Hornchurch

2011 half year business confidence report



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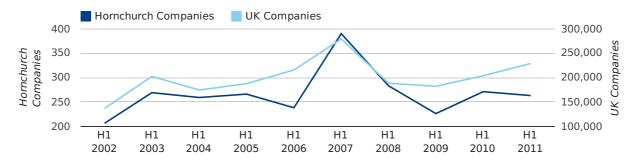
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In the first half of 2011 a total of 263 companies were formed in Hornchurch. This figure is 3.0% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Hornchurch occurred in 2007 when a total of 390 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	263	228,735
2010	271	203,749
% CHANGE	-3.0%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (390)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



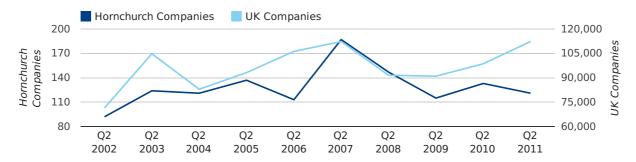
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 121 companies were registered in Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

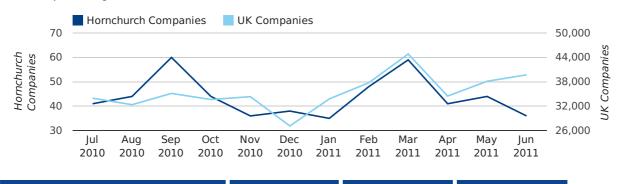
This figure is a decrease of 9.0% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares badly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 13.9% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	121	112,344
2010	133	98,612
% CHANGE	-9.0%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (187)	2011 (112,344)

new companies by quarter



new companies by month



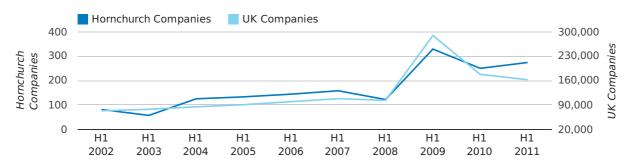
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	41	44	36
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	46	45	42
% CHANGE	-10.9%	-2.2%	-14.3%
RECORD YEAR	2008 (81)	2007 (66)	2005 (53)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 274 companies were dissolved in Hornchurch. This figure is 9.6% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Hornchurch occurred in 2009 when a total of 329 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	274	162,310
2010	250	177,631
% CHANGE	9.6%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (329)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



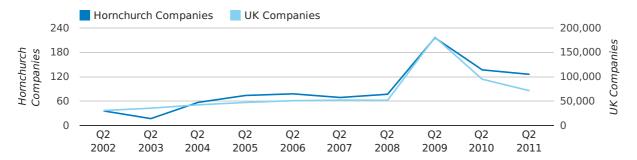
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 126 companies were dissolved in Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

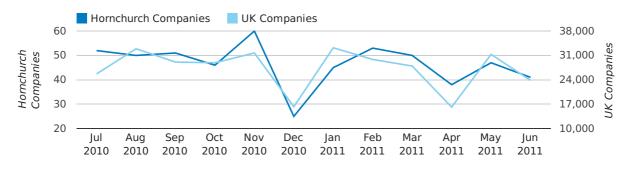
This figure is a decrease of 8.0% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 24.9% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	126	71,324
2010	137	94,954
% CHANGE	-8.0%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (216)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



dissolved companies by month

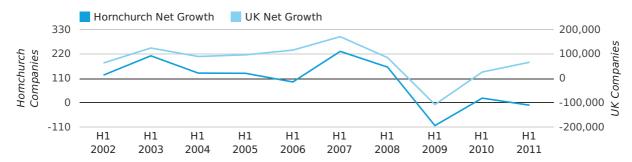


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	38	47	41
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	45	41	51
% CHANGE	-15.6%	14.6%	-20%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (60)	2009 (104)	2009 (52)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Hornchurch decreased by 11 companies. This figure is 152.4% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	-11	66,425
2010	21	26,118
% CHANGE	-152.4%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (232)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



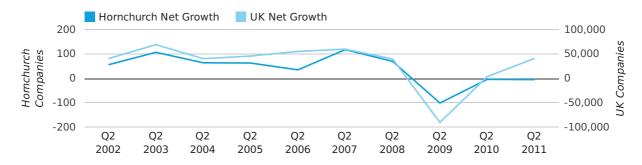
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was -5 companies.

This represents a decrease of 25.0% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2011	-5	41,020
2010	-4	3,658
% CHANGE	25.0%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (118)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



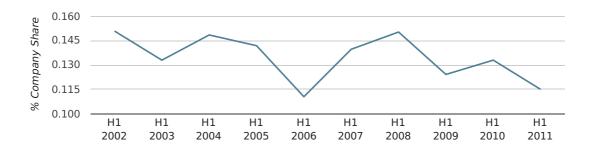
net growth by month



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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.2%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1967 (0.3%)

company share by half year

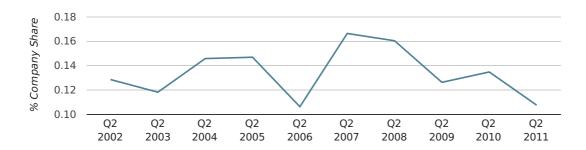


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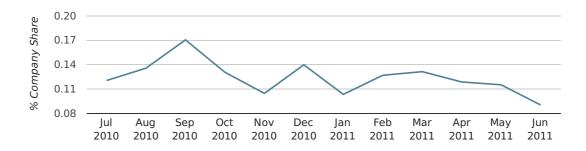
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SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	HORNCHURCH
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.2%
2007	0.2%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1969 (0.5%)

company share by quarter



company share by month



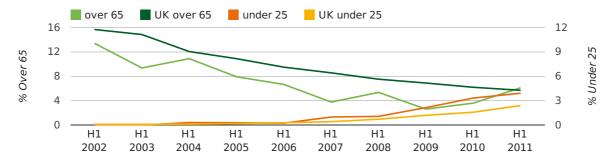
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-13.7%	-23.0%	-24.1%
RECORD YEAR	1969 (0.4%)	1971 (0.5%)	1969 (0.6%)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 44.4.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 3.9% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 6.1% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



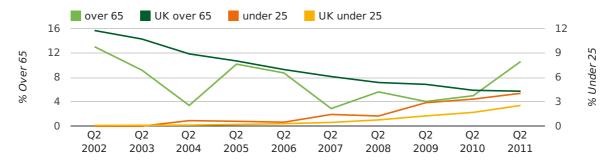
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 44.8.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.0% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 10.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

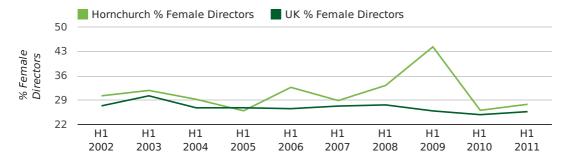
director age by quarter



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

27.9% of all director appointments in Hornchurch 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

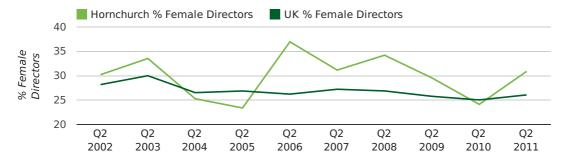


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

30.9% of all director appointments in Hornchurch 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
LONDON	1.66%	CONSULTING	5.09%
PROPERTY	1.55%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
CONSULTANCY	1.44%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
MANAGEMENT	1.33%	PROPERTY	2.43%
J	1.22%	TRADING	2.05%
TRADING	1.00%	DESIGN	1.94%
BUILDING	1.00%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
MAINTENANCE	0.89%	BUSINESS	1.87%
CONSULTING	0.89%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
ELECTRICAL	0.67%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
DENTAL	0.67%	MEDIA	1.73%
MEATS	0.67%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
IT	0.67%	LONDON	1.60%
CARE	0.67%	GLOBAL	1.46%
М	0.67%	J	1.44%
CONSTRUCTION	0.67%	CARE	1.44%
CONSULTANTS	0.55%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
BUSINESS	0.55%	IT	1.39%
INVESTMENTS	0.55%	BUILDING	1.32%
R	0.55%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
ENTERPRISES	0.55%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
PROPERTIES	0.44%	M	1.27%
RED	0.44%	S	1.23%
PRODUCTIONS	0.44%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
W	0.44%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

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Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	213	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	115	60,758
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	62	30,647
9999 - Dormant Company	30	20,111
86230 - Dental practice activities	27	1,407
62012 - Business and domestic software development	25	3,262
9305 - Other service activities	22	9,063
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	17	10,322
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	17	7,143
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	17	10,545
8513 - Dental practice activities	17	558
7414 - Business & management consultancy	13	13,053
5530 - Restaurants	12	5,086
99999 - Dormant Company	12	18,918
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	11	5,928
42990 - Construction of other civil engineering projects not elsewhere classified	8	1,431
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	8	7,835
74990 - Non-trading company	8	8,481
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	8	16,419
62090 - Other information technology service activities	7	7,095