

The Best Factory Awards 2012 shortlist:

- Entek International, Newcastle (battery separators)
- Vernacare, Bolton (infection prevention products/healthcare)
- Cummins Power Generation, Ramsgate (generators)
- Colt International, Havant (climate/smoke control systems)
- Siemens MR Magnet Technology, Witney (magnet technology for MRI scanners)
- Sony UK Technology Centre, Bridgend (broadcast & professional cameras)
- Stannah Stairlifts, Andover (Stairlifts)
- Renishaw, Stroud (metrology/machine tool probes)
- Analox, Stokesley (gas sensors/alarms)
- Aimia Foods, Haydock (vending machine products)
- Arla Foods, Lockerbie (milk/dairy)
- Benson Box, Bardonia (folding food cartons)
- General Mills Berwick, Berwick-upon-Tweed (ready to use pastry)
- Bott, Bude (vehicle/workplace storage)