

Yeovil

2011 annual business confidence report



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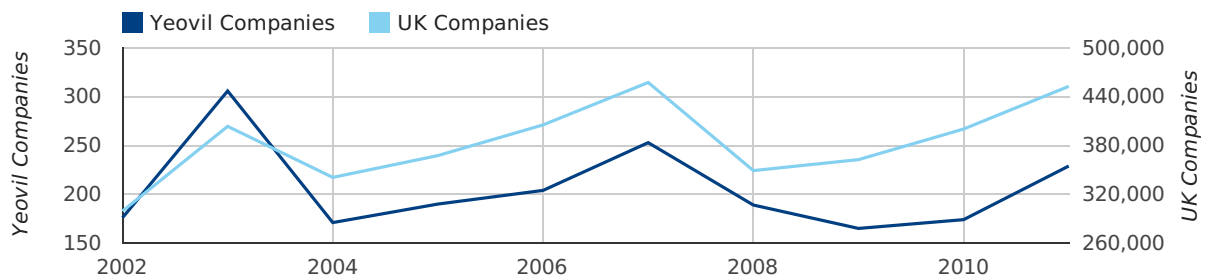
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Annual Data (2011)

A total of 229 companies were formed in Yeovil in 2011. This total is 31.6% higher than in 2010 and compares poorly to the UK figure of a 13.1% growth compared to 400,358 the previous year.

YEAR	YEOVIL	UK
2011	229	452,870
2010	174	400,358
2009	165	362,675
2008	189	349,203
2007	253	457,649
RECORD YEAR	2003 (306)	2007 (457,649)

new companies by year



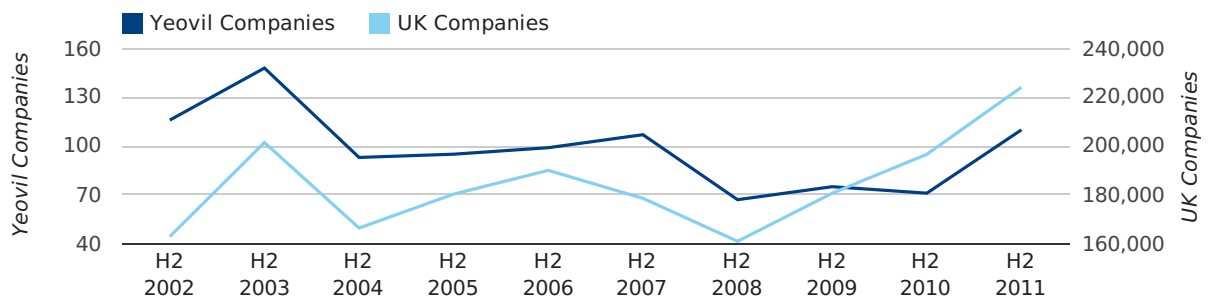
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 110 companies were formed in Yeovil. This figure is 54.9% higher than last year, which compares well to the UK wide figure of 14.0%.

The highest total for a second half year in Yeovil occurred in 2003 when a total of 148 were formed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	110	224,135
2010	71	196,609
% CHANGE	54.9%	14.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (148)	2011 (224,135)

new companies by half year



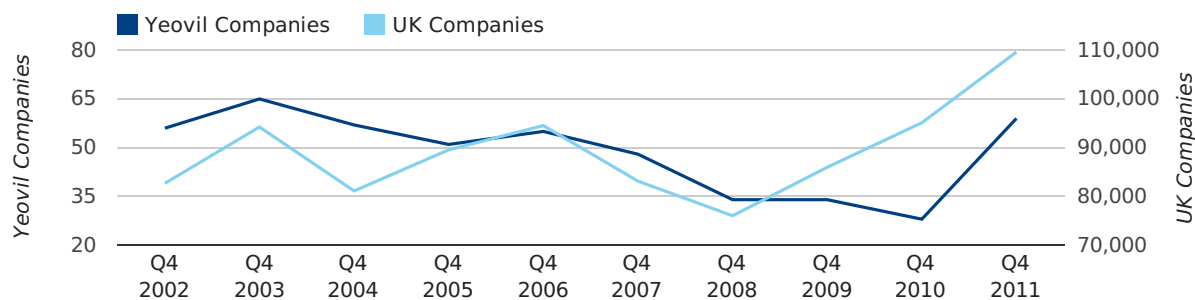
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 59 companies were registered in Yeovil during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is an increase of 110.7% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 15.3% against the same period last year.

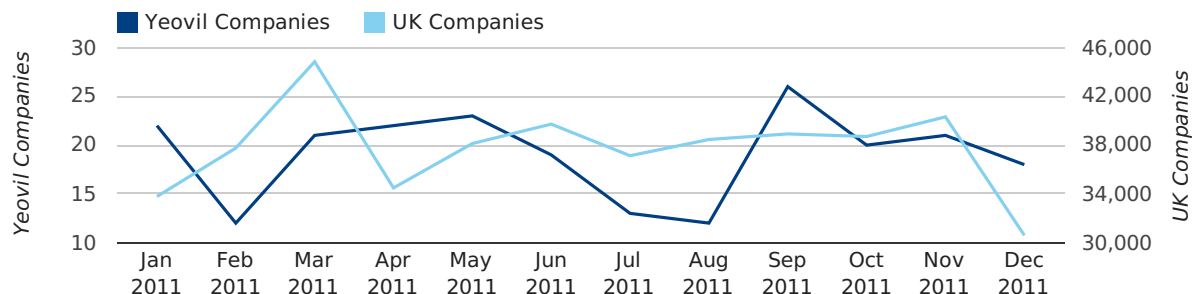
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	59	109,623
2010	28	95,117
% CHANGE	110.7%	15.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (65)	2011 (109,623)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

new companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	20	21	18
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	12	11	5
% CHANGE	66.7%	90.9%	260.0%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (22)	2003 (29)	1998 (21)

Annual Data (2011)

A total of 146 companies were dissolved in Yeovil in 2011. This total is 8.8% lower than in 2010 and compares unfavourably to the UK figure of 8.1% decrease compared to the previous year.

YEAR	YEOVIL	UK
2011	146	314,523
2010	160	342,232
2009	201	533,773
2008	136	237,901
2007	153	220,295
RECORD YEAR	2009 (201)	2009 (533,773)

dissolved companies by year



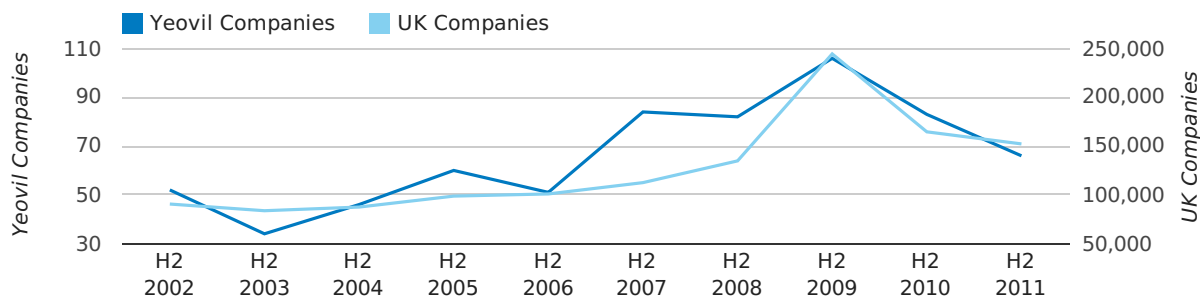
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 a total of 66 companies were dissolved in Yeovil. This figure is 20.5% lower than last year, which compares well to the UK wide change of -7.5%.

The highest total for a second half year in Yeovil occurred in 2009 when a total of 106 were closed.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	66	152,213
2010	83	164,601
% CHANGE	-20.5%	-7.5%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (106)	2009 (244,537)

dissolved companies by half year



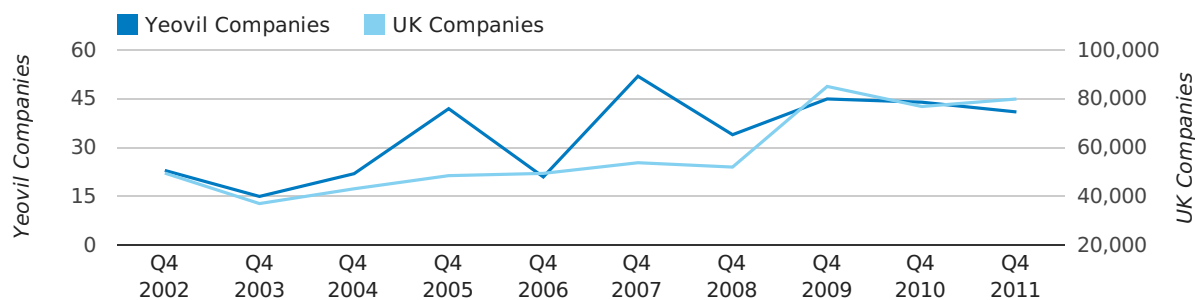
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

A total of 41 companies were dissolved in Yeovil during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 6.8% versus the same period last year (Q4 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 4.0% against the same period last year.

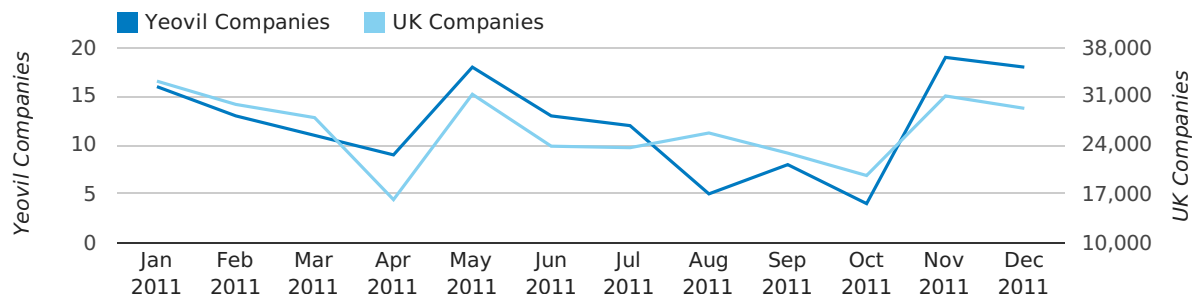
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	41	79,983
2010	44	76,896
% CHANGE	-6.8%	4.0%
RECORD YEAR	2007 (52)	2009 (85,136)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

dissolved companies by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	4	19	18
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	12	27	5
% CHANGE	-66.7%	-29.6%	260%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (16)	2007 (36)	2005 (26)

Annual Data (2011)

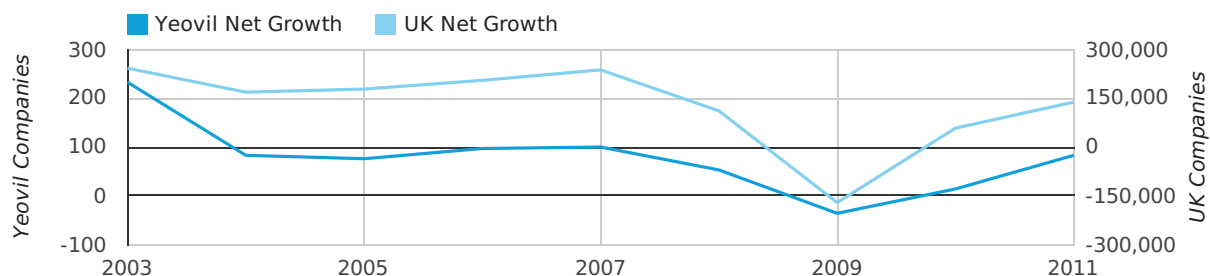
A total of 83 companies were added to the company register for Yeovil in 2011. This number represents growth of 47.7% which compares favourably to the UK figure of 34.6%.

This number is 69 companies higher than the previous year.

The highest net company growth figure ever seen in one year came in 2003 when the Yeovil company register grew by 233 companies.

YEAR	YEOVIL	UK
2011	83	138,347
2010	14	58,126
2009	-36	-171,098
2008	53	111,302
2007	100	237,354
RECORD YEAR	2003 (233)	2003 (242,543)

net growth by year

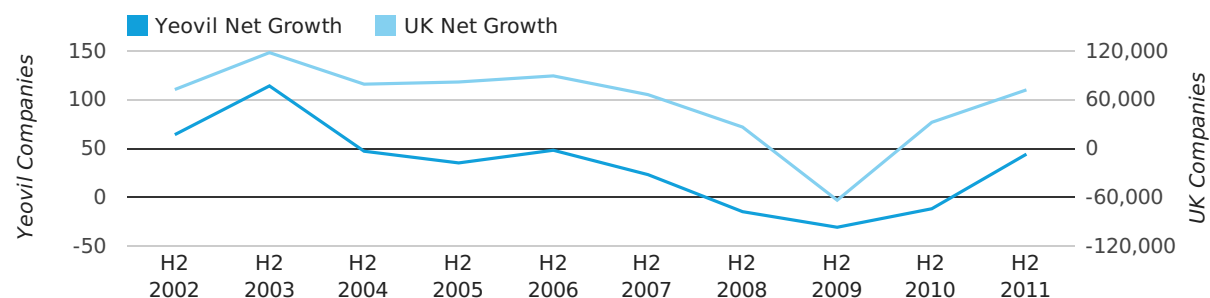


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

In the second half of 2011 the company register for Yeovil increased by 44 companies. This figure is 466.7% lower than last year, which compares badly to a UK increase of 124.7%.

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	44	71,922
2010	-12	32,008
% CHANGE	-466.7%	124.7%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (114)	2003 (117,772)

net growth by half year



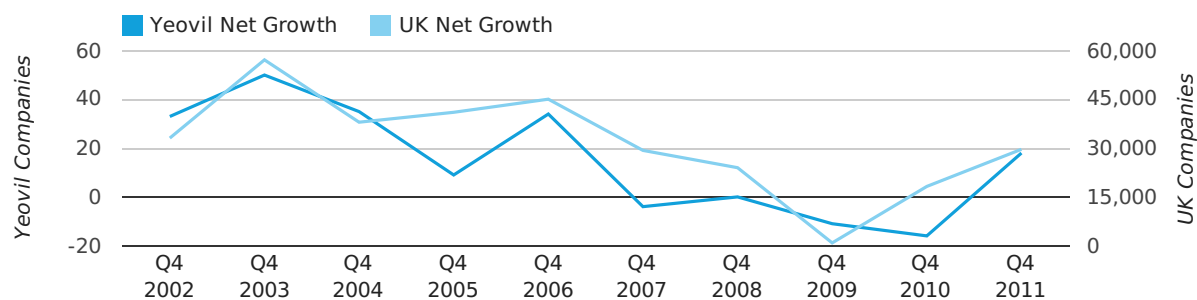
Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

Net company growth for Yeovil during the fourth quarter of 2011 (Oct 2011 - Dec 2011) was 18 companies.

This represents an increase of 212.5% on the same period last year.

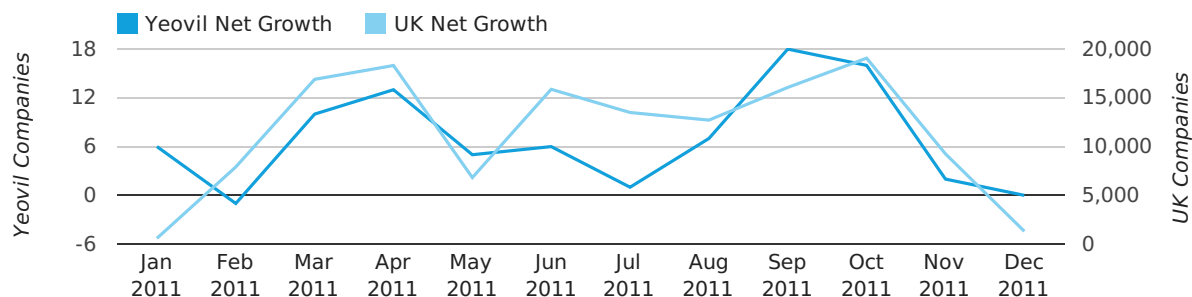
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	YEOVIL	UK
2011	18	29,640
2010	-16	18,221
% CHANGE	-212.5%	62.7%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (50)	2003 (57,175)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

net growth by month



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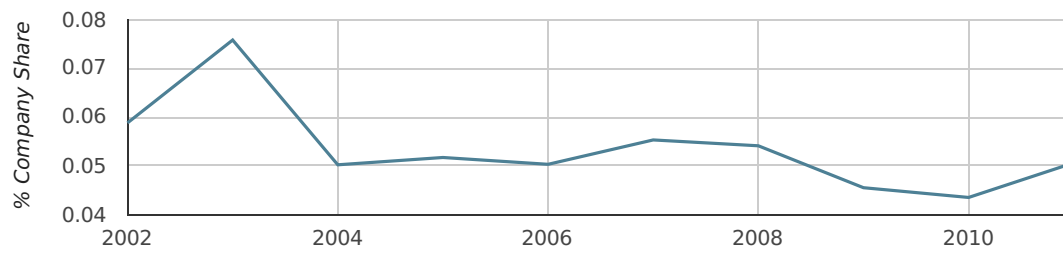
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	16	2	0
NET GROWTH IN 2010	0	-16	0
% CHANGE	0.0%	-112.5%	0.0%
RECORD YEAR	2005 (18)	2003 (22)	1998 (17)

Annual Data (2011)

In 2011 Yeovil formed 0.1% of all UK companies. This is an improvement on 2010 when Yeovil was responsible for 0.0% of all UK companies.

YEAR	YEOVIL
2011	0.1%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1961 (0.1%)

company share by year

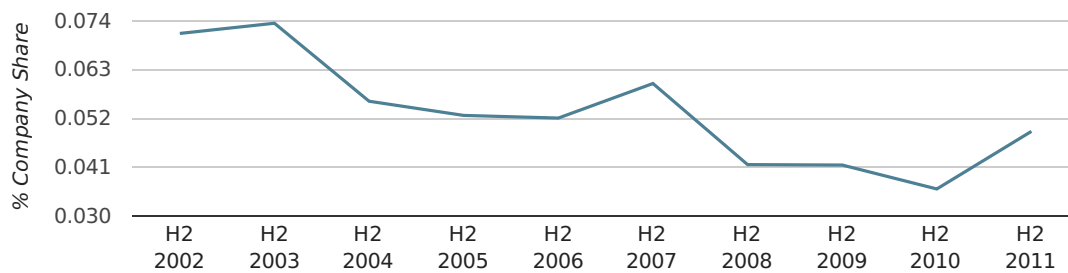


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

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

HALF YEAR (JUL-DEC)	YEOVIL
2011	0.0%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1961 (0.2%)

company share by half year

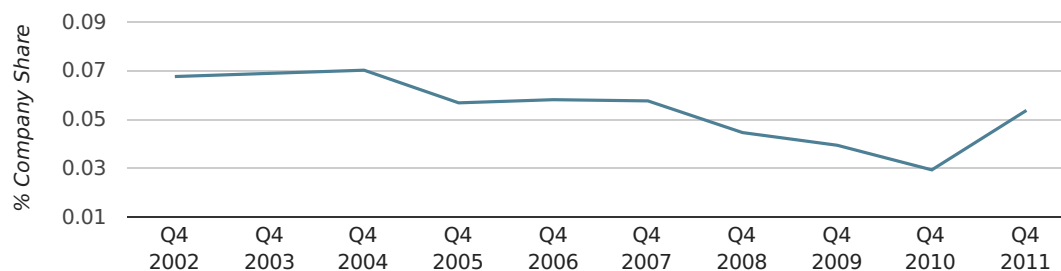


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

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

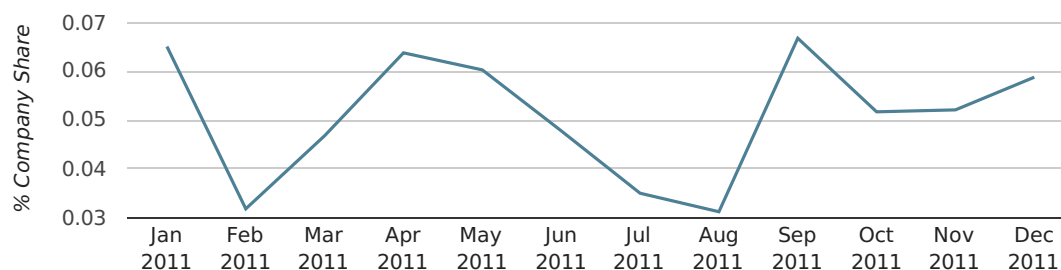
FOURTH QUARTER (OCT 2011 - DEC 2011)	YEOVIL
2011	0.1%
2010	0.0%
2009	0.0%
2008	0.0%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1971 (0.2%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Oct, Nov & Dec 2011)

company share by month



	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
% CHANGE	44.8%	62.8%	219.6%
RECORD YEAR	1974 (0.3%)	1968 (0.2%)	1971 (0.3%)

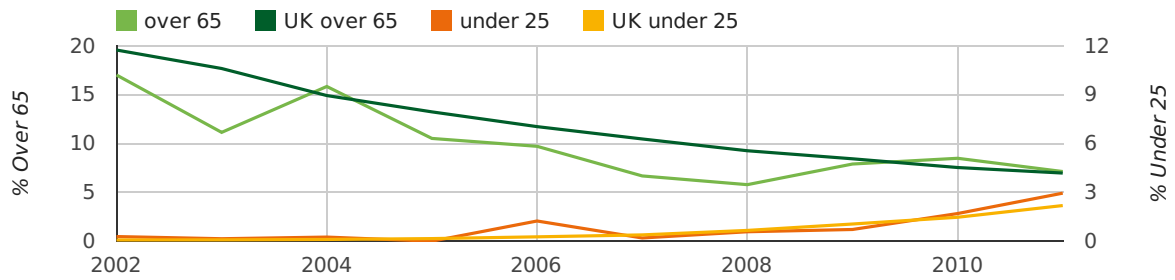
Annual Data (2011)

The average age of a director in 2011 was 47.4.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 3.0% compared to the UK figure of 3.7%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 7.1% compared to the UK figure of 4.2%.

director age by year



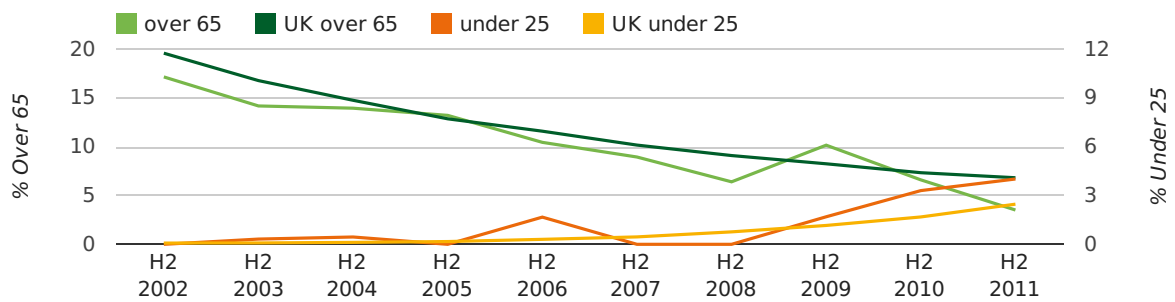
Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

The average age of a director in the second half of 2011 was 46.4.

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 3.5% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by half year



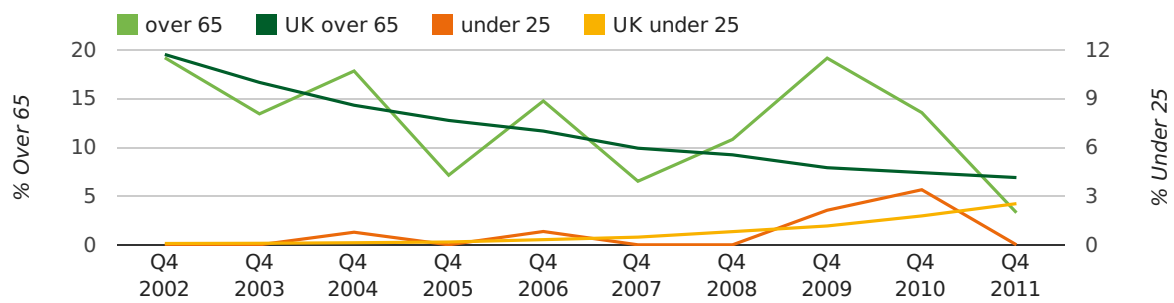
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director age by quarter

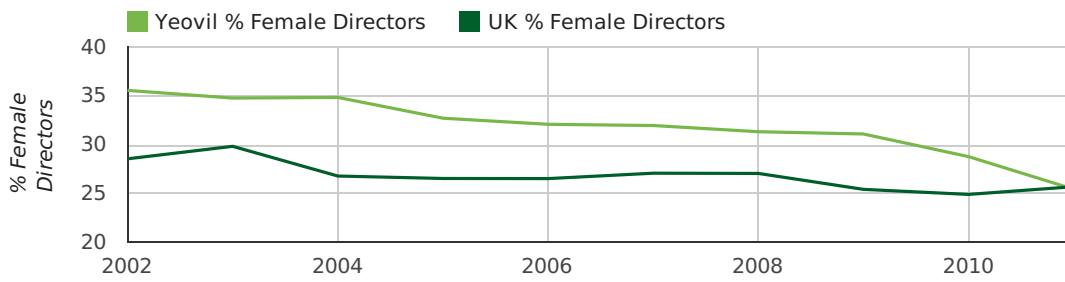


Annual Data (2011)

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

The percentage of female directors in Yeovil in 2011 was 35.6%. The average for the UK during this time was 28.6%

director gender by year

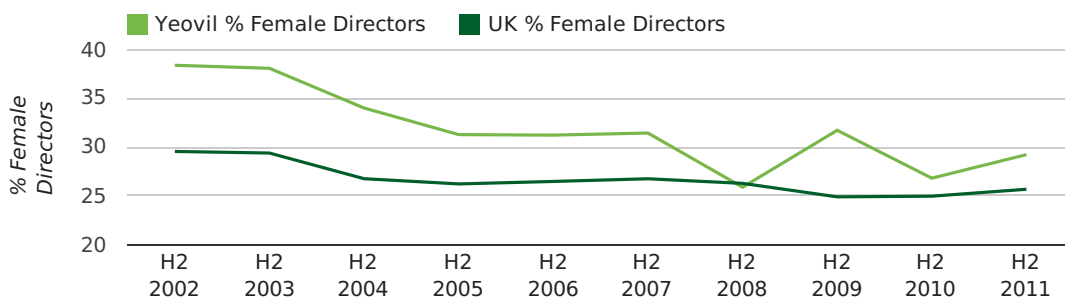


Half Year Data (Jul-Dec 2011)

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

29.2% of all director appointments in Yeovil 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

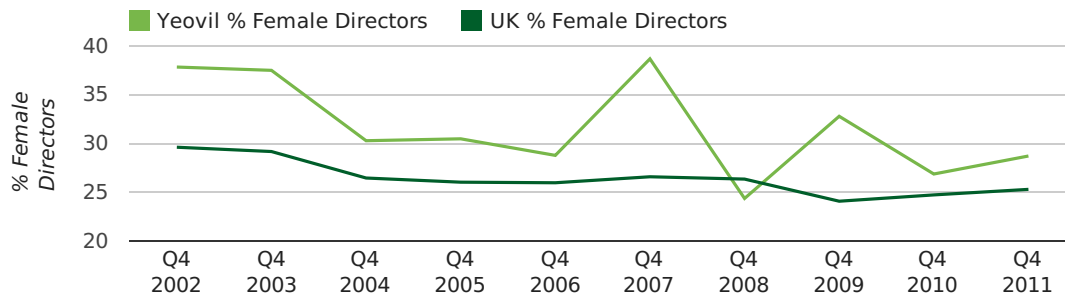


Quarterly Data (Q4 Oct-Dec 2011)

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

28.7% of all director appointments in Yeovil 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
MANAGEMENT	1.98%	CONSULTING	5.07%
AVIATION	1.10%	MANAGEMENT	4.74%
J	1.10%	CONSULTANCY	3.26%
BUILDING	1.10%	PROPERTY	2.37%
WEST	0.88%	TRADING	2.07%
TRUST	0.88%	DESIGN	1.92%
MEWS	0.88%	ASSOCIATES	1.86%
R	0.88%	ENGINEERING	1.78%
PROPERTY	0.88%	BUSINESS	1.78%
NOMINEES	0.88%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
ENTERPRISES	0.66%	CONSTRUCTION	1.73%
HOUSE	0.66%	MEDIA	1.71%
TRAINING	0.66%	LONDON	1.63%
H	0.66%	J	1.51%
NICE	0.66%	INVESTMENTS	1.48%
HOLDINGS	0.66%	GLOBAL	1.46%
CONSULTANCY	0.66%	IT	1.41%
MEDIA	0.66%	CARE	1.39%
ENGINEERING	0.66%	PROPERTIES	1.29%
YEOVIL	0.66%	ELECTRICAL	1.29%
ACADEMY	0.66%	M	1.27%
(SW)	0.66%	BUILDING	1.26%
CHETCOMBE	0.66%	ENERGY	1.25%
ELECTRICAL	0.66%	S	1.20%
SW	0.66%	ENTERPRISES	1.20%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	75	205,525
7487 - Other business activities	20	57,052
99999 - Dormant Company	13	21,846
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	13	32,483
62090 - Other information technology service activities	8	7,493
98000 - Residents property management	8	2,874
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	7	17,765
7414 - Business & management consultancy	6	13,034
9999 - Dormant Company	6	20,199
7260 - Other computer related activities	5	7,667
62020 - Information technology consultancy activities	5	12,072
7222 - Other software consultancy and supply	5	7,398
74990 - Non-trading company	5	8,929
7499 - Non-trading company	5	9,957
9800 - Residents Property Management	4	1,451
86900 - Other human health activities	4	4,457
4545 - Other building completion	4	2,369
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	4	11,768
9305 - Other service activities	4	9,492
74909 - Other professional, scientific and technical activities not elsewhere classified	4	8,671