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## **COMPAC ON TRACK FOR RECORD YEAR**

Technology innovation company Compac Sorting Equipment is on track for a record year, with a forecast of \$45m in global sales to June 07.

This marks an 80% increase over the past two years and is a result of Compac's long term focus on technology.

Compac recently was awarded a Technology Commendation for its innovative technology, used to improve efficiencies in fruit and vegetable packing.

Compac designs and manufactures high speed sorting, grading and packing systems for fruit and vegetables and its technology is regarded as a world leader. It sorts by weight, size, blemish, shape, colour and density as well as for sugar levels or internal defect.

Bob Shaw, Compac General Manager, said local sales have been significant this year particularly with the growth and uptake of technology in the kiwifruit industry.

Mr Shaw says growth is also coming through the company's sustained effort into expanding its markets in North and South America as well as through partnerships in Europe and Asia.

Compac operates in over 22 countries, with over 100 staff in New Zealand and a similar number globally.

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