UKSPA member survey
A collection of insights from the 2018-19 research on our members

120,000 people are employed on UKSPA member locations

- 82% Brand of location/prestige
- 80% Location
- 77% Connectivity (Broadband / Fibre Optic)
- 69% Availability of highly-skilled workforce
- 65% Presence of 'anchor' tenants
- 63% University/HE presence/links

Contributors to success
Over three quarters of UKSPA members believe their provision of connectivity (Broadband/Fibre Networks) is an important contribution to the success of their location

68% Tenant Companies
Over two thirds of tenant companies on UKSPA member locations are independent single site companies

- 4% Unknown
- 5% Other
- 7% Not for profit organisations
- 16% Subsidiaries of multi-site companies
- 68% Independent single-site companies

77% of UKSPA members see lack of affordable housing as a constraint on future success

25% of UKSPA members offer access to child care facilities

42% of locations offer incubation services or support. 75% of these locations provide specialist incubation space

93% of locations provide meeting room facilities, with 79% offering conference space

53% of members provide occupiers with access to specialist financial advice

Year of Opening
70% of UKSPA locations opened after 2000

- 17.2% Pre 1990
- 12.5% 1990s
- 31% 2000s
- 39.1% 2010s

4,000+ networking events were hosted by UKSPA member locations, of which almost 1,200 promoted collaboration between tenant companies

5,800 companies and organisations occupy space on UKSPA member locations

4,000 companies located on UKSPA Science Parks

1,300 companies located on UKSPA innovation centres

500 research and technology organisations