

# CASE STUDY

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Barentz acquired Unipex

FOOD & BEVERAGE



## TRANSACTION ANNOUNCEMENT

Translink advised Barentz in its acquisition of the Unipex Group

Barentz is a global life science ingredients distributor that specialises in human nutrition, pharmaceuticals, personal care and animal nutrition, creating unique synergies across all fields of expertise

Unipex Group is a French company that specialises in the development, distribution and marketing of specialty chemicals and active ingredients



## TRANSACTION HIGHLIGHTS

Translink Corporate Finance France acted as the exclusive advisor in Barentz International's acquisition of speciality ingredients distributor, Unipex. The transaction is subject to the completion of legal and specified closing conditions, including the receipt of European merger control clearances.

## KEY TAKEAWAYS

- The deal strengthens Barentz International's presence in Europe and North Africa, enhancing its European network of logistic centres and application laboratories.
- Unipex gains access to Barentz's global network of resources and experts.
- Shared values and aligned operating principles were key to the partnership.

## DEALMAKERS

Marc Irisson, David Dhouahria, Vincent Fauré and Maarten de Boer

**"Unipex has a very strong position in the heart of the European life science market and perfectly matches Barentz' Brand positioning."**

- Hidde van der Wal, CEO Barentz

**"We have placed the principals of sustainability, corporate social responsibility, and customer satisfaction at the heart of our growth strategy. Unipex and Barentz share the same core values and ambitions, and we are confident we will be able to continue our journey successfully together."**

- Patrice Barthelmes, CEO of Unipex