

IBAN, country overview

IBAN is an international standard for numbering bank accounts. IBAN consists of alphanumeric characters identifying

- country code
- check digits
- bank code
- account number

Each country has a mandatory length of characters which must appear in an IBAN. However an IBAN always adds a 2-letter country code followed by 2 check digits to the front of the domestic account number format.

All banks in countries which have introduced IBAN must indicate the client's IBAN and the bank's BIC on the client's bank statements – you will find your IBAN and Sydbank's BIC at the bottom of your bank statements from Ringkjøbing Landbobank.

IBAN is mandatory on payments in EUR to a SEPA-country.

The following European countries use IBAN as follows:

Country	IBAN mandatory	SEPA country	EUR country	Length	IBAN examples
Albania	Yes	No	No	28	AL12123123411234567890123456
Andorra	Yes	No	Yes	24	AD1200012030200359100100
Austria	Yes	Yes	Yes	20	AT611904300234573201
Belgium	Yes	Yes	Yes	16	BE68539007547034
Bosnia Herzegovina	No	No	No	20	BA391290079401028494
Bulgaria	No	Yes	No	22	BG80BNBG96611020345678
Croatia	No	Yes	No	21	HR121001005186300160
Cyprus	Yes	Yes	Yes	28	CY17002001280000001200527600
Czech Republic	No	Yes	No	24	CZ6508000000192000145399
Denmark	No	Yes	No	18	DK7776700009876543
Estonia	Yes	Yes	Yes	20	EE382200221020145685
Faroe Islands	No	No	No	18	DK2492600000211087 FO5492601234567890
Finland	Yes	Yes	Yes	18	FI2112345600000785
France ¹⁾	Yes	Yes	Yes	27	FR1420041010050500013M02606
Germany	Yes	Yes	Yes	22	DE89370400440532013000
Gibraltar	Yes	Yes	No	23	GI75NWBK000000007099453
Greece	Yes	Yes	Yes	27	GR1601101250000000012300695
Greenland	No	No	No	18	DK2492600000211087 GL5492601234567890
Hungary	No	Yes	No	28	HU42117730161111101800000000
Iceland	No	Yes	No	26	IS140159260076545510730339

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Ireland	Yes	Yes	Yes	22	IE29AIBK93115212345678
Italy	Yes	Yes	Yes	27	IT60X0542811101000000123456
Latvia	Yes	Yes	Yes	21	LV80BANK0000435195001
Liechtenstein	No	Yes	No	21	LI21088100002324013AA
Lithuania	No	Yes	Yes	20	LT121000011101001000
Luxembourg	Yes	Yes	Yes	20	LU280019400644750000
Macedonia	No	No	No	19	MK07300000000042425
Malta	Yes	Yes	Yes	31	MT84MALT011000012345MTLCASO01S
Moldova	Yes	No	No	24	MD24AG000225100013104168
Monaco	Yes	Yes	Yes	27	MC1112739000700011111000h79
Montenegro	No	No	Yes	22	ME25505000012345678951
The Netherlands	Yes	Yes	Yes	18	NL91ABNA0417164300
Norway	No	Yes	No	15	NO9386011117947
Poland	No	Yes	No	28	PL27114020040000300201355387
Portugal	Yes	Yes	Yes	25	PT50000201231234567890154
Romania	No	Yes	No	24	RO12BPOS12312345678ROL12
San Marino	No	Yes	Yes	27	SM86U0322509800000000270100
Serbia	No	No	No	22	RS35260005601001611379
Slovakia	Yes	Yes	Yes	24	SK3112000000198742637541
Slovenia	Yes	Yes	Yes	19	SI56191000000123438
Spain	Yes	Yes	Yes	24	ES9121000418450200051332
Sweden	No	Yes	No	24	SE3550000000054910000003
Switzerland	No	Yes	No	21	CH9300762011623852957
Turkey	Yes	No	No	26	TR330006100519786457841326
Ukraine	No	No	No	29	UA573543470006762462054925026
United Kingdom	No	Yes	No	22	GB29NWBK60161331926819

1) Including French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique and Réunion

The following countries, outside Europe, use IBAN as follows:

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Algeria	No	24	DZ4000400174401001050486
Angola	No	25	AO06000600000100037171174
Azerbaijan	Yes	28	AZ21NABZ00000000137010001944
Bahrain	Yes	22	BH29BMAG1299123456BH00

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Benin	No	28	BJ11B00610100400271101192591
Brazil	No	29	BR9700360305000010009795493P1
British Virgin Islands	No	24	VG96VPVG0000012345678901
Burkina Faso	No	27	BF1030134020015400945000643
Burundi	No	16	BI43201011067444
Cameroon	No	27	CM2110003001000500000605306
Cape Verde	No	25	CV64000300004547069110176
Congo	No	27	CG5230011000202151234567890
Costa Rica	No	21	CR0515202001026284066
Dominican Republic	No	28	DO28BAGR00000001212453611324
Egypt	No	27	EG1100006001880800100014553
Gabonese Republic	No	27	GA2140002000055602673300064
Georgia	Yes	22	GE29NB0000000101904917
Gibraltar	Yes	23	GI75NWBK000000007099453
Guatemala	No	28	GT82TRAJ01020000001210029690
Guernsey	No	22 or 27	GB29NWBK60161331926819 FR1420041010050500013M02606
Ivory Coast	No	28	CI05A00060174100178530011852
Isle of Man	No	22	GB29NWBK60161331926819
Israel	Yes	23	IL620108000000099999999
Jersey	No	22 or 27	GB29NWBK60161331926819 FR1420041010050500013M02606
Jordan	Yes	30	JO94CBJO001000000000131000302
Kazakhstan	No	20	KZ75125KZT2069100100
Kuwait	Yes	30	KW74NBOK000000000001000372151
Lebanon	Yes	28	LB05004420601115950020531000
Madagascar	No	27	MG4600005030010101914016056
Mali	No	28	ML03D00890170001002120000447
Mauritania	Yes	27	MR1300012000010000002037372
Mauritius	No	30	MU67BOMM0101123456789101000000
Mozambique	No	25	MZ59000100000011834194157
Pakistan	No	24	PK24SCBL0000001171495101
Qatar	No	29	QA58DOHB00001234567890ABCDEFG
Sao Tomé and Príncipe	No	25	PT50000200000163099310355
Saudi Arabia	Yes	24	SA0380000000608010167519
Senegal	No	28	SN12K00100152000025690007542
State of Palestine	Yes	29	PS92PALS000000000400123456702
Tunisia	Yes	24	TN5914207207100707129648
United Arab Emirates	Yes	23	AE260211000000230064016