

Daventry

2011 half year business confidence report



headlines

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- Q2 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Daventry when compared to any previous Q2.
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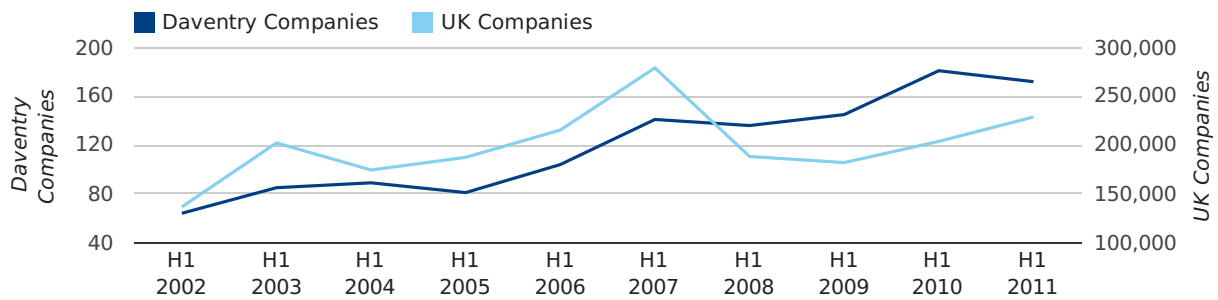
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 172 companies were formed in Daventry. This figure is 5.0% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Daventry occurred in 2010 when a total of 181 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	172	228,735
2010	181	203,749
% CHANGE	-5.0%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (181)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



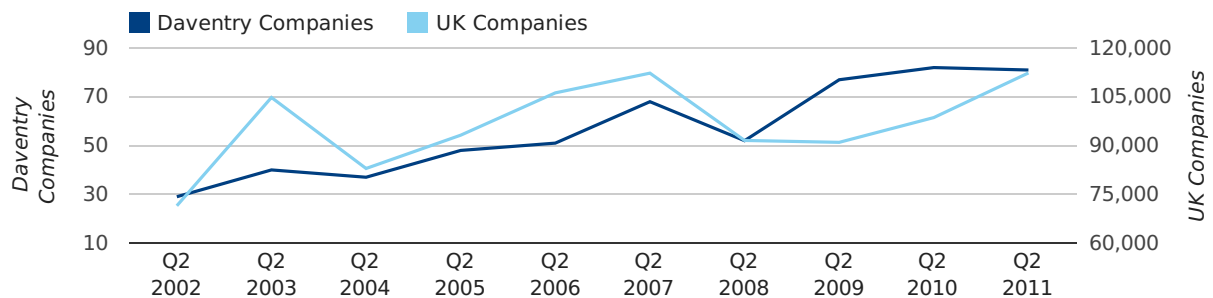
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 81 companies were registered in Daventry during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 1.2% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares badly 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)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	81	112,344
2010	82	98,612
% CHANGE	-1.2%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (82)	2011 (112,344)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

April 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Daventry when compared to any previous April.

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	35	28	18
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	29	30	23
% CHANGE	20.7%	-6.7%	-21.7%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (35)	2010 (30)	2009 (23)

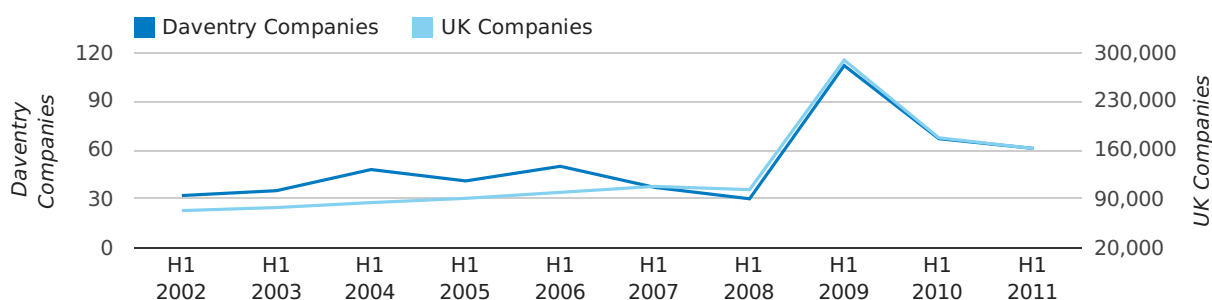
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 61 companies were dissolved in Daventry. This figure is 9.0% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Daventry occurred in 2009 when a total of 112 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	61	162,310
2010	67	177,631
% CHANGE	-9.0%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (112)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 29 companies were dissolved in Daventry during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 19.4% 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)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	29	71,324
2010	36	94,954
% CHANGE	-19.4%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (75)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

dissolved companies by month



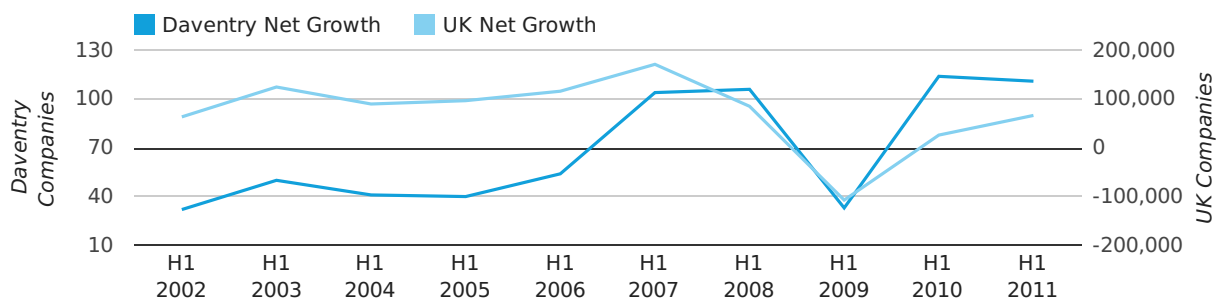
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	3	13	13
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	9	12	15
% CHANGE	-66.7%	8.3%	-13%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (22)	2009 (39)	2010 (15)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Daventry increased by 111 companies. This figure is 2.6% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	111	66,425
2010	114	26,118
% CHANGE	-2.6%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (114)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

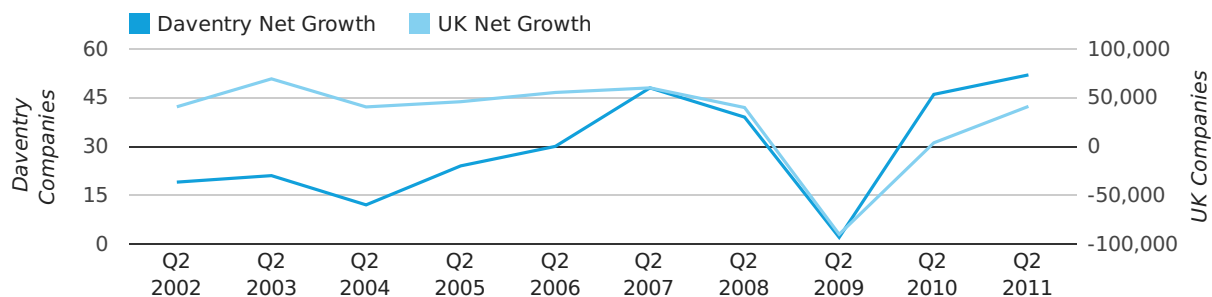
Q2 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Daventry when compared to any previous Q2.

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

This represents an increase of 13.0% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	DAVENTRY	UK
2011	52	41,020
2010	46	3,658
% CHANGE	13.0%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (52)	2003 (69,274)

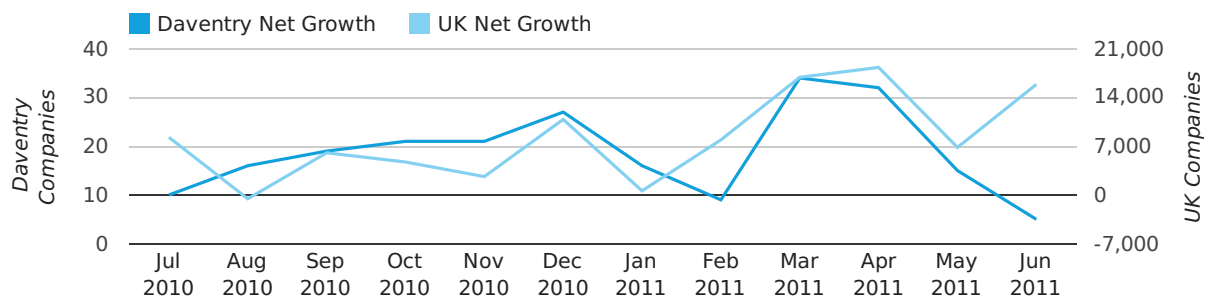
net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

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net growth by month



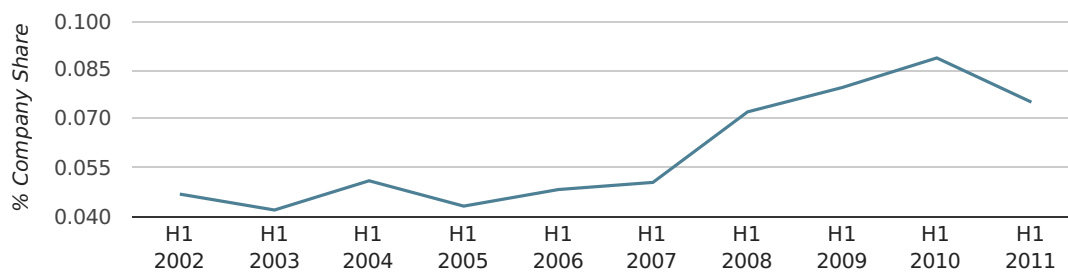
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	32	15	5
NET GROWTH IN 2010	20	18	8
% CHANGE	60.0%	-16.7%	-37.5%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (32)	2010 (18)	2007 (17)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DAVENTRY
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1979 (0.1%)

company share by half year

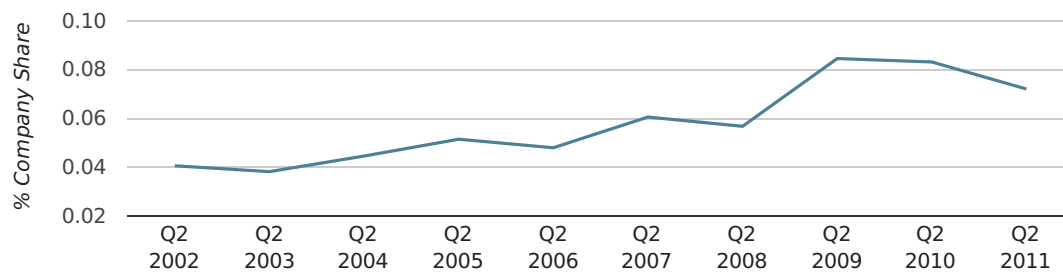


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

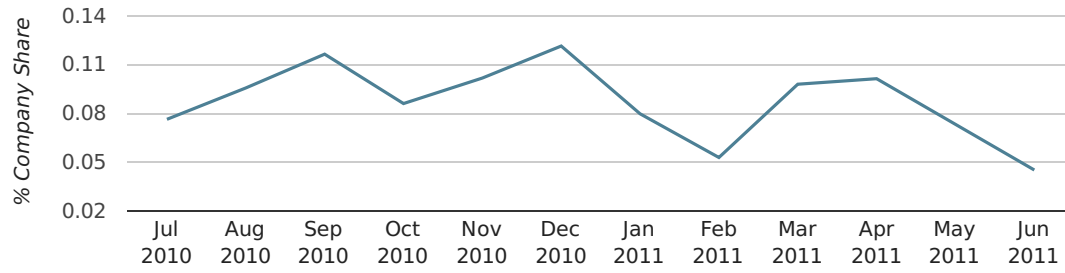
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	DAVENTRY
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1963 (0.1%)

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%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	16.8%	-26.5%	-30.6%
RECORD YEAR	1967 (0.2%)	1963 (0.3%)	1963 (0.2%)

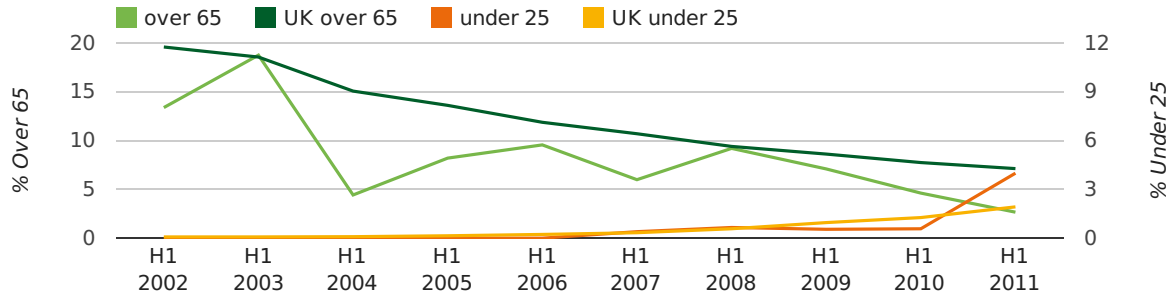
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 46.1.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.0% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.7% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



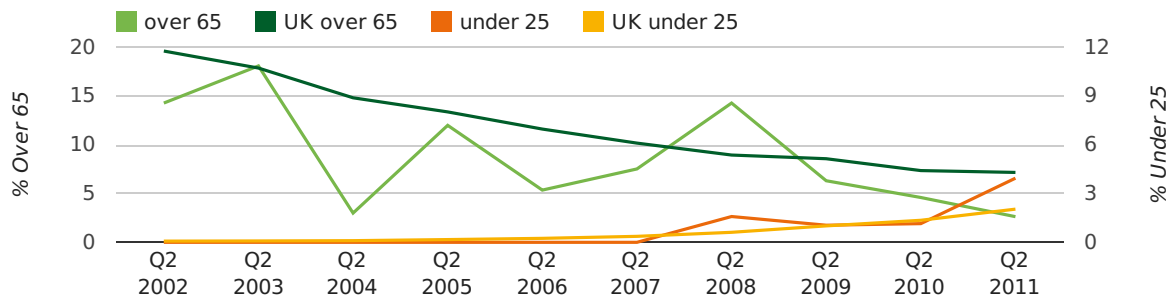
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 47.0.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 3.9% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by quarter

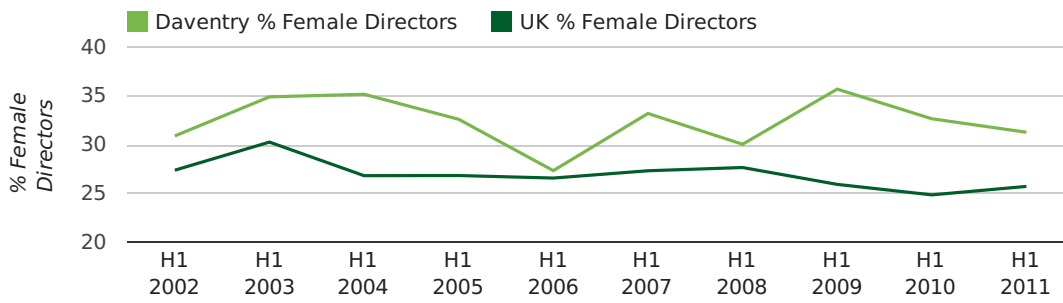


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The record first half year for female directors in Daventry was 1857 when 40.0% of all directors were female.

31.3% of all director appointments in Daventry 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

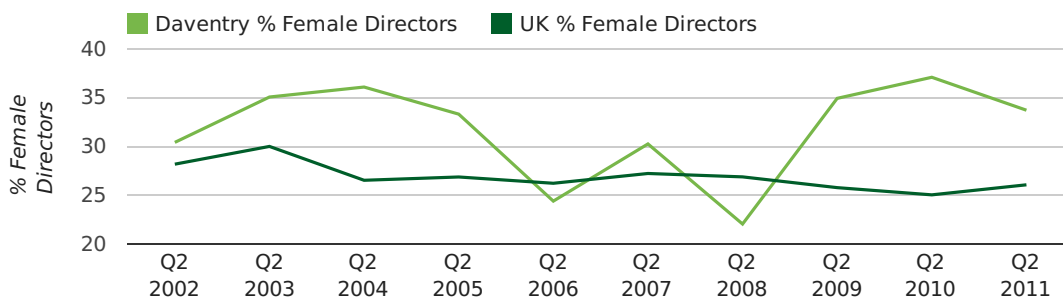


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

33.7% of all director appointments in Daventry 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, &, UK, SERVICES, THE, (UK), AND, LTD., A, LLP, SOLUTIONS, COMPANY, OF.

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
CO.,	14.54%	CONSULTING	5.09%
INTERNATIONAL	5.10%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
GROUP	4.95%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
INDUSTRIAL	1.65%	PROPERTY	2.43%
ENTERPRISE	1.65%	TRADING	2.05%
TECHNOLOGY	1.35%	DESIGN	1.94%
CONSULTING	1.20%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
TRADING	1.20%	BUSINESS	1.87%
DEVELOPMENT	1.05%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
INVESTMENT	1.05%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
HOLDING	0.90%	MEDIA	1.73%
DAVENTRY	0.90%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
ELECTRONICS	0.90%	LONDON	1.60%
CORPORATION	0.90%	GLOBAL	1.46%
INDUSTRY	0.90%	J	1.44%
CONSULTANCY	0.75%	CARE	1.44%
BUSINESS	0.75%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
ENGINEERING	0.75%	IT	1.39%
GLOBAL	0.60%	BUILDING	1.32%
MANAGEMENT	0.60%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
ELECTRONIC	0.60%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
COMMUNICATION	0.60%	M	1.27%
TECHNOLOGIES	0.60%	S	1.23%
NEW	0.45%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
LEGAL	0.45%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
74990 - Non-trading company	156	8,481
7499 - Non-trading company	123	10,955
None Supplied	57	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	31	60,758
99999 - Dormant Company	31	18,918
9999 - Dormant Company	19	20,111
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	12	16,419
7414 - Business & management consultancy	10	13,053
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	9	30,647
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	5	7,835
49410 - Freight transport by road	5	2,142
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	5	10,322
9305 - Other service activities	5	9,063
78109 - Other activities of employment placement agencies	3	1,595
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	3	7,143
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	3	10,545
35110 - Production of electricity	3	528
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	3	3,050
46180 - Agents specialized in the sale of other particular products	3	501
32990 - Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	3	1,427