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The Productivity Institute

The Productivity Institute is a UK-wide research organization exploring what productivity means for business, for workers and for communities – how it is measured and how it truly contributes to increased living standards and well-being. We aim to pinpoint the causes of the stagnation in UK productivity and focus energies to laying the foundations for a new era of sustained and inclusive productivity growth.

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