

Number of Skilled Persons Reports commissioned in 2024/25 Q2 (1 July - 30 September 2024)

Figure 1.

Market	Number of Skilled Persons Reports commissioned in 2024/25 Q2		
Consumer Finance	0		
Consumer Investments	6		
Infrastructure & Exchanges	0		
Insurance	2		
Payments & Digital Assets	0		
Retail Banking	0		
Wholesale Buy-Side	2		
Wholesale Sell-Side	4		
Total	14		

Figure 2.

Skilled Person Panel Lot	FCA Supervision Categories		
	Dedicated supervision firm	Portfolio supervision firm	Total
Lot A: Client Assets and Safeguarding	0	1	1
Lot C: Controls and risk management frameworks	1	3	4
Lot D: Conduct of business	1	0	1
Lot E: Financial Crime	0	6	6
Lot I: Technology and information management	0	1	1
Lot K: CBEST Penetration Testing	1	0	1
Total	3	11	14

Notes:

- 1. For 2024/25, Figure 1 has been updated to reflect our current framework for classifying firms by financial market.
- 2. Details of the FCA's Approach to Supervision can be found on our website..
- 3. Of the 14 Skilled Person Reports commissioned in 2024/25 Q2, one was commissioned under the FCA's power to contract directly with a Skilled Person.
- 4. Where a firm contracts with a Skilled Person, the firm is responsible for the selection and appointment of the Skilled Person, with the FCA approving any such selection in accordance with SUP 5.4.8G.
- 5. Details of the different Skilled Person Report categories or Lots can be found on the FCA website.
- 6. The figures stated are correct as of **1 October 2024** but may be subject to change.