Clients

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Section overview

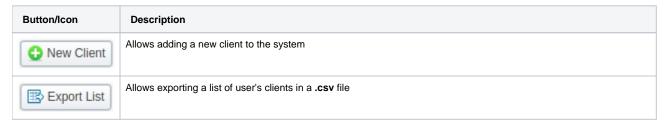
Beyond any doubts, clients are a cornerstone and the most valuable asset of any type of business. Hence, the **Clients** section is rightfully considered a core element of the whole **JeraSoft Billing**. In the section, user can manage the personal information of any client on the list, trace customer's balances, review resellers a particular client belongs to, etc. The section is presented in the form of a table with the following columns:

Screenshot: Clients section



Column Name	Description	
ID	Client's identification number	
Name	Client's name	
Balance	Client's balance values	
	Available	'Live' client's balance including allowed credit
	• Live	Client's balance calculated on the basis of the performed payments and processed calls
	• Fixed	Client's balance calculated on the basis of the outstanding invoices and performed payments
Pay Terms	Payment terms of each client	
Tags	List of tags, applied to a client	
Reseller	Name of reseller's company respective client belongs to	

Functional buttons and icons, presented in the section, are as follows:



Mass Edit	Allows managing the last invoice date of a client		
6 1	Identifies the Orig client		
0 T	Identifies the Term client		
OI	Identifies the Orig/Term client		
<u></u>	Allows accessing the list of client's accounts in the Accounts section (an icon will be colored if an account is assigned)		
<u> </u>	Allows accessing the client's current routing plan (an icon will be colored if the plan is assigned)		
•{=	Allows accessing the Traffic Proc	cessing section for dynamic routing management	
	Allows viewing client's rates (an icon will be colored if a rate table is assigned)		
	• ORIG	Rate tables for origination calls	
	• TERM	Rate tables for termination calls	
×	Allows accessing the Subscription	ons section for new clients packages management	
	Allows accessing the Transactions section for client's balance management		
3	Allows accessing the Invoices se	ction for client's invoices management	
\$	Allows accessing the Balance Report section for client's balance report (Live or Fixed) management		
Σ	Allows accessing the Summary R	teport section for client's summary report management	
	Allows accessing the Mail Queue	section to view sent emails history	
⊕	Allows accessing the Audit Log section to view change history		
*	Allows deleting a client from the system		



When you delete the client by changing the status to deleted or clicking a respective icon 🥌, the Client Panel of this client will be disabled and origination/termination settings of its accounts will be turned off. However, its accounts will not be deleted from the system.

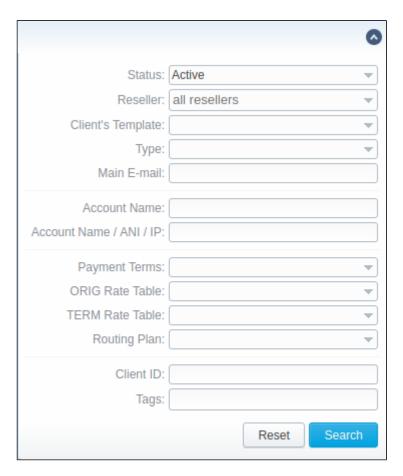
Helpful Tip

- If the prepaid mode is enabled, calls will be subject to balance check on a stage of call authorization (when RADIUS Authorization is used). If
- the postpaid mode is enabled, calls duration will be limited to *Max all length* setting in **Configuration > Settings**.

 You can search through clients by *Name* and by first letters only (*start with* rule). To find all clients with a specified main email, use * (asterisk) in the Main Email field.

Advanced Search

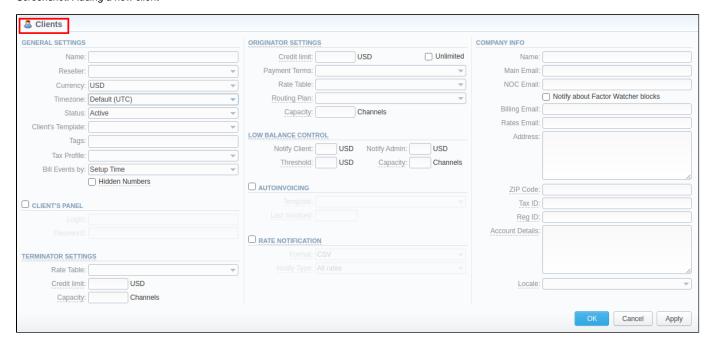
In the top right corner of the section above the table, the Advanced Search drop-down menu is located. By clicking on a red downwards arrow Vicon (cli ents in the section are filtered by Active status by default), the following drop-down menu is displayed:



To apply the specified search criteria, click the **Search** button; to cancel the applied parameters, click **Reset**.

Adding New Client

To add a new customer in the system, click the **New Client** button in a top-left corner of the section. A pop-up window with the following fields will show up: Screenshot: Adding a new client



Information block	Fields & Description			
General Settings	General information about the client			
	• Name	Indicate a client's name		
	• Reseller	Select a reseller new client belongs to (this name will be used in invoices)		
	• Currency	Define preferred currency (will be used in invoices)		
	• Timezone	Choose the timezone from the drop-down list of all available. This timezone will be used in invoices by default. UTC is a default parameter for a timezone		
		Attention		
		If this parameter is not indicated, the timezone of the database will be automatically applied to the client's settings of the zone. It could lead to some problems while working with packages, rate tables, or time profiles.		
	• Status	Select a respective status for the client: • active • stop • deleted		
	• Client's Template	Here you can apply the required template from the list to a new customer		
	• Tags	You can indicate tag(s) here that will be applied to a new customer. The tag doesn't need to be pre-existent in the system. You can provide an unlimited number of tags for each client.		
	• Tax Profile	You can specify a tax profile, which will be reflected in invoices. In order to select a tax profile in this field, the tax profile should be created first in the section Configuration>Taxes profiles . Check out the Taxes Profiles article for more information.		
		There can be 3 types of the tax profiles used:		
		 Customer (you will need to manage the tax values manually) SureTax (integration with a third-party tax calculation service) Compliance (integration with a third-party tax calculation service) 		
		⚠ Attention		
		For proper usage of SureTax and Compliance, the <i>Invoice Number</i> should contain only Latin and numeric characters. Max length is 40 symbols. <i>Dst</i> and <i>Src Numbers</i> should be in the <i>NPANXXNNNN</i> (10 digits) format. More info about these third-party tax calculation services can be found in the article US Taxation.		
	• Bill Events by	Select how the system should bill events of a new client – by setup time, by connect time or by disconnect time (most switch models use disconnect time)		
	• Hidden Numbers c heckbox	When checked, allows you to hide some part of the client's destination numbers in invoices, xDRs reports and during export.		
		⊘ Tip		
		If the client has the <i>Hidden Numbers</i> option enabled and the code appears in the code deck from the invoice template, the number, code, and code name become hidden. If the code doesn't appear in the code deck, the last *n characters of the number are hidden. The code deck from the rate table is only used to identify code names.		

Activates/deactivates the login procedure to the client's control panel for this client. Customer can get access to this control panel by using the following link: http://vcs_address/clients/, after filling in the following fields:			
• Login	Client's login		
• Password	Client's password		
Settings for your customers, who send events to your switch. Clients' originator settings are as follows:			
• <i>Unlimited</i> c heckbox	Here you can set the unlimited credit for a client if you enable the checkbox. It is disabled by default.		
• Credit limit	The additional field next to the <i>Unlimited</i> checkbox. Here you can set the credit limit allowed for a client. You could fill this field with any of the positive or negative numbers, but no more than 9 digits. If the <i>Unlimited</i> checkbox is marked, this field becomes inactive .		
• Payment Terms	Select the payment terms template from the general list of all available ones in the Payment Terms section		
• Rate Table	From the list of all rate tables in the Rate Tables section, select an origination one for this client		
• Routing Plan	Select an appropriate routing plan that will be used to route all calls of this customer (but it may be overridden for any of the customer's accounts in the <i>Accounts</i> tab). The full list of routing plans is presented in the Routing Plans section		
• Capacity	Indicate the origination capacity of channels for this client. For unlimited amount, leave empty		
Settings for your vendors, whom you send events from your switch. Clients' termination settings are as follows:			
• Rate Table	From the list of all rate tables, select a termination one for this client		
Credit limit	Define the credit limit you have on the vendor's side. It will be applied to vendors during the routing check to remove them from the routing result if vendor balance + credit limit hits the entered threshold.		
• Capacity	Define the termination capacity of channels for this client. For unlimited amount, leave empty		
Here you can set u a set threshold	up whether the system should send low balance notifications or not when the client's Available balance is lower than		
Notify Client	When clients' balance+credit is below the entered value, the system will send a notification to email, specified in the clients' <i>Billing Email</i> field		
• Notify Admin	When clients' balance+credit is below the entered value, the system will send a notification to an administrator via E vents Log		
• Threshold	Available balance threshold, below which the special capacity setting will be applied		
• Capacity	Origination capacity limit that will be applied when the available balance is below the threshold		
Activates/deactivates the automatic invoice generation feature for the current client. Information block parameters are:			
• Template	Select an invoice template for this customer		
	using the following Login Password Settings for your of the choox Unlimited checkbox Credit limit Payment Terms Rate Table Routing Plan Capacity Settings for your of the choose of the choo		

	• Last Invoiced	Specify the last date when the client was invoiced			
Rate	Here you can enable or disable automatic rates notifications for the current client				
Notification c heckbox	• Format	Select the desirable format of rate notification (.xlsx or .csv)			
	• Notify Type	Specify a type of notification: • All rates - full rates list will be sent • Only changed rates - only changed rates will be sent • All rates (not repeated codes) - if there are two or more new rates with different effective dates for the same code, several files will be sent, each containing a full list of rates and only one unique rate for this code			
		 Tip The system will push notification after adding new rates. Please note, if the user changes the Effective Date field of current rates manually, they will also be included in the notification. When you force Rate Notification, it does not send all the rates with the Effective Date in the future but only the rates that it will be late to send with the next scheduled notification (according to the Agreement 			
		assigned to the Rate Table). If there's no Agreement , the Rate Notification will not be sent. 3. We recommend using forced notifications for testing purposes. It doesn't cancel a regular notification nor change the last export date.			
Company Info	Some additional in	nformation about a client can be entered here			
	• Name	Company name			
	• Main Email	Company email for general inquiries. Use only Latin characters.			
	NOC Email	Company email for technical related questions. Use only Latin characters.			
	Notify about Factors Watcher blocks che ckbox	This tool watches over different parameters and generates alerts if some conditions are met. This function is optional, i.e. you can enable or disable them in the Clients form			
	• Billing Email	Automatically generated invoices and notifications will be sent to this email address. Use only Latin characters.			
	• Rates Email	Company email for rates related questions. Use only Latin characters.			
	• Address	Physical company address			
	• Zip Code	Postal code for SureTax integration			
	• Tax ID	Customer's tax ID			

• Reg ID	Customer's registration ID	
• Account Details	Reference information about the client's bank account or payment details	
• Locale	The preferred locale that will be sent as a reply to RADIUS Authorization. It is used for IVR platforms to define the language	

Attention

Autoinvoicing tool sends rates in separate files for each time profile used in a certain Rate Table.

Please note, the email address should contain only Latin characters for proper work of email notifications and invoices.

🖖 Warning

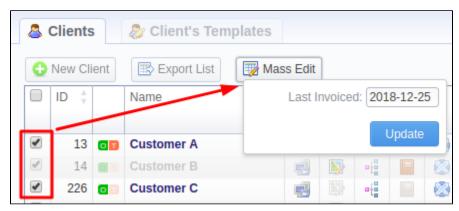
The Full Delete button can be used to remove a client from the system permanently, disregarding any statistics or rate tables data connections. Please use this feature with care - the deleted client cannot be restored by any means

Mass Edit

If there is a need to change the last invoice date (i.e. the day that the client has already been invoiced for) for more than one client, you can use Mass Edit functionality. Follow the next steps:

- Select target Clients;
- Click the Mass Edit button and specify the date in the Last Invoiced field;
- Click the Update button.

Screenshot: Mass edit functionality



Clients Templates

This section allows you to create a client template, where you can specify the main information about a client, originator settings, etc. Further, this template can be used to set the billing and tariff parameters for customers, managers, or resellers in several clicks. For more details, check out a related article: Clie nts Templates.

Knowledge Base Articles

parameters should not be empty