



Retail: Big Picture - UK

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Consumers and the Economic Outlook - UK

“The end of social distancing and the associated boost to retail, leisure and entertainment spend brought about an immediate rebound in economic activity, and GDP grew by 4.8% in Q2 2021. Consumers have also responded positively, with Mintel’s current financial wellbeing and financial confidence trackers reaching new record-highs in ...

Ethical retailing - UK

“Ethical retail practices have been very much in the spotlight since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic. Attention was drawn to how retailers treated both staff and members of the public during the pandemic. In addition, shoppers across all age groups are increasingly concerned about the effect their shopping habits ...