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EU e-Learning module

Release for free circulation

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Customs procedures are the set of managements and operations related to imports or exports of goods to and from the EU, as these are defined by the **Union Customs Code (UCC)**.

The easy-to-use eLearning course **Release for free circulation** is based on the Union Customs Code and is produced by the European Commission Directorate General for Taxation and Customs (TAXUD) under the Customs 2020 Programme.

Scope

It provides **fundamental knowledge** in the domain of release for free circulation and the **related procedures** as defined by the **Union Customs Code (UCC)**.

Audience

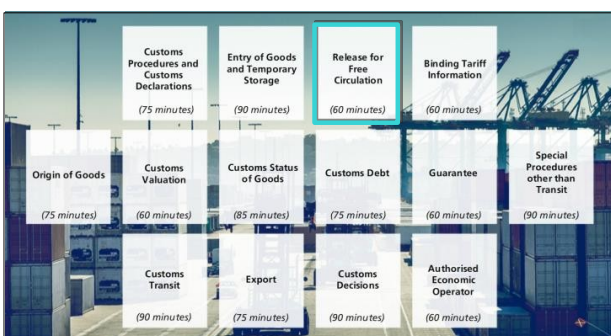
Customs professionals in the public and private sector involved in process of bringing goods into the customs territory of the EU with the purpose to put them on the EU market or to use or consume them within the EU.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this 60-minute course, you will have learned about:

- the different ways in which goods can be brought into the customs territory of the Union;
- the concept of free circulation;
- the standard process for free circulation;
- the cases in which goods released for free circulation are granted relief from import duty.

To benefit fully from the course and to achieve the learning outcomes, it is recommended to integrate it in your own training programme and develop a blended learning strategy.

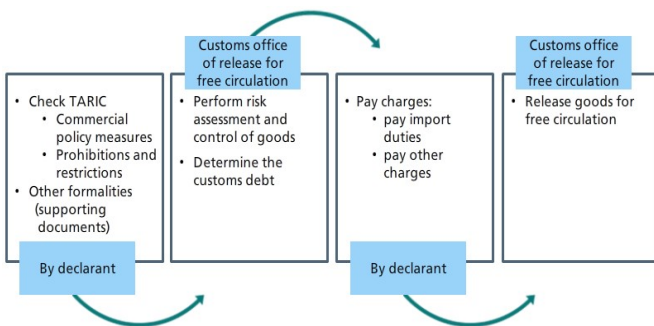


Features

After giving general information about the concept of release for free circulation, the course describes the respective roles of customs and of the economic operators in this process.

You may interrupt your course. When reopening the course, you can resume where you left off. The completed sections are indicated in yellow in the menu.

A course summary of the most relevant information is made available in a printable format in the course library



Course duration

The course takes around 60 minutes to complete.

Available languages

The course is available in English. However, consult the [Customs and Tax EU Learning Portal](#) for the availability of further EU language versions.

Let's get started!

- The eLearning module is publicly available and accessible via the [Customs and Tax EU Learning portal](#) for direct view,
- Registered users can download the course.
- Troubleshoot technical issues and get help by clicking on FAQ or Support.

Find out more

Visit the [Customs and Tax EU Learning Portal \(europa.eu\)](#)

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