Newark

2011 half year business confidence report



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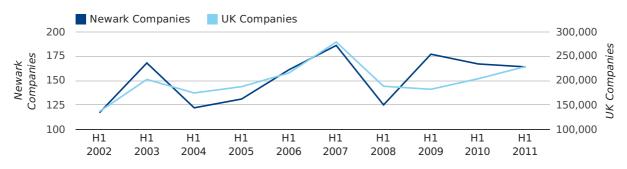
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In the first half of 2011 a total of 164 companies were formed in Newark. This figure is 1.8% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Newark occurred in 2007 when a total of 186 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NEWARK	UK
2011	164	228,735
2010	167	203,749
% CHANGE	-1.8%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (186)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year

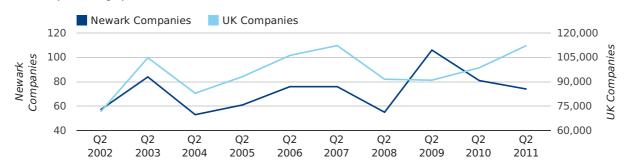


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 74 companies were registered in Newark during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 8.6% 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)	NEWARK	UK
2011	74	112,344
2010	81	98,612
% CHANGE	-8.6%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (106)	2011 (112,344)



new companies by quarter

Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

Newark Companies UK Companies 50,000 50 UK Companies 44,000 Newark Companies 40 30 38,000 20 32,000 10 26,000 Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun 2010 2010 2010 2010 2010 2010 2011 2011 2011 2011 2011 2011

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	29	20	25
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	30	31	20
% CHANGE	-3.3%	-35.5%	25.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (34)	2009 (33)	2009 (41)

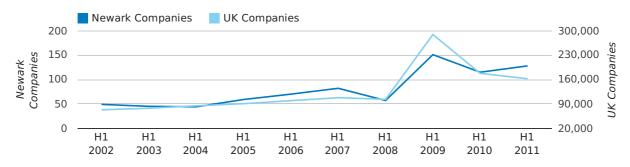
new companies by month

In the first half of 2011 a total of 128 companies were dissolved in Newark. This figure is 11.3% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Newark occurred in 2009 when a total of 151 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NEWARK	UK
2011	128	162,310
2010	115	177,631
% CHANGE	11.3%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (151)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



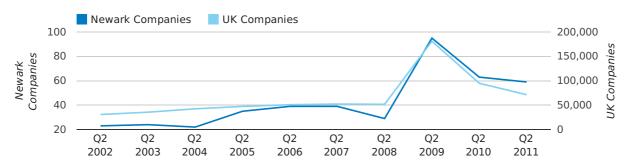
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 59 companies were dissolved in Newark during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

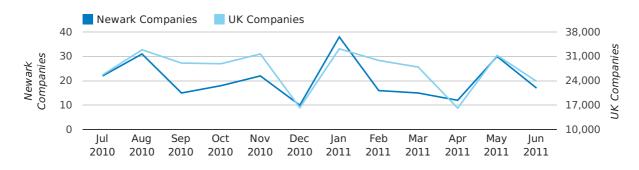
This figure is a decrease of 6.3% versus the same period last year (Q2 2010). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 24.9% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	NEWARK	UK
2011	59	71,324
2010	63	94,954
% CHANGE	-6.3%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (95)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



dissolved companies by month

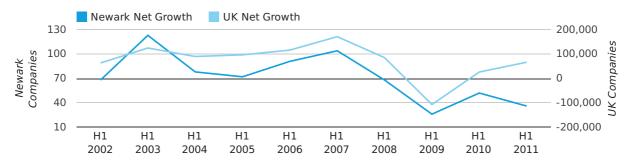


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	12	30	17
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	11	25	27
% CHANGE	9.1%	20.0%	-37%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (29)	2009 (47)	2010 (27)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Newark increased by 36 companies. This figure is 30.8% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NEWARK	UK
2011	36	66,425
2010	52	26,118
% CHANGE	-30.8%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (123)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year

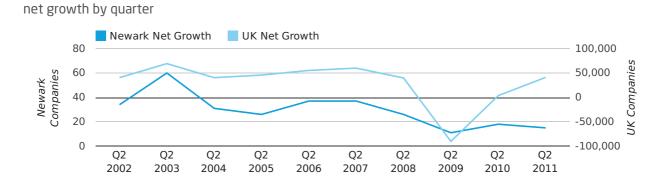


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

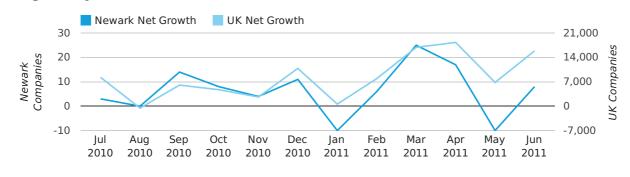
Net company growth for Newark during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 15 companies.

This represents a decrease of 16.7% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	NEWARK	UK
2011	15	41,020
2010	18	3,658
% CHANGE	-16.7%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (60)	2003 (69,274)



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)



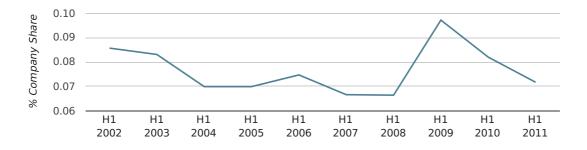
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	17	-10	8
NET GROWTH IN 2010	19	6	-7
% CHANGE	-10.5%	-266.7%	-214.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (27)	2000 (18)	2009 (22)

net growth by month

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NEWARK
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1965 (0.1%)

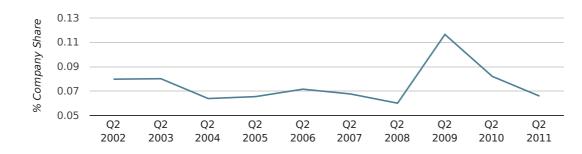
company share by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

In the second quarter of 2011, Newark formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

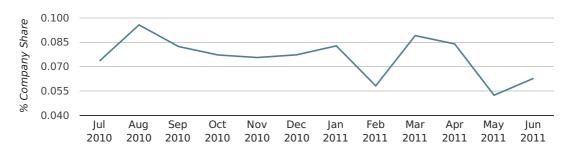
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	NEWARK
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1968 (0.2%)



company share by quarter

Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

company share by month



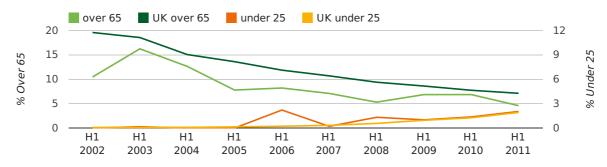
	APRIL	ΜΑΥ	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-6.5%	-49.1%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	1960 (0.3%)	1968 (0.5%)	1963 (0.5%)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 45.7.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 2.0% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 4.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



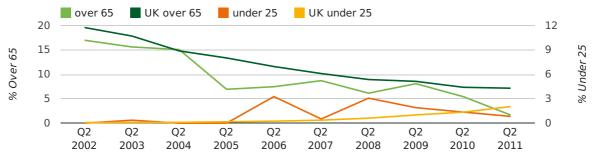
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 44.5.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 0.8% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.7% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

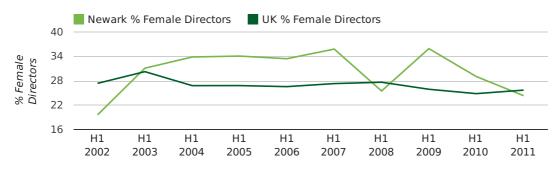




The record first half year for female directors in Newark was 1861 when 40.0% of all directors were female.

24.4% of all director appointments in Newark 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 Newark was in 1866 when 66.7% of all directors were female.

23.6% of all director appointments in Newark 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
NEWARK	1.36%	CONSULTING	5.09%
FITNESS	1.19%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
MANAGEMENT	1.02%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
CONSULTANCY	1.02%	PROPERTY	2.43%
ASSOCIATES	0.85%	TRADING	2.05%
INDUSTRY	0.85%	DESIGN	1.94%
CONSULTING	0.85%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
PROPERTY	0.68%	BUSINESS	1.87%
ENERGY	0.68%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
COMMERCIAL	0.68%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
PROPERTIES	0.68%	MEDIA	1.73%
CONSULTANTS	0.68%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
GLOBAL	0.68%	LONDON	1.60%
SYSTEMS	0.68%	GLOBAL	1.46%
В	0.51%	J	1.44%
MUSIC	0.51%	CARE	1.44%
HEATING	0.51%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
D	0.51%	IT	1.39%
BUSINESS	0.51%	BUILDING	1.32%
ELECTRICAL	0.51%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
GROUP	0.51%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
DESIGN	0.51%	М	1.27%
CENTRE	0.51%	S	1.23%
PLUMBING	0.51%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
TRUST	0.51%	SYSTEMS	1.20%



Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

None Supplied	132	202,072
		202,072
7487 - Other business activities	34	60,758
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	25	16,419
9999 - Dormant Company	19	20,111
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	19	30,647
99999 - Dormant Company	15	18,918
6021 - Other sched passenger land transport	14	94
7414 - Business & management consultancy	11	13,053
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	11	7,835
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	9	5,928
41100 - Development of building projects	9	3,852
85590 - Other education not elsewhere classified	8	2,108
7011 - Development & sell real estate	8	2,491
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	8	10,322
70100 - Activities of head offices	7	2,632
7499 - Non-trading company	7	10,955
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	7	10,545
4531 - Installation electrical wiring etc.	6	2,037
43210 - Electrical installation	6	3,085
9305 - Other service activities	5	9,063