Melton Mowbray

2011 half year business confidence report



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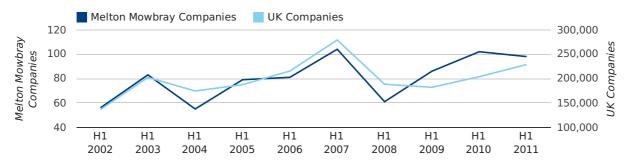
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In the first half of 2011 a total of 98 companies were formed in Melton Mowbray. This figure is 3.9% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Melton Mowbray occurred in 2007 when a total of 104 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	98	228,735
2010	102	203,749
% CHANGE	-3.9%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (104)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



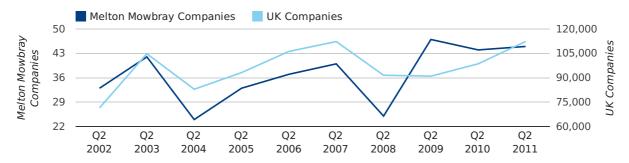
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 45 companies were registered in Melton Mowbray during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 2.3% 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)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	45	112,344
2010	44	98,612
% CHANGE	2.3%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (47)	2011 (112,344)

new companies by quarter



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

new companies by month



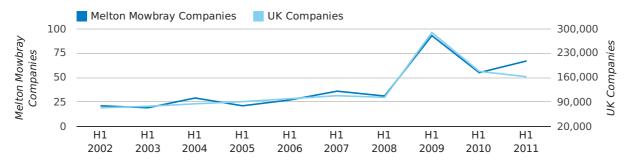
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	17	17	11
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	22	5	17
% CHANGE	-22.7%	240.0%	-35.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (22)	2011 (17)	2010 (17)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 67 companies were dissolved in Melton Mowbray. This figure is 21.8% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Melton Mowbray occurred in 2009 when a total of 93 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	67	162,310
2010	55	177,631
% CHANGE	21.8%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (93)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



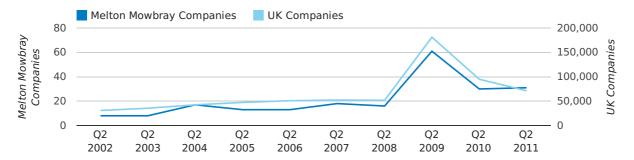
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 31 companies were dissolved in Melton Mowbray during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 3.3% 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)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	31	71,324
2010	30	94,954
% CHANGE	3.3%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (61)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



dissolved companies by month

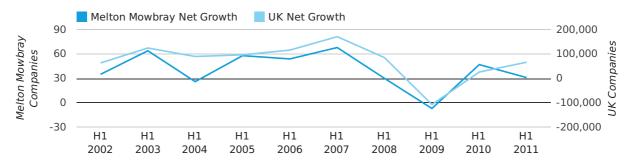


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	7	15	9
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	6	10	14
% CHANGE	16.7%	50.0%	-36%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (11)	2009 (26)	2009 (24)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Melton Mowbray increased by 31 companies. This figure is 34.0% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	31	66,425
2010	47	26,118
% CHANGE	-34.0%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (68)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



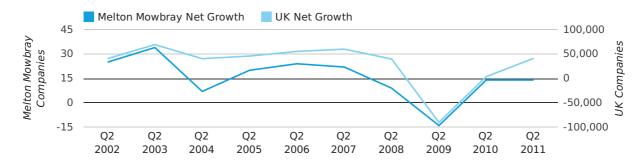
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Melton Mowbray during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 14 companies.

This represents an increase of 0.0% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	MELTON MOWBRAY	UK
2011	14	41,020
2010	14	3,658
% CHANGE	0.0%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (34)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



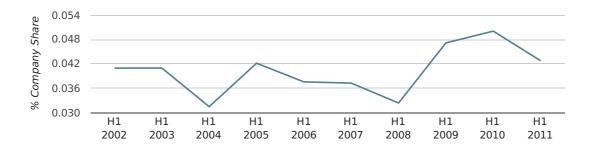
net growth by month



In the first half of 2011 Melton Mowbray formed 0.0% of all UK companies. This is less than the 2010 figure of 0.1%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	MELTON MOWBRAY
2011	0.0%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1962 (0.1%)

company share by half year

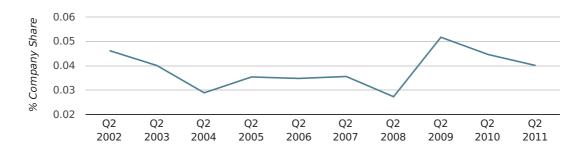


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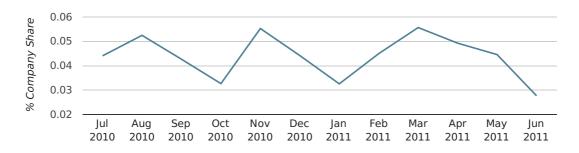
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SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	MELTON MOWBRAY
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1967 (0.1%)

company share by quarter



company share by month



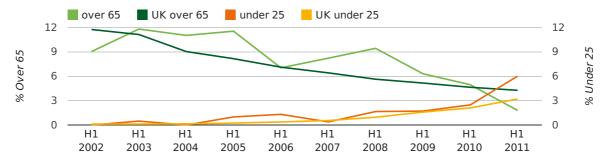
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
% CHANGE	-25.2%	168.7%	-42.7%
RECORD YEAR	1967 (0.2%)	1976 (0.3%)	1975 (0.4%)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 46.5.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 6.0% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



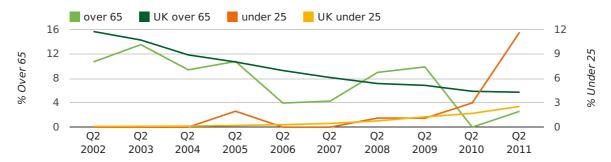
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 45.4.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 11.7% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by quarter



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

28.8% of all director appointments in Melton Mowbray 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

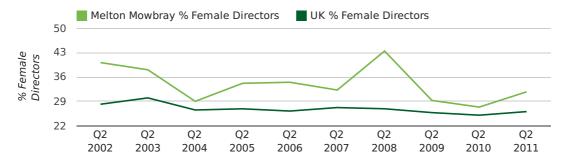


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The record second quarter for female directors in Melton Mowbray was in 1866 when 66.7% of all directors were female.

31.8% of all director appointments in Melton Mowbray 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



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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
MELTON	1.66%	CONSULTING	5.09%
TRANSPORT	1.39%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
PREMIER	1.39%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
MANAGEMENT	1.39%	PROPERTY	2.43%
IT	1.11%	TRADING	2.05%
CONSULTING	1.11%	DESIGN	1.94%
SELF	1.11%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
DRIVE	1.11%	BUSINESS	1.87%
RUTLAND	1.11%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
INSTALLATIONS	1.11%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
TRAINING	1.11%	MEDIA	1.73%
CONSULTANCY	1.11%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
DESIGN	0.83%	LONDON	1.60%
CONSULTANTS	0.83%	GLOBAL	1.46%
ELECTRICAL	0.83%	J	1.44%
ECLIPSE	0.55%	CARE	1.44%
PUB	0.55%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
REAL	0.55%	IT	1.39%
LOGISTICS	0.55%	BUILDING	1.32%
SLS	0.55%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
GREEN	0.55%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
EQUIPMENT	0.55%	М	1.27%
S	0.55%	S	1.23%
PROPERTY	0.55%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
C	0.55%	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	53	202,072
7487 - Other business activities	19	60,758
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	17	30,647
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	12	16,419
9305 - Other service activities	8	9,063
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	6	3,050
9999 - Dormant Company	5	20,111
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	5	7,835
49410 - Freight transport by road	5	2,142
5540 - Bars	4	2,141
99999 - Dormant Company	4	18,918
7414 - Business & management consultancy	4	13,053
69201 - Accounting and auditing activities	3	3,394
73110 - Advertising agencies	3	1,633
71121 - Engineering design activities for industrial process and production	3	362
98000 - Residents property management	3	2,888
78200 - Temporary employment agency activities	3	1,052
7310 - R & D on nat sciences & engineering	3	714
6024 - Freight transport by road	3	2,316
7499 - Non-trading company	3	10,955