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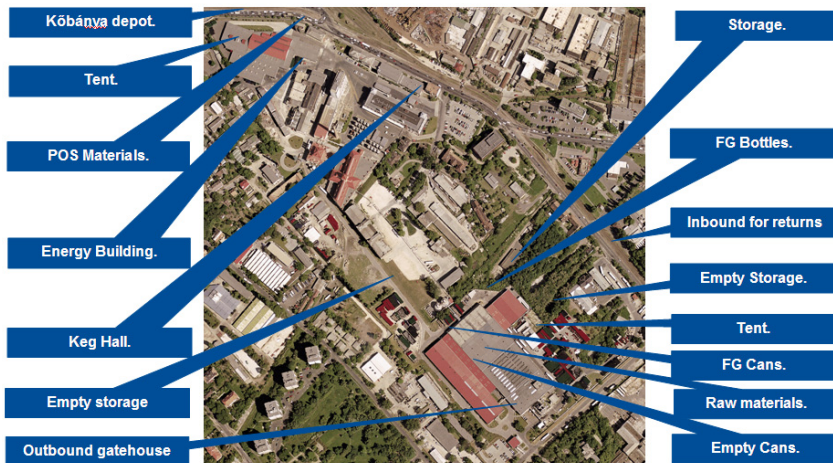
– Alan Sikora, Production & Logistics Director, Dreher Brewery, SAB Miller

OBJECTIVES & CHALLENGE

Dreher supply around forty wholesalers in Hungary through five regional depots as well as supplying Key accounts directly from their primary site. These Key accounts now represent around 70% of volume produced, with 2.3 million hectoliters of beer brewed every year.

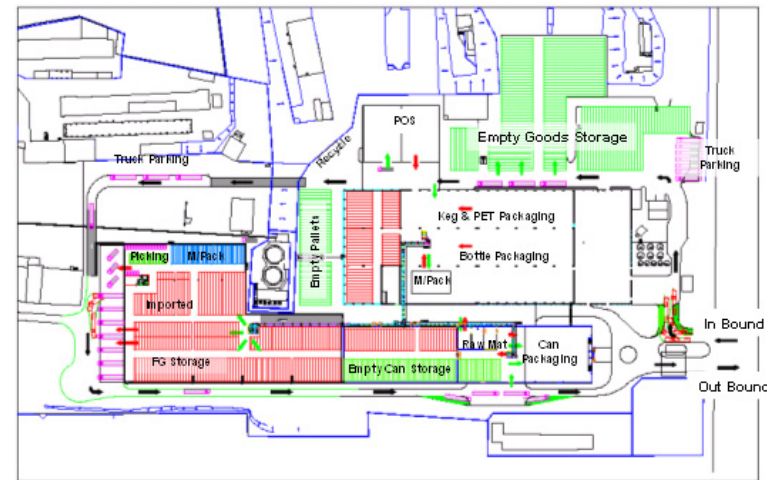
To achieve growth in line with their business strategy, Dreher identified the need for a new warehouse facility at their main site in Budapest and engaged Consilium in the design process.

Due to the nature of the site’s evolution, warehousing was fragmented across the site, resulting in lengthy picking and storage processes, costing the business and preventing full realisation of production potential.



SOLUTION & RESULTS

Consilium drew up plans for an extension to the existing warehouse, complemented by a new site circuit road.



This facility design would create an additional **10,000 sqm** and offer:

- increased visibility of stock
- improved production efficiencies
- higher levels of customer service through an improved ability to respond to changing demands
- a saving in headcount and labour costs by bringing storage facilities under one roof

Consilium produced a conceptual business case for Dreher Brewery offering a yearly benefit of around **\$1.9 million**. Dreher management were satisfied with this output and will implement a number of these recommendations within their modified plan.