





# Overview

Synchronizing an existing connector from PEX to Xero ensures that financial data flows seamlessly between the two platforms, enabling efficient expense management and accounting processes. This guide provides step-by-step instructions to synchronize your PEX account with Xero.

## Prerequisites

Before you begin, ensure you have the following:

1. **PEX Account:** Ensure you have an active PEX account with the necessary permissions to configure integrations.
2. **Xero Account:** Ensure you have an active Xero account with the necessary permissions to configure integrations.
3. **Administrator Access:** Ensure you have administrator access to both PEX and Xero accounts.
4. **Signed into Xero:** Sign into your Xero account in a separate web browser. This will simplify the authentication steps between PEX and Xero.

## Steps to Synchronize PEX with Xero


### Step 1: Log in to Your PEX Account

1. Open your web browser and go to the PEX login page.
2. Enter your credentials (username and password) and click "Login".

### Step 2: Access the Integration Settings

1. Once logged in, navigate to the **Apps** icon located at the bottom of the navigation menu on the left side of the page.
2. On the **Apps** page, find the **PEX Connector for Xero** app and select **Launch**.





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## Dashboard

Your PEX Account at a glance

PEX Account balance <b>\$1,223.03</b>	Open cards <b>12</b>
Available card funds <b>\$12,115.61</b>	Pending card transactions <b>\$65.94</b>
Total funds <b>\$13,338.64</b>	Pending ACH transfers <b>\$0.00</b>
Total ledger balance at 12am (ET) <b>\$13,429.58</b>	Card spend since 12am (ET) <b>-\$41.94</b>

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### Rebate rewards ⓘ

Lifetime earned <b>\$2.50</b>	Year-to-date earned <b>\$2.50</b>
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#### Quick transfer

Make a Same Day ACH transfer from your D.L. Evans Bank - Personal & Small Business ( --- 4812 ) account.

Amount to transfer \*  
\$10 000

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Create custom funding schedules for PEX cardholders to increase funding automation.

**LAUNCH**



### PEX Connector for Xero BETA

Sync PEX receipts and transactions into Xero for faster expense management and reconciliation.

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## Step 3: Run Sync

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The last synchronization was: 08 May 2024 11:39:39 AM local time.

To synchronize now, click the SYNC button below.

**SYNC** ... **DISCONNECT**

Sync History

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**REFRESH**

**Note:** Sometimes the amount of data that will be moved from PEX to Xero is large enough that the sync operation will time out. If you go into Xero and don't see all the transactions, then go back to PEX and run the sync operation again.

## How to Re-Initialize the PEX to Xero Connector

Sometimes the connector between PEX and Xero will time out, requiring the credentials between PEX and Xero to be refreshed. This section will walk you through the steps to reinitialize an existing connector. It helps if you are already logged into Xero before starting this operation.

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### Step 3: Reconnect the Xero Integration

1. If the connector has timed out, you will automatically be prompted to reconnect with the following notification:

## Xero Session Failure

Unfortunately, the connector cannot communicate with the Xero APIs.

Click 'RE-CONNECT' to re-connect with your Xero organization.  
Click 'DISCONNECT' to disconnect the Xero connector entirely.

RE-CONNECT DISCONNECT

2. Click on the **Reconnect to Xero** button. You will be redirected to the Xero login page.
3. Enter your Xero credentials and authorize PEX to access your Xero account.
4. Once authorized, you will be redirected back to the PEX integration settings page.




## Step 4: Reconfigure Sync Settings

1. In the PEX integration settings page, reconfigure the settings as follows:
  - **Select Xero Organization:** Choose the Xero organization you want to sync with.
  - **Accept Default Mapping Accounts:** Ensure PEX expense categories are correctly mapped to Xero accounts. Accept the existing mappings.

### Tenant Selection

Please select which Xero organization you want to use with the connector.

Organization OVI General Contracting, LLC ▼



**CONFIRM**



**PEX Connector** wants access to:

OVI General Contracting, LLC ▼

### Organisation data



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View and manage your:

- Attachments
- Business transactions
- Contacts

View your:

- Organisation settings

### User account information



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View your name, email, and user profile.

By allowing access, you agree to the transfer of your data between Xero and this application in accordance with Xero's [Terms of use](#) and the application provider's terms of use and privacy policy.

You can disconnect at any time by going to [Connected apps](#) in your Xero settings.

**Allow access**

**Cancel**





## Connector Setup

### 1 Xero Connection

## Connect your Xero account



To begin, we need to connect your PEX and Xero accounts.

Click the **CONNECT** button below to authenticate with your Xero account.

This will redirect you to Xero to login and authorize PEX to connect to your organization.

Don't have a Xero account? [Sign up for a free trial today!](#)

**CONNECT**

[CANCEL](#)

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## Configure what to sync from PEX

Choose what kind of transactions to sync from PEX into Xero:

**Purchases** ☒ Import approved PEX purchases as Xero spend money transactions.

**Fees** ☒ Import PEX account fees as Xero spend money transactions.

**Transfers** ☒ Import PEX account transfers as Xero transfers between two bank accounts.

**Rebates** ☐ Import PEX rebates as Xero receive money transactions.

**Start Date\*** 08/31/2023 

① Start date must be less than 1 year ago (Jun 12, 2023).

**End Date** MM/DD/YYYY 

① Leave empty to default to date of sync.

💡 Hint: Temporarily pick a small date range for testing and reconciliation.

\* = Required field.

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### Configure what to sync from Xero

Choose what fields to sync from Xero into PEX as tags:

Hint: These tags can be mapped to Xero transaction fields for purchase transactions.

You can only sync fields to **dropdown tags**. Please check the [support documentation](#) on how to set up PEX tags for syncing.

Field*	Sync	PEX Tag
Expense Account	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	EXPENSE TYPE ▾
FUEL	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PROJECTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PROJECTS ▾

Hint: If you'd like to resolve Expense Accounts from a PEX tag for purchases, we suggest you sync Expense Accounts to a PEX tag.

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### Configure which accounts to use when importing transactions:

#### Bank Accounts:

**Source Cash\*** Use this Xero bank account as the source account for transfers: OVI-GC Business Checking ▾  
④ Transfers to PEX will credit this account.

**PEX Cash\*** Use this Xero bank account as the 'PEX' bank account: PEX Cash Account ▾  
④ Transfers to PEX will debit this account.  
④ Purchases in PEX will credit this account.  
④ Fees in PEX will credit this account.  
④ Rebates to PEX will debit this account.

#### Expense Accounts:

**Purchases\*** Use this PEX Tag ▾ as the expense account for PEX purchases: EXPENSE TYPE ▾  
④ Note: Only dropdown PEX tags can be used for this field.  
④ Purchases in PEX will debit this account.

If the expense account tag is missing on a PEX purchase, default to: Other Expense  
④ Purchases in PEX will debit this account.

**Fees\*** Use this Xero expense account for PEX fees: Bank Service Charges ▾  
④ Fees in PEX will debit this account.

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Configure how purchases populate your Xero spend transactions:

**Account** PEX Tag: EXPENSE TYPE

**Attachments\*** ☒ Automatically import PEX purchase attachments as Xero transaction attachments.

Expense Field Mappings:

Field	Map	Type	Mapping	Default
Item Description	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tag ▾	PEX Description ▾	(Purchase Description)
FUEL	<input type="checkbox"/>	▾		
PROJECTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tag ▾	PROJECTS ▾	▾

① Note: Tracking Category fields are optional. To make them required, make the PEX tag they are mapped to required.

💡 Hint: The Item Description field is useful when using split-tags! Each split can have it's own description.

① Note: The Item Description field can only map to text PEX tags. It will default to the PEX transaction description if missing or empty.

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Configure contact sync

☐ Use this \_\_\_\_\_ as the transaction contact.

💡 Hint: Consider creating a new contact in Xero called 'PEX' if you would like to book all of your PEX purchases against a single contact.

• Create a contact for each unique merchant.

☒ Use standardized merchant names

💡 Example: "Target" instead of "Target #0973226".

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### Configure how fees populate your Xero spend transactions:

**Account** Bank Service Charges

**Contact\*** Use this Xero Contact as the transaction contact: PEX TX FEES ▼

💡 Hint: We suggest creating and using a single 'PEX' Xero contact for all fees.

**Expense Field Mappings:**

Field	Map	Type	Mapping
FUEL	<input type="checkbox"/>	Static	▼
PROJECTS	<input type="checkbox"/>	Static	▼

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## Step 5: Run Initial Sync

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