

# Borehamwood

q3 2011 business confidence report



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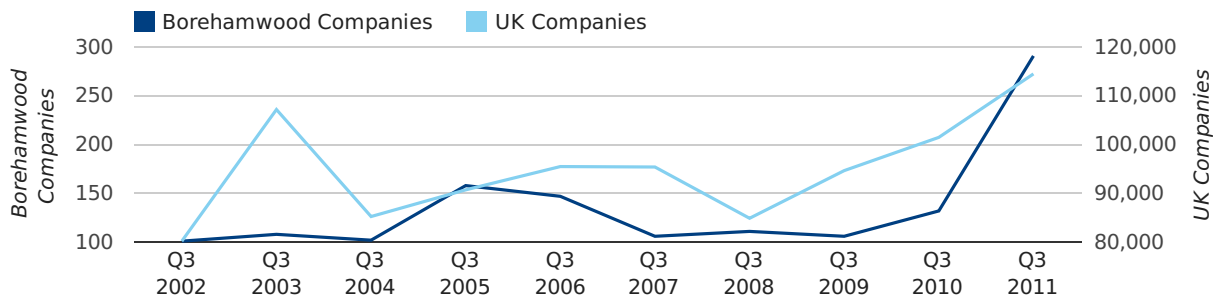
Q3 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Borehamwood when compared to any previous Q3.

A total of 291 companies were registered in Borehamwood during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

This figure is an increase of 120.5% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.8% against the same period last year.

THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	BOREHAMWOOD	UK
2011	291	114,512
2010	132	101,492
% CHANGE	120.5%	12.8%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (291)	2011 (114,512)

### new companies by quarter



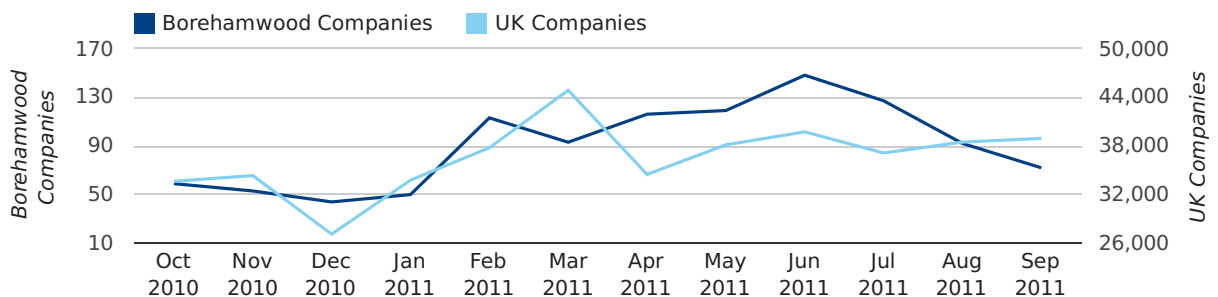
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### new companies by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	127	92	72
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	51	42	39
% CHANGE	149.0%	119.0%	84.6%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (127)	2011 (92)	2011 (72)



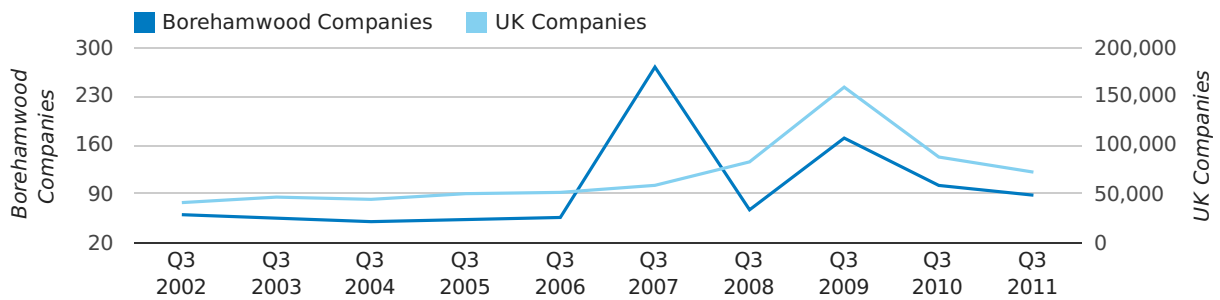
### Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

A total of 88 companies were dissolved in Borehamwood during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 13.7% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 17.6% against the same period last year.

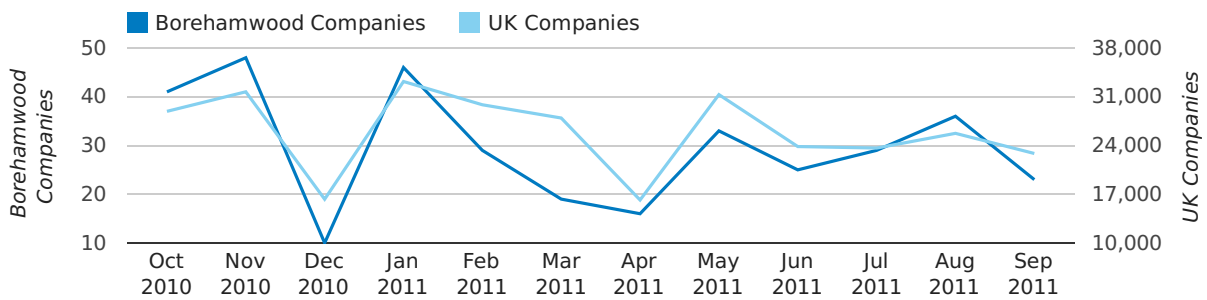
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	BOREHAMWOOD	UK
2011	88	72,230
2010	102	87,705
% CHANGE	-13.7%	-17.6%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (272)	2009 (159,401)

### dissolved companies by quarter



### Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

### dissolved companies by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	29	36	23
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	35	37	30
% CHANGE	-17.1%	-2.7%	-23%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (38)	2007 (133)	2007 (101)

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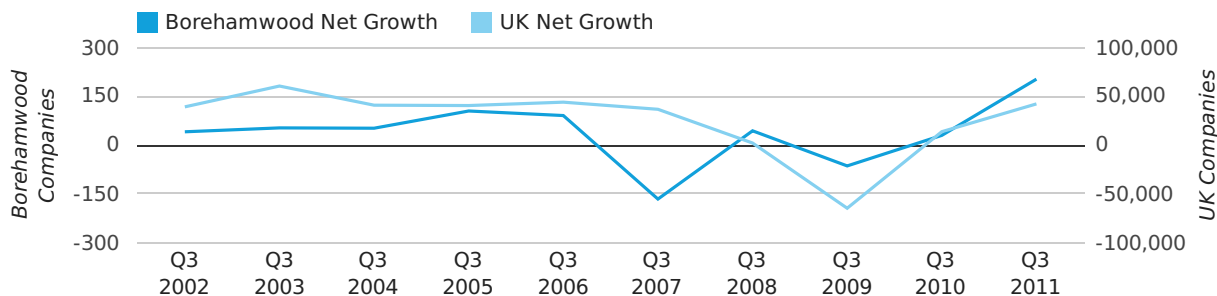
Q3 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Borehamwood when compared to any previous Q3.

Net company growth for Borehamwood during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011) was 203 companies.

This represents an increase of 576.7% on the same period last year.

THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	BOREHAMWOOD	UK
2011	203	42,282
2010	30	13,787
% CHANGE	576.7%	206.7%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (203)	2003 (60,597)

### net growth by quarter



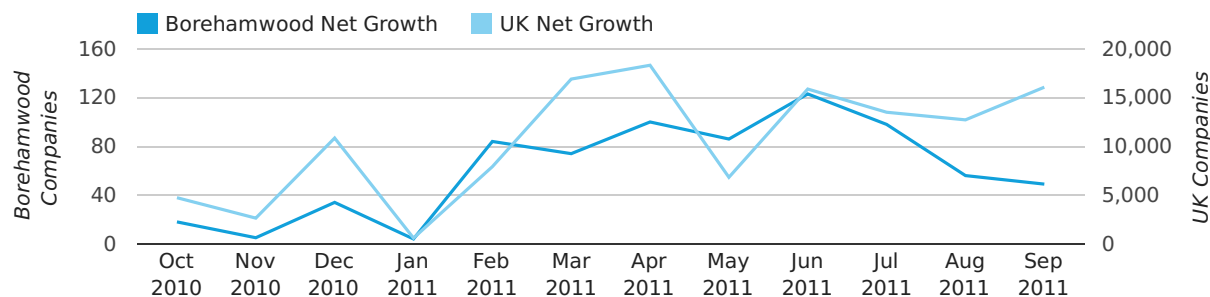
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### net growth by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	98	56	49
NET GROWTH IN 2010	16	5	9
% CHANGE	512.5%	1,020.0%	444.4%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (98)	2011 (56)	2011 (49)

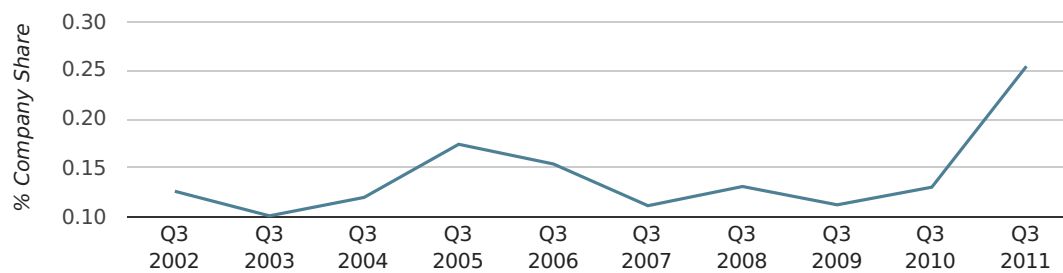


### Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

In the third quarter of 2011, Borehamwood formed 0.3% of all UK companies.

THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	BOREHAMWOOD
2011	0.3%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2011 (0.3%)

### company share by quarter

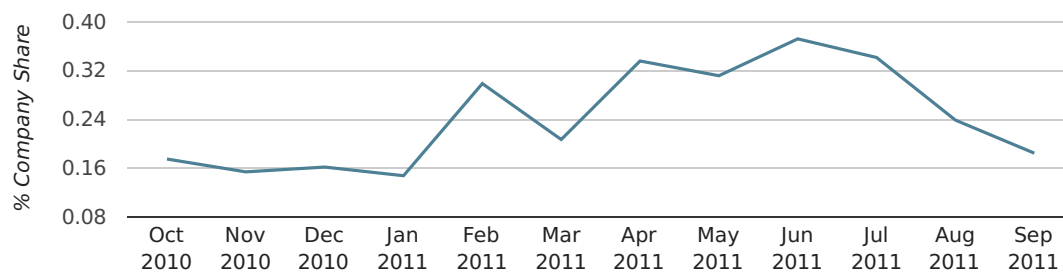


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### company share by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	127.8%	84.3%	66.7%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (0.3%)	1962 (0.4%)	1972 (0.3%)



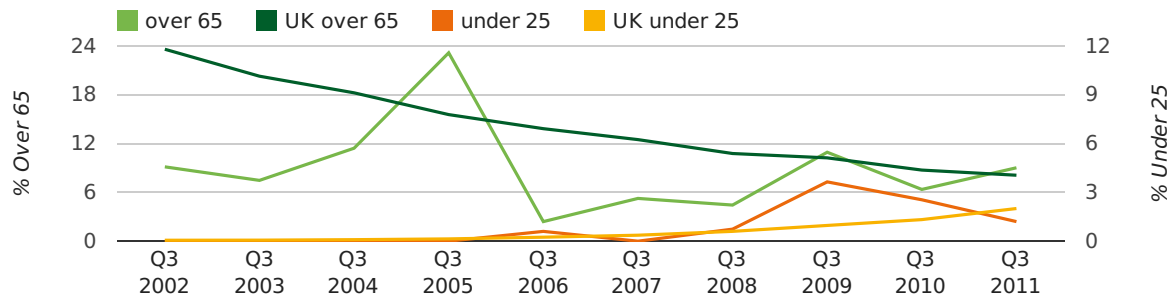
### Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

The average age of a director in the third quarter of 2011 was 46.0.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 1.2% compared to the UK figure of 4.0%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 9.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

#### director age by quarter

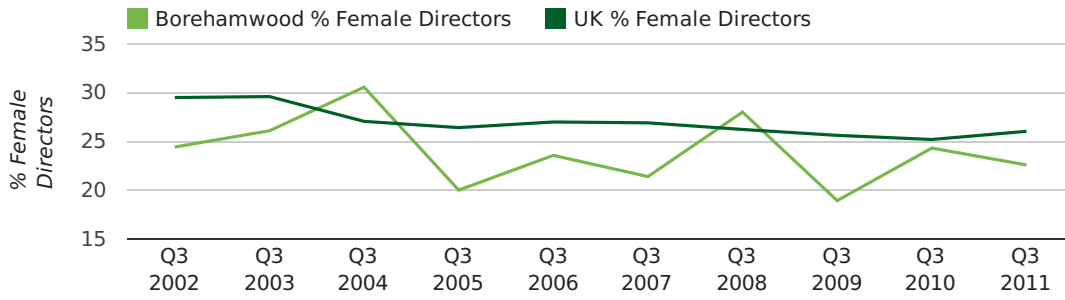


### Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

The record third quarter for female directors in Borehamwood was in 1862 when 50.0% of all directors were female.

22.6% of all director appointments in Borehamwood in the third quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 26.0% for the same period.

#### director gender by quarter



## Previous 12 months (Sep 2010-Sep 2011)

Excluding: LIMITED, LTD, &amp;, UK, SERVICES, THE, (UK), AND, LTD., A, LLP, SOLUTIONS, COMPANY, OF.

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
SALES	3.19%	CONSULTING	5.11%
TRADE	2.85%	MANAGEMENT	4.75%
UNIVERSAL	1.63%	CONSULTANCY	3.19%
CAPITAL	1.56%	PROPERTY	2.41%
PROJECTS	1.42%	TRADING	2.06%
BUSINESS	1.36%	DESIGN	1.94%
MANAGEMENT	1.22%	ASSOCIATES	1.85%
UNITED	1.09%	BUSINESS	1.82%
VENTURES	1.09%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
EXPORT	0.95%	ENGINEERING	1.74%
ASSOCIATES	0.95%	MEDIA	1.72%
CONSULTING	0.88%	CONSTRUCTION	1.72%
ALLIANCE	0.75%	LONDON	1.63%
IMPORT	0.68%	J	1.47%
PROPERTIES	0.61%	GLOBAL	1.46%
ENERGY	0.61%	INVESTMENTS	1.43%
WORLDWIDE	0.61%	CARE	1.42%
MERCHANTS	0.61%	IT	1.38%
INVESTMENTS	0.61%	BUILDING	1.30%
GLOBAL	0.61%	PROPERTIES	1.28%
CONSULTANCY	0.61%	ELECTRICAL	1.27%
RESOURCES	0.54%	M	1.25%
TECHNICS	0.54%	ENERGY	1.22%
EUROPE	0.54%	TRAINING	1.21%
ENGINEERING	0.47%	S	1.21%

## Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	311	204,493
7487 - Other business activities	74	65,177
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	38	29,245
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	36	10,137
9999 - Dormant Company	29	22,587
99999 - Dormant Company	25	18,281
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	22	15,760
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	20	8,345
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	20	10,018
7499 - Non-trading company	19	11,543
7414 - Business & management consultancy	12	14,755
7260 - Other computer related activities	11	8,686
62090 - Other information technology service activities	11	6,798
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	10	6,321
74990 - Non-trading company	10	8,064
68100 - Buying and selling of own real estate	8	2,426
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	7	7,551
9305 - Other service activities	7	10,525
8514 - Other human health activities	7	2,943
59111 - Motion picture production activities	6	1,200