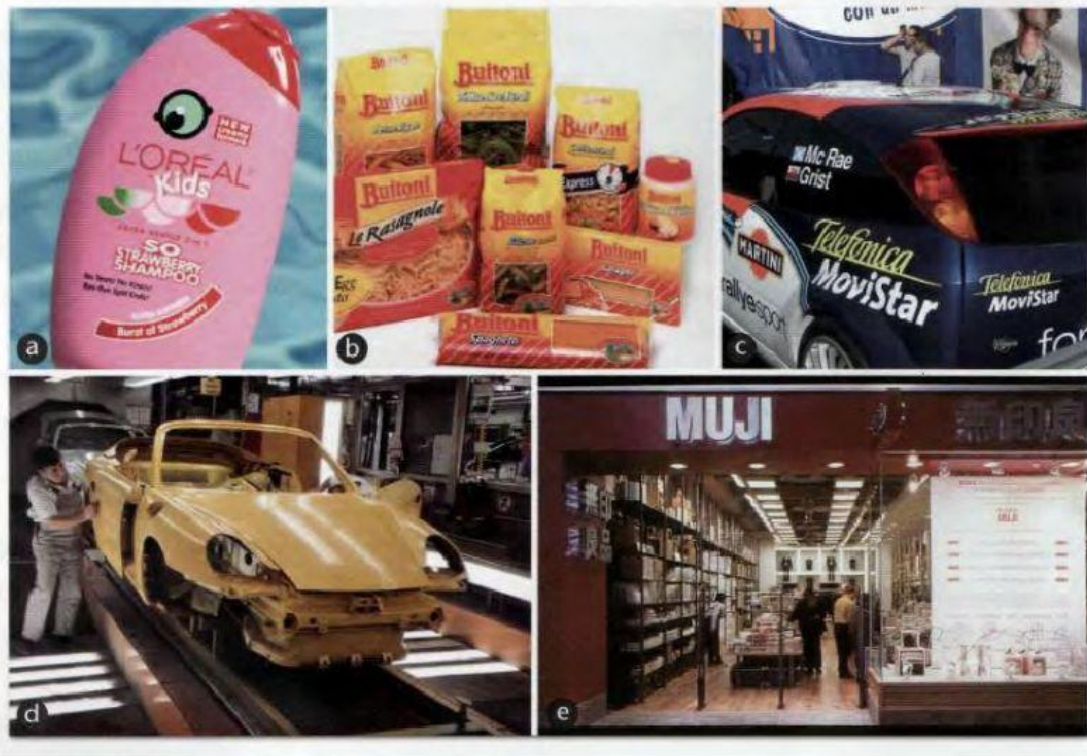


FOCUS ON WORDS



Match the photos a-e to these companies.

- 1 a Japanese retail company
- 2 a French cosmetics company
- 3 an Italian food company
- 4 a Spanish telecommunications company
- 5 a German car maker


What type of company do you work for?

Work with a partner. Use a verb in B, and a noun in C to make sentences about the companies in A, as in the example.

A	B	C
Airbus Industrie Yahoo Walmart Thomas Cook Morgan Stanley Manpower Vodafone	offers manufactures / makes <i>provides</i> recruits operates sells organizes	cellular phone networks. temporary staff. aircraft. financial advice. travel and holidays. <i>Internet services.</i> consumer goods.

Read this company profile about the Italian white goods producer Candy-Hoover, and complete the text using the words in the box.

competitors brands head office products
companies turnover employees



With its ¹ in Brugherio near Milan, Candy-Hoover is one of Italy's most famous ² It is a family business with 6,700 ³ and a large range of different ⁴ such as cookers, dishwashers, and washing machines. Its ⁵ include Hoover, Rosières, and Ibernà. The market for electrical domestic appliances is a very difficult one to be in and Candy-Hoover has many ⁶ in Europe and the Far East, such as Whirlpool, Electrolux, and Moulinex. Worldwide ⁷ is about \$470 million with 80% of sales in Europe.

(((1.1))) Listen to the interview again and complete these questions.

- 1 Who you
- 2 Where you
- 3 What the company
- 4 Do you any famous
- 5 Is the electrical domestic appliances difficult?
- 6 How of that turnover in Europe?

