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Combilift

Combilift, manufacturers of customised material handling solutions, was founded in 1998 in Monaghan by Robert Moffett & Martin McVicar. Twenty-three years later, they manufacture over 60,000 machines and employ 650 people, whilst supporting an extensive network of Irish suppliers.



Kingspan Insulation Ltd

Kingspan Insulation have been supplying home insulation and commercial insulation throughout Ireland for over 40 years, offering a range of optimum performance insulation that achieve the thermal performance demands of any project.

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Kingscourt Brick Ltd

Kingscourt Brick, with a heritage spanning over 100 years of brick making, manufactures a diverse range of clay facing bricks to suit all client's needs. Kingscourt Brick continue to uphold a cherished heritage utilising cutting-edge technology to produce quality Irish Made Clay Products.



KORE Insulation

KORE Insulation is an award-winning manufacturer of high-quality EPS products for construction industry. KORE is a well-established manufacturer with nationwide coverage who can deliver best in class, bespoke insulation solutions to the building and construction industry.



Thorntons Recycling

Thorntons Recycling, founded in 1979, has become a leading waste management company through the provision of waste collection, recycling and recovery services to Dublin, Meath, Kildare, and Wicklow. They maintain an impressive recycling rate of more than 90%, ensuring waste is recycled or reused as alternative fuel source.



Ballymaloe Foods

Ballymaloe Foods is a family-run business which prides itself on using top-quality ingredients to create delicious additions to every dish. Beginning with the Original Ballymaloe Relish, their product offering has since expanded to include relishes, dressings, sauces, and other condiments.



Frank and Honest

Frank and Honest Gourmet Coffee Company was established in 2016 with the objective of delivering a top-quality takeaway coffee offering in Centra and SuperValu stores. Today, their coffee is offered in 683 stores, 2 stand alone cafes and in-store cafes.



Clonakilty Food Co

Clonakilty Food Co is a family business passionate about bringing great tasting products into homes across Ireland and beyond. Clonakilty's Black pudding recipe was inherited by Edward Twomey whose passion made it a household name. Today, they have an extensive range of breakfast offerings and continue to stay true uncompromising principles.



Hope Beer

Founded in 2015, Hope Beer produces premium craft beer from its brewery at Hope Junction on Dublin's Northside. Employing 8 people and holding strong roots in the local community, Hope Beer has expanded its capacity to brew and package all their beer on site, and maintain a strong market presence.



Rivesci Ltd

Co-Founders Shannon Forrest and Declan Malone successfully launched their food truck in the off-peak season and experienced great success. After trading at many festivals and markets, Rivesci wished to set up a more permanent basis in Clonmel and pivoted to become full-time condiment makers.



Clintons Crisps

Loughbarn Farms was set up in 2017 with the view to produce Clintons Hand Cooked Artisan Crisps. Built on 7th generation farming expertise and extensive collective experience in the crisp and snack industry, the company started trading in August 2018 and manufactures their products in Ashbourne, Co. Meath.



I Love Shopping Group (Beauty Features Ltd)

Since its formation in 2009, I Love Shopping Group has built a substantial customer base becoming the perfect online destination for luxury haircare & skincare products. The group operates across skincare, haircare, cosmetics, health, wellbeing, fertility & parenting sectors direct from their warehouse in Bray.



Homevalue

Smyth's Homevalue

Situated on Rafter Street, Smyth's Homevalue has been in the hands of the Kavanagh family since 1979 and is a decorative, quaint store befitting of Enniscorthy's rich character. Smyth's Homevalue provide hardware & DIY products and pride themselves on their hard-working staff.



Harvey Norman



Celtic Tweed

Celtic Tweed is a unique Irish company whose master craftspeople design and manufacture handmade tweed & linen garments. A preference for traditional craftsmanship through hand-cutting and sewing each creation truly embraces the superior quality and finish of all their designs.



VivaGreen

VivaGreen was founded in 1992 and is a world leader in the research and development of biodegradable, chemical-free, plastic-free, recycled, and circular economy products and is committed to producing environmentally friendly products of the highest quality.



Killeen Engineering Ltd

Killeen Engineering are a family business based in Enfield in county Meath, who fabricate, fit, and automate bespoke gates and automation in homes all over Ireland. Owned by Father and Son, Ben and Des Killeen, it was incorporated in 2014 and has since grown to a team of 23 staff across multiple roles.



Gardiner Family Apothecary

Since 1934, Gardiner Family Apothecary combine expertise in traditional formulations with the latest dermatological advances to provide expert, cruelty-free, safe sensitive skincare. Currently, they employ 82 staff in Dundalk and have supported four generations of Irish jobs.

Matheson



Revive Active

Daithí O'Connor founded Revive Active in 2011 and has driven the company's growth with a team of experts in science, nutrition, manufacturing & logistics, sales & marketing and R&D. The super supplement range enriches people's lives by offering high quality ingredients in a powder form for quicker absorption when diluted and taken as a drink.



Janssen (Johnson and Johnson)

Janssen is the pharmaceutical company of Johnson & Johnson, the world's most broadly-based manufacturer of health care products, as well as a service provider for the consumer, pharmaceutical, and medical devices markets. Johnson & Johnson employs over 5,000 people in Ireland across sites in Limerick, Galway, Cork and Dublin.

Resilience

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Resilience was formed in 2011 to Enhance the Quality of People's Lives in health and social care in Ireland. Founded by Clare man, Brian Crowley with only two employees, they have grown to employ staff supporting 300 service users and families nationwide. Resilience have offices in Clare, Cork, Dublin and Wexford.



Call Pal

Call Pal, launched in 2017, has become one of Ireland's leading Telephone Answering companies, providing support to hundreds of companies nationwide. Call Pal take pride in delivering a first-class service to clients, including solicitors, accountants, online shops, builders, and government departments, to mention a few.



Career Decisions Ireland Ltd.

Career Decisions is an award-winning firm which specialises in Career Transition Coaching and Executive and Leadership Coaching with a team of 35 people across Ireland. Career Decisions provides Executive and Leadership coaching to multinationals and public sector organisations nationwide.



LIA

LIA is today recognised as the center of excellence for the education and development of finance professionals. Under the guidance of a diverse and highly skilled Board of Directors, a team of 22 staff work on their 11,500+ members' behalf to provide access to lifelong learning, both on a professional and personal basis.



Manguard Plus Limited

Manguard Plus is a privately owned Irish security company formed in 1996 and is a market leader in the provision of security services in Ireland. Employing over 1,050 staff on nationwide contracts, Manguard has a fleet of over 60 patrol and alarm response vehicles.



Sunshine 106.8

Sunshine 106.8 is an independent commercial music radio station for Dublin City & County. The station broadcasts an easy listening blend of songs targeted at a 35+ adult listener. Hourly news and information bulletins are broadcast featuring stories relevant to Dublin listeners and is positioned as 'Dublin's Easy Place to Relax'.



EC Precision Ltd

EC Precision is a high-end manufacturing company who deliver precisely engineered machine components to multiple industries such as electronic device, medical device, food & beverage and more. With only 4 staff, they have tapped into the biggest multinational companies in Ireland and exceed quality standards.



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Grown Forest Ltd

Grown Forest started when the founders of Grown Clothing decided to plant a Native Irish tree in Irish soil for every garment they created. Grown Forest is a joined-up collection of land sweeps all over Ireland owned outright and used for reforestation to offer opportunities to Corporates and Communities to lessen the effects of Climate Change.



Big Red Cloud

Big Red Cloud specialises in developing simple and easy to use Accounting, Bookkeeping and Payroll software. They enable small business owner's access to their accounts online and provide free access to their Accountant. In business for 28 years and 100% Irish owned, Big Red Cloud bring an expertise unparalleled to their 75,000 customer base.



Kelsius

Kelsius is a native Irish Tech company based in the Donegal Gaeltacht. Founded in 2003, Kelsius has risen to become the market leader in supplying Temperature Monitoring and Digital HACCP solutions to the Food and Life Sciences Industries. At home, Kelsius now have over 1000 customers in Ireland with 70 people employed.

FCR MEDIA

FCR Media Ireland

FCR Media offers a range of solutions to enable Irish businesses to reach, engage, sell, and retain customers online. Through 50 years of connecting buyers to sellers across Ireland, FCR Media locally based support teams are available to customers through every step of their journey.



Intact

Founded in 1992, Intact is a business management and ERP software and services company where product development, consultancy and support are carried out locally. Their 180+ intact team members are focused on delivering perfect-fit solutions for 2,500+ customers.



Applegreen

Applegreen has grown year on year, since its formation in 1992 to now operate in 129 forecourt sites and employs approximately 2,595 people across Ireland. Over 25 years, Applegreen's success has been earned through quality retail and value offerings, including their low fuel prices and 100% traceable and quality assured fuel.

Blarney Woollen Mills

Standing since 1823, the Blarney Woollen Mills owned by the Kelleher family thrives as the largest Irish store in the world, selling luxury Irish goods and exclusively designed Irish knits to customers both from home and abroad. The indomitable spirit of founder Christy lives on in Freda Hayes his daughter, and CEO of the company.



Original Irish Hotels

Original Irish Hotels are a collection of 56 unique, owner-run hotels, located in Ireland's most outstanding destinations. Each of these boutique hotels, castles, manor, and country houses, are run by local. Across their restaurants and bars, breakfast rooms and kitchens, there's a provenance and a quality that you simply won't find elsewhere.



SuperValu

SuperValu is Ireland's leading food retailer, with 223 stores nationwide serving over 2.6 million customers every week. Together with its retail partners, SuperValu employs approximately 14,500 colleagues, making it one of the State's largest private-sector employers.