

# Brentwood

2011 half year business confidence report



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- Q2 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Brentwood when compared to any previous Q2.
- June 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Brentwood when compared to any previous June.

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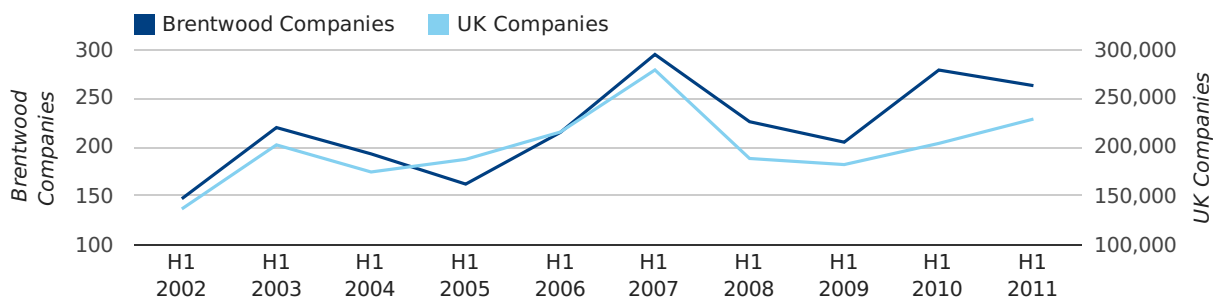
### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 263 companies were formed in Brentwood. This figure is 5.7% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Brentwood occurred in 2007 when a total of 295 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	263	228,735
2010	279	203,749
% CHANGE	-5.7%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (295)	2007 (279,097)

### new companies by half year



### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

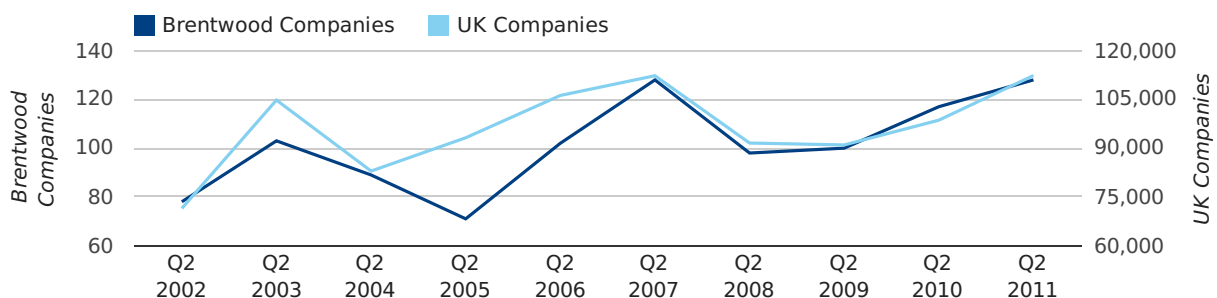
Q2 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Brentwood when compared to any previous Q2.

A total of 128 companies were registered in Brentwood during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 9.4% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares equally to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 13.9% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	128	112,344
2010	117	98,612
% CHANGE	9.4%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (128)	2011 (112,344)

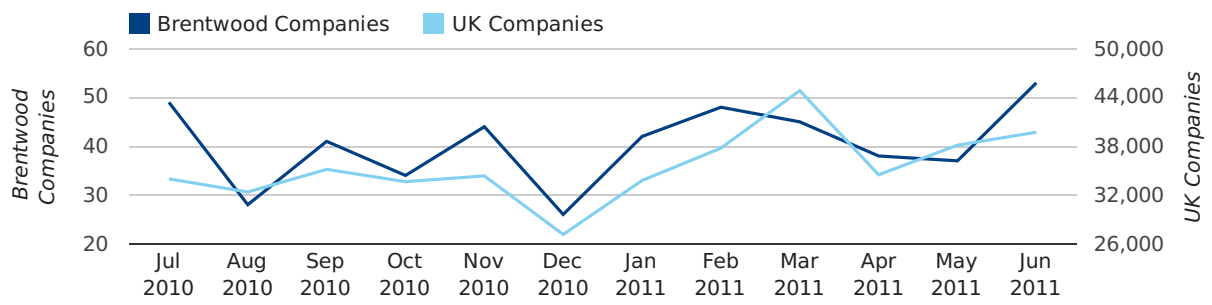
### new companies by quarter



## Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

June 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Brentwood when compared to any previous June.

### new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	38	37	53
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	39	43	35
% CHANGE	-2.6%	-14.0%	51.4%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (45)	2007 (45)	2011 (53)

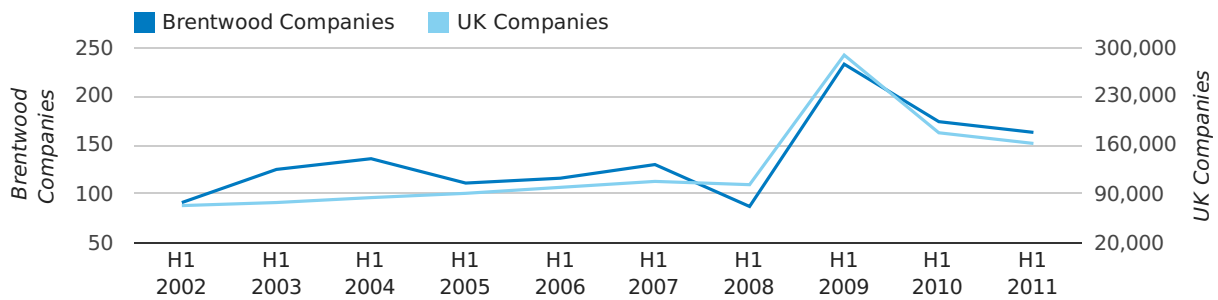
### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 163 companies were dissolved in Brentwood. This figure is 6.3% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Brentwood occurred in 2009 when a total of 233 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	163	162,310
2010	174	177,631
% CHANGE	-6.3%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (233)	2009 (289,236)

### dissolved companies by half year



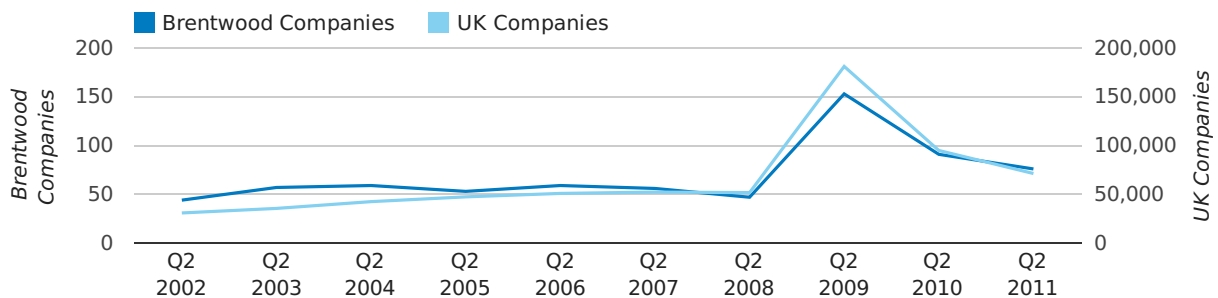
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 76 companies were dissolved in Brentwood during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 16.5% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 24.9% against the same period last year.

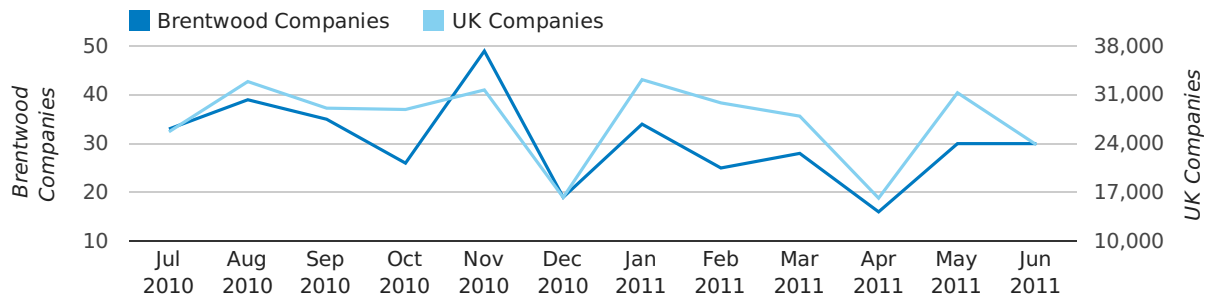
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	76	71,324
2010	91	94,954
% CHANGE	-16.5%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (153)	2009 (181,176)

### dissolved companies by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

## dissolved companies by month



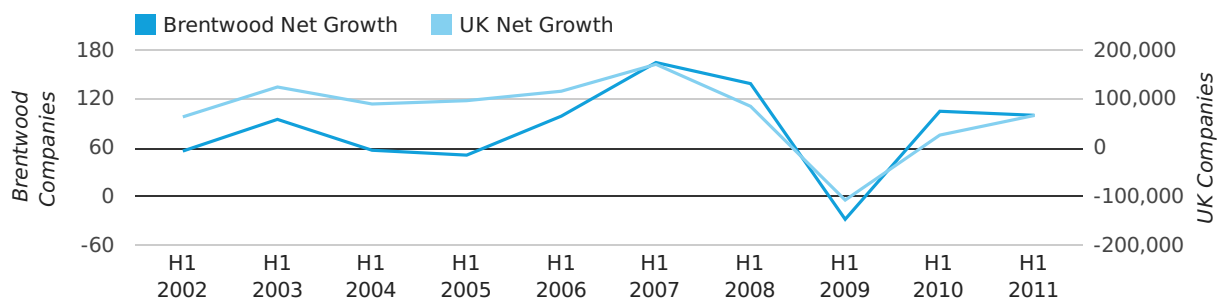
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	16	30	30
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	18	35	38
% CHANGE	-11.1%	-14.3%	-21%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (43)	2009 (59)	2009 (51)

### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Brentwood increased by 100 companies. This figure is 4.8% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	100	66,425
2010	105	26,118
% CHANGE	-4.8%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (165)	2007 (171,296)

### net growth by half year



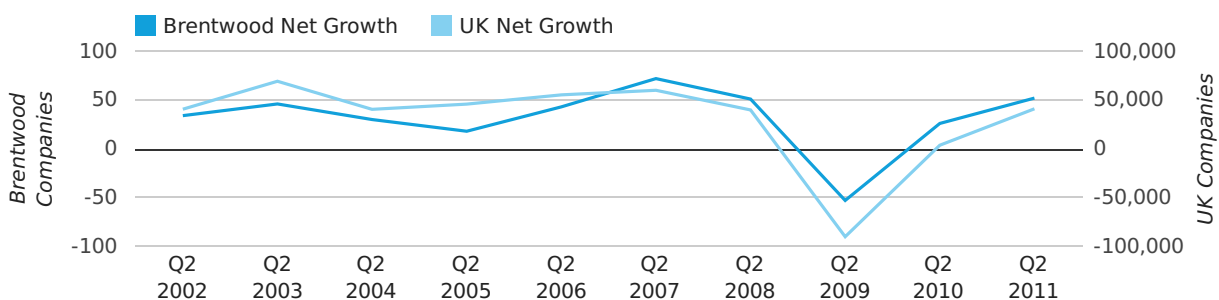
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Brentwood during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 52 companies.

This represents an increase of 100.0% on the same period last year.

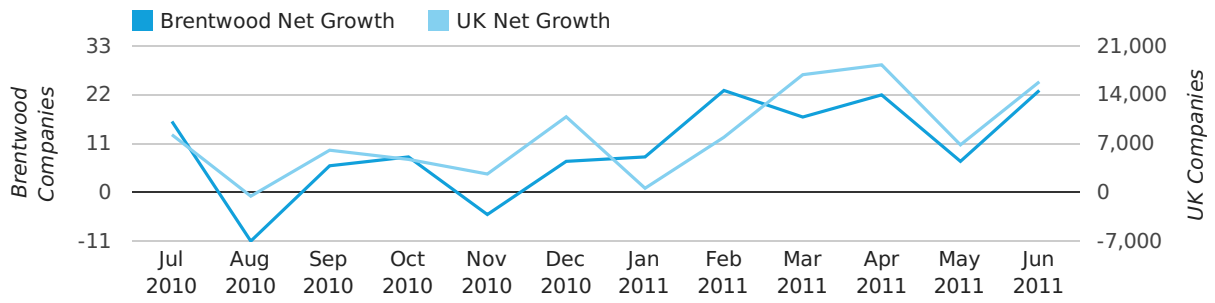
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	BRENTWOOD	UK
2011	52	41,020
2010	26	3,658
% CHANGE	100.0%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (72)	2003 (69,274)

### net growth by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

## net growth by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	22	7	23
NET GROWTH IN 2010	21	8	-3
% CHANGE	4.8%	-12.5%	-866.7%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (34)	2007 (25)	2008 (30)

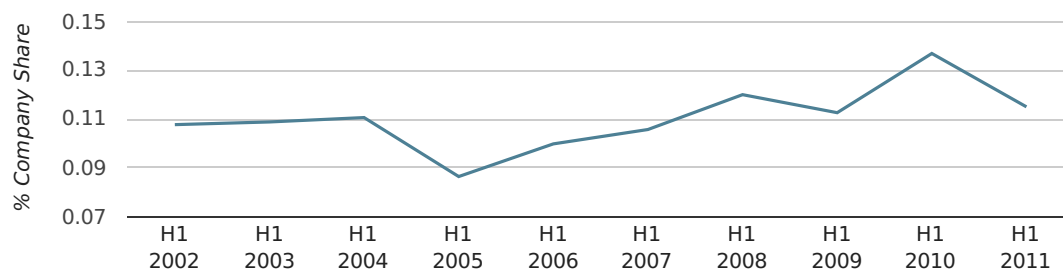


### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 Brentwood formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2010 figure of 0.1%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	BRENTWOOD
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1969 (0.3%)

#### company share by half year

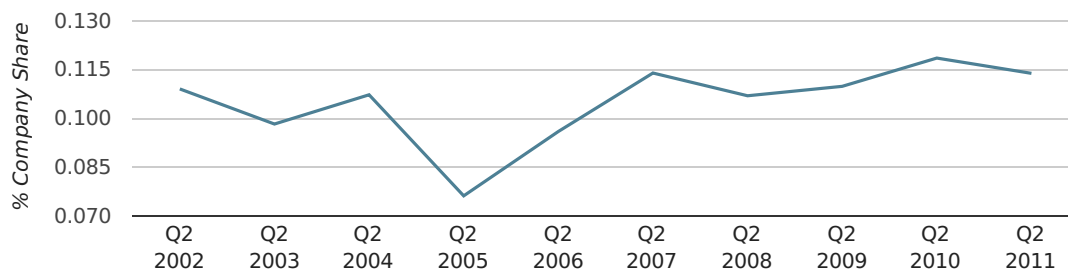


### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

In the second quarter of 2011, Brentwood formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

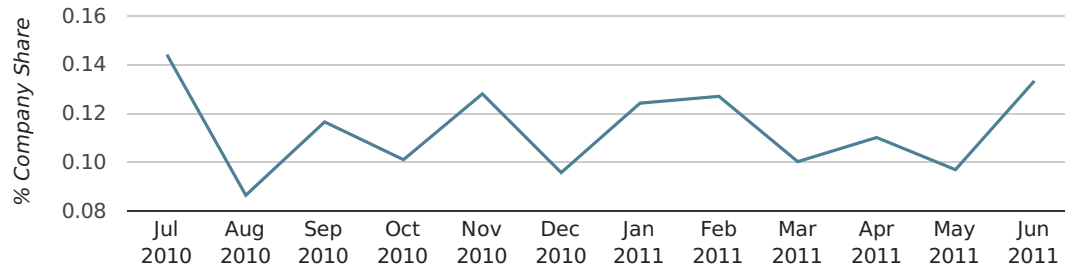
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	BRENTWOOD
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1960 (0.3%)

#### company share by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

## company share by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-5.7%	-32.3%	34.2%
RECORD YEAR	1970 (0.6%)	1972 (0.6%)	1960 (0.5%)

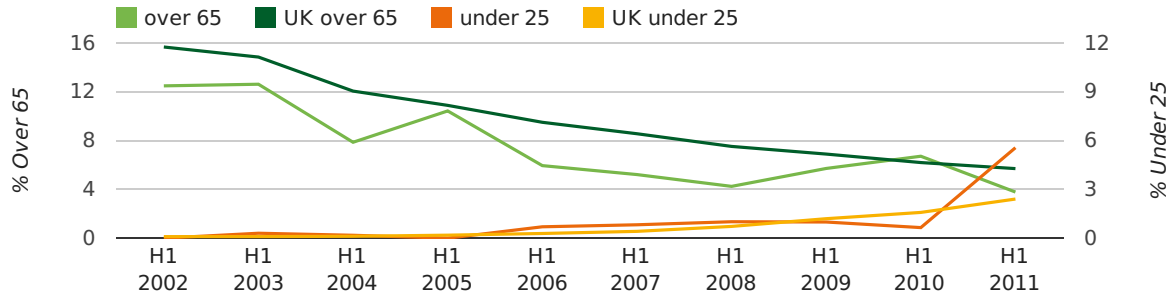
### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 43.3.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 5.6% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 3.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

#### director age by half year



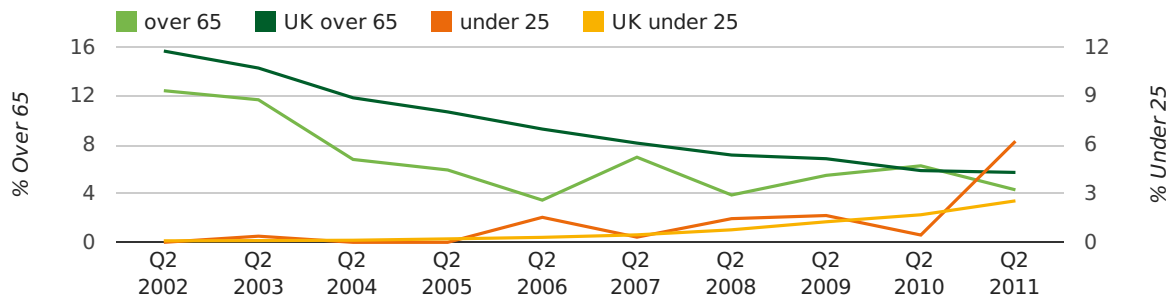
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 42.0.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 6.2% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 4.3% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

#### director age by quarter

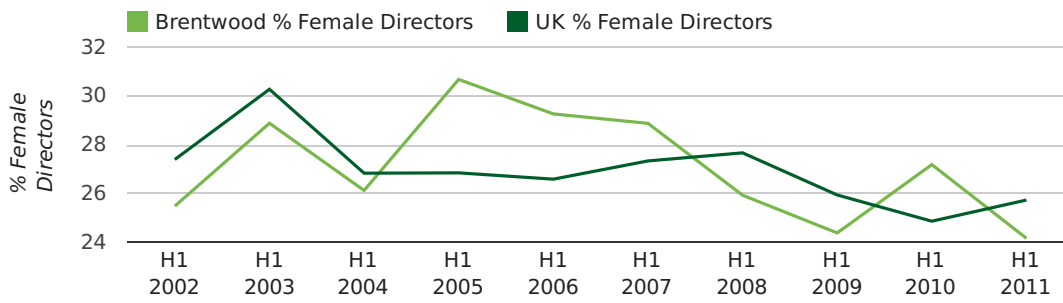


### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The record first half year for female directors in Brentwood was 1861 when 40.0% of all directors were female.

24.2% of all director appointments in Brentwood in the first half of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 25.7% for the same period.

#### director gender by half year

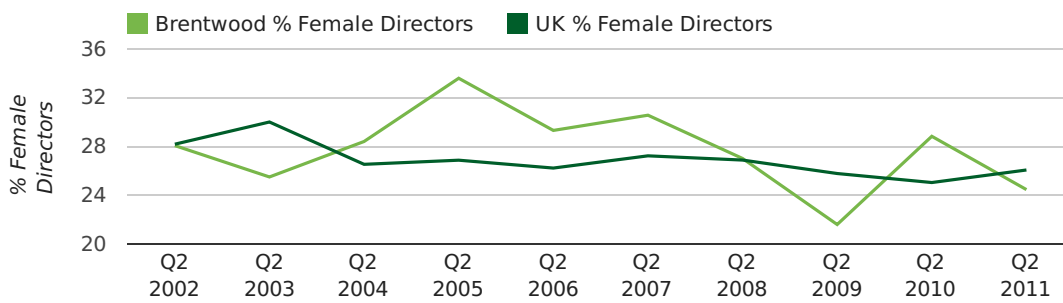


### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The record second quarter for female directors in Brentwood was in 1866 when 66.7% of all directors were female.

24.5% of all director appointments in Brentwood in the second quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 26.1% for the same period.

#### director gender by quarter



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

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
MANAGEMENT	2.12%	CONSULTING	5.09%
CONSULTING	1.65%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
ESSEX	1.18%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
CONSULTANCY	1.18%	PROPERTY	2.43%
PROPERTY	0.82%	TRADING	2.05%
BRENTWOOD	0.82%	DESIGN	1.94%
TRADING	0.71%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
CONSULTANTS	0.71%	BUSINESS	1.87%
LONDON	0.71%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
ASSOCIATES	0.71%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
ENTERPRISES	0.59%	MEDIA	1.73%
IT	0.59%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
ELECTRICAL	0.59%	LONDON	1.60%
M	0.59%	GLOBAL	1.46%
B	0.59%	J	1.44%
CONSTRUCTION	0.59%	CARE	1.44%
DEVELOPMENTS	0.59%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
BUSINESS	0.47%	IT	1.39%
AUTOMOTIVE	0.47%	BUILDING	1.32%
BUILDING	0.47%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
EVENTS	0.47%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
ROAD	0.47%	M	1.27%
H	0.47%	S	1.23%
HR	0.47%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
MEDIA	0.47%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

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

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	205	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	68	60,758
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	58	30,647
99999 - Dormant Company	35	18,918
9999 - Dormant Company	26	20,111
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	22	16,419
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	15	5,928
7260 - Other computer related activities	14	7,849
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	14	10,545
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	14	3,050
62090 - Other information technology service activities	13	7,095
7414 - Business & management consultancy	12	13,053
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	11	7,835
7499 - Non-trading company	11	10,955
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	11	10,322
9305 - Other service activities	11	9,063
74990 - Non-trading company	10	8,481
69201 - Accounting and auditing activities	9	3,394
43210 - Electrical installation	9	3,085
5248 - Other retail specialised stores	8	2,037