

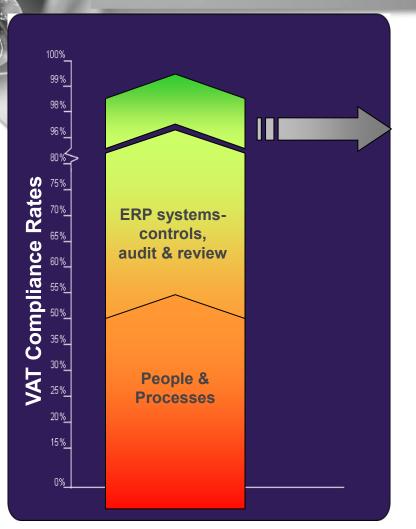


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WHAT IS VATASSURE?



VATassure[™]

- ✓ Increase compliance rates
- ✓ Electronic data review
- ✓ Up to 100% checking
- ✓ 'Smart' consultative approach
- ✓ Identify errors
- ✓ Correct errors
- ✓ Prevent errors



The world's first fully comprehensive

VAT transactions testing solution, designed to work alongside your existing systems.

In high volume transaction environments,

VATassure helps you manage the <u>VAT risk</u>

associated with complex sales and purchasing streams.





Identify and correct over claimed and under claimed input VAT associated with errors on accounts payable transactions.



Detailed review and analysis of VAT accounting, posting and declaration errors on accounts receivable transactions



Thorough review of VAT configuration and tax code set up, against best practice and business flows within ERP systems





SERVICE COMPONENTS

- ✓ Unclaimed input VAT
- ✓ Over-claimed input VAT relating to incorrect application of VAT deduction rules
- ✓ Over-claimed input VAT associated with duplicate invoices
- ✓ Incorrect VAT coding
- ✓ Check source documents
- ✓ Assist prepare VAT declarations
- ✓ System and documents audit trail











SERVICE COMPONENTS

- ✓ Under/over declaration of output VAT associated with incorrect application of intra-EC or export exemptions
- ✓ Incorrect VAT rate applied to classes of product / services
- ✓ Distance selling thresholds
- Incorrect application of the reverse-charge
- ✓ Incorrect classification of tax codes
- ✓ Incorrect disclosure on VAT return











SERVICE COMPONENTS

- ✓ Review tax calculation procedures
- ✓ Thorough review of tax codes
- Map tax codes to purchase and sale flows and scenarios
- ✓ Review against 'best practice'
- ✓ Review VAT condition records
- ✓ VAT return 'pointing'
- ✓ VAT report configuration

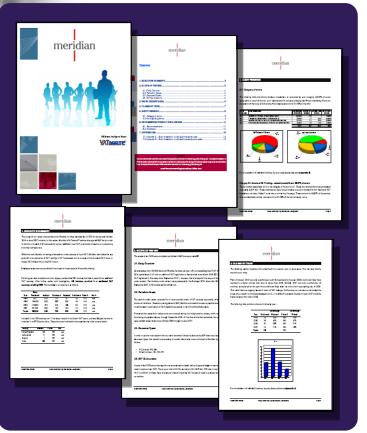






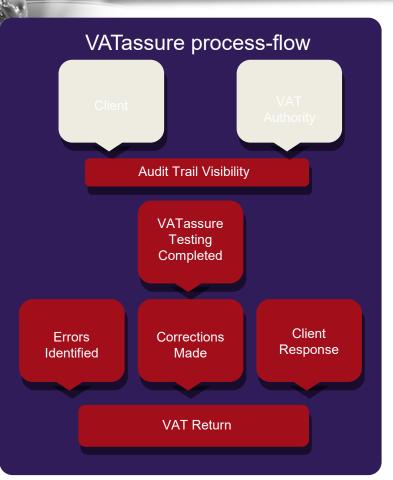


REPORTING CAPABILITIES



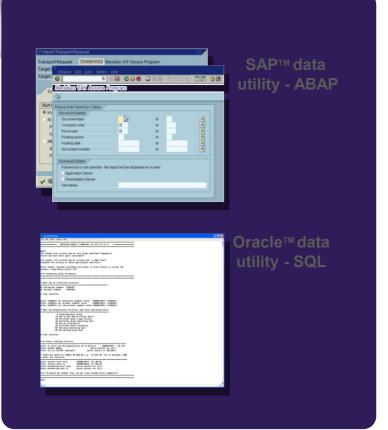
COMPREHENSIVE 'BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE' REPORT

- ✓ Independent management report
- Detailed and structured content
- Detailed & relevant conclusions and recommendations
- ✓ Graphical illustrations
- Schedules and appendices



STEP 1: Planning & Project Initiation

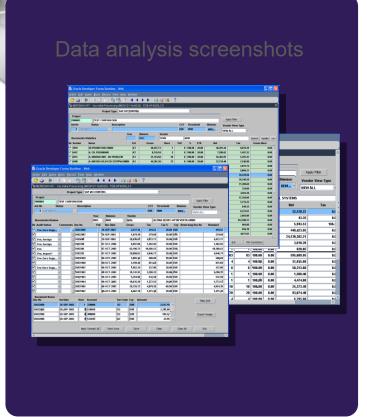
- ✓ Agree approach & project plan
- Deliver data acquisition pack
- Document entity structure
- Map VAT codes to GL accounts
- Structure of VAT registrations
- Document AP / AR process flows
- ✓ Location of invoices



STEP 2:

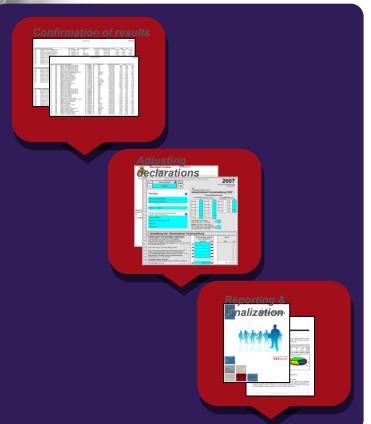
Data Acquisition

- ✓ Deliver extraction utility
- Receive and confirm test data
- ✓ Agree execution parameters
- ✓ Generate full data-set
- ✓ Test and validate
- Upload to production servers



STEP 3: Data Analysis & Audit Fieldwork

- Execute proprietary data tests
- Identify potential errors
- ✓ On-site audit to review results
- ✓ Identify items posted in error
- Ascertain and document reasons for such error
- Gather documents to support conclusions



STEP 4: Confirmation & Reporting

- Detailed review of results against source transactions
- ✓ Identify whether transactions have been posted in error
- Ascertain and document reasons for error
- Gather supporting documentation to support conclusions and present to client

VATASSURE - BENEFITS

Improved VAT Compliance

- √ 100% transactions testing
- ✓ Quick identification of VAT issue across complex transaction flows, within large volumes of data
- Correction and prevention capabilities

Reduction in compliance costs

- ✓ Modular service components
- ✓ No change to existing IT / ERP processes
- ✓ Flexible, competitive pricing options

Simple implementation

- ✓ No IT development required
- No changes to IT systems and processes required
- ✓ Non-intrusive to business operations

Global visibility and control

- ✓ Dashboard view at corporate level
- Powerful business intelligence reporting





- Meridian VATassure can help <u>improve VAT compliance</u> rates by reviewing complex transactions in ERP systems
- Modular service offering allows you to select which components you want
- The approach requires <u>no IT investment</u> and no headcount
- The implementation approach is <u>simple</u>
- Pricing is <u>simple</u> and <u>flexible</u>

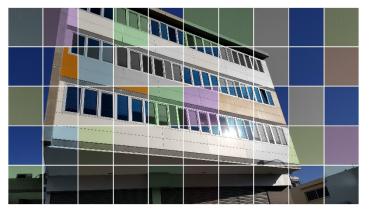




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