

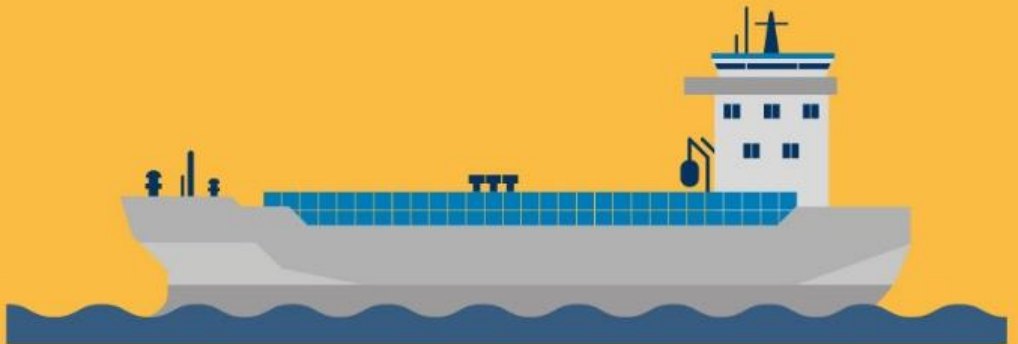


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In the case of a no deal EU exit, the requirements for importing to the UK and exporting to the EU will change.





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Importing to the UK

Step 1 – Apply for a UK Economic Operator Registration Identification (EORI) number.

Step 2 - Pre-lodge your import declarations on the HMRC system before checking your goods onto the ferry or train on the EU side.

Step 3 - Provide the haulier who is carrying your goods with the Master Reference Number (MRN) from your import or transit declaration or a UK EORI number. If your supplier is arranging the haulage, they must inform the haulier.

Step 4 - Confirm the arrival of your goods by updating the status of your customs declaration by the end of the next working day.

Exporting from the UK

Step 1 – Apply for a UK Economic Operator Registration Identification (EORI) number.

Step 2 - Submit a UK export declaration on HMRC's system and follow procedures for the vehicle to be able to exit the UK.

Step 3 – On arrival at the UK/EU border, your haulier will need the MRN from the import declaration for France or other Member State when checking-in at the UK terminal. This will be requested at the UK port or terminal. A separate Safety and Security declaration for entry into the EU will also need to be submitted.

Note: Goods may be selected for further checks during the crossing and may also need to be presented for inspection at a customs/SPS examination facility on arrival in the EU.

These steps can be completed on your behalf by a representative, such as a forwarder or customs agent.

Note – imports/exports of plants, plant products, live animals, products of animal origin, high risk food not of animal origin, germplasm and animal by-products may require pre-notification, and/or additional inspection at designated locations.

For more information, go to gov.uk/euexit
You can also consult douane.gouv.fr (France)

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