Introduction to the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme

About BRCGS
BRCGS publish a series of Standards that cover Food Safety, Packaging Materials, Storage and Distribution, Agents and Brokers, Consumer Products, Retail, Gluten-Free and START!, covering the full supply chain. These guarantee the standardisation of quality, safety and operational criteria and ensure that manufacturers fulfil their legal obligations and provide protection for the end consumer. BRCGS are now often a fundamental requirement of leading retailers who use the Standards as part of their brand protection processes.

About the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme
At BRCGS, we believe in the strength and power of relationships, which is why we’ve introduced the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme for third party suppliers to help you increase your sales leads and grow revenues. The programme gives you an opportunity to promote your goods and services to our 28,500 certificated sites worldwide, covering manufacturers and companies in the food, packaging, storage and distribution, agents and brokers, consumer products and retail sectors. In addition, you’ll be reaching the 35,000+ monthly visitors to our websites, who include manufacturers, retailers, food service companies, consultants, specifiers, and government and regulatory officials.

To ensure the best results, the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme only partners with forward-thinking companies that provide first-class products or services relevant to our global audience.

How does the Programme work?
• You register with the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme and pay a £2,000 annual fee.
• Information about your products and services, along with links to your website and contact details, are added to our BRCGS Partner Connection Programme catalogue in the Partner Organisations section of the BRCGS website.
• Your company is introduced to all BRCGS certificated sites with a short editorial feature in one of our quarterly BRCGS newsletters.
• You benefit from our email marketing and social media promotion of the BRCGS Partner Connection Programme, and receive the ‘In partnership with BRCGS’ logo for use on websites and marketing materials.

To find out more and to discuss this opportunity please contact Nigel Scott, Head of Marketing, on +44 (0)20 3931 8146 or email: nigel.scott@brcgs.com.
Activate Lubricants are the only company in the UK to focus 100% on foodgrade lubricants

We supply many of the UK’s leading food manufacturers with foodsafe oils, greases and aerosols for all manner of production applications. Our range of lubricant systems have been developed to tackle the full range of challenges faced by the various sectors of the food industry as well as packaging, pharmaceutical and cosmetic companies that are required to use NSF registered products in the production process.

Our fully synthetic lubricants are of the highest quality and consistency and our experienced team work with you to meet and exceed the relevant food safety regulations associated with audits. Our systemised ‘right first time’ approach reduces the risk of misapplication, thus protecting against the possibility of product recall which could ultimately lead to brand damage.

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Optimising your Triple-P (Productivity, Presentation and Profitability) through high performance adhesives

Since our beginnings in 1994, the company has enjoyed strong year on year growth to where we are today — bringing food contact approved adhesives to global markets. How? Through blending cutting-edge adhesive technologies with time-proven business values. All wrapped up in a culture of continuous improvement to ensure that quality is owned, monitored and improved over time.

We are a high-growth, dynamic company with many customers in the food and beverage industry located all over the globe. Continuous improvement and strong relationships remain the cornerstones of our business as we position ourselves for future growth.

It takes imagination, experience and a lot of R&D to solve problems that have baffled other manufacturers. We spend thousands each year on research to stay ‘cutting edge’ and have products that are approved by the American FDA. Our chemists hunt tirelessly for the best technologies and we never stop inventing. But science is just science until you make it improve your production. By combining pioneering R&D with the strongest technical service support we keep your lines running cleaner and greener 24/7. That’s why Alphabond has long been the go-to company for businesses that want to slash downtime, reduce consumption and save money.

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Your complete chemical solution for ‘Food Processing Safe’ maintenance chemicals

Ambersil is a market-leading, internationally recognised brand of MRO chemicals from CRC Industries, trusted by professional engineers for ‘right first time’ results.

The Food Processing Safe® range of >35 maintenance chemicals offers a true, single brand, complete chemical solution. Whatever the maintenance requirements, Ambersil has it covered:

- solvent degreasers,
- cleaners,
- wipes,
- lubricants (oil, dry, high solids),
- greases,
- bulk oils, and
- polymer processing and packaging release agents.

Fully NSF registered with letters of registration available on request, auditors recognise and respect the Ambersil name as a go-to brand of quality and attention to detail. Free of charge, value-added services that make a positive difference include:

- MyAmbersil – automatic datasheet updating
- GREENLIGHT® – risk reduction for maintenance chemicals through colour-coding
- Perma-lock® system – aerosol only, non-detachable components: ‘Prevention. Better than detection’
- Regionally based full-time Sales Managers for product questions and support
- Free samples for trial
- Available to order 24/7 through an international, regional, and local distributor supply network.

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Linen and Uniform rental and washing services

As the first company to introduce linen and uniform rental services to the world in 1889, Alsco created industry standards. With more than 350,000 customers and over 170 locations worldwide, we are responsible for shaping the linen and uniform rental industry.

In Italy, Alsco has become a leader in the development and realisation of a modern and efficient service.

The widespread presence over Italy through 6 operative branches and its own distribution network gives Alsco the opportunity to provide its services by visiting weekly more than 6,000 customers. The consolidated turnover amounts to over 100 millions Euros, global world turnover amounts to over 1.5 billion Dollars.

The 800 employee articulated structure evenly backs up the certified quality system over all the areas.

From washing to delivery, we go the extra mile to ensure you always have clean and safe uniforms and linens, that comply with the BRCGS requirements.

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We focus on providing sanitation and safety-related solutions - the Food Processing Sanitation Experts

AMERISAN is the mixture of “American” and “Sanitary.” We focus solely on serving the food processing and pharmaceutical industry, providing sanitation and safety-related solutions for companies such as yourself. Our tagline: Food Processing Sanitation Experts.

Our clients include well known global Fortune 100 food processors whom you are probably very familiar with, namely Kraft/General Mills/Bimbo Bakeries/Merck/etc.

Our specialization enables us to provide you with a unique set of value added services:

• Best-In Class Innovative Products. We Continually Search the World for the most Innovating Food Processing Sanitation Solutions, enabling our Clients to Achieve HACCP Compliance Goals.
• Plant Standardization. AMERISAN works closely with our clients to help each facility become standardized.
• HACCP Implementation Assistance. We assist in the Implementation of HACCP Programs by providing Training and Signage.
• Color Coded Hygiene Equipment. We offer the largest range of color coded sanitation tools available in the marketplace.
• Vendor Managed Inventory. To Save Time and Reduce Rush Orders, 80% of clients opt for Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI).
• Green Environment Initiatives. At Amerisan, green is more than initiative… we LOVE the environment and core company philosophy is dedicated to protecting it.

We’re happy to assist in any way, be it Industry Knowledge/ Contacts/ HACCP and 5S Implementation…

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The Industry’s most accurate and reliable product inspection and contaminant detection equipment

Anritsu Infvis is a global leader in product inspection and contaminant detection equipment, including X-Ray Inspection Systems, Checkweighers, and Metal Detectors.

Our equipment is engineered to detect the smallest anomalies with the best operational efficiencies and the lowest cost of ownership in the global market.

Simply, we deliver a level of precision, reliability and support that truly advances the quality of your products and the efficiency of your operations.

Anritsu has the industry’s most reliable and accurate x-ray inspection systems that your business needs for outstanding detection and product inspection.

Trust our x-ray machines with leading-edge technology for contaminant detection, product integrity checks and quality control. Ideal for inspection of food and pharmaceuticals for assured consumer safety from foreign materials.

Ensure consistency of product weight with Anritsu’s highly accurate checkweighers. Our easy-to-use machines are ideal for the manufacturing, food and pharmaceutical industries, for businesses in need of a high-speed solution in a compact footprint.

Rely on Anritsu’s precision engineered metal detectors for dependable performance in real-world production environments. Our metal detection accuracy and reliability is unrivalled within the food industry. Improve efficiency with our Dual-wave technology, optimized to detect both ferrous and non-ferrous metals simultaneously.

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Ireland’s leading specialist supplier of product inspection equipment

Advanced Packaging Machinery Limited (APM) are Ireland’s leading specialist supplier of product inspection equipment and related products to the food industry.

We specialise in metal detectors, checkweighers, x-ray inspection, weighing solutions, and labelling/pack verification systems, and offer a complete range of metal detectable products.

We work in partnership with BRCGS and food manufacturing companies to deliver high quality solutions to their product inspection requirements, from system design and installation to after sale 24hr technical support, spare parts and training.

APM are an ISO 9001:2008 certified company and deliver certified performance validation, verification and calibration of all makes of contaminant inspection and weighing systems.

Our certified training packages are designed and delivered in compliance with BRCGS and all the major retailer codes of practice from our main office in Dublin or on the individual customer site.

With service support based in both Southern and Northern Ireland, we can offer a fast, efficient delivery of our products and solutions.

Click here for more information about our food safety products

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Setting standards for weighing, slicing and weigh-price -labelling technologies on an international level. Since 1866.

Bizerba offers customers within the industry, retail, and logistics sectors a globally unique solutions portfolio of hardware and software based around the central value “weight”.

This portfolio includes products and solutions relating to slicing, processing, weighing, cashing, checking, commissioning and labelling.

Including Checkweighers, Industrial Inspection Machines, and Weight Price Labelling solutions. Additionally we produce platform scales with unique portfolio of software and integration solutions.

Bizerba UK operates a full regional network of sales executives, supported by a field service team comprising of experienced / certified service engineers and technical specialists, with a full administrative office backup.

The diversification of our product portfolio as well as our customer base has been increasing year on year and the calibre of staff matches perfectly with the design and manufacturing excellence you expect from Bizerba. From farm shop to confectionery, butchers shop to factory, Bizerba is the best solution – guaranteed.

With around 4,100 employees worldwide and with our headquarters in Balingen, Germany, Bizerba has now been in the same family for five generations. Additional production facilities are located in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, France, Spain, China and USA.

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Premium Quality Food Grade Lubricants “Be Audit Compliant” with Brit-Lube Food Grade Certified Lubricants.

Brit-Lube is a market-leading International, family-owned British Lubricants Company. We manufacture a full range of speciality food grade lubricants for use in food, beverage and pharmaceutical industries. Our distinctive premium quality food grade lubricants are marketed under our unique – Food-Tek range.

The Food-Tek range has the following benefits:

- Full Food Grade Range
- NSF Internationally Certified Products
- Audit Trail Compliant
- Colour Coded Aerosols
- Incidental or Direct Food Contact Products
- Maintenance Aerosols
- Comprehensive Grease Range
- Food Grade Oils
- Full Technical & Audit Support

The Food-Tek range provide the most technically advanced lubricants suitable for all sectors within the Food, Beverage, Meat, Dairy, Fruit & Veg, Confectionary and Pharmaceutical Industries. We manufacture to the strictest guidelines and standards. Therefore, offering the assurance of ISO9000:2015 quality standards, full NSF Registration, Allergen Free, Halal accreditation and Full External Audit Compliance.

Contact us today to find your local supplier and discuss how Brit-Lube can supply the solution to your lubrication needs.

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High-quality, food-safe, detectable products from the original pioneers

BST have over 30 years’ experience in the development and manufacture of high-quality, food-safe plastic and rubber detectable products.

We set ourselves apart in the industry by offering high-quality detectable items, paying particular attention to our XDETECT metal and x-ray detectable plastic compound, which is highly shatter-resistant, available in eight colours, FDA approved, EU 10/2011 compliant and also incorporates antibacterial protection in specific applications.

The quality of our products is only superseded by the quality of our service and support. Our team can visit you on site to see and understand your requirements first-hand. We usually have a stocked product to fit your needs; however, our bespoke manufacturing capabilities mean that a solution to a problem is never far away.

Examples of detectable products in our range include pens, markers, clipboards, self-adhesive tapes, safety knives, catering knives, scrapers, scoops, jugs, brushes, shovels, ear protection, plasters, hair/beard nets, gloves, paper tags, plastic tags, test pieces and detectable materials.

Technical specifications, detectability guidance and food contact approvals, where applicable, are extensively documented to aid our customers with their BRCGS and other audit requirements. BST are a proud partner of the Made in Britain campaign – with 70% of our product range manufactured in Britain.

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Clean air: the vital ingredient to food and beverage manufacturers

For more than half a century, Camfil has been helping people breathe cleaner air. As a leading manufacturer of premium clean air solutions, we provide commercial and industrial systems for air filtration and air pollution control that protect product quality, improve worker and equipment productivity, minimise energy use, and benefit human health and the environment. We firmly believe the best solutions for our customers are the best solutions for our planet, too. That’s why every step of the way – from design to delivery and across the product life cycle – we consider the impact of what we do on people and on the world around us. Through a fresh approach to problem-solving, innovative design, precise process control and a strong customer focus we aim to conserve more, use less – so we can all breathe easier.

The Camfil Group is headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden, and has 28 manufacturing sites, six R&D centres, and local sales offices in 26 countries.

Learn more about Camfil’s Air Filters, Air Purification systems and Dust Extraction systems at www.camfil.com

Leading global supplier of ISO 21469 certified food grade lubricants

FUCHS LUBRITECH (part of the Global FUCHS Petrolub Group) is the world’s leading manufacturer of specialty food grade lubricants for use in the food, beverage and pharmaceutical industries.

The CASSIDA and FM ranges of high performance food grade lubricants cater for all types of applications and, with their ISO 21469 certification and NSF registration, provide the user with the assurance that there are no safer food grade lubricants available anywhere in the world.

Many of the CASSIDA and FM products carry OEM approvals from world-leading manufacturers of equipment used in food, beverage and pharmaceutical plants, so CASSIDA and FM users can be assured they are using products that have, in many cases, been tested and approved by their own equipment suppliers. Some of our most popular products include our Grease Gun and Lube Centre. We also have information available regarding the energy and cost savings you can make by utilising our products. For more information, please see our product catalogue.

Further information on our food grade lubricants and services, and our value proposition are available on request.
The world’s leading provider of detectable plastic tools and equipment

Detectamet is a world leader in the design and production of metal and x-ray detectable products and equipment made using our very own specifically formulated detectable plastics and materials. The company has a unique reputation for the enthusiastic development of products to help food companies reduce the risks of food contamination. Detectamet has the most comprehensive range of detectable products in the world and the company produces them within ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 certificated management systems.

Detectamet offers choice and solutions to satisfy special requirements. Many products can be ordered in eight different colours to help customers reinforce their colour-coded management systems. The extensive range of detectable stationery products, for example, includes pens, several refill types, and many items such as rulers, calculators, clipboards and paperclips and detectable stapleless staplers. Detectamet also supplies a range of detectable label systems and provides cleaning equipment and personal protection items; from stretch wrap to rubber bands and silicone mastic to nitrile gloves. This demonstrates the kind of commitment to satisfying customers’ needs that typifies Detectamet’s business ethos.

Established for over 10 years, Detectamet won the SOFHT Company of the Year Award for businesses of less than 100 employees in 2013.

FBK - #1 when it comes to high quality cleaning and handling articles for the food and drink industry

FBK – A Danish company that has manufactured quality articles for the cleaning industry since 1887 and has focused production on the professional sector ever since those early days. Today we are a leader in our market, working closely with dedicated distributors.

FBK articles conform to the best principles of HACCP, are manufactured from FDA compliant materials and are produced in accordance with EU regulations 10/2011/EC; 1935/2004/EC; 2023/2006; 579/2011/EC; EU directive 93/43/EEC; 2002/72/EC; FDA food code 2009, FEIBP/PHB, etc.

With the above accreditations and conformance guarantees, our articles qualify to fit into HACCP, IFS, BRCGS and the 5S for LEAN management.

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Accredited filter & air hygiene management

Working with world-class brands and environmentally conscious organisations, Filtrex Global is committed to reducing carbon footprint and providing seamless compliance through Filtration & Air Hygiene Management.

Filtrex is improving the working environment and protecting the natural environment throughout the UK. We aim to meet the challenges of managing contamination, hygiene and air quality levels whilst providing detailed compliance records.

Manufacturers and suppliers of world class filters for both AHU and ventilation systems as well as LEV and dust extraction units. Filtrex have an extensive range of services to complement complete Air Hygiene Management, including:

- Filter Changing & AHU Servicing
- Filter Management & Audit Compliance utilizing site labour
- Extract & Process Ductwork Cleaning
- Fire Damper Testing
- On-line Audit Compliance Portal
- Air Quality & Pressure Mapping Surveys
- On-site Air Distribution Sleeve Cleaning
- Dust Extraction Filter Changing & Servicing
- Energy Saving through real time pressure monitoring & variable speed drives

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Leading the way in hygienic hose management

Flexrite are delighted to celebrate 30 years of being one of the leading companies supplying flexible hoses and associated products to the food, brewing and pharmaceutical industries.

Flexrite design hygienic couplings compliant to industry requirements, and are able to create bespoke fittings to meet client needs, with the support of full-time draughtsman and Engineering Associates, G.Caswell Engineering, who manufacture the fittings.

As well as being ISO9001:2008 accredited, Flexrite also pride themselves on full material traceability, along with certification to European and International standards.

To meet customers’ demands for health and safety, technical help and quality assurance, Flexrite have developed various hose management packages. This includes their unique Iflex Hose Register, which enables customers to view all hose entries, download datasheets and certificates of conformity, and is tailored to suit individual customers.

Iflex offers a number of key benefits, which ranges from due diligence visits to full hose inspections, health and safety checks and preventative maintenance measures.

Find out more about Flexrite on our website, or alternatively please get in touch with the Hose Management team below.

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Hygienic air quality control from the global filtration experts

Freudenberg Filtration Technologies operates on a global basis to supply hygienic, controlled air quality to food manufacturers, supporting food safety compliance.

We work with all sectors of the food industry to design, construct and maintain ventilation, process air, product cooling, moisture removal, odour removal and dust control systems to the food industry.

In-house Engineering Project and filterCair Service Teams build, refurbish and maintain ventilation systems to ensure the control of air quality, over-pressure, air change rates, temperature and humidity. Our digital, audit compliance documentation system, provides customers with a paperless, easily accessible and continuously updated record of their ventilation, process air and dust control systems.

Typical work covered by our project and filterCair engineers includes:
- Refrigeration and product cooling solutions
- High Risk and High Care controlled space design
- Extraction system design and installation
- Air Handling Unit (AHU) refurbishment and upgrade
- Dust Control LEV System design and installation
- Over pressurisation solutions
- Ductwork installation, ductwork modifications, cleaning
- Energy-saving filtration systems and heat recovery

Freudenberg Filtration Technologies is one of the world’s leading manufacturers in high performance, energy efficient and food certified, air and liquid filtration technology solutions and is part of the Freudenberg Group - a multi-billion euro, leading technology company.

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Leading supplier of fragment retention lamps and luminaires

GlassGuard® is Europe’s leading manufacturer of fragment retention lamps. GlassGuard® fragment retention lamps and GlassGuard® luminaires provide a safer lighting solution for food production and packaging sites, minimising the risk of glass contamination from accidental lamp breakages.

Fragment retention lamps such as the highly acclaimed GlassGuard BlackBand® are standard glass lamps treated with a technologically advanced coating manufactured by GlassGuard® to EN61549, the highest standard for quality. In the event of accidental breakage, such as frequently happens when they are being changed, the coating will retain all of the broken glass and phosphor powder safely, preventing widespread contamination.

GlassGuard® has been supplying fragment retention lamps to the food industry across Europe for over 20 years, and has been working in partnership with BRC Global Standards since 2010 to promote safer lighting.

GlassGuard® fragment retention lamps and GlassGuard® luminaires are essential considerations in the management of site standards, in particular building fabric and contamination control. Contact GlassGuard® today for your lighting requirements.

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Magnet testing and bespoke magnetic separators

We design and manufacture industrial magnets for the removal of metal contamination. Our customers include global leaders in the food, pharmaceutical, power handling, ceramics, glass, plastics, recycling, textiles, wood, oil and gas, and animal feed industries.

We manufacture bespoke equipment according to your specifications and, using 2D/3D software, will send you a GA drawing for your approval prior to manufacture. Magnets will be constructed from either 304 or 316 stainless steel and can be fully welded, crack and crevice free to food or pharmaceutical standards. Choose from finishes such as painted, bead blast, dull polish, or mirror finish.

BRC Global Standards requires that magnetic separators used for metal contamination in the food industry are tested and certified. We can test and certify your magnets, providing full documentation to compliment your existing HACCP procedures.

The report identifies the required strength of each magnet, type, reading and whether the magnets have passed. The report also assesses the general state of the magnets and housing, identifies where action is required, along with photographs for easy identification.

Please view our products, and for a free quote please call +44 (0)1706 645 824 or email sales@greenwoodmagnetics.com.

Market leaders in hygienic flexible hose assemblies

The Hose & Couplings Division of Guyson offer a comprehensive range of hygienic flexible hose and coupling products to suit most fluid-handling applications. These include the Kaptech hygienic rubber, silicone and PTFE ranges which are supplied to the food, brewing and pharmaceutical industries.

Based on over 30 years of experience supplying to these industries, our technical sales department can offer advice on correct selection of hose type for customers' applications. Our team of Area Sales Managers are also available to offer advice on site.

Our popular Ultraflex hose range, which is EC1935/2004 and EC2023/2006 compliant, is available in four different colours in most sizes to give visual identification of product lines. A wide selection of inter-locking hygienic stainless steel end fittings are available and all hose assemblies are pressure tested before despatch. Certification is available and all hose and couplings are supplied under our ISO 9001:2008 accredited quality system.

To assist with customers’ health and safety requirements and to help minimise downtime, we can offer our hose management service. The key benefits are planned site visits to inspect and record the condition of hoses on site, reporting back with findings and any other advice on hose use that could be beneficial. The hose management service can be flexible to meet customers’ specific requirements.

Details of our products can be found in our catalogue or by visiting our website. Alternatively, if you would like additional information on our products and services, please contact our Technical Sales Department via the contact details shown below.
Focused air that works for you, 100% compliance and zero interruption

HVDS is the industry name dedicated to the food industry and delivering purified air that works for you; the name that represents the food industry’s trusted partner in air filtration, dust extraction and ventilation.

Working for engineering and hygiene teams, technical managers, auditors, quality control departments and production across all sectors of the food industry, HVDS supplies specialist products, services, maintenance and turnkey systems in support of 100% compliance in your facility.

We include:
- air filter managed supply;
- ventilation system and dust extraction supply and installation;
- flexible and fixed air distributions ducting;
- fusion total care services;
- duct and flue cleaning;
- air surveys and reporting;
- ventilation mapping;
- air quality auditing; and
- personnel monitoring.

Why do food industry professionals choose HVDS as their trusted partner?
- HVDS is dedicated to the food industry and powered by knowledge.
- HVDS products and services represent real value for money, recognised by a growing clientele throughout the industry including multinationals and independent corporations.
- HVDS are committed to innovation and continuous improvement.
- HVDS are a full accredited organisation.

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Ready to use non-toxic products for Integrated Pest Management (IPM)

InPest is the line developed by GEA to meet the needs of professional pest control. The mission is to study and develop pest monitoring devices such as sexual pheromones, glue traps and UV fly killers.

Driven by innovation and with particular attention to the environment, our goal is to manufacture effective solutions to work closely with BRC Global Standards.

InPest products are designed and produced respecting high standards and based on customers’ needs in order to give the best tool for any situation, always respecting and preserving the environment and those who live in it.

The quality standard is ensured by three internal laboratories:
- one for the synthesis of pheromones;
- one for breeding insects; and
- one for the quality control of raw materials and final products.

Key figures of GEA:
- 30 employees including agronomists, an entomologist, a veterinarian and a chemist.
- Two facilities in Settimo Milanese, Italy
- Total sqm: 3,500
- 10 lines of production
- Sales: all Europe
- One registered patent
- One biocide registration: TDDA pheromone
- ISO 9001: 2015 certification on all the company phases

Find out more about GEA and InPest products on our website or get in touch with us directly using the contacts below.

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Providing integrated and complete packing lines for fresh and snack food applications

Ishida Europe is a leading supplier of automated solutions, meeting the ever-changing challenges presented by the processing of products in the food sector.

We design, manufacture and sell individual machines, as well as providing integrated and complete packing lines for fresh and snack food applications. We use equipment and software of our own patent, and also offer project management services that deliver complete turnkey solutions embracing both Ishida and other equipment.

Our machines include multihead weighers, cutgate weighers, checkweighers, snack food bagmakers, tray sealers, seal testers, weigh-price-labellers and systems for X-ray inspection, vision inspection and pick-and-place case-packing.

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Focused on audit compliance and ultimate product integrity

Klipspringer- the ‘industry name’ delivering trusted solutions, reliable products and dependable service, with integrity.

Working with technical managers, auditors, QC departments, hygiene teams, engineering and continuous improvement initiatives- from the smallest artisan company to the largest multinational. Klipspringer supplies specialist products in support of “compliance with confidence”:

- Measuring and monitoring instrumentation
- Service and calibration
- Colour coded food contact approved hygiene and production utensils
- Metal and x-ray detectable equipment
- Facilities support
- Personnel protection

Why do busy professionals choose Klipspringer?

- Almost certainly the largest range of colour coded hygiene and production utensils available, leading the way with 10 truly distinct colours, including grey and brown!
- Service can often be “over-promised” and “under-delivered” but Klipspringer takes this commitment seriously. Up to 5 weeks stock is held on over 80% of product lines, ready for same day despatch. Extravagant? - it’s our commitment to our clients.
- Klipspringer products represent real value for money, recognised by a growing clientele throughout the industry.
- Rigorous commitment to innovation.
- UKAS accredited laboratory for temperature calibration in accordance with International Standard ISO 17025:2005, offering cutting edge turnaround times.

Click here to view the Klipspringer 2015 product guide on the BRC website. Designated account managers available for consultation on +44 (0)1473 461 800.

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KTBA People in Food Group

KTBA is a leading service provider in the Benelux area for implementing and maintaining certified BRCGS systems.

For 20 years now, KTBA has provided premium services for compliance and food safety for over 2,000 clients in the retail chain.

As part of the Dutch ‘People in Food’ group, KTBA not only offers consultancy and training programs, but also software tools and labelling services.

We focus on continuous improvement of organisations, growth and customer satisfaction in all we do.

For more information, please click on one of the links below to download our company brochure:

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Supporting food safety with speciality H1 registered, ISO 21469 certified lubricants

Acknowledged by many food, beverage and pharmaceutical companies as the global leader for speciality lubricants – with arguably the largest range of H1 registered lubricants – KlüberLubrication was one of the first companies in Europe, and the first in North America, to be certified according to ISO 21469, with five accredited sites globally.

Klüber Lubrication manufacture their products in a clean and safe environment, and as a member of the European Hygienic Engineering and Design Group (EHEDG), are part of food safety initiatives right from the start.

An affiliated brand of the Freudenberg Technology Group, Klüber Lubrication has been developing high-end tribological solutions and ambitious technical concepts for over 85 years. Known internationally for their substantial number of OEM approvals from world-leading manufacturers of food, beverage and pharmaceutical equipment, they are a clear leader in the market when it comes to problem-solving, optimisation, continuous improvement, cost control and best practice.

They continue to meet the ever-increasing demands on industry to deliver reliability, sustainability and overall equipment effectiveness whilst maintaining consumer safety.

Their Tech Days enhance maintenance management planning by integrating different areas of maintenance responsibility, and implementing a lubrication strategy that increases efficiency and asset performance through modern lubrication innovations and techniques.

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World leaders in the design and manufacture of food safety inspection equipment

For the past 45 years Loma Systems has focused on the food industry, building the most durable metal detection, checkweighing and x-ray inspection systems. Loma has an impressive installation base, boasting 120,000 inspection systems globally. Loma’s equipment is famously robust captured by the motto ‘Designed to Survive’. Many units can be found within the harshest conditions of industrial food production.

As the inspection market continues to change, food manufacturers are under more pressure than ever before to adhere to increasingly stringent levels of compliance. Whether responding to the latest requirements set out by the BRCGS for Food Safety or individual Retailers Codes of Practice, food manufacturers must demonstrate tight control and complete line integrity.

Loma offers comprehensive advice and complete inspection solutions to ensure all food suppliers meet and exceed the latest regulations, whilst offering easy and reliable operation.

Loma’s products are uniquely engineered to facilitate compliance with international product safety standards and weight legislation, whilst identifying product defects and eliminating contaminants for consistent quality.

Loma is committed to manufacturing durable equipment backed by great customer service, whilst providing cost-effective solutions for all food product inspection requirements.

Best quality cleaning tools and metal detection products

Maya Professional Tools is a Spanish company that offers one of the best solutions in hygienic cleaning tools, as well as high quality metal and x-ray detectable products. Established in 1990, the company has focused on the food industry market by offering a specialised product range that covers all food factory plant requirements.

We offer up to 10 colours in our range (white, blue, red, yellow, green, orange, purple, black, grey and brown), which helps organise the factory to prevent cross-contamination problems. For articles which are meant for direct food contact, migration tests have been carried out according to EU regulation 10/2011/EC.

Metal and x-ray visible products are manufactured with additives that conform to food contact regulations. This addition allows material that may become accidentally detached from an article in use to be detected by standard in-line metal or x-ray detection equipment.


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The UK’s solution for all metal detection needs in the food, pharmaceutical, textiles and mining industries

MDS offers a UK-wide service within the metal detection market. We are the CEIA UK Distributor and offer our customers extensive sales, engineering, spares and service support. Our aim is to provide you with the latest metal detection technology available, ensuring brand safety, reduced production interruptions and the confidence to meet the demands of industry regulators and retailers. Our organisation operates in accordance with our certified quality management system BS EN ISO9001:2008.

MDS has a strong focus on supporting our customers and working with many of the leading manufacturing companies around the UK, with the knowledge and experience of a wide range of brands, which provides customers with a one-stop, cost effective service provider for all their needs.

Metal detectors are imperative and here at MDS we provide metal detectors to suit any application within the food, pharmaceutical, textile, and mining and quarrying industries. We can also provide training, service, spares and validation for a number of models.

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Your partner in inspection and quality control since 1984

Whatever your market sector and inspection parameter, and whatever your budget and performance requests are, PRISMA INDUSTRIALE has the solution.

PRISMA INDUSTRIALE was established in 1984 in Fidenza (Parma, Italy), in the heart of the Food Valley and the food mechanical engineering industry. Producing metal detectors, dynamic weighing systems and x-ray inspection systems, PRISMA INDUSTRIALE is well-established in their field for high-quality and reliable products. PRISMA INDUSTRIALE’s quality control systems keep up with the ever-increasing levels of compliance demanded by the food industry, assuring its customers meet the latest regulations.

Over the years the product range has evolved and expanded to offer specific solutions for the food industry, as seen in their product brochure.

Today PRISMA INDUSTRIALE is the only company that produces 100% Italian-made x-ray inspection systems, metal detectors and checkweighers, and is the leader in this sector in the Italian market with a sales network that covers the whole territory.

PRISMA INDUSTRIALE also offers an unbeatable customer service by responding to requests in detail, owing to their high level of subject knowledge. The company also provides a thorough pre- and post-sales service, and an ability to design precise customer solutions. This makes PRISMA INDUSTRIALE a real partner in inspection and quality control.

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Riskplaza Europe: the online database for information on the safety of food ingredients

Riskplaza is completely based on the European Union Hygiene Regulation. This regulation requires two important things. Firstly, all food business operators have to identify all the hazards of their foods. Secondly, all food business operators have to verify the food safety of their foods. This also includes the food safety of their ingredients and raw materials.

The first aim is to provide more transparency regarding hazards in foods.

The second objective is to prevent unnecessary duplication of checks in the food chain. If each food business operator checks his supplier, then you can imagine how often the same supplier could be checked regarding the same product. This is unnecessary and costs a lot of time and money for all parties involved. So, Riskplaza wants to help realise that ‘once checked’ it is accepted in the whole supply chain.

We created two products to achieve the objectives we have just covered. One is a database and the other is an audit system.

The database was designed to give insight into all potential hazards concerning any food ingredient at any point in the food supply chain. The audit system focuses on suppliers of food ingredients. Suppliers can guarantee that 100% of their ingredients meet the legal requirements.

Global supplier of high performance food grade lubricants

ROCOL is part of ITW Inc, a multinational Fortune 500 Company. ROCOL has been providing engineers with high performance lubrication solutions for more than 130 years. We pride ourselves on developing advanced products with customer needs at the core. ROCOL is renowned for trusted superior performance, full audit compliance and excellent after-sales support.

At ROCOL we design and manufacture technically advanced food grade lubricants, specifically tailored for the food and cleaning industries. In addition to being NSF H1 registered for absolute food safety, our range of FOODLUBE lubricants help improve cleanliness and efficiency, whilst significantly reducing costs and downtime.

ROCOL products are formulated and thereafter rigorously tested against our competitors to ensure maximum performance every time.

Our range of FOODLUBE products are manufactured to adhere to strict procedures and standards, whilst offering crucial safety assurances through our NSF registration, ISO 21469 certification and HALAL accreditation.

For more information on our FOODLUBE product range please download our brochure, try out our online product selector, or watch our DETEX demonstration video.
Rokill Pest Control: the professional solution

Established in 1980 and holding the Queen’s Royal Warrant, Rokill have built a reputation for delivering consistent, high quality, value for money pest control services to the food industry.

Ensuring effective and professional pest control solutions, we work closely with BRCGS, supermarkets, AIB and the Soil Association to ensure compliance with their codes of practice. Using our services allows you to focus on the important issues knowing that this vital service is in safe hands and that you are ready to face any audit.

Rokill supplies a comprehensive range of electronic fly killers for the food industry.

Rokill is one of the few companies to operate a specialist birdproofing division. The team have over 35 years’ experience of providing bespoke solutions for pest birds.

Please contact us to discuss your requirements, and where applicable we will undertake a free of charge on-site assessment.

To find out more about Rokill and our range of services, please visit our website or contact us using the contact details below.

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Exclusive ERP software for UK food and drink businesses

Our ‘all-in-one’ UnityF8 software easily replaces your disparate systems to manage all your recipes, production, supply chain, traceability and reporting in one single place – including back office and financials. Streamlining your processes with UnityF8 allows you to increase efficiency and drive your business forward.

Choose from our specialist modules to add the advanced food production and supply chain capabilities you need.

• UnityF8 enhances your recipe management and NPD, improving your recipe control and costings from new product development to production, all within this one integrated system.

• Improves your inventory usage with food-optimised WMS (Warehouse Management Software). Easily manages your inventory’s rotation, shelf-life, quality and allergens with its integrated warehousing management tools.

• Protects you with class-leading quality and traceability controls to achieve the highest standards for traceability, allergen control and quality control without struggling across multiple systems. UnityF8 does it all as standard.

• Provides a comprehensive range of BRCGS Audit support capabilities including/such as our specialist non-conformance and mobile compliance modules that help keep you Audit Ready.

UnityF8 is our complete software suite for fast growing food and drink manufacturers. You receive everything you need to optimise your recipe development, production, supply chain, accounting and customer service. Plus, you benefit from a partnership with Sanderson, the UK’s food industry ERP specialist for 30 years.

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Shoe Inn makes putting shoe covers on and taking them off faster, easier, safer and cleaner

For over 10 years, Shoe Inn’s industry leading automatic shoe cover dispensers and removers have been making putting shoe covers on and taking them off faster, easier, safer and cleaner. They increase worker safety, help prevent contamination, and increase efficiency and productivity.

Shoe Inn’s ergonomically-friendly dispensers, which help companies save time and money by eliminating time wasted when manually applying regular shoe covers, are used by hundreds of companies spanning small businesses to Fortune 500 companies worldwide in industries ranging from pharmaceuticals to food manufacturing and processing, biotechnology to energy, aerospace to medical devices, and everything in between.

Shoe Inn also carries the HealthySole UVC light sanitizing/germicidal system, reusable shoe covers, sticky mats, disposable gloves and other personal protective equipment.

Click here to download a copy of the Shoe Inn Catalogue

SpaceVac: The world’s leading level-cleaning system

SpaceVac is a revolutionary product providing a fast, safe and easy way to remove built up dust and dirt from inaccessible, high-level areas from the safety of the ground floor.

This method of cleaning offers operators a faster, safer method of cleaning these high-level areas than traditional methods such as scaffolding, abseiling or hydraulic lifts.

The result of over a decade’s worth of development and refinement, the SpaceVac high-level cleaning system is a precision-engineered cleaning system unlike any other, offering ease of operation and performance. Further – designed with safety at heart – SpaceVac features lightweight carbon fibre construction and the unique safety locking mechanism on our poles, heads and brushes ensure the system doesn’t separate during operation.

With clients across a wide range of sectors from Ikea and Coca Cola to Facilities Management partners such as Mitie and Sodexo, the SpaceVac High-Level cleaning system provides a powerful, flexible solution to even the toughest of cleaning challenges.

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Helping to create compliant, clean and sustainable workplaces

At Unisan, we deliver smart facilities globally and help our client to save time and money, improve hygiene and help ensure they are compliant with latest standards. We offer innovative products tailored to our customers’ requirements with fast and dependable delivery to help solve their daily challenges.

Our innovation through research and development with attention to uncompromising reliability and effectiveness provides us the foundation for future growth. Due to our global reach, we adhere to international best practices but also focus on local, industry-specific expertise. It’s our responsibility to provide the most effective solutions that will best fit your needs, at excellent value for money.

A Unisan, abbiamo fornire strutture intelligenti a livello globale e aiutare i nostri clienti a risparmiare tempo, risparmiare denaro, migliorare l’igiene e contribuire a garantire che siano conformi a standard ambientali e di igiene più recenti. Offriamo prodotti innovativi su misura per le esigenze dei nostri clienti con la consegna veloce e affidabile, per aiutare a risolvere le loro sfide quotidiane.

La nostra innovazione attraverso la ricerca e sviluppo con attenzione all’affidabilità senza compromessi & efficacia ci fornisce le basi per la crescita futura. Grazie alla nostra portata globale, aderire alle best practices internazionali, ma anche concentrarsi sulle competenze locali, specifici del settore. È nostra responsabilità di fornire le soluzioni più efficaci che meglio si adattano le vostre esigenze, all’eccellente rapporto qualità/prezzo.

Vantage Industrial Cleaning – specialists in food and pharmaceutical sectors UK coverage

We have built up many years of experience in these sectors working for many substantial national and international companies. We have supplied specialist pre audit and cleaning services for companies where cleanliness and safety are prerequisites for production to continue.

Health and safety are key aspects of our lives and we provide a full risk assessment using our experience to help our customers.

We specialise in high level cleaning, exteriors, silos, tanks, vessels, production lines, plant and machinery, proofers, ovens, conveyors, ducting, critical areas, high and low care, swabtesting, daily cleaning and more. We supply post clean reports with photos and certification to record the cleaning done which in turn allows for assessment for the next cleaning cycle.

We care obsessively for our customers and this culture runs through the company and our QM programme.

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Award-winning excellence with Vikan hygienically designed cleaning tools

Established in 1898, Vikan is one of the leading manufacturers and suppliers of professional manual cleaning tools to the food industry worldwide. From local SME’s to global food groups, our mission is to develop and provide effective, hygienically-designed, quality cleaning tools, unique solutions, and trusted support for our customers where hygiene is essential.

By working closely with the food industry and hygiene experts, we continue to provide award-winning cleaning solutions like our 12 litre bucket and our latest brushware innovation, Ultra Safe Technology. All products are subject to rigorous quality assessment and are available with full documentation in support of legal and audit requirements.

Additionally, Vikan offers a range of hygiene services in support of the food industry including:
- Colour-coding site surveys.
- Advice on food safety.
- Food safety information including white papers, scientific publications, trade articles, food safety seminars, and presentations at national and international food safety events.
- Development of new and improved cleaning solutions in close collaboration with the food industry.
- Hygiene trouble-shooting site visits.
- Cleaning workshops at local and group level.
- Bespoke hygiene training.

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