 0.5              | 25.0  | 1,200.5                     | 32.6  | 1,446.3        | 23.5  |
| E&Y             | 0.5              | 25.0  | 1,200.5                     | 32.6  | 1,446.3        | 23.5  |
| KPMG            | 0.5              | 25.0  | 641.7                       | 17.4  | 1,627.9        | 26.5  |
| PwC             | 0.5              | 25.0  | 641.7                       | 17.4  | 1,627.9        | 26.5  |
| Finland         | 1.0              | 1.2   | 870.2                       | 0.1   | 926.9          | 0.1   |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 100.0 | 870.2                       | 100.0 | 926.9          | 100.0 |
| France          | 16.0             | 18.6  | 252,968.7                   | 31.7  | 167,569.6      | 21.1  |
| Non-Big Five    | 5.3              | 33.3  | 54,770.2                    | 21.7  | 46,481.4       | 27.7  |
| DTT             | 2.8              | 17.7  | 42,858.4                    | 16.9  | 25,953.8       | 15.5  |
| E&Y             | 2.5              | 15.6  | 27,129.0                    | 10.7  | 17,109.6       | 10.2  |
| KPMG            | 2.3              | 14.6  | 57,879.1                    | 22.9  | 40,102.8       | 23.9  |
| AA              | 1.5              | 9.4   | 36,485.0                    | 14.4  | 20,884.2       | 12.5  |
| PwC             | 1.5              | 9.4   | 33,847.0                    | 13.4  | 17,037.8       | 10.2  |

| Country/Auditor       | No. of Companies | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %     | Revenue   | %     |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|-----------|-------|
|                       |                  |       |                             |       | \$m       |       |
| Germany               | 7.0              | 8.1   | 36,066.7                    | 4.5   | 93,814.8  | 11.8  |
| Non-Big Five          | 3.0              | 42.9  | 11,357.7                    | 31.5  | 16,459.1  | 17.5  |
| KPMG                  | 2.5              | 35.7  | 13,803.1                    | 38.3  | 36,803.2  | 39.2  |
| PwC                   | 1.5              | 21.4  | 10,905.9                    | 30.2  | 40,552.5  | 43.2  |
| Greece                | 1.0              | 1.2   | 3,021.9                     | 0.4   | 1,429.5   | 0.2   |
| Auditor not available | 1.0              | 100.0 | 3,021.9                     | 100.0 | 1,429.5   | 100.0 |
| Ireland               | 1.0              | 1.2   | 2,094.2                     | 0.3   | 2,468.9   | 0.3   |
| DTT                   | 1.0              | 100.0 | 2,094.2                     | 100.0 | 2,468.9   | 100.0 |
| Italy                 | 3.0              | 3.5   | 7,304.1                     | 0.9   | 12,310.0  | 1.5   |
| DTT                   | 1.0              | 33.3  | 3,777.8                     | 51.7  | 2,210.3   | 18.0  |
| Non-Big Five          | 1.0              | 33.3  | 1,956.6                     | 26.8  | 5,668.5   | 46.0  |
| PwC                   | 1.0              | 33.3  | 1,569.7                     | 21.5  | 4,431.2   | 36.0  |
| Netherlands           | 9.0              | 10.5  | 117,335.9                   | 14.7  | 142,408.5 | 17.9  |
| PwC                   | 5.0              | 55.6  | 74,959.7                    | 63.9  | 102,155.4 | 71.7  |
| DTT                   | 2.0              | 22.2  | 23,300.3                    | 19.9  | 31,487.9  | 22.1  |
| KPMG                  | 2.0              | 22.2  | 19,075.9                    | 16.3  | 8,765.2   | 6.2   |
| Norway                | 1.0              | 1.2   | 2,516.1                     | 0.3   | 4,081.3   | 0.5   |
| АА                    | 1.0              | 100.0 | 2,516.1                     | 100.0 | 4,081.3   | 100.0 |
| Portugal              | 1.0              | 1.2   | 1,937.2                     | 0.2   | 3,331.4   | 0.4   |
| PwC                   | 1.0              | 100.0 | 1,937.2                     | 51.3  | 3,331.4   | 150.7 |

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| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %     | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
|-----------------|------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Spain           | 3.0              | 3.5   | 8,865.1                     | 1.1   | 10,799.4       | 1.4   |
| AA              | 2.0              | 66.7  | 6,578.0                     | 74.2  | 6,976.8        | 64.6  |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 33.3  | 2,287.1                     | 25.8  | 3,822.6        | 35.4  |
| Sweden          | 4.0              | 4.7   | 36,883.5                    | 4.6   | 20,385.0       | 2.6   |
| PwC             | 2.0              | 50.0  | 9,376.3                     | 25.4  | 2,798.2        | 13.7  |
| E&Y             | 1.0              | 25.0  | 20,651.3                    | 56.0  | 2,834.4        | 13.9  |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 25.0  | 6,855.9                     | 18.6  | 14,752.4       | 72.4  |
| Switzerland     | 3.0              | 3.5   | 86,213.3                    | 10.8  | 59,257.5       | 7.5   |
| PwC             | 2.0              | 66.7  | 12,998.1                    | 15.1  | 9,807.9        | 16.6  |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 33.3  | 73,215.2                    | 84.9  | 49,449.6       | 83.4  |
| United Kingdom  | 31.0             | 36.1  | 229,087.5                   | 28.7  | 250,177.3      | 31.5  |
| PwC             | 12.0             | 38.7  | 103,293.1                   | 45.1  | 122,028.7      | 48.8  |
| E&Y             | 8.0              | 25.8  | 38,199.4                    | 16.7  | 45,302.2       | 18.1  |
| KPMG            | 6.0              | 19.4  | 54,176.6                    | 23.6  | 47,638.3       | 19.0  |
| D&T             | 3.0              | 9.7   | 17,792.7                    | 7.8   | 16,089.6       | 6.4   |
| AA              | 2.0              | 6.5   | 15,625.7                    | 6.8   | 19,118.5       | 7.6   |
| Total           | 86.0             | 100.0 | 797,359.1                   | 100.0 | 794,452.6      | 100.0 |

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

# 7 FT US 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor

| Company Name   | FT 500 | Market Cap     | Net Annual <sup>1</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor | FTSEA | Primary                                      | KPMG    | Lead Partner                     |
|--|--------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------|-------|--|---------|----------------------------------|
|  | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)    | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name    | Code  | SIC Code                                     | Service |                                  |
|  | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |         |       |  |         |                                  |
| Colgate-Palmolive Company                            | 100    | 33,267.1       | 8,971.6                 | 1,250.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | AA      | 475   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                   |         |                                  |
| Costco Wholesale Corp.                               | 181    | 18,825.1       | 24,269.9                | 787.3          | 30-Aug-1998 | AA      | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores                        |         |                                  |
| Dekalb Genetics Corp. (acquired by Monsanto)         | 497    | N/A            | N/A                     | N/A            | N/A         | AA      | 433   | N/A  |         |                                  |
| Estee Lauder Co.                                     | 303    | 5,393.6        | 3,961.5                 | 456.9          | 30-Jun-1999 | AA      | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                   |         |                                  |
| Hershey Foods Corp.                                  | 190    | 5,405.8        | 4,435.6                 | 642.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA      | 435   | 2066 - Chocolate and cocoa products          |         |                                  |
| May Department Stores                                | 161    | 10,615.7       | 13,413.0                | 1,395.0        | 30-Jan-1999 | AA      | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                     |         |                                  |
| Newell Rubbermaid, Inc. (previously 2 separate co.s) | N/A    | 9,021.3        | 3,720.0                 | 534.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA      | 345   | 3089 - Plastics products, nec                |         |                                  |
| Quaker Oats Company                                  | 234    | 9,077.1        | 4,842.5                 | 396.6          | 31-Dec-1998 | AA      | 435   | 2043 - Cereal breakfast<br>foods             |         |                                  |
| Sara Lee Corp  | 80     | 23,452.3       | 20,012.0                | 1,671.0        | 3-Jul-1999  | AA      | 435   | 2011 - Meat packing plants                   |         |                                  |
| Sysco Corporation                                    | 236    | 12,900.5       | 17,422.8                | 594.8          | 3-Jul-1999  | AA      | 435   | 5141 - Groceries whsle,<br>general line      | Т       | DM Price, Houston                |
| Walgreen Company                                     | 90     | 26,341.5       | 15,307.0                | 835.0          | 31-Aug-1998 | AA      | 630   | 5912 - Drug stores and<br>proprietary stores |         |                                  |
| TOTAL ARTHUR ANDERSEN                                | 10     | 154,300.0      | 116,355.9               | 8,563.5        |             |         |       |  |         |                                  |
| Albertson's Inc.                                     | 141    | 14,533.1       | 16,005.1                | 973.2          | 28-Jan-1999 | DTT     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                        |         |                                  |
| Cardinal Health, Inc.                                | 137    | 12,536.3       | 25,033.6                | 877.0          | 30-Jun-1999 | DTT     | 519   | 5122 - Drugs & toiletries<br>whsle           |         |                                  |
| Clorox Company                                       | 218    | 10,190.2       | 4,003.0                 | 454.0          | 30-Jun-1999 | DTT     | 475   | 2842 - Polishes and sanitation goods         |         |                                  |
| ConAgra, Inc.  | 147    | 12,541.5       | 24,594.3                | 682.3          | 30-May-1999 | DTT     | 435   | 2011 - Meat packing<br>plants                | А       | RP Heng, Omaha/PJ Jung,<br>Omaha |
| Dollar General Corp.                                 | 322    | 6,765.8        | 3,221.0                 | 289.3          | 29-Jan-1999 | DTT     | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores                        |         |                                  |
| Gap, Inc.  | 98     | 28,255.1       | 9,054.5                 | 1,319.3        | 30-Jan-1999 | DTT     | 528   | 5651 - Family clothing stores                | Т       | DR Hart, San Francisco           |
| Kimberly-Clark Corp.                                 | 88     | 34,231.0       | 12,297.8                | 1,676.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT     | 477   | 2621 - Paper mills                           |         |                                  |

| Company Name                              | FT 500 | Market Cap     | Net Annual <sup>1</sup> | Annual Op. | Annual       | Auditor             | FTSEA | Primary                               | KPMG    | Lead Partner              |
|---|--------|----------------|-------------------------|------------|--------------|---------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------|
|   | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)    | Sales                   | Income     | Fiscal       | Name                | Code  | SIC Code                              | Service |                           |
|   | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | (\$m)                   | (\$m)      | Year End     |                     |       |                                       |         |                           |
| Lowe's Companies Inc.                     | 166    | 20,707.1       | 12,244.9                | 758.4      | 29-Jan-1999  | DTT                 | 526   | 5211 - Lumber & bldg                  |         |                           |
| -   |        |                |                         |            |              |                     |       | mtls retail                           |         |                           |
| Meyer (Fred) Inc. (acquired by Kroger)    | 304    | N/A            | N/A                     | N/A        | N/A          | DTT                 | 630   | 5311 - Department stores              |         |                           |
| Nabisco Group Holdings (f RJR<br>Nabisco) | 228    | 3,913.7        | 17,037.0                | 398.0      | 31-Dec-1998  | DTT                 | 435   | 2052 - Cookies and crackers           |         |                           |
| Nabisco Holdings Corp.                    | 197    | 1,788.4        | 8,400.0                 | 294.0      | 31-Dec-1998  | DTT                 | 435   | 2052 - Cookies and                    |         |                           |
|   |        |                |                         |            |              |                     |       | crackers                              |         |                           |
| Nordstrom, Inc.                           | 446    | 3,056.9        | 5,027.9                 | 337.7      | 31-Jan-1999  | DTT                 | 527   | 5651 - Family clothing                |         |                           |
| Office Depot Inc                          | 323    | 4,450.9        | 8,997.7                 | 208.6      | 26-Dec-1998  | DTT                 | 526   | stores<br>5112 - Stationery supplies  |         |                           |
| Office Depot, Inc.                        | 323    | 4,430.9        | 0,997.7                 | 398.6      | 20-Dec-1998  | DII                 | 520   | whsle                                 |         |                           |
| Procter & Gamble Co.                      | 15     | 141,273.3      | 38,125.0                | 6,253.0    | 30-Jun-1999  | DTT                 | 475   | 2841 - Soap and other                 |         | DA LeMasters, New York    |
|   |        |                |                         | -,         |              |                     |       | detergents                            |         | ,,,                       |
| Safeway, Inc.                             | 89     | 19,143.6       | 24,484.2                | 1,601.7    | 2-Jan-1999   | DTT                 | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                 |         |                           |
| Sears, Roebuck & Co.                      | 115    | 10,888.7       | 41,322.0                | 1,855.0    | 2-Jan-1999   | DTT                 | 524   | 5311 - Department stores              | С       | JS Hardy, Radnor          |
| Starbucks Corporation                     | 494    | 5,294.9        | 1,308.7                 | 109.2      | 27-Sep-1998  | DTT                 | 435   | 2095 - Coffee, roasted                |         |                           |
| TOTAL DELOITTE TOUCHE<br>TOHMATSU         | 16     | 329,570.3      | 251,156.7               | 18,276.8   |              |                     |       |                                       |         |                           |
| Amazon.com, Inc.                          | 325    | 23,878.3       | 610.0                   | (112.0)    | 31-Dec-1998  | E&Y                 | 528   | 5942 - Book stores                    |         |                           |
| American Stores (acquired by              | 210    | N/A            | N/A                     | N/A        | N/A          | E&Y                 | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                 | T; C    | Thomas A. Rowles, Atlanta |
| Albertson's, Inc.)                        |        |                |                         |            |              |                     |       |                                       |         |                           |
| Archer-Daniels-Midland Co                 | 186    | 6,821.6        | 14,283.3                | 531.0      | 30-Jun-1999  | E&Y                 | 435   | 2041 - Flour and other                | Т       | Gerard T. Mazurkiewicz,   |
|   | 120    | 2 70 4 7       | 2 2 4 2 0               | 202.2      | 20 4 1000    | <b>E</b> 0 <b>V</b> | 50.6  | grain mill products                   | G       | Buffalo                   |
| AutoZone, Inc.                            | 438    | 3,794.7        | 3,242.9                 | 382.3      | 29-Aug-1998  | E&Y                 | 526   | 5531 - Auto and home<br>supply stores | С       | Thomas A. Rowles, Atlanta |
| Best Buy Company, Inc.                    | 404    | 9,955.6        | 10.077.9                | 364.5      | 27-Feb-1999  | E&Y                 | 526   | 5731 - Radio, TV, &                   | С       |                           |
| Best Buy Company, Inc.                    | 404    | 9,955.0        | 10,077.9                | 504.5      | 27-1.60-1999 | Lai                 | 520   | electronic stores                     | C       |                           |
| Black & Decker Corp.                      | 428    | 4,113.2        | 4,559.9                 | (466.2)    | 31-Dec-1998  | E&Y                 | 252   | 3546 - Power-driven                   |         | Y Miyoshi / K Mishiwaki,  |
| I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I     |        | ,              | ,                       | (,         |              |                     |       | handtools                             |         | Kobe                      |
| Cintas Corporation                        | 342    | 6,075.3        | 1,751.6                 | 224.0      | 31-May-1999  | E&Y                 | 341   | 2326 - Men's and boys'                |         |                           |
| -   |        |                |                         |            | -            |                     |       | work clothing                         |         |                           |
| Coca-Cola Company                         | 7      | 142,950.1      | 18,813.0                | 4,952.0    | 31-Dec-1998  | E&Y                 | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled           | А       | AR Telles, El Paso        |
|   |        |                |                         |            |              |                     |       | and canned                            |         |                           |
| Coca-Cola Enterprises                     | 183    | 9,535.2        | 13,414.0                | 869.0      | 31-Dec-1998  | E&Y                 | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled           |         |                           |
|   |        |                |                         |            |              |                     |       | and canned                            |         |                           |

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|---------------------------|--------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|---------|------------|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------------------|
|                           | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)    | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal                     | Name    | Code       | SIC Code                          | Service |                         |
|                           | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End                   |         |            |                                   |         |                         |
| Dayton Hudson Corp.       | 123    | 27,292.8       | 30,951.0                | 1,556.0        | 30-Jan-1999                | E&Y     | 524        | 5331 - Variety stores             | Т       | GE Weld, Atlanta        |
| Kohl's Corporation        | 295    | 11,447.0       | 3,681.8                 | 337.9          | 30-Jan-1999                | E&Y     | 527        | 5311 - Department stores          | T; C    | MR D'Addio, Chicago     |
| Maytag Corporation        | 387    | 3,839.6        | 4,069.3                 | 522.7          | 31-Dec-1998                | E&Y     | 345        | 3633 - Household laundry          |         |                         |
| McDonald's Corporation    | 49     | 62,823.6       | 12,421.4                | 2,761.9        | 31-Dec-1998                | E&Y     | 560        | equipment<br>5812 - Eating places |         |                         |
| Owens-Illinois, Inc.      | 49     | 3,798.8        | 5,499.3                 | 2,701.9        | 31-Dec-1998<br>31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 300<br>345 | 3221 - Glass containers           |         |                         |
| Staples, Inc.             |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            |                                   |         |                         |
| Staples, Inc.             | 223    | 8,087.4        | 7,123.2                 | 306.3          | 30-Jan-1999                | E&Y     | 526        | 5112 - Stationery supplies whsle  |         |                         |
| Toys R Us, Inc.           | 397    | 3,778.7        | 11,170.0                | (13.0)         | 30-Jan-1999                | E&Y     | 526        | 5945 - Hobby, toy, and            |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | game shops                        |         |                         |
| Tyson Foods, Inc.         | 375    | 2,086.6        | 7,414.1                 | 203.6          | 3-Oct-1998                 | E&Y     | 435        | 2015 - Poultry                    |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | slaughtering and                  |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | processing                        |         |                         |
| UST Inc.                  | 328    | 4,766.1        | 1,423.2                 | 734.5          | 31-Dec-1998                | E&Y     | 490        | 2131 - Chewing and                |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | smoking tobacco                   |         |                         |
| Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.     | 8      | 256,357.7      | 139,208.0               | 7,323.0        | 31-Jan-1999                | E&Y     | 524        | 5331 - Variety stores             |         |                         |
| Whirlpool Corporation     | 455    | 5,306.8        | 10,323.0                | 688.0          | 31-Dec-1998                | E&Y     | 345        | 3632 - Household                  |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | refrigerators and freezers        |         |                         |
| Wrigley, Wm. Jr. Co.      | 211    | 7,581.4        | 2,023.4                 | 440.9          | 31-Dec-1998                | E&Y     | 435        | 2067 - Chewing gum                |         |                         |
| FOTAL ERNST & YOUNG       | 20     | 604,290.4      | 302,060.3               | 21,815.4       |                            |         |            |                                   |         |                         |
| Bed Bath & Beyond Inc.    | 493    | 4,929.3        | 1,397.2                 | 158.1          | 27-Feb-1999                | KPMG    | 527        | 5719 - Misc home                  |         |                         |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | furnishings stores                |         |                         |
| Bestfoods                 | 136    | 15,480.5       | 8,374.0                 | 1,187.0        | 31-Dec-1998                | KPMG    | 435        | 2035 - Pickles, sauces, and       | A; T; C | RP Dillon, New York     |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | salad dressings                   |         |                         |
| Circuit City Group        | 482    | 7,803.4        | 9,338.1                 | 269.1          | 28-Feb-1999                | KPMG    | 526        | 5731 - Radio, TV, &               | А       | GL Scott, Richmond      |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | electronic stores                 |         |                         |
| CVS Corporation           | 118    | 14,573.2       | 15,273.6                | 772.2          | 31-Dec-1998                | KPMG    | 630        | 5912 - Drug stores and            | A; T; C | AJ LaCava Jr, Boston    |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | proprietary stores                |         |                         |
| Federated Department Str. | 252    | 8,738.8        | 15,833.0                | 1,455.0        | 30-Jan-1999                | KPMG    | 527        | 5311 - Department stores          | A; T; C | LE Southern, Cincinnati |
| General Mills, Inc.       | 171    | 12,514.4       | 6,246.1                 | 846.7          | 30-May-1999                | KPMG    | 435        | 2043 - Cereal breakfast           | A; T    | DF Martin, Minneapolis  |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | foods                             |         |                         |
| Gillette Company          | 46     | 37,907.3       | 10,056.0                | 1,789.0        | 31-Dec-1998                | KPMG    | 477        | 3421 - Cutlery                    | A; T; C | FE Casal, Stamford      |
| Hasbro, Inc.              | 424    | 4,283.2        | 3,304.5                 | 324.9          | 27-Dec-1998                | KPMG    | 435        | 3944 - Games, toys, and           | A; T; C | SJ Georgian, Providence |
|                           |        |                |                         |                |                            |         |            | children's vehicles               |         |                         |

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|  | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End     |            |       |  |         |                              |
| Home Depot, Inc.                           |        | 115,861.9      | 30,219.0                |                | 31-Jan-1999  | KPMG       |       | 5211 - Lumber & bldg<br>mtls retail      |         | G Sands, Atlanta             |
| Penney, JC Company, Inc.                   |        | 6,668.3        | 30,678.0                |                | 30-Jan-1999  | KPMG       |       | 5311 - Department stores                 | A; T; C |                              |
| PepsiCo, Inc.                              | 44     | 0,000.5        | 22,348.0                | 2,584.0        | 50 Juli 1999 | KPMG       | 418   | 5511 Department stores                   | A; T; C |                              |
| -  |        |                |                         |                |              |            |       | and canned                               |         |                              |
| Pioneer Hi-Bred Int'l (merged with DuPont) |        | N/A            | N/A                     |                | N/A          | KPMG       |       | 0115 - Corn                              | А       |                              |
| Publix Super Markets                       | 267    |                | 12,190.4                | 584.4          |              | KPMG       | 630   |  |         | MC Terrell, St Petersburg    |
|  | 203    | 2,055.2        |                         | 199.6          | 27-Feb-1999  |            | 630   | 5912 - Drug stores and                   | A; T; C | J Neibert, Harrisburg        |
|  | 306    | 6,417.4        |                         | 1,028.0        | 26-Dec-1998  |            | 560   | 5812 - Eating places                     |         | DB Parrott, Orange County    |
| Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc.                    |        | 4,152.3        | 14,136.5                |                | 30-Jun-1999  | KPMG       |       | 5411 - Grocery stores                    | A; T    |                              |
| TOTAL KPMG                                 | 15     |                | 200,594.3               | 15,021.3       |              |            |       |  |         |                              |
|  | 76     | 33,426.3       |                         | 2,125.3        | 31-Dec-1998  |            | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                    |         | CF Sedgwick, Syracuse        |
| Avon Products, Inc.                        |        | 7,448.9        | 5,212.7                 |                | 31-Dec-1998  | PwC        |       | 2844 - Toilet preparations               | T; C    |                              |
| Brown-Forman Corporation                   | 408    |                | 2,030.0                 | 322.0          |              | PwC        | 416   |  |         |                              |
|  |        |                |                         |                |              | _          |       | blended liquors                          | _       |                              |
| Campbell Soup Company                      | 81     | 19,252.7       | 6,424.0                 | 2,106.0        | 1-Aug-1999   | PwC<br>PwC | 546   | 2032 - Canned specialties                | С       |                              |
| Eastman Kodak Company                      | 81     |                | 13,406.0                | 2,106.0        |              | PWC        | 540   | equipment and supplies                   |         |                              |
| Ecolab, Inc.                               |        | 4,385.8        | 1,888.2                 |                | 31-Dec-1998  | PwC        |       | 2841 - Soap and other<br>detergents      |         |                              |
|  | 349    |                | N/A                     | N/A            |              | PwC        | 630   | 6.                                       |         |                              |
| Delhaize America, Inc.)                    |        |                |                         |                |              |            |       |  |         |                              |
| Fortune Brands, Inc.                       | 350    |                | 5,240.9                 | 511.9          |              | PwC        | 477   | fittings and trim                        |         |                              |
| Heinz, H.J. Company                        |        | 15,858.2       | 9,299.6                 |                | 28-Apr-1999  | PwC        |       | 2033 - Fruits and                        |         | Robert Y. Hottle, Pittsburgh |
| ·  |        |                |                         |                |              |            |       | vegetables, canned                       |         |                              |
| International Flavors & Fragrances         |        | 3,886.9        | 1,407.3                 |                | 31-Dec-1998  | PwC        |       | 2869 - Industrial organic chemicals, nec |         |                              |
|  | 369    | 1,451.4        |                         | 680.8          | 30-Jan-1999  |            | 528   | 5632 - Women's accessory                 |         |                              |

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|                            | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)    | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name    | Code  | SIC Code                   | Service |                            |
|                            | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |         |       |                            |         |                            |
| Johnson & Johnson          | 11     | 144,018.4      | 23,657.0                | 4,268.0        | 3-Jan-1999  | PwC     | 446   | 2834 - Pharmaceutical      |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | preparations               | T; C    |                            |
| Kellogg Company            | 140    | 14,409.8       | 6,762.1                 | 895.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 435   | 2043 - Cereal breakfast    |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | foods                      |         |                            |
| Kmart Corp.                | 307    | 4,721.0        | 33,674.0                | 1,091.0        | 27-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores      | С       | RE Webb, Radnor            |
| Kroger Company             | 150    | 18,823.5       | 2,160.0                 | 39.0           | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores      | Т       | KH Begley, Cincinnati      |
| Leggett & Platt, Inc.      | 413    | 4,634.9        | 3,370.4                 | 429.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 342   | 2515 - Mattresses and      |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | bedsprings                 |         |                            |
| Limited, Inc.              | 356    | 7,837.1        | 9,346.9                 | 2,437.5        | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 528   | 5621 - Women's clothing    | A; T; C | RE Webb, Radnor            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | stores                     |         |                            |
| Mattel, Inc.               | 226    | 5,778.3        | 4,781.9                 | 465.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 347   | 3942 - Dolls and stuffed   | Т       | EI Watson IV, Century City |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | toys                       |         |                            |
| Nike, Inc.                 | 174    | 8,508.9        | 8,776.9                 | 746.1          | 31-May-1999 | PwC     | 341   | 3021 - Rubber and plastics |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | footwear                   |         |                            |
| Philip Morris Companies    | 10     | 60,649.4       | 74,391.0                | 9,977.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes          | С       | DA LeMasters, New York     |
| Ralston Purina Company     | 204    | 9,925.0        | 4,653.3                 | 469.4          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC     | 435   | 2047 - Dog and cat food    |         |                            |
| Service Corp. Int'l.       | 225    | 2,448.6        | 2,875.1                 | 651.9          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 585   | 7261 - Funeral service and |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             | _       |       | crematories                |         |                            |
| Tandy Corp.                | 335    | 12,416.7       | 4,787.9                 | 99.7           | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 526   | 5731 - Radio, TV, &        | С       | SB Cook, San Francisco     |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | electronic stores          |         |                            |
| TJX Companies, Inc.        | 320    | 7,401.4        | 7,949.1                 | 704.0          | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC     | 528   | 5651 - Family clothing     |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | stores                     |         |                            |
| Vf Corp.                   | 379    | 3,856.3        | 5,478.8                 | 693.3          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC     | 341   | 2325 - Men's and boy's     |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       | separate trousers & slacks |         |                            |
|                            |        |                |                         |                |             |         |       |                            |         |                            |
| TOTAL PRICEWCOOPERS        | 24     | 419,778.3      | 252,704.7               | 32,144.1       |             |         |       |                            |         |                            |
| OVERALL TOTAL <sup>2</sup> | 85     | 1,808,239.7    | 1,122,871.9             | 95,821.1       |             |         |       |                            |         |                            |

Source: FT 500 Listings Jan '99, OneSource, DataStream and FT Discovery as at Nov '99, IHQ - Top 1000 Companies List, Company Websites

#### Notes:

1. The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances;

for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

2. Companies which have merged or been acquired and for which figures are no longer available have not been included in the total number of companies

# 8 FT Global 500 Listed Consumer Markets Companies by Auditor

| Company Name                              | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op. | Annual      | Auditor     | FTSEA | Primary                                       | KPMG    | Lead Partner                     |
|---|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------|---|---------|----------------------------------|
|   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income     | Fiscal      | Name        | Code  | SIC Code                                      | Service |                                  |
|   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | (\$m)      | Year End    |             |       |   |         |                                  |
| Cadbury Schweppes PLC                     | UK      | 279    | 12,306.2                | 6,747.9                 | 1,055.1    | 31-Jan-1999 | AA          | 435   | 2064 - Candy and other confectionery products | С       | ROD Paterson,<br>London          |
| Carrefour SA (merged with<br>Promodes SA) | Fra     | 146    | 61,893.2                | 30,537.6                | 842.0      | 31-Dec-1998 | AA/<br>KPMG | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                         | A; C    | J-M Pinel, Paris                 |
| Colgate-Palmolive Company                 | US      | 181    | 33,267.1                | 8,971.6                 | 1,250.1    | 31-Dec-1998 | AA          | 475   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                    |         |                                  |
| Costco Wholesale Corp.                    | US      | 370    | 18,825.1                | 24,269.9                | 787.3      | 30-Aug-1998 | AA          | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores                         |         |                                  |
| Hershey Foods Corp.                       | US      | 392    | 5,405.8                 | 4,435.6                 | 642.7      | 31-Dec-1998 | AA          | 435   | 2066 - Chocolate and<br>cocoa products        |         |                                  |
| Kirin Brewery Co, Ltd                     | Jap     | 454    | 10,062.0                | 11,341.9                | 484.3      | 31-Dec-1998 | AA          | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                         |         |                                  |
| May Department Stores                     | US      | 311    | 10,615.7                | 13,413.0                | 1,395.0    | 30-Jan-1999 | AA          | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                      |         |                                  |
| Quaker Oats Company                       | US      | 474    | 9,077.1                 | 4,842.5                 | 396.6      | 31-Dec-1998 | AA          | 435   | 2043 - Cereal breakfast foods                 |         |                                  |
| Sara Lee Corp                             | US      | 140    | 23,452.3                | 20,012.0                | 1,671.0    | 3-Jul-1999  | AA          | 435   | 2011 - Meat packing plants                    |         |                                  |
| Sysco Corporation                         | US      | 481    | 12,900.5                | 17,422.8                | 594.8      | 3-Jul-1999  | AA          | 435   | 5141 - Groceries whsle, general line          | Т       | DM Price, Houston                |
| Walgreen Company                          | US      | 162    | 26,341.5                | 15,307.0                | 835.0      | 31-Aug-1998 | AA          | 630   | 5912 - Drug stores and proprietary stores     |         |                                  |
| TOTAL ARTHUR<br>ANDERSEN                  | 10.5    |        | 193,199.8               | 142,033.0               | 9,532.9    |             |             |       |   |         |                                  |
| Ahold (Koninklijke) NV                    | Neth    | 204    | 20,184.9                | 29,539.9                | 1,134.6    | 31-Jan-1999 | DTT         | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                         | T; C    | J Scheffers,<br>Amsterdam        |
| Albertson's Inc.                          | US      | 273    | 14,533.1                | 16,005.1                | 973.2      | 28-Jan-1999 | DTT         | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                         |         |                                  |
| Cardinal Health, Inc.                     | US      | 264    | 12,536.3                | 25,033.6                | 877.0      | 30-Jun-1999 | DTT         | 519   | 5122 - Drugs & toiletries whsle               |         |                                  |
| Clorox Company                            | US      | 446    | 10,190.2                | 4,003.0                 | 454.0      | 30-Jun-1999 | DTT         | 475   | 2842 - Polishes and sanitation gds            |         |                                  |
| ConAgra, Inc.                             | US      | 285    | 12,541.5                | 24,594.3                | 682.3      | 30-May-1999 | DTT         | 435   | 2011 - Meat packing plants                    | А       | RP Heng, Omaha/PJ<br>Jung, Omaha |
| Gap, Inc.                                 | US      | 176    | 28,255.1                | 9,054.5                 | 1,319.3    | 30-Jan-1999 | DTT         | 528   | 5651 - Family clothing stores                 | Т       | DR Hart, San<br>Francisco        |
| Imasco Ltd                                | Can     | 443    | 11,724.2                | 5,769.2                 | 1,002.8    | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT         | 490   | 6021 - National<br>commercial banks           | С       |                                  |

| Company Name                      | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor | FTSEA | A Primary                   | KPMG    | Lead Partner       |
|-----------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------|-------|-----------------------------|---------|--------------------|
|                                   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name    | Code  | SIC Code                    | Service |                    |
|                                   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |         |       |                             |         |                    |
| Japan Tobacco Inc                 | Jap     | 250    | 16,845.9                | 30,434.0                | 1,326.0        | 31-Mar-1999 | DTT     | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes           |         |                    |
| KAO Corp                          | Jap     | 379    | 17,415.9                | 7,258.8                 | 719.6          | 31-Mar-1999 | DTT     | 477   | 2841 - Soap and other       |         |                    |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | detergents                  |         |                    |
| Kimberly-Clark Corp.              | US      | 158    | 34,231.0                | 12,297.8                | 1,676.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT     | 477   | 2621 - Paper mills          |         |                    |
| L'Oreal SA                        | Fra     | 101    | 44,170.4                | 12,810.5                | 1,652.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/PwC | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations  |         |                    |
| Lowe's Companies Inc.             | US      | 338    | 20,707.1                | 12,244.9                | 758.4          | 29-Jan-1999 | DTT     | 526   | 5211 - Lumber & bldg        |         |                    |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | mtls retail                 |         |                    |
| Nabisco Group Holdings (f RJR     | US      | 463    | 3,913.7                 | 17,037.0                | 398.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT     | 435   | 2052 - Cookies and          |         |                    |
| Nabisco)                          |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | crackers                    |         |                    |
| Nabisco Holdings Corp.            | US      | 402    | 1,788.4                 | 8,400.0                 | 294.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT     | 435   | 2052 - Cookies and          |         |                    |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | crackers                    |         |                    |
| Pinault-Printemps Redoute SA      | Fra     | 225    | 22,908.5                | 18,400.0                | 741.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | DTT/    | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-    | A; T; C | G Riviere, Paris   |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             | KPMG    |       | order houses                |         |                    |
| Procter & Gamble Co.              | US      | 20     | 141,273.3               | 38,125.0                | 6,253.0        | 30-Jun-1999 | DTT     | 475   | 2841 - Soap and other       |         | DA LeMasters, New  |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | detergents                  |         | York               |
| Safeway, Inc.                     | US      | 159    | 19,143.6                | 24,484.2                | 1,601.7        | 2-Jan-1999  | DTT     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores       |         |                    |
| Sears, Roebuck & Co.              | US      | 218    | 10,888.7                | 41,322.0                | 1,855.0        | 2-Jan-1999  | DTT     | 524   | 5311 - Department stores    | С       | JS Hardy, Radnor   |
| TOTAL DELOITTE<br>TOUCHE TOHMATSU | 17      |        | 409,712.1               | 321,208.6               | 22,521.9       |             |         |       |                             |         |                    |
| American Stores (acquired by      | US      | 429    | N/A                     | N/A                     | N/A            | N/A         | E&Y     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores       | T; C    | Thomas A. Rowles,  |
| Albertson's, Inc.)                |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       |                             |         | Atlanta            |
| Archer-Daniels-Midland Co         | US      | 380    | 6,821.6                 | 14,283.3                | 531.0          | 30-Jun-1999 | E&Y     | 435   | 2041 - Flour and other      | Т       | Gerard T.          |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | grain mill products         |         | Mazurkiewicz,      |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       |                             |         | Buffalo            |
| Asda Group PLC (now owned         | UK      | 431    | 10,953.1                | 13,281.2                | 705.7          | 01-May-1999 | E&Y     | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores       |         | D Illingworth,     |
| by Wal-Mart) <sup>3</sup>         |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       |                             |         | Manchester         |
| Bass PLC                          | UK      | 404    | 9,227.4                 | 7,032.4                 | 1,120.3        | 30-Sep-1998 | E&Y     | 560   | 2082 - Malt beverages       |         | B Marchant,        |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                | •           |         |       | -                           |         | Birmingham         |
| Coca-Cola Company                 | US      | 8      | 142,950.1               | 18,813.0                | 4,952.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled | А       | AR Telles, El Paso |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | and canned                  |         |                    |
| Coca-Cola Enterprises             | US      | 372    | 9,535.2                 | 13,414.0                | 869.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | E&Y     | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled |         |                    |
| -                                 |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | and canned                  |         |                    |
| Dayton Hudson Corp.               | US      | 231    | 27,292.8                | 30,951.0                | 1,556.0        | 30-Jan-1999 | E&Y     | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores       | Т       | GE Weld, Atlanta   |
| Hennes & Mauritz (H & M) Ab       | Swe     | 276    | 20,651.3                | 2,834.4                 | 433.4          | 30-Nov-1998 | E&Y     | 528   | 5651 - Family clothing      | С       |                    |
|                                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |             |         |       | stores                      |         |                    |

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|------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------|---|---------------|--------------------------------|
|                              |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal                      | Name       | Code  | SIC Code                                  | Service       |                                |
|                              |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End                    |            |       |   |               |                                |
| LVMH Moet-Hennessy Louis     | Fra     | 310    | 32,074.4                | 7,727.8                 | 1,211.2        | 31-Dec-1998                 | E&Y/CF     | 349   | 3161 - Luggage                            | Т             |                                |
| Vuitton SA                   |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       |   |               |                                |
| McDonald's Corporation       | US      | 72     | 62,823.6                | 12,421.4                | 2,761.9        | 31-Dec-1998                 | E&Y        | 560   | 5812 - Eating places                      |               |                                |
| Staples, Inc.                | US      | 457    | 8,087.4                 | 7,123.2                 | 306.3          | 30-Jan-1999                 | E&Y        | 526   | 5112 - Stationery supplies whsle          |               |                                |
| Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.        | US      | 9      | 256,357.7               | 139,208.0               | 7,323.0        | 31-Jan-1999                 | E&Y        | 524   | 5331 - Variety stores                     |               |                                |
| Wrigley, Wm. Jr. Co.         | US      | 432    | 7,581.4                 | 2,023.4                 | 440.9          | 31-Dec-1998                 | E&Y        | 435   | 2067 - Chewing gum                        |               |                                |
| TOTAL ERNST & YOUNG          | 11.5    |        | 578,318.8               | 265,249.2               | 21,605.1       |                             |            |       |   |               |                                |
|                              |         | 400    | ,                       | ,                       | ,              | 20.0 1000                   | KDMC       | 425   | 2051 D 1 1 1                              |               |                                |
| Associated British Foods PLC | UK      | 422    | 4,739.8                 | 6,972.5                 | 526.9          | 30-Sep-1998                 | KPMG       | 435   | 2051 - Bread, cake, and related products  | A; 1; C; O    | AJ Barber, London              |
| Bestfoods                    | US      | 263    | 15,480.5                | 8,374.0                 | 1,187.0        | 31-Dec-1998                 | KPMG       | 435   | 2035 - Pickles, sauces, and               | A; T; C       | RP Dillon, New                 |
| Destroous                    | 05      | 205    | 10,100.0                | 0,57 1.0                | 1,107.0        | 51 Dec 1996                 | in hio     | 100   | salad dressings                           | 11, 1, 0      | York                           |
| Boots Co (The) PLC           | UK      | 233    | 8,900.8                 | 8,116.3                 | 927.6          | 31-Mar-1999                 | KPMG       | 527   | 5912 - Drug stores and                    | A; T; C; F; O | MP Wareing,                    |
|                              |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       | proprietary stores                        |               | Birmingham                     |
| Carrefour SA (merged with    | Fra     | 146    | 61,893.2                | 30,537.6                | 842.0          | 31-Dec-1998                 |            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                     | A; C          | J-M Pinel, Paris               |
| Promodes SA)                 |         | 22.4   | 11.550.0                | 15 050 6                |                | 21 D 1000                   | AA         |       | 5010 D                                    |               |                                |
| CVS Corporation              | US      | 224    | 14,573.2                | 15,273.6                | 772.2          | 31-Dec-1998                 | KPMG       | 630   | 5912 - Drug stores and proprietary stores | A; T; C       | AJ LaCava Jr,<br>Boston        |
| Diageo PLC                   | UK      | 85     | 30,728.4                | 19,323.7                | 3,007.9        | 30-Jun-1999                 | KPMG       | 416   | 2085 - Distilled and                      | A; T; C; F    | MJH Hughes,                    |
| Diagooree                    | on      | 05     | 50,720.1                | 19,525.7                | 5,007.9        | 50 <b>Juli</b> 1 <i>777</i> | in hio     | 110   | blended liquors                           | 11, 1, 0, 1   | London                         |
| General Mills, Inc.          | US      | 347    | 12,514.4                | 6,246.1                 | 846.7          | 30-May-1999                 | KPMG       | 435   | 2043 - Cereal breakfast                   | A; T          | DF Martin,                     |
|                              |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       | foods                                     |               | Minneapolis                    |
| Gillette Company             | US      | 66     | 37,907.3                | 10,056.0                | 1,789.0        | 31-Dec-1998                 | KPMG       | 477   | 3421 - Cutlery                            | A; T; C       | FE Casal, Stamford             |
| Heineken NV                  | Neth    | 242    | 16,377.4                | 6,068.5                 | 770.2          | 31-Dec-1998                 | KPMG       | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                     | A; T; C       | W van Hulsenbeek,<br>Amsterdam |
|                              |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       |   |               | Amsterdam                      |
| Home Depot, Inc.             | US      | 47     | 115,861.9               | 30,219.0                | 2,661.0        | 31-Jan-1999                 | KPMG       | 526   | 5211 - Lumber & bldg                      | A; T; C       | G Sands, Atlanta               |
| 1                            |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       | mtls retail                               |               |                                |
| Metro AG                     | Ger     | 199    | 17,003.4                | 52,221.5                | (1,215.6)      | 31-Dec-1998                 |            | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                  | A; T; C       | J Siemes,                      |
|                              |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             | PwC        |       |   |               | Duesseldorf                    |
| Nestle SA                    | Swi     | 31     | 73,215.2                | 49,449.6                | 5,105.1        | 31-Dec-1998                 | KPMG       | 435   | 2023 - Dry, condensed,                    | A; T; C       | S Cormack, London              |
|                              | ЦС      | 220    | 6 6 6 9 9               | 20 679 0                | 055.0          | 20 L. 1000                  | <b>VDM</b> | 507   | evaporated dairy prods                    | A. T. C.      | WD Sand                        |
| Penney, J.C. Company, Inc.   | US      | 330    | 6,668.3                 | 30,678.0                | 955.0          | 30-Jan-1999                 | KPMG       | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                  | A; T; C       | WD Sanders,<br>Radnor          |
|                              |         |        |                         |                         |                |                             |            |       |   |               | Naulioi                        |

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| Company Name  | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor        | FTSEA | Primary                                    | KPMG    | Lead Partner                    |
|---|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------|--|---------|---------------------------------|
|   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name           | Code  | SIC Code                                   | Service |                                 |
|   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |                |       |  |         |                                 |
| PepsiCo, Inc.                                       | US      | 64     | 47,674.1                | 22,348.0                | 2,584.0        | 26-Dec-1998 | KPMG           | 418   | 2086 - Soft drinks, bottled and canned     | A; T; C | W Morgan,<br>Stamford           |
| Pinault-Printemps Redoute SA                        | Fra     | 225    | 22,908.5                | 18,400.0                | 741.7          | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>DTT   | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-<br>order houses   | A; T; C | G Riviere, Paris                |
| Promodes SA (merged with Carrefour SA) <sup>4</sup> | Fra     | 331    | 19,654.5                | 23,038.6                | 583.6          | 31-Dec-1998 | KPMG/<br>BLB   | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                      | A; T    | Y Gouhir, Caen                  |
| Rite Aid Corporation                                | US      | 416    | 2,055.2                 | 12,731.9                | 199.6          | 27-Feb-1999 | KPMG           | 630   | 5912 - Drug stores and proprietary stores  | A; T; C | J Neibert,<br>Harrisburg        |
| TOTAL KPMG  | 15      |        | 447,426.3               | 287,956.0               | 21,808.1       |             |                |       |  |         |                                 |
| Anheuser-Busch Companies,<br>Inc.                   | US      | 132    | 33,426.3                | 11,245.8                | 2,125.3        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 415   | 2082 - Malt beverages                      | A; T; C | CF Sedgwick,<br>Syracuse        |
| British American Tobacco PLC                        | UK      | 324    | 14,522.9                | 11,817.6                | 1,731.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes                          | F       | GK Sutton, London               |
| Campbell Soup Company                               | US      | 156    | 19,252.7                | 6,424.0                 | 1,270.0        | 1-Aug-1999  | PwC            | 435   | 2032 - Canned specialties                  | С       | P. Minan, Arlington             |
| Danone (Groupe) SA                                  | Fra     | 192    | 17,900.8                | 14,411.7                | 1,440.1        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 435   | 2020 - Dairy products                      |         |                                 |
| Eastman Kodak Company                               | US      | 141    | 21,303.3                | 13,406.0                | 2,106.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 546   | 3861 - Photographic equipment and supplies |         |                                 |
| Great Universal Stores PLC<br>(The)                 | UK      | 334    | 7,366.1                 | 9,032.0                 | 714.9          | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC            | 527   | 5961 - Catalog and mail-<br>order houses   |         |                                 |
| Heinz, H.J. Company                                 | US      | 197    | 15,858.2                | 9,299.6                 | 1,109.3        | 28-Apr-1999 | PwC            | 435   | 2033 - Fruits and vegetables, canned       | С       | Robert Y. Hottle,<br>Pittsburgh |
| Hindustan Lever Ltd                                 | India   | 480    | 11,916.7                | 2,292.6                 | 220.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/AFF<br>&Co | 435   | 2841 - Soap and other detergents           |         | S Iyengar, Mumbai               |
| Ito-Yokado CO Ltd                                   | Jap     | 183    | 30,343.8                | 25,404.0                | 1,682.7        | 28-Feb-1999 | PwC            | 528   | 5311 - Department stores                   |         |                                 |
| Johnson & Johnson                                   | US      | 11     | 144,018.4               | 23,657.0                | 4,268.0        | 3-Jan-1999  | PwC            | 446   | 2834 - Pharmaceutical<br>preparations      |         |                                 |
| Kellogg Company                                     | US      | 271    | 14,409.8                | 6,762.1                 | 895.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 435   | 2043 - Cereal breakfast foods              |         |                                 |
| Kingfisher PLC                                      | UK      | 299    | 14,263.4                | 12,385.0                | 846.1          | 31-Jan-1999 | PwC            | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                   | С       | S Nevin, London                 |
| Kroger Company                                      | US      | 290    | 18,823.5                | 2,160.0                 | 39.0           | 30-Jan-1999 | PwC            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                      | Т       | KH Begley,<br>Cincinnati        |
| L'Oreal SA  | Fra     | 101    | 44,170.4                | 12,810.5                | 1,652.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/DTT        | 477   | 2844 - Toilet preparations                 |         |                                 |

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| Company Name  | Country | FT 500 | Market Cap <sup>1</sup> | Net Annual <sup>2</sup> | Annual Op.     | Annual      | Auditor        | FTSEA | Primary   | KPMG    | Lead Partner                                    |
|---|---------|--------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------|---|---------|---|
|   |         | Rank   | (@ 9-11-99)             | Sales                   | Income         | Fiscal      | Name           | Code  | SIC Code  | Service |   |
|   |         | 1998   | ( <b>\$m</b> )          | (\$m)                   | ( <b>\$m</b> ) | Year End    |                |       |   |         |   |
| Marks & Spencer PLC                                 | UK      | 163    | 12,917.6                | 13,587.8                | 1,119.0        | 31-Mar-1999 | PwC            | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                                    | T; C    | IJ Anderson,<br>London                          |
| Mattel, Inc.  | US      | 461    | 5,778.3                 | 4,781.9                 | 465.1          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 347   | 3942 - Dolls and stuffed toys                               | Т       | EI Watson IV,<br>Century City                   |
| Metro AG  | Ger     | 199    | 17,003.4                | 52,221.5                | (1,215.6)      | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC/<br>KPMG   | 527   | 5311 - Department stores                                    | A; T; C | J Siemes,<br>Duesseldorf                        |
| Nike, Inc.  | US      | 354    | 8,508.9                 | 8,776.9                 | 746.1          | 31-May-1999 | PwC            | 341   | 3021 - Rubber and plastics footwear                         |         |   |
| Philip Morris Companies                             | US      | 12     | 60,649.4                | 74,391.0                | 9,977.0        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 490   | 2111 - Cigarettes   | С       | DA LeMasters, New<br>York                       |
| Ralston Purina Company                              | US      | 418    | 9,925.0                 | 4,653.3                 | 469.4          | 30-Sep-1998 | PwC            | 435   | 2047 - Dog and cat food                                     |         |   |
| Sainsbury (J) PLC                                   | UK      | 203    | 11,224.4                | 27,066.3                | 1,461.0        | 30-Apr-1999 | PwC            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       | С       | RH Reid, London                                 |
| Seagram Co. Ltd (The)                               | Can     | 373    | 19,998.2                | 11,447.1                | 155.0          | 30-Jun-1999 | PwC            | 538   | 2085 - Distilled and<br>blended liquors                     |         |   |
| Service Corp. Int'l.                                | US      | 460    | 2,448.6                 | 2,875.1                 | 651.9          | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 585   | 7261 - Funeral service and crematories                      |         |   |
| Seven-Eleven Japan CO Ltd                           | Jap     | 133    | 75,623.6                | 2,402.0                 | 891.8          | 28-Feb-1999 | PwC            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       |         |   |
| Tesco PLC   | UK      | 196    | 19,690.6                | 28,433.5                | 1,590.9        | 28-Feb-1999 | PwC            | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       |         | GM Reid, London                                 |
| Unilever plc/NV <sup>5</sup>                        | Nuk     | 38     | 57,254.7                | 89,972.6                | 9,533.5        | 31-Dec-1998 | PwC            | 435   | 2099 - Food preparations,<br>nec & 2020 - Dairy<br>products | С       | H Veenman,<br>Amsterdam / E<br>Williams, London |
| TOTAL PRICEWCOOPERS                                 | 24.5    |        | 672,053.6               | 448,054.6               | 45,616.5       |             |                |       |   |         |   |
| Hindustan Lever Ltd                                 | India   | 480    | 11,916.7                | 2,292.6                 | 220.0          | 31-Dec-1998 | AFF&Co/<br>PwC | 435   | 2841 - Soap and other detergents                            |         | S Iyengar, Mumbai                               |
| LVMH Moet-Hennessy Louis<br>Vuitton SA              | Fra     | 310    | 32,074.4                | 7,727.8                 | 1,211.2        | 31-Dec-1998 | CF/ E&Y        | 349   | 3161 - Luggage  | Т       |   |
| Promodes SA (merged with Carrefour SA) <sup>4</sup> | Fra     | 331    | 19,654.5                | 23,038.6                | 583.6          | 31-Dec-1998 | BLB/<br>KPMG   | 630   | 5411 - Grocery stores                                       | A; T    | Y Gouhir, Caen                                  |
| TOTAL NON-BIG FIVE                                  | 1.5     |        | 31,822.8                | 16,529.5                | 1,007.4        |             |                |       |   |         |   |
| OVERALL TOTAL <sup>6</sup>                          | 80      |        | 2,332,533.3             | 1,481,030.9             | 122,091.8      |             |                |       |   |         |   |

Source: FT 500 Listings Jan '99, OneSource, DataStream and FT Discovery as at Nov '99, IHQ - Top 1000 Companies List, Company Websites

#### Notes:

1. All market cap figures were obtained in local currencies and converted to US\$ at the local currency to US\$ rate @ 9/11/99

2. The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances;

for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover

3. DataStream now lists Asda's stock as 'dead'

4. Sales and income figures were converted from euros to US\$ at 1.1743, the rate @ 1/1/99

5. Unilever Plc/NV's figures are the combined figures of Unilever Plc and Unilever NV

6. Companies which have merged or been acquired and for which figures are no longer available have not been included in the total number of companies

#### Auditor key:

AFF&Co = AF Ferguson & Co BLB = BL Bringuier CF = Cogerco-Flipo

# 9 FT Global 500 Listed CM Companies by Country - Audit Market Share

| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies | %    | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %    | Revenue<br>\$m | %    |
|-----------------|------------------|------|-----------------------------|------|----------------|------|
|                 |                  |      |                             |      |                |      |
| Canada          | 2.0              | 2.5  | 31,722.4                    | 1.4  | 17,216.3       | 1.2  |
| PwC             | 1.0              | 50.0 | 19,998.2                    | 63.0 | 11,447.1       | 66.5 |
| DTT             | 1.0              | 50.0 | 11,724.2                    | 37.0 | 5,769.2        | 33.5 |
| France          | 6.0              | 7.5  | 198,601.6                   | 8.5  | 106,926.3      | 7.2  |
| KPMG            | 1.5              | 25.0 | 52,228.0                    | 26.3 | 35,988.1       | 33.7 |
| PwC             | 1.5              | 25.0 | 39,986.0                    | 20.1 | 20,817.0       | 19.5 |
| DTT             | 1.0              | 16.7 | 33,539.4                    | 16.9 | 15,605.3       | 14.6 |
| Non-Big Five    | 1.0              | 16.7 | 25,864.4                    | 13.0 | 15,383.2       | 14.4 |
| AA              | 0.5              | 8.3  | 30,946.6                    | 15.6 | 15,268.8       | 14.3 |
| E&Y             | 0.5              | 8.3  | 16,037.2                    | 8.1  | 3,863.9        | 3.6  |
| Germany         | 1.0              | 1.3  | 17,003.4                    | 0.7  | 52,221.6       | 3.5  |
| KPMG            | 0.5              | 50.0 | 8,501.7                     | 50.0 | 26,110.8       | 50.0 |
| PwC             | 0.5              | 50.0 | 8,501.7                     | 50.0 | 26,110.8       | 50.0 |
| India           | 1.0              | 1.3  | 11,916.8                    | 0.5  | 2,292.6        | 0.2  |
| PwC             | 0.5              | 50.0 | 5,958.4                     | 50.0 | 1,146.3        | 50.0 |
| Non-Big Five    | 0.5              | 50.0 | 5,958.4                     | 50.0 | 1,146.3        | 50.0 |
| Japan           | 5.0              | 6.3  | 150,291.1                   | 6.4  | 76,840.7       | 5.2  |
| PwC             | 2.0              | 40.0 | 105,967.3                   | 70.5 | 27,806.0       | 36.2 |
| DTT             | 2.0              | 40.0 | 34,261.8                    | 22.8 | 37,692.8       | 49.1 |
| AA              | 1.0              | 20.0 | 10,062.0                    | 6.7  | 11,341.9       | 14.8 |

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| Country/Auditor | No. of Companies | %     | Market Cap<br>@ 9/11/99 \$m | %     | Revenue<br>\$m | %     |
|-----------------|------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| Netherlands     | 3.0              | 3.8   | 93,817.0                    | 4.0   | 125,581.0      | 8.5   |
| PwC             | 1.0              | 33.3  | 57,254.7                    | 61.0  | 89,972.6       | 71.6  |
| DTT             | 1.0              | 33.3  | 20,184.9                    | 21.5  | 29,539.9       | 23.5  |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 33.3  | 16,377.4                    | 17.5  | 6,068.5        | 4.8   |
| Sweden          | 1.0              | 1.3   | 20,651.3                    | 0.9   | 2,834.4        | 0.2   |
| E&Y             | 1.0              | 100.0 | 20,651.3                    | 100.0 | 2,834.4        | 100.0 |
| Switzerland     | 1.0              | 1.3   | 73,215.2                    | 3.1   | 49,449.6       | 3.3   |
| KPMG            | 1.0              | 100.0 | 73,215.2                    | 100.0 | 49,449.6       | 100.0 |
| United Kingdom  | 12.0             | 15.0  | 156,840.6                   | 6.7   | 163,796.2      | 11.1  |
| PwC             | 6.0              | 50.0  | 79,984.9                    | 51.0  | 102,322.2      | 62.5  |
| KPMG            | 3.0              | 25.0  | 44,369.0                    | 28.3  | 34,412.5       | 21.0  |
| E&Y             | 2.0              | 16.7  | 20,180.5                    | 12.9  | 20,313.6       | 12.4  |
| AA              | 1.0              | 8.3   | 12,306.2                    | 7.8   | 6,747.9        | 4.1   |
| United States   | 48.0             | 60.0  | 1,578,474.0                 | 67.7  | 883,872.4      | 59.7  |
| DTT             | 12.0             | 25.0  | 310,001.8                   | 19.6  | 232,601.4      | 26.3  |
| PwC             | 12.0             | 25.0  | 354,402.4                   | 22.5  | 168,432.7      | 19.1  |
| E&Y             | 8.0              | 16.7  | 521,449.8                   | 33.0  | 238,237.3      | 27.0  |
| KPMG            | 8.0              | 16.7  | 252,734.9                   | 16.0  | 135,926.6      | 15.4  |
| AA              | 8.0              | 16.7  | 139,885.1                   | 8.9   | 108,674.4      | 12.3  |
| Total           | 80.0             | 100.0 | 2,332,533.4                 | 100.0 | 1,481,031.1    | 100.0 |

Note: The revenue figures represent net sales or revenues, defined as gross sales and other operating revenue less discounts, returns and allowances; for tobacco companies the figures do not include duty in turnover