

FAST FACTS



Fast Figures

	Turkey	Global
Revenues US\$	10.4 million	4.6 billion
Personnel	142	42,000
Offices	4	729

*As at 30 September 2015

Turkey



Aykut Halit
National chairman

“An important factor which contributes to the quality of service provided is the firm-wide application of an audit approach, which is based on obtaining an in-depth understanding of the client and the environment in which they operate. Our objective and commitment is to provide the highest quality of service to a multitude of companies using a state of the art technology based approach combined with skillful and experienced professionals. Our mission as Grant Thornton Turkey is to provide the same quality of seamless service to clients over a spectrum from small and medium to larger entities.”

Aykut Halit

Who we are

Grant Thornton Turkey was founded in 1986 and provides a comprehensive range of professional services with approximately 142 staff, operating in Istanbul, Ankara, Bursa and Antalya. We cherish our guiding principles which are respect, integrity, professional excellence and leadership.

Our services are driven by the added value we provide to our clients, the close cooperation amongst our professional staff and the value of our experience.

Where we are

We have offices in Istanbul, Ankara, Bursa and Antalya

How we work

At Grant Thornton Turkey each engagement is closely supervised by a partner with relevant industry experience and a select team of skilled professionals. We truly believe that the success of our client's business mirrors our success and we use all resources necessary to ensure a successful, committed long-term relationship. The key areas we focus on are:

- personalised attention delivered by open and frequent communication from our engagement teams
- direct access to technical and subject matter specialists
- global resources and support of other Grant Thornton member firms.

Why Grant Thornton

We are the trusted leading audit, tax and advisory services company of Turkey that focuses our experience on mid and upper size family owned companies.



Our clients

Our clients consist of both private and public companies operating in a wide range of services.

What we do

Assurance

We perform our audits using the Grant Thornton audit methodology. This is our means of complying with global policies and professional standards, including the standards established by the International Federation of Accountants.

Assurance services include:

- audit of financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, regulations of the Capital Market Board and of the Banking Regulatory and Supervision Agency
- compliance audits conducted with respect to requests emanating from clients, banks and similar financial institutions.

Tax

Areas of tax specialisation include:

- tax advisory services on income tax law, corporation tax law, value added tax and other basic tax laws
- advisory services with respect to; double taxation prevention treaties, transfer pricing regulation; sector specific tax advisory services
- tax certification services, namely:
 - audit of records and documents of companies in accordance with tax regulations
 - certification of annual corporation tax returns
 - certification of VAT refunds
 - tax conflict resolution
 - application of tax incentives
 - tax planning for companies and individuals.

Advisory

Business risk services

Our business risk services are designed to achieve greater transparency and stronger corporate governance. This is achieved through robust internal controls, better use of information technology and operational efficiency.

Transaction advisory services

Our due diligence assignments are conducted on the basis of work plans developed by Grant Thornton, which are adapted to the circumstances of the local assignment.

Valuations

Our company valuation services are provided in accordance with the authoritative guidance set out in the International Standards on valuation and/or Capital Market Board Valuation Standards, considering the nature of the assignment and the parties involved.

Other services

Internal audit

We review the effectiveness of an entity's internal controls and communicate any weaknesses and deficiencies together with suggested recommendations for improvement.

Outsourcing

- bookkeeping
- payroll
- company secretarial
 - annual and extraordinary general meetings of shareholders
 - establishment of new companies
 - company liquidations.

Our global organisation

Grant Thornton is one of the world's leading organisations of independent assurance, tax and advisory firms. These firms help dynamic organisations unlock their potential for growth by providing meaningful, actionable advice. Proactive teams, led by approachable partners in these firms, use insights, experience and instinct to understand complex issues for privately owned, publicly listed and public sector clients and help them to find solutions. More than 42,000 Grant Thornton people, across over 130 countries, are focused on making a difference to clients, colleagues and the communities in which we live and work.

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