

THE MISSING MIDDLE.

Changing the workplace for gender-balanced leadership.

Employers have to redouble efforts to recruit, develop and retain female managers if they are to create diverse and balanced organisations over the next decade, according to new analysis from CMI.

HALF A MILLION MISSING WOMEN



There are **3.3 million** managers in the UK today...



34% are women...



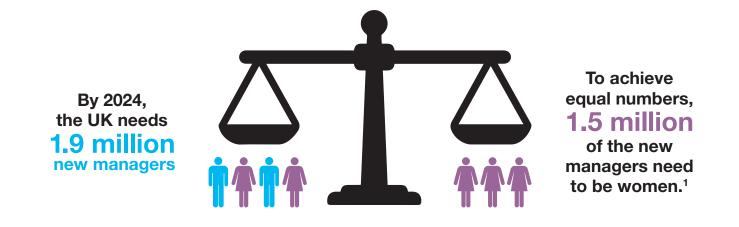
...that means 513,000 women are missing from management.



Progress is too slow. On current trends, the gap will still be

480,000 in 2024.

ACHIEVING 50/50 LEADERSHIP



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The talent pipeline is broken thanks to a 'missing middle'. Women fill a majority of junior roles but disappear at more senior levels and they are still paid less.

	DIRECTORS		
REPRESENTATION	SENIOR MANAGERS	16% gg	
	MIDDLE MANAGERS		
	PROFESSIONAL	6 %	
	ENTRY LEVEL / JUNIOR	ŤŤŤŤŤ Ť	
	Male managers are 40% more likely to be promoted than women	And the gender pay gap among managers still stands at:	

WHAT'S THE BUSINESS CASE FOR ACTION?

An 18% ROI premium for gender-diverse leadership teams.³



Diversity could add \$12 trillion annually to the global economy⁴ and £150 billion a year to the UK economy⁵ in 2025.

Diverse companies are 15% more likely to out-perform competitors.6



Diversity improves decision-making and reduces risk.

Women score 5% higher on the ethic of care.7



CMI WOMEN – A BLUEPRINT FOR BALANCE

Diversity is the foundation for good leadership and management. It improves financials, creates a better culture and ensures less risky decision-making.

CMI Women exists to inspire and support women throughout their careers and provide organisations with a Blueprint for Balance so they can benefit from being a diverse organisation.

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Diverse teams deliver better results

