

2008 Rank	2007 Rank	Firm	2008: Total score for ALL entries submitted	2008: score band for ALL entries submitted (/10)	Number of standout entries in FT REPORT	Number of highly commended entries in FT REPORT	Number of commended entries in FT REPORT	2008: total weighted score for ranked entries in FT REPORT	2008: score band for ranked entries in FT REPORT (/10)	2007: total weighted score for ranked entries in FT REPORT	2007: score band for ranked entries in FT REPORT (/5)	2007: Profits per Equity Partner (PEP)	2007: score band for PEP (/5)	Assessment of management commitment and innovation value to firm (/20)	Total Innovation Score in the FT LAW50 (/50)
1	2 (+1)	Clifford Chance	498	10	4	8	8	40	10	29	4	1,170	3	17	44
2	1 (-1)	Allen & Overy	333	7	3	7	2	28	7	35	5	1,122	3	18	40
3	6 (+3)	DLA Piper	442	9	3	4	8	28	7	20	3	640	2	18	39
4	3 (-1)	Linklaters	263	6	3	5	5	27	7	40	5	1,440	4	16	38
5	12 (+7)	Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer	294	6	5	5	2	32	8	9	2	1,484	4	16	36
6	4 (-2)	Eversheds	342	7	1	4	4	16	4	25	4	552	2	18	35
7	5 (-2)	Wragge & Co	300	6	1	4	5	17	5	20	3	483	1	18	33
8	28 (+20)	CMS	226	5	4	1	1	19	5	3	1	650	2	17	30
9	-	Garrigues	188	4	1	1	4	10	3	0	0	.. ^[1]	1	16	24
10	21 (+11)	Lovells	221	5	0	3	2	8	2	8	1	661	2	14	24
11	21 (+10)	Berwin Leighton Paisner	104	2	2	0	1	9	3	3	1	620	2	15	23
12	10 (-2)	Latham & Watkins	155	4	0	2	4	8	2	9	2	1,135	3	12	23
13	20 (+7)	Baker & McKenzie	204	5	0	2	3	7	2	8	1	530	1	14	23
14	7 (-7)	Ashurst	230	5	0	2	2	6	2	15	2	1,040	3	11	23
15	28 (+13)	Herbert Smith	232	5	2	1	5	15	4	3	1	1,036	3	9	22
16	8 (-8)	Slaughter and May	87	2	2	1	0	10	3	11	2	2,250	5	10	22
17	10 (-7)	Uría Menéndez	195	4	0	2	1	5	2	14	2	.. ^[1]	1	13	22
18	16 (-2)	Tuca Zbarcea & Asociatii	275	6	0	1	3	5	2	0	0	.. ^[1]	2	11	21
19	12 (-7)	Pannone**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	290	1	18	20
20	28 (+8)	De Brauw Blackstone Westbroek	54	1	1	1	1	7	2	10	2	.. ^[1]	2	12	19
21	39 (+18)	Blake Laphorn	98	2	0	1	3	5	2	1	1	204	1	13	19
22	8 (-14)	Addleshaw Goddard	89	2	0	1	1	3	1	8	1	586	2	13	19
23	14 (-9)	Taylor Vinters	45	1	0	1	0	2	1	7	1	204	1	15	19
24	-	Olswang	19	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	545	1	16	19
25	14 (-11)	Simmons & Simmons	99	2	2	1	1	11	3	14	2	647	2	9	18
26	28 (+2)	Arthur Cox	170	4	0	1	1	3	1	3	1	.. ^[1]	3	9	18
27	-	Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton	112	3	1	0	2	6	2	0	0	1,070	3	9	17
28	-	iLaw	57	2	1	2	0	8	2	0	0	120	1	10	15
29	-	Nörr Stiefenhofer Lutz	54	1	0	2	1	5	2	0	0	.. ^[1]	2	10	15
30	24 (-6)	SJ Berwin	49	1	1	0	1	5	2	3	1	801	2	9	15
31	-	Russell Jones & Walker	38	1	1	0	1	5	2	0	0	358	1	11	15
32	39 (+7)	Field Fisher Waterhouse	39	1	1	0	0	4	1	3	1	750	2	10	15
33	16 (-17)	Norton Rose	69	2	0	1	0	2	1	11	2	625	2	8	15
34	21 (-13)	LG	55	2	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	430	1	11	15
35	32 (-3)	Osborne Clarke	51	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	554	2	11	15
36	-	TLT Solicitors	67	2	0	2	0	4	1	1	1	268	1	9	14
37	-	Maclay Murray & Spens	19	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	325	1	11	14
38	35 (-3)	Kemp Little	36	1	0	1	1	3	1	0	0	355	1	11	14
39	-	Wolf Theiss	217	5	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	.. ^[1]	2	6	14
40	-	Weil, Gotshal & Manges	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,055	3	10	14
41 ^[2]	35 (-6)	Cuatrecasas, Gonçalves Pereira	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	.. ^[1]	1	12	14
42	-	Bird & Bird	61	2	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	515	1	9	13
43	-	Hergüner Bilgen Ozeke	78	2	1	0	1	5	2	0	0	.. ^[1]	1	7	12
44	-	Kromann Reumert	20	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	.. ^[1]	3	7	12
45	-	McCann Fitzgerald	42	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	.. ^[1]	2	8	12
46	-	Mayer Brown	239	5	0	2	3	7	2	0	0	620	2	2	11
47	43 (-4)	Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom	31	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	1,140	3	6	11
48	-	Nabarro	41	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	610	2	7	11
49	32 (-17)	Pinsent Masons	13	1	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	500	1	7	11
50	-	Trowers & Hamlins	44	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	515	1	7	10

Footnotes

1. Estimate based on RSG Consulting research. PEP figures taken from The Lawyer magazine 2008 and RSG Consulting research.
2. Firms included for their FT Law 50 overview submissions, though they did not score for any entries in the report.