58000 Vacant Commercial Properties in the Edinburgh Area

I am requesting information regarding vacant or unoccupied commercial properties within the City of Edinburgh Council area.

Specifically, I request:

- 1. A register or list of all commercial properties currently vacant, including:
  - Property address (or partial address if full disclosure is restricted)
  - Property type (e.g., retail, industrial, office, mixed-use)
  - Duration of vacancy
  - Ownership type (private, council-owned)
  - Any applicable business rates relief/exemptions due to vacancy

## 2. Summary data:

- Total number of vacant commercial properties
- Breakdown by vacancy duration (e.g., 6–12 months, 12–24 months, 24+ months)
- Any trends over the past three years

If possible, I would appreciate receiving the data in a machine-readable format such as CSV or Excel.

We publish a list of Non-Domestic Rates data for commercial properties on our website through the following link:

https://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/downloads/download/13854/non-domestic-rates-business-rates-data

Filter by Column K, 'Relief Description' by selecting the following:

Empty Property - 50%

Empty Property - 50% - Listed Building

Empty Property - No Discount

Listed Building - No Discount

Other Previously Exemption - No Discount

In relation to Council-owned vacant commercial properties specifically, please refer to the attached spreadsheet which provides data as at 25/10/2025.