



CASE STUDY:

★ DRET A MANGER ★

"J Brand was able to deliver an aggressive programme of shop openings in line with the tight timescales we were working to. Despite numerous changes and challenges outside of our control, the team at J Brand never missed a beat and were able to deliver each shop on time and within the agreed budget."

SAVILLE MIDGLEY, GLOBAL HEAD OF INFRASTRUCTURE

CUSTOMER

Pret A Manger

LOCATION

UK

REQUIREMENT

EAT Integrations & New Shop Openings

EQUIPMENT

Excel Cisco Meraki



ABOUT THE COMPANY

Pret A Manger is an international sandwich shop chain based in the United Kingdom, popularly referred to as Pret.

Founded in 1986, Pret currently has over 550 shops in ten countries and employs around 12000 staff.

With an emphasis on freshly-prepared food and fast, friendly service, Pret has become a dominant food retail outlet in the UK and a popular presence in city centres, shopping malls and transport hubs.



CASE STUDY

After purchasing the EAT chain of shops in 2019, there was a strong drive to integrate a significant number of its existing shops into the Pret estate as quickly as possible, with an emphasis on increasing the number of 'Veggie Pret' retail outlets.

The objective of this ongoing project is to progress the EAT integration programme as well as to open new Pret shops as part of the chain's continuing strategic growth programme.



As a long-standing installation partner to Pret, J Brand has been tasked with supplying a Category 6 cabling network into each shop to accommodate its data networking requirements. We are also responsible for the storage, picking, IP configuration, shipping and installation of each shop's network switches, firewalls, PCs, printers and telephones.

We successfully completed 25 shops between October and December 2019 and a total of 35 in 12 months from March 2019 to February 2020.

The main challenges associated with this demanding programme were delays on site and shortages of IT equipment, but by working closely with Pret's construction teams and IT department, J Brand was able to deliver all shops on time and fully equipped.



If you would like to arrange a session to discuss further or simply have a concern, query, or requirement, please Contact us: enquiries@jbrand.co.uk

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