

Nuneaton

2012 half year business confidence report



headlines

- The first half of 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous first half year.
- The first half of 2012 was a record first half year for company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any half year in history.
- Q2 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous Q2.
- May 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous May.
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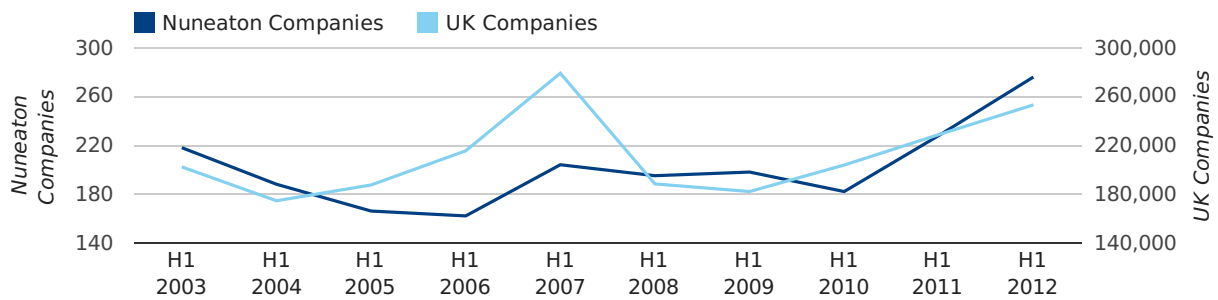
The first half of 2012 was a record first half year for company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any half year in history.

In the first half of 2012 a total of 276 companies were formed in Nuneaton. This figure is 21.1% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 10.7%.

The highest total for a first half year in Nuneaton occurred in 2012 when a total of 276 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	276	253,150
2011	228	228,735
% CHANGE	21.1%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	2012 (276)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

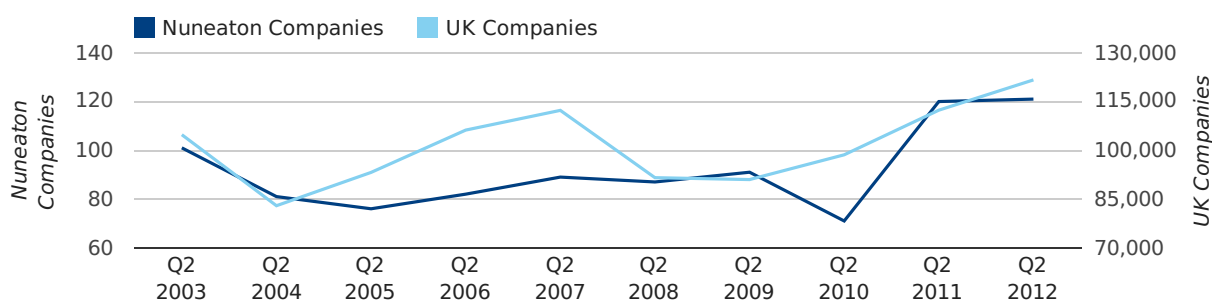
Q2 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous Q2.

A total of 121 companies were registered in Nuneaton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 0.8% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares badly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 8.3% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	121	121,659
2011	120	112,344
% CHANGE	0.8%	8.3%
RECORD YEAR	2012 (121)	2012 (121,659)

new companies by quarter

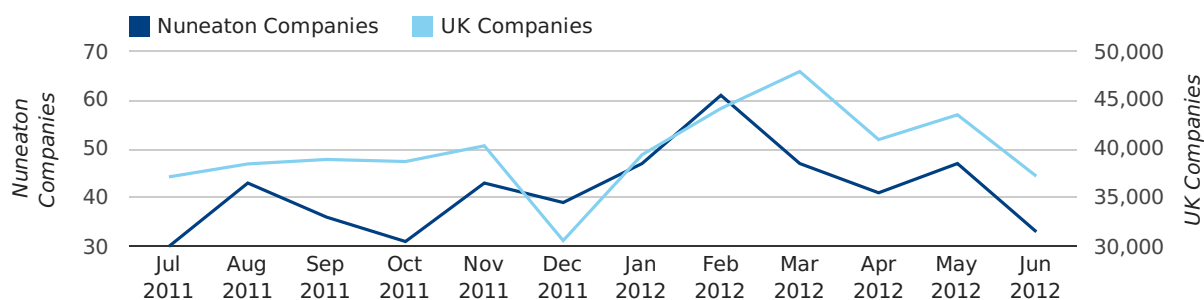


Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

May 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous May.

April 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in Nuneaton when compared to any previous April.

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2012	41	47	33
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	37	43	40
% CHANGE	10.8%	9.3%	-17.5%
RECORD YEAR	2012 (41)	2012 (47)	2011 (40)

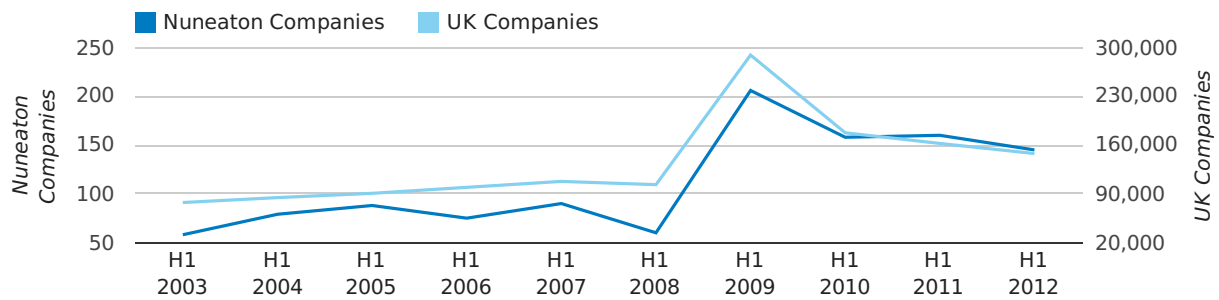
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 145 companies were dissolved in Nuneaton. This figure is 9.4% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.9%.

The highest total for a first half year in Nuneaton occurred in 2009 when a total of 206 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	145	147,793
2011	160	162,310
% CHANGE	-9.4%	-8.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (206)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



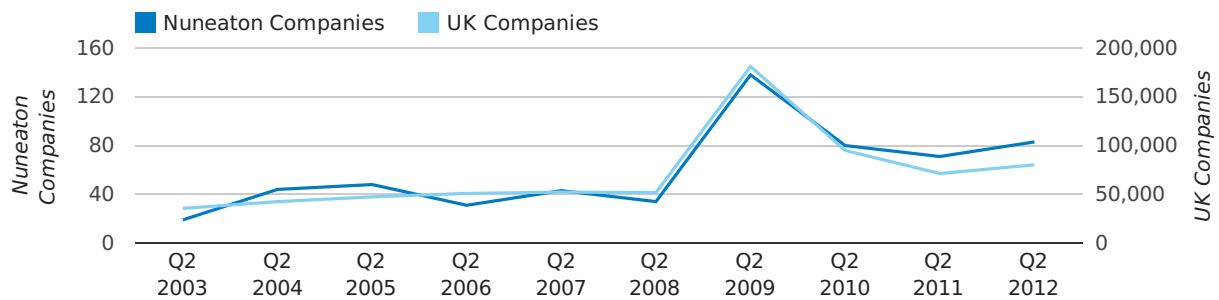
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 83 companies were dissolved in Nuneaton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 16.9% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares poorly to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.5% against the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	83	80,217
2011	71	71,324
% CHANGE	16.9%	12.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (138)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

dissolved companies by month



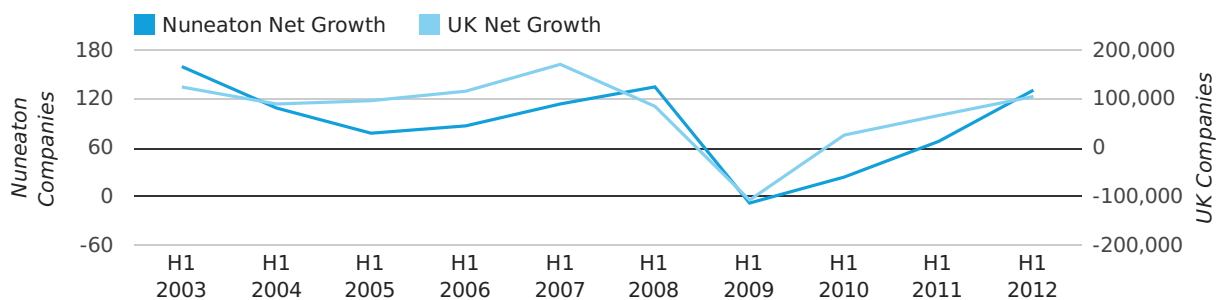
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2012	24	29	30
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	16	20	35
% CHANGE	50.0%	45.0%	-14%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (31)	2009 (69)	2010 (38)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 the company register for Nuneaton increased by 131 companies. This figure is 92.6% higher than last year, which compares well to a UK increase of 58.6%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	131	105,357
2011	68	66,425
% CHANGE	92.6%	58.6%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (160)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



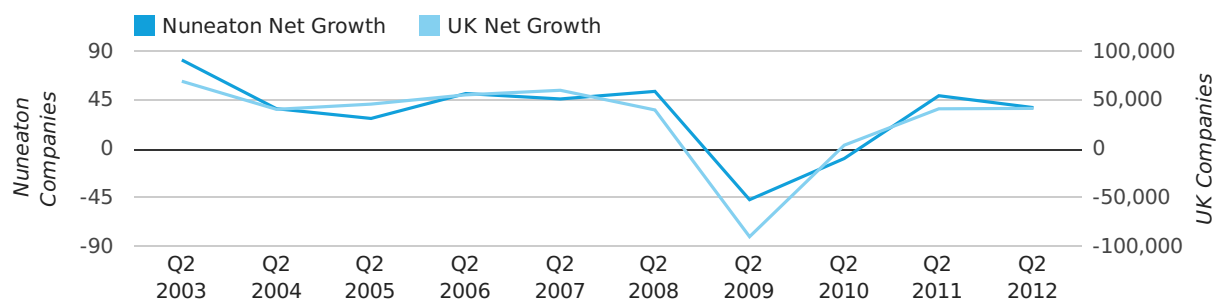
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

Net company growth for Nuneaton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012) was 38 companies.

This represents a decrease of 22.4% on the same period last year.

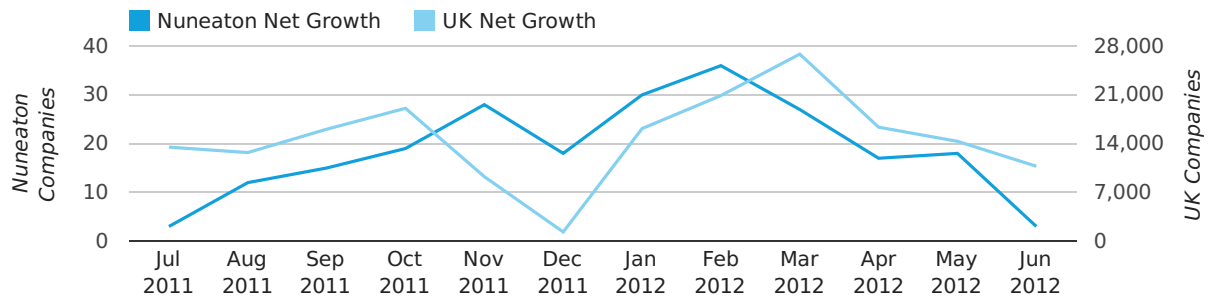
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	NUNEATON	UK
2012	38	41,442
2011	49	41,020
% CHANGE	-22.4%	1.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (82)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

net growth by month



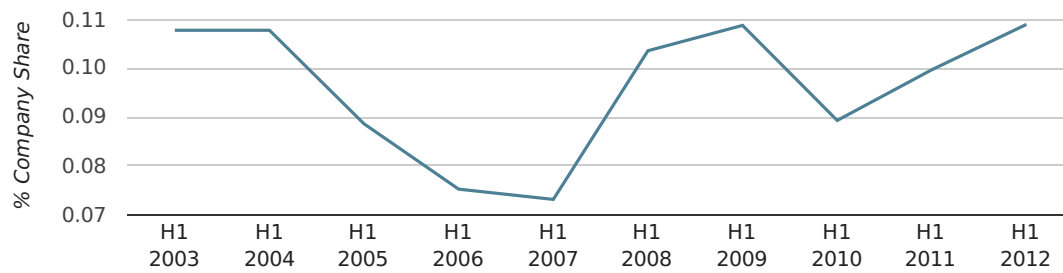
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2012	17	18	3
NET GROWTH IN 2011	21	23	5
% CHANGE	-19.0%	-21.7%	-40.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (28)	2003 (30)	2003 (24)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 Nuneaton formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2011 figure of 0.1%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	NUNEATON
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1964 (0.2%)

company share by half year

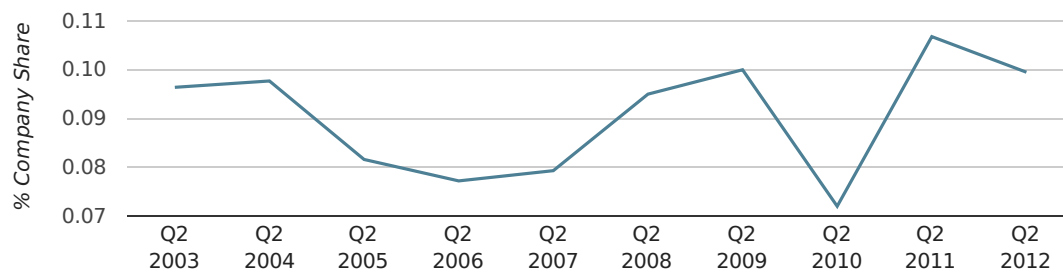


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

In the second quarter of 2012, Nuneaton formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	NUNEATON
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1974 (0.2%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

company share by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2012	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-6.7%	-4.3%	-11.9%
RECORD YEAR	1968 (0.5%)	1974 (0.4%)	1964 (0.3%)

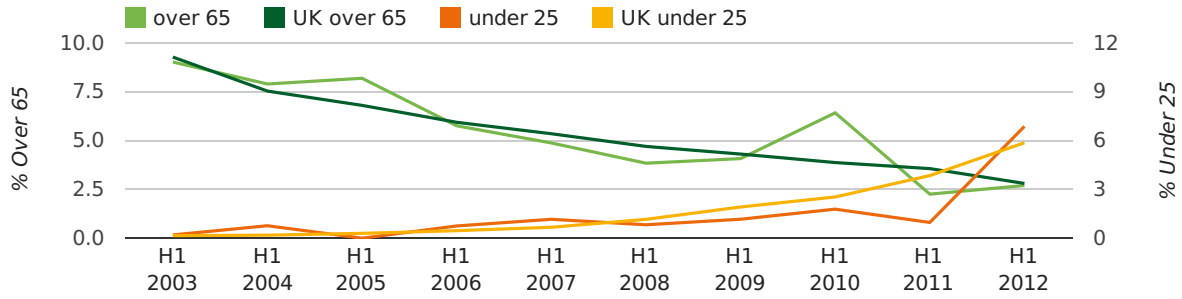
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2012 was 42.6.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 6.9% compared to the UK figure of 4.9%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.7% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

director age by half year



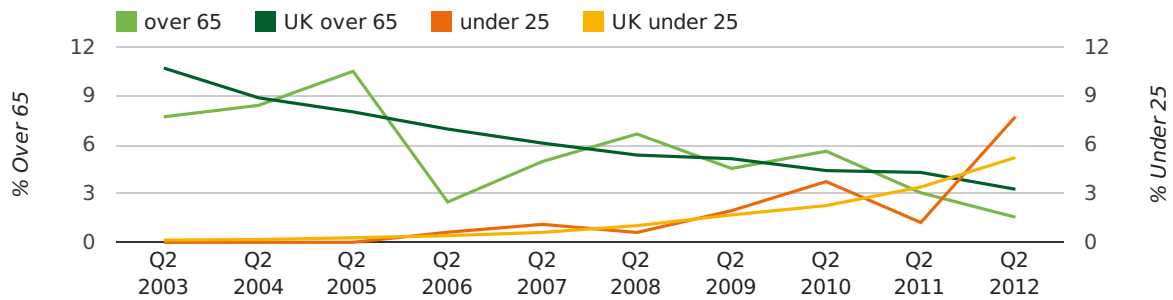
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2012 was 41.5.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 7.7% compared to the UK figure of 5.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.5% compared to the UK figure of 3.3%.

director age by quarter

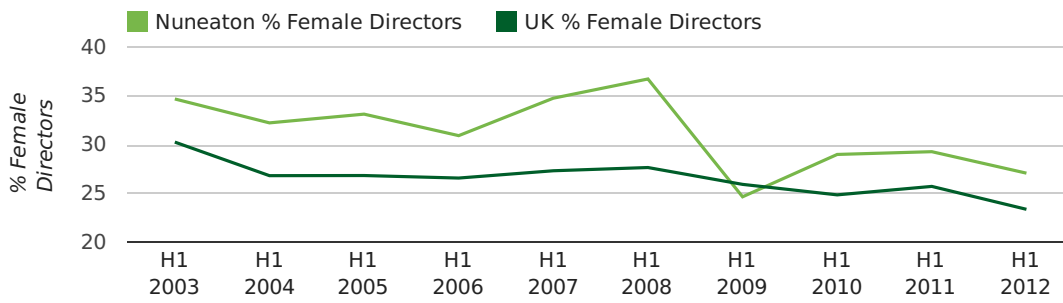


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

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

27.1% of all director appointments in Nuneaton in the first half of 2012 were female. This compares to a UK average of 23.4% for the same period.

director gender by half year

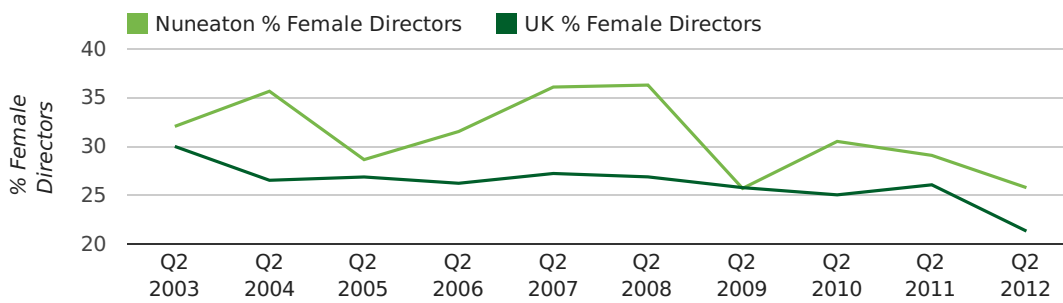


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

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

25.8% of all director appointments in Nuneaton in the second quarter of 2012 were female. This compares to a UK average of 21.3% for the same period.

director gender by quarter



Previous 12 months (Jun 2011-Jun 2012)

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

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
CO.,	3.24%	CONSULTING	5.07%
INTERNATIONAL	2.43%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
ENGINEERING	1.27%	CONSULTANCY	3.28%
TRADE	1.27%	PROPERTY	2.35%
TRADING	0.92%	TRADING	2.10%
NUNEATON	0.81%	DESIGN	1.89%
TRANSPORT	0.81%	ENGINEERING	1.87%
(NUNEATON)	0.69%	ASSOCIATES	1.82%
CAR	0.58%	CONSULTANTS	1.78%
DEVELOPMENT	0.58%	CONSTRUCTION	1.71%
CENTRAL	0.58%	BUSINESS	1.70%
CO	0.58%	MEDIA	1.69%
S	0.58%	LONDON	1.68%
CENTRE	0.58%	J	1.57%
FLOORING	0.58%	GLOBAL	1.51%
(MIDLANDS)	0.58%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
ELECTRICAL	0.58%	IT	1.42%
PROJECT	0.46%	CARE	1.31%
BUSINESS	0.46%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
CARPETS	0.46%	M	1.26%
T	0.46%	ELECTRICAL	1.23%
FINANCIAL	0.46%	BUILDING	1.23%
INSTALLATIONS	0.46%	SECURITY	1.19%
P	0.46%	S	1.18%
DESIGN	0.46%	ENTERPRISES	1.17%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	188	244,457
7487 - Other business activities	47	47,029
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	29	35,447
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	26	20,390
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	26	14,220
99999 - Dormant Company	17	26,088
86900 - Other human health activities	16	5,222
9999 - Dormant Company	12	16,469
6024 - Freight transport by road	10	1,933
62090 - Other information technology service activities	10	8,258
7414 - Business & management consultancy	10	10,978
7260 - Other computer related activities	9	6,456
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	9	4,091
25990 - Manufacture of other fabricated metal products not elsewhere classified	9	587
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	8	15,280
6420 - Telecommunications	8	943
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	7	4,644
49410 - Freight transport by road	7	2,912
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	7	10,271
74990 - Non-trading company	6	9,706