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# Verification of Payee (VoP)

Fully Compliant Payee Name & Account Verification Solution



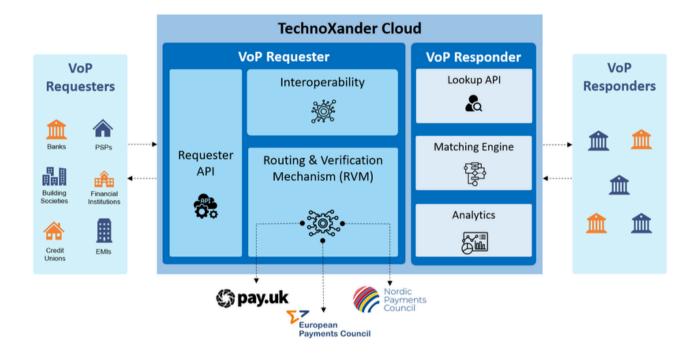
# Introduction

The European financial market is evolving rapidly with the upcoming launch of Instant Payments and new Instant Payments Regulations (IPR) marking a significant advancement. However, as transaction speeds increase so does the risk of online fraud across the continent. Addressing these concerns, European regulation now expects Financial Institutions in Europe to implement Verification of Payee. Consequently, the European Payment Council (EPC) has introduced Verification of Payee (VoP) guidelines to help safeguard online financial transactions in SEPA Instant scheme.

TechnoXander's innovative Verification of Payee (VoP) solution is designed for institutions aiming to fully comply with IPR and EPC guidelines while proactively preventing APP fraud as they implement instant payments. The VoP solution is fully compliant with standards set by the European Payment Council (EPC), Nordic Payment Council (NPC), and Pay.UK (CoP), making it a robust choice for banks and payment service providers across Europe.



## **Verification of Payee Architecture**



## **Key Components**

#### Requester API

VoP Requesting Financial Institution engages with this API to commence VoP check ahead of initiating transaction. It allows them to send VoP check request and recieve verification response in real-time.

#### Routing & Verification Mechanism (RVM)

TechnoXander RVM engine is connected with 5000+ institutions in Europe and UK alone. This engine will successfully identify the most optimised path to receive VoP check response quickly.

#### 🌖 Interoperability

The system supports interoperability with other RVM providers as well as aligns with EPC, NPC and Pay.UK schemes for seamless integration with different payment networks and systems. Interoperability and adherence to standards allows system to communicate with 5000+ institutions without glitches.

#### 🌖 Lookup API

Financial Institutions looking to engage TechnoXander's VoP Responding capabilities will integrate with Lookup API so payee verification can be done in real time. This gives Institutions the capability of opening accounts in their core systems and enabling VoP check on the newly opened accounts at the same time.

#### Matching Engine

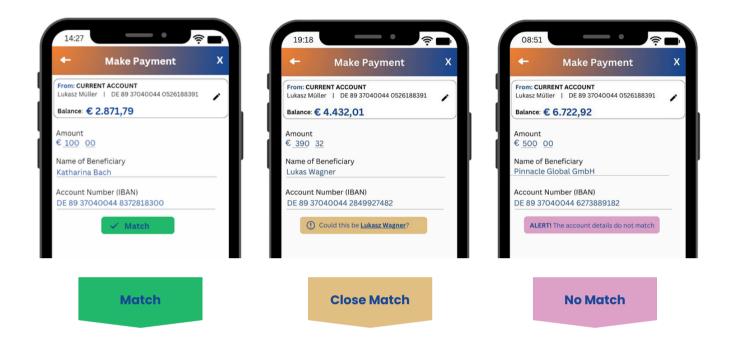
The engine uses advanced algorithms for payee verification taking into account cultural differences, diactrics, abbreviations, variations, or misspellings to provide name matching results as full match, no match, close match or match not possible. Name matching is in line with recommendations by EPC, NPC and Pay.UK so compliance is not compromised.

#### 🌖 Analytics

Technoxander VoP solutions also comes with a front end portal which enables Financial Institutions to conduct manual checks and upload batch files for checking. The portal also provides interesting analytics on matching which can be used to understand customer behaviours by Financial Institutions.



## VoP Responder: Precision Verification in Action



## Receiving the Verification Request

When a request reaches the designated responding PSP (using TechnoXander's VoP responder), our system is primed to handle it with speed and accuracy.

## Response with Authentication and Authorization

Robust authentication and authorisation processes confirms that requesting PSP is entitled to receive the response, maintaining strict compliance and data security.

## Real-Time Data Lookup

The VoP responder instantly accesses the required payee data only ensuring up-tothe-second accuracy for every verification.

## Advanced Matching for High Accuracy

Using TechnoXander's powerful matching algorithm, we perform in-depth verification based on EPC, NPC, and Pay.UK standards. Our algorithm accounts for cultural variations, dialects, and nuances, delivering results with unmatched precision.

## Returning the Match Result

In moments, the responding PSP sends a clear result—Full Match, Close Match, or No Match—providing a seamless experience from request to response.

## Leading the Way - Innovative Features that set us apart



Our Verification of Payee (VoP) solution combines speed, reliability, and advanced technology to provide unparalleled payee verification features:

**Compliance in less than a second** Achieve instant payee verification faster than a blink

**99.95% Uptime** Always on and compliant to support uninterrupted operations

**1000+ Requests per Second** Scalable to handle high transaction volumes with ease

## **Effortless Bulk Checks**

Swift & reliable bulk verifications for hassle-free processing

## **Proactive Fraud Detection**

Tracks scam indicators like Payer IPs and phone numbers, identifying suspicious patterns

## **Cross-Border Account Name Verification**

Shaping the Future of Banking Security

TechnoXander VoP solution provides international compatibility to meet regulatory standards worldwide connecting with financial institutions globally.



# **Features** Q **Real-Time Verification** Instant payee verification for faster, secure transactions, reducing delays and enhancing the payment experience **Regulatory Compliance** Fully compliant with EPC, NPC, SEPA, and Pay.UK standards, ensuring adherence to European and Nordic payment regulations, minimising compliance risks Secure, Flexible Deployment Options Choose between SaaS or on-premises deployment, each featuring high availability, disaster recovery, and a secure API estate to ensure data integrity and compliance **Seamless API Integration** Easy, single-click API integration with existing systems allows rapid onboarding, so businesses can strengthen security without operational disruptions Scalable & Flexible Architecture Designed to support businesses of any size, the solution scales effortlessly with transaction volumes, adapting to demand without compromising performance Secure, Authenticated API Ecosystem Our secure API estate includes multi-layered authentication to verify that only authorised entities can request and receive sensitive information, ensuring complete access control

## ISO 27001-Certified Security



Built on an ISO 27001-certified framework, our VoP solution offers enterprisegrade security, protecting data with strict encryption and privacy standards

## **Benefits**

## **Reduced APP Fraud Liability**



With precise payee verification, businesses can reduce the risk of Authorised Push Payment (APP) fraud, protecting them from costly reimbursement liabilities

## **Enhanced Compliance Confidence**

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Full compliance with European, UK and Nordic regulations and simplified regulatory reporting, giving compliance heads peace of mind in meeting current and future standards



Accurate, Instant Verification

Real-time verification eliminates manual errors and speeds up payment processing, supporting smooth and secure transaction flows

## **Operational Efficiency Gains**

Automation of payee verification streamlines the workflow, reducing manual workload for payment operations and enhancing productivity

## Cost Savings and Risk Mitigation



By preventing chargebacks and fraud losses, our VoP solution contributes to significant savings and minimises financial risks for organisations

## Streamlined Onboarding & Integration



The single-click API and seamless integration ensure quick setup, minimising demands on IT teams while enhancing security across payment operations

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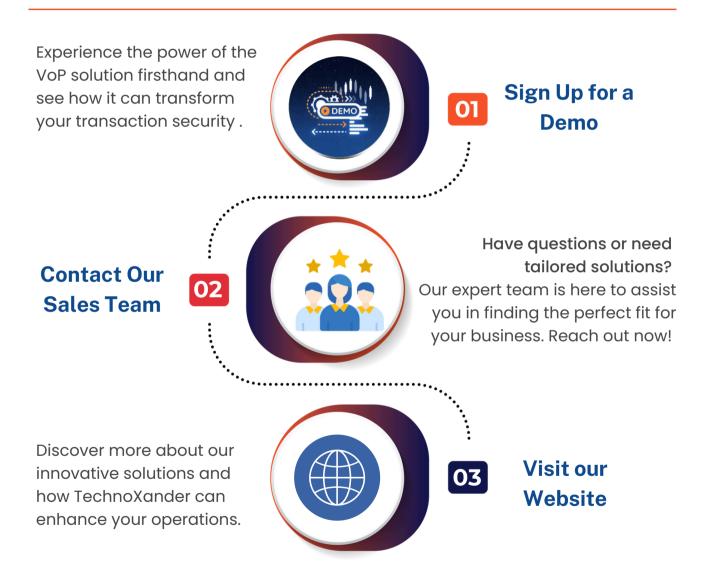
## Strengthened Customer Trust



Secure, verified transactions foster greater trust, improving customer satisfaction and long-term loyalty

# Next Steps towards Enhanced Payment Security!

Are you ready to revolutionise your payment processes with TechnoXander's Verification of Payee solution?



## Instant account verification for safer & smarter payments

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#### **About Us**

At TechnoXander, we drive payments innovation with agility and adaptability. Headquartered in London, we empower banks and financial institutions to leverage PSD2, PSD3, Open Banking, and advanced fraud prevention solutions like CoP and VoP. Committed to staying ahead of trends, we invest in cutting-edge financial technology while maintaining robust security, as reflected in our **ISO 27001:2022** certification.

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