

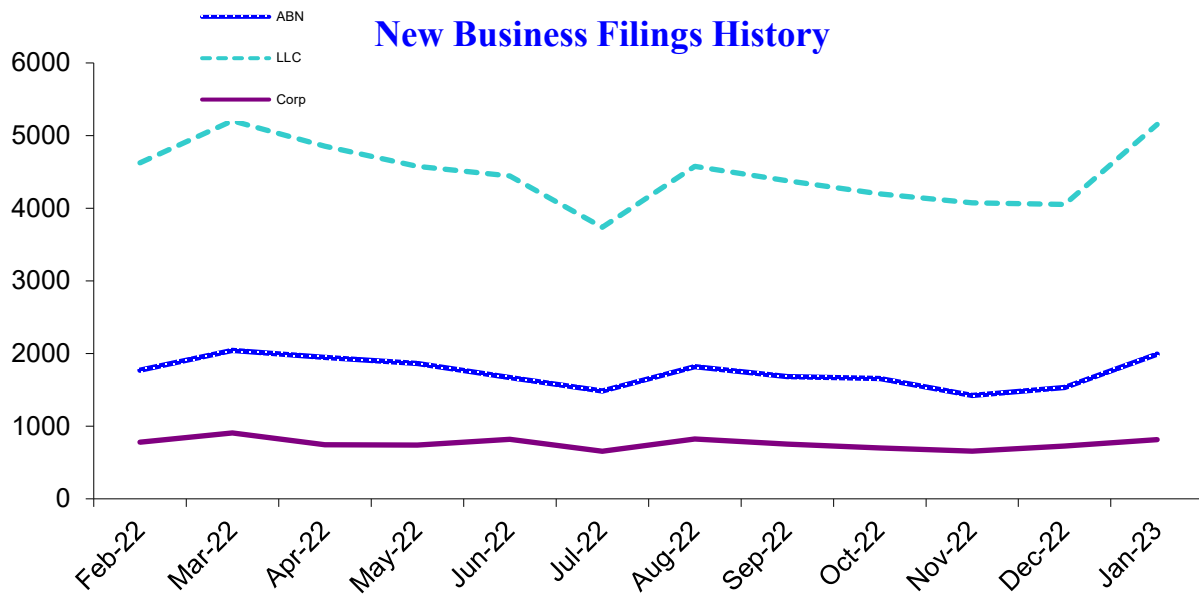


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State Shemia Fagan

New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	1,989	1,532	2,171	-8.4%
Limited Liability Companies	5,153	4,051	5,307	-2.9%
Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	815	727	643	26.7%
Business Registry Total	7,957	6,310	8,121	-2.0%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	132,284	125,948	128,599	2.9%
Limited Liability Companies	275,707	272,741	258,322	6.7%
Corporations	119,523	117,209	117,474	1.7%
Other	2,879	2,696	2,847	1.1%
Business Registry Total	530,393	518,594	507,242	4.6%



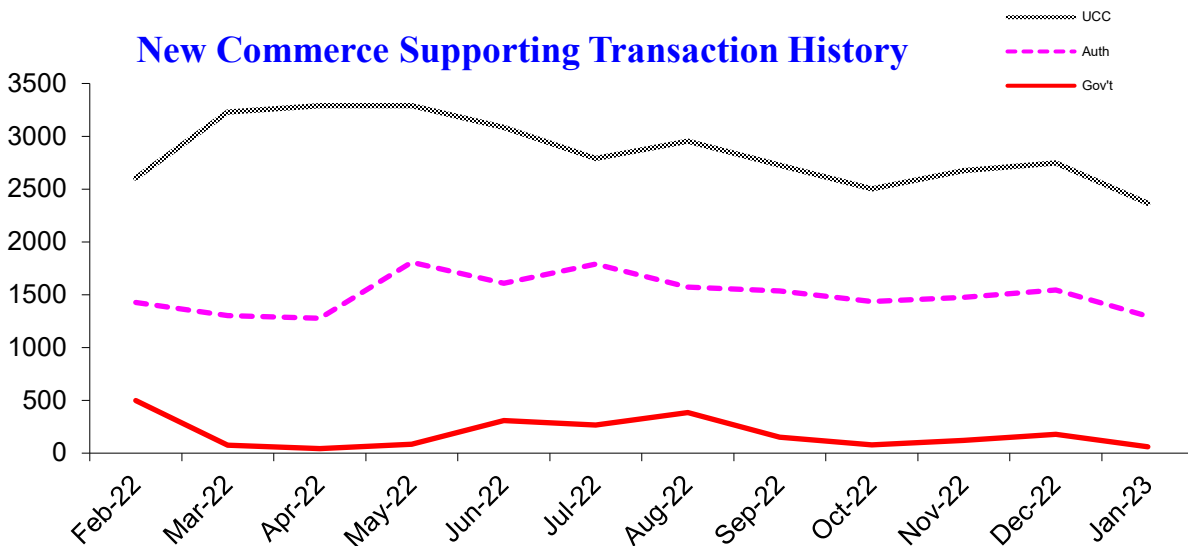
UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	2,365	2,747	2,701	-12.4%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	37	28	40	-7.5%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	60	177	78	-23.1%
Secured Transactions	2,462	2,952	2,819	-12.7%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,296	1,546	1,141	13.6%

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	179,912	181,795	175,652	2.4%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,380	3,420	3,624	-6.7%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	12,802	12,945	14,726	-13.1%
Secured Transactions	196,094	198,160	194,002	1.1%
Commissioned Notaries Public	39,595	39,738	39,929	-0.8%
Active RON Notaries	457	447	--	--
Active IPEN Notaries	53	53	--	--