

Aldi Ireland 2020 Economic Impact Report - Cork

€221 million
Total Capital investment
by Aldi in Cork



1,000

people employed
by Aldi in Cork

23

Aldi stores
across Cork City and County

- Elysian
- Ballyphehane
- Blackpool
- Wilton
- Douglas
- Mayfield Business Park
- Blackrock
- Glanmire
- Ballincollig Main Street
- Ballincollig Westside Retail Park (1st Aldi store in Cork, opened Nov 4th, 1999)
- Passage West
- Cobh
- Carrigtwohill
- Middleton
- Bandon
- Mallow
- Fermoy
- Macroom
- Youghal
- Mitchelstown
- Dunmanway
- Charleville
- Skibbereen

€68.5 million



Total spend with Cork
suppliers in 2020

33 **Suppliers**
working with
Aldi in Cork

3 new suppliers in 2020



Aldi's living wage commitment



At Aldi, we offer market leading rates of pay, and are the highest-paying supermarket. In 2020, we increased wages for our store colleagues and confirmed that they would match the recommended Living Wage in Ireland, as set out by The Living Wage Technical Group. Since February 1, 2020, the Living Wage of €12.30 per hour is in place for all store staff.

Everyday Amazing.



€54 million

Investment in opening
10 stores in Cork
between 2008 & 2013

Karl Browning, Store Manager,
Aldi The Elysian:

Working with Aldi has been an amazing journey. I am very grateful for the opportunity to help manage a store and to work alongside a great team everyday.





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Aldi's Fast-Track Payment terms: In March 2020, we reduced our payment terms for all suppliers that transact up to €1 million worth of business annually. **All payments are processed and paid within five working days.**

The impact of Aldi's CR initiatives - Cork

23 charities in Cork benefited from Aldi's Community Grants Programme in the last year, each receiving a €500 bursary. Some of the charity recipients include COPE Foundation, The Irish Cancer Society, Marymount Hospice, Cork Association for Autism, Irish Guide Dogs for the Blind and lots more!



Local Supplier Testimonial



Working with Aldi has been a dream come true and it has greatly benefited our business. Aldi has always been incredibly helpful and supportive of us as a smaller producer. We're thrilled that our products will be on Aldi's shelves this year. The way Aldi operates perfectly matches with our company values.

Philip Dennhardt, Saturday Pizzas Company Director



The impact of Aldi food donations in Cork

Kilos Donated.....130,624
Meals Donated.....311,013
CO₂ Equivalent.....417,994
€ Saved.....€391,871



Project Fresh revamp

12 Cork stores have had full Project Fresh makeovers. Project Fresh revamps are planned for Aldi Blackrock and Aldi Bandon in 2021, and Aldi Elysian and Aldi Skibbereen in 2022.



Total spend on wages in Aldi stores in Cork



€30 million