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## Bankruptcy Proceedings Statistics Third quarter of 2010. *Provisional data\**

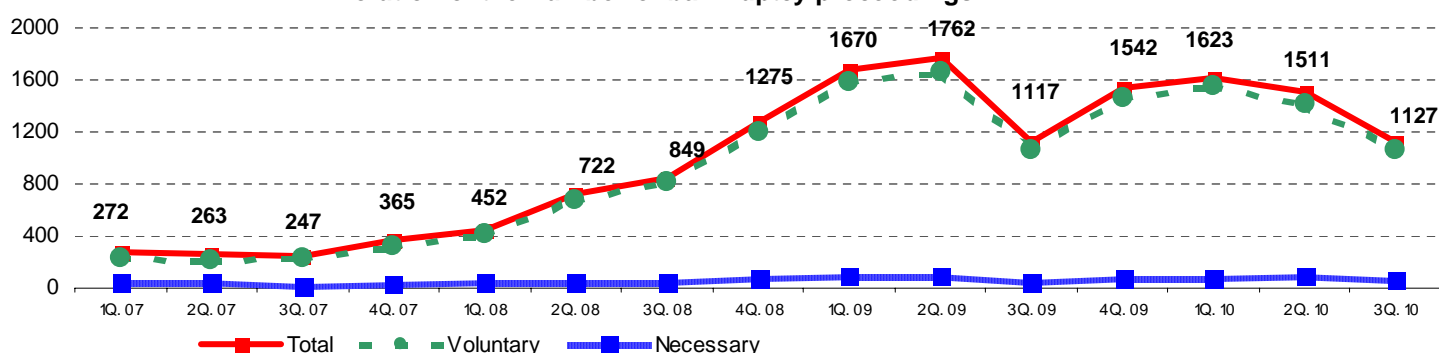
**The number of debtors processed increases 0.9% in the third quarter, as compared with the same period of 2009**

**One out of three companies declared bankrupt has Construction and property development as their main activity**

During the third quarter of 2010, the number of debtors processed reached 1,127, representing a 0.9% increase, as compared with the same quarter the previous year.

By type of proceeding, 1,068 were voluntary (0.1% less than the third quarter of 2009) and 59 were necessary (22.9% more). Considering the type of proceeding, ordinary proceedings increased 12.5%, while abbreviated proceedings decreased 0.2%.

**Evolution of the number of bankruptcy proceedings**



\*Final data up until the third quarter of 2009

### Number of debtors processed

	Total	Variation rate		
		Quarter-on-quarter	Interannual *	Interannual accumulated
<b>Debtors processed</b>	1,127	-25.4	0.9	-6.3
<b>Individuals without business activity</b>	163	-39.2	-17.7	-10.2
<b>Companies declared bankrupt</b>	964	-22.4	4.9	-5.6
Individuals with business activity	57	-13.6	1.8	-8.4
Public Limited Company (PLC)	174	-8.9	-3.3	-18.0
Private Limited Company (LTD)	720	-24.9	6.8	-2.6
Other	13	-51.9	44.4	33.3
<b>Type of bankruptcy</b>				
Voluntary	1,068	-24.8	-0.1	-6.5
Necessary	59	-34.4	22.9	-3.9
<b>Type of procedure</b>				
Ordinary	108	-25.0	12.5	-66.9
Abbreviated	1,019	-25.5	-0.2	16.4

\* Final compared data for 2009

\* The data provided relating to the third quarter of 2010 corresponds to that submitted by 29 October 2010, by the Mercantile Courts, the Courts of First Instance and the Courts of First Instance and Trial with mercantile jurisdiction.

## Companies processed, by legal nature and turnover bracket

Of the 1,127 debtors processed in the third quarter, 964 were companies (individuals with business activity and corporations). 74.7% of the companies declared bankrupt were Private Limited Companies.

### Number of companies declared bankrupt by legal nature and turnover bracket\*\*

Turnover bracket	Total	Individuals.*	P.L.C.	L.T.D.	Others
<b>TOTAL</b>	964	57	174	720	13
<b>Less than 2 (million €)</b>	624	57	78	478	11
<b>From 2 to 5 (million €)</b>	163	0	39	123	1
<b>From 5 to 10 (million €)</b>	51	0	15	35	1
<b>More than 10 (million €)</b>	77	0	37	40	0
<b>Without classification</b>	49	0	5	44	0

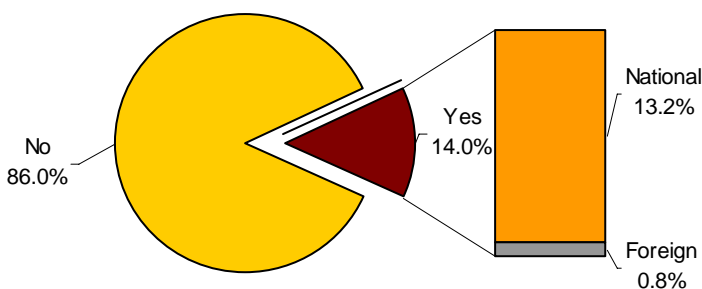
\* Individuals with business activity

\*\* Million euros per year

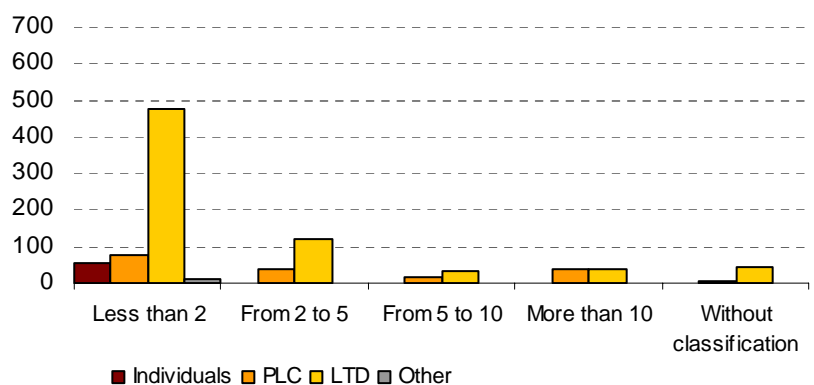
64.7% of the companies declared bankrupt were within the lowest turnover bracket (less than two million euros), and were mainly Private Limited Companies.

86.0% of companies declared bankrupt during the third quarter of 2010 did not belong to any business group. Of the remaining companies declared bankrupt, 13.2% belonged to a Spanish group, and 0.8% to a group under foreign control.

% of companies declared bankrupt belonging to a group and type of control



Number of companies declared bankrupt by legal nature and turnover bracket\*\*



\* Individuals with business activity

\*\* Million euros per year

## Companies declared bankrupt, by economic activity and number of employees

31.8% of companies declared bankrupt carried out their main activity in *Construction and property development*, 20.0% in *Industry and energy*, and 18.3% in *Trade*.

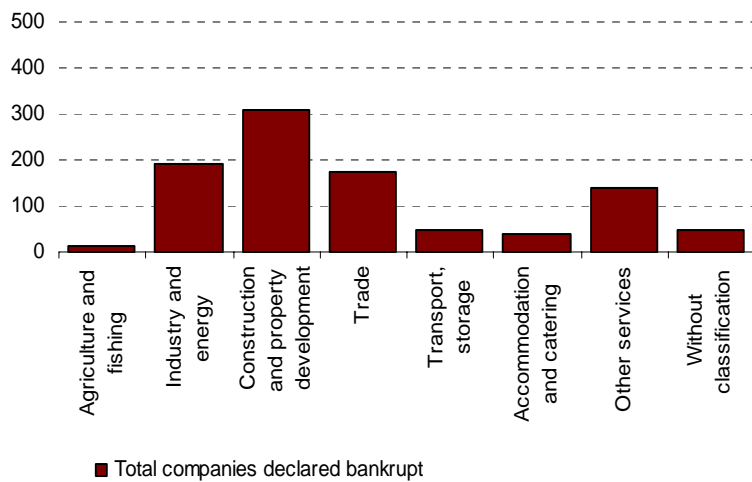
Regarding the number of employees, 51.0% of the total number of companies declared bankrupt were within the brackets of 1 to 2 and 6 to 19 employees.

## Number of companies declared bankrupt by main economic activity and number of employees

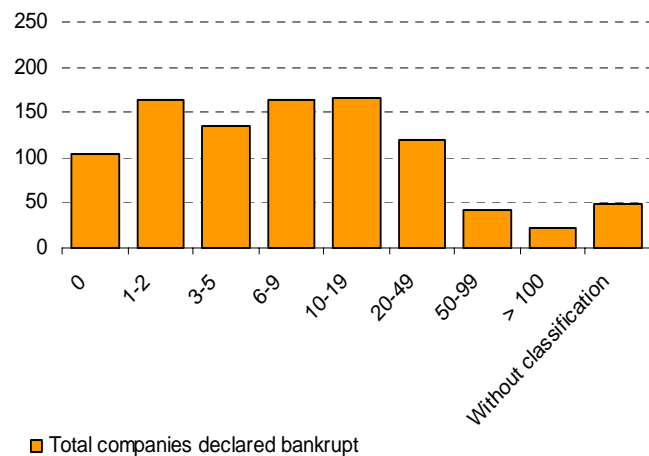
Main economic activity*	Number of employees									
	Total	0	1-2	3-5	6-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	> 100	Without class.
<b>TOTAL</b>	964	103	164	135	163	165	120	43	22	49
Agriculture and fishing	13	5	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	0
Industry and energy	193	1	12	23	35	58	44	15	5	0
Construction and property development	307	55	71	36	36	47	39	15	8	0
Trade	176	9	34	37	51	24	15	5	1	0
Transport, storage	47	6	12	8	7	7	4	1	2	0
Accommodation and catering	39	3	7	3	12	9	2	2	1	0
Other services	140	24	26	26	21	18	15	5	5	0
Without classification	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49

\* Data according to CNAE-2009

Companies declared bankrupt by main activity



Companies declared bankrupt by number of employees



## Geographical distribution of debtors processed

The Autonomous Communities of Cataluña, Comunitat Valenciana, Comunidad de Madrid and Andalucía accounted for 61.1% of the total debtors processed during the third quarter of 2010.

La Rioja, Extremadura and Cantabria were the Autonomous Communities with the fewest debtors processed.

## Number of processed debtors by type of bankruptcy, type of procedure, existence of anticipated proposals for agreement and Autonomous Community

Autonomous Communities	Total	Type of bankruptcy		Type of procedure		Existence of anticipated proposal for agreement	
		Voluntary	Necessary	Ordinary	Abbrev.	No	Yes
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,127</b>	<b>1,068</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>1,019</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>46</b>
Andalucía	119	109	10	13	106	119	0
Aragón	43	40	3	1	42	41	2
Asturias (P. de)	13	13	0	0	13	13	0
Balears (Illes)	59	45	14	1	58	59	0
Canarias	45	42	3	16	29	35	10
Cantabria	4	4	0	0	4	4	0
Castilla y León	44	42	2	2	42	44	0
Castilla-La Mancha	40	40	0	1	39	40	0
Cataluña	279	273	6	29	250	249	30
C. Valenciana	147	139	8	5	142	146	1
Extremadura	3	3	0	0	3	3	0
Galicia	66	66	0	3	63	64	2
Madrid (C. de)	144	134	10	31	113	144	0
Murcia (Región de)	34	31	3	1	33	33	1
Navarra (C. Foral)	11	11	0	1	10	11	0
País Vasco	73	73	0	3	70	73	0
Rioja (La)	2	2	0	1	1	2	0
Ceuta and Melilla	1	1	0	0	1	1	0

## Provincial information

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## Bankruptcy Proceedings Statistics

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### TP1. Bankrupt debtors by type of bankruptcy proceeding, type of procedure, existence of anticipated proposals of agreement and proposed content

	Total	Proceeding type		Procedure type		Existence of anticipated proposal		Proposed content			
		Voluntary	Necessary	Ordinary	Abbreviated	No	Yes	Acquittance	Wait	Arrangement with creditors	Other
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,127</b>	<b>1,068</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>1,019</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>
Andalucía	119	109	10	13	106	119	0	0	0	0	0
Aragón	43	40	3	1	42	41	2	0	0	2	0
Asturias (Principado de)	13	13	0	0	13	13	0	0	0	0	0
Balears (Illes)	59	45	14	1	58	59	0	0	0	0	0
Canarias	45	42	3	16	29	35	10	1	7	2	0
Cantabria	4	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0
Castilla y León	44	42	2	2	42	44	0	0	0	0	0
Castilla-La-Mancha	40	40	0	1	39	40	0	0	0	0	0
Cataluña	279	273	6	29	250	249	30	28	0	1	1
Comunitat Valenciana	147	139	8	5	142	146	1	0	0	1	0
Extremadura	3	3	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
Galicia	66	66	0	3	63	64	2	0	0	0	2
Madrid (Comunidad de)	144	134	10	31	113	144	0	0	0	0	0
Murcia (Región de)	34	31	3	1	33	33	1	0	0	1	0
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	11	11	0	1	10	11	0	0	0	0	0
País Vasco	73	73	0	3	70	73	0	0	0	0	0
Rioja (La)	2	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ceuta	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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**TP2. Bankrupt debtors by Autonomous Community and legal status**

	Total	Individuals without business activity	Companies			
			Individuals	Public Limited Company	Private Limited Company	Other
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,127</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>13</b>
Andalucía	119	24	6	11	76	2
Aragón	43	7	1	6	28	1
Asturias (Principado de)	13	0	0	3	10	0
Balears (Illes)	59	15	6	4	34	0
Canarias	45	8	2	8	27	0
Cantabria	4	0	0	0	2	2
Castilla y León	44	5	4	7	28	0
Castilla-La-Mancha	40	8	3	5	22	2
Cataluña	279	34	11	50	184	0
Comunitat Valenciana	147	15	8	14	107	3
Extremadura	3	1	0	2	0	0
Galicia	66	7	3	11	45	0
Madrid (Comunidad de)	144	24	8	33	77	2
Murcia (Región de)	34	9	2	4	18	1
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	11	0	0	1	10	0
País Vasco	73	6	3	14	50	0
Rioja (La)	2	0	0	1	1	0
Ceuta	1	0	0	0	1	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0

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**TP3. Bankrupt companies by Autonomous Community and main economic activity**

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	Total	Agriculture and fishing	Industry				Energy
			Intermediate goods	Capital goods	Durable consumer goods	Non-durable consumer goods	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>2</b>
Andalucía	95	1	3	3	1	5	1
Aragón	36	0	4	4	0	2	0
Asturias (Principado de)	13	0	1	2	1	0	0
Balears (Illes)	44	0	0	1	1	2	0
Canarias	37	1	2	0	0	0	0
Cantabria	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Castilla y León	39	2	1	4	1	5	0
Castilla-La-Mancha	32	2	4	2	1	1	0
Cataluña	245	4	14	20	6	8	1
Comunitat Valenciana	132	0	19	4	2	8	0
Extremadura	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Galicia	59	1	2	1	1	4	0
Madrid (Comunidad de)	120	0	8	2	0	5	0
Murcia (Región de)	25	2	0	3	1	1	0
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	11	0	2	0	0	1	0
País Vasco	67	0	12	9	0	2	0
Rioja (La)	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ceuta	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	Construction		Wholesale trade	Vehicles and retail trade	Transportation, storage	Accommodation and food service activities	Information and communications
	Construction of buildings	Other construction					
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>20</b>
Andalucía	24	7	22	1	7	4	0
Aragón	5	5	7	0	2	1	0
Asturias (Principado de)	0	1	3	0	1	1	1
Balears (Illes)	6	10	6	0	0	2	0
Canarias	17	0	6	0	1	7	0
Cantabria	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Castilla y León	5	4	10	0	0	2	0
Castilla-La-Mancha	8	5	2	0	2	0	0
Cataluña	39	29	44	3	16	8	10
Comunitat Valenciana	34	12	26	2	6	2	2
Extremadura	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Galicia	15	1	10	5	6	2	3
Madrid (Comunidad de)	28	13	15	2	4	6	4
Murcia (Región de)	5	4	3	0	1	2	0
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
País Vasco	15	7	7	0	1	2	0
Rioja (La)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ceuta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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**TP3. Bankrupt companies by Autonomous Community and main economic activity**

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	Real estate, financial and insu- rance activities	Professional, scientific and tech- nical activities	Administrative and support service activities	Other services	Unclassified
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>49</b>
Andalucía	1	1	3	7	4
Aragón	0	3	1	2	0
Asturias (Principado de)	0	1	1	0	0
Balears (Illes)	3	3	4	4	2
Canarias	1	0	0	1	1
Cantabria	0	0	0	0	0
Castilla y León	0	1	0	2	2
Castilla-La-Mancha	0	1	1	2	1
Cataluña	10	11	4	4	14
Comunitat Valenciana	3	5	1	2	4
Extremadura	0	0	0	0	0
Galicia	2	1	0	2	3
Madrid (Comunidad de)	7	5	5	3	13
Murcia (Región de)	1	0	1	1	0
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	0	0	0	1	1
País Vasco	1	2	0	5	4
Rioja (La)	0	0	0	0	0
Ceuta	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0



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**TP4. Bankrupt companies by Autonomous Community and number of employees**

	Total	Number of employees								Un-classified
		0	1-2	3-5	6-9	10-19	20-49	50-99	More than 100	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>49</b>
Andalucía	95	9	16	12	12	14	21	3	4	4
Aragón	36	3	6	5	7	8	4	2	1	0
Asturias (Principado de)	13	0	1	2	2	4	4	0	0	0
Balears (Illes)	44	8	8	8	9	5	1	2	1	2
Canarias	37	10	5	5	3	6	3	3	1	1
Cantabria	4	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Castilla y León	39	5	6	5	9	3	7	2	0	2
Castilla-La-Mancha	32	4	5	6	3	5	5	3	0	1
Cataluña	245	16	42	35	53	39	30	8	8	14
Comunitat Valenciana	132	11	26	22	22	27	12	5	3	4
Extremadura	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Galicia	59	5	12	8	9	13	7	2	0	3
Madrid (Comunidad de)	120	22	15	12	16	19	12	8	3	13
Murcia (Región de)	25	5	5	2	4	6	3	0	0	0
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	11	1	2	0	1	3	2	1	0	1
País Vasco	67	3	15	12	10	11	7	4	1	4
Rioja (La)	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Ceuta	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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**TP5. Bankrupt companies by Autonomous Community and turnover bracket**

	Total	Business volume interval (million €)				Un-classified
		Less than 2	2 to 5	5 to 10	More than 10	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>49</b>
Andalucía	95	61	18	8	4	4
Aragón	36	22	5	4	5	0
Asturias (Principado de)	13	8	4	1	0	0
Balears (Illes)	44	33	5	1	3	2
Canarias	37	25	6	2	3	1
Cantabria	4	3	1	0	0	0
Castilla y León	39	21	11	0	5	2
Castilla-La-Mancha	32	20	7	2	2	1
Cataluña	245	158	44	14	15	14
Comunitat Valenciana	132	88	30	7	3	4
Extremadura	2	0	2	0	0	0
Galicia	59	41	8	3	4	3
Madrid (Comunidad de)	120	70	14	8	15	13
Murcia (Región de)	25	19	6	0	0	0
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	11	7	0	0	3	1
País Vasco	67	48	1	0	14	4
Rioja (La)	2	0	1	0	1	0
Ceuta	1	0	0	1	0	0
Melilla	0	0	0	0	0	0