

Billit Access Point

Your access
to Peppol and
other e-invoicing
networks



IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR AN E-INVOICING ACCESS POINT, BILLIT CAN HELP!

Dear Reader,

Paper and PDF invoices will soon be a thing of the past. In fact, e-invoicing using structured electronic invoices is gaining momentum worldwide. Indeed, an increasing number of public authorities are requiring the use of such invoices. **There is therefore no doubt that the future of invoicing is 100% digital.**

While e-invoicing is a powerful tool for public authorities in combating VAT fraud, there are also many advantages for companies. **This is because automated invoicing saves a lot of time**, freeing up space to really do business.

With **Billit**, we provide a comprehensive solution for digital invoicing. Besides our online invoicing platform, making this process run smoothly, we also provide **access to the Peppol network and other commonly used networks** for sending and receiving e-invoices, such as SDI, ANAF, KSeF, OSA, etc.

Even if your CRM or invoicing package does not have access to these systems, you can easily **link it with our Billit Access Point**. This lets you send and receive e-invoices securely and in line with international standards from your own familiar environment.

Likewise, if you provide (ERP) software yourself, you can link it with our Access Point to give your clients easy access to Peppol and other e-invoicing networks.

Moreover, as we are **ISO 27001 certified**, you can be sure that the data we process will be 100% secure.

Will you join this journey today? After all, we are working on a digital future together!



A stylized, handwritten signature in white ink, which appears to be 'T. Van Gaever'.

Tom Van Gaever - Billit CEO

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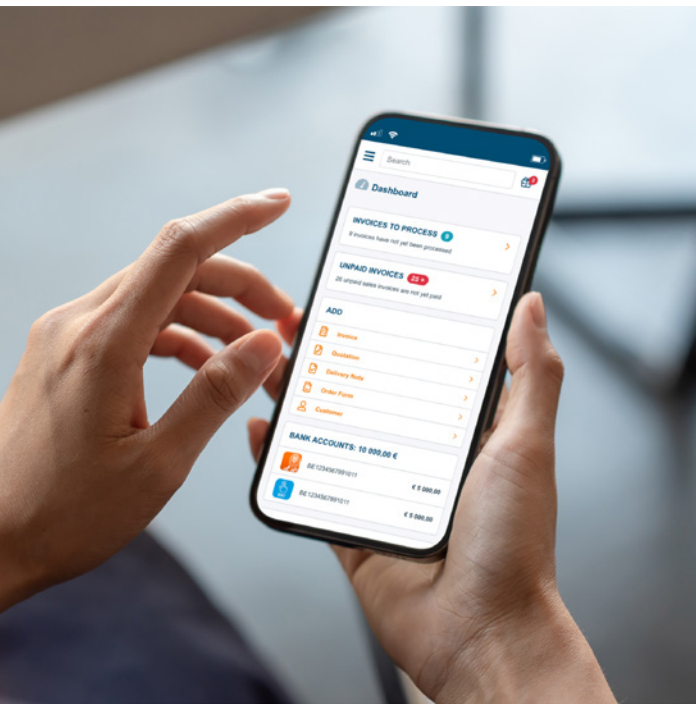


Some background ...

WHAT IS **E-INVOICING?**

E-invoicing, digital invoicing, or electronic invoicing refers to the exchange of invoices between suppliers and clients in an **integrated electronic format**.

As such, e-invoices are not simply scanned paper or PDF versions of an invoice. In fact, they are XML files built according to a universal structure, such as the Universal Business Language or **UBL**. That is why we also refer to them as **structured electronic invoices** or **GEFs**. Software packages worldwide can read and process such GEFs fully automatically.



WHAT IS PEPPOL?

Peppol was originally short for **Pan-European Public Procurement Online**. This is a secure network and collaboration framework for sending and receiving structured electronic invoices. It was developed with European Commission funding to **combat invoice fraud and reduce the VAT gap**. Many countries, including Belgium, decided to use Peppol as the standard for exchanging digital invoices.

What other e-invoicing networks are there?

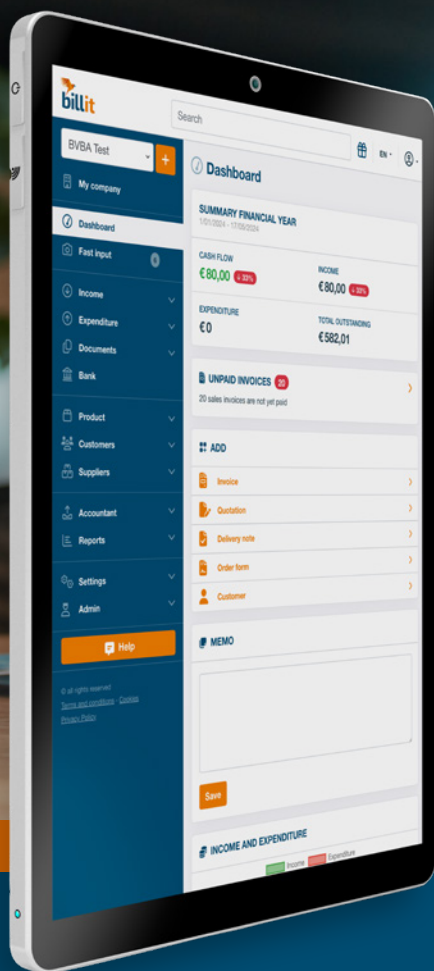
Some countries have developed their own e-invoicing systems such as SDI in Italy, ANAF in Romania, KSeF in Poland, OSA in Hungary, etc. Most of the time, the authorities of the country in question mandate the use of these networks.

E-invoices ...

- 1 are created, transmitted, and received electronically
- 2 are fully digital, no scans
- 3 consist of structured data
- 4 are sent securely via Peppol or another secure network



The future is open
Peppol



WHY IS E-INVOICING MANDATORY IN SOME COUNTRIES?



An increasing number of authorities in Europe are mandating e-invoicing under European Directive **2014/55/EU**. The reason for this is to reduce **VAT fraud** and therefore close the VAT gap (the difference between the expected VAT and the VAT received).

In many cases, the plan is to have a second phase **involving the declaration of VAT in real time**, based on the data on electronic invoices. Authorities would no longer have to rely on the honesty of companies in their returns, as VAT would be declared immediately on every purchase and sale. It will make **VAT fraud virtually impossible**. In any case, electronic invoicing will make it easier to detect such practices quickly, both at national and European levels. In that context, we refer to 'VAT in the Digital Age' (ViDA).

THREE WAYS

TO CONNECT TO THE BILLIT ACCESS POINT

Whatever the nature of your organisation, Billit lets you have easy access to Peppol and many other e-invoicing networks.

1

USING THE ONLINE BILLIT INVOICING PLATFORM

Whether you are self-employed, a freelancer, or an SME, the online Billit platform provides a **comprehensive e-invoicing solution**. Automating your invoicing process will save time, avoid errors, and give you an overview of your company's financial situation.

The platform also gives you **access to our Access Point**, so you can easily send and receive e-invoices via Peppol and other secure networks.



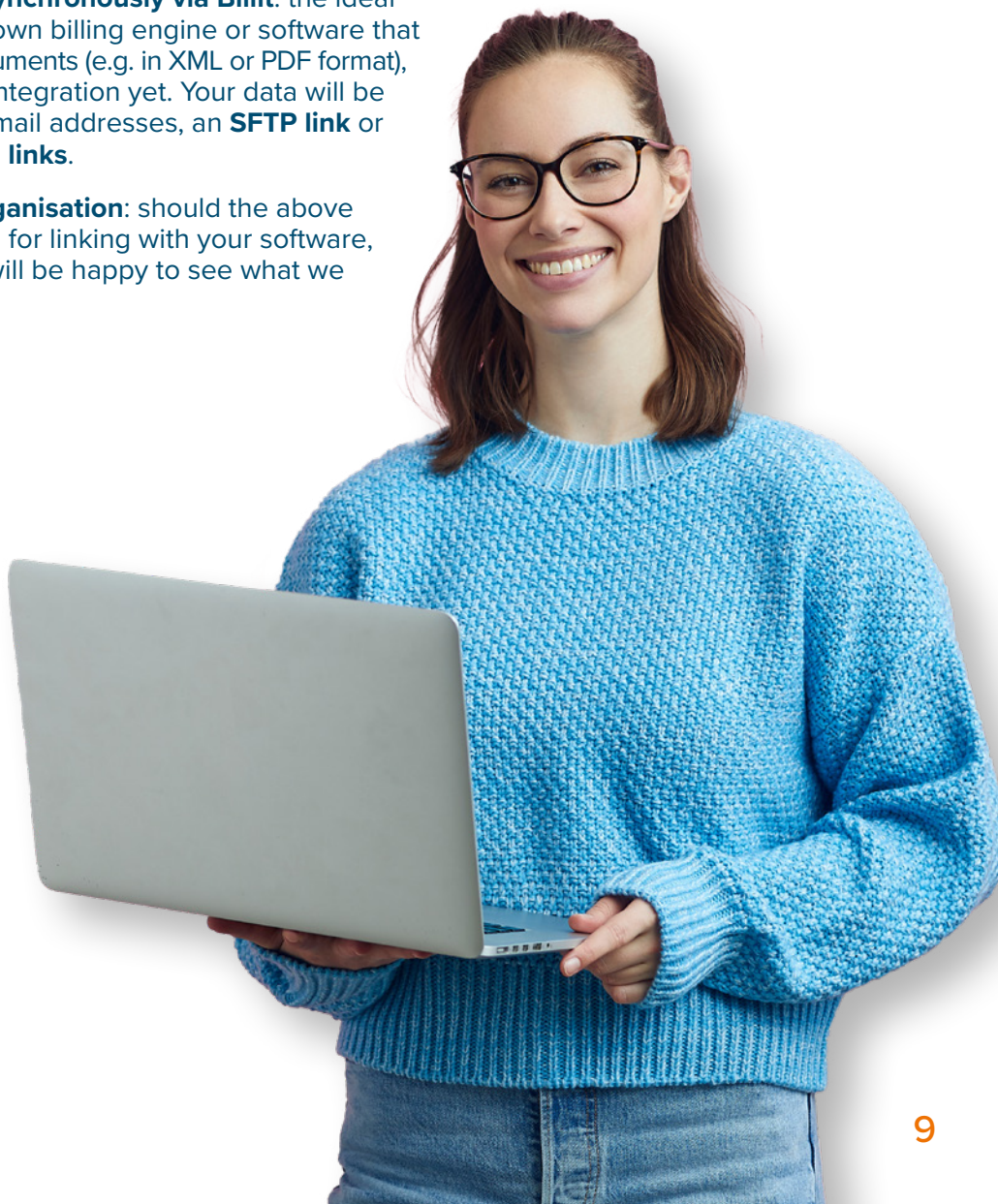
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LINKING THE SOFTWARE YOU USE TO THE BILLIT ACCESS POINT

If you are already using your own CRM or invoicing package, you can also use it to link **directly to the Billit Access Point**. This means you can still send and receive invoices in your familiar environment, but also send them securely and in line with international standards via Peppol or other e-invoicing networks.

You can link in different ways depending on your software capabilities and requirements:

- **Creating and sending synchronously via API:** this is ideal if you have your own billing engine or software that can export **data** via API. Feedback will be possible via **webhooks** or **polling**.
- **Creating and sending asynchronously via Billit:** the ideal solution if you have your own billing engine or software that can create and export documents (e.g. in XML or PDF format), but for which there is no integration yet. Your data will be sent to Billit via unique e-mail addresses, an **SFTP link** or **API without synchronous links**.
- **A link tailored to your organisation:** should the above methods not be adequate for linking with your software, no problem, our experts will be happy to see what we can do for you.



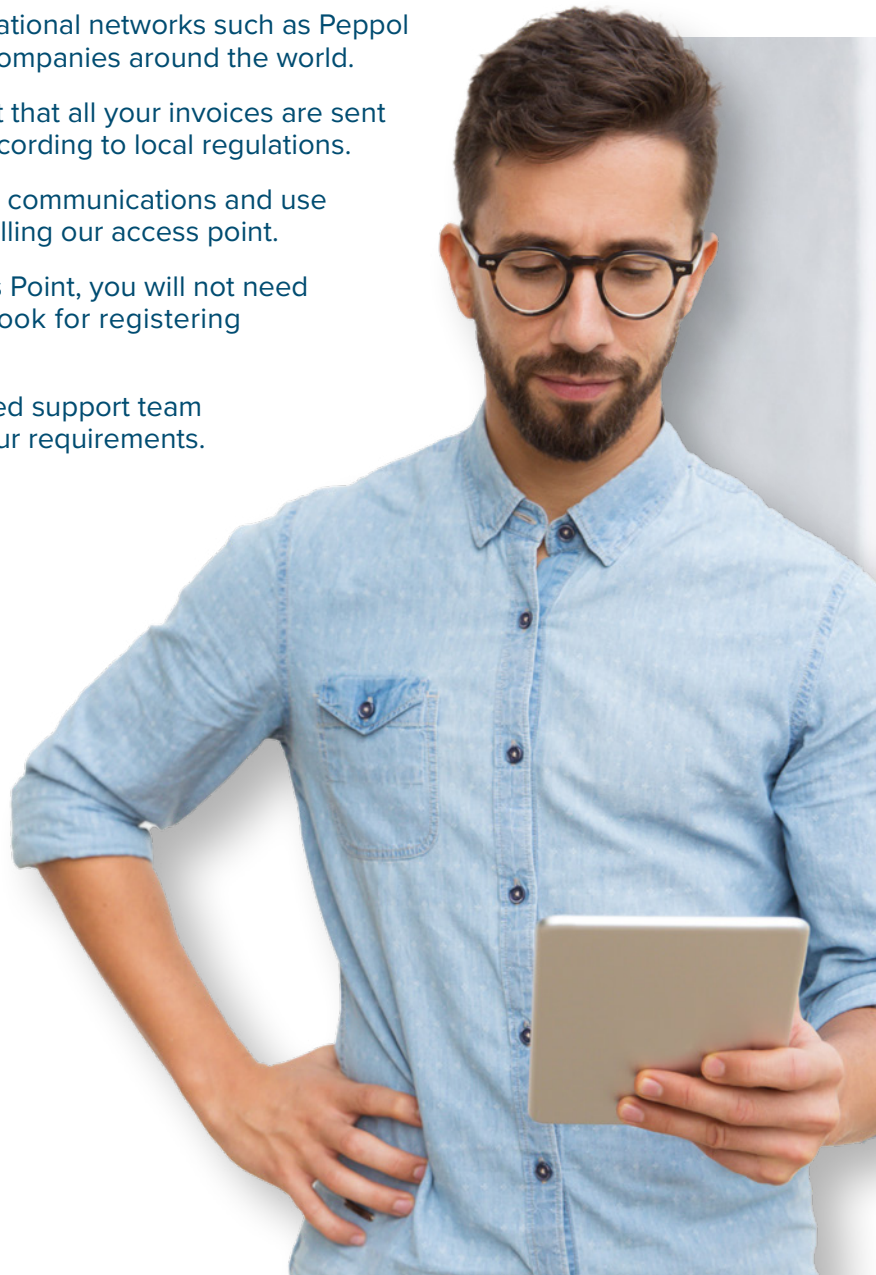
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LINKING YOUR OWN SOFTWARE TO THE BILLIT ACCESS POINT

If you are a provider of an (ERP) software package that sends and/or receives invoices, and you do not have access to Peppol or other e-invoicing networks yourself, you can still easily **link to the Billit Access Point**. This way, your clients can send and receive their invoices via the Peppol network or other e-invoicing networks. As you will not have to invest in developing and maintaining your own access point, you can fully focus on the core tasks of your software package.

Advantages for you:

- **Global interoperability:** secure international networks such as Peppol let you connect with authorities and companies around the world.
- **Fully compliant:** you can be confident that all your invoices are sent and received in the correct format, according to local regulations.
- **Keep your brand:** take control of your communications and use your own brand identity by white-labelling our access point.
- **No SMP:** by connecting to our Access Point, you will not need to provide your own SMP (address book for registering electronic addresses).
- **Technical support:** trust our specialised support team to set up the connection based on your requirements.





Billit never lets you down

If you have any questions about our Access Point, don't worry because Billit offers extensive support options:

- Detailed documentation on our website
- Personal guidance from a Billit expert
- Support by e-mail, or phone



WHY CHOOSE **BILLIT?**

- Billit has 130,723 active users processing over 2 million invoices every month.
- Our customers include SMEs and the self-employed as well as larger players such as Coolblue, Carlson Wagonlit Travel, Stripe, Farys, etc.
- We collaborate with reputable partners such as KBC, ING, Payconiq, Mollie, Stripe, Teamleader, etc.
- As pioneers in e-invoicing and Peppol, Billit's reputation in the industry is rock solid.
- Billit is ISO 27001-certified, guaranteeing absolutely secure processing of your data.
- Billit doesn't treat you as a number; our excellent support team guarantees a personalised approach.
- In 2021, Billit won the Flemish government's e-FA award. In 2022, we won the successor to that award, the E-invoicing Award.
- Over half of all Belgian Peppol users are connected via the Billit Peppol Access Point.





Choose the Billit Access Point and you will be ready for the future: sending and receiving e-invoices worldwide smoothly, efficiently, and 100% securely!

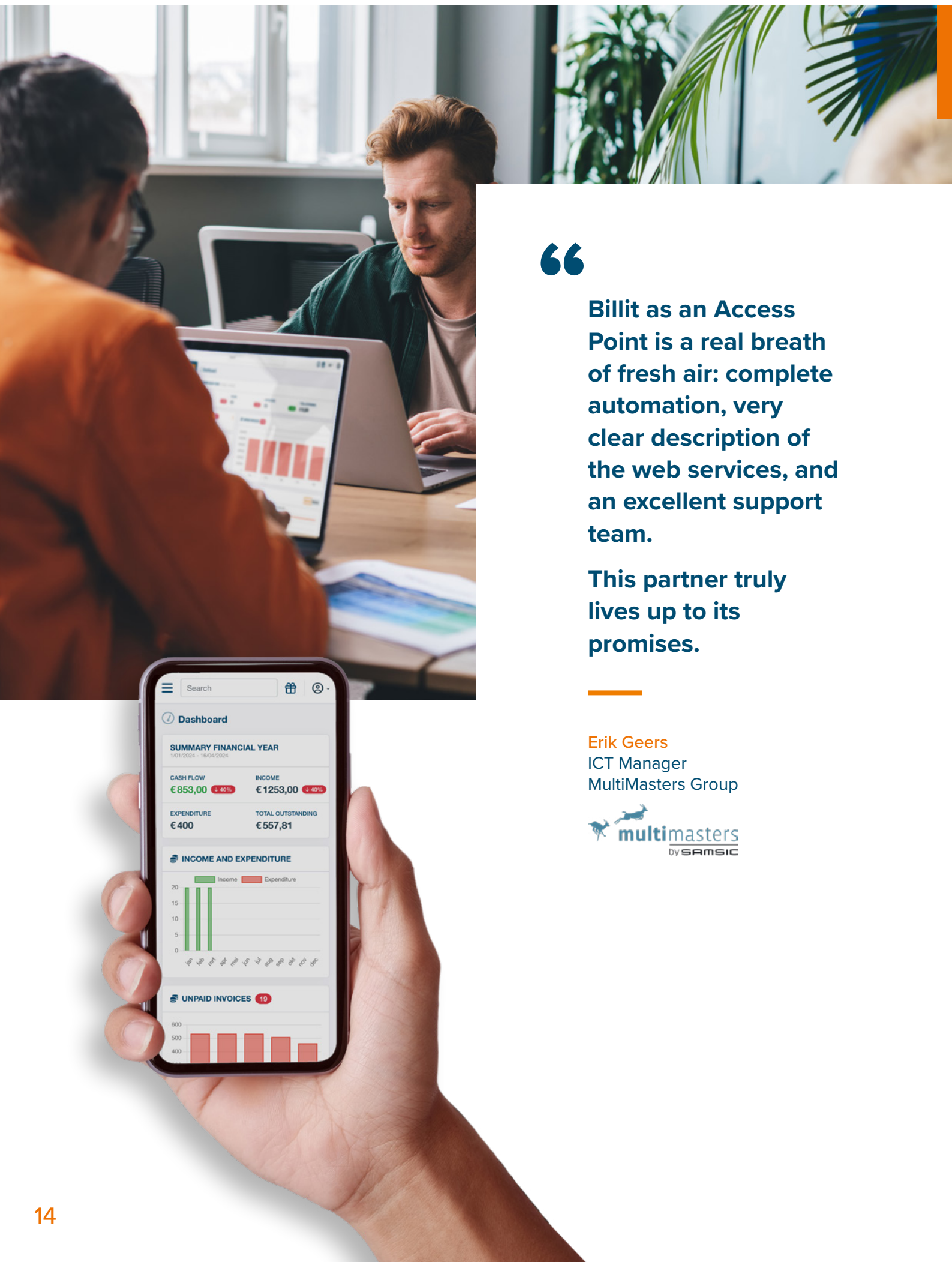
OUR RATES

The online Billit invoicing platform:

Companies can try Billit **for free for 15 days**. After that, you choose a licence based on your usage. You can find the various rate plans at www.billit.eu.

Linking software to the Billit Access point:

We always provide a service customised to the needs of your organisation. Contact us for more information.



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Billit as an Access Point is a real breath of fresh air: complete automation, very clear description of the web services, and an excellent support team.

This partner truly lives up to its promises.

Erik Geers
ICT Manager
MultiMasters Group





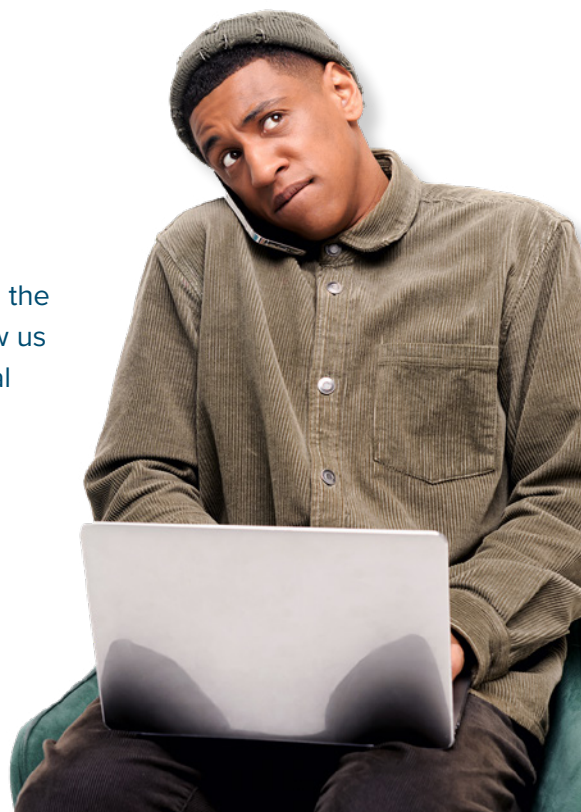
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