

Fast Facts

Main AxPact Partner:
AxPact Belgium
Edan Business Solutions

Client:
Cappelle Pigments NV

Website:
www.cappelle.be

Business Description:
Pigment Manufacturer

Turnover:
€75m

Countries:
Belgium, France,
China and USA

The future is bright with AxPact

Cappelle Pigments is a well-known manufacturer of pigments for the inks, paints and plastics industry. Employing over 300 people, they have production sites in Belgium, France and China, as well as a commercial operation in the United States.

Cappelle selected AxPact member Edan Business Solutions to implement Microsoft Dynamics AX across their entire business operations because of their specialist solutions and skills in process manufacturing. Another key factor in choosing Edan was their ability to roll out a multi-national project with AxPact in all of the key countries they operate in.

“We liked the fact that Edan was a member of AxPact. This gives them the ability to centrally manage our entire project but use the local, cost effective resources via the AxPact member in the specific country,” commented Guido Vanhalst, CFO at Cappelle.

When Cappelle expanded their operations into China in 2009 they realised that their previous internally developed custom application on the AS400 platform, was fast becoming an obstacle to the company’s growth strategy. The company undertook a complete review of their business processes before they reviewed modern ERP solutions to take the company forward.

“We realised the need for a uniform solution across all of our operations and an interface the user felt at ease with - Microsoft Dynamics AX stood out as a flexible, easy to use, multinational solution. Edan proved to us that their specific industry focus and AxPact membership meant they were an ideal partner for Cappelle and we look forward to working with them into the future,” concluded Guido Vanhalst.