



Avalara VAT Reporting v20.12.4

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Overview

This release is a patch to our 20.12.3 release of the VAT Reporting application.

Change Log

Ref	Description
VR-11290	Send to Digipoort - resolved an issue where the application would close which would cause files could not be submitted.
VR-11263	SII - added support for XI VAT Numbers as GB VAT Numbers cannot be used from the 1st February 2021.

Database Updates

Number	Description
1019	Reload SII db scripts

We recommend customers enable TLS 1.2. Please check the following link to see whether your current version of SQL Server supports TLS 1.2:

<https://support.microsoft.com/en-gb/help/3135244/tls-1-2-support-for-microsoft-sql-server>

Upgrade Procedure

This section provides details on how to update to the latest version. For the purposes of this documentation, we assume that you have an existing installation and you have the necessary access privilege to perform the upgrade.

Download

The latest version of VAT Reporting is available here:

<https://release.vat.avalara.net/VATReporting.html>

The latest version of the Inbox Monitor is available here:

<https://release.vat.avalara.net/InboxMonitorService.html>

Database Back Up

Close all running VAT Reporting windows and take a full backup of the SQL Database. This can be done in the **SQL Server Management Studio**, from the database right-click menu **Tasks > Back Up**.

Stop Inbox Monitor & SII Processor Scheduled Task

Before installing the update of VAT Reporting stop the Inbox Monitoring Service and check there are no RCCL.exe processes still running and stop the Windows Scheduled Task if you are using SII.

Install

Run the installer exe, once it completes open VAT Reporting and wait while it automatically handles any database upgrade.

Start Inbox Monitor

Start the Windows service, and then in VAT Reporting use the File > Send test file... and confirm the inbox is up and processing.

Start SII Processor Scheduled Task

Re-enable the Windows Scheduled Task (if you are using SII).

VAT Reporting is now ready for use!

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