



Mitutoyo America Corporation

Information for Our Trading Partners About Export Control

The Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) responsible for implementing and enforcing the Export Administration Regulations (EAR), which regulate the export and reexport of most commercial items. Items that BIS regulates are frequently referred to as "dual-use" - items that have both commercial and military or proliferation applications - but purely commercial items without an obvious military use are also subject to the EAR. Any company that exports must be aware of its obligations under the EAR.

The following information is designed to give our trading partners, who may be considering exporting, a general understanding of BIS regulations and how to use them. However, nothing provided here can substitute for consulting the EAR. The EAR include answers to frequently asked questions, detailed step-by-step instructions for determining if a transaction is subject to the regulations, how to request a commodity classification or advisory opinion, and how to apply for a license. In using the EAR, you may want to first look at Part 732 for the steps you follow to determine your obligations.

The following links take you right to the BIS website for further information:

Export Control Basics: <http://www.bis.doc.gov/licensing/exportingbasics.htm>

BIS Online Training Modules: <http://www.bis.doc.gov/seminarsandtraining/seminar-training.htm>

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