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Personal Pensions - UK

“2020 was a challenging year for the individual pension market as COVID-19-related disruption added to the difficulties already facing the sector before the pandemic. Sales have recovered in 2021 thanks to a rise in household savings activity and improving consumer confidence. However, it remains to be seen if new business ...

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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 ...

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Retirement Planning - UK

“Only 34% of people aged over-45-65 have sought expert advice on a pension or retirement-related matter. Yet many more are interested in doing so. This shows there is good scope to expand the market for retirement planning and advice. The challenge for advisers is to convert this interest into positive ...