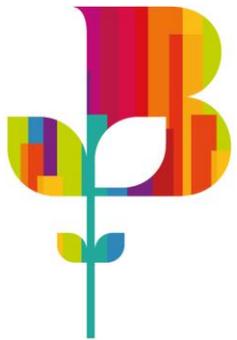


ATA Carnet Bitesize Session

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Tell us how you're finding trading after Brexit



Congratulations !

- ✓ You have organised your trade fair, and have your stand all booked
- ✓ You have organised what goods you are taking
- ✓ You have organised your tickets, passport and Hotel
- ✓ You have organised your outfits

Have you organised how to get your goods through customs on a temporary basis so you can bring them back



Why do you need paperwork for goods you will be bringing back?

- All exports and imports need to be cleared at customs points even if its temporary.
- UK Customs need paperwork to prove goods being returned were originally exported on a temporary basis.
- You will need to complete the foreign Customs import and re-export documentation and give any financial security normally required in that country.

You could either do this time consuming process at each customs point, OR you could obtain

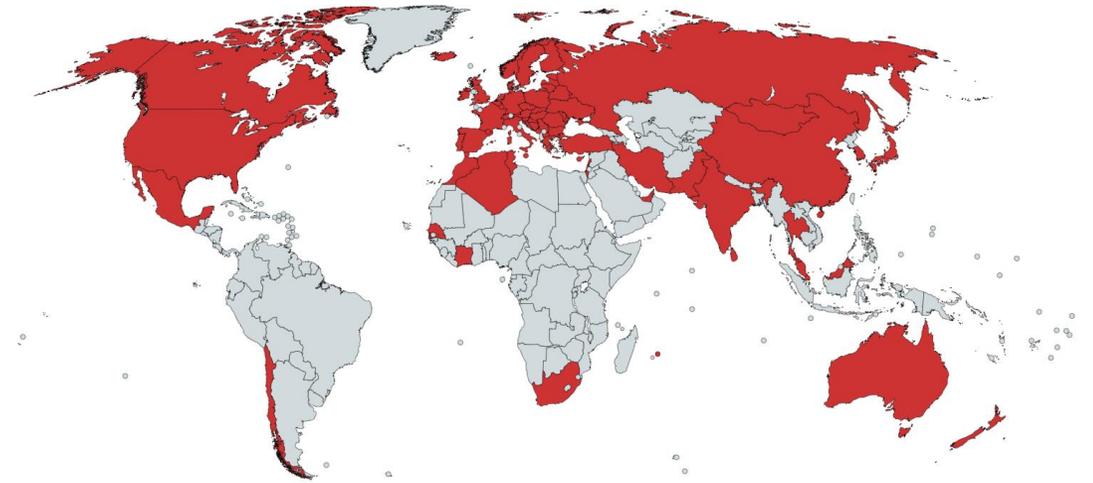
AN ATA CARNET



What is an ATA Carnet?

Worldwide it is known as a passport for goods

- Its used to temporary export goods to participating countries worldwide.
- It reduces the barriers of International customs regulations.
- It allows you to clear your goods through customs points without having to go through each customs procedure and lodging a temporary import bond with them.



The carnet is valid for 12 months and allows the movement of your goods as many times as you like to any of the destinations you apply for.



Who already uses the ATA Carnets

Bentley Motors



Used for various worldwide motor shows, showrooms, marketing. As well as the beautiful cars, Bentley also needs to take samples of wood, Clothing ranges, Spare wheels and other branded items



Who already uses the ATA Carnets

Digital Projection



Projections not only at Trade Fairs also for concerts, open air events, visitor attractions



Who already uses the ATA Carnets

GAC Pindar



Freight Agent on behalf of : F50 League Sail GP complete with the £170,000 sterling silver Trophy. Aston Martin AM Vulcans million pound cars racing in Abu Dhabi Gulf 12hours



What are the benefits of using ATA Carnets

- ❑ The time consuming task of completing customs documents for each country you pass through, or visit, is avoided.
- ❑ Carnet holders are not required to post securities with Customs. A carnet gives a guarantee to overseas officials that if temporarily admitted items are not re-exported, duties will be paid.
- ❑ ATA Carnets reduce costs to exporters by eliminating value-added tax (VAT) and customs duties.
- ❑ Carnets simplify customs border crossings and cut red tape by allowing importers and exporters to use a single document for all customs formalities.
- ❑ With ATA Carnets, salesmen, exhibitors and other business travellers may
 - ❑ make advanced customs arrangements at predetermined cost
 - ❑ visit several countries
 - ❑ use their ATA carnet for several trips during its one year validity
 - ❑ return to the UK without problems or delay.
- ❑ Helps to overcome language barriers and having to complete unfamiliar customs forms



How do I apply for an ATA Carnet

Information you will need to apply for your Carnet:

- Details of the Carnet holder (company that legally owns the goods and is responsible for payment of any duties to foreign Customs),
- details of the person(s) who will be travelling with the goods,
- Countries being visited / transited,
- intended use of the goods,
- and finally the list of goods being taken. All the goods must be individually itemised with each item having its specific description (i.e. make, serial number), weight and value to facilitate Customs identification and prevent substitution of goods.

Freight agents can apply for ATA Carnets on behalf of their clients on production of an agent authority letter



There are two factors that determine the cost

ATA Carnet Issuing fee

Member: £185.00 + VAT | No-member: £225+VAT

Standard Issuing time: 24-48 hour period. Priority issue available on request only. Email exportdocs@gmchamber.co.uk for urgent requests.

Security

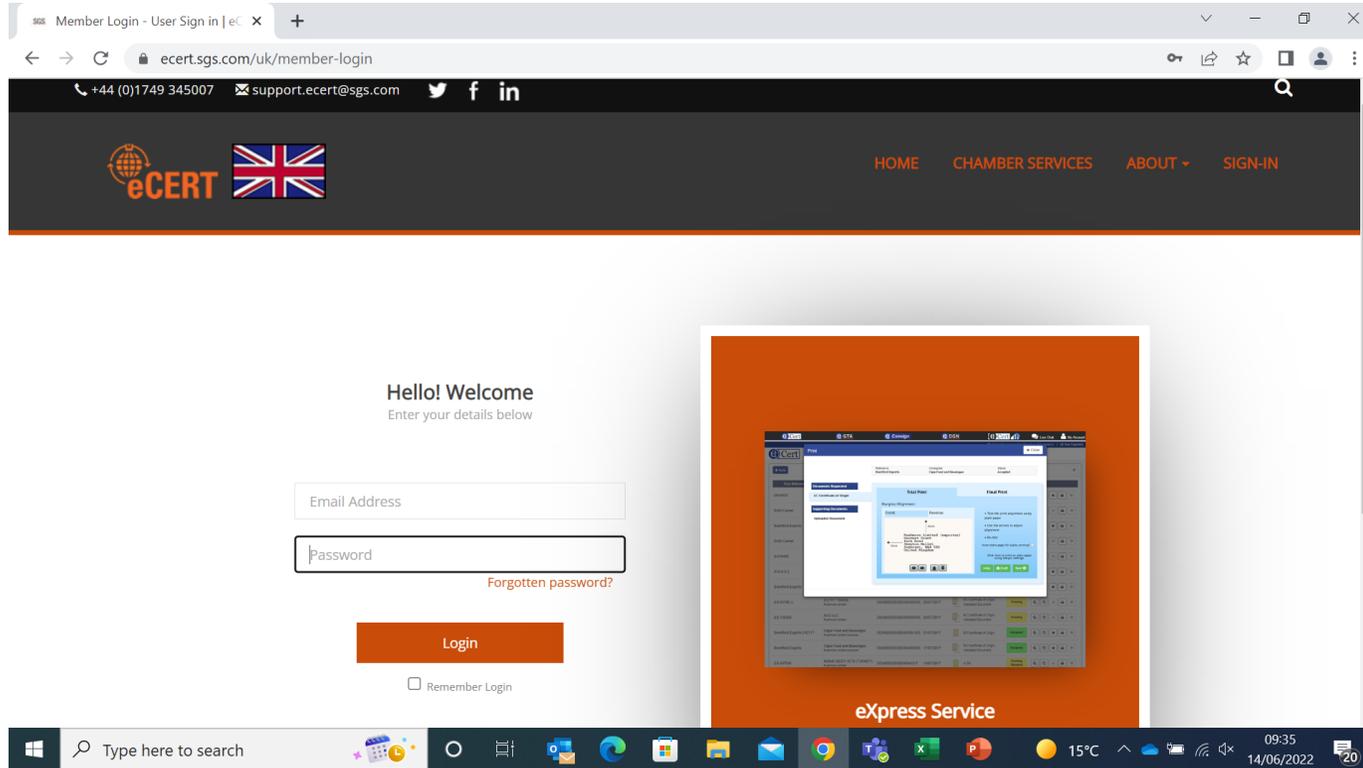
In all cases Carnet holders are required to provide a security which relates to the value of the goods being temporarily exported. This security is determined by the ATA Carnet Security Rate Chart and must be provided in one of the following ways:

- **Banker's draft or cash** this is fully refundable on surrender of your Carnet to us as long as the conditions of use have not been breached.
- **Bank Guarantee.** this is cancelled with your guarantor on surrender of your Carnet to us as long as the conditions of use have not been breached.
- **Carnet Indemnity Scheme Guarantee** - an in-house service allowing the Carnet user to arrange for the security to be provided without having to supply either Banker's Draft, cash or Bank Guarantee. Using this scheme, a non-refundable, one off payment means we can provide you with a 'While You Wait' processing service and there is no 'freezing' of assets or funds.



How to Apply

Documents are applied for electronically via our e-z cert platform



Our eCert platform is very user friendly and will provide you guidance on how to complete the carnet.

If you are having issues, email our team for support.



ATA Carnets the future

A worldwide pilot is being rolled out for digital carnets if this is successful, and the World Customs Organisation + HMRC agree that the eCarnet is the way forward, then we would start rolling out digital Carnets throughout the UK at the beginning of 2021



Any Carnet applicants using the e-z Cert platforms will automatically be issued with digital Carnets once the HMRC gives the green light for their use.

Naturally all the UK Customs offices will need to have the relevant facilities to process digital Carnets in the first place (and the same applies to other countries in the Carnet Chain)– so it may take some time before we achieve the full functionality across the UK and the international Carnet Chain.

Interested in being part of this? Email Kathryn.Hoggitt@gmchamber.co.uk



Top Tips

- Submit your Carnet Application with plenty of time. Our team has seen a huge increase in carnet applications, so the sooner the better.
- Make sure you provide a complete itemised list of the goods you are taken including serial numbers and other important information
- Always make sure to check what are the requirements for your specific goods before travelling. Some useful links:
 - [Check how to export goods - GOV.UK \(check-duties-customs-exporting-goods.service.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/check-duties-customs-exporting-goods.service.gov.uk)
 - [ATA Carnets- GMCC](#)



Keep up with latest developments!

- ✓ Check our [website](#) for further guidance and information
- ✓ Make sure your signed up to our bi-weekly International Brief – email exportbritain@gmchamber.co.uk if you wish to be added.
- ✓ Follow our Trade Team Twitter account (@GMCCTradeTeam) & LinkedIn groups (GM Chamber International Group)
- ✓ Sign up to eCert platform



Useful links

How to guides

<https://www.gmchamber.co.uk/international-trade/export-documentation-delivery/>

eCert

[Home | eCert UK \(sgs.com\)](#)

GMCC Brexit hub – Full of useful resources, events, news and more helping traders to keep on trading

www.gmccbrexithub.com



Q&A



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Tells us what you thought of the event and your ATA carnet requirements in the next 6-12 months



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