

Japanese Investment in Ireland



Did you know...

- + **30** companies engaging in International Operations from Ireland
- + **57%** Japanese Investment Growth in Ireland over the last five years

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Why Ireland

Talent



Youngest population in Europe with **50% under the age of 35**

Ranked **1st** for the flexibility and adaptability of its workforce

Ireland ranks **6th** globally for the availability of finance skills*

Source: IMD World Competitiveness Yearbook 2018

Tax



12.5% Corporate Tax Rate

25% Research & Development Tax Credit

Over **70+** Double Taxation Agreements

Track Record



Over **1,330** overseas company operations in Ireland across Technology, Life Sciences and Financial Services

IDA Ireland has a track record of **70 years** in Foreign Direct Investment

Ease of Doing Business



8th best country to do business in

Ranks **6th** in the world in the Economic freedom Index 2018

Flexible labour law, only common law jurisdiction in Europe *(Brexit pending)

Education



Education system ranked in the **top 10** in the world

Ireland has one of the most educated workforces in the world. The share of 25-34 year olds with a third level qualification is 52% compared to an OECD average of 43%*

Source: OECD Education at a Glance 2017

Europe



Committed European and Member of the EU since 1973

Member of the Eurozone providing access to the European market

Only English speaking country in EU and Eurozone

80% are optimistic about the future of the EU, the highest % in Europe (EU average 57%)

Cutting Edge Companies



The world's **top 10** software companies have operations in Ireland

The world's **top 10** BioPharma companies have operations in Ireland

13 of the world's top 15 MedTech companies

Connected Cities & Clusters



Ireland has a large number of cities/towns that have proven ability to attract Foreign Direct Investment



Company Profile

Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited is the largest pharmaceutical company in Japan and one of the top 20 pharmaceutical companies in the world.



Takeda has two operations in Ireland. One is located in Bray and employs 273 people in the manufacture of finished pharmaceuticals. The other is located in Grange Castle and is engaged in the production of active pharmaceutical ingredients where 89 people are currently employed.

In May 2017 Takeda Announced the construction of a new standalone high containment global supply facility in Grange Castle. This included an investment of €40m and the creation of 25 new jobs to manufacture "Ninlaro" to treat multiple myeloma.

In February 2018, Takeda announced the construction of a new modular cell therapy facility at Takeda's site in Grange Castle costing €25m and 70 new jobs. Although cellular therapeutics are biologics, they require a very different process requiring a significantly reduced capital footprint due to their small volume requirements (personalised medicine). Only a small number of such facilities exist globally and this will be the first for Ireland.

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