

Wellingborough

2012 half year business confidence report



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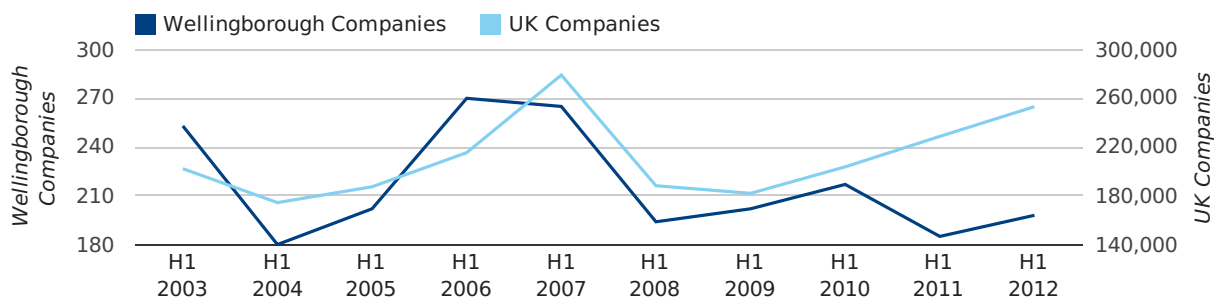
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 198 companies were formed in Wellingborough. This figure is 7.0% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 10.7%.

The highest total for a first half year in Wellingborough occurred in 2006 when a total of 270 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	198	253,150
2011	185	228,735
% CHANGE	7.0%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (270)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



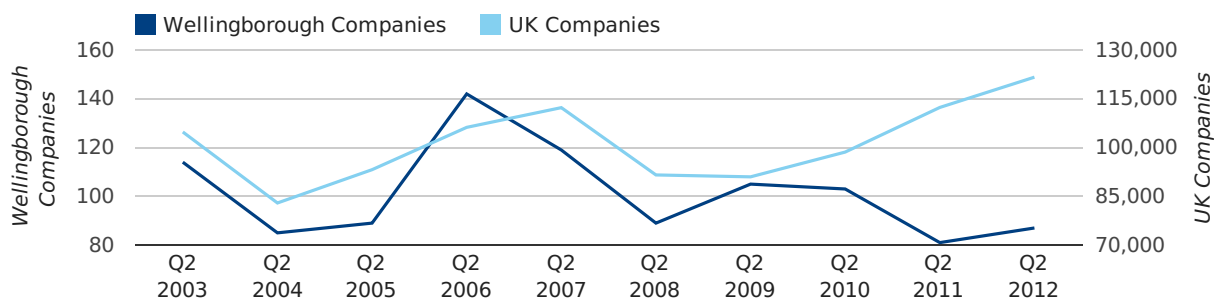
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 87 companies were registered in Wellingborough during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 7.4% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares equally to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 8.3% against the same period last year.

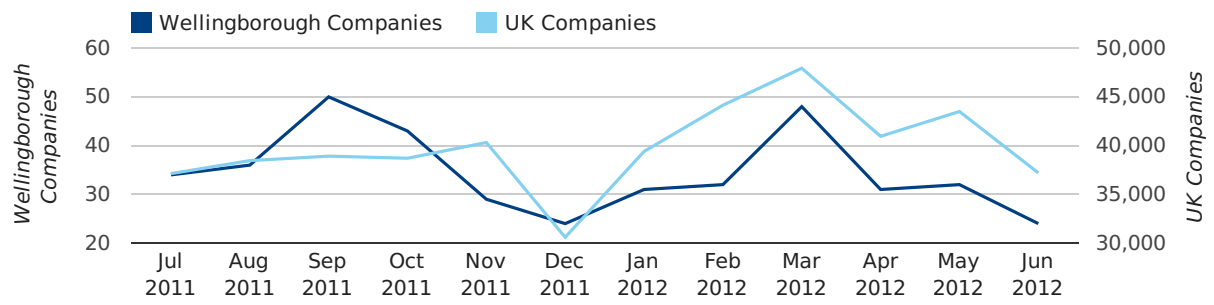
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	87	121,659
2011	81	112,344
% CHANGE	7.4%	8.3%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (142)	2012 (121,659)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

new companies by month



	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2012	31	32	24
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	25	27	29
% CHANGE	24.0%	18.5%	-17.2%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (43)	2006 (67)	2006 (52)

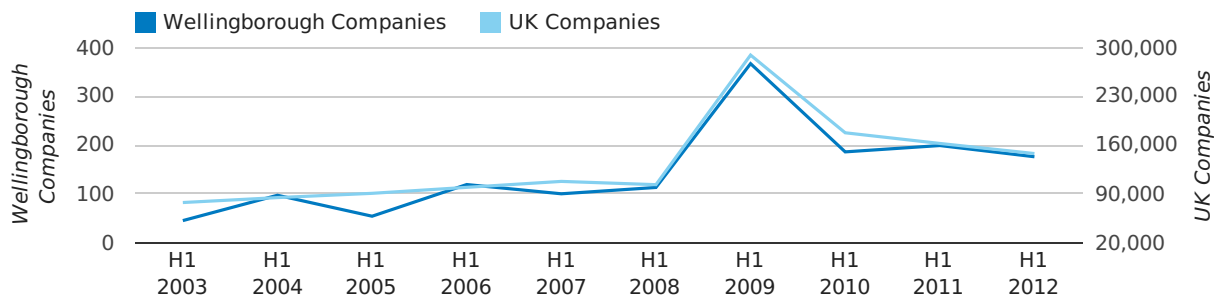
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 176 companies were dissolved in Wellingborough. This figure is 11.6% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -8.9%.

The highest total for a first half year in Wellingborough occurred in 2009 when a total of 367 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	176	147,793
2011	199	162,310
% CHANGE	-11.6%	-8.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (367)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



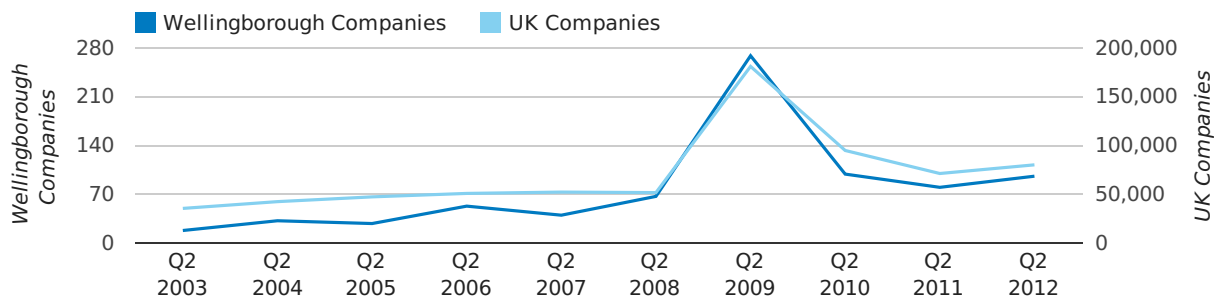
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 96 companies were dissolved in Wellingborough during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 20.0% 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.

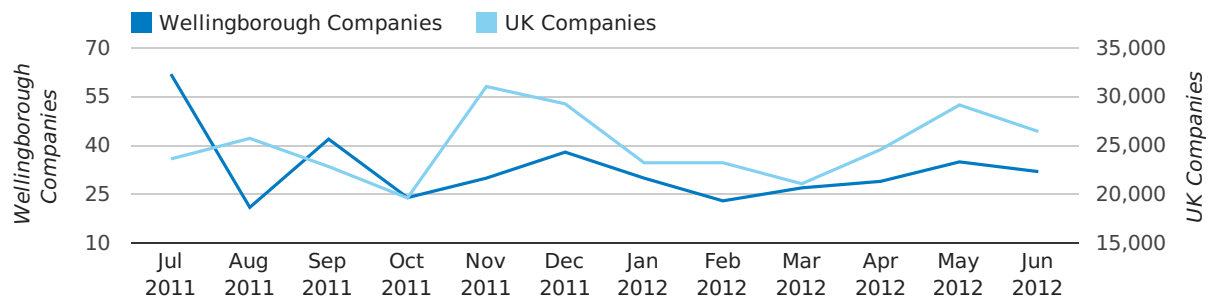
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	96	80,217
2011	80	71,324
% CHANGE	20.0%	12.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (269)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

dissolved companies by month



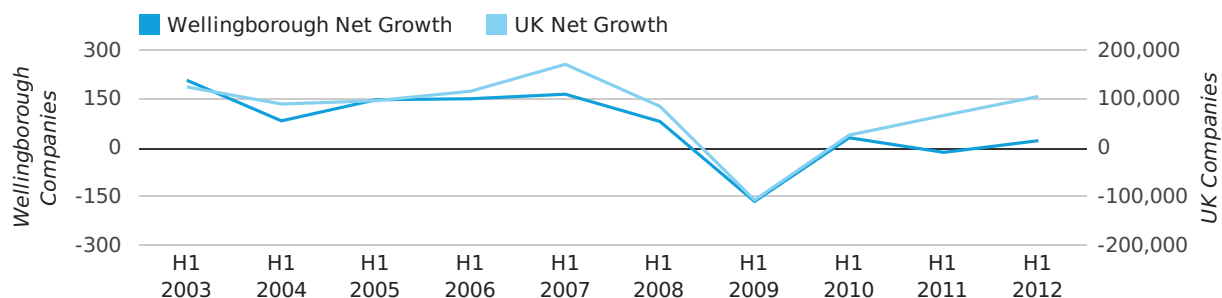
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2012	29	35	32
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	17	34	29
% CHANGE	70.6%	2.9%	10%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (31)	2009 (152)	2009 (86)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

In the first half of 2012 the company register for Wellingborough increased by 22 companies. This figure is 257.1% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 58.6%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	22	105,357
2011	-14	66,425
% CHANGE	-257.1%	58.6%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (208)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



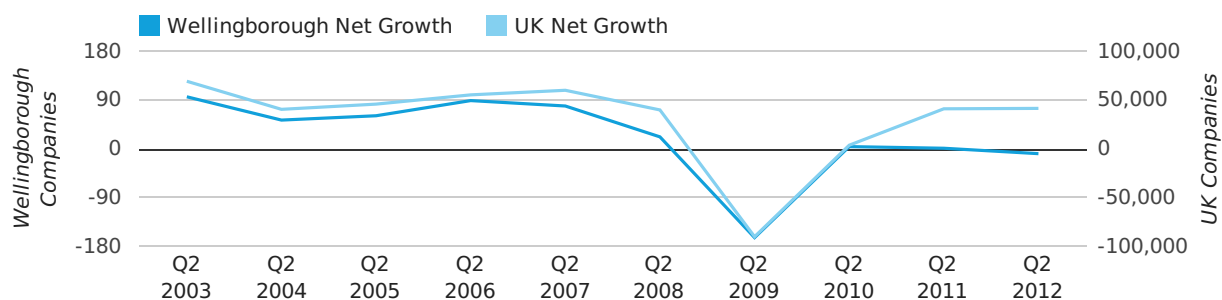
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

Net company growth for Wellingborough during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012) was -9 companies.

This represents a decrease of 1,000.0% on the same period last year.

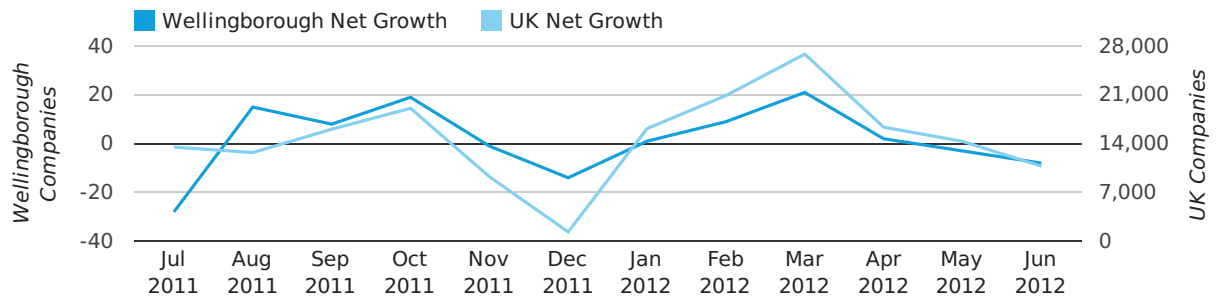
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WELLINGBOROUGH	UK
2012	-9	41,442
2011	1	41,020
% CHANGE	-1,000.0%	1.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (96)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Apr, May & Jun 2012)

net growth by month



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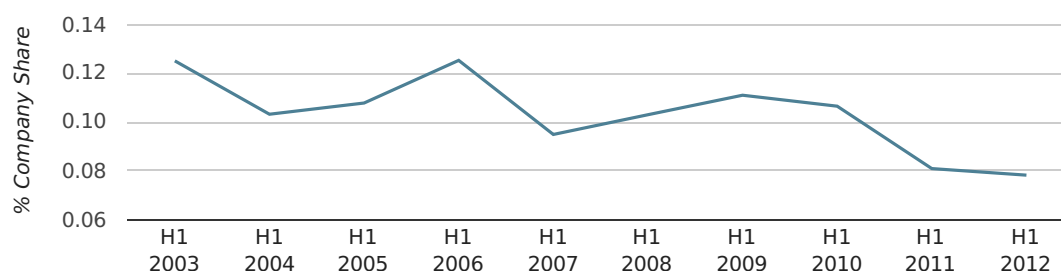
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2012	2	-3	-8
NET GROWTH IN 2011	8	-7	0
% CHANGE	-75.0%	-57.1%	0.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (31)	2006 (54)	2003 (38)

Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WELLINGBOROUGH
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1962 (0.2%)

company share by half year

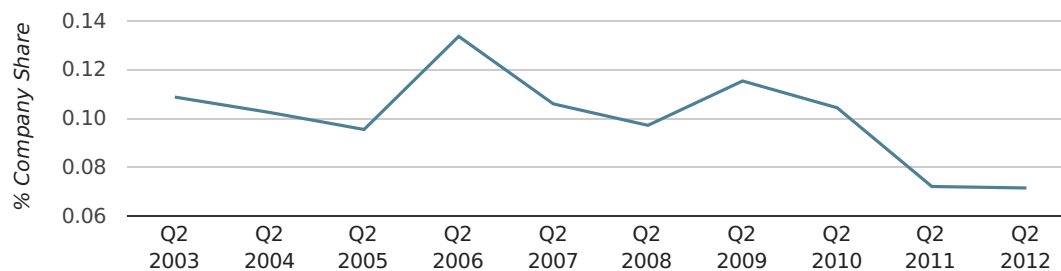


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

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

SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WELLINGBOROUGH
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1962 (0.3%)

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	4.4%	4.0%	-11.6%
RECORD YEAR	1971 (0.4%)	1962 (0.6%)	1963 (0.4%)

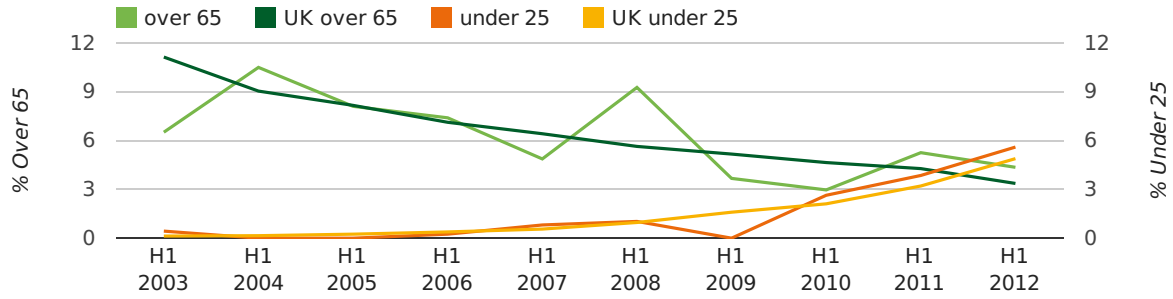
Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2012 was 43.1.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 5.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.9%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 4.4% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

director age by half year



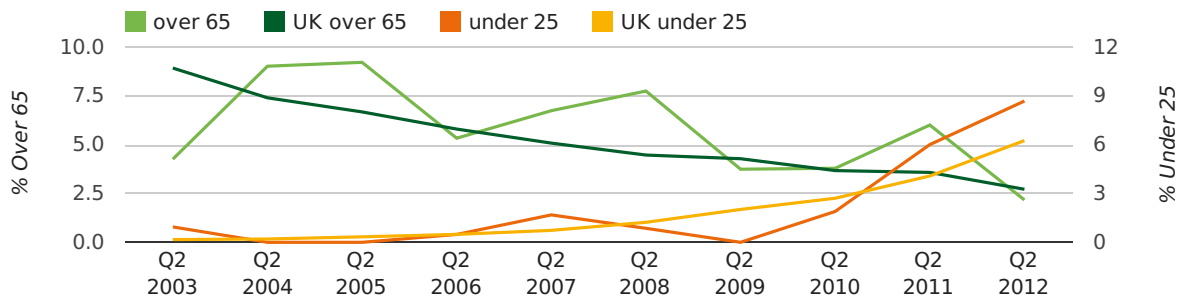
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2012 was 41.9.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 8.7% compared to the UK figure of 5.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.2% compared to the UK figure of 3.3%.

director age by quarter

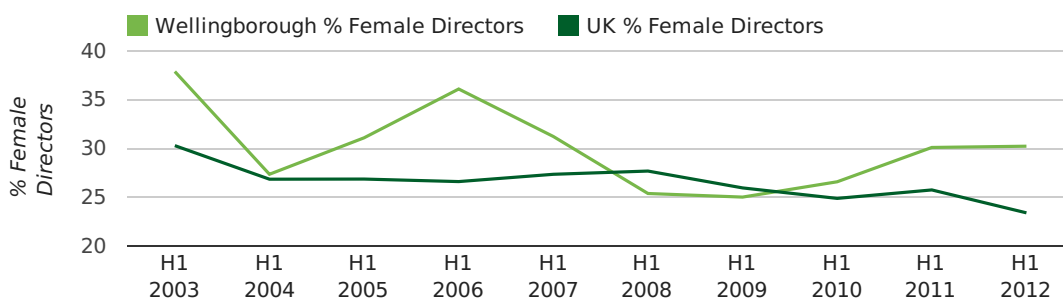


Half Year Data (Jan-Jun 2012)

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

30.2% of all director appointments in Wellingborough 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

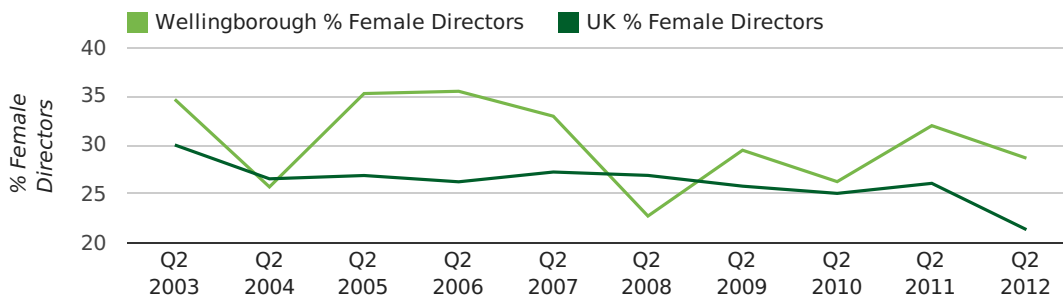


Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

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

28.7% of all director appointments in Wellingborough 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
MANAGEMENT	1.47%	CONSULTING	5.07%
CONSULTING	1.20%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
ENGINEERING	1.07%	CONSULTANCY	3.28%
IRTH	1.07%	PROPERTY	2.35%
ELECTRICAL	0.80%	TRADING	2.10%
WELLINGBOROUGH	0.80%	DESIGN	1.89%
PROPERTY	0.80%	ENGINEERING	1.87%
TRANSPORT	0.80%	ASSOCIATES	1.82%
R	0.80%	CONSULTANTS	1.78%
CONSULTANCY	0.80%	CONSTRUCTION	1.71%
GLOBAL	0.67%	BUSINESS	1.70%
WISE	0.67%	MEDIA	1.69%
DESIGN	0.54%	LONDON	1.68%
IT	0.54%	J	1.57%
DIRECT	0.54%	GLOBAL	1.51%
CENTRE	0.54%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
LOGISTICS	0.54%	IT	1.42%
CONSTRUCTION	0.54%	CARE	1.31%
CAFE	0.54%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
FAMILY	0.54%	M	1.26%
S	0.54%	ELECTRICAL	1.23%
CONSULTANTS	0.54%	BUILDING	1.23%
MOTOR	0.40%	SECURITY	1.19%
MARKETING	0.40%	S	1.18%
K	0.40%	ENTERPRISES	1.17%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	194	244,457
7487 - Other business activities	45	47,029
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	36	35,447
99999 - Dormant Company	25	26,088
49410 - Freight transport by road	21	2,912
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	17	15,280
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	16	20,390
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	11	14,220
62090 - Other information technology service activities	11	8,258
9999 - Dormant Company	10	16,469
9305 - Other service activities	10	7,926
43390 - Other building completion and finishing	9	3,241
6024 - Freight transport by road	9	1,933
45200 - Maintenance and repair of motor vehicles	7	2,880
74990 - Non-trading company	7	9,706
47910 - Retail sale via mail order houses or via Internet	7	3,818
7414 - Business & management consultancy	7	10,978
7260 - Other computer related activities	7	6,456
7499 - Non-trading company	6	8,023
42990 - Construction of other civil engineering projects not elsewhere classified	6	1,423