

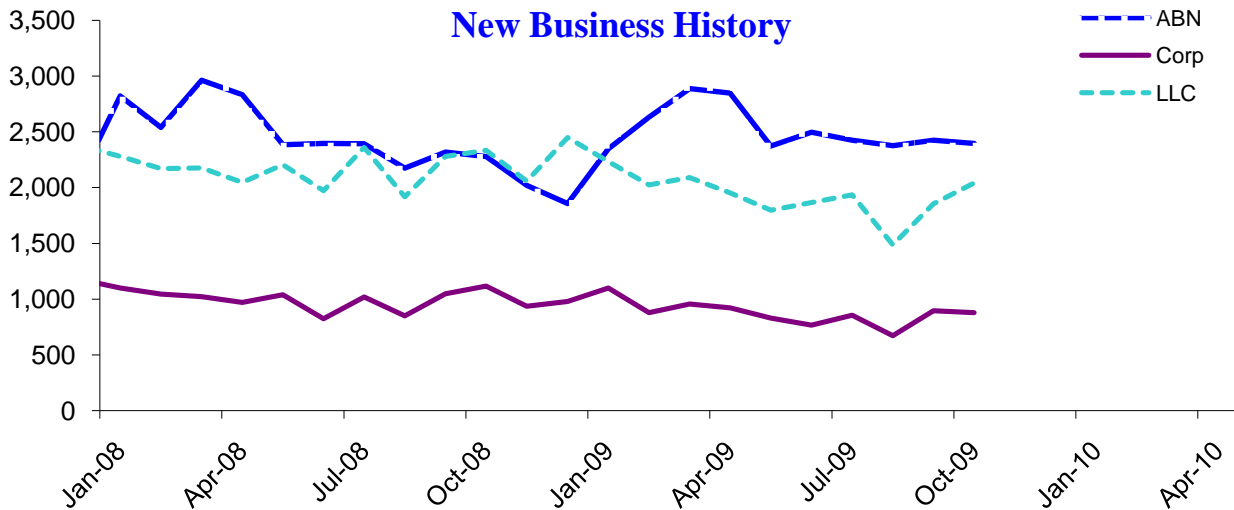


Business Report

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)	766	838	855	-10.4%
Assumed Business Names	2,396	2,425	2,279	5.1%
Limited Liability Companies	1,930	1,892	1,934	-0.2%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	23	14	11	109.1%
Business Registry Total	5,115	5,169	5,079	0.7%



Total Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Oregon Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	123,158	123,443	125,121	-1.6%
Assumed Business Names	141,204	141,827	144,796	-2.5%
Limited Liability Companies	114,725	114,318	110,008	4.3%
Limited Liability Partnerships/Limited Partnerships	3,708	3,717	3,870	-4.2%
Business Registry Total	382,795	383,305	383,795	-0.3%

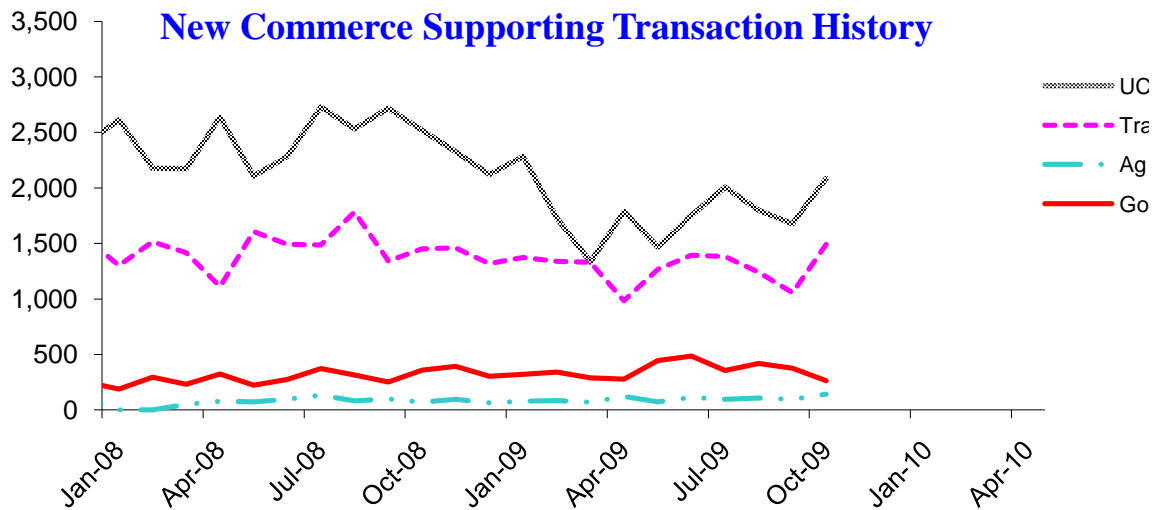


UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	1,801	1,670	2,284	-21.1%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	128	81	78	64.1%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	391	344	342	14.3%
Other Liens *	3	4	2	50.0%
Secured Transaction Total	2,323	2,099	2,706	-14.2%
Notary Authentications for International Trade	1,253	1,102	1,340	-6.5%



Total Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	154,536	154,908	159,433	-3.1%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	5,282	5,219	4,843	9.1%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	18,230	17,900	15,579	17.0%
Other Liens *	350	347	338	3.6%
Secured Transaction Total	178,398	178,374	180,193	-1.0%
Commissioned Notaries Public	44,692	45,141	47,211	-5.3%

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