



## Understanding local economic multipliers

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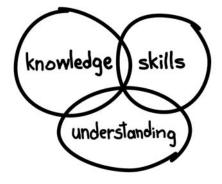


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## What we set out to do

Fuelled by 2 key frustrations:

- Under recognised role of the public sector in the local economy
- Lack of understanding of the catalytic and multiplier effects of public spend within commercial and social economies

### What we set out to do

- Gather evidence on how and where public sector resources are being spent
- Develop a replicable method and model of measuring the economic impact of public sector spend on the local economy
- Assist with local economic understanding and assessment
- Enable strategic directors and managers to make better economic decisions around services delivery

## LM3 – what is it?

- A multiplier model for understanding local economic impact of public spend
- Initially devised by NEF to understand contract and procurement spend
- CLES and APSE tailored LM3 to think about totality of public spending



## LM3 – What does it involve?

The LM3 model

- Round 1 total spend
- Round 2 spend upon (local) suppliers
- Round 2 spend upon (local) direct employees
- Round 3 re-spend of local suppliers upon their own local suppliers and their own local employees
- Round 3 re-spend of direct employees upon good and services in the local economy
- LM3 = Round 1 + Round 2 + Round 3Round 1

## LM3 – What do you need to start?

- Buy-in from the service area/organisation key to robust data
- Postcode data for the authority (all postcodes)
- Commitment to data for a specific time period
- Service area and business plan documentation
- Strategic documentation
- Round 1
  - Figures for the total spend of organisation for financial year
  - Figures for total spend of each service area for financial year
- Round 2
  - Figures for each invoice issued to organisation by suppliers
    - Must include name of organisation, postcode and value of invoice
  - Figures for the gross and net spend of the organisation upon employees
    - A list of direct employee postcodes

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## LM3 – What do you need to do?

- Set up spreadsheets and formulas for analysis
- Get to know the department, service area and locality
- Think about which service area to hone in upon for round 3
- Design surveys for round 3
  - Survey of employees
  - Survey of selection of suppliers
- Sort out logistics for your surveying

# **Results from West Lothian**

- Round 1 NETs £10,801,353.60
- Round 2 NETs spent £834,227.83 on local suppliers (34%)
- Round 2 NETs spent £4,963,553.59 on local employees (85%)
- Round 3 Suppliers to NETs re-spent £147,745.32 in local economy (18p in every pound)
- Local employees of NETs re-spent £1,607,366.22 in local economy
- Non-local employees of NETs re-spent £76,908.00 in local economy

## LM3 in West Lothian

### LM3 – NETs and Land Services = 1.71

- 54p in every pound spent directly on local employees and local suppliers
- Further 17p generated for local economy by supplier and employee respending

### LM3 – West Lothian Operational Services = 1.59

- 39p in every pound spent directly on local employees and local suppliers
- Further 20p generated for local economy supplier and employee respending

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## Applying LM3 to your locality

### Discussion

- Working out the LM3 for Kennethville
- What would you use LM3 for?