

Grimsby

q3 2011 business confidence report



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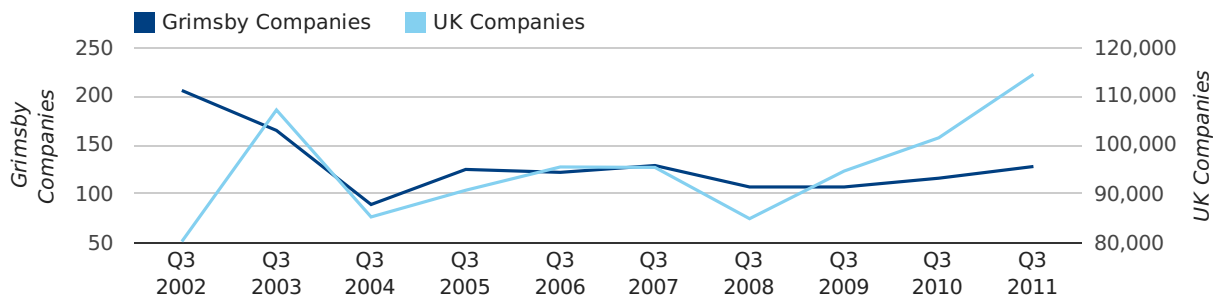
Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

A total of 128 companies were registered in Grimsby during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

This figure is an increase of 10.3% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares equally to the UK as a whole, which saw an increase of 12.8% against the same period last year.

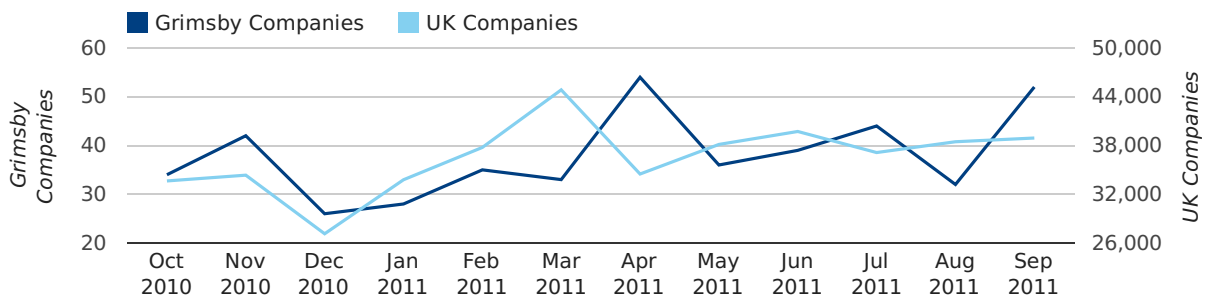
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	GRIMSBY	UK
2011	128	114,512
2010	116	101,492
% CHANGE	10.3%	12.8%
RECORD YEAR	2002 (206)	2011 (114,512)

new companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

new companies by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
NEW COMPANIES IN 2011	44	32	52
NEW COMPANIES IN 2010	41	45	30
% CHANGE	7.3%	-28.9%	73.3%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (73)	2002 (78)	2002 (60)

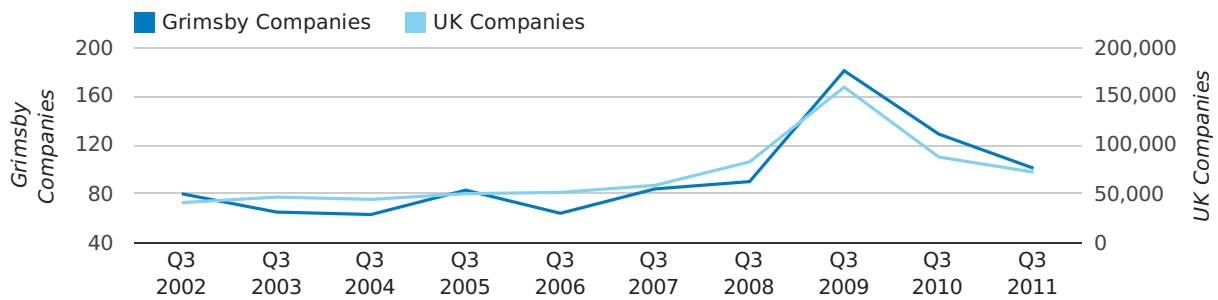
Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

A total of 101 companies were dissolved in Grimsby during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011).

This figure is a decrease of 21.7% versus the same period last year (Q3 2010). This figure compares well to the UK as a whole, which saw a decrease of 17.6% against the same period last year.

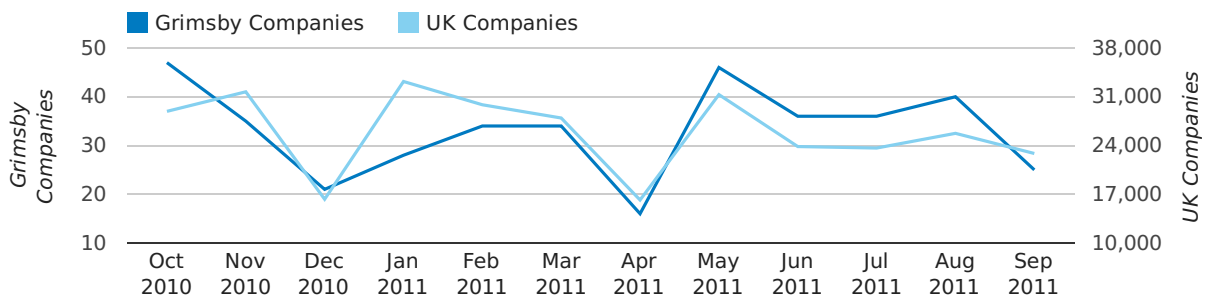
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	GRIMSBY	UK
2011	101	72,230
2010	129	87,705
% CHANGE	-21.7%	-17.6%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (181)	2009 (159,401)

dissolved companies by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

dissolved companies by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2011	36	40	25
CLOSED COMPANIES IN 2010	26	57	46
% CHANGE	38.5%	-29.8%	-46%
RECORD YEAR	2009 (49)	2008 (64)	2009 (87)

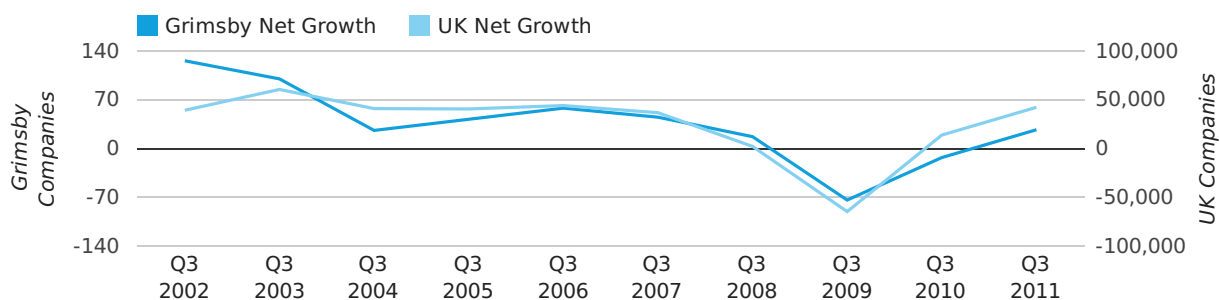
Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

Net company growth for Grimsby during the third quarter of 2011 (Jul 2011 - Sep 2011) was 27 companies.

This represents an increase of 307.7% on the same period last year.

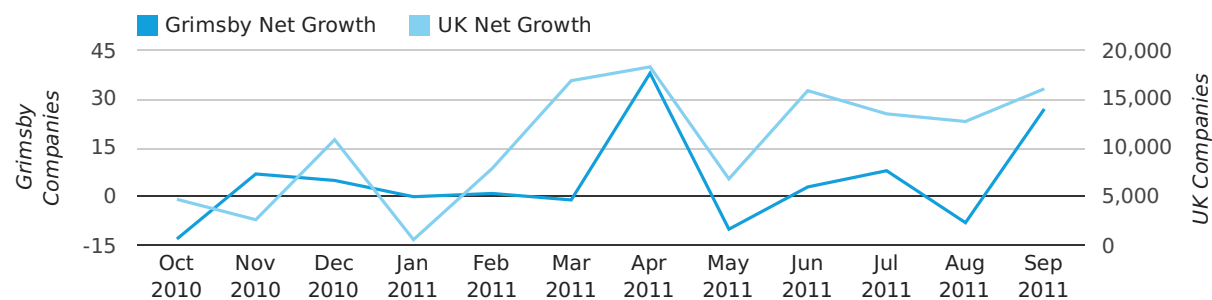
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	GRIMSBY	UK
2011	27	42,282
2010	-13	13,787
% CHANGE	-307.7%	206.7%
RECORD YEAR	2002 (126)	2003 (60,597)

net growth by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

net growth by month



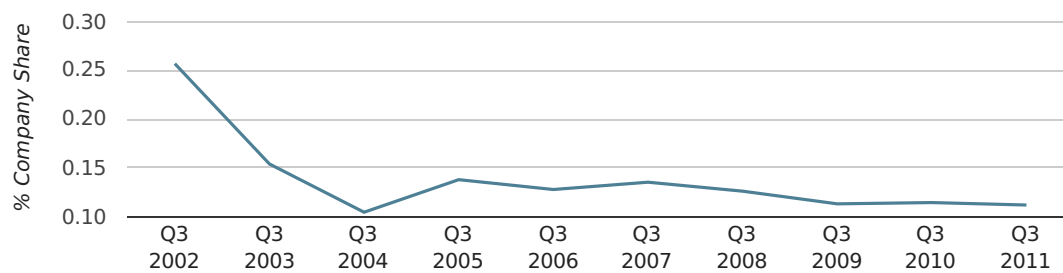
	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
NET GROWTH IN 2011	8	-8	27
NET GROWTH IN 2010	15	-12	-16
% CHANGE	-46.7%	-33.3%	-268.8%
RECORD YEAR	2003 (55)	2002 (55)	2002 (47)

Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

In the third quarter of 2011, Grimsby formed 0.1% of all UK companies.

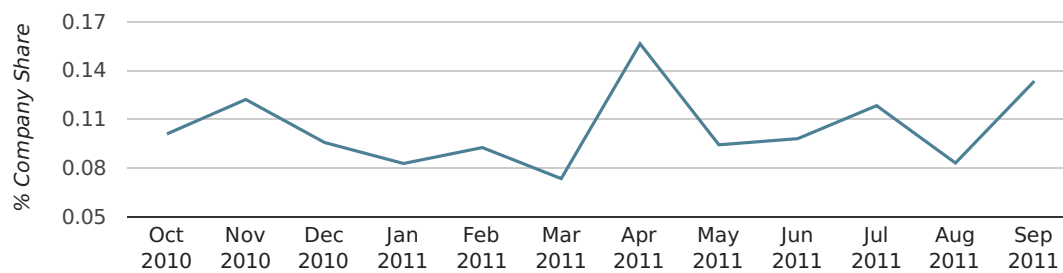
THIRD QUARTER (JUL 2011 - SEP 2011)	GRIMSBY
2011	0.1%
2010	0.1%
2009	0.1%
2008	0.1%
2007	0.1%
RECORD YEAR (SINCE 1960)	1962 (0.4%)

company share by quarter



Monthly Data (Jul, Aug & Sep 2011)

company share by month



	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2011	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
UK FORMATION SHARE IN 2010	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
% CHANGE	-1.8%	-40.1%	56.4%
RECORD YEAR	1962 (0.8%)	1961 (0.6%)	1967 (0.4%)

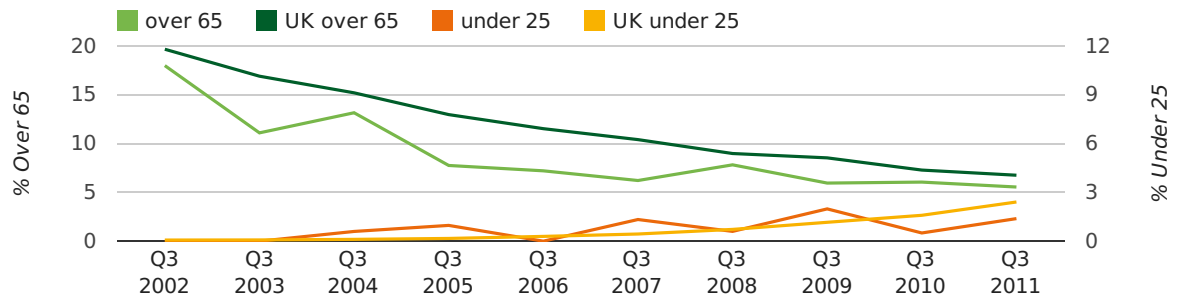
Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

The average age of a director in the third quarter of 2011 was 45.2.

The percentage of directors under the age of 25 was 1.4% compared to the UK figure of 4.0%.

The percentage of directors over the age of 65 was 5.6% compared to the UK figure of 4.1%.

director age by quarter

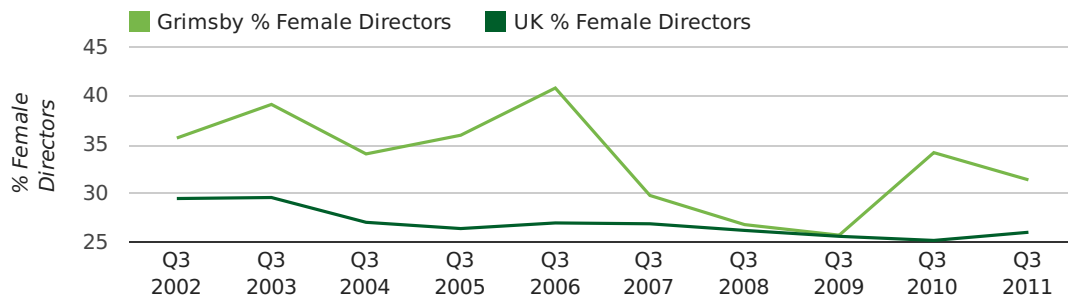


Quarterly Data (Q3 Jul-Sep 2011)

The record third quarter for female directors in Grimsby was in 1862 when 50.0% of all directors were female.

31.4% of all director appointments in Grimsby in the third quarter of 2011 were female. This compares to a UK average of 26.0% for the same period.

director gender by quarter



Previous 12 months (Sep 2010-Sep 2011)

Excluding: LIMITED, LTD, &, UK, SERVICES, THE, (UK), AND, LTD., A, LLP, SOLUTIONS, COMPANY, OF.

WORD	PERCENTAGE	UK WORD	UK PERCENTAGE
GRIMSBY	1.61%	CONSULTING	5.11%
J	1.49%	MANAGEMENT	4.75%
MANAGEMENT	1.49%	CONSULTANCY	3.19%
ENGINEERING	0.99%	PROPERTY	2.41%
CARE	0.99%	TRADING	2.06%
D	0.99%	DESIGN	1.94%
FISH	0.99%	ASSOCIATES	1.85%
BUILDING	0.87%	BUSINESS	1.82%
JOINERY	0.87%	CONSULTANTS	1.76%
CONSTRUCTION	0.87%	ENGINEERING	1.74%
(GRIMSBY)	0.87%	MEDIA	1.72%
HEATING	0.87%	CONSTRUCTION	1.72%
PROPERTY	0.75%	LONDON	1.63%
E	0.75%	J	1.47%
CONSULTANTS	0.75%	GLOBAL	1.46%
PROPERTIES	0.75%	INVESTMENTS	1.43%
CONSULTANCY	0.75%	CARE	1.42%
G	0.75%	IT	1.38%
(GY)	0.75%	BUILDING	1.30%
C	0.62%	PROPERTIES	1.28%
ELECTRICAL	0.62%	ELECTRICAL	1.27%
R	0.62%	M	1.25%
LINCS	0.62%	ENERGY	1.22%
B	0.62%	TRAINING	1.21%
MEDICAL	0.62%	S	1.21%

Previous 36 months, excluding companies less than 12 months old

SIC CODE	NUMBER OF COMPANIES	UK COMPANIES
None Supplied	182	204,493
7487 - Other business activities	56	65,177
9305 - Other service activities	39	10,525
96090 - Other service activities not elsewhere classified	38	10,018
9999 - Dormant Company	36	22,587
99999 - Dormant Company	23	18,281
82990 - Other business support service activities not elsewhere classified	17	29,245
7499 - Non-trading company	11	11,543
4521 - General construction & civil engineering	10	6,321
5020 - Maintenance & repair of motors	10	1,599
43210 - Electrical installation	10	2,938
4534 - Other building installation	9	2,443
6024 - Freight transport by road	9	2,601
43220 - Plumbing, heat and air-conditioning installation	8	2,134
41202 - Construction of domestic buildings	7	2,164
68209 - Other letting and operating of own or leased real estate	7	3,614
5263 - Other non-store retail sale	7	2,087
70229 - Management consultancy activities other than financial management	7	15,760
49410 - Freight transport by road	7	2,049
7414 - Business & management consultancy	7	14,755