



COVID-19 Business Supports Tracker

Most up to date data as of 18/09/2020 unless otherwise stated

Name of Support	Provider	Objective of Support	Amount of Support	Inquiries Received	Applications Submitted	No. of Approvals Made	Value of Approvals Made
Restart Grant	Local Authorities	€250m fund to help companies reopen premises	Grants from €2k up to €10k	N/A	45,470	37,709	€155m
Restart Grant Plus	Local Authorities	€300m fund to help companies reopen premises.	Grants from €4k to €25k	N/A	47,510	31,276	€187m
COVID-19 Working Capital Scheme	SBCI	Provides working capital loans to COVID-19-impacted businesses	From 25k up to €1.5m	N/A	3,678	852	€108.7m
COVID-19 Loan Phase 1	MFI	Provides loans to microenterprises that do not meet the conventional risk criteria of banks	Loans of up to €50k	N/A	1,015	687	€18.68m
COVID-19 Loan Phase 2	MFI	€15 million has been made available to MFI since legislation passed in July	Loans of up to €25k	N/A	141	22	€429,000
The Businesses Continuity Voucher¹	LEOs	Provide support to firms who need assistance with business continuity and preparedness arising from the COVID-19 outbreak.		N/A	14,895	12,002	€25.642m
Trading Online Voucher Scheme²	LEOs	Offers financial assistance of up to €2,500 along with training and advice to help your business trade online. Businesses that have already received a Trading Online Voucher can now apply for a second voucher, where upgrades are required	Up to €2,500	N/A	10,298	7,769	€18.398m
Online Retail Scheme	Enterprise Ireland	The objective of the Scheme is to support companies in the indigenous retail sector with a pre-existing online presence to respond to both the domestic and international consumer demand for a competitive online offer.	Up to €40k grant aid	N/A	373 applications received	185 retailers approved support	€6.58 million

¹ The Businesses Continuity Voucher Scheme has now closed

² Please note that the Trading Online Voucher Scheme is being reported for the period 1st January to 9th September 2020. The reporting period for the TOV changed to facilitate monitoring of performance associated with the new TOV allocation methodology.



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COVID-19 Business Financial Planning Grant	Enterprise Ireland	Grant to provide a strategic intervention to clients to work with third party consultants to prepare a detailed financial plan with forecasts and assumptions	€5,000 grant aid	N/A	813	749	€3.69m
LEAN Business Continuity Offer	Enterprise Ireland	The Lean Business Continuity Voucher will support enterprises to access up to €2,500 in training or advisory services support related to the continued operation of their business during the current pandemic.	€2,500 grant aid	N/A	356	318	€797,500
Sustaining Enterprise Fund³	Enterprise Ireland and IDA	The purpose of the fund is to sustain companies who have been impacted by a 15% or greater reduction in actual or projected turnover or profit, and/or have a significant increase in costs as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak.	Up to €800k repayable advance	- Based on discussion with interested parties, Enterprise Ireland has sent 320 application forms to companies	88 applications received	55	€21.89m
Sustaining Enterprise Fund – Small Enterprise	Enterprise Ireland	The purpose of the fund is to sustain eligible manufacturing and internationally traded services companies to provide support to companies: who have been impacted by a 15% or more reduction in actual or projected turnover or profit; and require access to liquidity to sustain business continuity.	Up to €50,000 per undertaking in the form of repayable advances.	N/A	25 applications received	13	€600,000
Sustaining Enterprise Fund – HPSU	Enterprise Ireland	It is aimed at EI's HPSU companies who, due to the negative economic impact and uncertainty arising from COVID-19, are facing challenges in growing sales revenues	€50,000 per undertaking in the form of equity or		36 applications received	31	€1,950,000

³ Enterprise Ireland has engaged with over 6000 companies in relation to COVID-19. For many, the first step is to obtain the Business Financial Planning Grant which assists companies to understand their immediate financial position, secure the finance required to survive and provide a framework to sustain the business. EI have to date received 813 applications for the Business Financial Planning Grant. Over the coming weeks and months, EI expects that many applications for Financial Planning Grants will transform into Sustaining Enterprise Fund applications. EI actively engage and work with all applicants on a one to one basis to ensure they get the right support at the right time.



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		as originally projected, require funding to execute a revised business plan and are facing challenges to securing this funding.	convertible debt instruments				
E-merge	Intertrade Ireland	Consultancy support & advice to help businesses develop online sales & ecommerce solutions.	€2,500/€2,800	N/A	442	267	€747,600
Emergency Business Solutions	Intertrade Ireland	Fully funded consultancy support & advice to address key business challenges in areas such as emergency cashflow, loan applications and HR/People	€2,000/€2,250	N/A	334	273	€614,250
Business Continuity Support	IDA Ireland	The Business Continuity Support will support companies to access up to €29,700 in training or advisory services support related to the continued operation or re-start of businesses during the current pandemic.	€2,500 grant aid to a max of €29,700	60	60	60	€151,075