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General Information

Visit to: Cummins - Daventry
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Daventry
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Accommodation

- Mercure Daventry Court hotel
01327 307 000
- De Vere Staverton Estate
01327 282 435

Agenda

10:00: Arrival

- **“This is Cummins Daventry”**
Roy Free, Plant Manager
- **CI evolution and where we are today**
Matt Chandler, CI Manager
- **Plant Tour**
- **Lunch**
- **Industry 4.0 & Digital Manufacturing**
Mike Clark, Manufacturing Engineering Leader
- **Quality 4.0**
Mark Osborne, Quality Leader
- **Q&A**

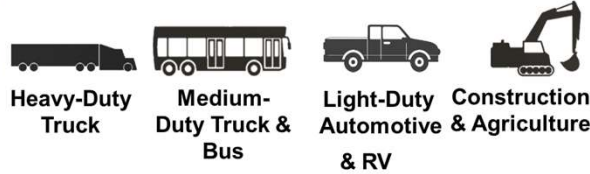
15:00 Close and depart

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Engines
made in 2017

49–675 hp
Broad range of
products



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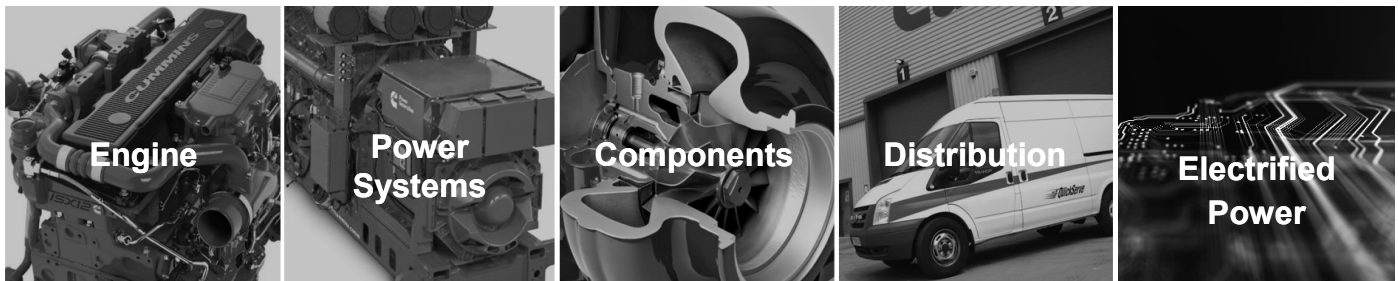
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About Cummins Engine Business

Cummins is a world leader in the design and manufacture of engines and power generation equipment, including PowerCommand standby and prime power systems. The site also provides single-source warranty, planned maintenance, and round-the-clock emergency service 24 hours a day, seven days a week including back-up power rental through our network of distributors.

There are five operating segments



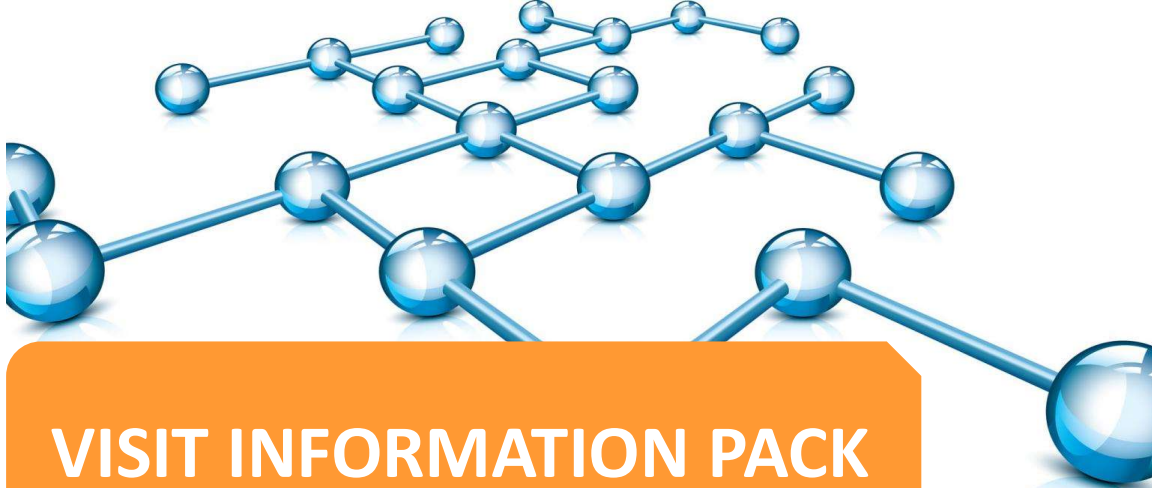
At Daventry the plant manufactures automotive engines used in heavy and medium trucks, bus and off highway vehicles. The site also manufactures light duty automotive. More recently the site has also begun manufacture of the power generation systems (Gensets) which are used in a variety of environments including rail, mining, oil and gas and commercial marine.

Manufacturing processes on site include: Machining of blocks, Assembly build, Sub-assembly, Paint, Final Test.

On the factory tour you will see clear evidence of:

- Continuous product flow (Moving Flow Line)
- Strong Visual Management
- Problem Solving Boards and CAPA Processes
- Five S / Shadow Boards
- Standard Work / SOP's
- Suggestion scheme
- Planned Maintenance
- Kanban stock control
- Variable takt management

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Who should attend?

- Directors, Board Members
- Senior and Operational Management
- Production & Team Leaders
- Lean, Six Sigma & CI Managers

Why attend a Best Practice Visit?

- Inspiration – seeing best practice first hand.
- Exposure to new ideas and opportunities
- Benchmarking
- Networking
- Highly motivational
- Practical & unbiased information – no theory, no consultants, no text books – just what works and why

Costs & To Book

- Delegate Fees: £395 plus VAT per person
- 10% Discounts for Group Bookings (5 or more)
- Maximum Number of attendees: 16

To Book

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Net Promoter Score across all visits Based on feedback from visitors

Why it works:

- + Visitors see first hand what has worked & why
- + Networking with like-minded people
- + Benchmarking drives improvement
- + New ideas & solutions
- + Accelerates Innovation

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