

Foreign VAT Recovery

2025 VAT Submission Deadlines & Rates Across Europe: Key Highlights

VAT Rates Across Europe: A Snapshot

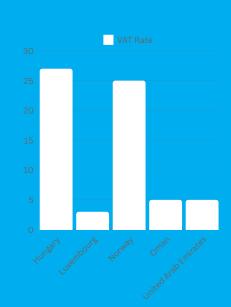
Highest VAT in the EU: Hungary leads with a staggering **27%**.

Lowest VAT in the EU: Luxembourg offers a minimal 3%, one of the lowest fixed rates.

Highest VAT outside the EU: Norway stands at a high 25%.

Lowest VAT outside the EU: Oman and the United Arab Emirates maintain a modest **5%.**

Find out how non-EU countries compare and see the full list of rates.



Unique Submission Deadline: Standard vs Exceptions



EU Standard Deadline: Most EU countries follow a standard submission deadline.

Notable Exception in the EU: The Netherlands stands out with a much later deadline.

Shared Deadline Across Multiple Countries: Despite regional differences, several countries outside the EU, Monaco, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Saudi Arabia, South Korea, Serbia, and Switzerland, share a uniform submission deadline.

Discrepancies in Deadlines: Beyond these examples, many countries have their own unique timelines, making it crucial to stay informed.

Most EU countries follow a similar submission deadline, but a few stand out with unique timelines. Curious which ones break the norm? To find out, download the complete table.

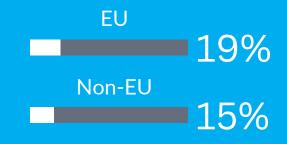
Average VAT Rate: EU vs Non-EU

EU Average VAT Rate: Across various industries, the average VAT rate in the EU stands at **19%**.

Non-EU Average VAT Rate: For countries outside the EU, the average VAT rate is slightly lower, at **15%.**

Industry Variations: While these averages provide a general overview, it's important to note that VAT rates can vary significantly across different industries in each country.

See how this compares to non-EU countries and explore the industry-specific variations in our full table.





Dive deeper into VAT rates, currencies, and submission deadlines with our comprehensive summary table. Our team of experts has meticulously compiled the essential information for various countries, both within and outside the EU all in one place.

Get the complete details to stay ahead, download the full table by filling out the form below!

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