

list **BIV** Biggest accounting firms in B.C.

Ranked by number of staff in B.C. in 2008¹

Rank '08	Company	Phone Fax Internet	Year founded	No. of B.C. locations/ National head office	No. of Int'l offices/ Countries	National revenues '07	Local managing partner	No. of local partners '08	No. of support staff '08	Total no. of accountants '08 ²	Total no. advisory staff '08 ³	Total staff in B.C. '08
1	KPMG LLP 777 Dunsmuir St Vancouver V7Y 1K3	604-691-3000 604-691-3031 www.kpmg.ca	1897	9/ Toronto	700/ 145	\$1.1 bil.	Elio Luongo	126	230	799	112	1,134
2	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP 250 Howe St Suite 700 Vancouver V6C 3S7	604-806-7000 604-806-7806 www.pwc.com/ca	1912	2/ Toronto	766/ 150	\$1 bil.	John Webster, B.C. region practice leader	69	137	521	207	865
3	Deloitte & Touche LLP 1055 Dunsmuir St Suite 2800 Vancouver V7X 1P4	604-669-4466 604-685-0395 www.deloitte.ca	1845	3/ Toronto	670/ 148	\$1.3 bil.	Paul Fletcher, managing partner	62	122	390	166	678
4	Ernst & Young LLP 2300—700 Georgia St W Vancouver V7Y 1C7	604-891-8200 604-643-5422 www.ey.com	1945	1/ Toronto	700/ 140	NP	Fred Withers, managing partner	41	62	372	0	434
5	BDO Dunwoody LLP 600—925 Georgia St W Vancouver V6C 3L2	604-688-5421 604-688-5132 www.bdo.ca	1921	5/ Toronto	626/ 110	\$312.7 mil.	David McEown	23	44	187	0	231
6	Meyers Norris Penny LLP 200 Granville St Suite 1385 Vancouver V6C 1S4	604-685-8408 604-685-8594 www.mnp.ca	1945	13/ Calgary	0/ 1	\$210 mil.	Ken Fraser, managing partner, Vancouver	38	77	94	38	209
7	Grant Thornton LLP 333 Seymour St Suite 1600 Vancouver V6B 0A4	604-687-2711 604-685-6569 www.grantthornton.ca	1919	4/ Toronto	500/ 100	NP	Dave Merrell, managing partner	22	40	109	20	169
8	MacKay LLP Chartered Accountants 1100—1177 Hastings St W Vancouver V6E 4T5	604-687-4511 604-687-5805 www.mackay.ca	1969	3/ Vancouver	0/ 1	\$32.1 mil.	Hugh Livingstone, chair of the management committee	20	29	106	0	135
9	Dale Matheson Carr-Hilton Labonte LLP 1500 & 1700—1140 Pender St W Vancouver V6E 4G1	604-687-4747 604-689-2778 www.dmcl.ca	NP	3/ Vancouver	0/ 1	NP	James Carr-Hilton	13	19	115	0	134
10	Manning Elliott LLP 1050 Pender St W Suite 1100 Vancouver V6E 3S7	604-714-3600 604-714-3669 www.manningelliott.com	1952	2/ Vancouver	350/ 60	\$18.1 mil.	Bernd Frambach, managing partner	19	18	109	0	127
11	Davidson & Company LLP 1200—609 Granville St Vancouver V7Y 1G6	604-687-0947 604-687-6172 www.Davidson-Co.com	1984	1/ Vancouver	620/ 97	NP	Grant Block	6	21	83	0	104
12	Wolrige Mahon LLP Chartered Accountants 900—400 Burrard St Vancouver V6C 3B7	604-684-6212 604-688-3497 www.wolrigemahon.com	1962	2/ Vancouver	138/ 104	\$12.3 mil.	John Smiley, managing partner	17	7	91	0	98
13	KNV Chartered Accountants LLP 15261 Russell Ave White Rock V4B 2P7	604-536-7614 604-538-5356 www.knv.com	1973	3/ White Rock	300/ 81	NP	Joint committee	8	18	79	0	97
14	Smythe Ratcliffe LLP 355 Burrard St Suite 700 Vancouver V6C 2G8	604-687-1231 604-688-4675 www.smytheratcliffe.com	1980	4/ Vancouver	340/ 115	NP	Larry Vicic, managing partner	12	16	84	8	96
15	EPR Canada Group Inc. Box 21148 Maple Ridge V2X 1P7	604-476-2009 604-467-1219 www.epr.ca	1979	6/ Maple Ridge	50/ 2	\$26.3 mil.	Paul Walker, managing partner	13	23	56	0	79
16	D&H Group LLP 1000—1333 Broadway W Vancouver V6H 4C1	604-731-5881 604-731-9923 www.dhgroup.ca	1952	2/ Vancouver	0/ 0	\$0	Larry Bisaro, managing partner	11	10	68	0	78
17	HLB Cinnamon Jang Willoughby 4720 Kingsway Suite 900 Burnaby V5H 4N2	604-435-4317 604-435-4319 www.cjw.com	1973	NP/ Toronto	440/ 100	NP	Don Willoughby, managing partner	NP	NP	NP	NP	66⁴
18	Berris Mangan 1827 5th Ave W Vancouver V6J 1P5	604-682-8492 604-683-4782 www.berrismangan.com	1989	1/ Vancouver	0/ 1	\$6 mil.	Patrick Mangan	7	10	42	0	52
19	Rolfe, Benson Chartered Accountants 1400—900 Hastings St W Vancouver V6C 1E3	604-684-1101 604-684-7937 www.rolfebenson.com	1958	1/ Vancouver	NP/ NP	NP	Robert Watts, managing partner	7	7	34	0	41⁵
20	Nordahl Craig Cumming & Gares 1285 Broadway W Suite 512 Vancouver V6H 3X8	604-736-2571 604-736-4280 www.nordahl.bc.ca	1972	1/ Vancouver	200/ 90	NP	Management by committee	5	6	28	0	34
21	Reid Hurst Nagy Inc 13900 Maycrest Way Suite 105 Richmond V6V 3E2	604-273-9338 604-273-9390 www.rhncga.com	NP	1/ Richmond	0/ 1	NP	NP	5	NP	NP	NP	30⁵

Sources: Interviews with representatives of above firms and BIV research.

NP Not provided NR Not ranked 1- The previous year's rank is not comparable to 2008 as ranking criteria changed from total accounting staff in Metro Vancouver in 2007 to total staff in B.C. in 2008. 2- All accounting staff with and without designations including those who may also provide advisory services. 3- Includes professional advisory staff without accounting designations (lawyers, consultants, etc.) 4- 2007 figure as no update was provided 5- BIV estimate

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