

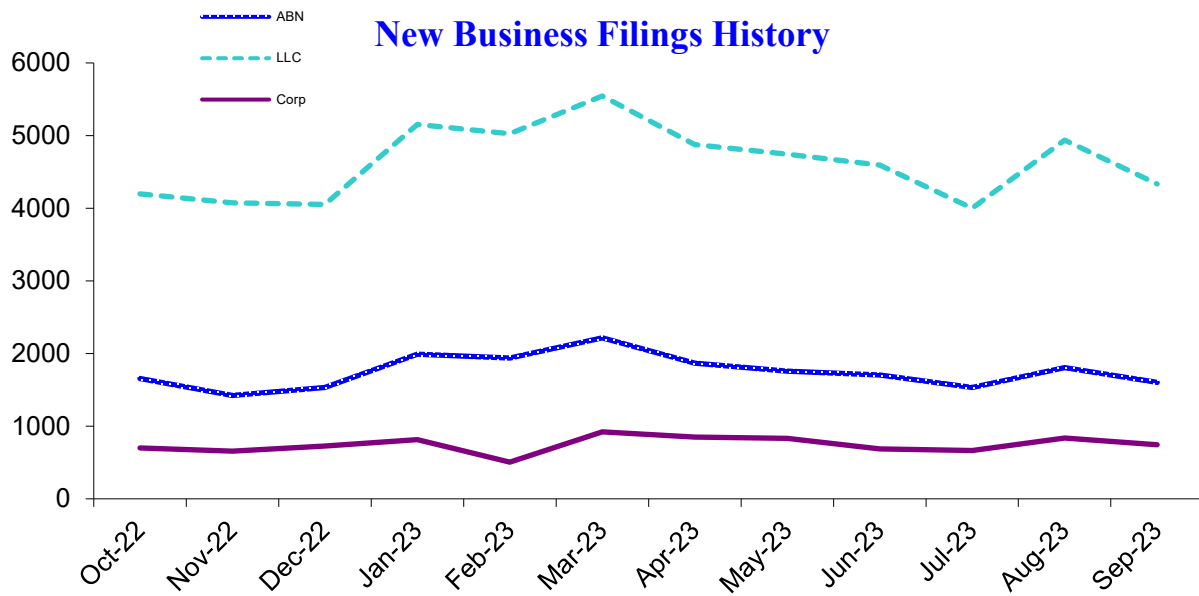


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State LaVonne Griffin-Valade

New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	1,602	1,807	1,684	-4.9%
Limited Liability Companies	4,335	4,939	4,378	-1.0%
Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	743	837	755	-1.6%
Business Registry Total	6,680	7,583	6,817	-2.0%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	119,914	120,079	121,793	-1.5%
Limited Liability Companies	280,763	279,683	259,825	8.1%
Corporations	116,264	116,226	114,965	1.1%
Other	2,739	2,746	2,783	-1.6%
Business Registry Total	519,680	518,734	499,366	4.1%



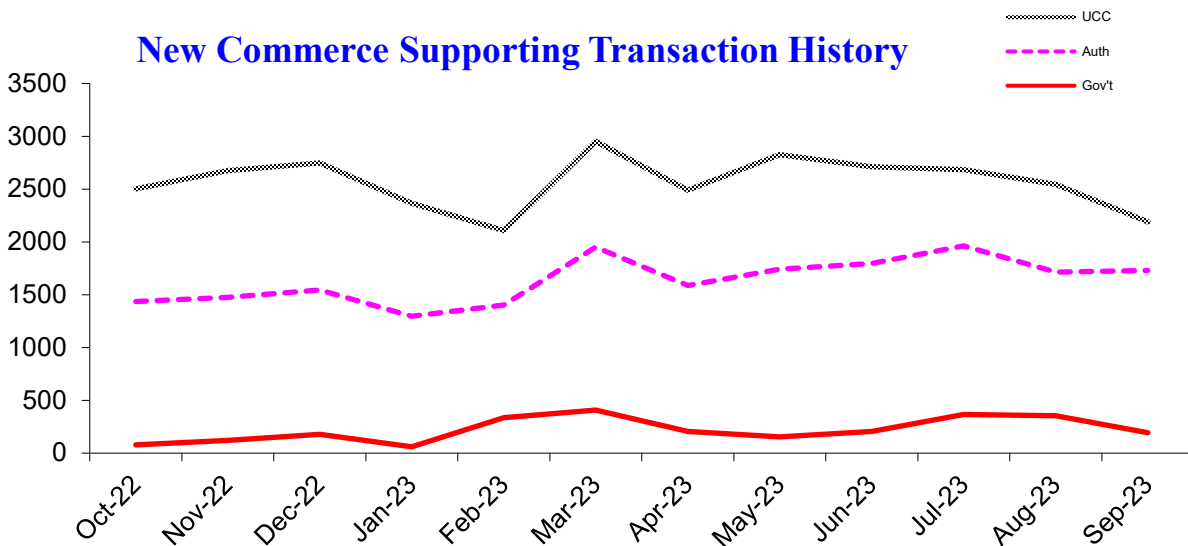
UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	2,189	2,543	2,726	-19.7%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	29	27	26	11.5%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	192	354	151	27.2%
Secured Transactions	2,410	2,924	2,903	-17.0%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,728	1,713	1,535	12.6%

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	183,862	183,774	176,529	4.2%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,362	3,359	3,394	-0.9%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	17,064	12,249	12,982	31.4%
Secured Transactions	204,288	199,382	192,905	5.9%
Commissioned Notaries Public	39,606	39,595	39,628	-0.1%
Active RON Notaries	622	607	419	44.9%
Active IPEN Notaries	84	84	43	95.3%