

# VAT Validation Error While Adding Customer

## Summary

This article provide you details for the resolution of error "VAT" while adding new customer.

## Applies To

MachPanel v.7 and above

## Error

Company Name input does not match company name against Vat Id, please check company name.

## Details

It is because in new build it has EU VAT validation built-in. So, the company name entered must match company name in EU API.

## Resolution

Add a new registry string value EUVATCompanyNameVariationTolerance, set value to 7 under HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\MachSol\MachPanel

For your information do note:

EUVATCompanyNameVariationTolerance = Value between 0 to 10.

0 means 100% difference is allowed

1 means 10% match is allowed, less then 10% will fail.

2 means 20% match is allowed, less then 20% will fail.

and so on...

10 means 100% match needed.

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MachPanel Knowledgebase

<https://kb.machsol.com/Knowledgebase/55780/VAT-Validation-Error-While-Addin...>