

Derby

2011 half year business confidence report



headlines

- The first half of 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous first half year.
- The first half of 2011 was a record first half year for company registrations in Derby when compared to any half year in history.
- Q2 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous Q2.
- May 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous May.
- April 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous April.

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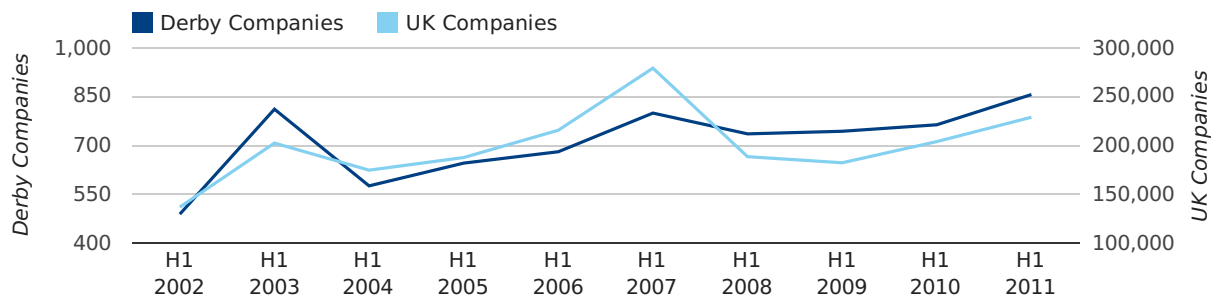
The first half of 2011 was a record first half year for company registrations in Derby when compared to any half year in history.

In the first half of 2011 a total of 856 companies were formed in Derby. This figure is 12.2% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Derby occurred in 2011 when a total of 856 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DERBY	UK
2011	856	228,735
2010	763	203,749
% CHANGE	12.2%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (856)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

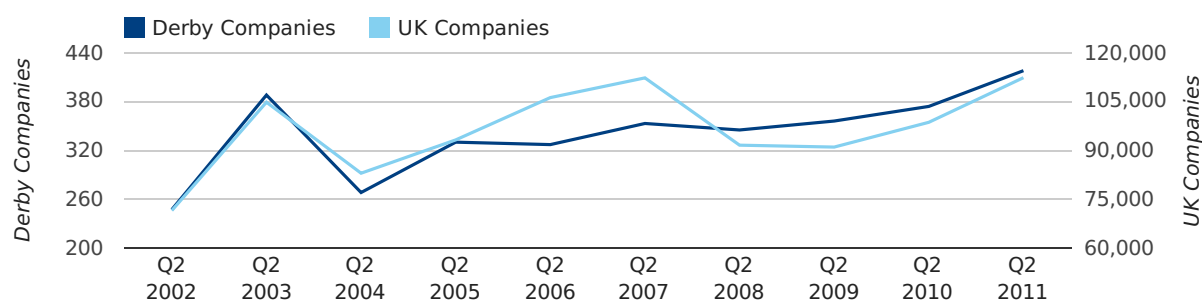
Q2 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous Q2.

A total of 418 companies were registered in Derby during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 11.8% 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)	DERBY	UK
2011	418	112,344
2010	374	98,612
% CHANGE	11.8%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (418)	2011 (112,344)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

May 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Derby when compared to any previous May.

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

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	142	157	119
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	120	115	139
% CHANGE	18.3%	36.5%	-14.4%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (142)	2011 (157)	2010 (139)

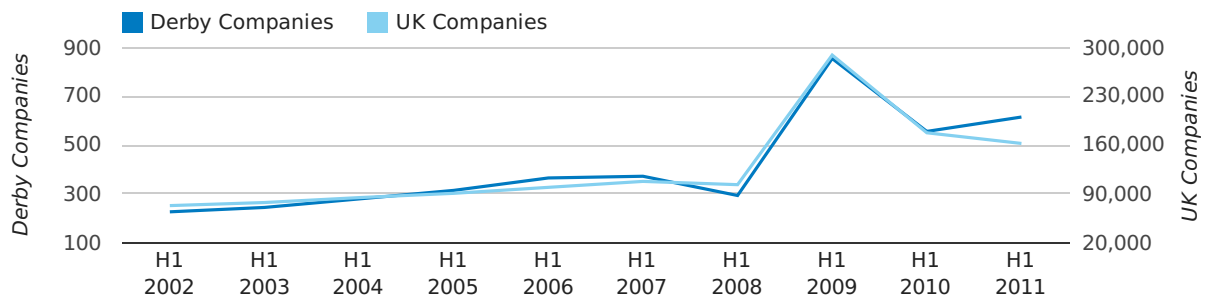
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 615 companies were dissolved in Derby. This figure is 10.6% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Derby occurred in 2009 when a total of 855 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DERBY	UK
2011	615	162,310
2010	556	177,631
% CHANGE	10.6%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (855)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



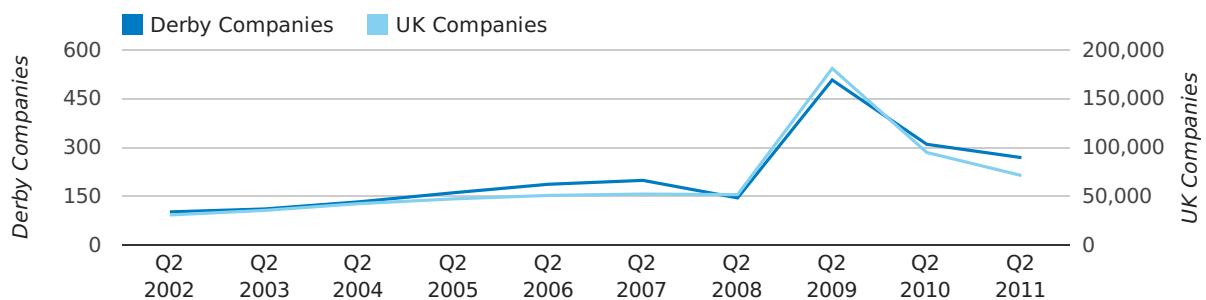
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 269 companies were dissolved in Derby during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 13.2% 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)	DERBY	UK
2011	269	71,324
2010	310	94,954
% CHANGE	-13.2%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (508)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

dissolved companies by month



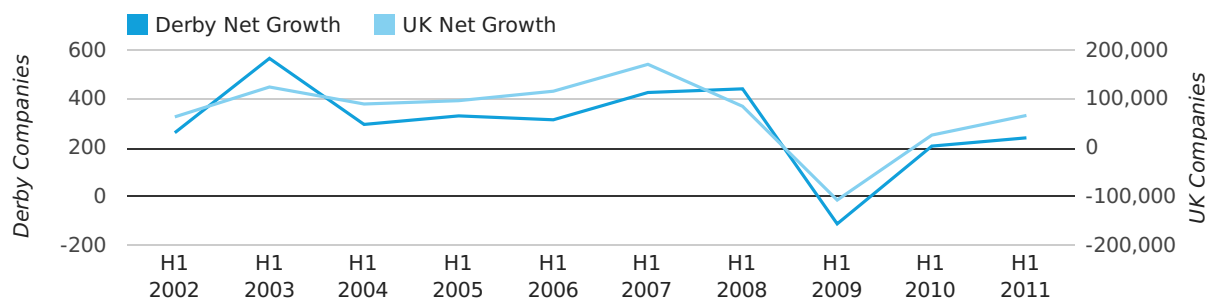
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	61	111	97
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	59	108	143
% CHANGE	3.4%	2.8%	-32%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (130)	2009 (228)	2009 (150)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Derby increased by 241 companies. This figure is 16.4% higher than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DERBY	UK
2011	241	66,425
2010	207	26,118
% CHANGE	16.4%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (567)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



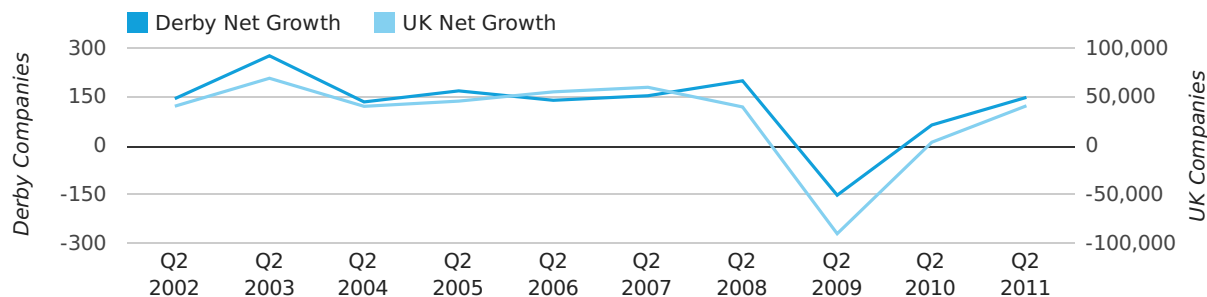
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Derby during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 149 companies.

This represents an increase of 132.8% on the same period last year.

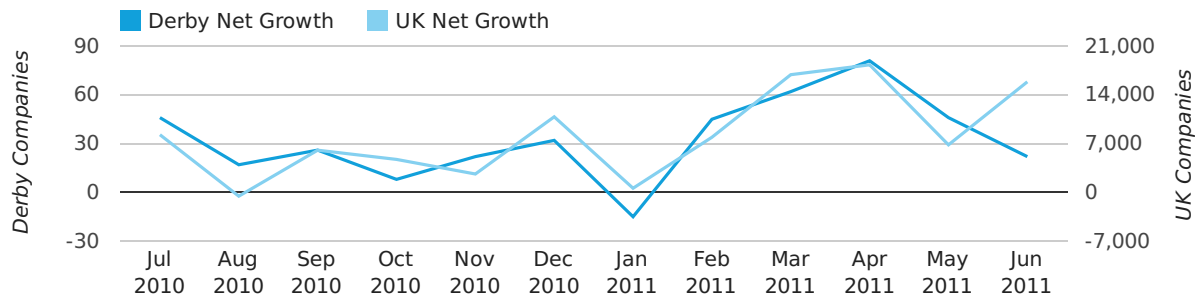
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	DERBY	UK
2011	149	41,020
2010	64	3,658
% CHANGE	132.8%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (277)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

net growth by month



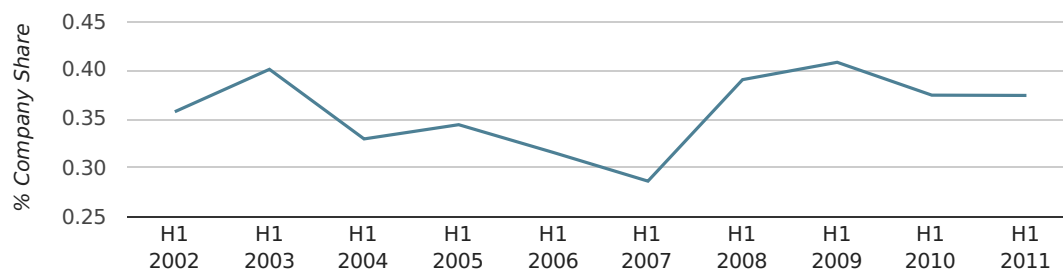
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	81	46	22
NET GROWTH IN 2010	61	7	-4
% CHANGE	32.8%	557.1%	-650.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (90)	2003 (103)	2008 (112)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 Derby formed 0.4% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2010 figure of 0.4%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	DERBY
2011	0.4%
2010	0.4%
2009	0.4%
2008	0.4%
2007	0.3%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1968 (0.6%)

company share by half year

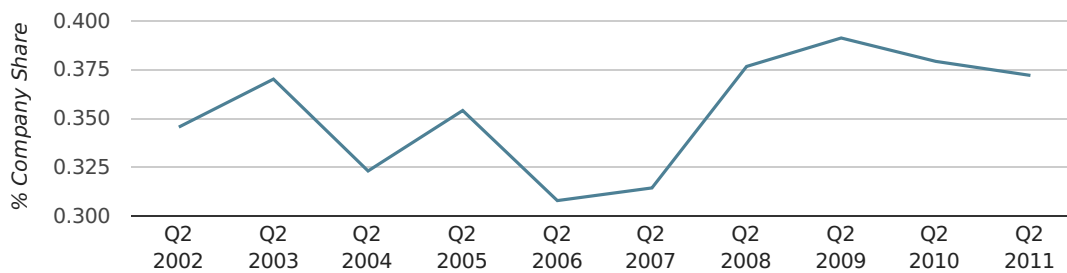


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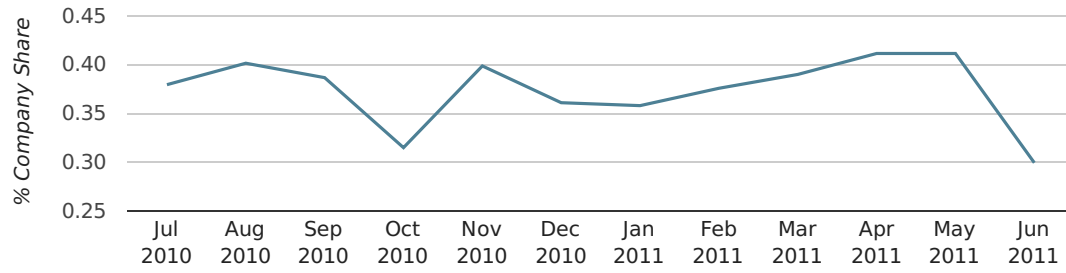
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	DERBY
2011	0.4%
2010	0.4%
2009	0.4%
2008	0.4%
2007	0.3%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1968 (0.7%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

company share by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.4%	0.4%	0.3%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%
% CHANGE	14.5%	7.5%	-24.1%
RECORD YEAR	1974 (0.6%)	1968 (0.9%)	1963 (0.7%)

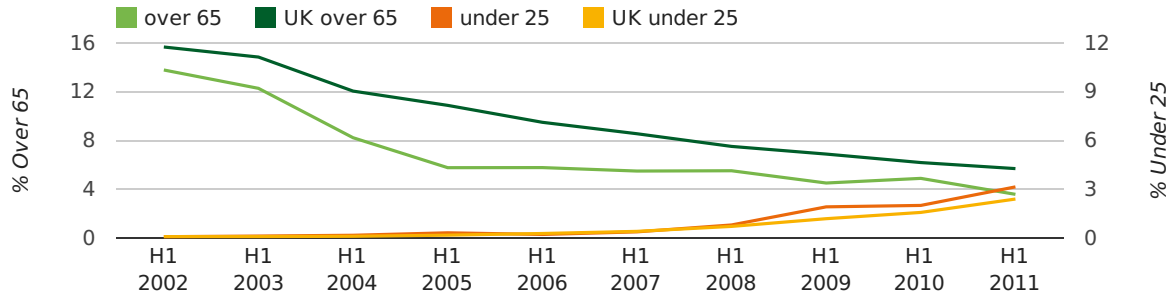
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 44.0.

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

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 3.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



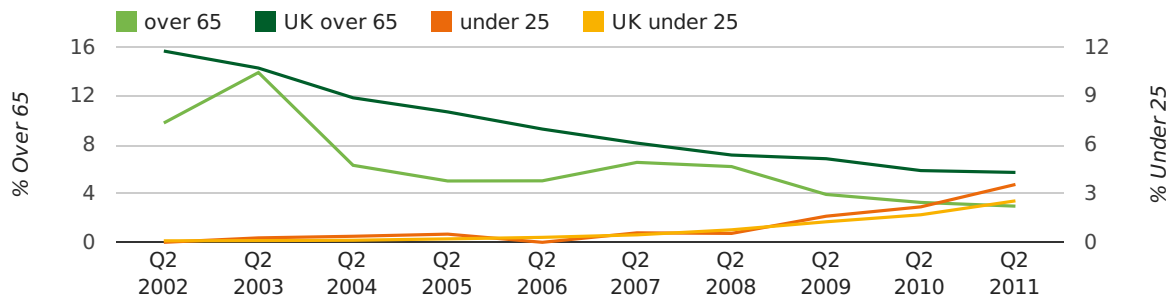
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 43.9.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 3.6% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

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director age by quarter

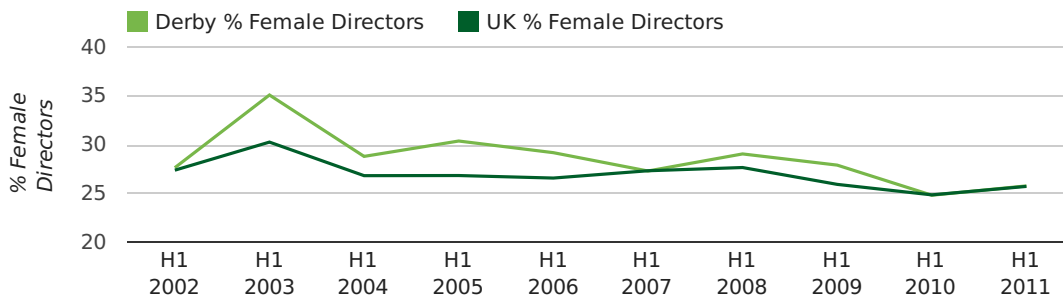


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

25.8% of all director appointments in Derby 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

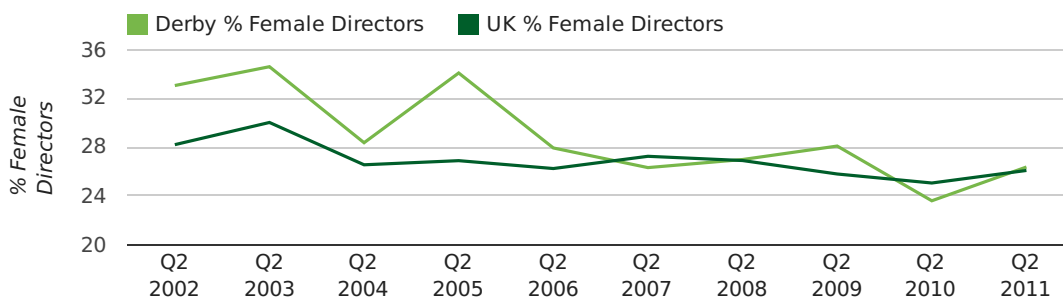


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

26.4% of all director appointments in Derby 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
ENGINEERING	1.84%	CONSULTING	5.09%
DERBY	1.67%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
(DERBY)	1.67%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
CONSULTANCY	1.32%	PROPERTY	2.43%
CONSULTING	1.19%	TRADING	2.05%
MANAGEMENT	1.05%	DESIGN	1.94%
CARE	0.88%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
BUSINESS	0.83%	BUSINESS	1.87%
M	0.79%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
DESIGN	0.75%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
ENTERPRISES	0.70%	MEDIA	1.73%
(MIDLANDS)	0.70%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
TRADING	0.70%	LONDON	1.60%
PROPERTY	0.66%	GLOBAL	1.46%
S	0.66%	J	1.44%
TRAINING	0.66%	CARE	1.44%
J	0.66%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
CONSTRUCTION	0.61%	IT	1.39%
D	0.57%	BUILDING	1.32%
BUILDING	0.57%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
CONSULTANTS	0.57%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
C	0.53%	M	1.27%
R	0.48%	S	1.23%
ELECTRICAL	0.48%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
ASSOCIATES	0.48%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	654	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	170	60,758
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	86	16,419
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	70	30,647
7414 - Business & management consultancy	66	13,053
99999 - Dormant Company	64	18,918
9999 - Dormant Company	52	20,111
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	45	5,928
7499 - Non-trading company	44	10,955
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	40	10,545
74990 - Non-trading company	39	8,481
64209 - Activities of other holding companies not elsewhere classified	38	889
7260 - Other computer related activities	33	7,849
9305 - Other service activities	32	9,063
86900 - Other human health activities	31	4,154
62090 - Other information technology service activities	25	7,095
42990 - Construction of other civil engineering projects not elsewhere classified	25	1,431
96020 - Hairdressing and other beauty treatment	24	2,091
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	24	7,835
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	21	10,322