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Monext, a key payment player, accounts for more than 26% of the French transactions market

On the strength of its 2018 results, Monext is once again positioned as one of the key payment players with more than 3 billion transactions processed for a total amount of €144 billion. This represents an increase of around 20% in the number of transactions processed compared to 2017.

This growth is generated through its iconic solutions, many of which are disruptive:

- Monext's established position as the major processor for French supermarkets (in particular Carrefour, E. Leclerc, Système U and Intermarché);
- The success of its on-line payment solution which has now reached a market share of almost 40% in France;
- The development of Monext's card processing service with increasingly innovative and 100% mobile solutions, designed to support FinTechs and banks alike;
- The launch of the U brand's wallet, "U Paiement". This application gives customers the option of paying for their purchases in a single step (instead of four!) through a QR code. This comprehensive solution has allowed the brand to streamline the check-out experience, while boosting the digitalisation process of its customer pathways;
- The success of *Monext Converters*, allowing merchants to facilitate and speed up their connections to local payment methods and European acquiring banks.

All of these ambitious projects were made possible thanks to the commitment and enthusiasm of Monext's 400 employees. Fifty new recruits joined the Monext adventure in 2018!

In 2019, Monext will concentrate its efforts on augmented commerce in particular, to support the digital revolution which is currently shaking up the distribution sector. At last bringing together the best of both worlds, from e-commerce (efficiency, service, immediacy) and the in-store experience (welcome, personalisation, recognition, contact), this is what Monext strives to accomplish in the near future with a range of solutions that are both original and promising (UX, data aggregation, data, etc.).

For its issuing business, 2019 will be the year of mobile payments with an increasing number of functionalities aimed at making life easier for cardholders, together with a major regulatory challenge with 3DS V2.

Key figures:

Turnover: €75.5 million

3 billion transactions processed

40% market share for on-line payments

Monext Converters: 150 million transactions "converted"

Card processing: 4 million additional cards (compared to 2017, for a total now exceeding 20 million)

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MONEXT is a **major player in the payment market in France and Europe.**

We support more than 150 financial institutions and 800 merchants with innovative services covering the entire electronic payment chain in line with changing regulatory requirements. We develop solutions with increasing levels of security to anticipate all new uses. This is our contribution to our clients' development: omnichannel payment, financial flow optimisation, loans, card processing, combatting fraud, etc., anywhere and on all devices.

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