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Mercantile Companies Statistics

July 2011. *Provisional data*

The number of mercantile companies created in July decreases 3.1% as compared with the same month of 2010

The number of mercantile companies dissolved increases 2.3% in the interannual rate

6,483 mercantile companies were created in July, 3.1% less than in the same month of 2010, and 15.0% less than in June 2011. The capital subscribed for their constitution exceeded 483 million euros, 21.5% more than in July the previous year. The average capital subscribed (74,653 euros) registered an interannual increase of 25.4%.

On the other hand, 2,829 mercantile companies increased their capital in July, 0.8% more than in the same month of 2010. The capital subscribed in the increases registered an interannual decrease of 4.4%, and exceeded 6,130 million euros. The average capital subscribed in these transactions (2,166,941 euros) recorded a decrease of 5.2%.

The number of companies dissolved in July was 1,215, indicating an interannual increase of 2.3%. Of these, 65.8% did so voluntarily, 10.7% due to mergers and the remaining 23.5% for other reasons.

	Total	Variation rate		
		Inter-monthly	Interannual*	Interannual accumulated*
Mercantile companies created				
Number	6,483	-15.0	-3.1	3.8
Capital subscribed (thousands of euros)	483,973	-19.9	21.5	467.3
Average capital subscribed (euros)	74,653	-5.8	25.4	446.7
Mercantile companies increasing their capital				
Number	2,829	-7.2	0.8	-0.5
Capital subscribed (thousands of euros)	6,130,276	-38.5	-4.4	76.6
Average capital subscribed (euros)	2,166,941	-33.8	-5.2	77.5
Mercantile companies dissolved				
Number	1,215	-13.3	2.3	7.7
-Voluntary	799	-20.3	-4.7	1.0
-Merger	130	4.8	-6.5	32.1
-Other	286	3.6	35.5	31.0

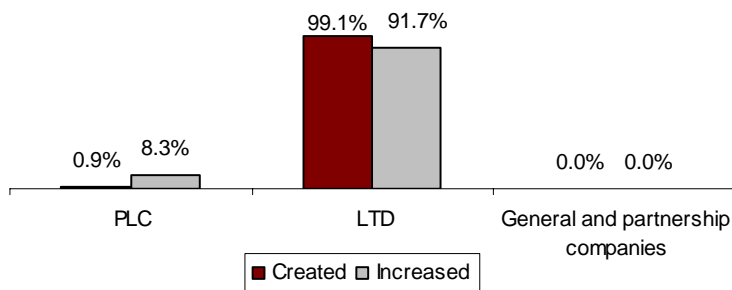
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Results by type of company

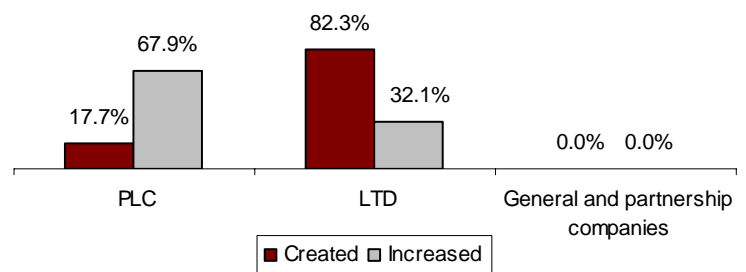
Out of the 6,483 mercantile companies created in the month of July, 99.1% were private limited companies and 0.9% were public limited companies. Out of the 2,829 companies that increased their capital, 91.7% were private limited companies and 8.3% were public limited companies.

82.3% of the capital registered by the mercantile companies created was subscribed by private limited companies, and 17.7% by public limited companies. Regarding the capital subscribed in capital increases, 32.1% corresponded to private limited companies, and 67.9% to public limited companies.

% of mercantile companies by type of company



% of capital subscribed by type of company



The interannual rate of the number of public limited companies decreased 18.9% in July, and the corresponding rate of private limited companies decreased 2.9%. Considering the companies that increased their capital, the number of public limited companies registered an interannual decrease of 17.2%, while that of private limited companies increased 2.9%.

The capital subscribed by the public limited companies created increased 240.4%, while the capital subscribed by private limited companies increased 6.7%, in interannual terms. As per the capital subscribed by the companies increasing their capital, the interannual rate for public limited companies increased 23.7%, and the rate for private limited companies decreased 35.4%.

	Total	Variation rate	
		Inter-monthly	Interannual*
Mercantile companies created			
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	60	-1.6	-18.9
Capital (thousands of euros)	85,840	-25.3	240.4
PRIVATE LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	6,423	-15.1	-2.9
Capital (thousands of euros)	398,133	-18.6	6.7
Mercantile companies increasing their capital			
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	236	-10.9	-17.2
Capital (thousands of euros)	4,161,512	-48.3	23.7
PRIVATE LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	2,593	-6.8	2.9
Capital (thousands of euros)	1,968,764	1.9	-35.4

*Rates calculated with regard to the final data for 2010

Results by Autonomous City and Community

Cantabria presented the greatest average capital subscribed by the mercantile companies created in July, with 312,000 euros. Conversely, Extremadura registered the least average capital subscribed (8,208 euros).

Comunitat Valenciana recorded the greatest average capital subscribed by companies increasing their capital (6,387,622 euros), while Principado de Asturias recorded the least average capital subscribed (211,900 euros).

Out of the total capital subscribed in the creation of mercantile companies during the month of July, Comunidad de Madrid accounted for the highest percentage (26.2%), while Comunidad Foral de Navarra recorded the lowest percentage (0.1%).

Regarding the total capital subscribed by the mercantile companies increasing their capital, Comunidad de Madrid registered the highest percentage (34.7%) and Comunidad Foral de Navarra recorded the lowest (0.1%).

Autonomous City and Community	Average capital subscribed (euros)		Percentage of capital subscribed	
	Mercantile companies created	Mercantile companies that increased capital	Created	Increased capital
TOTAL	74,653	2,166,941	100.0	100.0
Andalucía	73,908	1,144,368	18.3	6.9
Aragón	174,017	274,205	4.2	0.3
Asturias, Principado de	24,529	211,900	0.5	0.1
Balears, Illes	29,984	1,170,329	1.1	1.6
Canarias	19,326	308,298	1.1	0.4
Cantabria	312,000	848,857	2.3	0.2
Castilla y León	47,250	296,265	2.1	0.6
Castilla - La Mancha	62,830	337,891	2.9	0.6
Cataluña	101,046	1,500,482	24.6	16.1
Comunitat Valenciana	34,056	6,387,622	5.4	30.0
Extremadura	8,208	3,397,959	0.2	2.7
Galicia	22,677	302,462	1.4	0.6
Madrid, Comunidad de	97,802	3,783,637	26.2	34.7
Murcia, Región de	140,672	294,813	5.2	0.4
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	12,411	262,333	0.1	0.1
País Vasco	84,263	2,062,709	4.0	4.3
Rioja, La	58,458	931,600	0.3	0.3
Ceuta	-	-	0.0	0.0
Melilla	4,444	-	0.0	0.0

Provincial information

The provincial results that were previously offered in this press release may henceforth be viewed at the following address of the INE website:

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MC 1. Mercantile companies created

Capital in thousands of euros

	General total*			Public limited company			Private limited company		
	Number	Capital		Number	Capital		Number	Capital	
		Subscribed	Disbursed		Subscribed	Disbursed		Subscribed	Disbursed
TOTAL	6,483	483,973	463,644	60	85,840	65,511	6,423	398,133	398,133
Andalucía	1,200	88,689	73,772	5	25,012	10,095	1,195	63,676	63,676
Aragón	117	20,359	20,359	1	5,000	5,000	116	15,359	15,359
Asturias, Principado de	102	2,502	2,457	1	60	15	101	2,442	2,442
Balears, Illes	183	5,487	5,487	1	29	29	182	5,458	5,458
Canarias	270	5,218	5,218	1	176	176	269	5,042	5,042
Cantabria	36	11,232	11,232	0	0	0	36	11,232	11,232
Castilla y León	216	10,206	10,206	0	0	0	216	10,206	10,206
Castilla - La Mancha	223	14,012	13,547	4	626	161	219	13,386	13,386
Cataluña	1,177	118,930	118,226	12	38,194	37,490	1,165	80,736	80,736
Comunitat Valenciana	772	26,291	26,236	3	360	305	769	25,931	25,931
Extremadura	96	789	789	0	0	0	96	789	789
Galicia	297	6,736	6,599	3	182	46	294	6,554	6,554
Madrid, Comunidad de	1,297	126,849	125,888	25	11,989	11,028	1,272	114,860	114,860
Murcia, Región de	180	25,321	25,321	0	0	0	180	25,321	25,321
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	56	695	695	1	90	90	55	605	605
Pais Vasco	228	19,212	16,167	3	4,120	1,075	225	15,092	15,092
Rioja, La	24	1,403	1,403	0	0	0	24	1,403	1,403
Ceuta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	9	40	40	0	0	0	9	40	40

* The general total includes collective societies and partnership companies

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MC 2. Mercantile companies that increase capital and are dissolved

Capital subscribed in thousands of euros

	Increase capital						Dissolved			
	General total*		Public limited companies		Private limited companies		Total	Voluntary	Merged	Other
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Number	Number	Number
TOTAL	2,829	6,130,276	236	4,161,512	2,593	1,968,764	1,215	799	130	286
Andalucía	372	425,704	19	268,790	353	156,913	166	127	15	24
Aragón	73	20,017	6	7,151	67	12,866	46	38	0	8
Asturias, Principado de	30	6,357	2	912	28	5,445	18	13	0	5
Balears, Illes	85	99,478	8	27,115	77	72,363	40	27	6	7
Canarias	84	25,897	5	2,297	79	23,600	54	47	7	0
Cantabria	14	11,884	0	0	14	11,884	10	9	0	1
Castilla y León	117	34,662	6	6,401	111	28,259	72	52	6	14
Castilla - La Mancha	110	37,169	5	6,061	105	31,108	32	17	6	9
Cataluña	656	984,316	66	330,214	590	654,104	206	107	9	90
Comunitat Valenciana	288	1,839,635	14	1,653,834	274	185,801	123	68	11	44
Extremadura	49	166,499	6	3,566	43	162,934	25	17	2	6
Galicia	130	39,320	8	4,940	122	34,380	70	51	10	9
Madrid, Comunidad de	562	2,126,404	62	1,653,744	500	472,660	246	162	45	39
Murcia, Región de	91	26,828	5	4,279	86	22,549	11	2	6	3
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	21	5,509	6	955	15	4,554	4	1	0	3
Pais Vasco	127	261,963	16	187,042	111	74,922	80	53	6	21
Rioja, La	20	18,632	2	4,210	18	14,422	10	6	1	3
Ceuta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0

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MC 3. Mercantile companies that disburse installment payments on subscribed shares and companies that reduce capital

Capital in thousands of euros

	Disburs. of install. paym. on sub. shares		Reduce capital	
	Number	Disbursed capital	Number	Subscribed capital
TOTAL	54	48,489	509	782,425
Andalucía	5	3,636	68	161,564
Aragón	2	560	15	103,151
Asturias, Principado de	1	564	5	718
Balears, Illes	2	38	14	3,052
Canarias	0	0	17	40,253
Cantabria	1	45	6	1,591
Castilla y León	0	0	17	12,038
Castilla - La Mancha	2	797	9	2,193
Cataluña	12	16,342	111	103,535
Comunitat Valenciana	5	1,410	51	26,199
Extremadura	1	9	3	19,585
Galicia	3	224	29	10,956
Madrid, Comunidad de	14	22,193	118	225,667
Murcia, Región de	0	0	14	21,696
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	1	653	6	8,935
Pais Vasco	5	2,017	22	40,945
Rioja, La	0	0	4	349
Ceuta	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0

MC 4. Mercantile companies created, by type of company

Capital subscribed in thousands of euros

	Total		Mercantile companies		Public limited labour companies		Special companies and other agencies	
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital
2010 JULY	6,732	401,204	6,683	398,206	2	152	47	2,845
AUGUST	4,886	499,463	4,850	499,239	0	0	36	225
SEPTEMBER	5,242	936,224	5,206	934,564	2	121	34	1,539
OCTOBER	5,534	314,832	5,493	313,777	2	126	39	930
NOVEMBER	6,731	559,082	6,678	558,140	3	210	50	732
DECEMBER	6,232	3,281,198	6,195	2,971,490	0	0	37	309,709
2011 JANUARY	7,161	462,082	7,123	459,568	1	93	37	2,421
FEBRUARY	7,998	295,071	7,960	293,852	0	0	38	1,220
MARCH	9,355	12,945,269	9,313	12,944,558	4	317	38	394
APRIL	6,916	356,333	6,891	356,205	1	60	24	68
MAY	8,151	311,096	8,104	301,800	2	261	45	9,035
JUNE	7,657	604,531	7,627	604,371	0	0	30	159
JULY	6,523	484,922	6,483	483,973	1	120	39	829