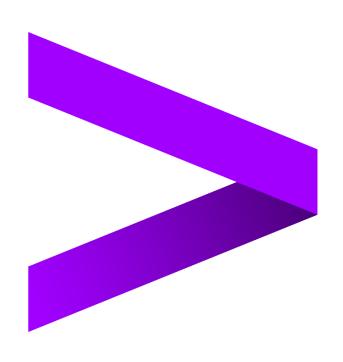


# SUPPLIER'S GUIDE TO INVOICING

# - ACCENTURE SPAIN



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## 2 Introduction

Dear Supplier, thank you for providing goods or services to Accenture. Accenture always aims to pay suppliers on time, within the payment terms that have been agreed, and will also follow local government regulations where applicable. This can only be achieved with the co-operation of our suppliers – please follow the guidelines outlined in this document to ensure that we can meet these targets.

#### 2.1 Establishing and Maintaining Your Accenture Supplier Profile

- Please make sure the contact and payment information Accenture has on file is always current. If your mailing address, Purchase Order (PO) receipt email address, contact information, bank information, or phone numbers change, You have to go to your company profile on <u>Supplier Hub</u> and update your details. If you have not yet created your company profile in the supplier hub, or have any related questions, please contact to: <u>suppliersetup@accenture.com</u>
- Also, remember that the Certificate of being up to date with Social Security payments is valid for one year from its date of preparation. Therefore, if you continue your business relationship with Accenture, you must send us a certificate again after that period. This Certificate must be made electronically through the following address: <a href="mailto:procurement.spain@accenture.com">procurement.spain@accenture.com</a>.

#### 2.2 Credit Terms

Accenture's standard payment terms are 60 net days from the issue date of a valid legal duly submitted VAT Invoice (Refer to 'Submitting Invoices to Accenture', section 2.5), unless alternate payment terms have been agreed in writing with Accenture Procurement Plus. Invoice due dates mentioned on the invoice will not be taken into consideration whilst making the payments.

#### 2.3 Preparing Invoices for Accenture

Please include <u>all</u> of the following information on the invoice:

#### O Information of your company:

- Full legal name of your company or natural person issuing the invoice.
- VAT Identification Number.
- Invoice number / applicable reference number, Invoice date.
- Tax Address.
- Total amount due.
- Detailed description of delivered goods or rendered services (price and quantity, net amount, VAT percentage, VAT amount, gross amount).
- Tax rate or taxes applied.
- Output tax.
- Date of services rendered (if different from invoice date).
- Your complete banking details (Sort code, Swift Code, Account #, IBAN, etc).

• If you are issuing a credit note against a cancelled invoice, kindly quote the corresponding invoice reference against which the credit note is being issued; alternatively, please quote complete details for issuance of the credit note to enable us to account for it appropriately.

#### O Accenture information:

- Accenture VAT number and general data: street address, city, zip code and country where goods or services were delivered (Refer to 'Accenture Companies', section 2.8).
- Accenture Purchase Order (PO) number beginning with 60xxxxxxxx or 76xxxxxxxx on the invoices (where the goods & services are provided against a PO). Note: Accenture will not be liable for late payment fees if a PO number has been provided to the supplier but not included on the invoice.
- E-mail address of the Accenture contact who requested the goods or services.

**Note:** This employee will be asked to confirm receipt of the goods or service and verify the accuracy of the invoice before the payment can be released. This is essential if no PO number has been provided.

#### o Special instructions for companies providing services abroad:

 Per tax requirements, companies providing services abroad may be liable to pay tax in both countries under their tax laws. To avoid this 'double taxation', each country has negotiated its own Double Taxation (DT) treaties. You may go to your country's Tax Office website and review if they have a valid treaty with Spain. If yes, to claim income tax treaty benefits, and/or certain other tax benefits in foreign countries, you must send us a copy of your up-to-date certificate of residence (CoR).

Thus, before or at the same time you submit your first invoice to Accenture, please also send a copy of your Residency Certificate to <a href="Payables.Spain.BA@accenture.com">Payables.Spain.BA@accenture.com</a>. Please note that without the certificate of residence, we are obliged to apply a withholding tax of 24% on your invoices for the Spanish Treasury. This is not an Accenture requirement, but a legal one.

#### NOTE: Any incomplete information may result in delay in payment from Accenture

#### 2.4 Special instructions for Purchase Order (PO) Invoices

- Accenture requires a Purchase Order (PO) for all purchases. Please request a PO# from the requestor and clearly quote this on the invoice to ensure you comply with this policy (some local exemptions may apply; the requestor will advise you if this is the case).
- If you are providing goods and services to Accenture under more than one PO, you must invoice for each PO separately. Only one PO can be referenced per invoice.
- The details and item-wise breakup on the invoice must match exactly with the description noted on the PO (for example, the 'Bill To' address must match exactly that outlined in the PO). Always reference the appropriate PO line item number for each line item on the invoice.
- Please note that a Purchase Requisition Number ("PRXXXXX") will **not** be accepted, please quote only a valid PO number (eg "**60xxxxxxxx**").

• Invoice value/quantity should **not** exceed the PO value/quantity. In case of any issues please contact your Accenture requestor to update the PO as required.

#### 2.5 Submitting invoices to Accenture

NOTE: The below instructions are intended for vendors who submit invoices manually, not using a specific tool (eg Beeline, Ariba Network, Fieldglass, SAP RE-FX etc).

- Suppliers are requested to issue all invoices on a timely basis. Kindly submit all invoices within **5 business days** from the invoice date.
- Failure to issue or submit invoices on a timely basis may result in payments being delayed. In no event shall Accenture be liable for any fees, costs, expenses or other charges where invoices are not submitted accurately or in a timely manner.
- Please send a soft copy of the invoice / credit note directly to <a href="mailto:acn.inv.spain@accenture.com">acn.inv.spain@accenture.com</a> in a non-manipulative format eg. PDF. Please submit 1 PDF document per invoice. Ensure that all supporting information related to a particular invoice is in 1 PDF file only, with the invoice being the 1st page and any other relevant supporting information on the subsequent pages. Max 1MB per attachment, Max 10 attachments per mail and Max 10MB per email (including attachments). Do **not** encrypt, password protect or digitally sign the emails.
- o Max 250 pages per pdf file, A4 size, white background if possible.
- Any additional useful information can be added to the body of the email. You will
  receive a notification on successful submission / rejection of the invoice which
  will indicate our invoice tracking number (URN#). Do not resend your
  invoice/credit note, this will duplicate the documents in the system and may lead
  to delays This URN# should be used as a reference in all communications
  regarding your invoice.
- Receipt of the URN# means that the invoice has been correctly received and that
  it will be analyzed by our Invoice Processing Team it does not mean it has been
  accepted. If any issue is found when reviewing your invoice, you will be
  contacted with details of the required information or action required.
- The most common reasons for invoices being rejected are:
- Handwritten text on the PDF o PDF encrypted or password protected. o
   PDF with digital signature. o Attachments with the same name. o
   Attachments with long names or special characters. o Invoices with watermarks
- Please check with customer support team (see section 2.7) before resubmitting
  any invoices that were submitted earlier. Invoices sent to personal mailboxes or
  directly to Accenture employees will be deemed as not received.
- Please do **not** submit original invoices to the Accenture employee who requested
  the goods or services. If you need to send a copy of the invoice to your contact
  at their request, please clearly indicate on the invoice that it is a copy and has
  already been submitted to Payables. This will help to prevent duplication in our
  systems and prevent payment delays.
- A reconciliation exercise should be completed by the supplier on at least an annual basis to ensure there are no outstanding invoices unpaid.

#### 2.5.1 Other Systems Used for Invoice Submissions

Accenture also accepts invoices via other invoicing tools – if this applies, you should already have been contacted by Accenture separately and provided with all relevant training in these tools:

- **a) Ariba Network -** This is an electronic document exchange tool, which is fully integrated & linked to supplier ERP systems.
- For any queries, please contact the Ariba Catalog and Network Enablement team at <u>ACN.LA.EnablementSvc@accenture.com</u> **b) T360** This tool is only applicable for legal advisors.
  - Contact T360.administration@accenture.com for further assistance.
  - **c) Beeline** This tool is only applicable for staffing agencies providing Time & Material Services
  - Contact <u>cxhelpdesk@accenture.com</u> for further assistance.
- **d)** Fieldglass Used in some areas to manage deliverable based services (SOWs)
  - By using Fieldglass, you have agreed to RCTI (Recipient Created Tax Invoice), hence you shall not attach your own ERP invoice to the RCTI created by Fieldglass.
  - All supplier materials are uploaded into the <u>SAP Fieldglass Reference</u> <u>Library</u>
  - Contact <u>ServicesSOW@accenture.com</u> for further assistance.
- e) SAP RE-FX This tool is only applicable for Real Estate Management
  - Landlords must follow guidelines provided by Local Workplace Team. Each new Landlord should receive instructions from Local Workplace at or around lease execution.

#### 2.6 Accenture Supplier Standards of Conduct

Accenture is committed to conducting its business free from unlawful, unethical
or fraudulent activity. Suppliers are expected to act in a manner consistent with
the ethical and professional standards of Accenture set forth in the Accenture
Supplier Standards of Conduct, including reporting promptly unlawful,
fraudulent or unethical conduct. Accenture has established reporting
mechanisms and prohibits retaliation or other adverse action for reporting such
conduct. A copy of the Accenture Supplier Standards of Conduct can be found
at the following address: www.accenture.com/codeofbusinessethics.

#### 2.7 Further Information & Assistance

- You can get the status of your invoices and payments at any time via the My Supplier Portal (MSP) (link:
   <a href="https://eme.mysupplierportal.com/ACC/Pages/UI/Login.aspx">https://eme.mysupplierportal.com/ACC/Pages/UI/Login.aspx</a>). This tool is available to suppliers 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- The first step is to set up an account, if you haven't yet registered for MSP, do it today! Click on 'create new account' and follow the registration process.
- Once you have registered, you will also have access to a virtual agent designed to help you with your questions and if it can't help, it can connect you to chat 'live' to an Accenture Helpdesk Agent.

• Please note that the mailboxes mentioned in section 2.5 are intended for invoice submissions <u>only</u>. All other queries, concerns or statements should be routed through our customer support team at <u>esc.spain@accenture.com</u>.

### 2.8 Accenture companies - Bill to Address including Accenture Legal Entity:

Accenture S.L. Paseo De La Castellana, 85 28046 Madrid, Madrid Spain VAT (CIF): B79217790	Tecnilógica Ecosistemas S.A.U. Paseo del Club Deportivo 1, Edificios 10, 28223, Pozuelo de Alarcón, Madrid Spain VAT (CIF): A28963767	Accenture Outsourcing Services S.A. Paseo del Club Deportivo 1, Edificios 10, 28223, Pozuelo de Alarcón, Madrid Spain VAT (CIF): A80949175
Informática de Euskadi, S.L. Derio (Parque Tecnológico, Edificio Mendeberri), Vizcaya Spain VAT (CIF): B48907307	Energuia Web S.A.  Paseo del Club Deportivo 1, Edificios 10, 28223, Pozuelo de Alarcón, Madrid Spain  VAT (CIF): A95108247	Outsourcing and Automation Systems, SL Passeig Sant Gervasi, número 51, Planta 5a, Modulo B, 08022, Barcelona, Spain VAT (CIF): ESB65968174
QIPRO SOLUCIONES, S.L. Calle Severo Ochoa, 55, 29590, Malaga, Spain VAT (CIF): B93435865	ITBS Servicios Bancarios de Tecnología de la Información, S.L. Paseo del Club Deportivo 1, Edificios 2 y 10, 28223, Pozuelo de Alarcón, Madrid, Spain VAT (CIF): B86957420	AVANADE SPAIN, S.L. Passeig Sant Gervasi, número 51, Planta 4ª, Modulo B, 08022, Barcelona, Spain VAT (CIF): B62352216
INNOTEC SYSYTEM, S.L.U. Paseo de la Castellana, 85, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  VAT (CIF): B83444943	AXIS MANAGEMENT CONSULTING SP, S.L.  AVDA. DIAGONAL, 640, 1ERA PLANTA B, Barcelona 8017, Spain  VAT (CIF): B63722797	

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