



Customer Advisory

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Dear Valued customers,

Turkey Customs Advanced Cargo Regulation

This rule requires all ocean carriers to submit a list of customs-defined manifest data to Turkey Customs at least 24 hours prior to cargo loading at Port of Loading. The regulation is applicable to all import and transshipped cargo to/via Turkey.

Freight remaining on Board (FROB cargo) is not covered by this regulation.

➤ Deadlines

The regulation requires the carrier to declare the cargo within specific time limits:

- Short sea cargo (ports of Mediterranean and Black Seas): 2 hours before arrival at first port of entry in Turkish Customs Territory.
In order to comply with this requirement and handle customs responses and time differences, shippers are required to submit complete and accurate shipping instructions at least **12 hours prior to vessel departure from the port of loading**
- Deep sea cargo: 24 hours prior to loading at Port of loading
In order to comply with this requirement and handle customs responses and time differences, shippers are required to submit complete and accurate shipping instructions at least **48 hours prior to vessel departure from the port of loading**

➤ Cargo information to be submitted

The mandatory data elements to be included in the transmission are:

- Shipper's full style name and address
- Consignee's full style name and address + VAT registration number
- Notify party's full style name and address if the consignee is "to order" + VAT registration number
- Container number(s)
- Seals number(s)
- Cargo gross weight (goods + tare)
- Net weight (goods)
- Number of packages
- Package type
- HS code



- Goods description
- UN dangerous goods code for shipments containing hazardous goods

We would like to advise our customers that the following Advanced Manifest Filing charge will be applicable for all shipments with the ETD of 1st Feb 2025:

Description	Charge Amount
Advance Manifest Filing Charge	US\$25 per B/L

Should you have any inquiries relating to this regulation, please feel free to contact our local customer service representatives.

Thank you.