Hornchurch

2012 half year business confidence report



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In the first half of 2012 a total of 300 companies were formed in Hornchurch. This figure is 14.1% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 10.7%.

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
2012	300	253,150
2011	263	228,735
% CHANGE	14.1%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (390)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



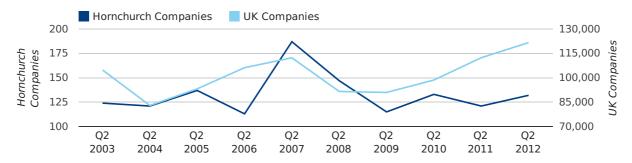
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 132 companies were registered in Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

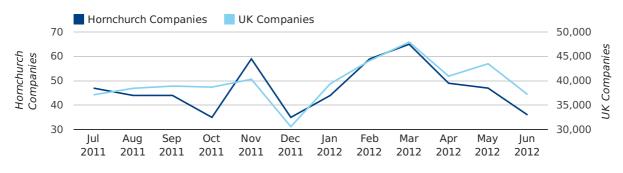
This figure is an increase of 9.1% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares equally to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 8.3% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2012	132	121,659
2011	121	112,344
% CHANGE	9.1%	8.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (187)	2012 (121,659)

new companies by quarter



new companies by month



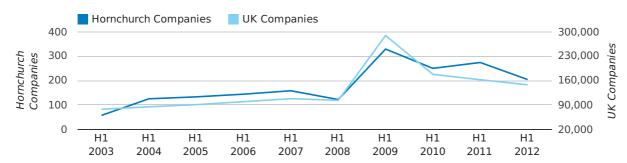
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2012	49	47	36
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	41	44	36
% CHANGE	19.5%	6.8%	0.0%
RECORD YEAR	2008 (81)	2007 (66)	2005 (53)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 204 companies were dissolved in Hornchurch. This figure is 25.5% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.9%.

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
2012	204	147,793
2011	274	162,310
% CHANGE	-25.5%	-8.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (329)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



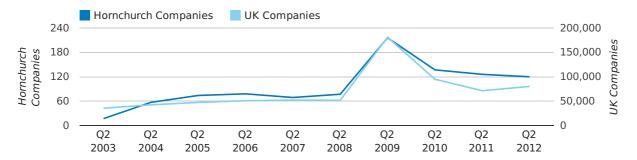
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 120 companies were dissolved in Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

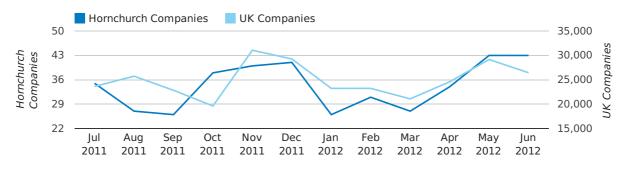
This figure is a decrease of 4.8% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.5% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2012	120	80,217
2011	126	71,324
% CHANGE	-4.8%	12.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (216)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



dissolved companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2012	34	43	43
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	38	47	41
% CHANGE	-10.5%	-8.5%	5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (60)	2009 (104)	2009 (52)

In the first half of 2012 the company register for Hornchurch increased by 96 companies. This figure is 972.7% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 58.6%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2012	96	105,357
2011	-11	66,425
% CHANGE	-972.7%	58.6%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (232)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



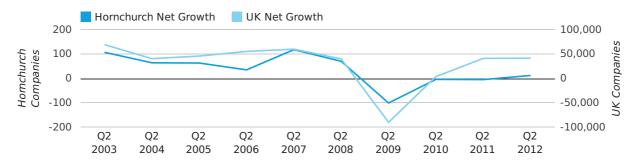
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

Net company growth for Hornchurch during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012) was 12 companies.

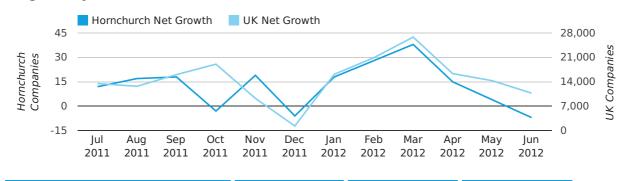
This represents an increase of 340.0% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	HORNCHURCH	UK
2012	12	41,442
2011	-5	41,020
% CHANGE	-340.0%	1.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (118)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



net growth by month

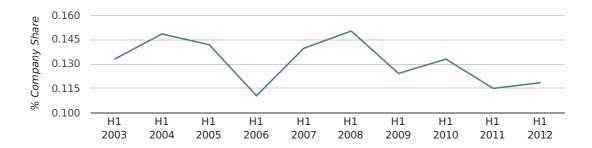


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2012	15	4	-7
NET GROWTH IN 2011	3	-3	-5
% CHANGE	400.0%	-233.3%	40.0%
RECORD YEAR	2008 (56)	2007 (39)	2003 (31)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	HORNCHURCH
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.2%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1967 (0.3%)

company share by half year

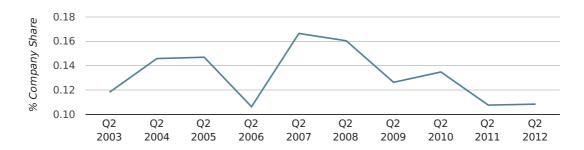


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

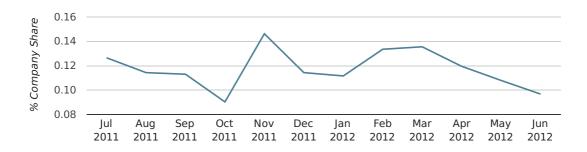
In the second quarter of 2012, Hornchurch formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	HORNCHURCH
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.2%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1969 (0.5%)

company share by quarter



company share by month



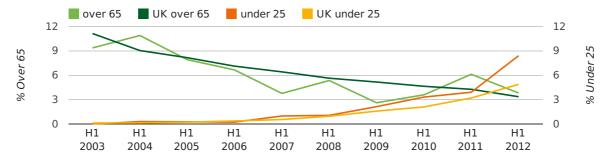
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2012	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	0.6%	-6.4%	6.8%
RECORD YEAR	1969 (0.4%)	1971 (0.5%)	1969 (0.6%)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2012 was 41.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 8.4% compared to the UK figure of 4.9%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 3.8% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

director age by half year



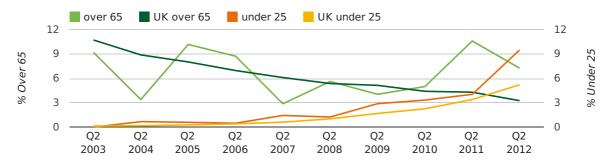
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2012 was 41.9.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 9.5% compared to the UK figure of 5.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 7.3% compared to the UK figure of 3.3%.

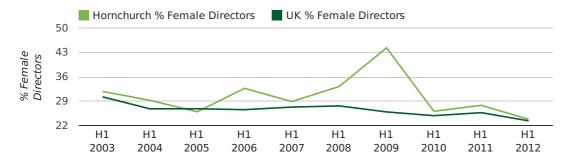
director age by quarter



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

23.8% of all director appointments in Hornchurch 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

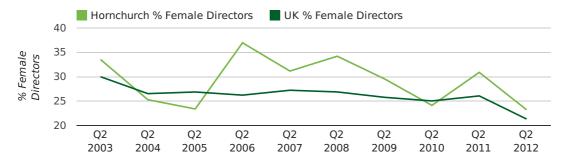


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

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

23.2% of all director appointments in Hornchurch 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



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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
S	1.34%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTANCY	1.34%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
MANAGEMENT	1.24%	CONSULTANCY	3.28%
ELECTRICAL	1.13%	PROPERTY	2.35%
LONDON	1.13%	TRADING	2.10%
PROPERTY	0.93%	DESIGN	1.89%
CONSULTING	0.82%	ENGINEERING	1.87%
CONSULTANTS	0.82%	ASSOCIATES	1.82%
BUILDING	0.82%	CONSULTANTS	1.78%
PLUMBING	0.72%	CONSTRUCTION	1.71%
CONSTRUCTION	0.72%	BUSINESS	1.70%
HOME	0.72%	MEDIA	1.69%
CARE	0.62%	LONDON	1.68%
BUSINESS	0.62%	J	1.57%
L	0.62%	GLOBAL	1.51%
D	0.62%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
DEVELOPMENTS	0.62%	IT	1.42%
J	0.62%	CARE	1.31%
(LONDON)	0.51%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
SECURITY	0.51%	М	1.26%
HEATING	0.51%	ELECTRICAL	1.23%
CENTRE	0.51%	BUILDING	1.23%
MECHANICAL	0.51%	SECURITY	1.19%
FIRE	0.51%	S	1.18%
ACADEMY	0.51%	ENTERPRISES	1.17%

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Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	269	244,457
7487 - Other business activities	86	47,029
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	73	35,447
62012 - Business and domestic software development	24	4,742
86230 - Dental practice activities	24	1,834
9999 - Dormant Company	23	16,469
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	23	15,280
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	22	14,220
9305 - Other service activities	16	7,926
99999 - Dormant Company	15	26,088
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	13	6,356
5530 - Restaurants	11	4,037
74990 - Non-trading company	11	9,706
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	11	20,390
7414 - Business & management consultancy	10	10,978
7412 - Accounting, auditing; tax consult	9	2,170
96020 - Hairdressing and other beauty treatment	9	2,993
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	8	4,644
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	8	10,271
62090 - Other information technology service activities	8	8,258