

# International Business Services : A one-stop shop for investors in France

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**International Business Services (IBS)**



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**\$ 4 billion**  
revenue  
**30,000**  
employees  
**2,600**  
partners  
**100**  
countries

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**€ 130 million**  
revenue  
**1,300**  
employees  
**115**  
partners  
**24**  
cities  
nationwide  
**5**  
service lines



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- Legal, Tax and Employment Law Advisory Services

# IBS

## Solutions for international investors

### A one-stop shop for inward investors in France

- Assistance and advice on setting up a business:
  - Advice on legal structure,
  - Liaison with lawyers, bankers and other professionals,
  - Registered office services,
- Outsourcing payroll services including drafting employment contracts and registration with social security organisations,
- Bookkeeping and accounting,
- Annual accounts and tax compliance,
- Management and financial reporting in English, French or German,
- Restatement of French accounts in compliance with IFRS, US or UK GAAP,
- Assistance during tax and social security audits,
- Contractual audit,
- Due diligence,
- Coordination with other service lines within the firm and with the Grant Thornton network overseas.

### A real solution for international groups

- Setting up and/or developing their presence in France,
- Facing language and technical knowledge barriers,
- Having limited internal resources or wanting to outsource accounting, tax compliance and payroll,
- Requiring control and supervision of operations.

### The IBS team

- Bilingual partners and staff specialised in international operations,
- UK Chartered Accountants and *Experts-Comptables*,
- A dedicated payroll and employment law team,
- Experience of working with clients in a wide range of industry sectors,
- Responsiveness to client reporting deadlines,
- Capability in using client accounting software.



## International Business Services (IBS)

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