

**July 2022****Footwear Retailing - UK**

"The footwear market has faced pent-up demand, as consumer routines become normalised and the high street reopens. Value for money will be a key focus for consumers as the cost-of-living squeeze begins to take hold; big-name brands will need to further prove durability and quality as many consumers look to ...

**June 2022****Garden Product Retailing - UK**

"The year ahead will be a lean one for the garden product sector as a financial squeeze follows two years of remarkable pandemic-driven growth. Retailers and brands must focus on maintaining engagement with the new shoppers they picked up in the last couple of years. With consumers already concerned with ...

**DIY Retailing - UK**

"DIY was again one of the best-performing non-essential retail markets amid continued disruption in the past year. However, the coming year will be much less certain, as demand slows with less time indoors and a near-perfect storm of inflation and supply chain issues. The growth of specialists, then, will depend ...

**Convenience Stores - UK**

"New technologies, ways of living and government legislation are opening up exciting opportunities for the convenience sector but retailers must adapt quickly to tap into them. A renewed focus on making the experience convenient as well as revamping food-to-go will be top of the agenda, but rising inflation, growing costs ...

**May 2022****Direct to Consumer - UK**

"Selling directly to consumers is not a new concept, but the rise of ecommerce over the past decade has provided for the foundations for it to be a more disruptive concept across all sectors, from automotive to media distribution. For retailers the modern D2C model has proved the platform for ...