West Drayton

2012 half year business confidence report



headlines

- May 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in West Drayton when compared to any previous May.
- April 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in West Drayton when compared to any previous April.
- June 2012 saw a new record in company closures in West Drayton when compared to any previous June.
- April 2012 saw a new record in net growth in West Drayton when compared to any previous April.

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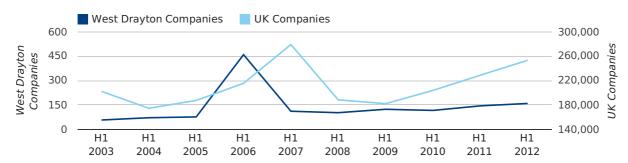


In the first half of 2012 a total of 159 companies were formed in West Drayton. This figure is 10.4% higher than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide figure of 10.7%.

The highest total for a first half year in West Drayton occurred in 2006 when a total of 459 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	159	253,150
2011	144	228,735
% CHANGE	10.4%	10.7%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (459)	2007 (279,097)

new companies by half year



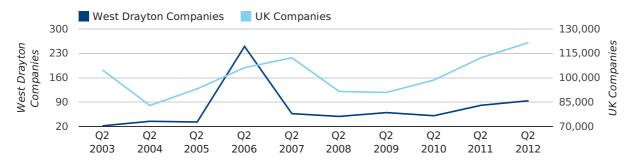
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 94 companies were registered in West Drayton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 16.0% versus the same period last year (Q2 2011). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 8.3% against the same period last year.

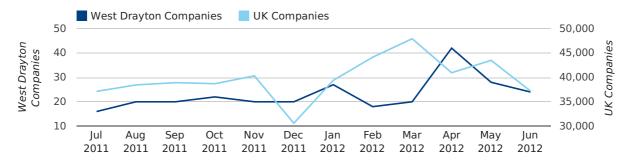
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	94	121,659
2011	81	112,344
% CHANGE	16.0%	8.3%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (250)	2012 (121,659)

new companies by quarter



- May 2012 saw a new record in company registrations in West Drayton when compared to any previous May.
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new companies by month



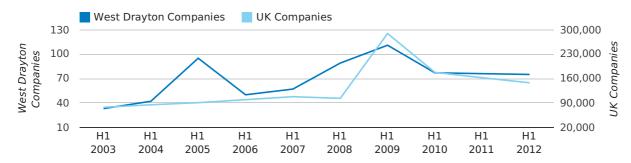
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NEW COMPANIES IN 2012	42	28	24
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	25	24	32
% CHANGE	68.0%	16.7%	-25.0%
RECORD YEAR	2012 (42)	2012 (28)	2006 (221)

In the first half of 2012 a total of 75 companies were dissolved in West Drayton. This figure is 1.3% lower than last year, which compares badly to the UK wide change of -8.9%.

The highest total for a first half year in West Drayton occurred in 2009 when a total of 111 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	75	147,793
2011	76	162,310
% CHANGE	-1.3%	-8.9%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (111)	2009 (289,236)

dissolved companies by half year



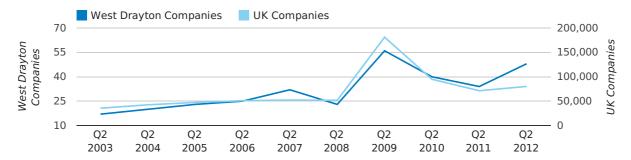
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

A total of 48 companies were dissolved in West Drayton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012).

This figure is an increase of 41.2% 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.

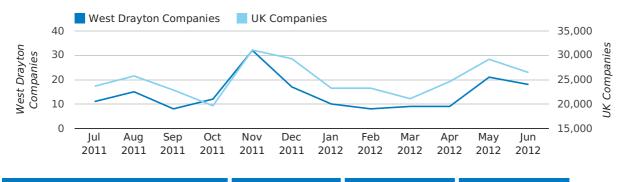
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	48	80,217
2011	34	71,324
% CHANGE	41.2%	12.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (56)	2009 (181,176)

dissolved companies by quarter



June 2012 saw a new record in company closures in West Drayton when compared to any previous June.

dissolved companies by month

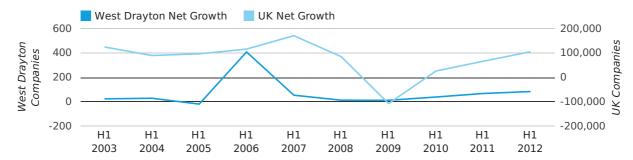


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2012	9	21	18
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	6	19	9
% CHANGE	50.0%	10.5%	100%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (27)	2009 (23)	2012 (18)

In the first half of 2012 the company register for West Drayton increased by 84 companies. This figure is 23.5% higher than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 58.6%.

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	84	105,357
2011	68	66,425
% CHANGE	23.5%	58.6%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (409)	2007 (171,296)

net growth by half year



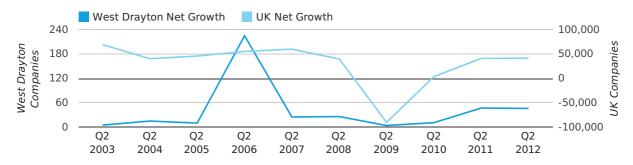
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

Net company growth for West Drayton during the second quarter of 2012 (Apr 2012 - Jun 2012) was 46 companies.

This represents a decrease of 2.1% on the same period last year.

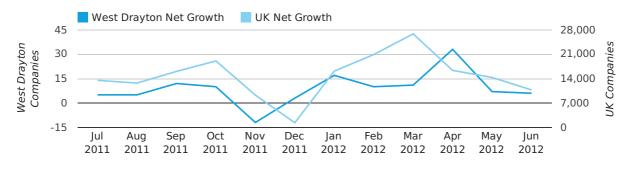
SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WEST DRAYTON	UK
2012	46	41,442
2011	47	41,020
% CHANGE	-2.1%	1.0%
RECORD YEAR	2006 (225)	2003 (69,274)

net growth by quarter



April 2012 saw a new record in net growth in West Drayton when compared to any previous April.

net growth by month

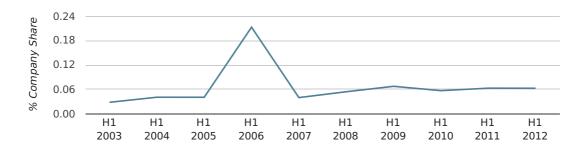


	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
NET GROWTH IN 2012	33	7	6
NET GROWTH IN 2011	19	5	23
% CHANGE	73.7%	40.0%	-73.9%
RECORD YEAR	2012 (33)	1997 (11)	2006 (214)

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

HALF YEAR (JAN-JUN)	WEST DRAYTON
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2006 (0.2%)

company share by half year

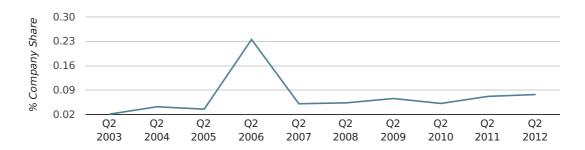


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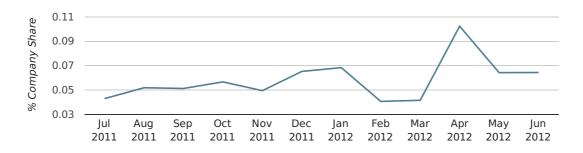
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SECOND QUARTER (APR 2012 - JUN 2012)	WEST DRAYTON
2012	0.1%
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	2006 (0.2%)

company share by quarter



company share by month



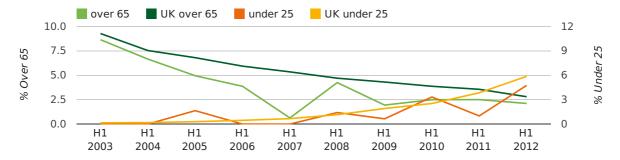
	APRIL	MAY	JUNE
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2012	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	41.4%	2.4%	-20.0%
RECORD YEAR	1969 (0.2%)	1969 (0.2%)	2006 (0.7%)

The average age of a director in the first half of 2012 was 39.6.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.8% compared to the UK figure of 4.9%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 2.1% compared to the UK figure of 3.4%.

director age by half year



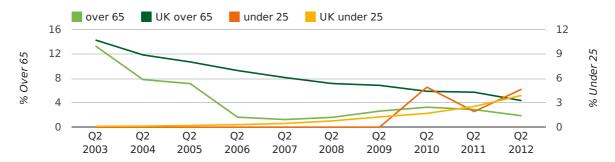
Quarterly Data (Q2 Apr-Jun 2012)

The average age of a director in the second quarter of 2012 was 38.7.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 4.7% compared to the UK figure of 5.2%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 1.9% compared to the UK figure of 3.3%.

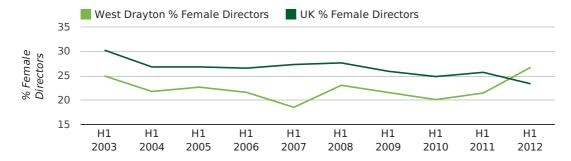
director age by quarter



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

26.8% of all director appointments in West Drayton 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 West Drayton was in 1866 when 66.7% of all directors were female.

23.3% of all director appointments in West Drayton 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



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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	1.43%	CONSULTING	5.07%
ENTERPRISES	1.43%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
ENTERPRISE	1.22%	CONSULTANCY	3.28%
LONDON	1.22%	PROPERTY	2.35%
LOGISTICS	1.22%	TRADING	2.10%
CONSULTING	1.22%	DESIGN	1.89%
CARE	1.02%	ENGINEERING	1.87%
HEATHROW	1.02%	ASSOCIATES	1.82%
TRADING	0.82%	CONSULTANTS	1.78%
GLOBAL	0.82%	CONSTRUCTION	1.71%
S	0.82%	BUSINESS	1.70%
CONSTRUCTION	0.61%	MEDIA	1.69%
CONSULTANCY	0.61%	LONDON	1.68%
CONSULTANTS	0.61%	J	1.57%
PARKING	0.61%	GLOBAL	1.51%
R	0.61%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
CLEANING	0.61%	IT	1.42%
DONINGTON	0.61%	CARE	1.31%
ELECTRICS	0.61%	PROPERTIES	1.31%
D	0.61%	М	1.26%
STORAGE	0.61%	ELECTRICAL	1.23%
LIGHTING	0.61%	BUILDING	1.23%
PROPERTY	0.61%	SECURITY	1.19%
HIRE	0.61%	S	1.18%
SOFTWARE	0.41%	ENTERPRISES	1.17%

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Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	164	244,457
7487 - Other business activities	27	47,029
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	24	14,220
74990 - Non-trading company	13	9,706
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	13	15,280
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	12	35,447
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	12	10,271
62090 - Other information technology service activities	10	8,258
9999 - Dormant Company	10	16,469
70100 - Activities of head offices	10	2,678
9305 - Other service activities	9	7,926
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	9	6,356
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	9	20,390
99999 - Dormant Company	7	26,088
62012 - Business and domestic software development	5	4,742
69201 - Accounting and auditing activities	5	4,295
7414 - Business & management consultancy	5	10,978
46900 - Non-specialised wholesale trade	4	1,696
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	4	4,644
5020 - Maintenance & repair of motors	4	1,190