

Newport Pagnell

2011 annual business confidence report



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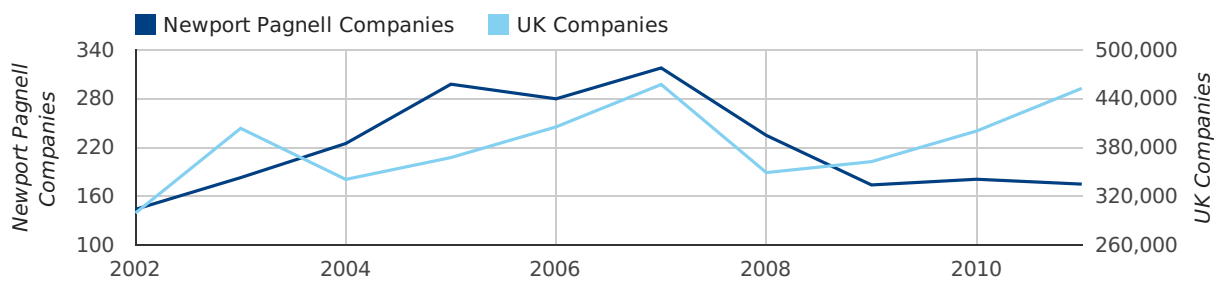
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Annual Data (2011)

A total of 175 companies were formed in Newport Pagnell in 2011. This total is 3.3% lower than in 2010 and compares favourably to the UK figure of a 13.1% growth compared to 400,358 the previous year.

YEAR	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	175	452,870
2010	181	400,358
2009	174	362,675
2008	235	349,203
2007	318	457,649
RECORD YEAR	2007 (318)	2007 (457,649)

new companies by year



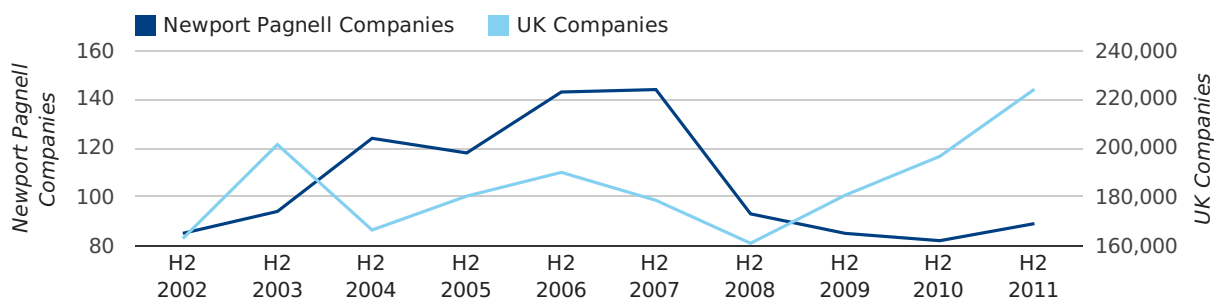
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 89 companies were formed in Newport Pagnell. This figure is 8.5% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 14.0%.

The highest total for a second half year in Newport Pagnell occurred in 2007 when a total of 144 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	89	224,135
2010	82	196,609
% CHANGE	8.5%	14.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (144)	2011 (224,135)

new companies by half year



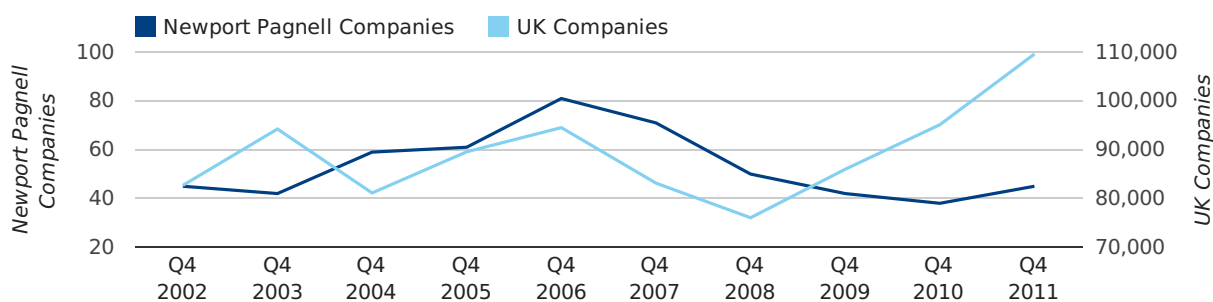
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 45 companies were registered in Newport Pagnell during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is an increase of 18.4% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares equally to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 15.3% against the same period last year.

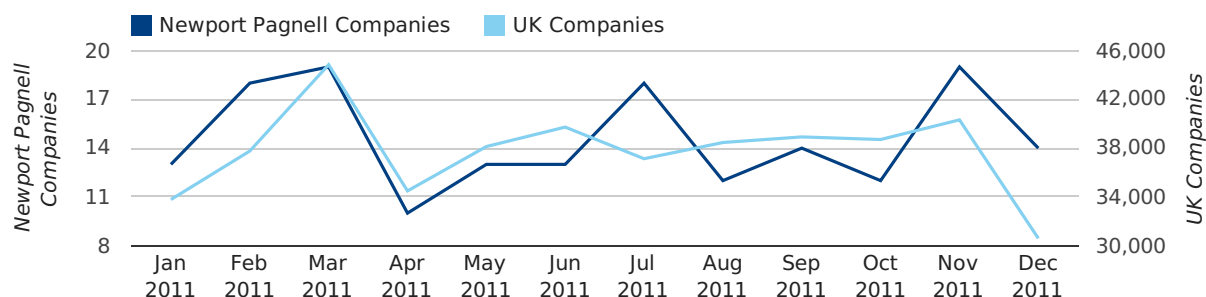
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	45	109,623
2010	38	95,117
% CHANGE	18.4%	15.3%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (81)	2011 (109,623)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

new companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	12	19	14
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	13	20	5
% CHANGE	-7.7%	-5.0%	180.0%
RECORD YEAR	2004 (23)	2006 (36)	2007 (27)

Annual Data (2011)

A total of 171 companies were dissolved in Newport Pagnell in 2011. This total is 22.3% lower than in 2010 and compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 8.1% decrease compared to the previous year.

YEAR	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	171	314,523
2010	220	342,232
2009	358	533,773
2008	109	237,901
2007	123	220,295
RECORD YEAR	2009 (358)	2009 (533,773)

dissolved companies by year



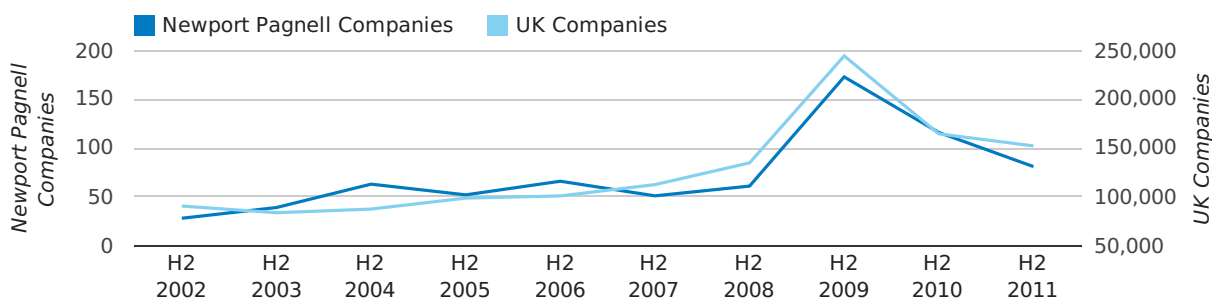
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 81 companies were dissolved in Newport Pagnell. This figure is 30.2% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -7.5%.

The highest total for a second half year in Newport Pagnell occurred in 2009 when a total of 173 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	81	152,213
2010	116	164,601
% CHANGE	-30.2%	-7.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (173)	2009 (244,537)

dissolved companies by half year



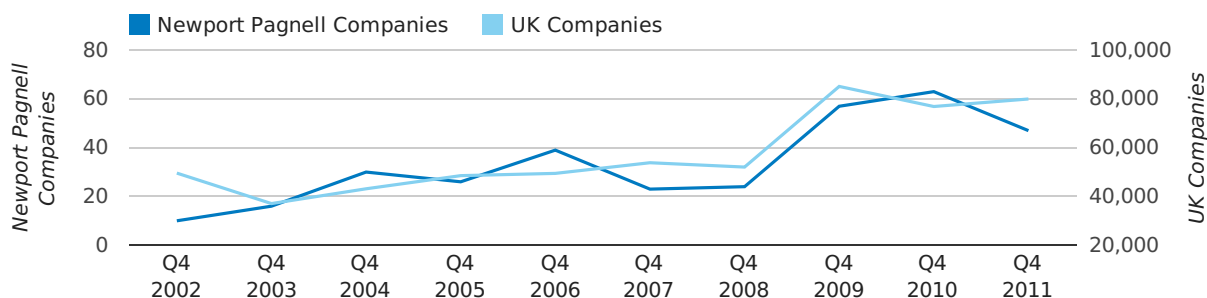
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 47 companies were dissolved in Newport Pagnell during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 25.4% 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)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	47	79,983
2010	63	76,896
% CHANGE	-25.4%	4.0%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (63)	2009 (85,136)

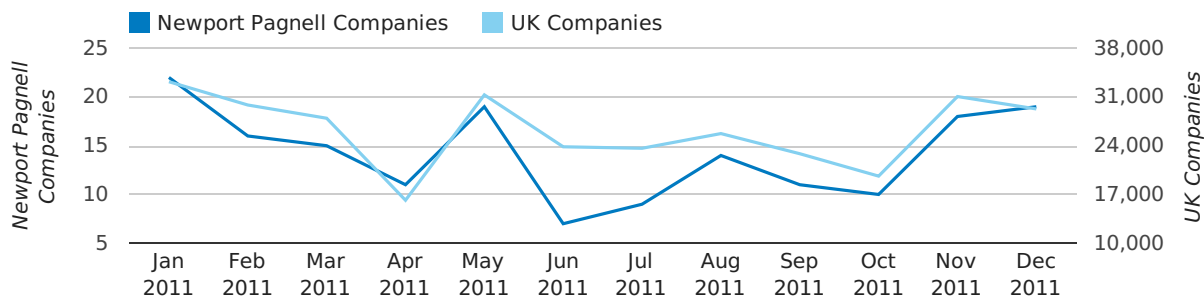
dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

November 2011 saw a new record in company closures in Newport Pagnell when compared to any previous November.

dissolved companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	10	18	19
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	24	15	24
% CHANGE	-58.3%	20.0%	-21%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (24)	2011 (18)	2009 (32)

Annual Data (2011)

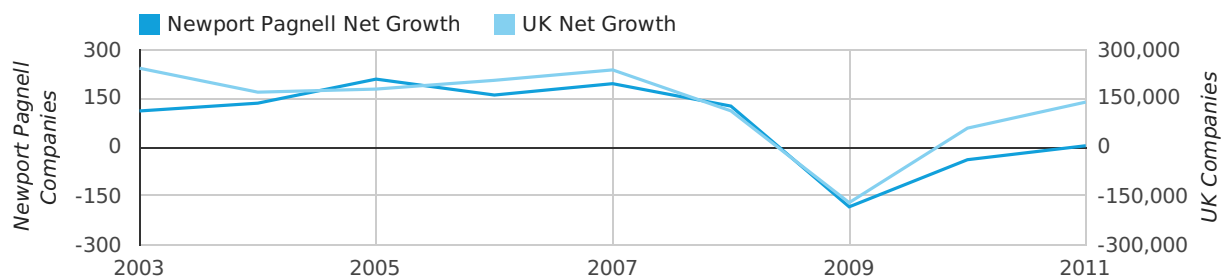
A total of 4 companies were added to the company register for Newport Pagnell in 2011. This number represents growth of 2.2% which compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 34.6%.

This number is 43 companies higher than the previous year.

The highest net company growth figure ever seen in one year came in 2005 when the Newport Pagnell company register grew by 209 companies.

YEAR	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	4	138,347
2010	-39	58,126
2009	-184	-171,098
2008	126	111,302
2007	195	237,354
RECORD YEAR	2005 (209)	2003 (242,543)

net growth by year

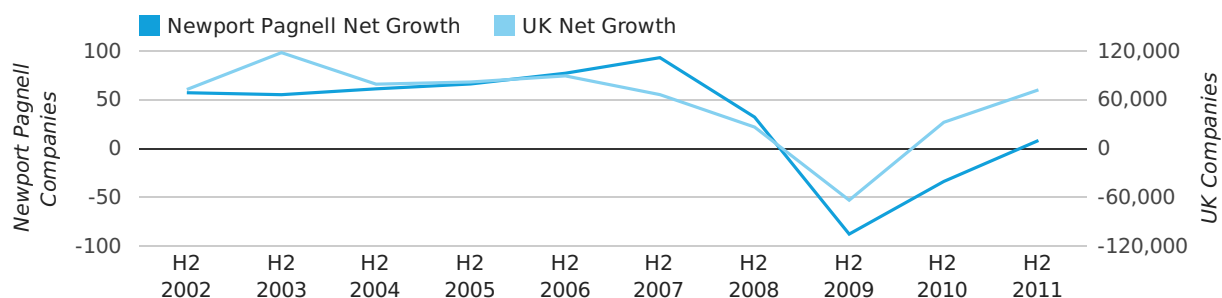


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 the company register for Newport Pagnell increased by 8 companies. This figure is 123.5% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 124.7%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	8	71,922
2010	-34	32,008
% CHANGE	-123.5%	124.7%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (93)	2003 (117,772)

net growth by half year



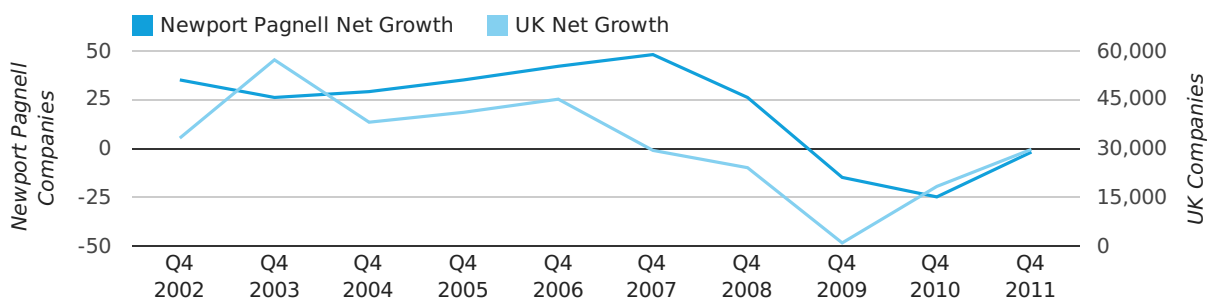
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

Net company growth for Newport Pagnell during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011) was -2 companies.

This represents an increase of 92.0% on the same period last year.

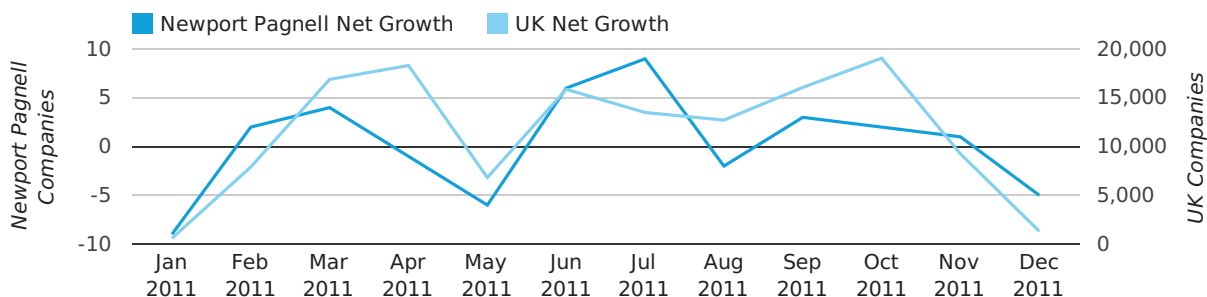
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	NEWPORT PAGNELL	UK
2011	-2	29,640
2010	-25	18,221
% CHANGE	-92.0%	62.7%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (48)	2003 (57,175)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

net growth by month



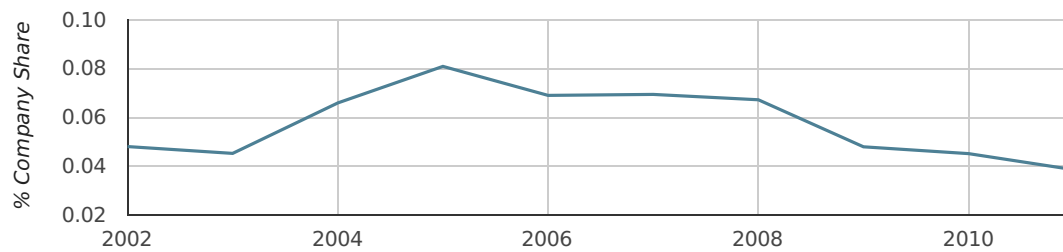
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	2	1	-5
NET GROWTH IN 2010	-11	5	-19
% CHANGE	-118.2%	-80.0%	-73.7%
RECORD YEAR	2008 (18)	2006 (27)	2007 (15)

Annual Data (2011)

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

YEAR	NEWPORT PAGNELL
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2005 (0.1%)

company share by year

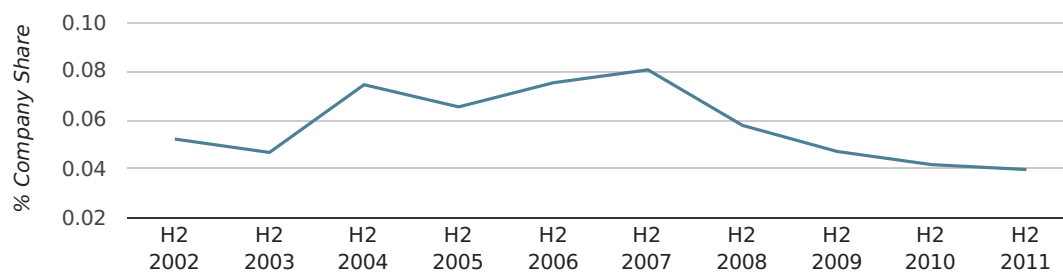


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

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

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	NEWPORT PAGNELL
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2007 (0.1%)

company share by half year

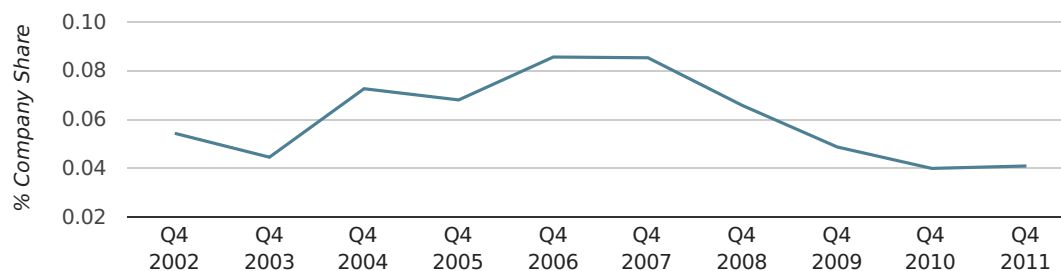


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

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

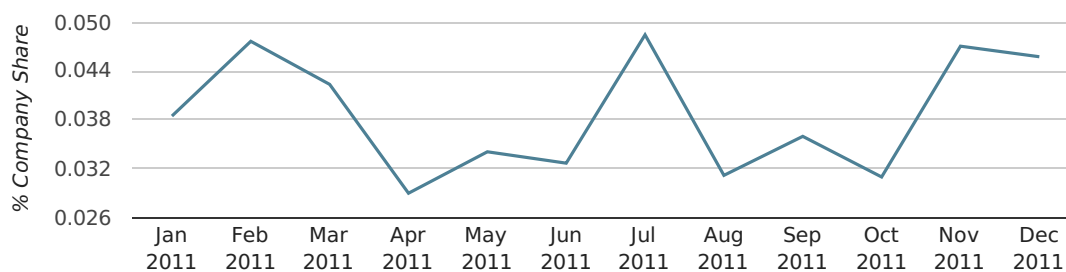
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	NEW/PORT PAGNELL
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2006 (0.1%)

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%	0.1%	0.0%
% CHANGE	-19.7%	-19.1%	148.9%
RECORD YEAR	1981 (0.1%)	1975 (0.2%)	1966 (0.2%)

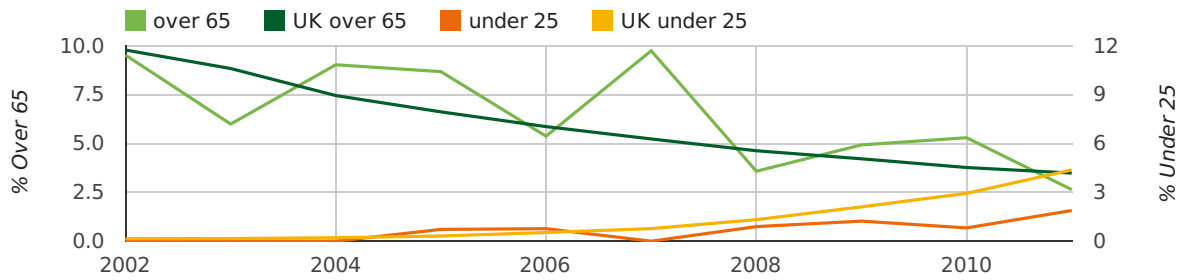
Annual Data (2011)

The average age of a director in 2011 was 46.3.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 1.9% compared to the UK figure of 3.7%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

director age by year



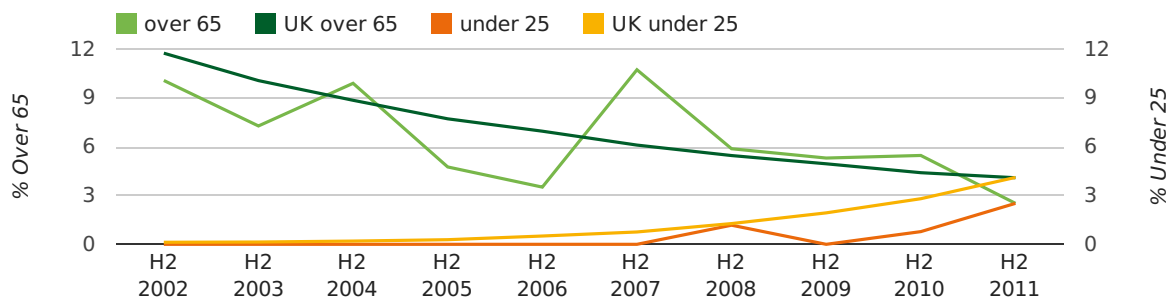
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the second half of 2011 was 43.4.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 2.5% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.5% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by half year



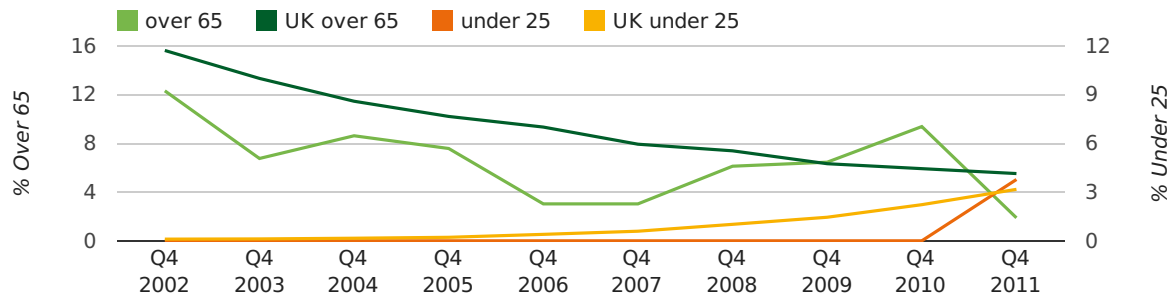
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the fourth quarter of 2011 was 42.0.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 3.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter

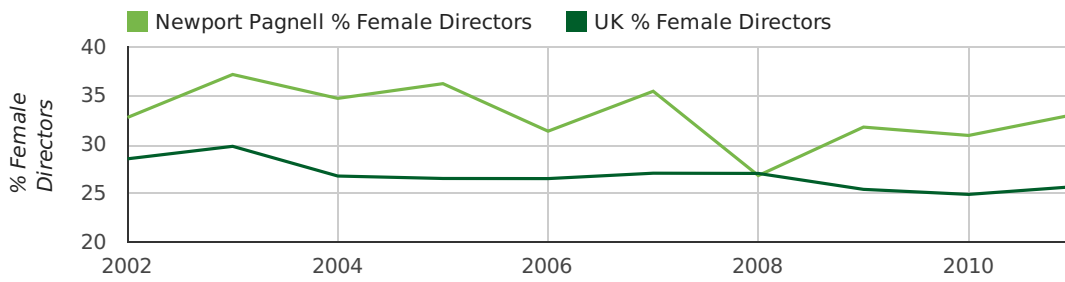


Annual Data (2011)

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

The percentage of female directors in Newport Pagnell in 2011 was 32.8%. The average for the UK during this time was 28.6%

director gender by year

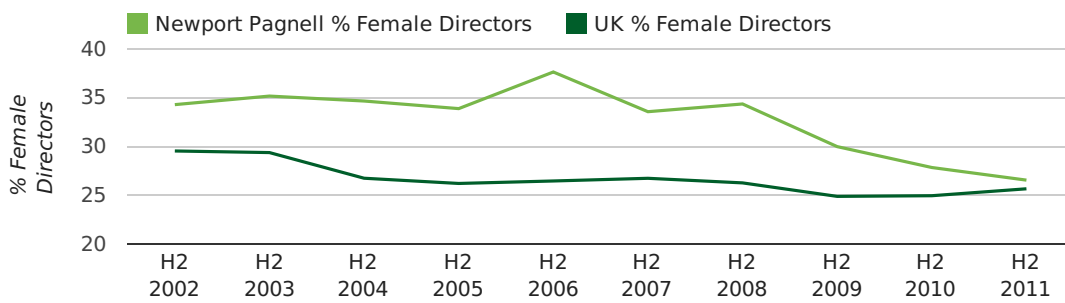


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

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

26.6% of all director appointments in Newport Pagnell 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

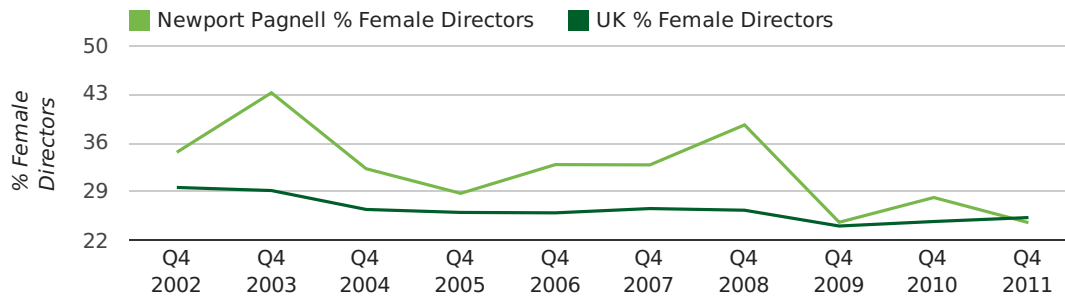


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

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

24.6% of all director appointments in Newport Pagnell 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



Previous 12 months (Dec 2010-Dec 2011)

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
CONSULTING	2.08%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTANCY	1.49%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
MANAGEMENT	1.49%	CONSULTANCY	3.26%
ASSOCIATES	1.49%	PROPERTY	2.37%
VALOREM	1.19%	TRADING	2.07%
AD	1.19%	DESIGN	1.92%
8TRIUM	1.19%	ASSOCIATES	1.86%
J	1.19%	ENGINEERING	1.78%
PROPERTY	0.89%	BUSINESS	1.78%
ACCOUNTANTS	0.89%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
TRAINING	0.89%	CONSTRUCTION	1.73%
LOGISTICS	0.89%	MEDIA	1.71%
LEISURE	0.60%	LONDON	1.63%
BUILDING	0.60%	J	1.51%
ELECTRICAL	0.60%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
DAY	0.60%	GLOBAL	1.46%
CLEANING	0.60%	IT	1.41%
ACQUISITIONS	0.60%	CARE	1.39%
COMMUNITY	0.60%	PROPERTIES	1.29%
SUN	0.60%	ELECTRICAL	1.29%
SECURITY	0.60%	M	1.27%
TALISYN	0.60%	BUILDING	1.26%
SUNRISE	0.60%	ENERGY	1.25%
ENERGY	0.60%	S	1.20%
2	0.60%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	93	205,525
7487 - Other business activities	23	57,052
74990 - Non-trading company	20	8,929
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	16	32,483
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	14	17,765
99999 - Dormant Company	11	21,846
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	10	12,072
7499 - Non-trading company	10	9,957
62090 - Other information technology service activities	9	7,493
7460 - Investigation & security	8	785
80300 - Investigation activities	7	208
7414 - Business & management consultancy	6	13,034
7260 - Other computer related activities	5	7,667
9999 - Dormant Company	4	20,199
80100 - Private security activities	4	1,005
56302 - Public houses and bars	3	2,308
7031 - Real estate agencies	3	1,365
5530 - Restaurants	3	5,013
93199 - Other sports activities	3	1,768
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	3	11,768