

# Gosport

2012 half year business confidence report



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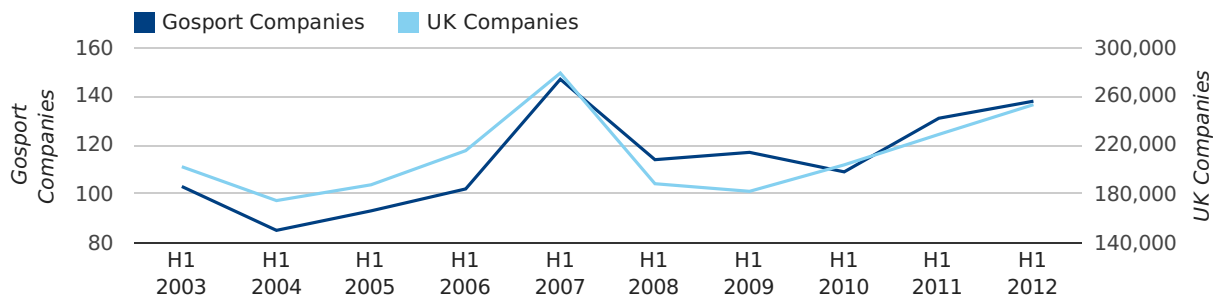
### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 138 companies were formed in Gosport. This figure is 5.3% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 10.7%.

The highest total for a first half year in Gosport occurred in 2007 when a total of 147 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	138	253,150
2011	131	228,735
% CHANGE	5.3%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (147)	2007 (279,097)

### new companies by half year



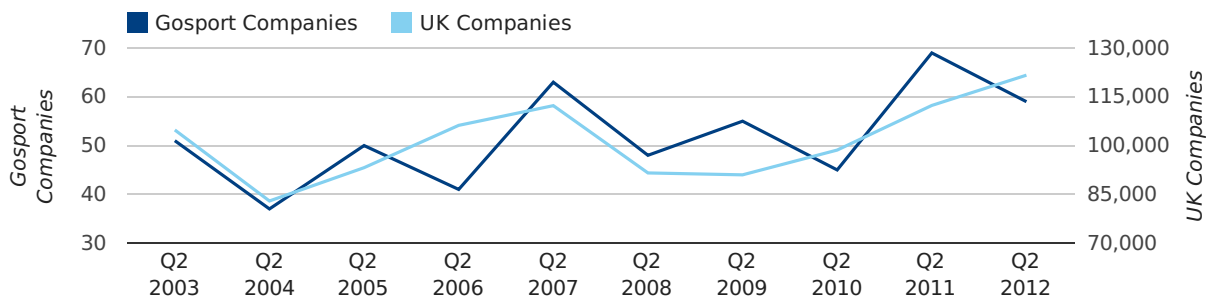
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 59 companies were registered in Gosport during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is a decrease of 14.5% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares badly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 8.3% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	59	121,659
2011	69	112,344
% CHANGE	-14.5%	8.3%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (69)	2012 (121,659)

### new companies by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

## new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2012	23	20	16
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	23	26	20
% CHANGE	0.0%	-23.1%	-20.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (28)	2011 (26)	2008 (21)

### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 70 companies were dissolved in Gosport. This figure is 27.1% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.9%.

The highest total for a first half year in Gosport occurred in 2009 when a total of 148 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	70	147,793
2011	96	162,310
% CHANGE	-27.1%	-8.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (148)	2009 (289,236)

### dissolved companies by half year



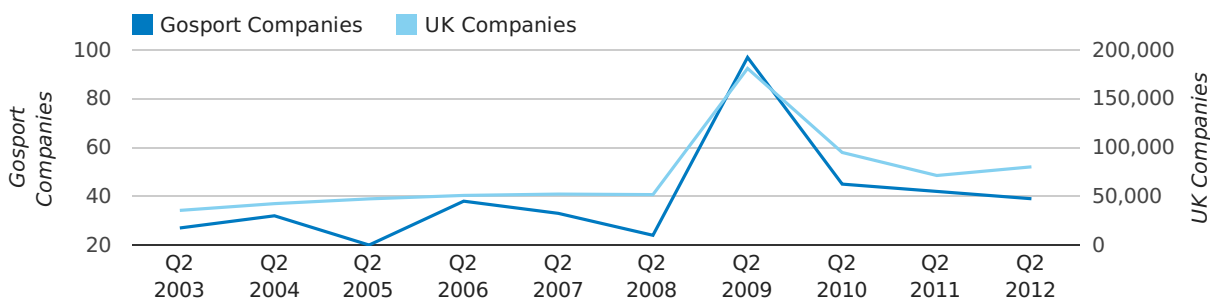
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 39 companies were dissolved in Gosport during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is a decrease of 7.1% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.5% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	39	80,217
2011	42	71,324
% CHANGE	-7.1%	12.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (97)	2009 (181,176)

### dissolved companies by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

## dissolved companies by month



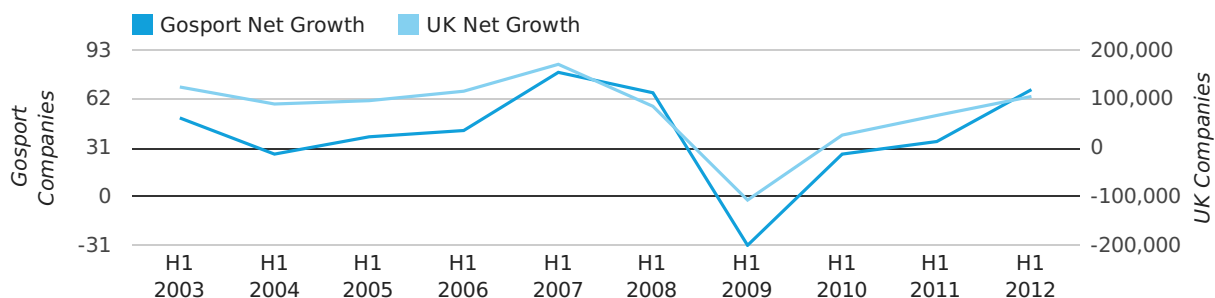
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2012	6	14	19
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	4	25	13
% CHANGE	50.0%	-44.0%	46%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (28)	2009 (38)	2009 (31)

### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 the company register for Gosport increased by 68 companies. This figure is 94.3% higher than last year, which compares well to a UK increase of 58.6%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	68	105,357
2011	35	66,425
% CHANGE	94.3%	58.6%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (79)	2007 (171,296)

### net growth by half year



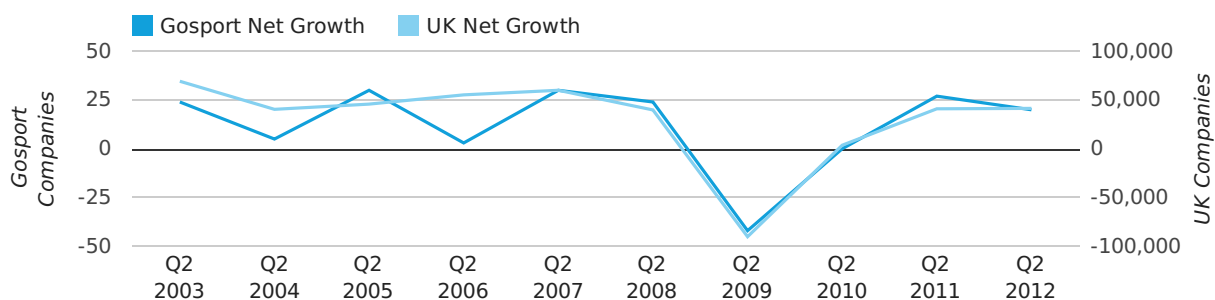
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

Net company growth for Gosport during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012) was 20 companies.

This represents a decrease of 25.9% on the same period last year.

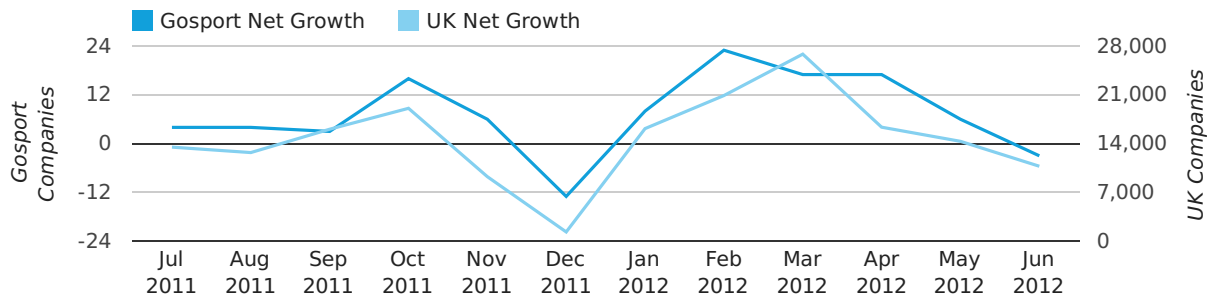
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	GOSPORT	UK
2012	20	41,442
2011	27	41,020
% CHANGE	-25.9%	1.0%
RECORD YEAR	1997 (34)	2003 (69,274)

### net growth by quarter



# Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

## net growth by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2012	17	6	-3
NET GROWTH IN 2011	19	1	7
% CHANGE	-10.5%	500.0%	-142.9%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (19)	2005 (17)	2008 (20)

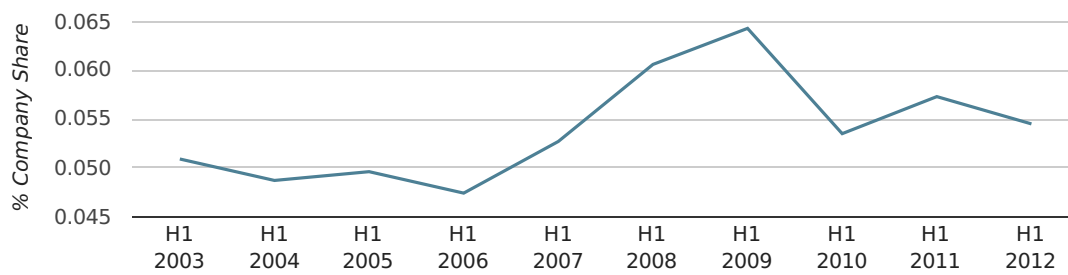


### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 Gosport formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2011 figure of 0.1%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	GOSPORT
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1997 (0.1%)

#### company share by half year

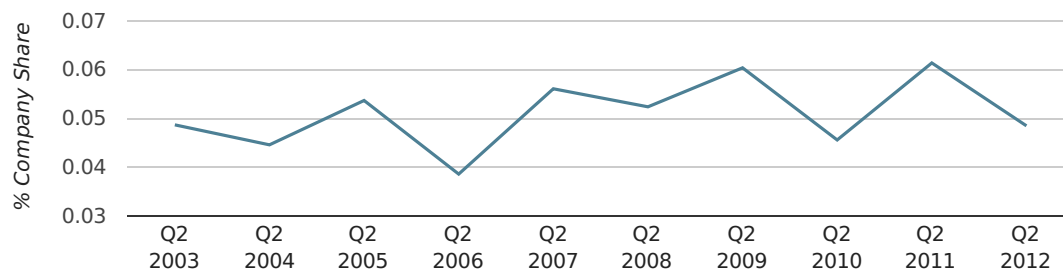


### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

In the second quarter of 2012, Gosport formed 0.0% of all UK companies.

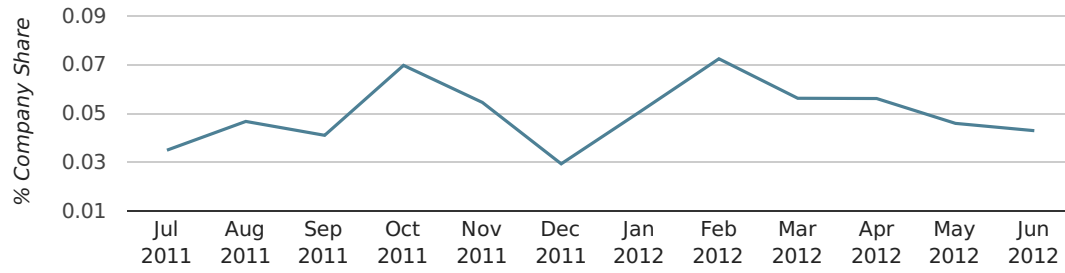
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	GOSPORT
2012	0.0%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1967 (0.1%)

#### company share by quarter



## Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

### company share by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2012	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-15.7%	-32.6%	-14.5%
RECORD YEAR	1967 (0.2%)	1999 (0.1%)	1969 (0.2%)

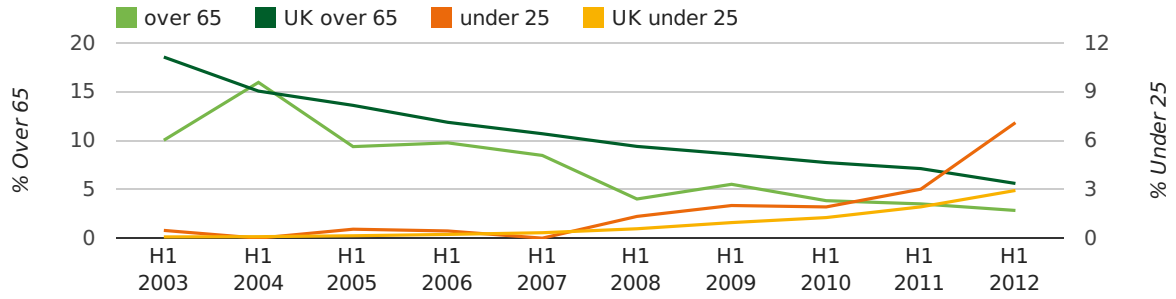
### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2012 was 42.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 7.1% compared to the UK figure of 4.9%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.8% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

#### director age by half year



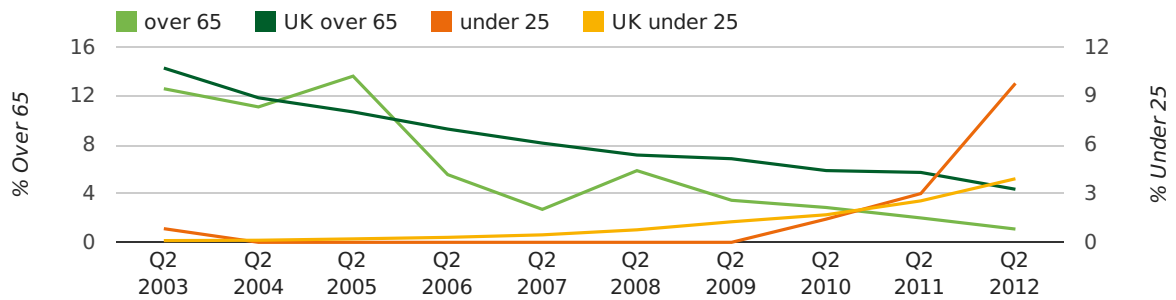
### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2012 was 39.7.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 9.8% compared to the UK figure of 5.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.1% compared to the UK figure of 3.3%.

#### director age by quarter

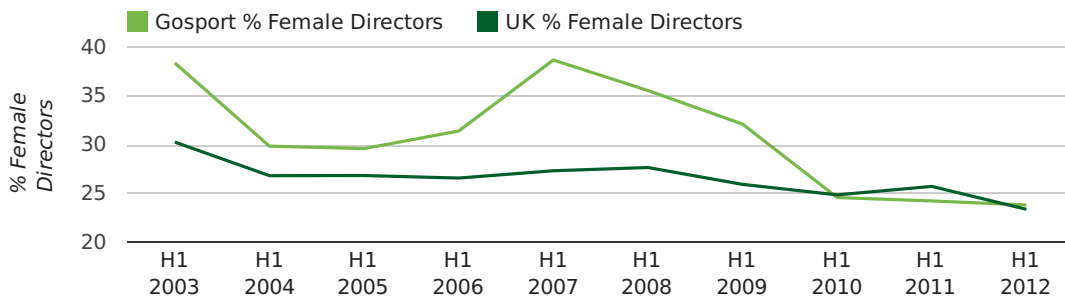


### Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

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

23.8% of all director appointments in Gosport in the first half of 2012 were female. This compares to a UK average of 23.4% for the same period.

#### director gender by half year

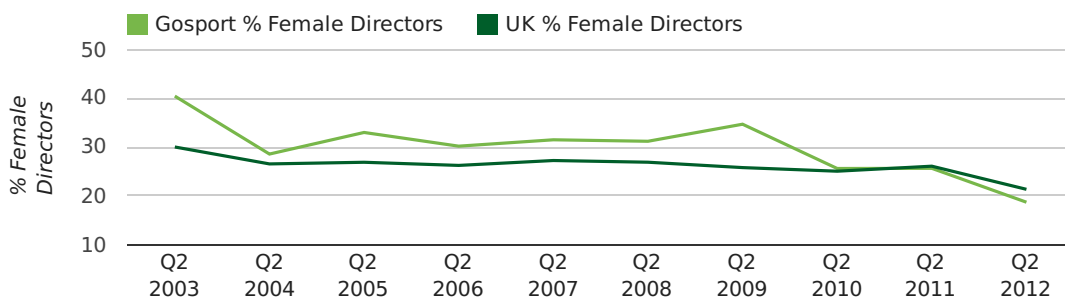


### Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

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

18.7% of all director appointments in Gosport in the second quarter of 2012 were female. This compares to a UK average of 21.3% for the same period.

#### director gender by quarter



Previous 12 months (Jun 2011-Jun 2012)

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
SMART	1.30%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTANCY	1.30%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
GOSPORT	1.08%	CONSULTANCY	3.28%
PROPERTY	1.08%	PROPERTY	2.35%
(GOSPORT)	1.08%	TRADING	2.10%
CONSULTING	1.08%	DESIGN	1.89%
ENGINEERING	1.08%	ENGINEERING	1.87%
BI	0.87%	ASSOCIATES	1.82%
MANAGEMENT	0.87%	CONSULTANTS	1.78%
M	0.65%	CONSTRUCTION	1.71%
S	0.65%	BUSINESS	1.70%
DOORS	0.65%	MEDIA	1.69%
TRAINING	0.65%	LONDON	1.68%
IT	0.65%	J	1.57%
PRODUCTIONS	0.65%	GLOBAL	1.51%
SOLAR	0.65%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
SAFETY	0.65%	IT	1.42%
CARE	0.65%	CARE	1.31%
CLEANING	0.65%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
ELECTRICAL	0.65%	M	1.26%
PROMOTIONS	0.43%	ELECTRICAL	1.23%
WINDOWS	0.43%	BUILDING	1.23%
PERSONAL	0.43%	SECURITY	1.19%
DEFENCE	0.43%	S	1.18%
SLIDING	0.43%	ENTERPRISES	1.17%

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

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	117	244,457
7487 - Other business activities	25	47,029
9999 - Dormant Company	9	16,469
99999 - Dormant Company	8	26,088
45200 - Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	8	2,880
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	7	20,390
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	7	14,220
9305 - Other service activities	7	7,926
56103 - Take-away food shops and mobile food stands	7	3,169
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	7	4,091
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	6	6,356
49320 - Taxi operation	6	929
56302 - Public houses and bars	6	2,913
7415 - Holding companies including head offices	6	1,481
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	6	15,280
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	6	35,447
7414 - Business & management consultancy	5	10,978
74990 - Non-trading company	5	9,706
86900 - Other human health activities	5	5,222
32990 - Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	5	1,870