

CBP ACE Information Notice

Transition of Importer Trade Activity Data to ACE Reports

April 2019





CBP is beginning the transition of Importer Trade Activity (ITRAC) data to ACE Reports, providing the trade with quicker, on-demand access to their data. On April 18, 2019, new reports were deployed in the new ITRAC workspace, each falling under one of four categories: Bond, Cargo Release, Entry Summary, and Reconciliation.

Can I run large volumes of data like I get with ITRAC extracts?

• During this transition, these reports will not be able to accommodate large data volumes like what would be provided in a 5-year ITRAC extract. Therefore, please limit the begin and end date filters in your reports accordingly, especially for the entry summary and cargo release reports.

What data is available now?

- Importers and Brokers can now find currently available ITRAC data in the ACE Reports ITRAC workspace, with two exceptions:
 - The ITRAC workspace does not currently contain a report with exam data. CBP is still determining how to best provide that data in ACE Reports; and
 - o The bond data is currently not available to brokers.
- CBP will update this information notice as the full set of ITRAC data becomes available in ACE Reports.

Can I still request CDs and run uploads via the CTPAT portal?

• During the transition period, trade may continue to use existing processes for requesting ITRAC reports via CDs and quarterly uploads via the CTPAT portal (ISA participants). This will allow CBP time to migrate all ITRAC data and provide trade with time to familiarize with running ITRAC reports in ACE, while continuing to provide access to existing ITRAC reporting processes.

When will ITRAC data be fulling transitioned to ACE Reports?

• Over the coming months, CBP will make ITRAC reports available via ACE Reports using a phased approach. At the end of the full transition to ACE, existing ITRAC reporting processes will be retired and replaced with quicker, more streamlined access to the data. Details on the phased timeline are outlined in the table on the following page.





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Transition of ITRAC Data - Phased Timeline

Dates	Transition Status
Spring 2019	 Most ITRAC data available in ACE Reports
	 Continue to request multi-year ITRAC reports via CD
	 ISA participants continue to use CTPAT portal for ITRAC reports
Summer 2019	 Full access to ITRAC data in ACE Reports
	 Continue to request multi-year ITRAC reports via CD
	 ISA participants continue to use CTPAT portal for ITRAC reports
Fall/Winter 2019	 ITRAC data fully implemented in ACE Reports
	 Discontinue issuance of ITRAC reports via CD
	 ISA participants continue to use CTPAT portal for ITRAC reports

What resources are available?

- During the spring and summer 2019, trade should be sure to learn the basics of ACE Reports. Training is available via the links below:
 - o Reference guide: https://www.cbp.gov/trade/ace/training-and-reference-guides
 - o Webinar recording: https://cbp.adobeconnect.com/pt8etlwewn63/

Who do I contact if I have questions?

- Please send any questions to ace.reports@cpb.dhs.gov.
- CBP will continue to provide additional details on what to expect in the coming months. Please continue to check CSMS and www.cbp.gov/ace for the latest updates on the ITRAC transition.



