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Mercantile Companies Statistics

June 2007. *Provisional data*

The number of mercantile companies created in June decreases 9.2% with respect to the same month of 2006

The interannual rate for the number of mercantile companies dissolved grows 55%

11,986 mercantile companies were created in June, 9.2% less than in the same month of 2006. The capital subscribed for their constitution reached almost 806 million euros, 5.3% more than in June of the previous year. In turn, **the average capital subscribed registered an interannual increase of 16%**.

On the other hand, in June, 3,539 mercantile societies increased their capital, 2.6% more than the same month of 2006. The capital subscribed in the increases registered an interannual decreased rate of 22.2% and reached almost 3,249 million euros. The average capital subscribed in these operations registered an interannual decrease of 24.1%.

The number of dissolved companies in June was 1,158, which implies 55% more than in the same month of 2006. Of these, 85.5% did so voluntarily, 7.5% due to mergers and the remaining 7% for other reasons.

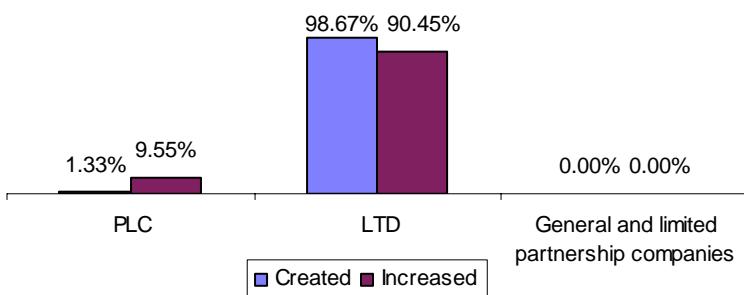
	Total	Variation rate		
		Inter-monthly	Interannual	Interannual accumulated
Mercantile companies created				
Number	11,986	-14.18	-9.22	1.99
Capital subscribed (thousands of euros)	805,876	-42.55	5.29	44.95
Average capital subscribed (euros)	67,235	-33.05	15.98	42.12
Mercantile companies that increased their capital				
Number	3,539	-13.30	2.55	11.88
Capital subscribed (thousands of euros)	3,248,935	-0.94	-22.20	41.10
Average capital subscribed (euros)	918,038	14.26	-24.14	26.12
Mercantile companies dissolved				
Number	1,158	12.43	55.02	23.17
Voluntary	990	16.06	60.98	39.68
Mergers	87	-3.33	24.29	39.83
Others	81	-6.90	30.65	56.52

Private limited companies represent 98.7% of the companies created in June 2007 and 90.5% of those increasing their capital

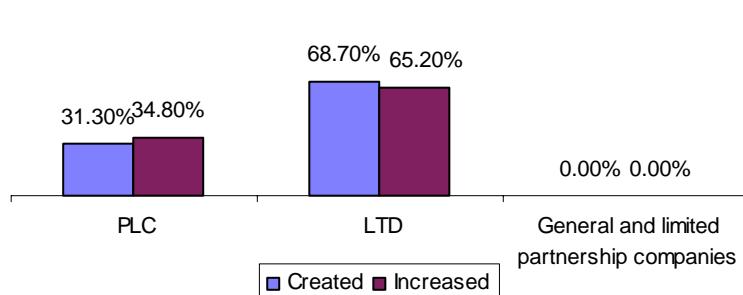
Out of the 11,986 mercantile companies created in the month of June, 98.7% were private limited companies and 1.3% were public limited companies. Out of the 3,539 companies that increased their capital, 90.5% were private limited companies and 9.5% were public limited companies.

68.7% of the capital registered by the mercantile companies created was subscribed by private limited companies and 31.3% by public limited companies. Regarding the capital subscribed in capital increases, 65.2% corresponded to private limited companies and 34.8% to public limited companies.

% of No. of mercantile companies by type of company



% of capital subscribed by type of company



The interannual rate of the number of public limited companies created decreases 30% in June, and that of private limited companies decreases 8.9%. Regarding companies increasing their capital, public limited companies decreased 3.2% and private limited companies increased 3.2%.

The capital subscribed by public limited companies created increased 136.3% with respect to June 2006 and that subscribed by private limited companies decreased 15.9%. Regarding the capital subscribed by companies increasing their capital, there was an decrease of 5.8% in the interannual rate for public limited companies and an decrease of 28.8% for private limited companies.

	Total	Variation rate	
	Inter-monthly	Interannual	
Mercantile companies created			
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	159	-11.67	-29.96
Capital (thousands of euros)	252,219	-39.44	136.31
PRIVATE LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	11,827	-14.21	-8.85
Capital (thousands of euros)	553,658	-43.86	-15.94
Mercantile Companies that increased capital			
PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	338	-7.14	-3.15
Capital (thousands of euros)	1,130,706	8.02	-5.79
PRIVATE LIMITED COMPANIES			
Number	3,201	-13.88	3.19
Capital (thousands of euros)	2,118,229	-5.15	-28.82

La Rioja has the greatest average capital in companies created and Cantabria in those increasing their capital

The Autonomous Community with the greatest average capital subscribed by mercantile companies created in June was La Rioja (247,902 euros). In contrast, Cantabria was the Community with the least average capital subscribed (11,897 euros).

Cantabria had the greatest average capital subscribed by companies increasing their capital (3,456,389 euros) and Castilla-La Mancha had the lowest (203,246 euros).

Andalucía accounts for 35% of the total capital subscribed by the companies created.

Of the total capital subscribed in the creation of mercantile companies in the month of June, Andalucía accounted for the highest percentage (35%). On the other end of the scale was Cantabria (0.1%).

Regarding the total capital subscribed by mercantile companies that increased their capital, Comunidad de Madrid had the highest percentage (29.7%) and La Rioja the lowest (0.2%).

Autonomous Community	Average capital subscribed (euros)		Percentage of capital subscribed	
	Mercantile companies created	Companies that increased their capital	Created	Increased capital
TOTAL	67,235	918,038	100.00%	100.00%
Andalucía	156,828	665,301	34.97%	10.42%
Aragón	116,632	505,892	4.21%	1.45%
Asturias (Principado de)	31,816	449,614	0.73%	0.79%
Balears (Illes)	52,960	1,079,146	2.44%	3.19%
Canarias	18,243	481,320	0.92%	1.90%
Cantabria	11,897	3,456,389	0.13%	1.91%
Castilla y León	41,163	1,460,688	2.39%	5.62%
Castilla-La Mancha	25,594	203,246	1.50%	0.81%
Cataluña	42,488	915,964	11.57%	20.36%
Comunitat Valenciana	35,277	611,520	6.12%	6.98%
Extremadura	31,065	368,865	0.66%	0.42%
Galicia	47,844	319,354	3.42%	1.55%
Madrid (Comunidad de)	71,641	1,211,467	22.04%	29.72%
Murcia (Región de)	63,383	331,038	2.73%	0.80%
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	49,110	1,398,431	0.99%	2.80%
País Vasco	55,905	2,773,930	3.59%	10.93%
Rioja (La)	247,902	347,905	1.57%	0.22%
Ceuta y Melilla	15,273	785,200	0.02%	0.12%

Information by Autonomous Community and Province

(Amount in thousands of euros)

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Province	Companies created		Companies increasing capital		Companies dissolved
	Number	Capital subscribed	Number	Capital subscribed	
TOTAL	11,986	805,876	3,539	3,248,935	1,158
Andalucía	1,797	281,820	509	338,638	168
Almería	147	111,138	36	6,688	19
Cádiz	221	124,002	55	13,882	20
Córdoba	111	4,778	40	123,021	6
Granada	251	9,993	70	18,089	17
Huelva	93	2,933	30	4,750	4
Jaén	111	2,705	30	6,938	10
Málaga	522	13,073	123	83,766	56
Sevilla	341	13,198	125	81,503	36
Aragón	291	33,940	93	47,048	31
Huesca	42	824	18	3,143	3
Teruel	19	12,421	7	624	-
Zaragoza	230	20,696	68	43,280	28
Asturias (Principado de)	185	5,886	57	25,628	25
Balears (Illes)	372	19,701	96	103,598	68
Canarias	407	7,425	128	61,609	33
Palmas (Las)	230	4,217	79	40,050	25
Santa Cruz de Tenerife	177	3,208	49	21,559	8
Cantabria	87	1,035	18	62,215	8
Castilla y León	467	19,223	125	182,586	58
Ávila	32	204	4	328	2
Burgos	76	3,439	16	8,095	9
León	98	3,149	24	64,655	8
Palencia	32	382	4	206	-
Salamanca	55	970	9	14,935	7
Segovia	33	2,396	5	1,368	7
Soria	14	1,446	11	1,475	3
Valladolid	103	6,784	46	91,136	20
Zamora	24	453	6	390	2
Castilla-La Mancha	473	12,106	130	26,422	40
Albacete	104	2,799	35	5,217	15
Ciudad Real	92	1,145	32	4,416	7
Cuenca	73	766	16	2,069	6
Guadalajara	43	274	11	4,478	5
Toledo	161	7,121	36	10,243	7
Cataluña	2,194	93,219	722	661,326	155
Barcelona	1,670	75,821	588	572,858	86
Girona	195	7,196	58	17,977	21
Lleida	154	7,463	26	5,044	15
Tarragona	175	2,739	50	65,447	33

(Conclusion)

Province	Companies created		Companies increasing capital		Companies dissolved
	Number	Capital subscribed	Number	Capital subscribed	
Comunitat Valenciana	1,398	49,317	371	226,874	111
Alicante/Alacant	589	13,286	114	122,938	45
Castellón/Castelló	124	13,850	36	11,944	29
Valencia/València	685	22,181	221	91,993	37
Extremadura	170	5,281	37	13,648	24
Badajoz	101	4,307	21	3,133	10
Cáceres	69	974	16	10,515	14
Galicia	576	27,558	158	50,458	58
Coruña (A)	208	6,247	61	15,217	18
Lugo	59	531	15	3,769	11
Ourense	59	6,072	13	5,642	8
Pontevedra	250	14,708	69	25,830	21
Madrid (Comunidad de)	2,479	177,597	797	965,539	295
Murcia (Región de)	347	21,994	79	26,152	6
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	163	8,005	65	90,898	6
País Vasco	518	28,959	128	355,063	58
Álava	144	1,308	20	30,039	6
Guipúzcoa	109	14,898	31	19,224	25
Vizcaya	265	12,753	77	305,800	27
Rioja (La)	51	12,643	21	7,306	11
Ceuta	7	99	4	1,621	3
Melilla	4	69	1	2,305	-

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Mercantile companies (MC)

June 2007. Provisional Data

MC 1. Set up mercantile companies

Capital in thousand euros

	Total general*			Joint-stock company			Limited liability company		
	Number	Capital Subscribed	Disbursed	Number	Capital Subscribed	Disbursed	Number	Capital Subscribed	Disbursed
TOTAL	11,986	805,876	670,029	159	252,219	116,371	11,827	553,658	553,658
Álava	144	1,308	1,308	2	240	240	142	1,067	1,067
Albacete	104	2,799	2,799	2	122	122	102	2,677	2,677
Alicante/Alacant	589	13,286	13,286	3	242	242	586	13,044	13,044
Almería	147	111,138	3,165	1	108,000	27	146	3,138	3,138
Asturias	185	5,886	5,886	1	100	100	184	5,786	5,786
Ávila	32	204	204	1	60	60	31	144	144
Badajoz	101	4,307	4,307	1	1,000	1,000	100	3,307	3,307
Balears (Illes)	372	19,701	18,356	3	2,720	1,375	369	16,981	16,981
Barcelona	1,670	75,821	75,637	15	1,581	1,397	1,655	74,240	74,240
Burgos	76	3,439	3,439	-	-	-	76	3,439	3,439
Cáceres	69	974	974	-	-	-	69	974	974
Cádiz	221	124,002	123,582	4	680	260	217	123,321	123,321
Cantabria	87	1,035	1,035	-	-	-	87	1,035	1,035
Castellón/Castelló	124	13,850	13,850	-	-	-	124	13,850	13,850
Ciudad Real	92	1,145	1,145	1	69	69	91	1,076	1,076
Córdoba	111	4,778	4,702	3	272	196	108	4,506	4,506
Coruña (A)	208	6,247	6,247	-	-	-	208	6,247	6,247
Cuenca	73	766	721	1	60	15	72	706	706
Girona	195	7,196	7,196	-	-	-	195	7,196	7,196
Granada	251	9,993	9,993	2	260	260	249	9,733	9,733
Guadalajara	43	274	274	-	-	-	43	274	274
Guipúzcoa	109	14,898	14,898	1	2,000	2,000	108	12,898	12,898
Huelva	93	2,933	2,933	-	-	-	93	2,933	2,933
Huesca	42	824	824	1	180	180	41	644	644
Jaén	111	2,705	2,330	1	500	125	110	2,205	2,205
León	98	3,149	3,149	-	-	-	98	3,149	3,149
Lleida	154	7,463	7,463	-	-	-	154	7,463	7,463
Lugo	59	531	531	-	-	-	59	531	531
Madrid	2,479	177,597	171,545	55	89,273	83,221	2,424	88,324	88,324
Málaga	522	13,073	13,073	2	126	126	520	12,946	12,946
Murcia	347	21,994	21,949	3	6,060	6,015	344	15,934	15,934
Navarra	163	8,005	4,925	2	4,460	1,381	161	3,544	3,544
Ourense	59	6,072	6,027	2	260	215	57	5,812	5,812
Palencia	32	382	382	-	-	-	32	382	382
Palmas (Las)	230	4,217	4,217	3	1,124	1,124	227	3,093	3,093
Pontevedra	250	14,708	14,661	5	2,798	2,752	245	11,910	11,910
Rioja (La)	51	12,643	12,643	-	-	-	51	12,643	12,643
Salamanca	55	970	970	-	-	-	55	970	970
S. C. Tenerife	177	3,208	3,208	1	60	60	176	3,147	3,147
Segovia	33	2,396	2,396	-	-	-	33	2,396	2,396
Sevilla	341	13,198	11,409	26	2,510	722	315	10,688	10,688
Soria	14	1,446	696	1	1,000	250	13	446	446
Tarragona	175	2,739	2,739	-	-	-	175	2,739	2,739
Teruel	19	12,421	3,421	1	12,000	3,000	18	421	421
Toledo	161	7,121	7,076	3	2,120	2,075	158	5,001	5,001
Valencia/València	685	22,181	22,135	4	243	196	681	21,938	21,938
Valladolid	103	6,784	6,784	1	60	60	102	6,724	6,724
Vizcaya	265	12,753	12,753	3	5,574	5,574	262	7,179	7,179
Zamora	24	453	453	1	300	300	23	153	153
Zaragoza	230	20,696	16,166	3	6,160	1,630	227	14,535	14,535
Ceuta	7	99	99	-	-	-	7	99	99
Melilla	4	69	69	-	-	-	4	69	69

* The total general includes collective societies and limited partnership

MC 2. Mercantile companies that increase capital and are dissolved

Subscribed capital in thousand euros

Provinces	Increase capital				Dissolved					
	Total general *		Joint-stock comp.		Limited-liab. comp.		Total		Volun-	Merg-
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Number	Number	Others
TOTAL	3,539	3,248,935	338	1,130,706	3,201	2,118,229	1,158	990	87	81
Álava	20	30,039	6	20,540	14	9,499	6	5	-	1
Albacete	35	5,217	1	120	34	5,096	15	11	3	1
Alicante/Alacant	114	122,938	8	100,837	106	22,101	45	39	2	4
Almería	36	6,688	2	1,227	34	5,462	19	17	2	-
Asturias	57	25,628	7	1,764	50	23,864	25	24	-	1
Ávila	4	328	-	-	4	328	2	2	-	-
Badajoz	21	3,133	2	1,600	19	1,533	10	10	-	-
Balears (Illes)	96	103,598	11	8,173	85	95,425	68	58	8	2
Barcelona	588	572,858	66	208,613	522	364,245	86	52	-	34
Burgos	16	8,095	2	1,461	14	6,634	9	9	-	-
Cáceres	16	10,515	2	5,432	14	5,083	14	13	-	1
Cádiz	55	13,882	3	509	52	13,373	20	20	-	-
Cantabria	18	62,215	2	390	16	61,825	8	8	-	-
Castellón/Castelló	36	11,944	3	3,367	33	8,577	29	28	-	1
Ciudad Real	32	4,416	2	724	30	3,692	7	7	-	-
Córdoba	40	123,021	5	13,283	35	109,738	6	5	-	1
Coruña (A)	61	15,217	2	1,210	59	14,007	18	15	2	1
Cuenca	16	2,069	-	-	16	2,069	6	5	1	-
Girona	58	17,977	4	619	54	17,357	21	21	-	-
Granada	70	18,089	2	417	68	17,672	17	12	-	5
Guadalajara	11	4,478	-	-	11	4,478	5	5	-	-
Guipúzcoa	31	19,224	4	6,445	27	12,779	25	16	8	1
Huelva	30	4,750	3	251	27	4,499	4	4	-	-
Huesca	18	3,143	-	-	18	3,143	3	2	-	1
Jaén	30	6,938	1	1,881	29	5,057	10	10	-	-
León	24	64,655	5	62,043	19	2,612	8	6	1	1
Lleida	26	5,044	3	93	23	4,951	15	10	2	3
Lugo	15	3,769	1	931	14	2,838	11	11	-	-
Madrid	797	965,539	91	187,989	706	777,550	295	266	25	4
Málaga	123	83,766	6	7,789	117	75,977	56	56	-	-
Murcia	79	26,152	7	1,779	72	24,373	6	4	-	2
Navarra	65	90,898	10	59,550	55	31,348	6	5	1	-
Ourense	13	5,642	1	4,499	12	1,143	8	6	2	-
Palencia	4	206	-	-	4	206	-	-	-	-
Palmas (Las)	79	40,050	5	14,843	74	25,206	25	22	3	-
Pontevedra	69	25,830	6	9,008	63	16,822	21	19	2	-
Rioja (La)	21	7,306	7	1,018	14	6,288	11	6	1	4
Salamanca	9	14,935	1	13,600	8	1,335	7	7	-	-
S. C. Tenerife	49	21,559	6	6,177	43	15,383	8	8	-	-
Segovia	5	1,368	1	1,187	4	181	7	5	2	-
Sevilla	125	81,503	9	26,218	116	55,285	36	35	-	1
Soria	11	1,475	1	30	10	1,445	3	3	-	-
Tarragona	50	65,447	1	60	49	65,387	33	29	1	3
Teruel	7	624	-	-	7	624	-	-	-	-
Toledo	36	10,243	2	413	34	9,830	7	3	3	1
Valencia/València	221	91,993	12	14,330	209	77,663	37	24	7	6
Valladolid	46	91,136	2	49,500	44	41,636	20	19	1	-
Vizcaya	77	305,800	15	287,264	62	18,536	27	22	4	1
Zamora	6	390	-	-	6	390	2	2	-	-
Zaragoza	68	43,280	8	3,524	60	39,756	28	21	6	1
Ceuta	4	1,621	-	-	4	1,621	3	3	-	-
Melilla	1	2,305	-	-	1	2,305	-	-	-	-

* The total general includes collective societies and limited partnership

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

Capital in thousand euros

	Disburs. of install. paym. on sub. shares		Reduce capital	
	Number	Disbursed capital	Number	Subscribed capital
TOTAL	111	153,939	482	541,948
Andalucía	11	6,408	54	19,072
Aragón	4	24,587	12	1,514
Asturias (Principado de)	2	1,668	5	35
Balears (Illes)	-	-	14	2,910
Canarias	4	9,387	11	2,101
Cantabria	1	150	3	821
Castilla y León	6	14,456	13	13,699
Castilla-La Mancha	-	-	11	1,312
Cataluña	26	68,700	116	65,583
Comunitat Valenciana	8	2,629	44	63,193
Extremadura	1	45	4	319
Galicia	3	7,855	18	2,207
Madrid (Comunidad de)	34	12,917	124	330,572
Murcia (Región de)	1	45	11	3,987
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	2	1,546	5	4,232
País Vasco	7	2,844	29	24,954
Rioja (La)	1	701	6	1,428
Ceuta y Melilla	-	-	2	4,009

MC 4. Set up companies by categories of companies

Subscribed capital in thousand pesetas

		Total		Mercantile companies		Labour joint-stock company		Special companies and other agencies	
		Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital
2006	JUNE	13,256	774,962	13,203	765,360	6	2,683	47	6,919
	JULY	11,043	743,168	11,010	742,274	1	68	32	826
	AUGUST	10,076	596,517	10,047	595,117	4	482	25	918
	SEPTEMBER	10,325	703,067	10,262	681,523	6	411	57	21,133
	OCTOBER	11,453	689,823	11,417	686,313	2	214	34	3,296
	NOVEMBER	12,662	1,097,398	12,622	793,638	1	81	39	303,679
	DECEMBER	10,503	1,389,231	10,476	1,386,508	4	256	23	2,467
2007	JANUARY	14,931	2,621,768	14,888	2,613,977	2	93	41	7,698
	FEBRUARY	14,280	1,703,625	14,240	1,701,533	-	-	40	2,091
	MARCH	16,102	900,587	16,061	899,975	1	64	40	548
	APRIL	12,413	784,704	12,374	734,246	4	357	35	50,101
	MAY	14,023	1,948,323	13,967	1,402,735	-	-	56	545,588
	JUNE	12,023	807,113	11,986	805,876	4	365	33	872

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