

Certificate in Customs Clearance Procedure and Practices

CCF-01 COMMERCIAL GEOGRAPHY

BLOCK I

Definition of commercial geography and its branches - Geographical Environment and Commerce - Factors and economic activities of man - Meaning, nature & Use of Resources - Classification of Resources.

BLOCK II

Geographical factors affecting International trade - India's foreign trade of commodities -Characteristics of commodities and their origin, type of transportation used for movement to ports-Port Infrastructure for commodities.

BLOCK III

Role of Industries in Economic Development - Factors of Industrial Location - Major Industries in India - Iron & Steel Industries - Cotton, Textile Industries - Automobile Industries - Petrochemical industries.

BLOCK IV

Agricultural resources- Role of climate in agricultural production - Seasons for export of major agricultural products in India – Important world centres for export of agricultural products.

BLOCK V

Types of Ports - Geographical features of ports - Ports of the world – Important bulk terminals – Important container terminals – Major oil terminals.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

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| Fundamental of Economic Geography | - | Van Royen&Bengston |
| Economic Geography | - | H. Robinson |
| Commercial Geography- | | Sir Dudley Stamp |

CCF-03 CUSTOMS CLEARING AND FORWARDING

BLOCK I

Customs import documentation - Types of bills of entry - Customs export documentation - bills of export, shipping bills; Arrival entry and clearance of vessels - Customs tariff classification and rates of duty - determination of value of imported and export goods - Customs exchange rate.

BLOCK II

Procedure for assessment and payment of duty - Refund of duty paid; Examination of goods at Customs stations - prohibitions and restrictions on import and export - bonding procedure and clearance from bond; re-importation and conditions for free re-entry; offences under the Customs Act.

BLOCK III

Duty drawback and export promotion schemes - SEZ, FTWZ scheme - Provisions of the allied Acts relevant to clearance of goods through customs; Procedure for appeal and revision applications under the Customs Act - filing of electronic bills of entry and shipping bills vide the ICEGATE portal & Indian Customs Electronic data Interchange System (ICES).

BLOCK IV

Sea freight forwarding products – Types of sea carriers - Containerised seafreight FCL, LCL – Conventional seafreight Breakbulk, project cargo – Terminal infrastructure - Freightling concepts – Documentation aspects of seafreight.

BLOCK V

Air freight forwarding products – Types of Aircargo carriers - Consolidation concept – Terminal infrastructure for handling aircargo - Freightling concepts for aircargo – Documentation aspects of airfreight. Value added services by International Freight Forwarders.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

Customs Law Practice & Procedures	V.S. Datey (TAXMANN Publication)
International Freight Forwarding and Logistics Manual	Sell John
Freight Forwarding and Multimodal Transport Contracts	David Glass