



Unlock Belgium

Helping you set up and grow your business

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Expanding your business in Belgium

Expanding into new international markets can be challenging due to the many issues to consider and resolve. Our teams can provide expert advice and insight to support you every step of the way. From helping you find the best location, to setting up a branch or subsidiary, we are committed to providing pragmatic and timely advice that allows you to focus on achieving your business goals.

International expansion is an important step, but with a dedicated international business adviser, who takes time to understand your business and customise the specific services you require, you'll know you have the support to manage the risks and maximise the potential a new market offers your business.

Our advisers can help at every stage of your company's growth cycle – from starting-up, raising venture funding, listing on a global exchange, acquiring or merging with another company, or using Belgium as a base to expand into other markets – which means that whatever the challenge, we're at your side.

We can help you with the following services:



Company set up

- Determining the appropriate corporate structure
- Company registration
- Intellectual property



Employment advisory

- Labour law and Social Security
- Reward packages
- Employment tax
- Work permits and visas
- Global mobility services
- Compensation & benefits advisory



Business Process Solutions

- Book keeping for start-ups and SME's
- Fully outsourced and web based solutions
- Custom made financial reporting and accounting services that suits your business
- KPI reporting and analysis
- Global compliance and reporting solutions
- CFO-as-a-service
- Consolidation services



Audit and assurance

- Statutory and non-statutory audits
- Belgian and new GAAP conversions and compliance services
- Financial reporting advisory
- International financial reporting standards advisory



Tax & Legal services

- Tax & VAT compliance
- Tax & VAT advisory (domestic and international)
- Transfer pricing
- Tax & VAT structuring & planning
- VAT process & ERP set-up
- Private Client Services
- Corporate & Commercial law advisory and assistance
- ICT Law & GDPR

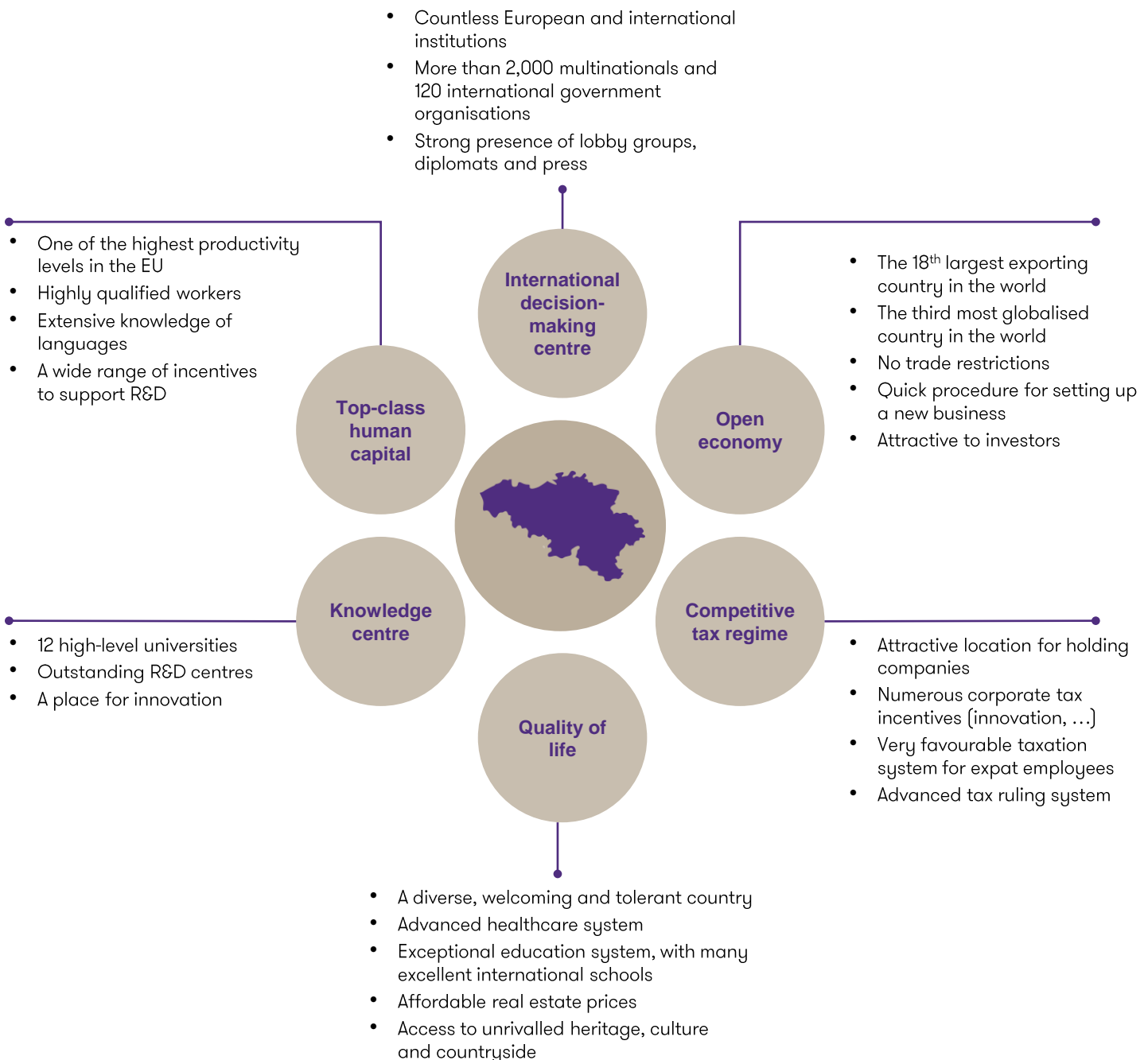


Business growth support

- Expert, tailored support to help you grow your business in Belgium and globally
- Introductions to key business communities
- Mergers and acquisitions
- Financial, tax and legal due diligence
- Legal transaction assistance
- Structuring assistance
- Business valuation and financial modelling

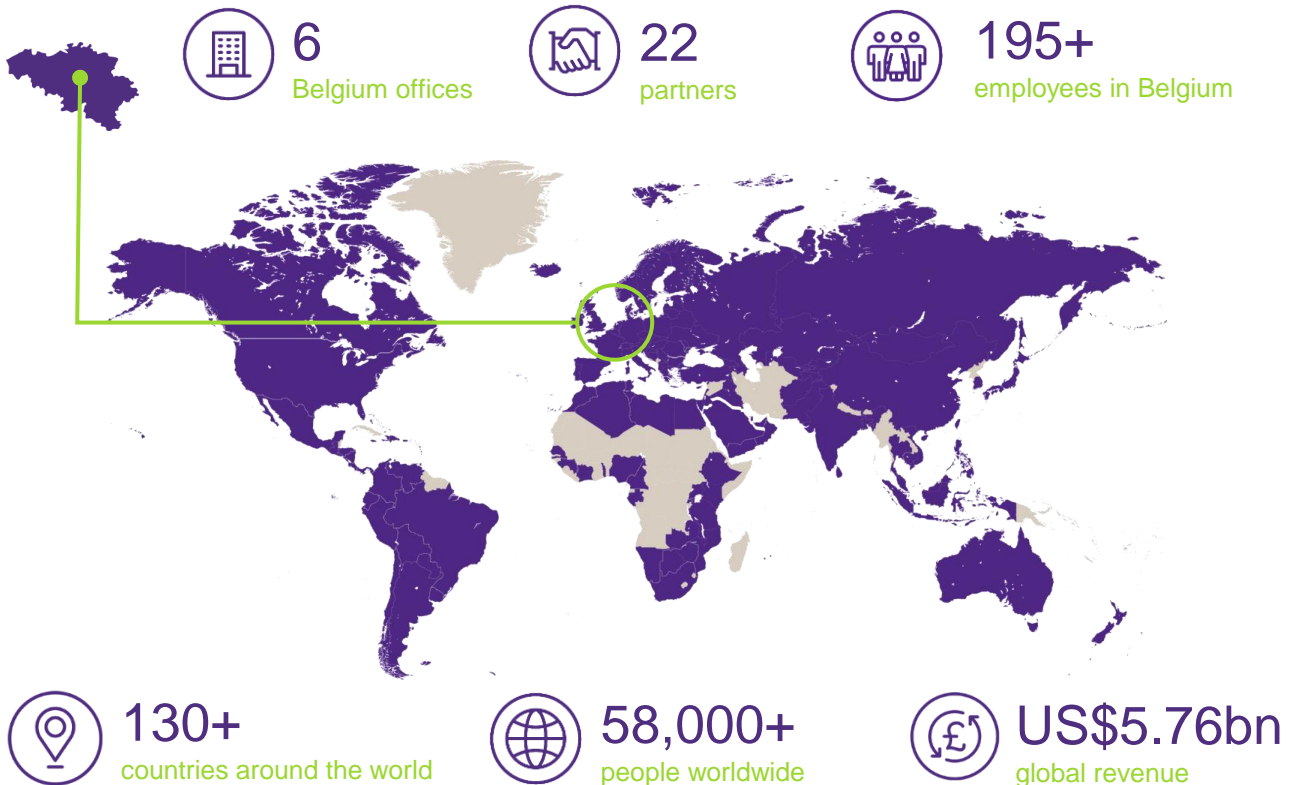
Why choose Belgium?

Located in the heart of Western Europe, Belgium enjoys a key position in the European and international economy. As one of the six founding states of the European Union and home to many international organisations, Belgium has always been a prosperous marketplace, in business with countries from all over the world.



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