

# Email Security

## vtext.com Outbound Workaround



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## Workaround: Route vtext mail direct via send connector

- On-Premise Exchange
  - Open Exchange Admin Center
  - Go to Mailflow > Send Connectors
  - Add new “vtext” > Type Partner > Next

The screenshot shows the 'new send connector' wizard in the Exchange Admin Center. The title bar says 'new send connector'. Below the title, it says 'Create a Send connector.' and 'There are four types of send connectors. Each connector has different permissions and network settings. [Learn more...](#)'. The '\*Name:' field contains 'vtext'. A tooltip points to this field with the text 'Create a meaningful, distinguishable name.' Below the name field, the 'Type:' section has four radio button options: 'Custom (For example, to send mail to other non-Exchange servers)', 'Internal (For example, to send intranet mail)', 'Internet (For example, to send internet mail)', and 'Partner (For example, to route mail to trusted third-party servers)'. The 'Partner' option is selected. At the bottom right, there are 'Next' and 'Cancel' buttons.

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- Select MX record associated with recipient domain > Next
- Add domain **vtext.com** in FQDN > Save > Next

edit domain

\*Type:

SMTP

\*Full Qualified Domain Name (FQDN):

vtext.com

\*Cost:

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Save

Cancel

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- Add Source Server(s) > Add your specific Exchange server(s) > Ok > Finish

NAME	SITE	ROLE	VERSION
EX01-	/Configuration...	Mailbox	Version 15.2 (Build ...
1 selected of 1 total			

add ->

EX01- [remove];

OK

Cancel

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- **Exchange Online (O365)**

- Open the Exchange Admin Center
- Go to Mailflow > Connnectors > Add a Connector
- Select Connection From Office365 > Connect to Partner Organization > Next
- Name the connect (vtext outbound) > Next
- Select Only when email messages are sent to these domains > add vtext.com > Next

## Use of connector

Specify when you want to use this connector.

- ☐ Only when I have a transport rule set up that redirects messages to this connector
- ☒ Only when email messages are sent to these domains

vtext.com



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- Select Use the MX record associated with the partner's domain > Next
- Select Always Use TLS > Any Digital Certificate > Next

## Security restrictions

How should Office 365 connect to your partner organization's email server?

- ☒ Always use Transport Layer Security (TLS) to secure the connection (recommended)

Connect only if the recipient's email server certificate matches this criteria

- ☒ Any digital certificate, including self-signed certificates

- ☐ Issued by a trusted certificate authority (CA)

- ☐ Add the subject name or subject alternative name (SAN) matches this domain name:

Example: contoso.com or \*.contoso.com

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- Skip Validation Email page > Next
- Create Connector

# Review connector

## Mail flow scenario

From: Office 365

To: Partner organization

## Name

vtext outbound

## Status

Turn it on after saving

[Edit name](#)

## Use of connector

Use only for email sent to these domains: vtext.com

[Edit use](#)

## Routing

Use the MX record associated with the partner's domain.

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## Security restrictions

Always use Transport Layer Security (TLS) and connect only if the recipient's email server has a digital certificate.

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