

Rate limiting

- upcoming changes to the API



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Rate limiting – context

How it is now: Tellent Recruitee's ATS API is a robust set of endpoints that allows users retrieving, adding, changing and deleting the data via the use of custom API integrations built for various uses. At the moment the allowed rate limit is set at a very high threshold – in practice not impacting integrations at all.

Rate limiting – context

What is changing: As the number of API integrations and their complexity grows, along with scaling up the data sets sizes present in company accounts, we decided to **introduce stricter rate limiting**, potentially impacting your custom API integration.

This decision was considered and made to ensure that Tellent Recruitee's API remains **secure, efficient, reliable** and **low latency**. Stricter rate limiting will create a more positive experience when building API integrations with us.

Rate limiting – next steps

If you were directed to the [article](#) about the upcoming changes, it means that our API monitoring registered **number of API queries** with the use of **Personal API token** exceeding the limit we are planning to introduce.

Please **review your integration** to ensure that the number of API queries complies with the rate limit.

New rate limit

**1000 requests/60
seconds**

Deadline

**15th
October
2025**

Rate limiting – error message

If rate limit is **exceeded**, you will receive a response with **429 status**.

The API response contains a header *x-ratelimit* which contains additional information about the remaining query quota.

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