

Chislehurst

2011 annual business confidence report



headlines

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- The second half of 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Chislehurst when compared to any previous second half year.
- November 2011 saw a new record in company closures in Chislehurst when compared to any previous November.

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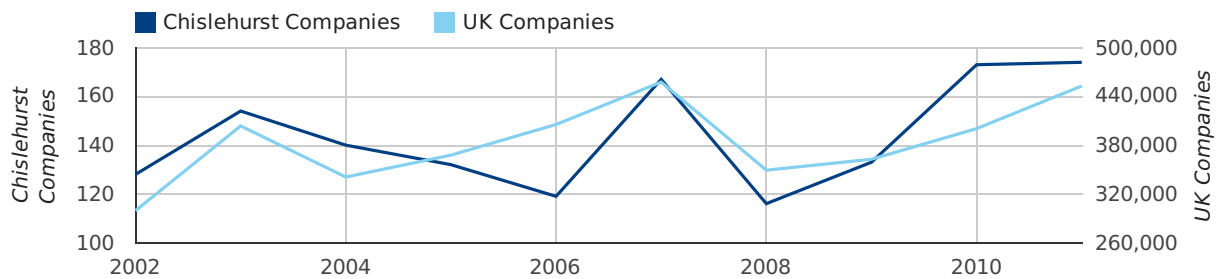
Annual Data (2011)

2011 was a record year for company registrations in Chislehurst when compared to any year in history.

A total of 174 companies were formed in Chislehurst in 2011. This total is 0.6% higher than in 2010 and compares favourably to the UK figure of a 13.1% growth compared to 400,358 the previous year.

YEAR	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	174	452,870
2010	173	400,358
2009	133	362,675
2008	116	349,203
2007	167	457,649
RECORD YEAR	2011 (174)	2007 (457,649)

new companies by year



Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

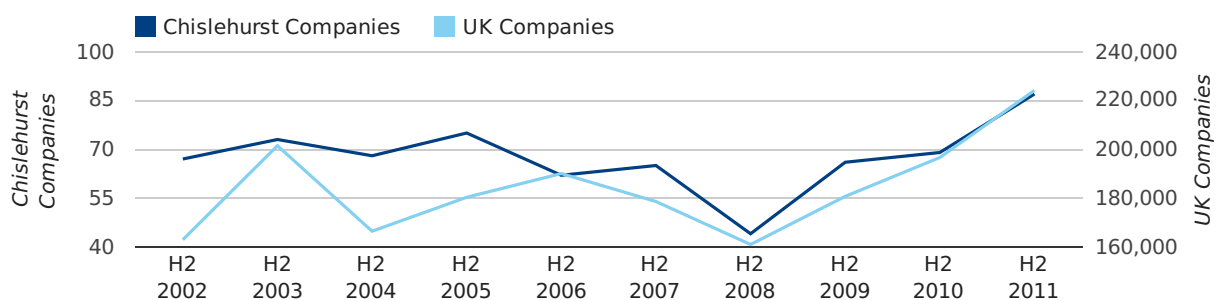
The second half of 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Chislehurst when compared to any previous second half year.

In the second half of 2011 a total of 87 companies were formed in Chislehurst. This figure is 26.1% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 14.0%.

The highest total for a second half year in Chislehurst occurred in 2011 when a total of 87 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	87	224,135
2010	69	196,609
% CHANGE	26.1%	14.0%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (87)	2011 (224,135)

new companies by half year



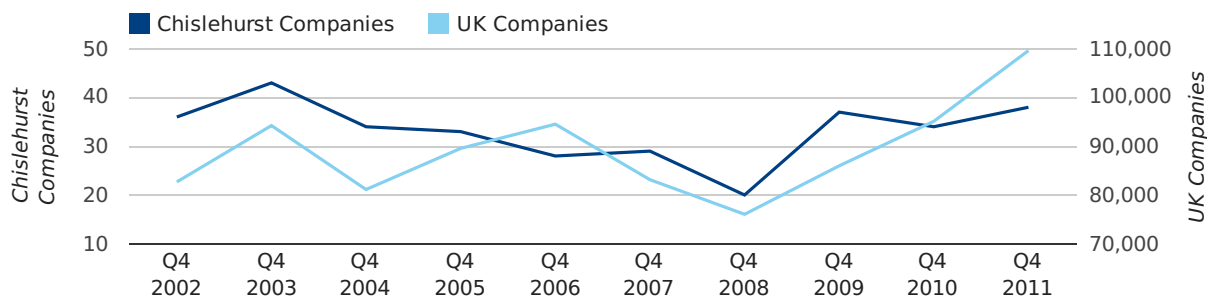
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 38 companies were registered in Chislehurst during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is an increase of 11.8% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares badly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 15.3% against the same period last year.

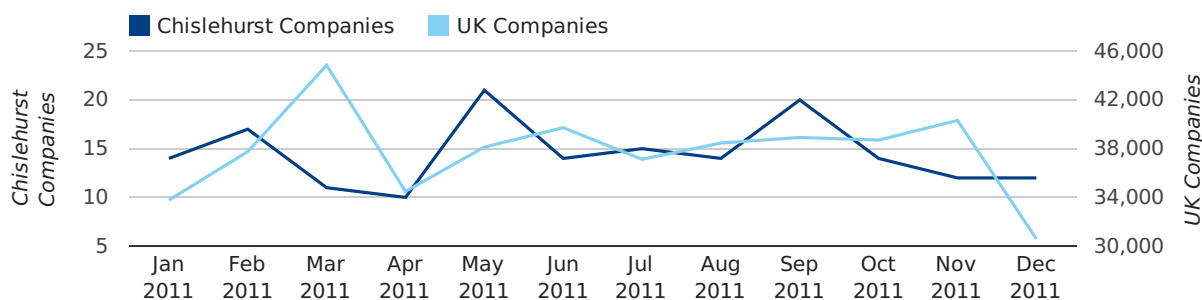
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	38	109,623
2010	34	95,117
% CHANGE	11.8%	15.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (43)	2011 (109,623)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

new companies by month



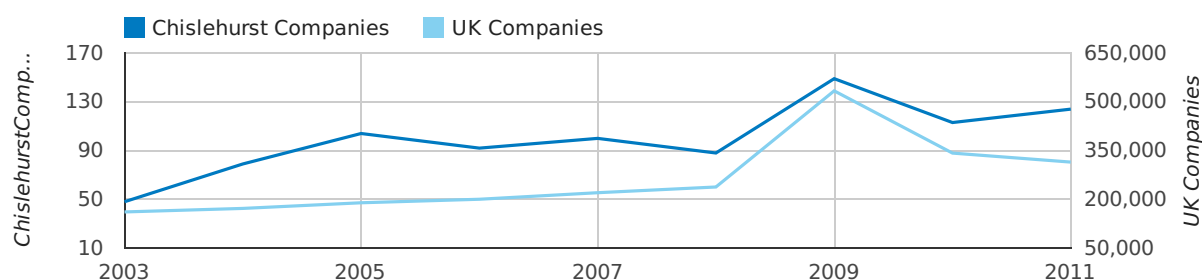
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	14	12	12
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	16	9	9
% CHANGE	-12.5%	33.3%	33.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (17)	2003 (15)	2009 (13)

Annual Data (2011)

A total of 124 companies were dissolved in Chislehurst in 2011. This total is 9.7% higher than in 2010 and compares favourably to the UK figure of 8.1% decrease compared to the previous year.

YEAR	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	124	314,523
2010	113	342,232
2009	149	533,773
2008	88	237,901
2007	100	220,295
RECORD YEAR	2009 (149)	2009 (533,773)

dissolved companies by year



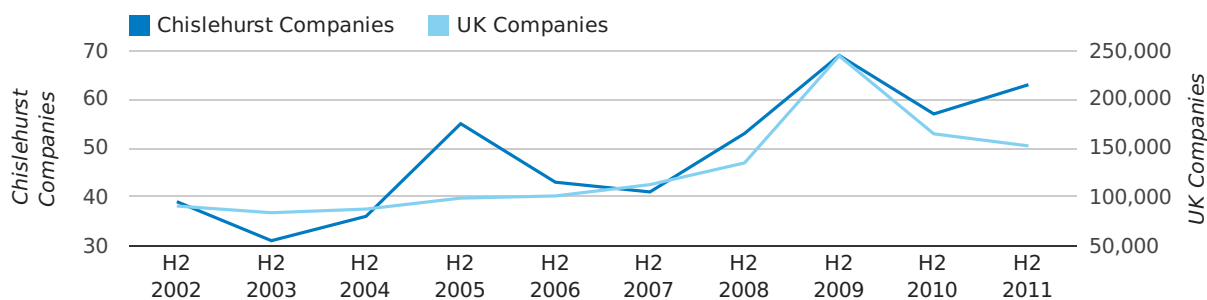
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 63 companies were dissolved in Chislehurst. This figure is 10.5% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -7.5%.

The highest total for a second half year in Chislehurst occurred in 2009 when a total of 69 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	63	152,213
2010	57	164,601
% CHANGE	10.5%	-7.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (69)	2009 (244,537)

dissolved companies by half year



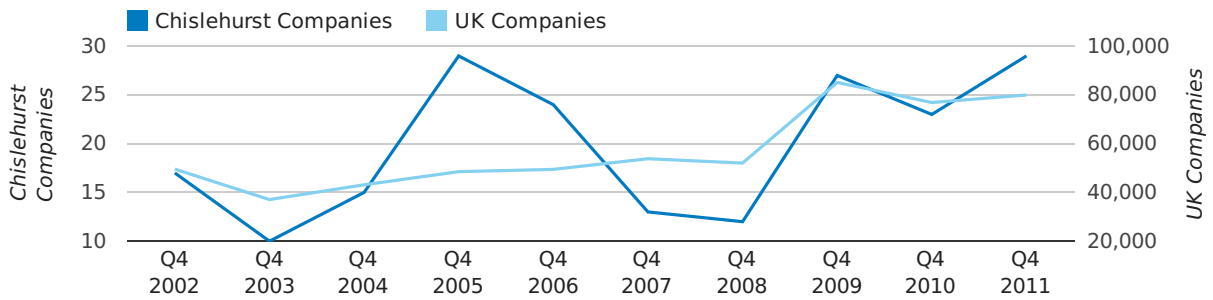
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 29 companies were dissolved in Chislehurst during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is an increase of 26.1% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 4.0% against the same period last year.

FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	29	79,983
2010	23	76,896
% CHANGE	26.1%	4.0%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (29)	2009 (85,136)

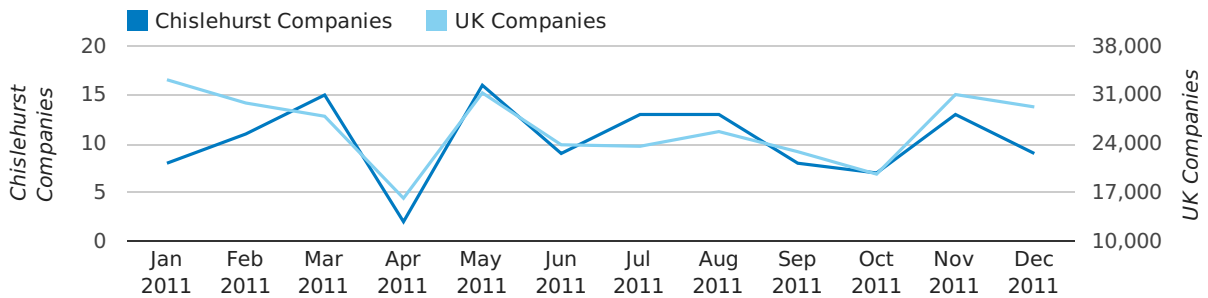
dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

November 2011 saw a new record in company closures in Chislehurst when compared to any previous November.

dissolved companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	7	13	9
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	9	9	5
% CHANGE	-22.2%	44.4%	80%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (12)	2005 (13)	2009 (12)

Annual Data (2011)

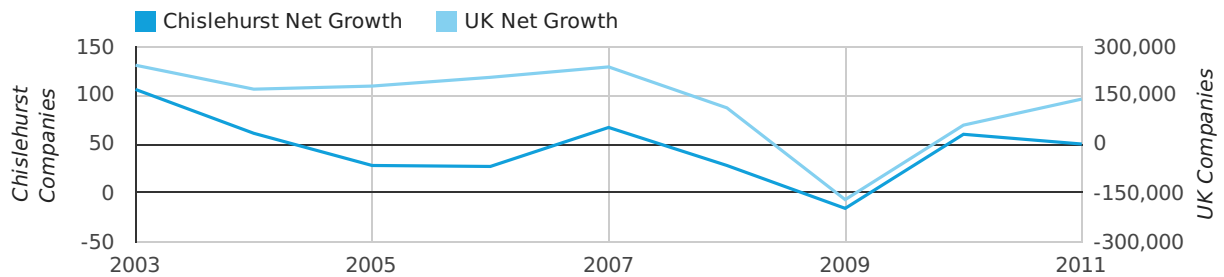
A total of 50 companies were added to the company register for Chislehurst in 2011. This number represents growth of 28.9% which compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 34.6%.

This number is 10 companies lower than the previous year.

The highest net company growth figure ever seen in one year came in 2003 when the Chislehurst company register grew by 106 companies.

YEAR	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	50	138,347
2010	60	58,126
2009	-16	-171,098
2008	28	111,302
2007	67	237,354
RECORD YEAR	2003 (106)	2003 (242,543)

net growth by year

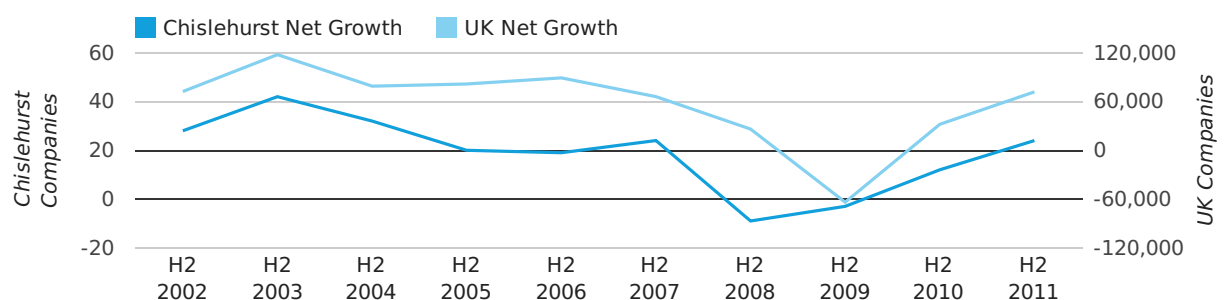


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 the company register for Chislehurst increased by 24 companies. This figure is 100.0% higher than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 124.7%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	24	71,922
2010	12	32,008
% CHANGE	100.0%	124.7%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (42)	2003 (117,772)

net growth by half year



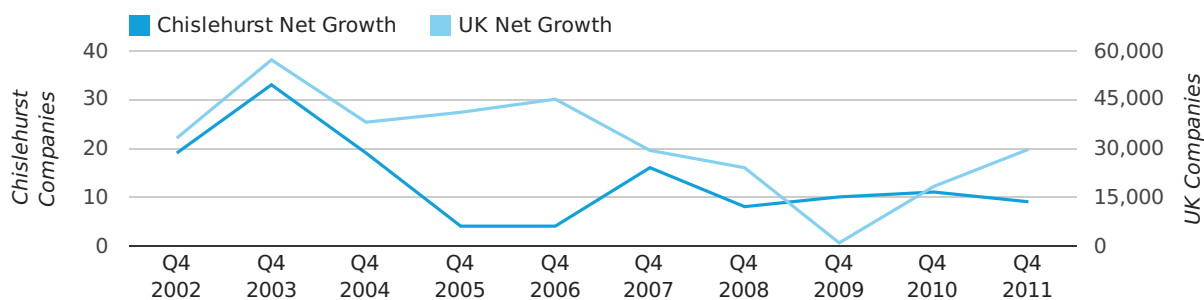
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

Net company growth for Chislehurst during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011) was 9 companies.

This represents a decrease of 18.2% on the same period last year.

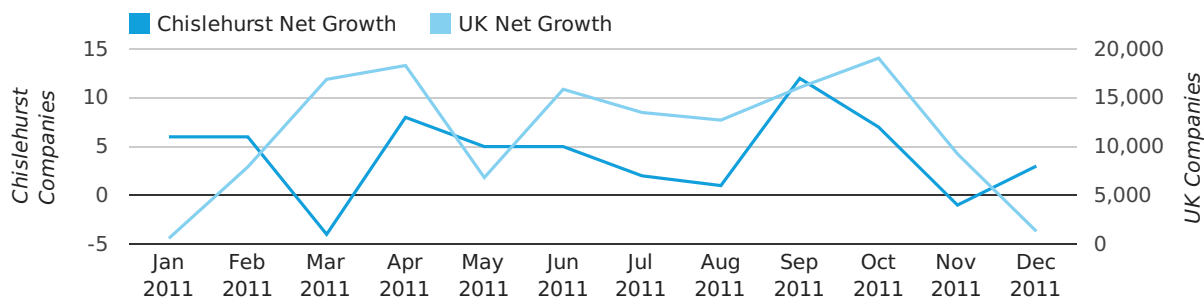
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	CHISLEHURST	UK
2011	9	29,640
2010	11	18,221
% CHANGE	-18.2%	62.7%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (33)	2003 (57,175)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

net growth by month



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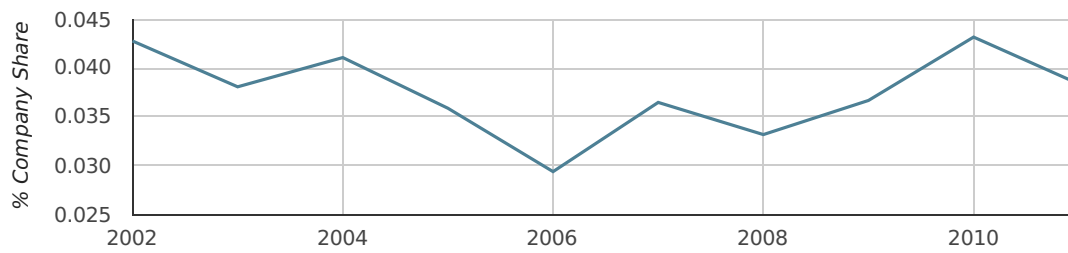
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	7	-1	3
NET GROWTH IN 2010	7	0	4
% CHANGE	0.0%	0.0%	-25.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (14)	2003 (13)	2002 (9)

Annual Data (2011)

In 2011 Chislehurst formed 0.0% of all UK companies. This is no change on 2010 when Chislehurst was responsible for 0.0% of all UK companies.

YEAR	CHISLEHURST
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1965 (0.1%)

company share by year

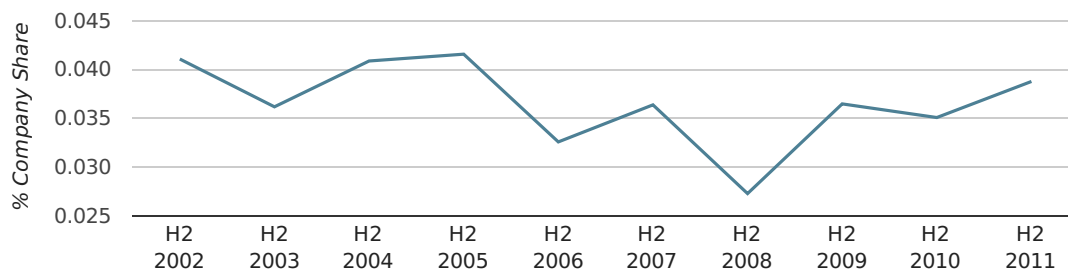


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 Chislehurst formed 0.0% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2010 figure of 0.0%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	CHISLEHURST
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1977 (0.1%)

company share by half year

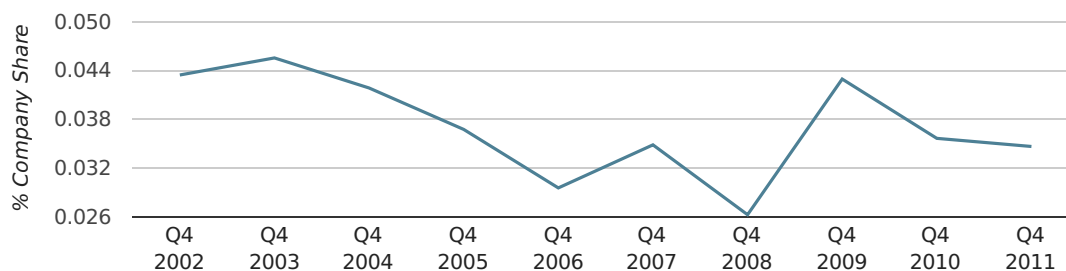


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

In the fourth quarter of 2011, Chislehurst formed 0.0% of all UK companies.

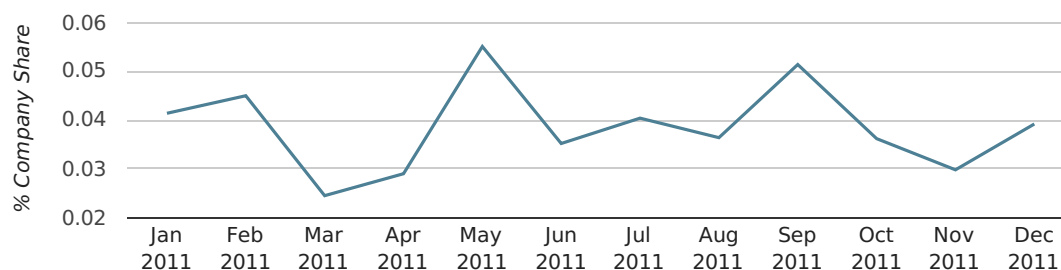
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	CHISLEHURST
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1966 (0.2%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

company share by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% CHANGE	-23.9%	13.7%	18.1%
RECORD YEAR	1965 (0.2%)	1965 (0.2%)	1966 (0.5%)

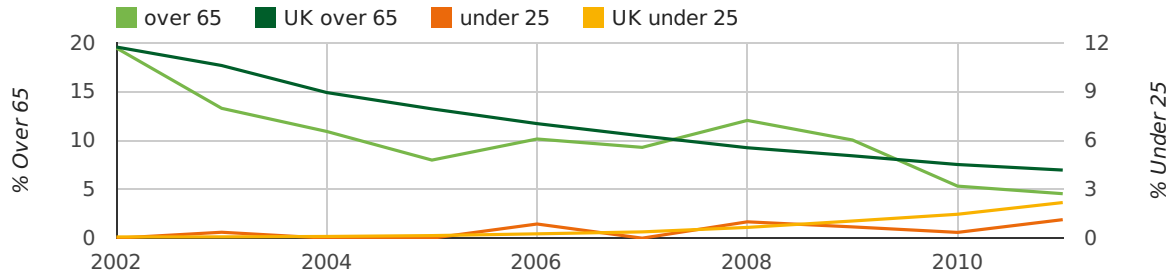
Annual Data (2011)

The average age of a director in 2011 was 45.8.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 1.1% compared to the UK figure of 3.7%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 4.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

director age by year



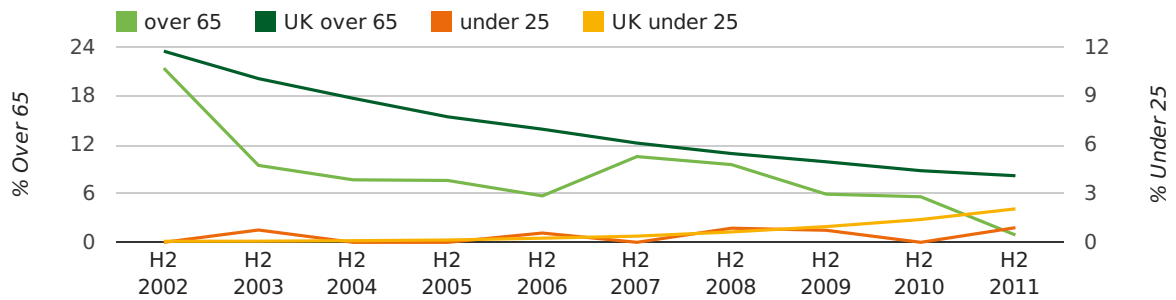
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the second half of 2011 was 43.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 0.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 0.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by half year



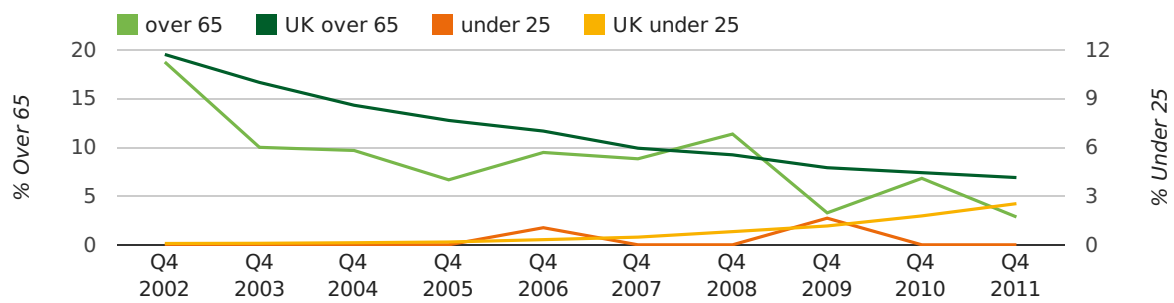
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the fourth quarter of 2011 was 44.1.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 0.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter

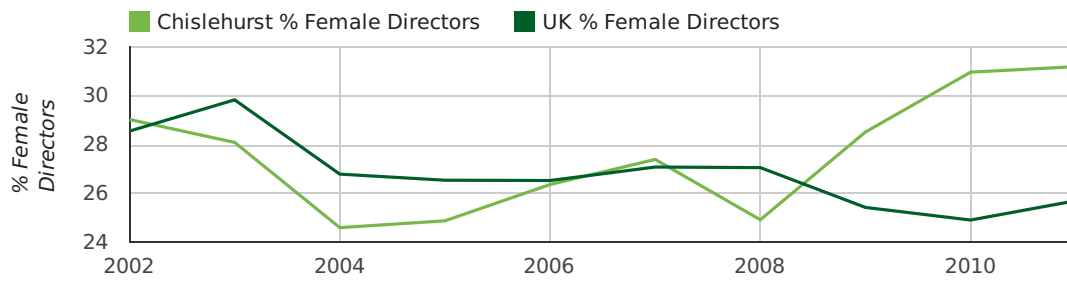


Annual Data (2011)

The record year for female directors in Chislehurst was 1857 when 36.4% of all directors were female.

The percentage of female directors in Chislehurst in 2011 was 29.0%. The average for the UK during this time was 28.6%

director gender by year

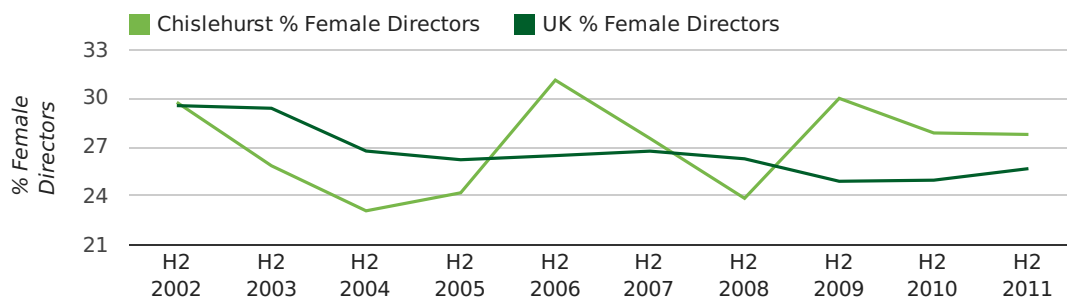


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The record second half year for female directors in Chislehurst was 1860 when 42.9% of all directors were female.

27.8% of all director appointments in Chislehurst in the second half of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 25.7% for the same period.

director gender by half year

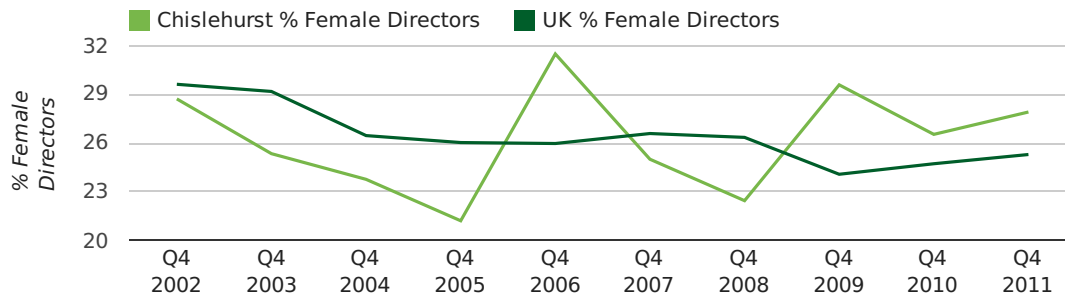


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

The record fourth quarter for female directors in Chislehurst was in 1977 when 31.1% of all directors were female.

27.9% of all director appointments in Chislehurst in the fourth quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 25.3% for the same period.

director gender by quarter



Previous 12 months (Dec 2010-Dec 2011)

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
SURFACING	3.08%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTING	2.46%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
C	1.85%	CONSULTANCY	3.26%
PROPERTY	1.54%	PROPERTY	2.37%
(SOUTH)	1.23%	TRADING	2.07%
MANAGEMENT	1.23%	DESIGN	1.92%
CONSTRUCTION	1.23%	ASSOCIATES	1.86%
IT	0.92%	ENGINEERING	1.78%
TRADING	0.92%	BUSINESS	1.78%
ELECTRICAL	0.92%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
ENTERPRISES	0.92%	CONSTRUCTION	1.73%
SCHOOL	0.62%	MEDIA	1.71%
M	0.62%	LONDON	1.63%
BLACK	0.62%	J	1.51%
ASSOCIATES	0.62%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
LIFESTYLE	0.62%	GLOBAL	1.46%
CAB	0.62%	IT	1.41%
CONSULTANCY	0.62%	CARE	1.39%
D.	0.62%	PROPERTIES	1.29%
GROUNDWORKS	0.62%	ELECTRICAL	1.29%
WOOD	0.62%	M	1.27%
CAFE	0.62%	BUILDING	1.26%
LONDON	0.62%	ENERGY	1.25%
CREATIVE	0.62%	S	1.20%
SMITH'S	0.62%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	64	205,525
7487 - Other business activities	21	57,052
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	12	17,765
9999 - Dormant Company	8	20,199
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	8	12,072
4523 - Construction roads, airfields etc.	8	114
42110 - Construction of roads and motorways	8	244
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	8	8,671
7414 - Business & management consultancy	6	13,034
45200 - Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	5	2,452
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	5	32,483
99999 - Dormant Company	5	21,846
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	4	5,558
7260 - Other computer related activities	4	7,667
86900 - Other human health activities	4	4,457
98000 - Residents property management	4	2,874
47910 - Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	3	2,740
9302 - Hairdressing & other beauty treatment	3	1,516
74990 - Non-trading company	3	8,929
69201 - Accounting and auditing activities	3	3,633