

Welling

2011 half year business confidence report



headlines

- The first half of 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Welling when compared to any previous first half year.
- April 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Welling when compared to any previous April.
- April 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Welling when compared to any previous April.

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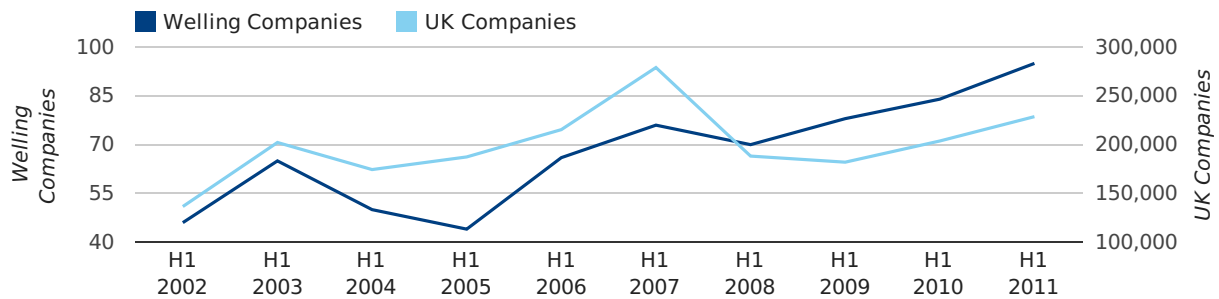
The first half of 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Welling when compared to any previous first half year.

In the first half of 2011 a total of 95 companies were formed in Welling. This figure is 13.1% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 12.3%.

The highest total for a first half year in Welling occurred in 2011 when a total of 95 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLING	UK
2011	95	228,735
2010	84	203,749
% CHANGE	13.1%	12.3%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (95)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



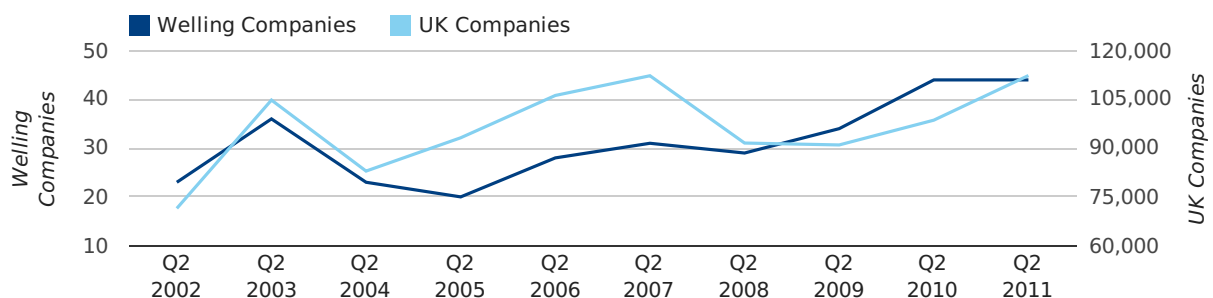
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 44 companies were registered in Welling during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is a difference of 0.0% 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)	WELLING	UK
2011	44	112,344
2010	44	98,612
% CHANGE	0.0%	13.9%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (44)	2011 (112,344)

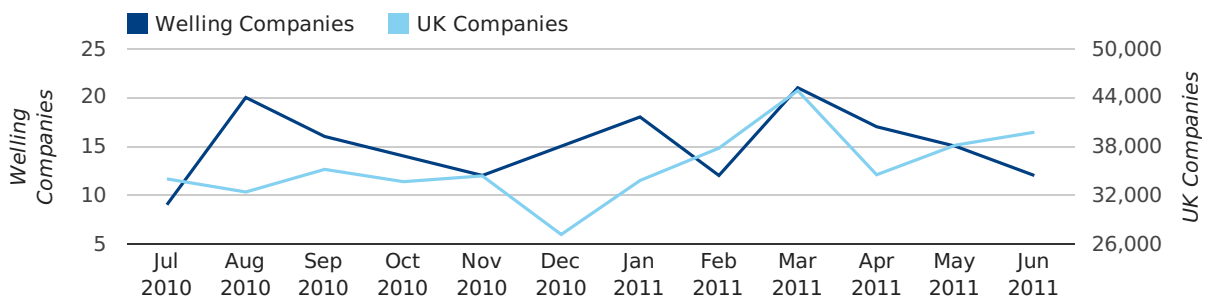
new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

April 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in Welling when compared to any previous April.

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	17	15	12
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	12	16	16
% CHANGE	41.7%	-6.3%	-25.0%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (17)	2010 (16)	2010 (16)

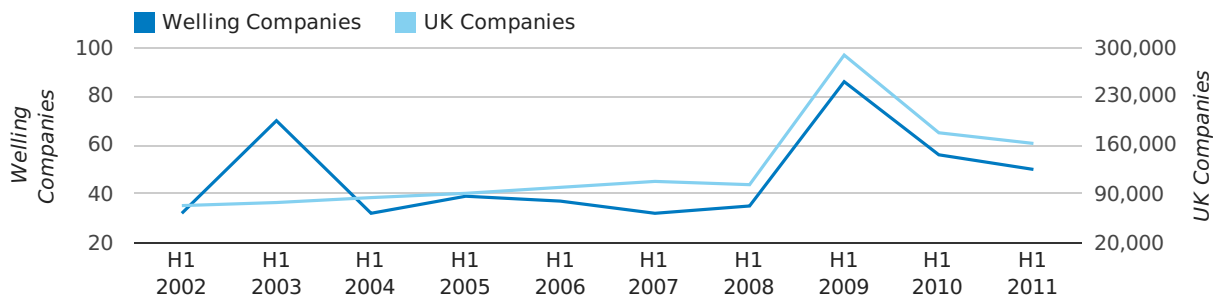
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 a total of 50 companies were dissolved in Welling. This figure is 10.7% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.6%.

The highest total for a first half year in Welling occurred in 2009 when a total of 86 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLING	UK
2011	50	162,310
2010	56	177,631
% CHANGE	-10.7%	-8.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (86)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



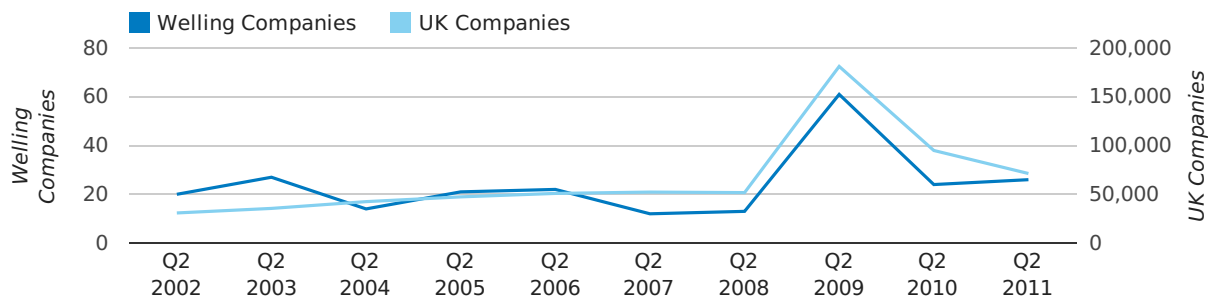
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

A total of 26 companies were dissolved in Welling during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011).

This figure is an increase of 8.3% 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.

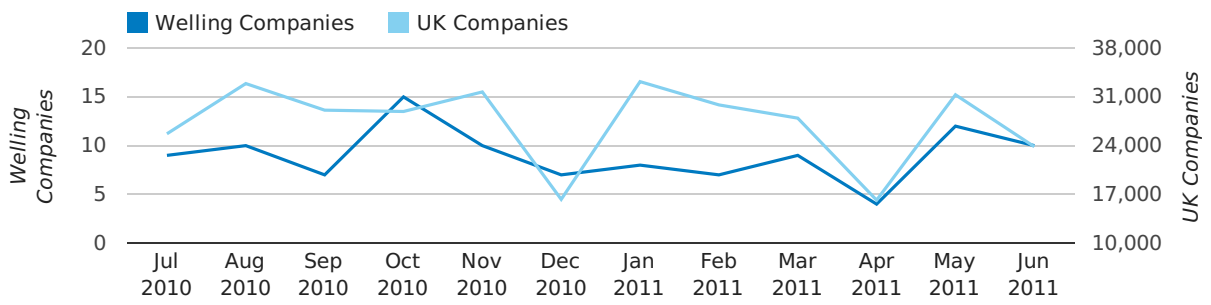
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	WELLING	UK
2011	26	71,324
2010	24	94,954
% CHANGE	8.3%	-24.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (61)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

dissolved companies by month



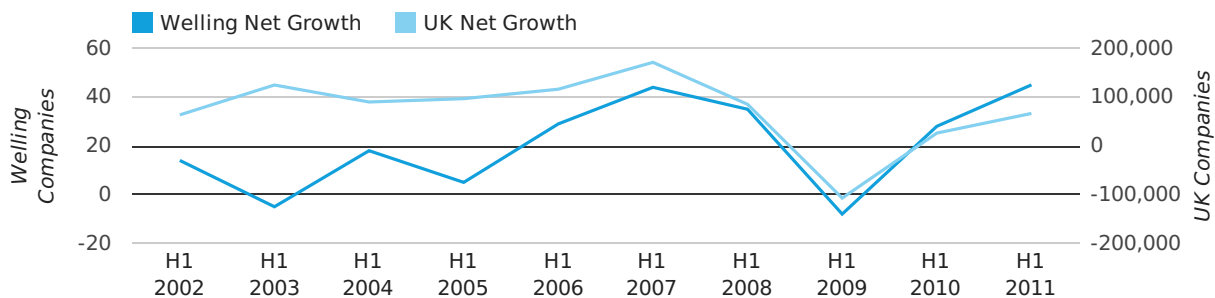
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	4	12	10
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	3	8	13
% CHANGE	33.3%	50.0%	-23%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (19)	2009 (28)	2009 (14)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

In the first half of 2011 the company register for Welling increased by 45 companies. This figure is 60.7% higher than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 154.3%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLING	UK
2011	45	66,425
2010	28	26,118
% CHANGE	60.7%	154.3%
RECORD YEAR	1997 (52)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



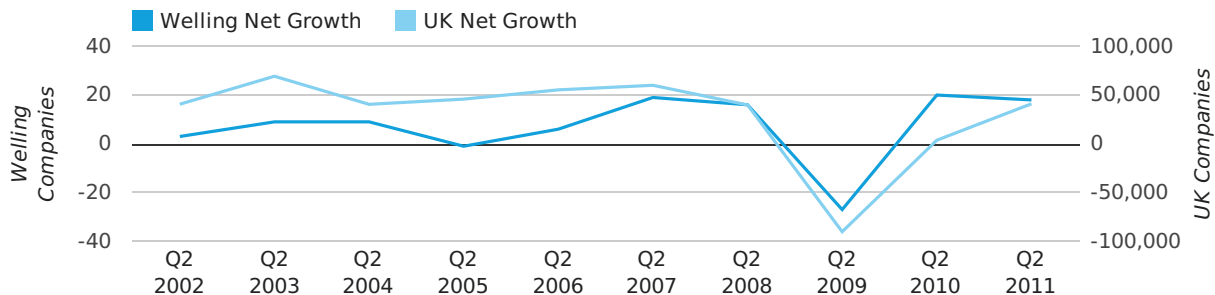
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

Net company growth for Welling during the second quarter of 2011 (Apr 2011 - Jun 2011) was 18 companies.

This represents a decrease of 10.0% on the same period last year.

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	WELLING	UK
2011	18	41,020
2010	20	3,658
% CHANGE	-10.0%	1,021.4%
RECORD YEAR	2010 (20)	2003 (69,274)

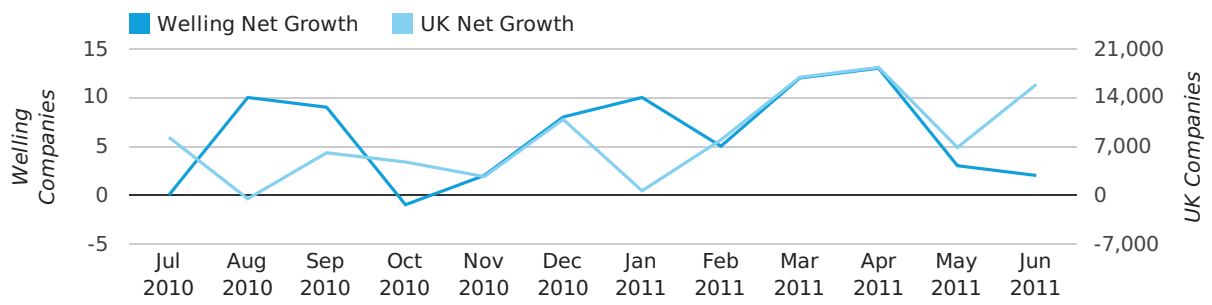
net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

April 2011 saw a new record in net growth in Welling when compared to any previous April.

net growth by month



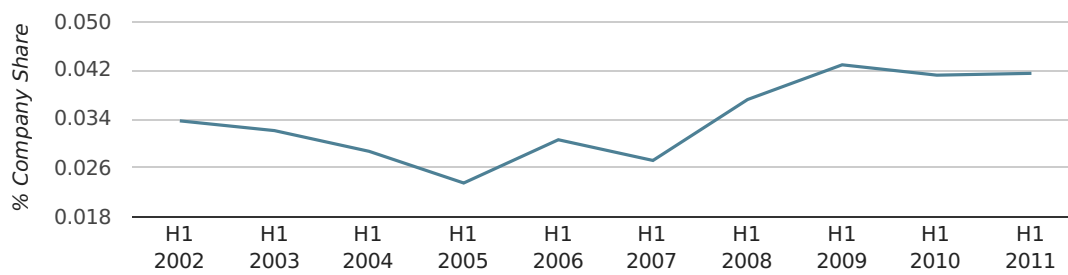
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2011	13	3	2
NET GROWTH IN 2010	9	8	3
% CHANGE	44.4%	-62.5%	-33.3%
RECORD YEAR	2011 (13)	1997 (11)	2007 (9)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLING
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1971 (0.1%)

company share by half year

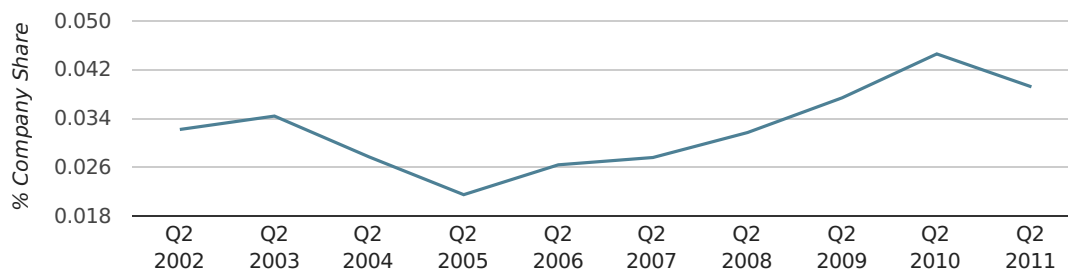


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

In the second quarter of 2011, Welling formed 0.0% of all UK companies.

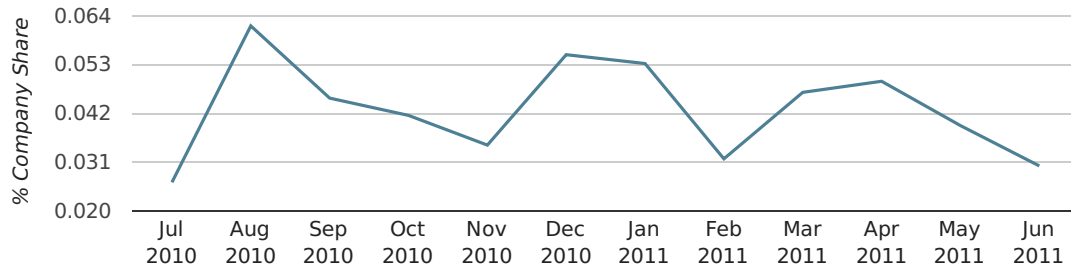
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2011 - JUN 2011)	WELLING
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1975 (0.1%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2011)

company share by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
% CHANGE	37.3%	-26.3%	-33.6%
RECORD YEAR	1967 (0.2%)	1960 (0.1%)	1962 (0.2%)

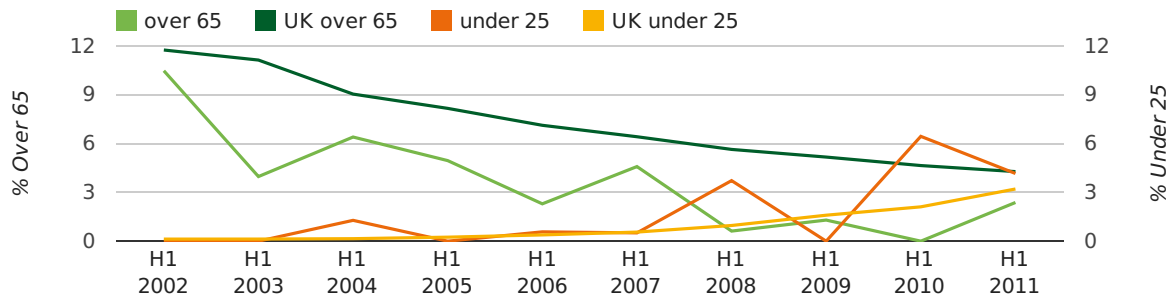
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2011 was 40.5.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.2% compared to the UK figure of 3.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.4% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by half year



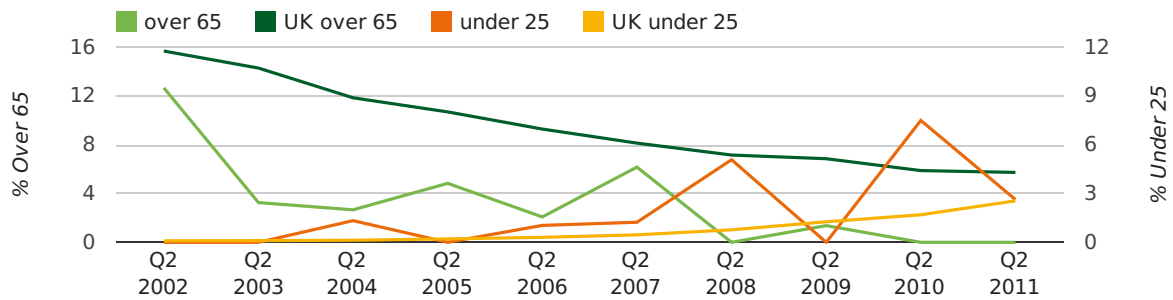
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2011 was 39.1.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 2.6% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 0.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.3%.

director age by quarter

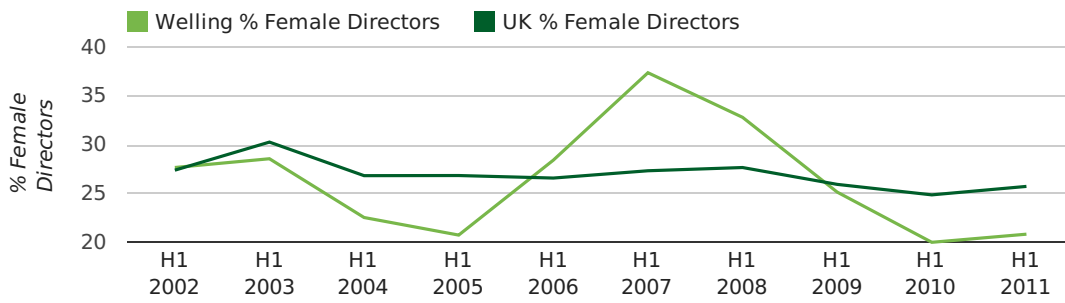


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2011)

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

20.8% of all director appointments in Welling 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

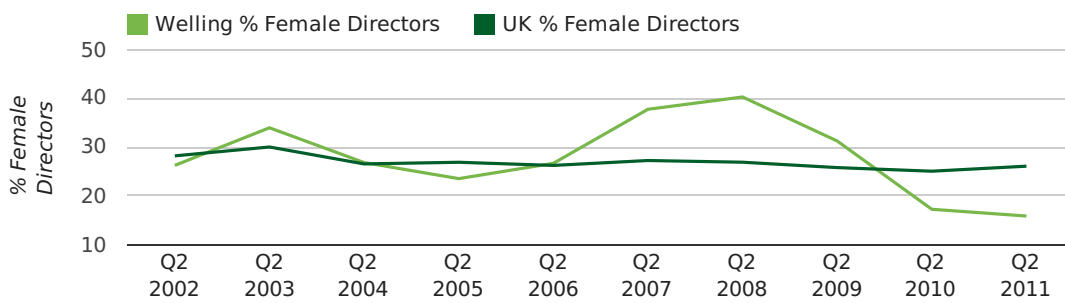


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2011)

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

15.9% of all director appointments in Welling 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
CO.,	4.36%	CONSULTING	5.09%
GROUP	1.91%	MANAGEMENT	4.86%
CONSULTANCY	1.63%	CONSULTANCY	3.17%
TRAINING	1.09%	PROPERTY	2.43%
GARMENT	1.09%	TRADING	2.05%
FRANCE	1.09%	DESIGN	1.94%
CONSULTING	1.09%	ASSOCIATES	1.92%
CHEMICAL	1.09%	BUSINESS	1.87%
INDUSTRIAL	1.09%	CONSTRUCTION	1.77%
PROPERTY	0.82%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
SECURITY	0.82%	MEDIA	1.73%
TECHNOLOGY	0.82%	ENGINEERING	1.67%
MANAGEMENT	0.82%	LONDON	1.60%
(WELLING)	0.82%	GLOBAL	1.46%
PRODUCTIONS	0.82%	J	1.44%
INTERNATIONAL	0.54%	CARE	1.44%
EAST)	0.54%	INVESTMENTS	1.42%
BUILDING	0.54%	IT	1.39%
(SOUTH	0.54%	BUILDING	1.32%
DEVELOPMENT	0.54%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
INDUSTRY	0.54%	ELECTRICAL	1.30%
LIFESTYLE	0.54%	M	1.27%
ONE	0.54%	S	1.23%
J	0.54%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%
ELECTRICAL	0.54%	SYSTEMS	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	100	202,072
99999 - Dormant Company	50	18,918
9999 - Dormant Company	22	20,111
7487 - Other business activities	11	60,758
7499 - Non-trading company	10	10,955
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	6	30,647
43210 - Electrical installation	5	3,085
8514 - Other human health activities	5	2,515
7414 - Business & management consultancy	5	13,053
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	4	16,419
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	4	10,322
62090 - Other information technology service activities	4	7,095
4543 - Floor and wall covering	3	497
86900 - Other human health activities	3	4,154
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	3	10,545
7020 - Letting of own property	3	1,495
7411 - Legal activities	2	1,272
43290 - Other construction installation	2	1,421
86210 - General medical practice activities	2	2,048
90030 - Artistic creation	2	1,536