

Is istorepreowned.co.za legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

istorepreowned.co.za

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

istorepreowned.co.za appears legitimate.

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

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-11 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 70%.

What this site appears to be

Retail storefront for iStore Pre-owned offering certified, tested Apple devices with warranties, multiple payment methods and delivery/pickup options. Contains account login and checkout flows, trade-in and promotions.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
- 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	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	5.8 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2021 73 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: 3 to 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2021.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is an ecommerce storefront for iStore Pre-owned, presenting a retail catalogue and customer-service pathways for refurbished or pre-owned consumer electronics, with an apparent business model based on direct sales, trade-ins, financing options, and fulfilment through delivery or store collection.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No phishing, impersonation, blacklist, or conflicting-identity indicators were observed. The site presents a coherent retail proposition: certified and tested Apple devices, warranty coverage, multiple payment methods, delivery and pickup options, trade-ins, promotions, and account and checkout functionality. These are commercially plausible features for an established electronics retailer, and the page analysis found no hidden forms, wallet-drainer behavior, cloaking, or other abuse patterns. External reputation checks were clean, with no malicious or suspicious detections, no reported abuse associated with the observed delivery infrastructure, and a material global traffic footprint. The available evidence therefore supports an apparently legitimate, low-risk retail website, while not independently proving the real-world operator's identity.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage presents “Pre-owned Apple Products You Can Trust” alongside certified-device, warranty, payment, delivery, pickup, promotion, and trade-in content.
- The site's behavioral analysis recorded no hidden forms, cloaking, wallet activity, clipboard interception, or suspicious inline scripts across two successful runs.
- The domain was registered in 2020 and is approximately 5.79 years old.
- Web-archive records contain 73 snapshots spanning 2021–2026, covering 6 tracked years with no detected suspicious repurposing or semantic drift.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site appears to provide ordinary ecommerce policies, warranty information, returns support, and store-locator functionality, but the supplied page evidence does not establish an independently verified legal operator or a regulatory registration. No licensing claim or license number is identified in the available content; for a consumer-electronics retailer this is a disclosure and verification matter rather than evidence of deception. Registration data lists The Core Computer Business, PTY LTD and Lexsynergy Limited as registrar, providing useful administrative context, but it does not by itself prove that entity operates the storefront. No matching third-party broker profile was found, although that absence is contextual and is not a legal or licensing determination.

EVIDENCE

- The account, store-locator, and returns-support pathways are present in the site navigation, together with warranty and payment-policy content.
- Registration data records creation on 2020-10-28 and expiry on 2027-10-28 through Lexsynergy Limited.
- The site is served from AS13335, operated by CLOUDFLARENET – Cloudflare, Inc., US.
- The site's TLS certificate is issued by WE1 at DV validation level and is valid to 2026-09-13.

What to Verify Next

Before credential or payment interactions, independently confirm that the merchant name shown in the checkout, payment flow, and customer communications corresponds to the intended retailer. Review the returns, warranty, delivery, and payment-protection terms before placing an order, and confirm official support and social channels through independently obtained contact details. Where a licensing or registration requirement is relevant to the transaction or financing arrangement, confirm it with the applicable official registry rather than relying solely on the website.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage contains a login form and checkout/payment flow, making independent confirmation of the merchant identity relevant before sensitive interactions.
- The site links to Facebook, Instagram, and TikTok profiles that can be checked through independently sourced official channels.
- The storefront offers returns support, warranties, delivery or pickup, and payment or financing options that should be matched against the transaction terms.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture for its stated retail function. No contradictions were observed, but the real-world operator connection remains likely rather than independently verified.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare CDN/WAF infrastructure, with all observed addresses belonging to Cloudflare edge servers and no origin candidate identified in the analysis. This reduces direct exposure of the underlying service and is a mitigating technical control, but it is not proof of merchant legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Ordinary browsing is proportionate; before submitting credentials or payment details, the prospective customer should complete the independent merchant, transaction-terms, and payment-protection checks described above.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-11 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 istorepreowned.co.za.

- The request stayed on istorepreowned.co.za. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Lexsynergy Limited. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by cloudflare.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-10-28. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2021-04-11. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Lexsynergy Limited
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:20::681a:ee
Name servers	jessica.ns.cloudflare.com, will.ns.cloudflare.com
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-13
Domain age	5.79 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2027-10-28
Archive first seen	2021-04-11
Archive snapshots	73
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about istorepreowned.co.za 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.

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