

ATA Carnet Digitalisation

Preparing Carnet holders for the global transition



Passport for goods

ATA Carnet digitalisation will shortly enter the global transition phase during which, Customs administrations around the world will gradually start adopting digital Carnet procedures.

Here we explain how digital Carnets will work and what to expect during the global transition, where paper and digital Carnets coexist, until all countries are digital.



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What are different deployment stages of ATA Carnet digitalisation?

2024/2025

Preparation

Countries are getting ports and Customs ready

Digital Carnets are being used for **test purposes** and must be processed alongside the paper Carnet

2026/2027

Transition

First countries will start using digital Carnets

Digital Carnets are used in **digital countries** and paper Carnets in **paper countries**

2028+

Digital

All countries have adopted digital Carnet functionality

Paper Carnet can no longer be used (all transactions must be done on **digital Carnets**)

When to use paper Carnet or digital Carnet during the transition?

Itinerary including **paper** countries only



Itinerary including **digital** and **paper** countries



Itinerary including **digital** countries only

