

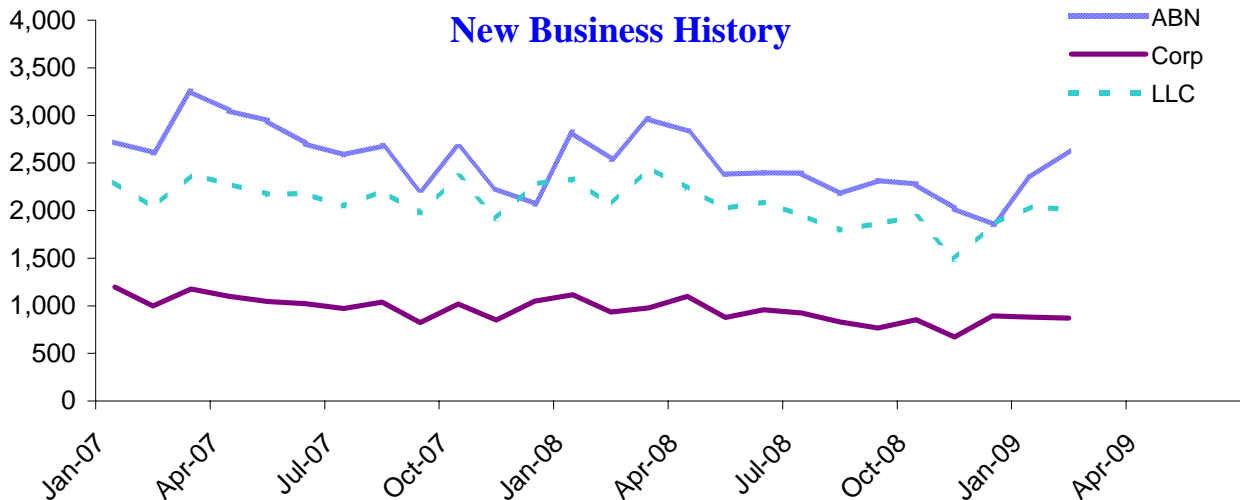


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State Kate Brown

New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
New Oregon Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	871	880	935	-6.8%
Assumed Business Names	2,631	2,348	2,541	3.5%
Limited Liability Companies	2,013	2,041	2,058	-2.2%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	18	15	21	-14.3%
Business Registry Total	5,533	5,284	5,555	-0.4%



Total Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Oregon Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	124,355	124,494	125,252	-0.7%
Assumed Business Names	144,008	144,275	145,938	-1.3%
Limited Liability Companies	111,752	111,121	103,782	7.7%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	3,764	3,796	3,953	-4.8%
Business Registry Total	383,879	383,686	378,925	1.3%

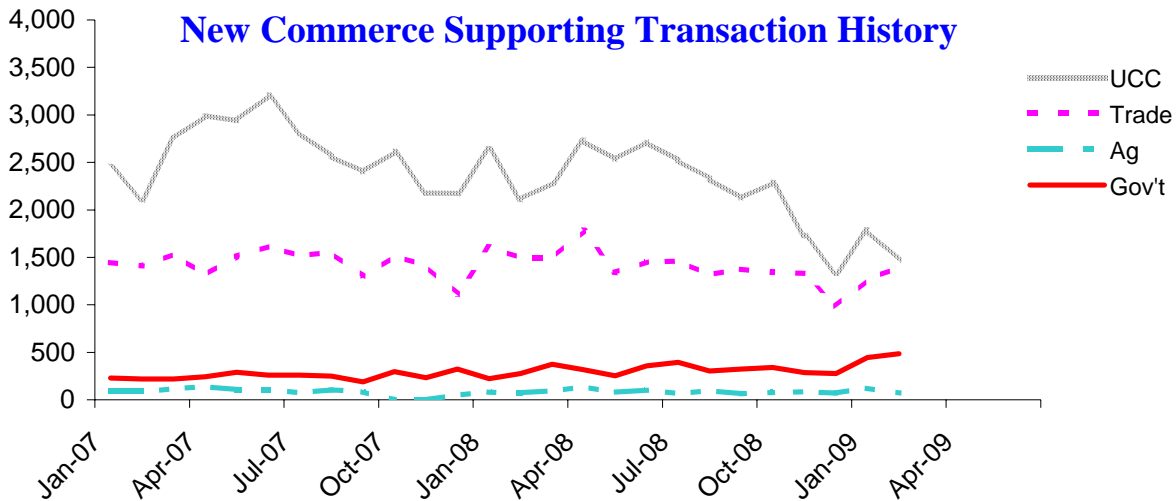


UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	1,468	1,786	2,109	-30.4%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	72	121	73	-1.4%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	485	446	276	75.7%
Other Liens *	3	2	5	-40.0%
Secured Transaction Total	2,028	2,355	2,463	-17.7%
Notary Authentications for International Trade	1,394	1,268	1,493	-6.6%



Total Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	158,204	159,284	161,227	-1.9%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	4,811	4,896	5,002	-3.8%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	16,517	16,173	14,569	13.4%
Other Liens *	343	343	318	7.9%
Secured Transaction Total	179,875	180,696	181,116	-0.7%
Commissioned Notaries Public	46,666	46,760	48,189	-3.2%

* Other Liens include: Transmitting Utility, Hazardous Waste and Public Finance