

Keighley

2011 half year business confidence report



headlines

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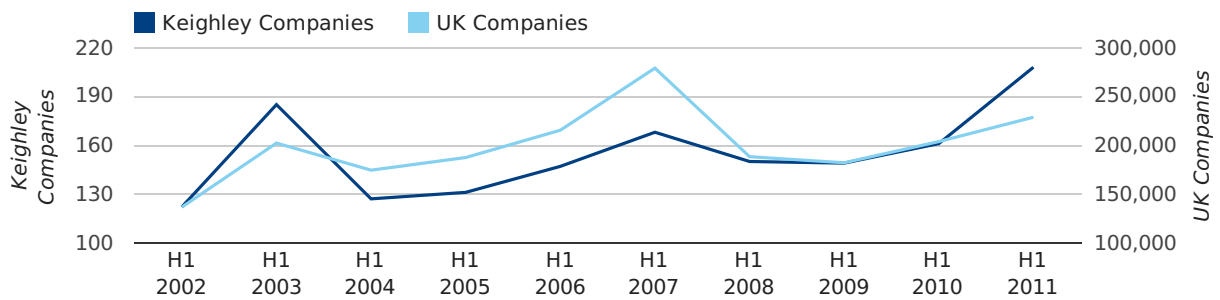
The first half of 2011 was a record first half year for company registrations in Keighley when compared to any half year in history.

In the first half of 2011 a total of 208 companies were formed in Keighley. This figure is 29.2% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Keighley occurred in 2011 when a total of 208 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	208	228,735
2010	161	203,749
% CHANGE	29.2%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (208)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

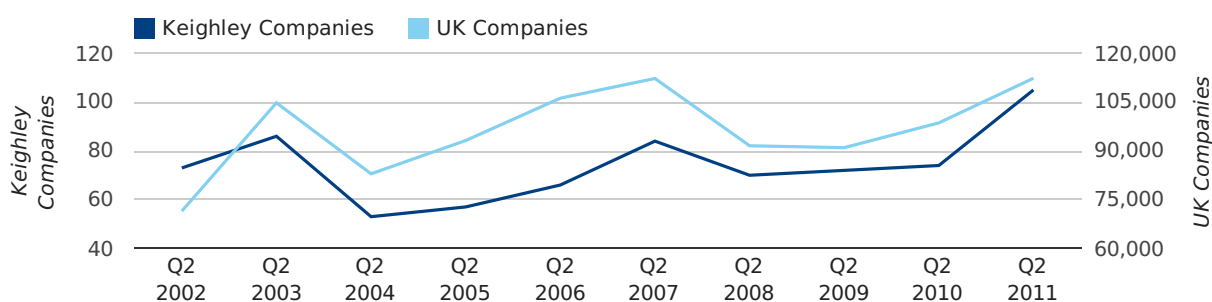
Q2 2011 was a record quarter for company registrations in Keighley when compared to any quarter in history.

A total of 105 companies were registered in Keighley during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 41.9% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares well 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)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	105	112,344
2010	74	98,612
% CHANGE	41.9%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (105)	2011 (112,344)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

June 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Keighley when compared to any previous June.

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

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

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	31	38	36
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	21	19	34
% CHANGE	47.6%	100.0%	5.9%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (31)	2011 (38)	2011 (36)

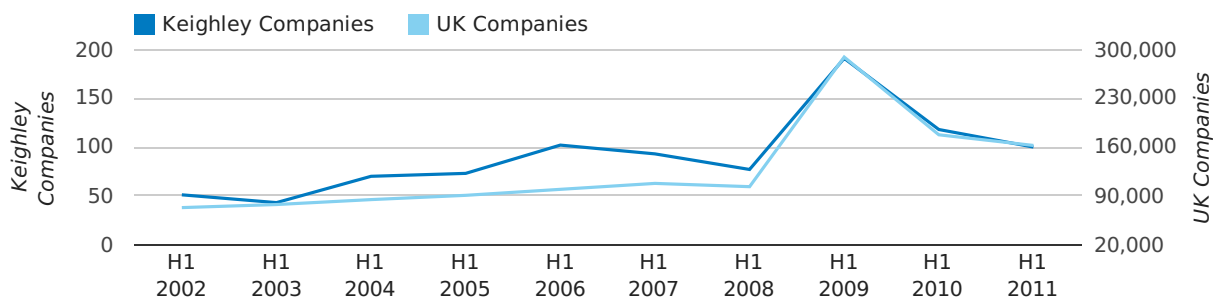
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 100 companies were dissolved in Keighley. This figure is 15.3% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Keighley occurred in 2009 when a total of 191 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	100	162,310
2010	118	177,631
% CHANGE	-15.3%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (191)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



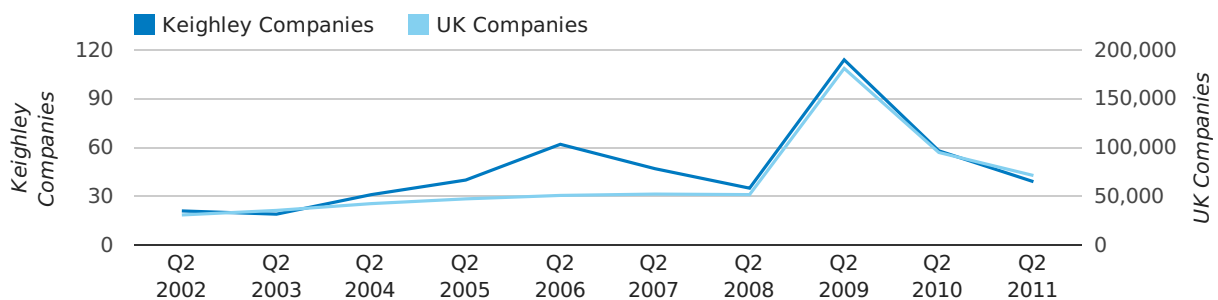
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 39 companies were dissolved in Keighley during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 32.8% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 24.9% against the same period last year.

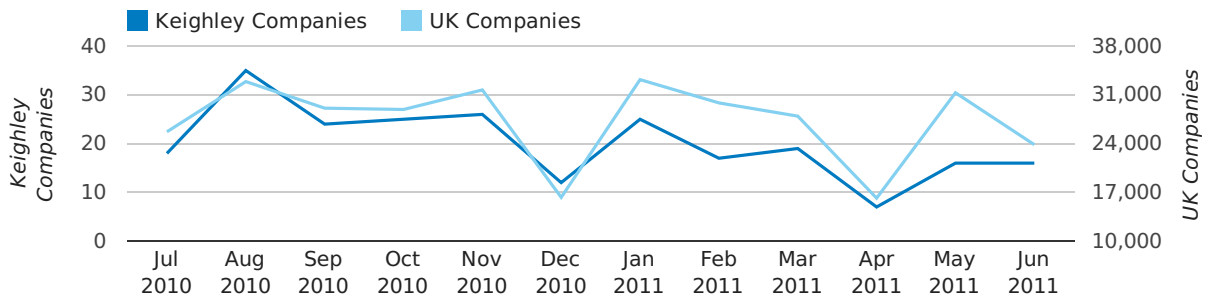
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	39	71,324
2010	58	94,954
% CHANGE	-32.8%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (114)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

dissolved companies by month



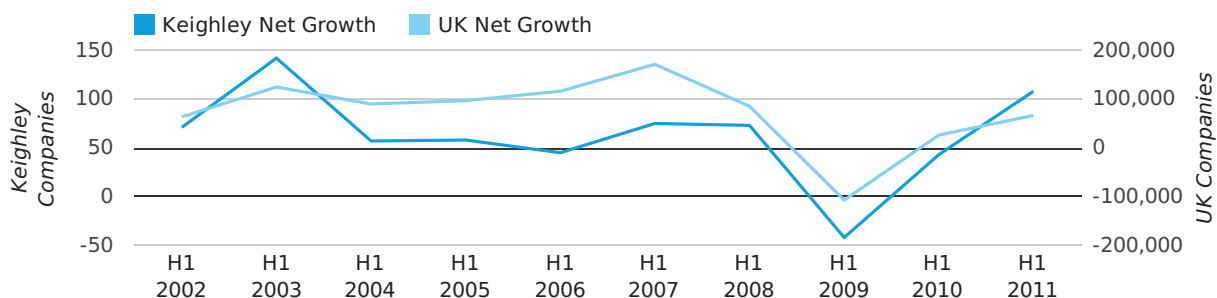
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	7	16	16
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	10	27	21
% CHANGE	-30.0%	-40.7%	-24%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (37)	2009 (52)	2009 (33)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Keighley increased by 108 companies. This figure is 151.2% higher than last year, which compares equally to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	108	66,425
2010	43	26,118
% CHANGE	151.2%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (142)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



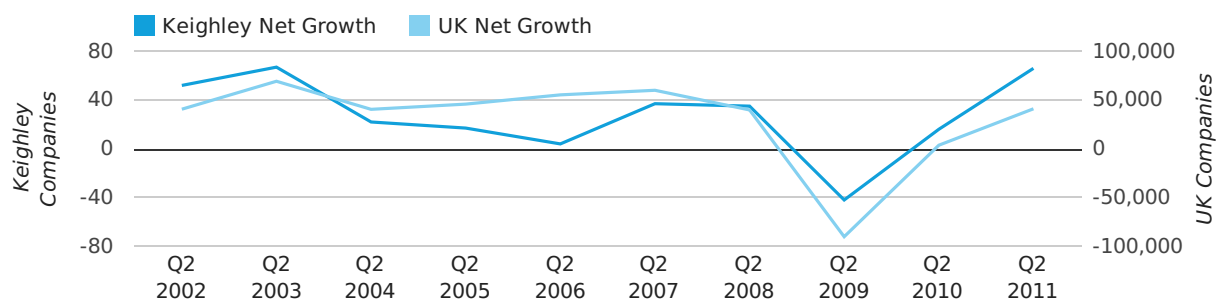
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Keighley during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 66 companies.

This represents an increase of 312.5% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	KEIGHLEY	UK
2011	66	41,020
2010	16	3,658
% CHANGE	312.5%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (67)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter

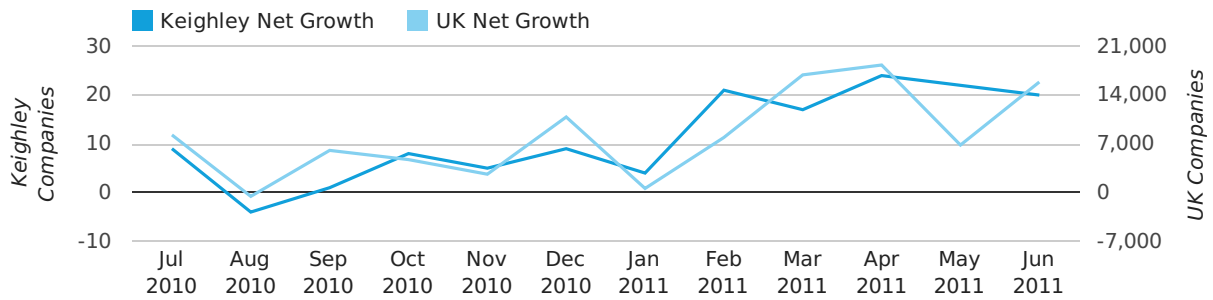


Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

May 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Keighley when compared to any previous May.

April 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Keighley when compared to any previous April.

net growth by month



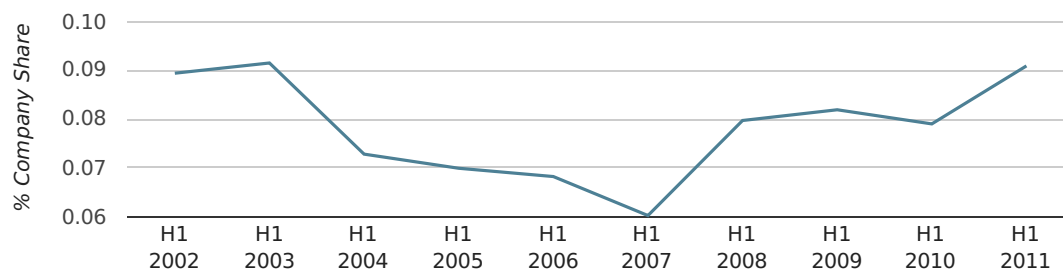
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	24	22	20
NET GROWTH IN 2010	11	-8	13
% CHANGE	118.2%	-375.0%	53.8%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (24)	2011 (22)	2003 (29)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	KEIGHLEY
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1971 (0.2%)

company share by half year

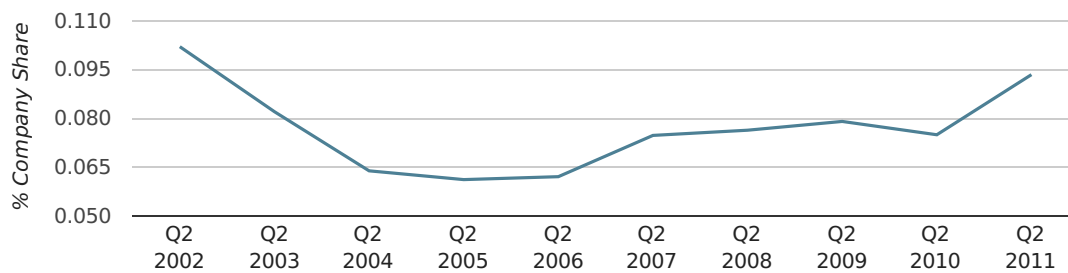


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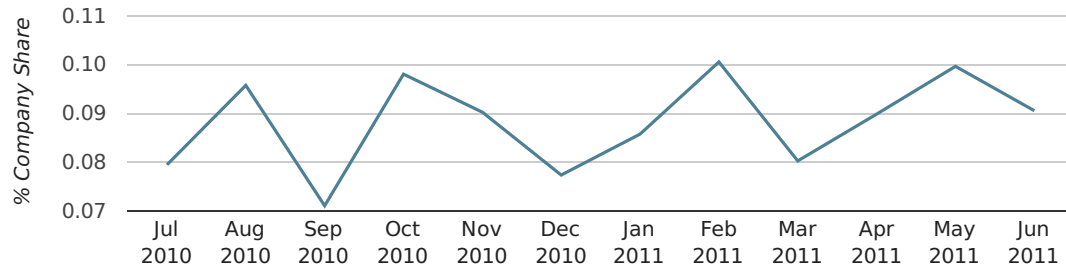
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2009	0.1%
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2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1971 (0.3%)

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%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	42.9%	57.5%	-6.2%
RECORD YEAR	1971 (0.4%)	1971 (0.3%)	1970 (0.3%)

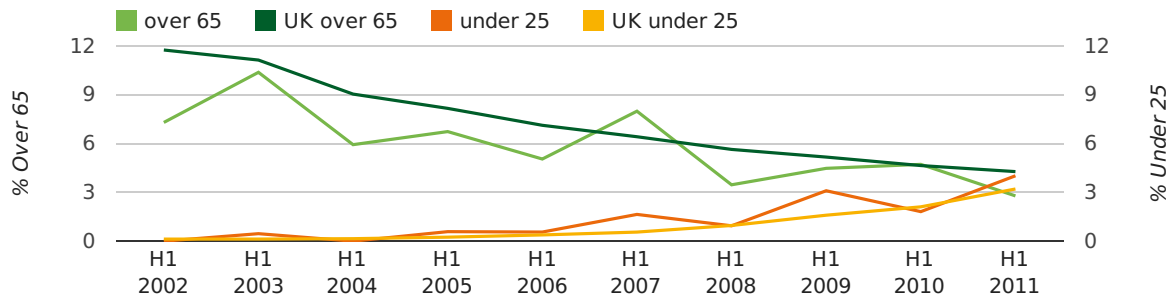
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 41.8.

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 2.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



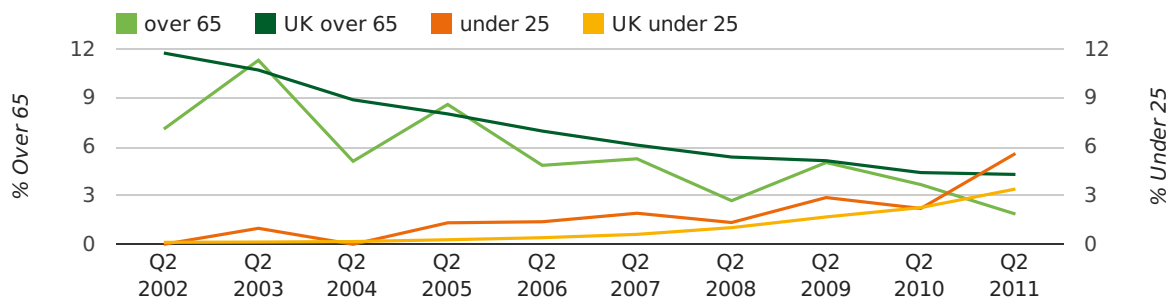
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 40.4.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 5.6% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by quarter

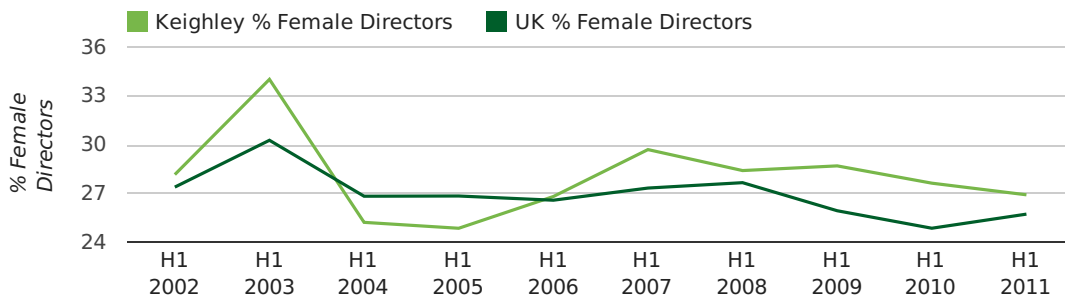


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

26.9% of all director appointments in Keighley 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

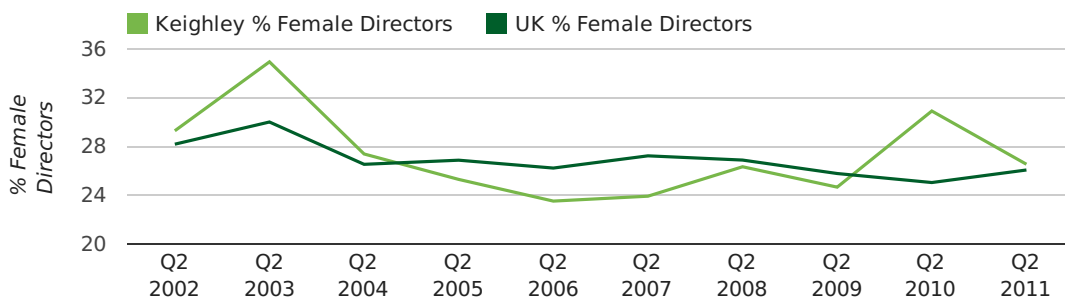


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

26.6% of all director appointments in Keighley 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
CONSULTING	1.17%	CONSULTING	5.09%
MANAGEMENT	1.02%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
CENTRE	1.02%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
ENGINEERING	0.88%	PROPERTY	2.43%
CARE	0.88%	TRADING	2.05%
CRAVEN	0.88%	DESIGN	1.94%
CLAIMS	0.88%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
S	0.73%	BUSINESS	1.87%
M	0.73%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
AIREDALE	0.73%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
KEIGHLEY	0.73%	MEDIA	1.73%
CONSULTANCY	0.58%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
DEVELOPMENT	0.58%	LONDON	1.60%
DESIGN	0.58%	GLOBAL	1.46%
AIRE	0.58%	J	1.44%
PROPERTY	0.58%	CARE	1.44%
TRAINING	0.58%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
WINDOWS	0.58%	IT	1.39%
MOTORS	0.58%	BUILDING	1.32%
GROUP	0.58%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
J	0.58%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
VALLEY	0.44%	M	1.27%
THERAPY	0.44%	S	1.23%
KINGFELL	0.44%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
HIRE	0.44%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	140	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	41	60,758
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	23	30,647
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	19	16,419
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	15	7,835
9999 - Dormant Company	10	20,111
99999 - Dormant Company	9	18,918
5530 - Restaurants	8	5,086
74990 - Non-trading company	8	8,481
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	7	10,545
7499 - Non-trading company	7	10,955
9305 - Other service activities	7	9,063
7414 - Business & management consultancy	6	13,053
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	6	7,143
7260 - Other computer related activities	5	7,849
32990 - Other manufacturing not elsewhere classified	5	1,427
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	5	3,050
42990 - Construction of other civil engineering projects not elsewhere classified	5	1,431
7411 - Legal activities	4	1,272
8042 - Adult and other education	4	2,203