

Is designerexchange.ie legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

designerexchange.ie

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

designerexchange.ie appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-07-31 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 70%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage for Designer Exchange Ltd, an Irish luxury resale retailer offering authenticated pre-owned designer bags, jewellery, watches, and accessories. The page provides extensive product listings with EUR prices, shopping-cart actions, company registration and address details, authenticity information, shipping and refund policies, social links, and editorial articles.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	8 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	12 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2016 144 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2016.
- VirusTotal and Google Safe Browsing had no flags for this domain; its hosting IP carries AbuseIPDB reports below the confidence level TrustSniffer treats as a flag.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is an established Irish luxury-resale ecommerce storefront operated as Designer Exchange Ltd, presenting authenticated pre-owned designer handbags, jewellery, watches, and accessories for sale, alongside resale, rental, gift-card, and payment-plan services.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, brand impersonation, phishing behavior, or malicious reputation findings were observed. The consistent company identity, mature domain provenance, continuing archive history, substantial catalogue, euro-denominated pricing, and ordinary shopping functionality collectively support the conclusion that this is a legitimate retail operation rather than a deceptive storefront.

- The homepage identifies Designer Exchange Ltd and presents detailed product listings, prices, condition categories, cart functions, and an authenticity promise.
- The domain registration record shows registration in 2014, with an age of approximately 12.07 years; the registrar is Blacknight Solutions and the registration expires in 2031.
- The web archive contains 144 snapshots spanning 2016–2026, representing 11 years of tracked history, with no detected suspicious repurposing or semantic drift.
- External reputation checks recorded no malicious or suspicious detections, no phishing indication, and no confirmed adverse listing for the domain.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site presents a coherent commercial identity and includes company-registration and address details, contact information, and consumer-policy materials. As a luxury-goods retailer rather than a represented financial or investment service, it makes no licensing claim requiring validation in the supplied evidence. Payment plans and rentals should nevertheless be assessed under their stated contractual terms, particularly where a separate finance provider or continuing payment obligation is involved.

- The homepage provides routes to About Us, Contact Us, Shipping, FAQs, Refund and Exchange Policy, Privacy Policy, and opening-hours information.
- The site's transport encryption uses a domain-validated TLS certificate issued by YE1, valid until 26 October 2026.
- Hosting telemetry records service from AS13335, operated by Cloudflare, Inc.

- The homepage offers resale, rental, gift-card, and payment-plan services in addition to direct retail purchases.

What to Verify Next

Before a material purchase, the buyer should confirm the item-specific condition assessment, scope of the authenticity commitment, return eligibility, delivery arrangements, and payment-plan terms. For high-value goods, company and address particulars should be matched against the transaction documents, while official contact channels should be confirmed independently if an order requires unusual payment or delivery instructions.

- The homepage categorizes merchandise across condition levels ranging from “Next To New” to “Fair,” making the individual listing description commercially significant.
- Dedicated Authenticity Promise and Sustainability pages are linked from the storefront.
- Shipping, refund and exchange, privacy, and FAQ materials are available through the site’s internal navigation.
- The observed form was limited to newsletter signup; no hidden form, external password submission, wallet request, clipboard manipulation, or cloaking behavior was detected.

Summary Verdict

The website presents as a legitimate, established, and trustworthy ecommerce business. Its identity, operational content, historical continuity, clean reputation, and observed browser behavior converge without material contradiction, supporting normal commercial engagement with high confidence.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website uses Cloudflare CDN/WAF protection, with the observed address belonging to an edge server rather than an exposed origin. This reduces direct infrastructure exposure and is a useful security control, although such protection is appropriately treated as mitigation rather than independent proof of business legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing, account login, purchases, and other standard use are appropriate, subject to ordinary ecommerce precautions such as reviewing the applicable terms and retaining transaction records.

Written analysis generated 2026-07-31 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	76/100
Identity verification confidence	76%

- Trusted social count=2

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of designerexchange.ie.

- The request stayed on designerexchange.ie. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Blacknight Solutions. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by blacknightdns.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2031-07-09. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2016-08-05. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in CA. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Blacknight Solutions
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	CA
Server IP	23.227.38.32
Name servers	ns1.blacknightdns.com, ns2.blacknightdns.com
SSL issuer	YE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-26
Domain age	12.1 years
Domain expiry	2031-07-09
Archive first seen	2016-08-05
Archive snapshots	144
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 8 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about designerexchange.ie at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.