Leatherhead

q3 2011 business confidence report



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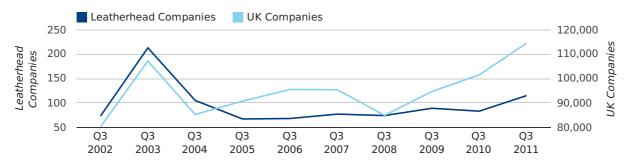
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A total of 115 companies were registered in Leatherhead during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

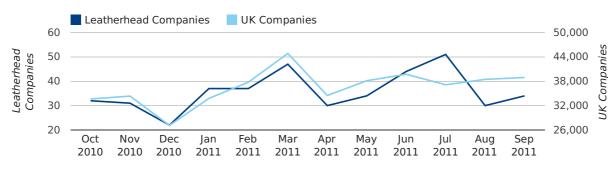
This figure is an increase of 38.6% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.8% against the same period last year.

THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	LEATHERHEAD	UK
2011	115	114,512
2010	83	101,492
% CHANGE	38.6%	12.8%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (213)	2011 (114,512)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	51	30	34
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	33	33	17
% CHANGE	54.5%	-9.1%	100.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (52)	2003 (78)	2003 (83)

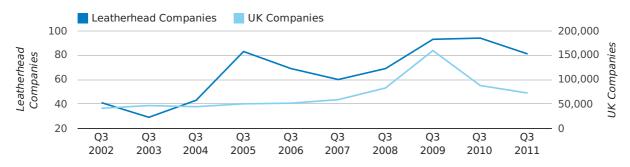
new companies by month

A total of 81 companies were dissolved in Leatherhead during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 13.8% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 17.6% against the same period last year.

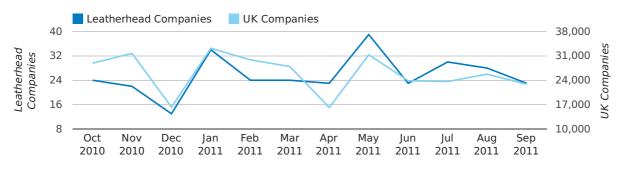
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	LEATHERHEAD	UK
2011	81	72,230
2010	94	87,705
% CHANGE	-13.8%	-17.6%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (94)	2009 (159,401)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

dissolved companies by month



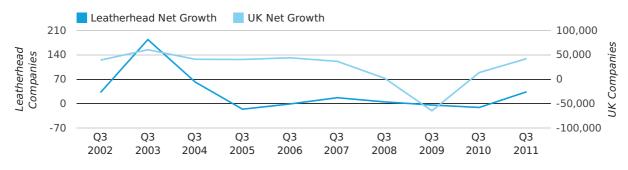
	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	30	28	23
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	35	28	31
% CHANGE	-14.3%	0.0%	-26%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (35)	2008 (53)	2009 (45)

Net company growth for Leatherhead during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011) was 34 companies.

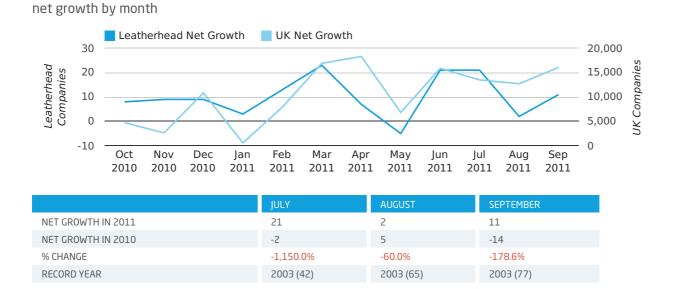
This represents an increase of 409.1% on the same period last year.

THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	LEATHERHEAD	UK
2011	34	42,282
2010	-11	13,787
% CHANGE	-409.1%	206.7%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (184)	2003 (60,597)

net growth by quarter



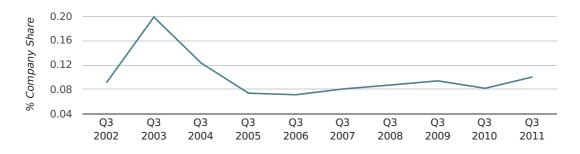
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In the third quarter of 2011, Leatherhead formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

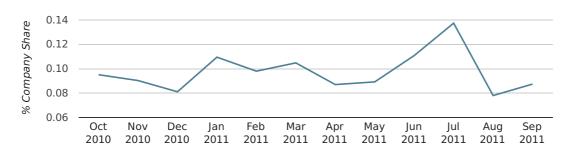
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	LEATHERHEAD
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1964 (0.5%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

company share by month



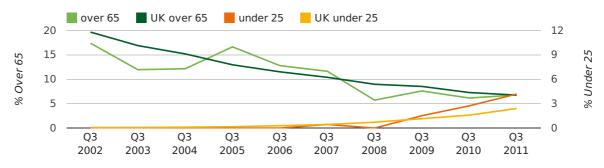
	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
% CHANGE	41.5%	-23.5%	80.6%
RECORD YEAR	1974 (0.5%)	1964 (0.7%)	1962 (0.6%)

The average age of a director in the third quarter of 2011 was 46.6.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.2% compared to the UK figure of 4.0%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 6.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter



The record third quarter for female directors in Leatherhead was in 1862 when 50.0% of all directors were female.

23.7% of all director appointments in Leatherhead in the third quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 26.0% for the same period.

director gender by quarter



Previous 12 months (Sep 2010-Sep 2011)

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
PLC	3.35%	CONSULTING	5.11%
MANAGEMENT	2.68%	MANAGEMENT	4.75%
CONSULTING	2.55%	CONSULTANCY	3.19%
HOLDINGS	1.34%	PROPERTY	2.41%
CONSULTANCY	1.07%	TRADING	2.06%
SURREY	0.94%	DESIGN	1.94%
CAPITAL	0.80%	ASSOCIATES	1.85%
ENTERPRISES	0.80%	BUSINESS	1.82%
LEATHERHEAD	0.80%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
PROPERTY	0.80%	ENGINEERING	1.74%
GROUP	0.80%	MEDIA	1.72%
GLOBAL	0.67%	CONSTRUCTION	1.72%
PROPERTIES	0.67%	LONDON	1.63%
INVESTMENTS	0.54%	J	1.47%
CITY	0.54%	GLOBAL	1.46%
LONDON	0.54%	INVESTMENTS	1.43%
MARKETING	0.54%	CARE	1.42%
PRIORY	0.54%	IT	1.38%
ASSOCIATES	0.54%	BUILDING	1.30%
EDIF	0.40%	PROPERTIES	1.28%
J	0.40%	ELECTRICAL	1.27%
IT	0.40%	М	1.25%
DEVELOPMENTS	0.40%	ENERGY	1.22%
RESEARCH	0.40%	TRAINING	1.21%
MINES	0.40%	S	1.21%



Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	139	204,493
7499 - Non-trading company	37	11,543
7487 - Other business activities	36	65,177
74990 - Non-trading company	30	8,064
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	29	29,245
7414 - Business & management consultancy	24	14,755
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	19	15,760
9999 - Dormant Company	18	22,587
99999 - Dormant Company	17	18,281
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	14	10,137
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	13	7,551
41100 - Development of building projects	10	3,697
9305 - Other service activities	8	10,525
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	8	10,018
7260 - Other computer related activities	8	8,686
68209 - Other letting and operating of own or leased real estate	7	3,614
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	6	8,345
7011 - Development & sell real estate	5	2,638
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	5	6,321
62012 - Business and domestic software development	5	3,137