

Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) Initial Category 3

 Textbook format

Partner-taught | Classroom or Self-study course

This course is designed for freight forwarder staff who either have no prior DGR training or who have not updated their training during the past 24 months. This course fulfills ICAO and IATA training requirements and qualifies you to handle and process dangerous goods for carriage of by air for a 24-month period. You can renew your qualification before its expiration date with the relevant recurrent training course.

Objectives

Upon completing this course you will be able to:

- Apply the IATA DGR to common work situations
- Understand related legal aspects and responsibilities of shippers, agents, and airlines
- Identify dangerous goods permitted for transport and their DGR categories
- Verify a Shipper's Declaration for Dangerous Goods
- Follow general emergency procedures when a damaged package is discovered

Target audience

All Category 3 personnel as per Table 1.5.A of the IATA DGR:

- Staff of Freight Forwarder involved in processing dangerous goods

Study options

- Enrol with an [Authorized Training Center](#) to study these materials with the help of a local trainer.
- Choose to study these materials on your own and order online to receive your self-study course materials in textbook format.

Key topics

- Contents of the IATA DGR
- Dangerous goods classes and divisions
- Identification
- Packing, marking, labeling, and documentation requirements
- Radioactive materials

Materials

- Course guide
- Current edition of the IATA DGR Manual
- IATA DGR Training Programme Workbook 1

Course format

- This course requires approximately 35-45 hours of study to be completed in 12 months from the purchase date (enrollment validity). After the enrollment validity expires, the users will not have access to the course content and will not be able to take the exam.
- Student performance will be based on an examination.

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Exam information

- Supervised exam in IATA Exam location. Physical Attendance is required. The exam is paper based.
- You will be given 3.5 hours to complete 20 questions (Closed Text Book, the current edition of the DGR Manual is required during the exam)
- Passing grade is 80 correct answers; 90 correct answers are needed for a distinction
- You will be given 2 attempts to successfully complete the final exam.
- An IATA Certificate is awarded upon successful completion of the final examination.

Table of Contents

- Contents of the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations
- Dangerous goods classes and divisions
- Identification
- Packing requirements
- Marking and labelling
- Documentation
- Radioactive material
- State and operator variations
- Acceptance
- Excepted quantities
- Storage and loading
- Provision of information
- Dangerous goods emergency response