

# Family Business

Hawsons has a dedicated team of specialist family business accountants in Sheffield, Doncaster and Northampton.

Family businesses are the cornerstone of the British economy and each one is different. Our family business accountants work with a large number of family businesses and have a deep understanding of the sometimes conflicting dynamics that can impact both the family and the business. In recent years we have worked closely with the International Centre for Families in Business, and together with the Centre have developed a unique programme of training in family business dynamics for our partners. Our experts work closely with a large number of family businesses to address both the challenges and opportunities presented by a changing business environment.

We have been working with family businesses for over 160 years and with our experience in the sector we are able to develop a close understanding of your business and, through active year round involvement, we can help you anticipate and deal with challenges quickly and effectively.

For more information please contact your local office:

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**Hawsons**  
Chartered Accountants

# Specialist family business accountants

As a firm, we not only provide dedicated accounting services, we also offer a range of specialist solutions to family businesses:

- Personal financial planning
- Estate and wealth management
- Business financial planning
- Management succession
- Owner and exit transition strategies
- Tax minimisation
- Governance

## Current issues and newsletters

- 75% of all private sector companies are family-owned
- 30% of these businesses make it to the second generation
- 40% of these business have no identified successor

Our experts are aware of current developments for the family business sector and through our proactive approach, we inform our clients of any issues that may affect them. We regularly update our website with articles specific to family businesses.

To download our latest articles and to sign-up to receive all of our future family business news please visit our website at: [www.hawsons.co.uk/family-business](http://www.hawsons.co.uk/family-business)



## About Hawsons

Hawsons is one of the longest standing firms of independent chartered accountants in England and recently celebrated 160 years of providing expert advice to businesses of all types and sizes.

Hawsons Chartered Accountants was founded in Sheffield in 1854 – more than 25 years before the creation of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales – by Alfred Allott and John Hewett. The firm has since grown to become one of the UK's leading independent accounting practices, with a team of nearly 100 people across three UK offices, in Sheffield, Northampton and Doncaster.

## Free initial meeting

To find out more about how we can help you, please get in touch today. We believe in long-term client relationships and understand the importance of meeting to establish that you like us and we like you. This is why we offer all new clients a free initial meeting which will enable you to have a discussion about you and your business issues. For more information please visit [www.hawsons.co.uk/meeting](http://www.hawsons.co.uk/meeting)

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