

# MAZARS IN INSURANCE

Assuring success



# WE UNDERSTAND YOUR CHALLENGES

"MAZARS' STRENGTH LIES IN THE UNIQUENESS OF ITS BUSINESS MODEL. YOU WILL EXPERIENCE THE RELIABILITY OF A GLOBAL PLAYER TOGETHER WITH THE TECHNICAL EXPERTISE AND THE SERVICE LEVEL OF AN INDIVIDUAL BUSINESS PARTNER."

JEAN-CLAUDE PAULY

The insurance industry is facing an uncertain, unstable and highly complex economic and financial environment compounded by major regulatory changes.

## YOUR CHALLENGES

1. Compliance with constantly evolving **regulation** (Solvency II) and accounting standards (IFRS 4 phase 2)
2. Financing your operations and **growth**
3. Evaluating **risk** and adapting your strategy to market changes
4. Providing consistent and **transparent** information
5. Improving your financial **performance**
6. Strengthening your internal **controls**
7. Optimising your **organisation** and processes

MAZARS WORKS FOR THE LARGEST GLOBAL INSURANCE COMPANIES

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MAZARS IS AN INTERNATIONAL, INTEGRATED AND INDEPENDENT ORGANISATION SPECIALISING IN AUDIT, ADVISORY, ACCOUNTING, TAX AND LEGAL SERVICES. AS OF 1<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2014, THE GROUP HAS A DIRECT PRESENCE IN 72 COUNTRIES AND DRAWS ON THE EXPERTISE OF MORE THAN 13,800 PROFESSIONALS TO ASSIST COMPANIES AT EVERY STAGE IN THEIR DEVELOPMENT.

# A WIDE RANGE OF SERVICES

We do more than tick the boxes.  
We are experts in insurance and are able to tailor our approach and services to the particular requirements of the insurance industry. Our market knowledge and technical expertise in a wide range of services allow us deliver client service excellence in a seamless way.







# PROVEN EXPERIENCE

Our proven experience with insurance clients underlines our ability to perform a first rate job. Recent key achievements include:

## AXA

"Mazars brings its insurance expertise in a pragmatic way to ensure a high quality audit of AXA Group. Mazars shows at any time its ability to invest in its entire integrated network to ensure a high level of technical skills, a professional and value-added audit with a high level of responsiveness. Mazars has demonstrated its capacity to efficiently coordinate its network to adapt to AXA's evolution in the organization of the finance functions with more and more transnational transversal processes."

**Amélie Breitburd**, Head of PBRC at AXA - one of the world's leading insurance groups.



## AXIS RE

AXIS Re is a leading diversified global reinsurer comprising risk-bearing platforms in the USA, Bermuda and Europe, with branches in select jurisdictions and 29 offices spanning five continents.

Mazars has provided diverse advisory services in Switzerland, the USA and Bermuda, including support in project management, technical accounting and assistance in underwriting and claims management in the context of an organizational and IT change program.



## SCOR

Mazars is the external auditor of SCOR, always tailoring its audit approach to anticipate SCOR's needs worldwide.

SCOR is the world's 5<sup>th</sup> largest reinsurer serving more than 4,000 clients from its organizational Hubs located in Europe, Asia and the Americas.

Mazars has developed a unique, global risk-based audit approach that takes the best of SCOR's tools and controls, in order to provide constructive and pragmatic feedback to SCOR.



# OUR TEAM AND APPROACH



## A single integrated service platform

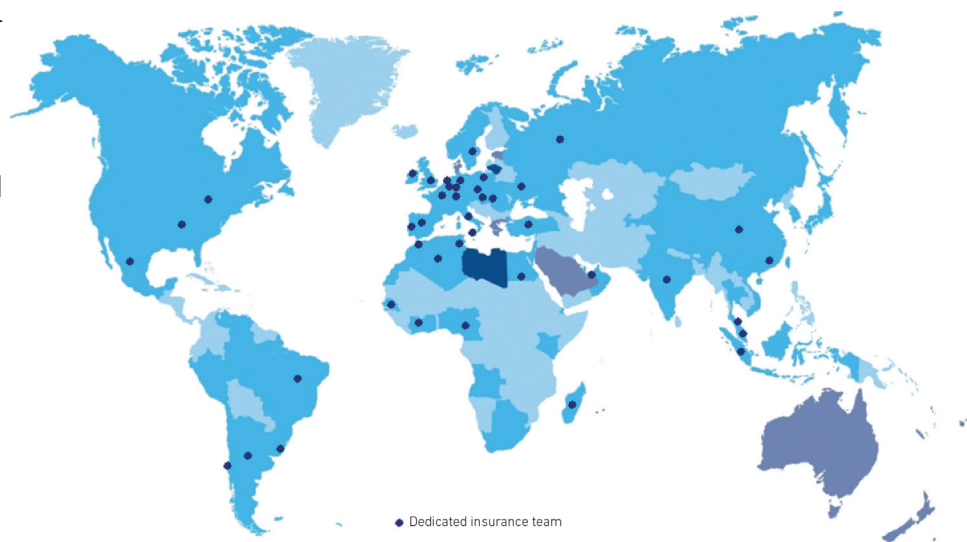
What sets Mazars apart is the people in our insurance practice, working on a single integrated service platform, which brings together our professional experts in audit, tax and insurance advisory services.

It allows us to respond to our clients' questions in a timely and definitive manner, and to execute and deliver our services efficiently and effectively. All appropriate procedures are implemented to ensure the supply of high-quality services.

We bring our extensive experience and expertise to our clients in a personalized, hands-on fashion along with great attention to detail in a cost-efficient pricing model.

Through this unique platform, you will experience the following:

- An innovative approach to problem solving;
- An integrated team with specialized industry knowledge and technical expertise;
- Continuous, hands-on partner involvement;
- A highly responsive and dedicated multi-disciplinary team; and
- A strong commitment to providing tailored solutions to meet your needs.



**WE ARE EXPERTS IN INSURANCE AND ARE ABLE TO ASSIST YOU IN YOUR NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES THROUGH A NETWORK OF OVER 700 SPECIALISTS IN AUDIT, TAX, ASSURANCE AND ADVISORY SERVICES DEDICATED TO THE INSURANCE INDUSTRY. WE ARE ACTIVELY AND WIDELY INVOLVED IN BOTH INSURANCE-RELATED ISSUES AND REGULATORY COMPLIANCE AT BOTH INTERNATIONAL AND NATIONAL LEVELS.**

Mazars is present on 5 continents.

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