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Facts & Figures
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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 well over 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

Founding: 2001
Headquarters: Rapperswil-Jona SG, Switzerland
Annual revenue: CHF 32 million (2023)
Employees: over 100

2. What Hostpoint stands for

The best support in the industry
Advice and support are among 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 projects.

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 by three entrepreneurs in Rapperswil-Jona SG in 2001. The company, which is still 100% owner-managed by the two founders Markus Gebert and Claudius Röllin, is now Switzerland's largest web hosting provider and a leading ICANN-accredited domain registrar. Over 100 employees manage over a million domain names and well over 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 as well as identical storage clusters in separate fire protection zones. The servers are located at the FINMA-certified Interxion data center in Glattbrugg. Features such as multiple daily backups, DDoS protection for the entire infrastructure and DNSSEC for domains meet the highest security standards.

Swissness
All of our servers are located in Switzerland and all our data is stored in Switzerland as well. Support, software development and administration also operate entirely 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 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.

2023   Hostpoint launches „E-mail & Cloud Office" and exceeds more than CHF 30 million in sales for the first time.

4. Turnover

in TCHF

Year	Turnover (TCHF)
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
2023	32 000