Margate

2011 annual business confidence report





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• 2011 was a record year for company registrations in Margate when compared to any year in history.

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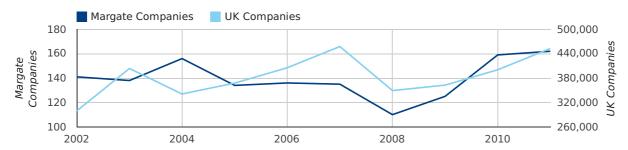
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 $2011\ was\ a\ record\ year\ for\ company\ registrations\ in\ Margate\ when\ compared\ to\ any\ year\ in\ history.$

A total of 162 companies were formed in Margate in 2011. This total is 1.9% higher than in 2010 and compares favourably to the UK figure of a 13.1% growth compared to 400,358 the previous year.

YEAR	MARGATE	UK
2011	162	452,870
2010	159	400,358
2009	125	362,675
2008	110	349,203
2007	135	457,649
RECORD YEAR	2011 (162)	2007 (457,649)

new companies by year



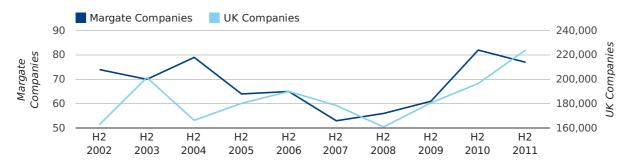
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 77 companies were formed in Margate. This figure is 6.1% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 14.0%.

The highest total for a second half year in Margate occurred in 2010 when a total of 82 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	MARGATE	UK
2011	77	224,135
2010	82	196,609
% CHANGE	-6.1%	14.0%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (82)	2011 (224,135)

new companies by half year

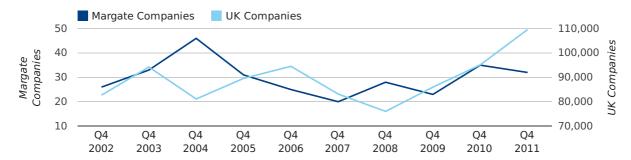


A total of 32 companies were registered in Margate during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 8.6% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares badly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 15.3% against the same period last year.

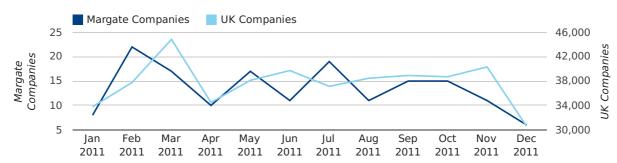
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	MARGATE	UK
2011	32	109,623
2010	35	95,117
% CHANGE	-8.6%	15.3%
RECORD YEAR	2004 (46)	2011 (109,623)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

new companies by month

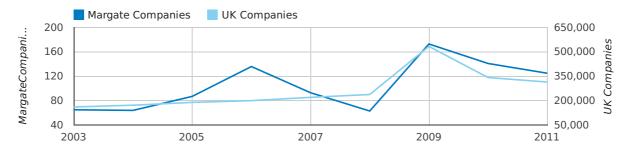


	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	15	11	6
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	12	8	15
% CHANGE	25.0%	37.5%	-60.0%
RECORD YEAR	2002 (18)	2004 (18)	2010 (15)

A total of 125 companies were dissolved in Margate in 2011. This total is 11.3% lower than in 2010 and compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 8.1% decrease compared to the previous year.

YEAR	MARGATE	UK
2011	125	314,523
2010	141	342,232
2009	173	533,773
2008	63	237,901
2007	93	220,295
RECORD YEAR	2009 (173)	2009 (533,773)

dissolved companies by year



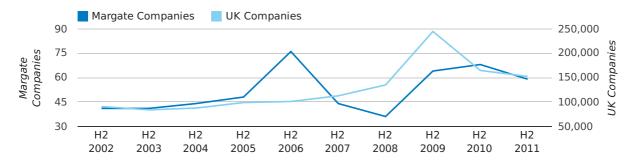
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 59 companies were dissolved in Margate. This figure is 13.2% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -7.5%.

The highest total for a second half year in Margate occurred in 2006 when a total of 76 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	MARGATE	UK
2011	59	152,213
2010	68	164,601
% CHANGE	-13.2%	-7.5%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (76)	2009 (244,537)

dissolved companies by half year

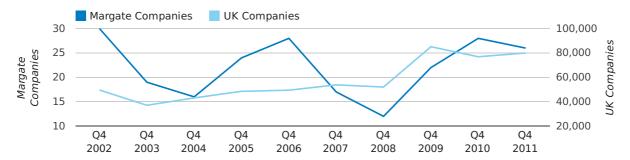


A total of 26 companies were dissolved in Margate during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 7.1% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 4.0% against the same period last year.

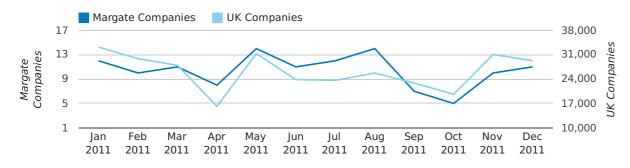
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	MARGATE	UK
2011	26	79,983
2010	28	76,896
% CHANGE	-7.1%	4.0%
RECORD YEAR	2002 (30)	2009 (85,136)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

dissolved companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	5	10	11
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	8	12	8
% CHANGE	-37.5%	-16.7%	38%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (14)	2010 (12)	2002 (12)

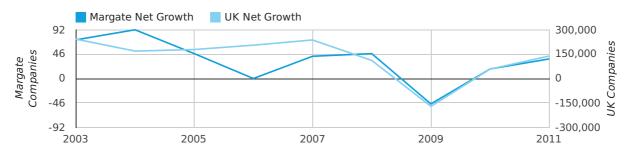
A total of 37 companies were added to the company register for Margate in 2011. This number represents growth of 23.3% which compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 34.6%.

This number is 19 companies higher than the previous year.

The highest net company growth figure ever seen in one year came in 2004 when the Margate company register grew by 92 companies.

YEAR	MARGATE	UK
2011	37	138,347
2010	18	58,126
2009	-48	-171,098
2008	47	111,302
2007	42	237,354
RECORD YEAR	2004 (92)	2003 (242,543)

net growth by year

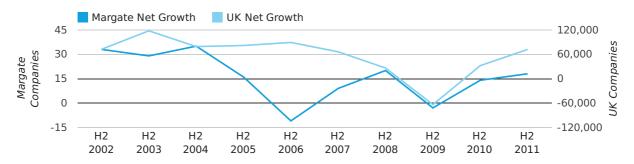


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 the company register for Margate increased by 18 companies. This figure is 28.6% higher than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 124.7%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	MARGATE	UK
2011	18	71,922
2010	14	32,008
% CHANGE	28.6%	124.7%
RECORD YEAR	2004 (35)	2003 (117,772)

net growth by half year

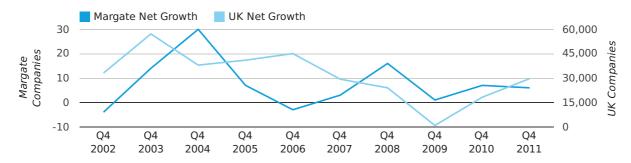


Net company growth for Margate during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011) was 6 companies.

This represents a decrease of 14.3% on the same period last year.

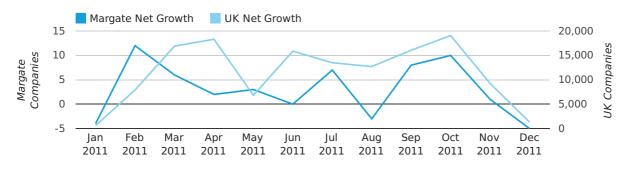
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	MARGATE	UK
2011	6	29,640
2010	7	18,221
% CHANGE	-14.3%	62.7%
RECORD YEAR	2004 (30)	2003 (57,175)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

net growth by month

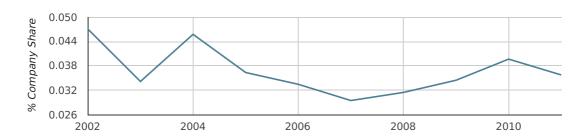


	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	10	1	-5
NET GROWTH IN 2010	4	-4	7
% CHANGE	150.0%	-125.0%	-171.4%
RECORD YEAR	2004 (14)	2004 (10)	2010 (7)

In 2011 Margate formed 0.0% of all UK companies. This is no change on 2010 when Margate was responsible for 0.0% of all UK companies.

YEAR	MARGATE
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1963 (0.1%)

company share by year

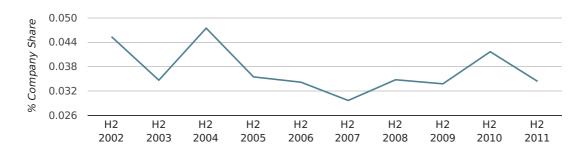


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 Margate formed 0.0% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2010 figure of 0.0%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	MARGATE
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2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1963 (0.1%)

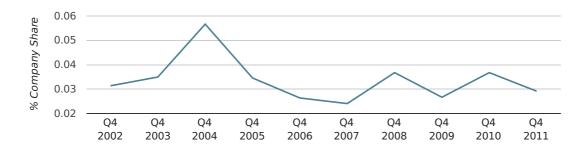
company share by half year



In the fourth quarter of 2011, Margate formed 0.0% of all UK companies.

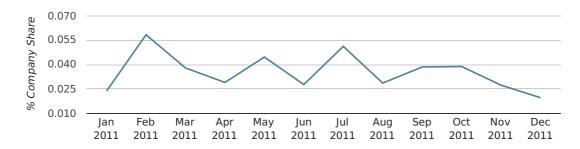
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	MARGATE
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1979 (0.1%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

company share by month



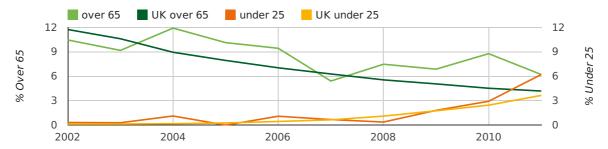
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
% CHANGE	8.7%	17.2%	-64.6%
RECORD YEAR	1968 (0.2%)	1965 (0.2%)	1966 (0.2%)

The average age of a director in 2011 was 44.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 6.2% compared to the UK figure of 3.7%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 6.2% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

director age by year



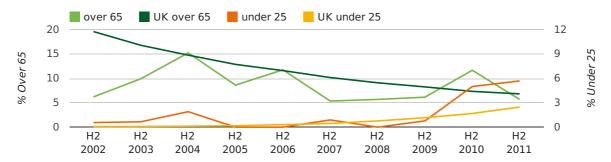
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the second half of 2011 was 44.1.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 5.7% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 5.7% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by half year

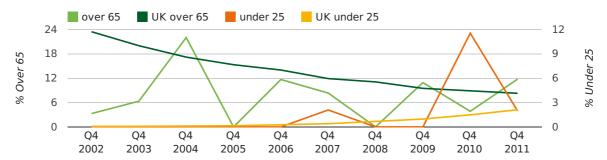


The average age of a director in the fourth quarter of 2011 was 45.9.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 2.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 11.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter



The record year for female directors in Margate was 1857 when 36.4% of all directors were female.

The percentage of female directors in Margate in 2011 was 30.5%. The average for the UK during this time was 28.6%

director gender by year



Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The record second half year for female directors in Margate was 1860 when 42.9% of all directors were female.

23.5% of all director appointments in Margate in the second half of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 25.7% for the same period.

director gender by half year



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The record fourth quarter for female directors in Margate was in 1977 when 31.1% of all directors were female.

22.8% of all director appointments in Margate in the fourth quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 25.3% for the same period.

director gender by quarter



naming trends $\operatorname{duport} \omega$

Previous 12 months (Dec 2010-Dec 2011)

 ${\sf Excluding: LIMITED, LTD, \&, UK, SERVICES, THE, (UK), AND, LTD., A, LLP, SOLUTIONS, COMPANY, OF.}\\$

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
THANET	1.86%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTANTS	1.24%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
CONSULTANCY	0.93%	CONSULTANCY	3.26%
(KENT)	0.93%	PROPERTY	2.37%
J&K	0.93%	TRADING	2.07%
CARS	0.93%	DESIGN	1.92%
CIC	0.93%	ASSOCIATES	1.86%
PRODUCTS	0.93%	ENGINEERING	1.78%
COMMUNITY	0.93%	BUSINESS	1.78%
HOME	0.93%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
PROPERTY	0.93%	CONSTRUCTION	1.73%
MARGATE	0.62%	MEDIA	1.71%
TREE	0.62%	LONDON	1.63%
CAB	0.62%	J	1.51%
В	0.62%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
CENTRE	0.62%	GLOBAL	1.46%
CALL	0.62%	IT	1.41%
TECHNOLOGIES	0.62%	CARE	1.39%
KENT	0.62%	PROPERTIES	1.29%
INTERNATIONAL	0.62%	ELECTRICAL	1.29%
ENERGY	0.62%	М	1.27%
GAS	0.62%	BUILDING	1.26%
MARKET	0.62%	ENERGY	1.25%
FOOD	0.62%	S	1.20%
BUILDING	0.62%	ENTERPRISES	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	94	205,525
9999 - Dormant Company	14	20,199
7487 - Other business activities	12	57,052
99999 - Dormant Company	6	21,846
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	6	12,072
5530 - Restaurants	5	5,013
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	5	17,765
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	5	11,768
9305 - Other service activities	4	9,492
7499 - Non-trading company	4	9,957
7414 - Business & management consultancy	3	13,034
6022 - Taxi operation	3	617
7440 - Advertising	3	1,765
68320 - Management of real estate on a fee or contract basis	3	3,194
56101 - Licensed restaurants	3	2,159
9133 - Other membership organisations	3	566
4531 - Installation electrical wiring etc.	3	1,967
4534 - Other building installation	3	2,091
4533 - Plumbing	2	1,374
42990 - Construction of other civil engineering projects not elsewhere classified	2	1,441