



Our History

2019 – Rezit is formed by Lynchmere Ltd

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2018 – Lynchmere adds a teaming arrangement for Flood Protection with Aquobex

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2017 – Lynchmere forms a teaming arrangement with Vijaydeep Polymers India, run by Mr Irfan Gilani, for export of products to India

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2014 Lynchmere develops further on its' ballistic materials and anti-cut products

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2010 Lynchmere is formed after the successful sale by James Purves of AML UK Ltd to Ten Cate Advanced Armour

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2009 AML UK develops a new anti-cut system for European Cash-in-Transit vehicles

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2007 AML UK complete successful further sales into military armour markets and achieve a turnover of GBP£10 million pa

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2005 AML UK develops a unique mortar protection system to protect UK troops in Basra Iraq

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2004 AML UK acquires Armotec Ltd and enters the armoured steel market winning GBP£2M+ of export orders through its new subsidiary run by Mr Irfan Gilani, AML India PVT

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2003 AML UK acquires Meggitt Armour Systems and designs a new moulded armour shell for PSNI Land Rovers

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2001 AML UK acquires Plastechnol Ltd and the armour machinery for making Chobham Armour

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2000 AML UK is formed by James Purves after he leaves Plastechnol Ltd

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1997 Plastechnol Ltd wins the contract for 400+ new Challenger 2 Armour kits from Vickers Defence Ltd

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1995 Plastechnol wins the contract for supply of 250+ Warrior AFV armour kit spall liners from GKN Defence Ltd, also known as Alvis and now part of BAe Systems

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1991 Plastechnol wins the first orders for armoured partitions from Lloyds Bank and becomes the major supplier of armoured walls to the UK banking sector

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1990 James Purves joins Plastechnol after securing the sale of Galt Composites Ltd to Plastechnol

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1989 Galt Composites appoint James Purves as Sales Manager, and become part of Avon Rubber's Defence Products Group

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1987 James Purves joins Galt Composites to become a project manager and look at the business from a production and sales perspective

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1986 Avon Rubber acquire Galt Composites Ltd

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1984 James Purves joins Avon Rubber in Bradford-on-Avon

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1970/80's Stuart Galt creates Galt Glass and develops Chobham Armour materials with the RARDE later to become Defence Research Agency and then DSTL.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chobham_armour

