

How to add a domain in Vercel

By [Exerra](#)

Hello! Let us paint this scenario, you just bought your own shiny domain, and you want to apply it in Vercel, but you cannot seem to figure out how to do it. This guide will explain (with pictures) how to configure your own shiny domain in Vercel

What you must do in Vercel itself

Once you're in the dashboard, go to [the Domain page](#). Once you're there, you should see this:

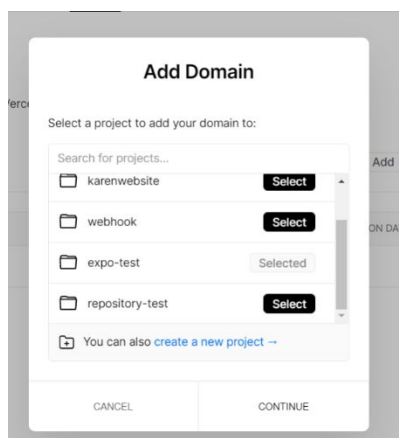
Domains

Manage the domains you can use with Vercel

[Buy](#) [Add](#) [Transfer in](#) [Move](#) [Delete](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN	REGISTRAR	NAMESERVERS ⓘ	EXPIRATION DATE ⓘ	AGE	⋮
<input type="checkbox"/>	exerra.xyz	Third Party	Vercel	-	49d	⋮

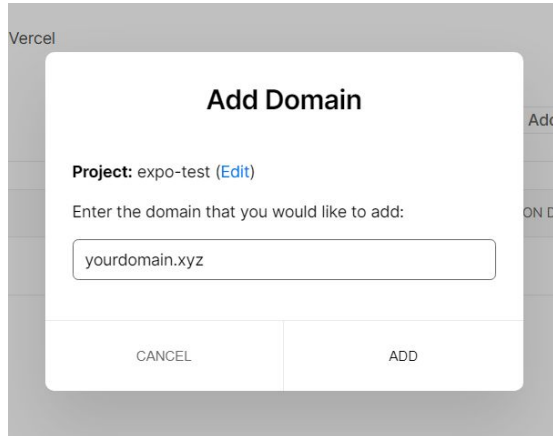
In there, click the “Add” button. That will bring up a project selection page, like this:



Select the project you are going to use the domain for, for this guide I will select “expo-test” as an example.

Continued on the next page...

When you have selected the domain, press "Continue" You should see something like this:



Vercel

Add Domain

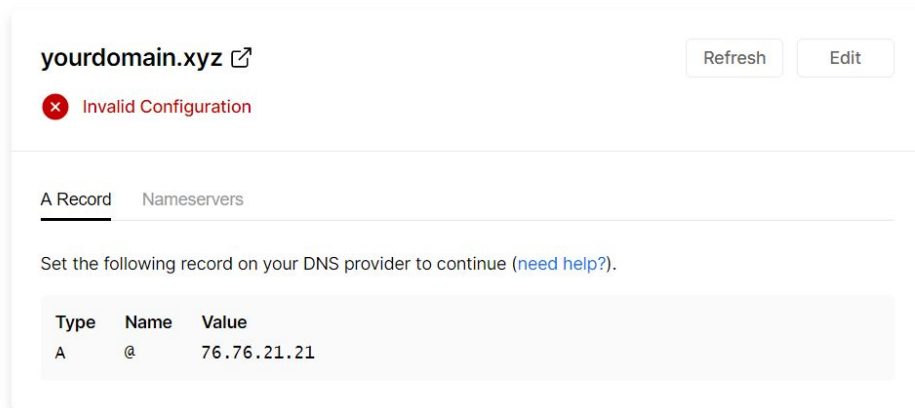
Project: expo-test (Edit)

Enter the domain that you would like to add:

CANCEL ADD

In the text field, put in your domain. As an example, I have put "yourdomain.xyz" (Disclaimer, I do not own this domain).

Once you have clicked "Add", you will see this.



yourdomain.xyz [Refresh](#) [Edit](#)

✖ Invalid Configuration

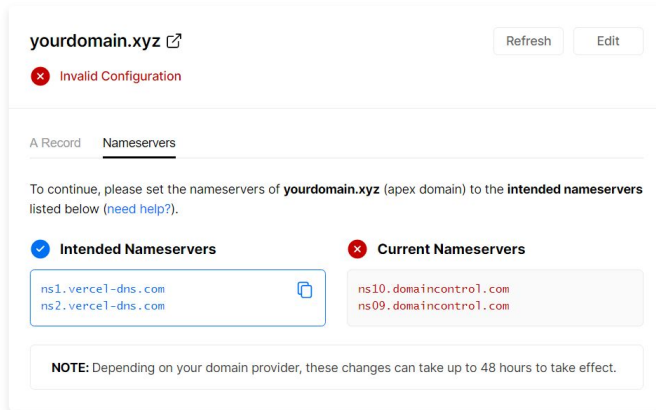
[A Record](#) [Nameservers](#)

Set the following record on your DNS provider to continue ([need help?](#)).

Type	Name	Value
A	@	76.76.21.21

Continued on the next page...

In this guide, we will use nameservers, so just click “Nameservers”. You should see this:

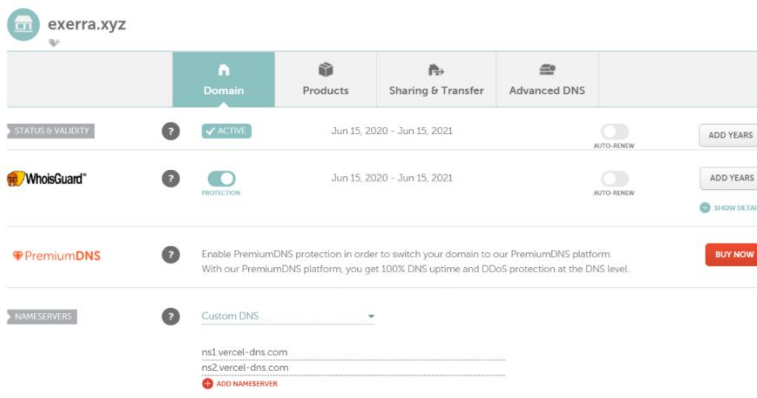


You will see “Intended Nameservers” and “Current Nameservers”
The intended ones are the ones we need to put, so let’s head on over the next section!

What you must do in your domain provider

Open your domain providers dashboard and go over to your domain. In my scenario I am using Namecheap.

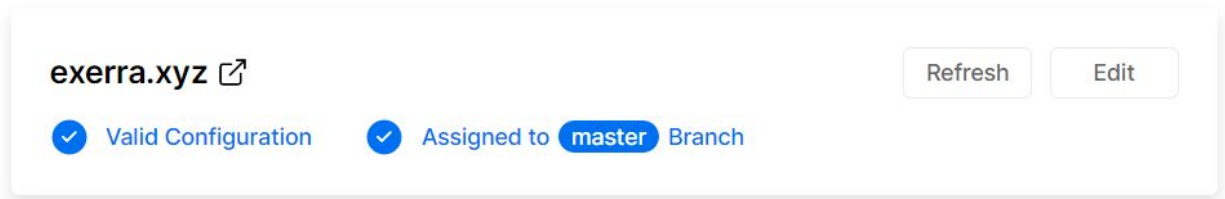
You should navigate over to the Nameservers section. You should see something similar to this (without the already configured nameservers):



There, just add the 2 nameservers and let’s go back to Vercel!

Back to Vercel

Nameservers should take some time to update, during this time go to the project you added the domain in, navigate to domains and periodically press “Refresh”. Once it has updated, it will look like this:



The screenshot shows a domain configuration card for **exerra.xyz**. At the top left is the domain name with an external link icon. To the right are two buttons: "Refresh" and "Edit". Below the domain name are two status indicators: a blue checkmark followed by "Valid Configuration", and another blue checkmark followed by "Assigned to" and a blue pill containing the text "master", followed by "Branch".

And that is it! Thanks for checking out this guide.