MONTHLY TRADE UPDATE

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Welcome to the October issue of the ACE Monthly Trade Update! Below you will find information regarding the latest news on ACE, ACE Portal and Resource Reminders, Tips and Frequently Asked Questions. If you have any feedback on the current content or structure of this page , please reach out to AskACE@cbp.dhs.gov.

LATEST NEWS

On September 16, 2017, as part of Deployment G, Release 2, U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) deployed Duty Deferral and Importer Security Filing (ISF) to the Automated Commercial Environment (ACE). With this deployment, these capabilities will no longer be filed or processed in the Automated Commercial System (ACS) and must be done via ACE.

Due to disruptions to trade and negative impact on the flow of cargo presented by Hurricane Harvey and the following hurricanes, CBP rescheduled the deployment of electronic Foreign Trade Zone (e214) and Manufacturer ID (MID) creation capabilities. Deployment of these capabilities was moved from September 16, 2017 to our next scheduled deployment on December 9, 2017 (Deployment G, Release 3).

As a reminder, software vendors and self-filers should reference the ACE CATAIR chapters to ensure systems are up to date with the latest ACE specifications.

For the latest FRN updates, please visit the Federal Register Notices page.

For resources and further details on the ACE capabilities that were deployed on September 16, 2017, please click on the hyperlinks below.

- **Duty Deferral**
    - ACE Duty Deferral Information Notice
    - ACE Entry Summary Business Rules and Process Document
    - ACE ABI CATAIR Chapter for NAFTA Duty Deferral

- **Importer Security Filing**
    - ACE ISF Information Notice
    - ACE CATAIR - ACE ABI Batch and Block Control

– [ACE CATAIR - Importer Security Filing](#)
– [ACE CATAIR - Importer Security Filing: Status Notification](#)

Reports

ACE Reports will be enhanced to support the transition of Automated Commercial System (ACS) core trade processing capabilities to ACE. For information on the ACE Deployment G, Release 2 impact on ACE Reports that will be deployed on October 7, 2017, please review the [ACE Reports Information Notice](#).

Remaining Deployments

As you know, the final deployment of ACE core trade processing capabilities will be rolled out using a phased approach. The remaining schedule is as follows:

- ACE Deployment G, Release 3 (December 09, 2017) – Statements, e214 (electronic Foreign Trade Zone admission) and Manufacturer ID Creation; and
- ACE Deployment G, Release 4 (February 24, 2018) – Reconciliation, ACE Core Drawback and Trade Facilitation and Trade Enforcement Act (TFTEA) Drawback, Liquidation and Automated Surety Interface (ASI).
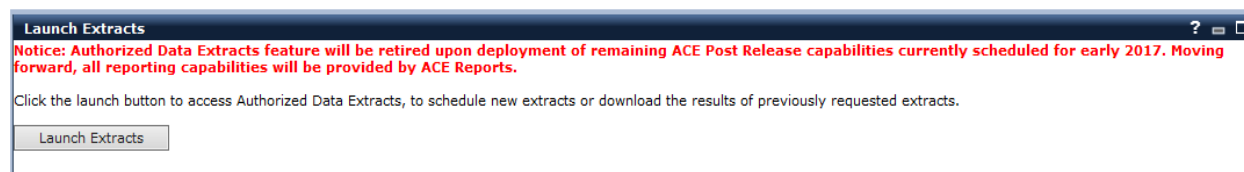
In preparation for these deployments, CBP has updated relevant information notices, technical documentation, implementation guides and federal register notices . Information will continue to be provided ahead of the deployments .

ACE PORTAL REMINDERS

Update on ACE Report Extracts

The Authorized Data Extracts Reports will be retired on March 17, 2018, in conjunction with the retirement of the legacy ESM-10002 Entry Summary and Account Management universes. At that point, all reporting capabilities will be provided by ACE Reports.

For more information on running ACE Reports, please review the ACE Reports Quick Training Video Series available on the [ACE Training and User Guides](#) section of [CBP.gov/ACE](#).

Access to Multiple ACE Portal Accounts with a Single User ID

To obtain access to multiple ACE Portal accounts using a single User ID, please contact the Account Owner of the other company and request to be added as an existing user. If you are the AO of the account, you may also ask the other company to grant you Cross Account Owner (CAO) access to their account.

For information on how to use the ACE Portal Account CAO access capability, please review the [Cross Account Owner User Guide.](#)
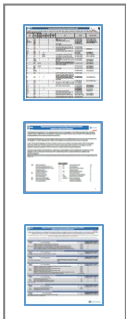
TIP OF THE MONTH

Launching ACE Reports from Different Account Type Views

All ACE Report users are advised to completely log off from the ACE Secure Data Portal if they need to launch ACE Reports again after switching from one account type view to another. As a reminder, CBP enhanced the ACE Reports tool with a role indicator that is displayed on the top right-side of the ACE Report's Home tab to indicate which view the user was in when they last launched ACE Reports.

REMINDER ON RESOURCES

The most up to date information concerning ACE and the Partner Government Agencies (PGAs) is available online, at CBP.gov/ACE. Please visit the [ACE Features](#) page and click on the [PGA Integration](#) tab, or click on the links below:

- [ACE PGA Filing Status and POCs](#) - This document provides the filing status and points of contact for the PGAs in ACE.
- [ACE PGA Forms List - Imports](#) - This document provides a list of import requirements for PGA information in ACE and the method of submission.
- [ACE PGA Forms List - Exports](#) - This document provides a list of export requirements for PGA information in ACE and the method of submission.

Additional ACE Resources accessible via [CBP.gov/ACE](#) include:

- [ACE Business Rules and Process Document](#) - This document outlines entry summary processing in ACE.
- [ACE Deployment Schedule](#) – The document provides details on when upcoming capabilities will be developed and deployed in ACE.
- [ACE Basics: ACE Portal Account](#) - This document provides an overview of ACE Portal account structures, user types, along with reminders.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How can brokers monitor electronic CBP Forms 28, 29, or 4647 assigned to entry summary transactions and delivered to an importer's ACE Portal account?

Brokers can run the ESM – 7025 CBP Form 28, 29, 4647 Status Report available in the ACE Reports broker workspace to obtain a listing of entry summaries that CBP has sent in.