# HOSTPOINT

# Facts & Figures
## Hostpoint

**All key information at a glance**
As Switzerland's largest web hosting provider and a leading ICANN-accredited domain registrar, Hostpoint manages over a million domains and more than 300,000 websites. Hostpoint offers simple solutions from a single source – for e-mail, websites, online stores and domain names. With the best support in the industry, Hostpoint provides direct, professional and efficient customer care in four languages, 365 days a year.

## 1. The company

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| Founding: | 2001 |
| Share capital: | CHF 150 000 |
| Headquarters: | Rapperswil-Jona, Switzerland |
| Employees: | 90 |

## 2. What Hostpoint stands for

### The best support in the industry
Advice and support are the main pillars of the company. More than half of all Hostpoint employees are involved in supporting the individual needs of customers. Advice and support are available in the four languages of German, French, Italian and English and are an all-inclusive service with all Hostpoint products. All customers receive the advice or support they need to allow them to take full advantage of the potential of their products.

### Simple solutions from a single source
Hostpoint offers customers simple solutions for e-mail, websites, online stores and domain names. Customers need only a single login to access the Control Panel where they can manage their domain names, web servers, e-mail accounts, databases and applications.

### High-quality, powerful infrastructure
Our state-of-the-art and reliable infrastructure guarantees that our services run securely and stably. Year after year, Hostpoint invests millions in maintaining and expanding its infrastructure while also continuing to develop its server software.

### Over 20 years of experience
Hostpoint was founded in 2001 by Sandro Bertschinger, Markus Gebert and Claudius Röllin. The company, which is still 100% owner-managed, is now Switzerland's largest web hosting provider and a leading ICANN-accredited domain registrar. Around 90 employees in Rapperswil-Jona manage over a million domain names and more than 300,000 websites.

### Stringent security standards
Hostpoint backs up all of its web, e-mail and database data several times a day to multiple independent and identical storage clusters in separate fire protection zones. The servers are located at the Interxion data center in Glattbrugg, which is FINMA-certified. Features such as free SSL certificates from "Let's Encrypt", multiple daily backups and DDoS protection for the entire infrastructure meet the highest security standards.

### Swissness
Our servers are located in Switzerland and all our data is stored in Switzerland. Support, software development and administration are also fully based in Switzerland.

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## 3. Milestones

**2001**   Sandro Bertschinger, Markus Gebert and Claudius Röllin found Hostpoint GmbH in Rapperswil-Jona.

**2004**   Hostpoint launches its web-o-mat CMS.

**2005**   Hostpoint becomes a global domain names registrar.

**2007**   Introduction of our proprietary server software.

**2007**   Hostpoint acquires all private customers of Sunrise.

**2011**   Hostpoint launches the website building kit Sites and the e-commerce solution Webshop.

**2013**   Hostpoint becomes an ICANN-accredited registrar.

**2015**   Registration of .swiss domain names begins.

**2015**   Hostpoint acquires a large proportion of former SWITCH customers.

**2015**   Hostpoint becomes the first Swiss provider to offer free SSL certificates.

**2017**   Markus Gebert and Claudius Rölin acquire the shares of co-founder Sandro Bertschinger.
Hostpoint therefore remains 100% owner operated.

**2019**   Hostpoint launches Managed Flex Server.

**2020**   During the COVID-19 pandemic, Hostpoint launched the free videoconferencing solution "Hostpoint Meet".

**2021**   Hostpoint celebrates its 20th anniversary.

**2022**   Hostpoint reaches milestone: more than 1 million managed domains.

## 4. Turnover

in TCHF

| Year | Turnover (TCHF) |
|------|-----------------|
| 2008 | 7500 |
| 2009 | 7700 |
| 2010 | 8000 |
| 2011 | 8500 |
| 2012 | 9500 |
| 2013 | 10 500 |
| 2014 | 11 700 |
| 2015 | 14 500 |
| 2016 | 16 000 |
| 2017 | 18 000 |
| 2018 | 20 000 |
| 2019 | 21 800 |
| 2020 | 24 000 |
| 2021 | 26 800 |
| 2022 | 29 500 |