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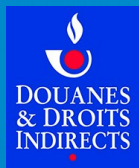
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CUSTOMS CLEARANCE IN FRANCE

40 CONCRETE MEASURES
to support businesses

Businesses in the heart of French
Customs priorities



Customs clearance in France – The new Union Customs Code
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The “Customs Clearance in France” programme

- Group initiatives to foster economic support
- Show that French Customs is on the front foot and is helping with the economic recovery
- Make commitments towards businesses and logistic platforms

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Background

- Full application of the new Union Customs Code as from 1 May 2016
- Introduction of new customs provisions
- All supply chain stakeholders need to be primed for the changes

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The programme's goals

- Assist companies with their international business
- Facilitate and encourage customs clearance in France

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3 targets – 8 measures

- Simplification : streamline and upgrade customs procedures for international transactions
- Attractiveness : increase France's appeal by cutting costs and red tape for businesses
- Assist and support companies with their international business

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Target 1: Streamline and upgrade customs formalities for international transactions



Measure 1: Single points of contact approach

5 Initiatives

Including:

- Centralised clearance rollout
- Set up a Key Accounts Department (SGC) and provide more Business Consulting Units (CCEs) for SMEs
- Expand the National One-Stop Shop (GUN)

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**Target 1:
Streamline and upgrade customs formalities for international
transactions**



Measure 2: Greater use of digital technologies

4 Initiatives

Including:

Objective of 100% paperless customs formalities

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Target 1: Streamline and upgrade customs formalities for international transactions



Measure 3: Secure processes for businesses

4 Initiatives

Including:

For trade flows with non-EU countries, increase the number of Authorised Economic Operators (AEOs) to 80%

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Target 2: Increase France's appeal by cutting costs and saving time for businesses

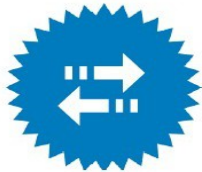
Measure 4: Support for production in France

5 Initiatives

Including:

*Provide at least 1,000 businesses with entitlement to reversal
of import VAT liability*

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**Target 2:
Increase France's appeal by cutting costs
and saving time for businesses**

Measure 5: Smooth customs work flows

7 Initiatives

Including:

Special treatment for AEO-certified businesses

Clear more than 95% of customs declarations in under five minutes

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**Target 3:
Assist companies
with their international business**



Measure 6: Support for businesses

4 Initiatives

Including:

Roll out a customs training programme for businesses to double the number of staff trained

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**Target 3:
Assist companies
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Measure 7: Enhanced Customs dialogue with businesses

6 Initiatives

Including:

Improve discussions at the Customs/Business Forum

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**Target 3:
Assist companies
with their international business**

Measure 8: Customs call up all its services in favour of
businesses

5 Initiatives

Including:

*Marshall the international customs attaché network for the
benefit of French businesses*

Identify new quality commitments for French Customs

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Programme monitoring

- Multi-annual initiatives, 2016-2018
- Progress reports for each initiative
- Sundry promotional measures

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