

April 2020

Online Grocery Retailing - UK

“In 2019 growth slowed for the fourth consecutive year in the online grocery market, as the sector continues to struggle to reach new customers with much of the growth in the market coming from existing users. The start to 2020 has seen growth rapidly accelerate due to the COVID-19 outbreak ...

March 2020

Health Food Retailing - UK

The market for health foods continues to grow on the back of the rising trend for health and wellbeing but consumers remain sceptical of the potential benefits of the products. While there are opportunities for specialist retailers to remain relevant, online retailers and especially supermarkets have been working hard to ...

Leisure Outlook - UK

“The coronavirus outbreak presents a catastrophic threat to the sector both in the short- and long term. Meeting Brits in the home can help mitigate losses for some, for example through virtual entertainment and delivery food services. Transparency and flexibility will be welcomed by consumers.”

Baby Food and Drink - UK

“That parents would like to see more chilled and frozen varieties poses an opportunity for further expansion in these areas, these being largely untapped in baby/toddler food. While moving into the chilled or frozen aisles comes with hurdles in terms of costs, price points, shelf-life and visibility, the strong ...

Consumers and the Economic Outlook - UK

“The UK left the EU with consumers still expecting Brexit to have a negative overall effect, but with much more positive views than in previous months. The clarity provided by the General Election and delivery of Brexit, continued high employment and above-inflation wage rises, have combined to pushed Mintel’s consumer ...

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Cider - UK

“Promoting craft-style cues such as authenticity, heritage and high juice content may help cider to retain interest among drinkers looking for quality over quantity. Meanwhile, lower- and non-alcoholic variants have made strong inroads in the beer market and may provide more opportunities for cider brands in the coming years, particularly ...

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Fruit Juice, Juice Drinks and Smoothies - UK

White Spirits and RTDs - UK



Drink - UK

“The spotlight on sugar has put pressure on the category for several years now, but emerging health trends offer opportunities for these products to promote their health credentials. Growing focus on the importance of fibre points to NPD potential in fruit juices and smoothies, while the trend for reducing alcohol ...

“Fuelled by exponential growth in the popularity of gin, the white spirits category has elevated innovation in recent years to explore new flavours, colours and ingredients. However, brands will need to aim for uniqueness, sustainable credentials and provenance going forward to create premium, standout products that can weather increasing competition ...