

West Drayton

2011 annual business confidence report



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- December 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in West Drayton when compared to any previous December.
- November 2011 saw a new record in company closures in West Drayton when compared to any previous November.

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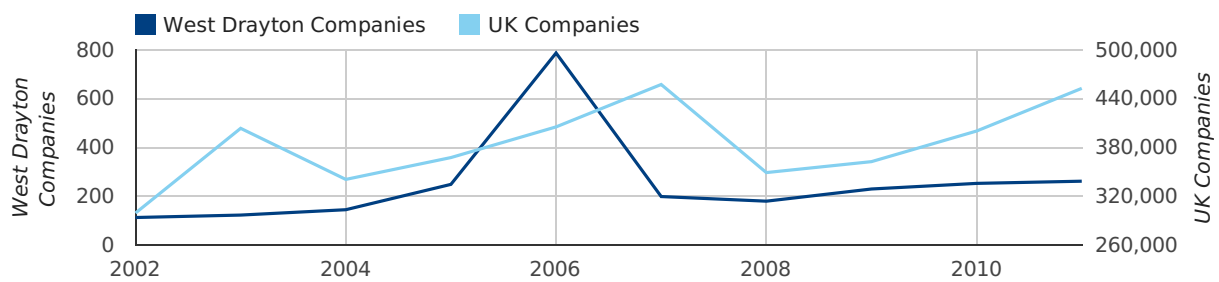
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Annual Data (2011)

A total of 262 companies were formed in West Drayton in 2011. This total is 3.6% higher than in 2010 and compares favourably to the UK figure of a 13.1% growth compared to 400,358 the previous year.

YEAR	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	262	452,870
2010	253	400,358
2009	230	362,675
2008	180	349,203
2007	199	457,649
RECORD YEAR	2006 (788)	2007 (457,649)

new companies by year



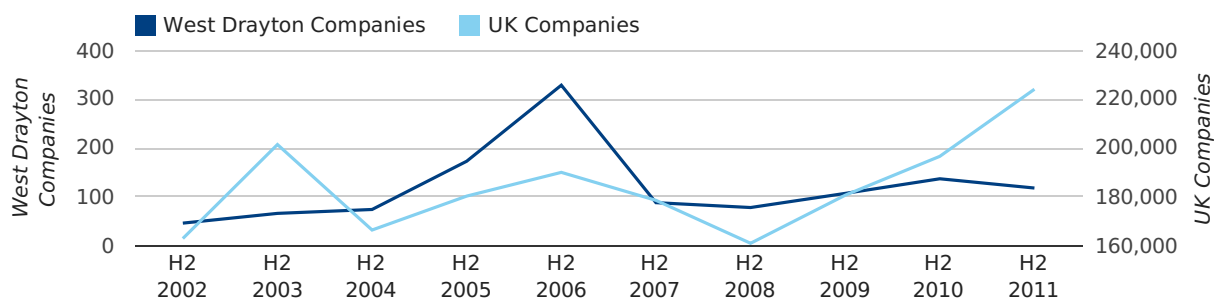
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 118 companies were formed in West Drayton. This figure is 13.9% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 14.0%.

The highest total for a second half year in West Drayton occurred in 2006 when a total of 329 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	118	224,135
2010	137	196,609
% CHANGE	-13.9%	14.0%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (329)	2011 (224,135)

new companies by half year



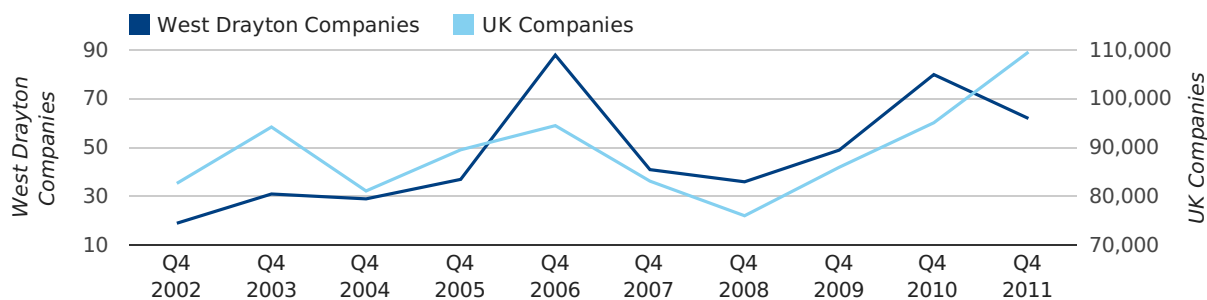
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 62 companies were registered in West Drayton during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 22.5% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares badly 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)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	62	109,623
2010	80	95,117
% CHANGE	-22.5%	15.3%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (88)	2011 (109,623)

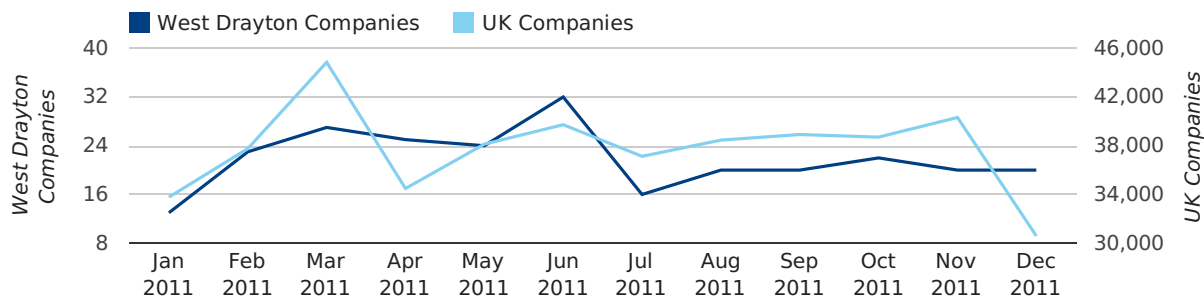
new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

December 2011 saw a new record in company registrations in West Drayton when compared to any previous December.

new companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	22	20	20
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	29	32	19
% CHANGE	-24.1%	-37.5%	5.3%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (59)	2010 (32)	2011 (20)

Annual Data (2011)

A total of 171 companies were dissolved in West Drayton in 2011. This total is 47.9% lower than in 2010 and compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 8.1% decrease compared to the previous year.

YEAR	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	171	314,523
2010	328	342,232
2009	206	533,773
2008	145	237,901
2007	450	220,295
RECORD YEAR	2007 (450)	2009 (533,773)

dissolved companies by year



Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 95 companies were dissolved in West Drayton. This figure is 62.2% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -7.5%.

The highest total for a second half year in West Drayton occurred in 2007 when a total of 393 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	95	152,213
2010	251	164,601
% CHANGE	-62.2%	-7.5%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (393)	2009 (244,537)

dissolved companies by half year



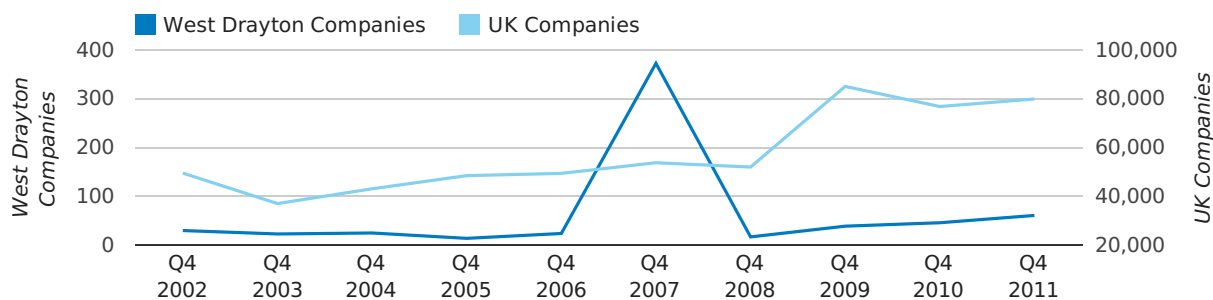
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 61 companies were dissolved in West Drayton during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is an increase of 32.6% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares poorly 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)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	61	79,983
2010	46	76,896
% CHANGE	32.6%	4.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (373)	2009 (85,136)

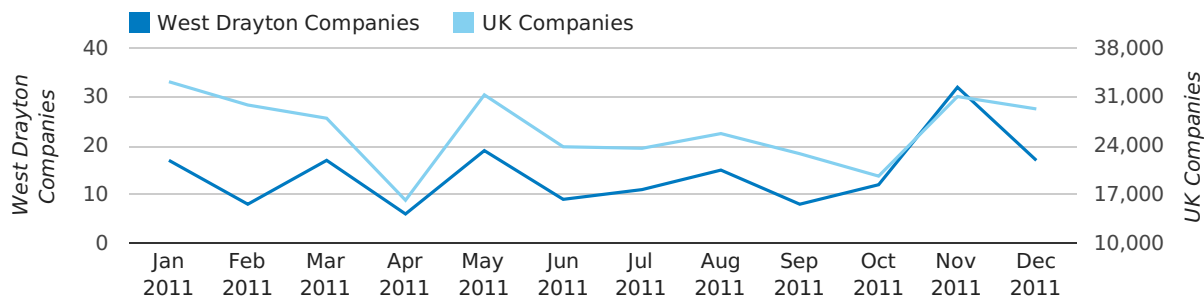
dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

November 2011 saw a new record in company closures in West Drayton when compared to any previous November.

dissolved companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	12	32	17
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	12	27	7
% CHANGE	0.0%	18.5%	143%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (211)	2011 (32)	2007 (151)

Annual Data (2011)

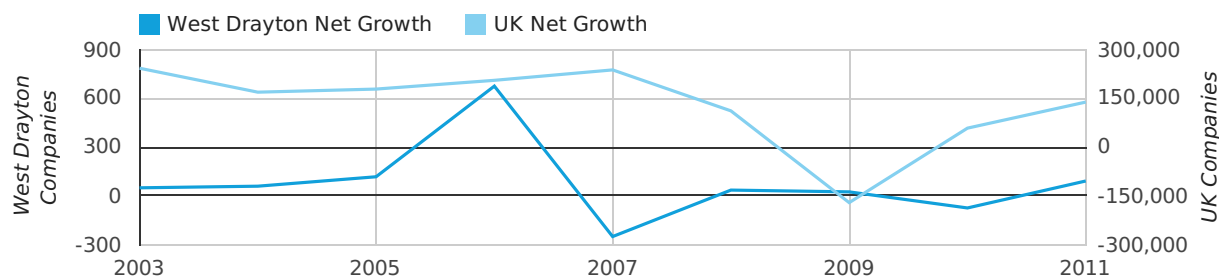
A total of 91 companies were added to the company register for West Drayton in 2011. This number represents growth of 36.0% which compares favourably to the UK figure of 34.6%.

This number is 166 companies higher than the previous year.

The highest net company growth figure ever seen in one year came in 2006 when the West Drayton company register grew by 675 companies.

YEAR	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	91	138,347
2010	-75	58,126
2009	24	-171,098
2008	35	111,302
2007	-251	237,354
RECORD YEAR	2006 (675)	2003 (242,543)

net growth by year

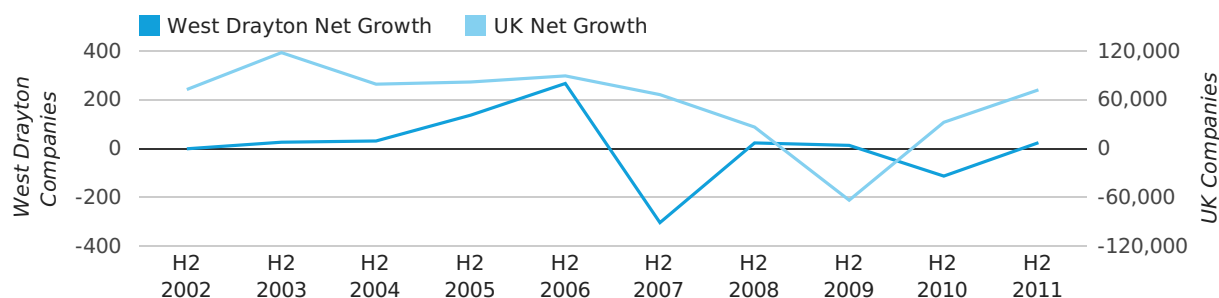


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 the company register for West Drayton increased by 23 companies. This figure is 120.2% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 124.7%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	23	71,922
2010	-114	32,008
% CHANGE	-120.2%	124.7%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (266)	2003 (117,772)

net growth by half year



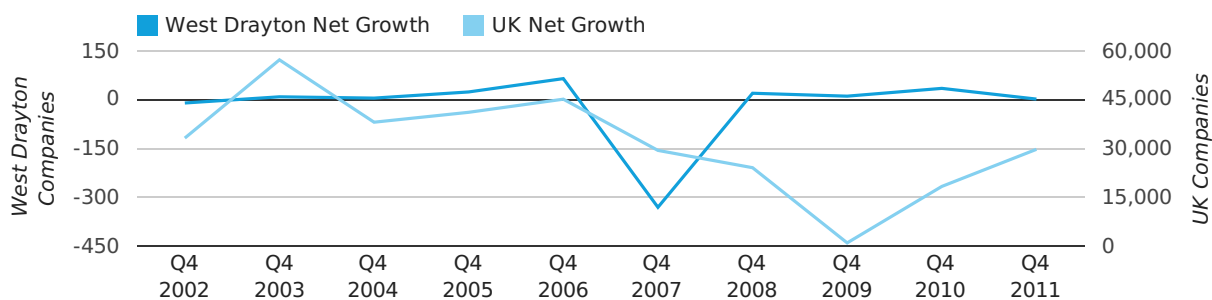
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

Net company growth for West Drayton during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011) was 1 companies.

This represents a decrease of 97.1% on the same period last year.

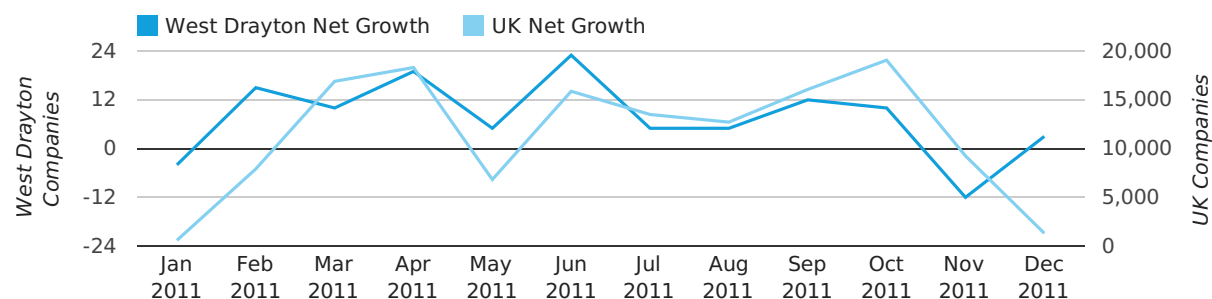
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2011	1	29,640
2010	34	18,221
% CHANGE	-97.1%	62.7%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (64)	2003 (57,175)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

net growth by month



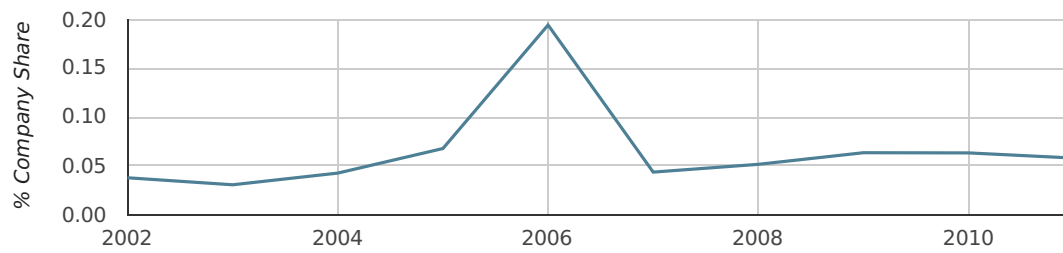
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	10	-12	3
NET GROWTH IN 2010	17	5	12
% CHANGE	-41.2%	-340.0%	-75.0%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (50)	2006 (11)	2010 (12)

Annual Data (2011)

In 2011 West Drayton formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is no change on 2010 when West Drayton was responsible for 0.1% of all UK companies.

YEAR	WEST DRAYTON
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2006 (0.2%)

company share by year

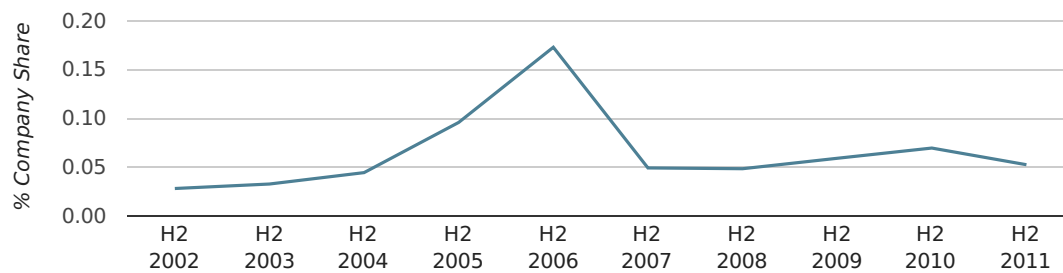


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 West Drayton formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is the same as the 2010 figure of 0.1%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	WEST DRAYTON
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2006 (0.2%)

company share by half year

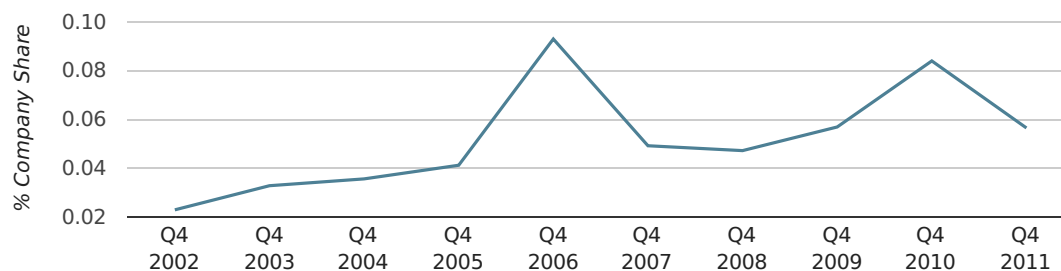


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

In the fourth quarter of 2011, West Drayton formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

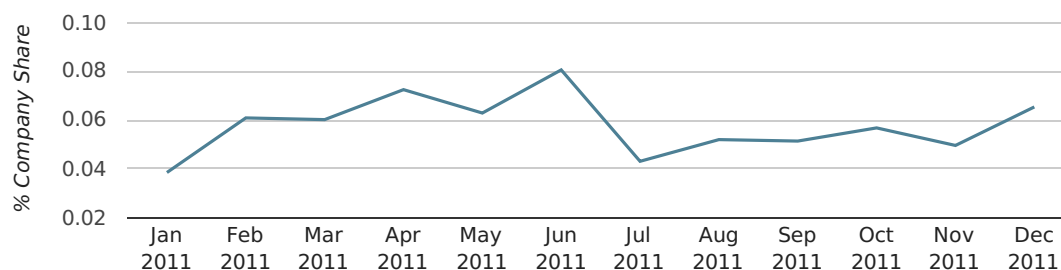
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	WEST DRAYTON
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.0%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1966 (0.2%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

company share by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-34.1%	-46.8%	-6.6%
RECORD YEAR	1981 (0.3%)	1966 (0.2%)	1982 (0.2%)

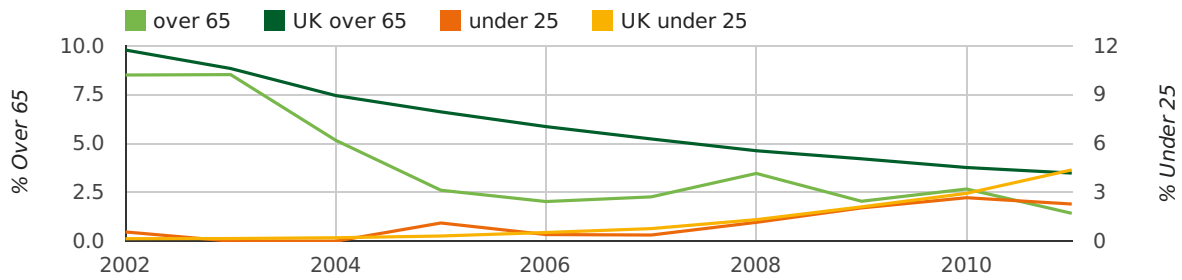
Annual Data (2011)

The average age of a director in 2011 was 39.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 2.3% compared to the UK figure of 3.7%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.4% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

director age by year



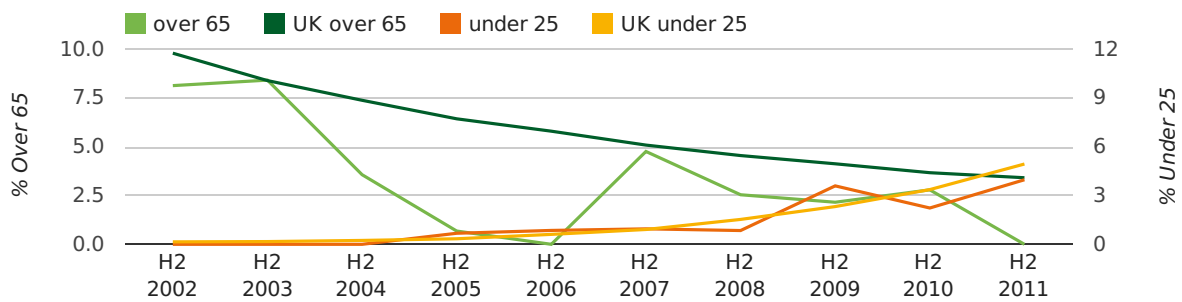
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the second half of 2011 was 38.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 0.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by half year



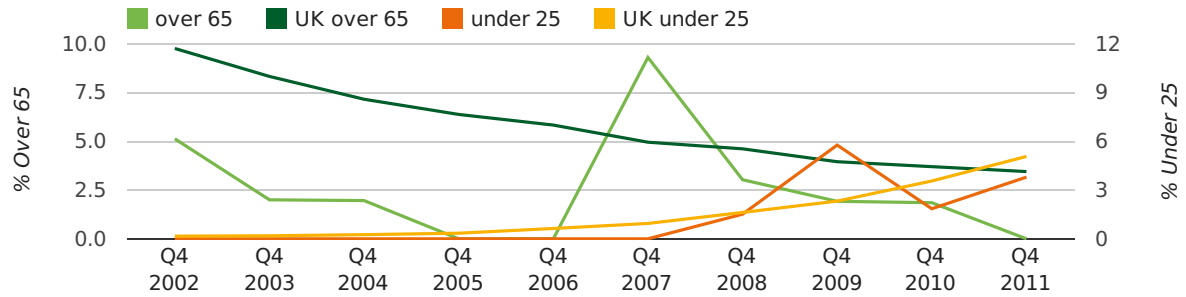
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the fourth quarter of 2011 was 39.3.

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 0.0% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter

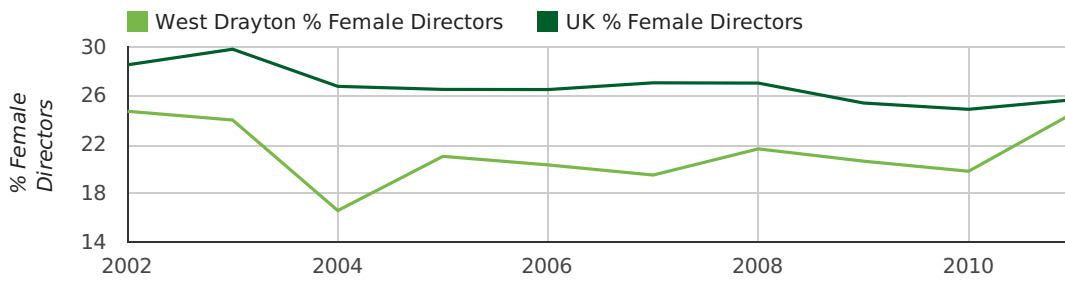


Annual Data (2011)

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

The percentage of female directors in West Drayton in 2011 was 24.8%. The average for the UK during this time was 28.6%

director gender by year

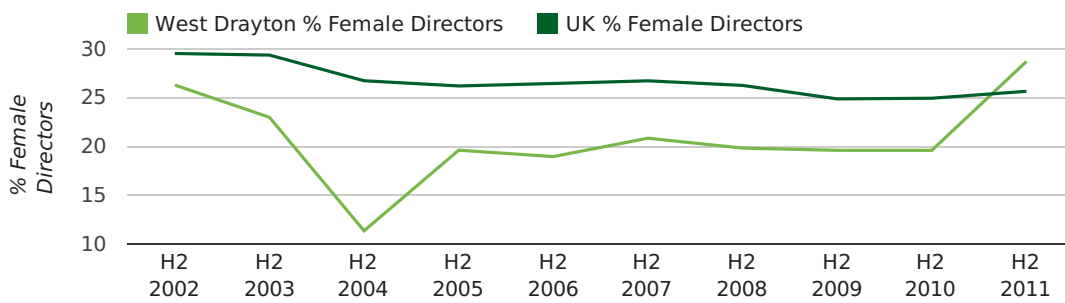


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

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

28.7% of all director appointments in West Drayton 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

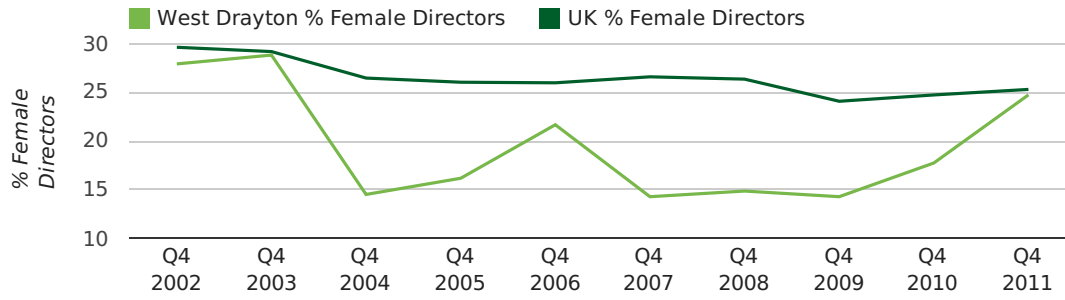


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

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

24.7% of all director appointments in West Drayton 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
LIGHTING	1.71%	CONSULTING	5.07%
GLOBAL	1.28%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
LOGISTICS	1.28%	CONSULTANCY	3.26%
LONDON	1.28%	PROPERTY	2.37%
CONSULTING	1.07%	TRADING	2.07%
HEATHROW	0.85%	DESIGN	1.92%
MANAGEMENT	0.85%	ASSOCIATES	1.86%
MARKETING	0.85%	ENGINEERING	1.78%
CARE	0.85%	BUSINESS	1.78%
CONSULTANCY	0.85%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
INFINITY	0.64%	CONSTRUCTION	1.73%
(LONDON)	0.64%	MEDIA	1.71%
TECHNOLOGIES	0.64%	LONDON	1.63%
POWER	0.64%	J	1.51%
PROPERTY	0.64%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
HOTEL	0.64%	GLOBAL	1.46%
CONSTRUCTION	0.64%	IT	1.41%
HIRE	0.64%	CARE	1.39%
ENTERPRISE	0.64%	PROPERTIES	1.29%
CLEANING	0.64%	ELECTRICAL	1.29%
YOUR	0.43%	M	1.27%
FOR	0.43%	BUILDING	1.26%
ONLY	0.43%	ENERGY	1.25%
LEISURE	0.43%	S	1.20%
INTERNATIONAL	0.43%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	153	205,525
7487 - Other business activities	33	57,052
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	23	11,768
9999 - Dormant Company	16	20,199
74990 - Non-trading company	15	8,929
9305 - Other service activities	13	9,492
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	11	7,398
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	10	32,483
7414 - Business & management consultancy	8	13,034
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	8	12,072
70100 - Activities of head offices	7	2,662
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	6	17,765
62090 - Other information technology service activities	5	7,493
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	4	5,558
4545 - Other building completion	4	2,369
5020 - Maintenance & repair of motors	4	1,409
43999 - Other specialised construction activities not elsewhere classified	4	3,342
46900 - Non-specialised wholesale trade	3	1,445
7412 - Accounting, auditing; tax consult	3	2,496
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	3	8,671