

CASE STUDY

Digital Transformation Global Packaging Company

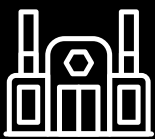
CHALLENGE

A global packaging company, operating across 240+ facilities worldwide, was preparing for a high-profile acquisition and required a complete overhaul of its IT infrastructure. Facing legacy network challenges, fragmented IT governance, and outdated workstations, the business needed a strategic partner to execute LAN remediation, IT standardisation, and critical application upgrades. Ensuring seamless post-acquisition integration was vital to maintaining operational efficiency and reducing risk.



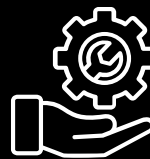
Key Challenges Included:

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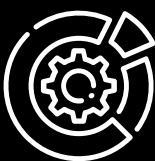
Factory Feasibility & Expansion: Assessing the viability of new factory sites and managing large-scale expansion projects to support business growth.

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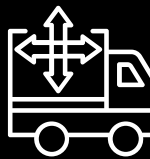
Technical & Quality Troubleshooting: Addressing production inefficiencies and ensuring compliance with stringent industry regulations.

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Utilities Management: Resolving technical issues related to utilities, ensuring optimised performance and sustainability.

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Factory Decommissioning & Closure: Managing the safe and efficient closure of a site in Europe, including asset relocation and regulatory compliance.

Solution

Circle deployed a specialist team of IT transformation experts, leveraging our unique consultancy-powered staffing model to rapidly source and embed elite technical professionals. Our agile, cost-efficient approach ensured a seamless IT transition while minimising operational disruption.

Our strategic interventions included:

- LAN Remediation – Assessing network vulnerabilities, upgrading core infrastructure, and implementing cybersecurity enhancements.
- OneIT Integration – Standardising IT frameworks, governance models, and compliance procedures.
- Workstation Modernisation – Executing an end-of-life replacement programme to enhance performance and reliability.
- Application Remediation – Identifying legacy software risks, strengthening data security, and preparing systems for cloud migration.

Execution

Circle assembled a dedicated project team, combining infrastructure specialists, network engineers, and digital transformation consultants. Delivered under a time-and-materials model, the project was structured in phases to ensure seamless execution:

- Governance & Planning – Defining scope, milestones, and risk mitigation strategies.
- Stakeholder Engagement – Aligning IT teams globally to ensure cohesion and adoption.
- Process Documentation & Knowledge Transfer – Equipping in-house teams with the expertise to maintain long-term IT stability.

Ongoing success

Circle continues to act as a strategic IT partner, ensuring the organisation's infrastructure remains robust, agile, and aligned with post-acquisition business objectives. Our ability to deploy high-calibre teams with deep industry expertise enables us to deliver measurable transformation while significantly reducing costs compared to traditional consultancies.



Results & Impact:

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Acquisition-Ready IT Infrastructure – Standardised systems and optimised governance ensuring a smooth transition.

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70% Cost Savings vs Traditional Consultancies – A lean, expertise-driven approach maximising ROI.

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Enhanced Operational Resilience – Improved network security, reduced downtime, and increased efficiency.

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Seamless IT Integration in Progress – A future-proofed infrastructure supporting scalable growth.