

Strategy

Industrialisation
Standardisation
IT Architecture



Conception

Overall Bank Management
Integrated Reporting
Consolidation
Processes

Implementation

IFRS
Basel II
Profitability Analysis
Management Accounting
Regulatory Requirements
Deposits, Loans, Collaterals

Applications

Analytical Banking
Transactional Banking
ERP



Integrated SAP[®] Solutions for Banks

	Banking	Insurance	Corporates
Consulting			
Software			
SAP Services			

Integrated SAP® Solutions for Banks

Sustained pressure on margins, increasing risk management requirements and new regulatory standards: the agendas of banks include demanding issues. In this context, IT is not only a means to an end, but also an effective driver for fulfilling the impending tasks. The SAP banking solution integrates the topic areas of transactional banking and analytical banking, on the basis of the latest service-oriented architecture (SOA). Here, the ifb group is your partner for all aspects of the bank-specific design and implementation.

Strategy: positioning banks securely

The future-proof positioning of the bank under highly competitive market conditions demands the right strategic focus of the entire value added chain. The ifb group combines all competences in order to support this process from one supplier:

Our service spectrum starts with the planning, founding and reorientation of banks in conjunction with the development of new business models. It also includes the targeted industrialisation of business processes as well as economics-based analysis and modelling in all task fields of the banking business. We ensure that the requirements for the IT representation of all functions in a service-oriented architecture are already comprehensively taken into consideration in the definition of strategy.

Conception: properly managing banks individually

Banks need to be able to make optimum use of their equity capital in the individual business sectors, according to risk and result-based criteria. This demands overall bank management, which flexibly takes into account the specific features of the institution and the structure of the business. The ifb group is an experienced partner in the design of such systems based on SAP for Banking – from A to Z and in close co-operation with the bank employees.

Based on the management and risk strategy of your business, we produce the risk bearing ability concept, including determining margin potential and the limitation of risk types. Our experts look after the structure of the risk measuring processes. They design the instruments for measuring performance and determining margins. The quality of our solutions is proven not only in redundancy-free methods and universally consistent figures but also in transparent, slim-line and fully documented processes for management, consolidation and integrated internal and external reporting.

- Special Expertise Partner SAP for Banking
- Full integration of banking and IT core competences
- 120 consultants in the area of SAP for Banking with a project experience of over 600 man-years

- High level of specialist competence proven through two decades of consultancy experience in the banking sector
- Authoritative involvement in the design of the SAP industry solution for banks since 1995
- Definition of standardised services for bank IT systems as a founder member of the Banking Industry Architecture Network, BIAN

- Leading know-how in integrated risk and return management for banks
- Recognised expertise in the modelling and optimisation of core banking processes
- Extensive experience in the area of governance, risk and compliance

ifb group brings business and IT seamlessly together ...

Planning, founding and reorientation

Development of new business models

Overall bank management
Process reengineering

State-of-the-art bank management

Project planning and management

Strategy

Development of modern, service-oriented IT architecture

Conception

Development Partner of SAP
„We know the software because we have developed it“

With sophisticated management know-how, technical implementation expertise and result-focused, partnership-based project execution, the ifb group has gained an outstanding reputation as a centre of excellence for financial and corporate controlling, risk management and reporting. Over 1,600 customers, of which around 1,400 are financial service providers, benefit from the specialist skills and detailed industry knowledge of our 450 employees.

- Requirement analysis and planning
- Determination of IT architecture
- Project management
- Development of the integrated data model
- Business process reengineering
- Leading expertise in the implementation of SAP for Banking

- SEM Banking
- SAP Bank Analyzer
- SAP Transactional Banking
- SAP Business Objects
- SAP BI
- SAP ERP

Implementation: the knowledge transfer is decisive

The qualified introduction of SAP control systems means jointly defining the right solution for the bank in consideration of management aspects, representing it flawlessly in IT technology and systematically integrating it into operative practice. The ifb group SAP experts ensure that this process runs concisely and efficiently in all parts. Here, we consistently pass on our knowledge to the employees of our customers.

In **risk management**, we implement solutions for controlling market, credit, liquidity and operational risks, asset liability management, and determining the economic and regulatory equity capital. We provide support with Value-at-Risk and credit portfolio models, in stress testing, and on the issue of regulatory reporting. For **controlling and accounting**, the harmonised implementation of the measures from Basel II and IFRS is a central aspect. We provide accounting solutions in accordance with IFRS and local GAAP, ensure the integration of the IFRS perspectives into the internal controlling, and determine risk-bearing ability in accordance with IFRS. In the **core banking** sector, we have sound knowledge of the processes and introduce the SAP solutions Loans Management, Deposit Management and Collateral Management. For **Enterprise Resource Planning**, we implement SAP New G/L as well as solutions for Multi-GAAP Accounting and group consolidation.

Applications: no experiments

The ifb group provides its customers with full competence in the realisation of SAP-based solutions. As a consultancy and development partner of SAP AG, we have had a decisive influence in the shaping of the banking solutions in the areas of analytical banking and transactional banking. Our comprehensive system and implementation know-how is the result of numerous successful projects. As a curriculum partner to SAP, we are responsible for the content of the SAP Bank Analyzer training courses. The ifb group also designs the localization of transactional banking for the markets of Central and South America.

These factors identify us as a qualified partner for your bank-specific SAP implementation project. In addition to the implementation of the standard software, we naturally also take on customer-specific adaptations. Here, in consideration of the SOA philosophy, the ifb group offers you the complete SAP technology know-how, from interface development through the development of add-ons to the implementation of the latest SAP Netweaver technologies. With these conditions in place, we are able to guarantee our customers an effective implementation process, even in the context of tight deadlines.

Profound business know-
ledge ...

From interfaces to core systems and
analytics up to Business Intelligence and
technology

Implementation

Applications

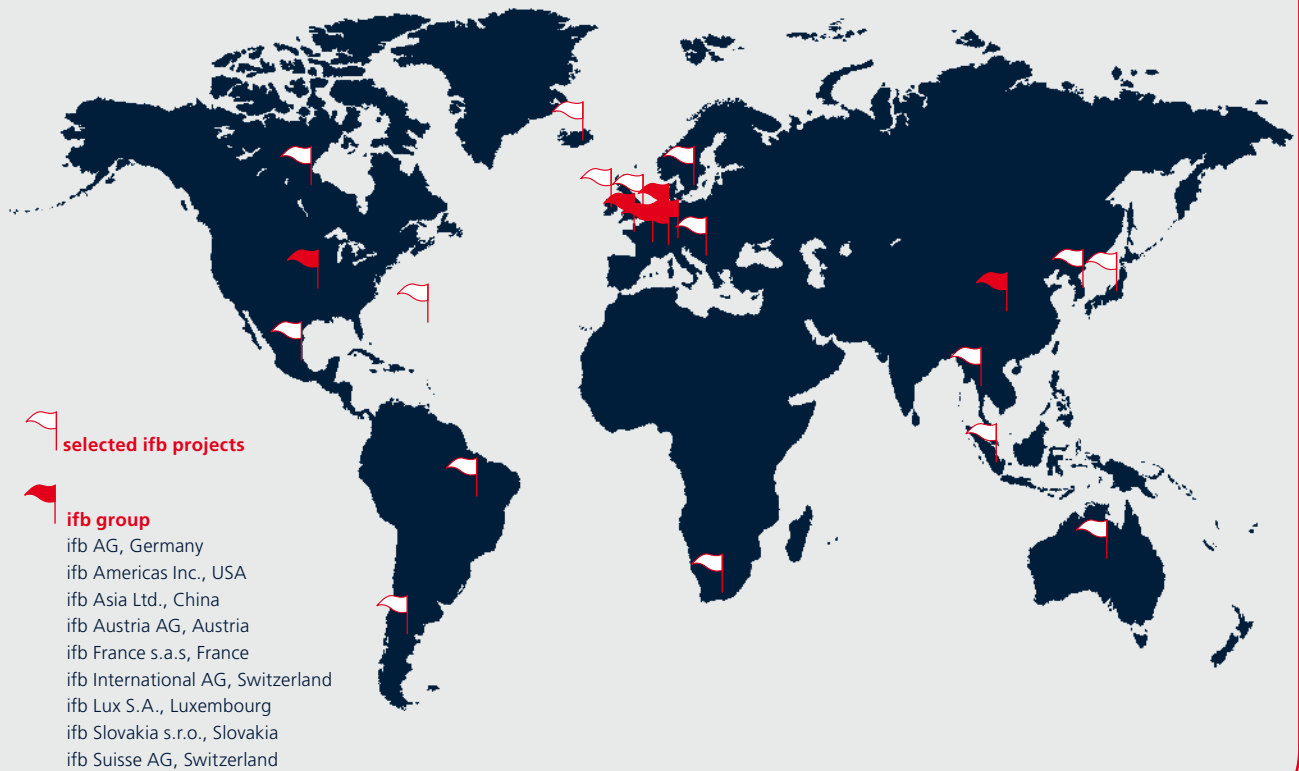
... in conjunction with excellent
technical expertise

Knowledge transfer, test preparation
and support and continued assistance
beyond the implementation

From design of an end-to-end
data model to comprehensive
documentation

... for the success of your SAP implementation project.

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