# Montana Bakery

Gender Pay Gap Report 2023



## Vision & Mission

Born from a passion for baking Montana Bakery was founded in 1998. An artisan and handcraft bakery producing a variety of premium Chilled & Frozen topped breads which then became part of the global partner Martin Braun Gruppe in 2018.

Our aim is to be the preferred supplier of Artisan Breads and high-quality bakery products made with only the best ingredients and inspired by traditional processes and innovation from around the world. We are proud that a core factor of our success is the emphasis we place on our passion for bread, our people and sustainability.

#### Gender Pay Gap an overview

Since 2017, UK based organisations with 250 or more employees are required to report on their gender pay gap annually.

The gender pay gap reports show the difference between the average earnings of men and women, expresses relative to men's earnings. Employers must report six different measures based on as snapshot of a pay data by 5<sup>th</sup> April each year:

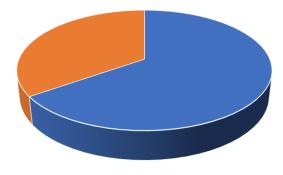
- the percentage of men and women in each earnings quartile
- the mean (average) gender pay gap based on hourly pay
- the median (middle) gender pay gap, based on hourly pay
- the percentage of males and females that received a bonus
- the mean (average) gender pay gap for bonus pay
- the median (middle) gender pay gap for bonus pay

#### **Our Statutory Report**

Below data sets out our Montana Bakery gender pay gap position for the 2022-2023 year.

Montana Bakery employed a total of 440 people, of which 287 were men and 153 were women.

Gender Split



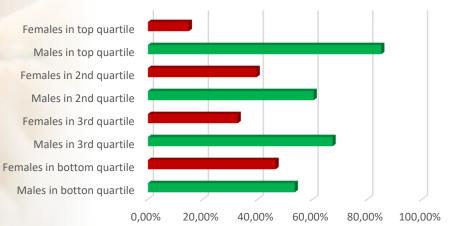
men female



Our mean gender pay gap is 17.3 percent. The Gap arises because of unequal distribution of men and women across the company. In common with other organisations and based on our experience women and men are represented in certain roles e.g. women in production and men in engineering( which attracts a higher rate of pay). The gap is not due to our pay structure.

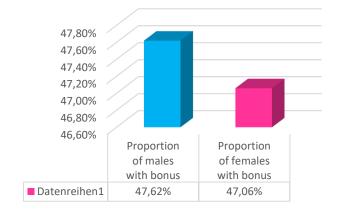
When we divide employees into quartiles, the gender split is as follows.

#### Quartile Split



At the time of the snapshot, 47 percent of all staff had received a bonus in the previous 12 months.

Proportion of Bonus







### **Our Commitment**

At Montana Bakery we are committed to gender equality. We will continue to drive greater inclusion, fairness and attract the best talent for the roles available regardless of gender.

We are working alongside Martin Braun Gruppe to continually enhance our best practices and frameworks. The launching of our new training platform will offer the opportunity for every employee, regardless of the role, to choose the best approach for their development and career progression.

We have listened to our employees, and we have adopted a hybrid/ flexible way of working where possible.

We are proud to have a diverse and passionate workforce.