

Enterprise creation - October 2013

Decrease in business start-ups in October 2013

Warning: From September 2013 data onwards, the seasonal and working-day adjustment model has been modified, for monthly business start-up data. Previously, only the time series for business set-ups excluding self-managed enterprises were seasonally adjusted. The self-managed enterprises time series were too short to be properly deseasonalized. From now on, the self-managed enterprises time series are seasonaly adjusted on the self-managed enterprises time series in the sectors of "Financial and insurance activities", "Real estate" and "Trade, transport, accommodation and catering", the raw data are similar to seasonally adjusted data, due to a low number of registrations and difficulty identifying a seasonal trend.

In October 2013, the number of business start-ups weakened compared to September: -0.7% for business setting up seasonally and working-day adjusted data (sa-wda) including self-managed enterprises. The decrease in self-managed enterprises is partly balanced by business start-ups excluding self-managed enterprises +1.9% (sa-wda).

-1.6% year-on-year (quarterly basis)

The amount of entries added up in the last quarter decreased compared to the same quarter one year before (-1.6%).

The sectors that most contributed to that decrease were construction, household services and business support activities.

-4.3% year-on-year (twelve months basis)

During the last twelve months, the number of business start-ups decreased by 4.3% year-on-year.

More than one creation out of two is a selfmanaged enterprise

In October 2013, 51.6% businesses sets up were selfmanaged enterprises.

business set-ups distribution by type %

	Raw data moving total over 12 month				
	Aug. 2013	Sept. 2013	Oct. 2013		
Companies	29.4	29.4	29.4		
Individual enterprises	18.0	18.5	18.9		
Self-managed business	52.5	52.2	51.6		
Source: INSEE (Sirene)					

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Business start-ups



* Seasonally and working-day adjusted data Source: INSEE (Sirene)

Business set-ups by month

	July 2013	Aug. 2013	Sept. 2013	Oct. 2013
Excl. self-managed enterprises (sa-wda *) Variation [m-o-m] %	21 811 -0.7	21 835 0.1	22 109 1.3	22 529 1.9
Incl., self-managed enterprises Variation [m-o-m] %	44 666 0.5	43 928 -1.7	46 008 4.7	45 676 -0.7

* Seasonally and working-day adjusted data Source: INSEE (Sirene)

business start-ups by type

			Raw data		
	Moving total % change*		Moving total	Moving total	
	over 3 months	over 12 months	January- October 2013	January- October 2012	
Total	-1.6	-4.3	456 370	469 751	
Companies	0.3	-3.0	132 647	134 151	
Individual enterprises Of which self-managed	-2.3 -10.7	-4.9 -11.5	323 723 234 753	335 600 265 144	

* Total of business start-ups during the last 3 or 12 months compared with the same months a year earlier

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