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# **Safety in numbers:**

7 reasons for banks and financial institutions to trust digital communication

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# Balancing security & customer experience for banking and finance



# Where to find Serbian consumers online?



**74.6%** of economically active people in Serbia use social media & messaging apps



Your phone's first screen: the most valuable digital real estate





# What's on your phone's home screen?

Most likely, at least one messaging app





# 7 reasons for banks and financial institutions to trust messaging apps

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#### Reason #1

Rakuten Viber is secure, private, and safe — as a standard

top-3
messaging and calling apps based on

security\*



# Viber for Business:

## private and secure — as a standard



End-to-end encryption & encryption in transit



Public server connections over HTTPS only



IPs, not domains, whitelisted for each business



Customer messages aren't stored on our servers after delivery



**GDPR, CCPA & CPRA** 



AWS cloud server infrastructure



We never sell customer information



SSL encryption



**SOC 2 Type 2 certified** 



**PCI** compliant

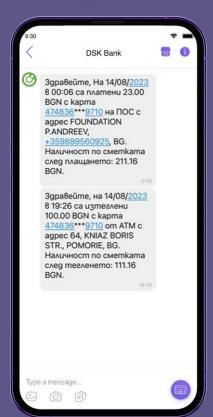
# What our banking partner thinks about **privacy** and security of Viber for Business:





"DSK Bank and dskVentures strategic objectives are to continuously enhance customer experience and embrace technological advancements to meet evolving consumer needs. Over the past two years, our partnership with Viber has proven instrumental in achieving this goal by offering a directly communication channel.

Viber Business Messages not only ensures user **security with end-to-end encryption** but also **provides a seamless platform for businesses to engage with customers securely**. With connections established solely through the HTTPS protocol, Viber presents an ideal opportunity for fostering meaningful interactions and delivering exceptional service to our customers."



# Rakuten Viber for business

#### Reason #2

Viber Rich
Business
Messaging offers
message types
designed for banks



Transactional messages sent by banks on Rakuten Viber\*



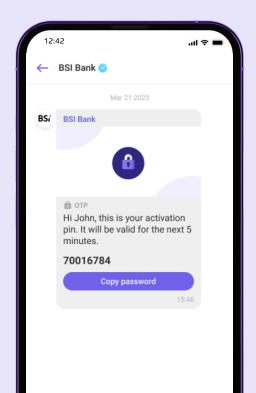
### **Secure Business Messaging solutions:**

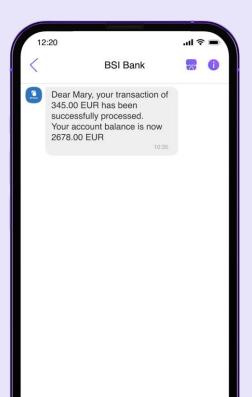
#### **OTP** messages

A **cost-efficient** one-time password solution for customer verification & authorization

# Enhanced-protection messages

A new message type that offers an additional layer of **security** for **sharing sensitive information** 





# What our early adopters think about Enhanced-protection messages:



**Sokratis Kalamatianos**Digital Solutions, **Eurobank** 

"As a bank, security is paramount to us. Collaborating with Rakuten Viber to develop a methodology for **enhancing the protection of sensitive information** was truly rewarding for Eurobank. We had to develop counter-measures to protect from fraud elderly, or less aware customers. We were pleased to see Viber's responsiveness to our feedback, shaping a solution that aligned with our needs.

Our journey through this process was **seamless**, driven by our shared commitment to **security**. The fact that this solution is being rolled out further is a testament to our innovative collaboration."

Welcome to Eurobank e-Banking services for Business AT12345PGF1QX and is valid for 72 hours. Go to https:// ebanking.eurobank.gr/#/login and select «Online Activation» Enter the One Time Password Complete the transfer to

Trusted service partner:



#### Reason #3

Customers
recognize and trust
Business Messages
from brands on
Rakuten Viber

## **Blue tick**

Marks official business accounts — manually verified by Rakuten

Viber



Viber Rich Business Messaging:

safe & trusted by customers

# Manually verified **Business Account**

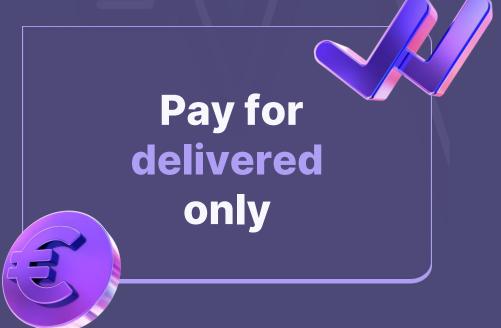
- Messages from trusted businesses only in a dedicated folder
- "Blue tick" as a sign of verification
- Detailed information about the business



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#### Reason #4

Viber Rich Business Messaging: cost-efficient channel



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#### Reason #5

Guaranteed message delivery thanks to SMS fallback 100% coverage

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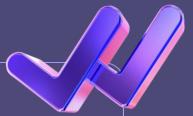
#### Reason #6

Rakuten Viber: banks' trusted partner for digital communication



1000

banks & financial companies already use Viber for Business





# 1000+ banks & financial companies already leverage Viber for Business solutions to achieve their goals















































































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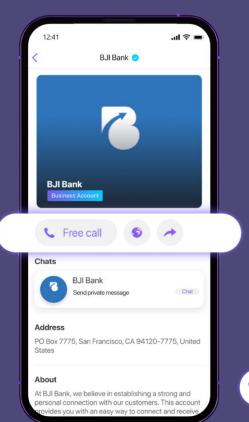
#### **Bonus Reason**

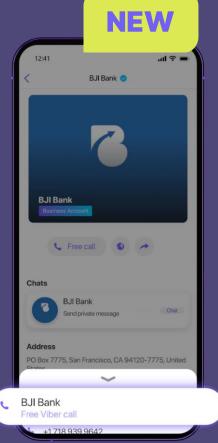
#### **Viber Business Calls**

#### **In-app call center** on Rakuten Viber

- Seamless customer support
- Improved customer experience
- Conversions via conversations
- Upsell & cross-sell opportunities

91% of consumers prefer brands that provide the option to call or message\*





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#### **Anton Tiutiun**

Deputy Chairman of the Management Board, **Oschadbank** 

"Our clients have been interested in using messaging apps to communicate with the bank for several years. Viber Business Calls serve as a free communication channel within the popular messaging app, allowing us to meet their needs. Given that the vast majority of our clients use Rakuten Viber, it offers a convenient alternative to traditional mobile calls."

Trusted service partner:



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# Thank you



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