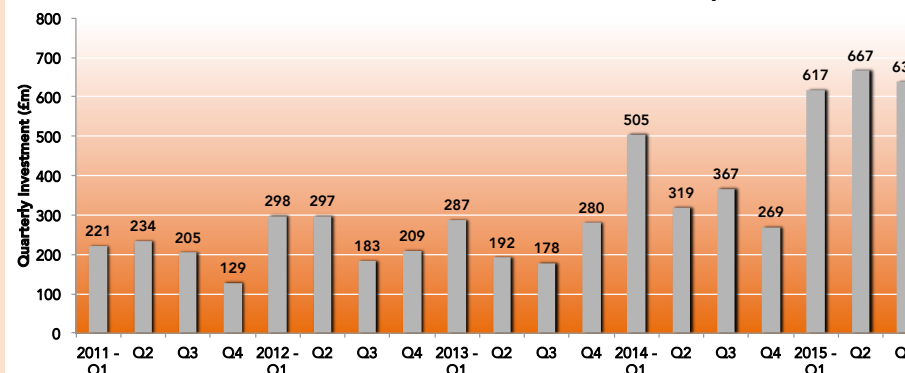


- > In Q3 2015, **£638m (£367m)** was invested in **131 (88)** deals of over £0.5m by **115 (103)** investors
- > In year to date, **£1,922m** has been invested in **365** deals
- > The busiest investors were Crowdcube, London Co-Investment Fund, Scottish Investment Bank, Parkwalk, Syndicate Room, London Business Angels, Mercia Technology
- > **66%** (65%) of deals involved more than one investor
- > **70%** of deals were less than **£2m** in value, these received **10%** of money invested
- > Private investors participated in **47%** (32%) of deals
- > Crowdfunding platforms financed **18%** (8%) of deals
- > US investors participated in **5%** of deals, European investors in **6%** and Corporate Investors in **16%**
- > There have been three primary areas of investment focus – Internet Services (**£465m, 74 companies**), Software (**£52m, 29 companies**) and Cleantech (**£71m, 6 companies**). In addition, **22** companies who could not be simply categorised, together raised over **£50m**.

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- > The 10 biggest deals (with disclosed values) received **69%** of funds invested, were:

FanDuel	£175m
Deliveroo	£45m
Secret Escapes	£38m
Made.com	£38m
AMCS	£32m
First Light Fusion	£23m
Geniac	£22m
MyOptique	£20m
Crowdmix	£17m
Darktrace	£15m

- > The most active regions were London and Scotland which were responsible for **56%** and **11%** of deals respectively. London's share of the VC money was **48%** of the funds invested in the UK and Ireland.
- > On a city by city basis, **74** London tech companies received investment, **9** Edinburgh, **6** in Cambridge, and **6** in Dublin. All other cities or towns had 4 deals or less deals.

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