

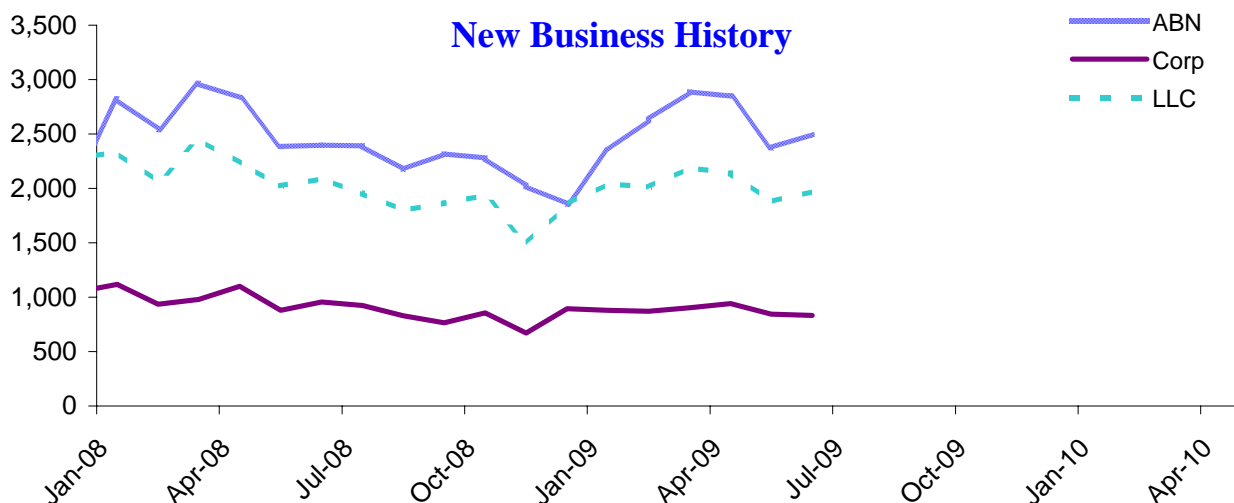


Business Report

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)	831	844	957	-13.2%
Assumed Business Names	2,496	2,373	2,397	4.1%
Limited Liability Companies	1,972	1,880	2,089	-5.6%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	14	12	21	-33.3%
Business Registry Total	5,313	5,109	5,464	-2.8%



Total Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Oregon Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	123,914	123,878	125,480	-1.2%
Assumed Business Names	142,443	142,658	145,462	-2.1%
Limited Liability Companies	113,281	112,828	107,646	5.2%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	3,734	3,733	3,937	-5.2%
Business Registry Total	383,372	383,097	382,525	0.2%

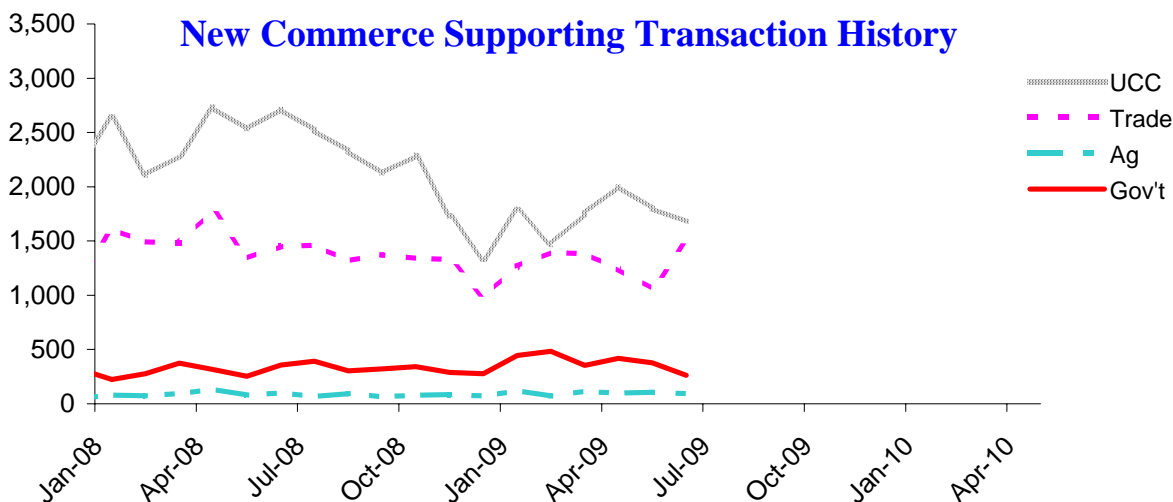


UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	1,678	1,799	2,717	-38.2%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	95	107	100	-5.0%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	263	377	358	-26.5%
Other Liens *	3	4	4	-25.0%
Secured Transaction Total	2,039	2,287	3,179	-35.9%
Notary Authentications for International Trade	1,492	1,057	1,452	2.8%



Total Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	153,734	155,565	160,988	-4.5%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	4,685	4,683	5,036	-7.0%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	17,431	17,232	14,929	16.8%
Other Liens *	347	346	338	2.7%
Secured Transaction Total	176,197	177,826	181,291	-2.8%
Commissioned Notaries Public	46,093	46,233	47,638	-3.2%

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