

## 1 Finnish affiliates abroad

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## 1.2 General instructions

The inquiry concerns the fiscal year ending in 2024. The data is reported for the period corresponding to the activity. Information marked with an asterisk\* is mandatory information on the online form. If the group's accounting period has not ended during 2024, 'Basic information' is sufficient as an answer.

## 1.2.1 Monetary unit

The monetary unit of the inquiry is the euro. Other monetary units are converted into euros according to the exchange rate of the day when the transaction took place. Indicated in thousands of euros, VAT 0%.

#### 1.2.2 Personnel

The number of personnel is reported as an average for the year.

#### 1.3 Basic information

The pre-filled data must be checked and, if necessary, corrected. The contact person's information (name, phone number and e-mail address), the enterprise's information and the period of the financial year are indicated on the form. We will contact you if we need additional information regarding the details provided.

## 1.4 Enterprises

The enterprise's pre-filled data in the form is from Statistics Finland's Group Register. The data of the individual enterprise is updated on the online form with the 'Fill' button. Missing enterprises and branches and information about them are added with the 'Add' button. Enterprise's data can also be imported into the form as a CSV file transfer (page 3).



#### 1.4.1 Affiliates

The requested data opens in a pop-up window: name, ID, country, direct parent, start date of the group relationship, group voting power, industry. Check that 'Group control' and 'Operating during the financial period' are correct. Report the figures of joint ventures in full, the figures of associated enterprises do not need to be reported.

#### 1.4.2 ID-code

The code is an identifier used internally by the group to identify the enterprise. The ID makes it easier to answer. If the ID is not in use, leave the field empty.

## 1.4.3 Group control.

It is chosen when the enterprise has been under the control of the group during the financial period.

## 1.4.4 Operations during the financial period

It is chosen when the enterprise has had either turnover or personnel during the financial period.

## 1.4.5 Group relationship has ended

The end of the group relationship is reported in the section 'Group relationship ended' and adding the date of the end of the group relationship.

## 1.4.6 Industry

The affiliate's pre-filled industry can be changed if necessary.

The industry describes the affiliate's economic activity. Industry is defined based on the industry classification (TOL 2008) maintained by Statistics Finland.

The classification is based on the European Union industry classification (NACE). The most accurate 5-digit level of the classification is a national class tailored to Finland's needs.

The list of industry categories is on page 6, and their detailed descriptions are on the Statistics Finland website: www.stat.fi/en/luokitukset/toimiala/.



#### 1.4.7 Affiliates as CSV file transfer

Affiliates data can be uploaded to the form as a CSV file. Transferring data to the form:

- Download the enterprises to a CSV file.
- 2. Check the data on the form and save to your computer in CSV UTF-8 format.
- 3. Bring the data on the form and save

The order of the columns in the CSV file and the names of the column headings may not be changed. There cannot been added columns to the file.

Note! Leading zeros may not appear in the attachment, but they will be restored when the file is uploaded back to the online form.

#### 1.5 Affiliates financial statements' accounts

## 1.5.1 Turnover (external and internal sales)

The turnover of an affiliate comprises all market sales of goods or services supplied to third parties irrespective of whether the customers are external to the group or companies belonging to the same group.

The total turnover (100%) should be reported even if the group does not exercise full ownership over the affiliate.

Turnover comprises sales profits from the actual activity of the affiliate, after deduction of granted discounts and refunds, value added tax and other taxes based directly on sales volume. Turnover also includes all other charges (transport, packaging, etc.) passed on to the customer.

Income classified as other operating income, financial income and extraordinary income and revenue from the use by others of enterprise assets yielding interest, royalties and dividends and other income according to the International accounting standards (IAS/IFRS) is excluded from turnover. Operating subsidies received from public authorities, or the institutions of the European Union are also excluded.

If the affiliate's economic activity is wholesale and retail trade incl. commission trade, turnover comprises, in addition to turnover from wholesale and retail trade, also receipts from the sales of merchandise from other industries.

Merchandise is goods acquired by an enterprise for the purpose of reselling them without further processing. This item also includes the occasional resale of



own raw materials as such and without further processing. This item also includes the service purchases of service enterprises acting as invoicing agents.

If the affiliate's economic activity is insurance, its turnover is comprised of gross premiums written.

If an affiliate's economic activity is pension funds, its turnover is comprised of total pension contributions. This shall comprise all pension contributions, due during the accounting period, in respect of pension contracts, such as all mandatory contributions, other regular contributions, voluntary additional contributions, incoming transfers, and other contributions.

# 1.5.2 Number of Personnel (number of employees and selfemployed persons) (annual average)

The number of employees is defined as those persons who work for the affiliate and who have a contract of employment and receive compensation in the form of wages, salaries, fees, gratuities, piecework pay or remuneration in kind, and self-employed persons. All persons for whom payments are booked under the heading personnel costs in the profit and loss accounts of the affiliate should be included even if in some cases no contract of employment exists.

The number of employees includes part-time workers, seasonal workers, persons on strike or on short-term leave, but excludes persons on long-term leave. The number of self-employed persons is the average number of persons who were at some time during the reference period the sole owners or joint owners of the statistical unit in which they work. Family workers and outworkers whose income is a function of the value of the outputs of the statistical unit are also included.

Temporary workers from an employment agency are not included in the number of employees.

The number of personnel is measured as an annual average using at least data for each quarter of the year.

#### 1.5.3 Personnel costs

Personnel costs are made up of wages and salaries and employer's social security costs.

Payments for agency workers are not included in personnel costs.



All remunerations paid to the personnel during the accounting period are included, incl. all gratuities, workplace and performance bonuses, ex gratia payments, 13th month pay (and similar fixed bonuses), payments made to employees in consideration of dismissal, lodging, transport, cost of living, and family allowances, commissions, attendance fees, overtime, night work, etc., as well as taxes, social security contributions and other amounts owed by the employees and retained at source by the employers.

Also included are the social security costs of the employer. These include employer's social security contributions to schemes for retirement pensions, sickness, maternity, disability, unemployment, occupational accidents and diseases, family allowances as well as other schemes. These costs are included regardless of whether they are statutory, collectively agreed, contractual or voluntary in nature.

## 1.5.4 Gross investments in tangible non-current assets

Gross investments include all additions, financial leases, alterations, improvements and renovations which prolong the service life or increase the productive capacity of capital goods. Goods acquired through company restructuring (such as mergers or take-overs) are excluded.

Purchased goods are valued at purchase price, i.e. transport and installation charges, fees, taxes, and other costs of owner-ship transfer are included. Own produced tangible assets are valued at production cost. The value of goods acquired via financial lease corresponds to the market value of the goods if they have been purchased in the year of acquisition.

Investments are recorded when the ownership is transferred to the affiliate.

Gross investments in tangible assets are obtained with the following equation:

- + Gross investments in land and water areas
- + Gross investments in civil engineering constructions, electricity and heat networks, data transmission lines (backbone networks)
- + Gross investments in buildings and structures
- + Gross investment in construction and improvement of buildings
- + Gross investments in machinery and equipment
- + Gross investments in other tangible assets



Land and water areas refer to land and forest areas, built and unbuilt lots as well as water areas.

Civil engineering constructions refer to streets, roads, rail and tramways, bridges, piers, dams, reservoirs, water and sewage networks, fuel tanks, lock shelters, electricity and heat networks, data transmission lines (backbone networks), energy plants and similar tangible assets.

Buildings refer to residential and other buildings.

Gross investment in construction and improvement of buildings includes additions to construction of new buildings for own use (self-constructed), acquisitions of new buildings (usually the result of a construction contract, the beneficiary of which is the reporting statistical unit), capitalized additions, alterations, improvements and renovations to existing buildings (if additional economic benefits associated with them are likely to flow to the statistical unit), recognized as such by the statistical unit during the reference period.

Machinery, equipment and transport equipment include computers and ICT equipment. Data network equipment, including routers, and software purchased with computers are included here.

Other tangible assets include gravel, ore, peat, etc., natural resources and material rights.

Gross investments in tangible assets do not include running maintenance costs or the value and overhead expenditure on capital goods used under rental and operational lease contracts. Annual payments for assets used under financial leasing should be excluded.

Gross investments in tangible assets also exclude investments in intangible and financial assets.

# 1.5.5 Affiliate acquired during the accounting period: tangible assets at time of acquisition

If an affiliate has been acquired during the accounting period, tangible assets at the time of acquisition should be reported at their current value.



Tangible assets include land and water areas, civil engineering constructions, electricity and heat networks, data trans-mission lines (backbone networks), buildings and structures, machinery and equipment, and tangible goods. The definition is the same as in the preceding section on gross investments in tangible assets.

### 1.5.6 Categories of economic activity

## Agriculture, forestry, and fishing

- 01 Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities.
- 02 Forestry and logging
- 03 Fishing and aquaculture

### Mining and quarrying

- 05 Mining of coal and lignite
- 06 Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas
- 07 Mining of metal ores
- 08 Other mining and quarrying
- 09 Mining support service activities

#### Manufacturing

- 10 Manufacture of food products
- 11 Manufacture of beverages
- 12 Manufacture of tobacco products
- 13 Manufacture of textiles
- 14 Manufacture of wearing apparel
- 15 Manufacture of leather and related products
- 16 Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials
- 17 Manufacture of paper and paper products
- 18 Printing and reproduction of recorded media
- 19 Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products



- 20 Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products
- 21 Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations
- 22 Manufacture of rubber and plastic products
- 23 Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products
- 24 Manufacture of basic metals
- 25 Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment
- 26 Manufacture of computer, electronic and optical products
- 27 Manufacture of electrical equipment
- 28 Manufacture of machinery and equipment N.E.C.
- 29 Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers, and semi-trailers
- 30 Manufacture of other transport equipment
- 31 Manufacture of furniture
- 32 Other manufacturing
- 33 Repair and installation of machinery and equipment

#### Electricity, gas, steam, and air conditioning supply

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#### Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities

- 36 Water collection, treatment, and supply
- 37 Sewerage
- 38 Waste collection, treatment, and disposal activities; materials recovery
- 39 Remediation activities and other waste management services

#### Construction

- 41 Construction of buildings
- 42 Civil engineering
- 43 Specialised construction activities



#### Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles

- 45 Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles
- 46 Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles
- 47 Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles

#### Transportation and storage

- 49 Land transport and transport via pipelines
- 50 Water transport
- 51 Air transport
- 52 Warehousing and support activities for transportation
- 53 Postal and courier activities

#### Accommodation and food service activities

- 55 Accommodation
- 56 Food and beverage service activities

#### Information and communication

- 58 Publishing activities
- 59 Motion picture, video and television programme production, sound recording and music publishing activities.
- 60 Programming and broadcasting activities
- 61 Telecommunications
- 62 Computer programming, consultancy, and related activities
- 63 Information service activities

#### Financial and insurance activities

- 641 Monetary intermediations
- 642 Activities of holding companies
- 643 Trusts, funds, and similar financial entities
- 649 Other financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding
- 65 Insurance, reinsurance, and pension funding, except compulsory social security



66 Activities auxiliary to financial services and insurance activities

#### Real estate activities

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#### Professional, scientific, and technical activities

- 691 Legal activities
- 692 Accounting, bookkeeping, and auditing activities; tax consultancy.
- 701 Activities of head offices
- 702 Management consultancy activities
- 71 Architectural and engineering activities; technical testing and analysis
- 72 Scientific research and development
- 731 Advertising
- 732 Market research and public opinion polling
- 74 Other professional, scientific, and technical activities
- 75 Veterinary activities

#### Administrative and support service activities

- 77 Rental and leasing activities
- 78 Employment activities
- 79 Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related activities
- 80 Security and investigation activities
- 81 Services to buildings and landscape activities
- 82 Office administrative, office support and other business support activities

#### Public administration and defence; compulsory social security

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#### **Education**

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#### Human health and social work activities

86 Human health activities



- 87 Residential care activities
- 88 Social work activities without accommodation

#### Arts, entertainment, and recreation

- 90 Creative, arts and entertainment activities
- 91 Libraries, archives, museums, and other cultural activities
- 92 Gambling and betting activities
- 93 Sports activities and amusement and recreation activities

#### Other service activities

- 94 Activities of membership organisations
- 95 Repair of computers and personal and household goods
- 96 Other personal service activities

# Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use

- 97 Activities of households as employers of domestic personnel
- 98 Undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of private households for own use

#### Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies

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