



COVID-19 Business Supports Tracker

Most up to date data as of 7/08/20 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 Grant¹	Local Authorities	€250m fund to help companies reopen premises	Grants from €2k up to €10k	N/A	45,426	36,639	€150,728,446
COVID-19 Working Capital Scheme	SBCI	Provides working capital loans to COVID-19-impacted businesses	From 25k up to €1.5m	N/A	3,495 applications (of which 3,134 deemed eligible)	773 loans sanctioned	€99,065,963
COVID-19 Loan	MFI	Provides loans to microenterprises that do not meet the conventional risk criteria of banks	Loans of up to €50k	3,490	1,015	683	€18,633,475
The Businesses Continuity Voucher²	LEOs	Provide support to firms who need assistance with business continuity and preparedness arising from the COVID-19 outbreak.		N/A	14,876	11,796	€25,558,904
Trading Online Voucher Scheme	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	Up to €2,500	N/A	8,597	5,925	€13,836,227

¹ The Restart Grant scheme has now closed. The Restart Grant Plus scheme was launched on 10 August 2020.

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		for a second voucher, where upgrades are required					
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	183 retailers approved support	€6.5 million
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	650 inquiries received into the EI Business Response Unit regarding the Business Financial Planning Grant	717	669	€3,296,711
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	Not possible to measure as inquiries are coming from various different sources.	332	289	€725,000



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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 164 application forms to companies.	62 applications received	33	€13,128,000
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%	Up to €50,000 per undertaking in the form of repayable advances.	N/A	19 applications received	9	€425,000

³ Enterprise Ireland has engaged with over 5000 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 717 applications for the Business Financial Planning Grant. Over the coming weeks and months, EI expects that many applications for Financial Planning Grants will transpire 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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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 as originally projected, require funding to execute a revised business plan and are facing challenges to securing this funding.	€50,000 per undertaking in the form of equity or convertible debt instruments	N/A	30 applications received	26	€1,300,000
E-merge	Intertrade Ireland	Consultancy support & advice to help businesses develop online sales & ecommerce solutions.	€2,500/€2,800	N/A	337	184	€515,200
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	280	205	€461,250
Business Continuity Support	IDA Ireland	The Business Continuity Support will support companies to access up to €29,700 in	€2,500 grant aid to a max of €29,700	50	50	50	€126,100



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Credit Guarantee Scheme	SBCI	Provides guarantees to participating lenders on loans	Guarantees up to a maximum of €150m yearly	N/A	N/A	867 since inception in 2012	€152,559,224 since inception in 2012