

Tax Free Digital Validation in NL

New system for validating your Tax Free forms before leaving the EU

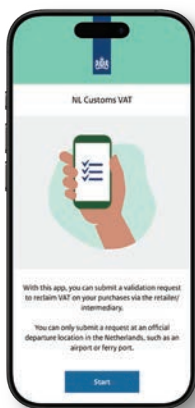
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What's new?

The Netherlands has joined the **Digital Validation** system, starting in **January 2026**. Now, Tax Free forms **issued in Dutch stores** must be validated **through the official Dutch Customs App** - no manual stamp accepted. Tax Free forms from **other EU countries** still need a **manual stamp** at Customs.

How to do?

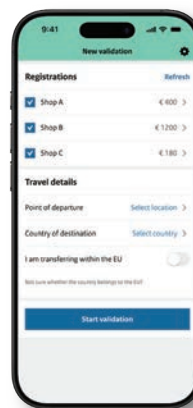
If leaving from **The Netherlands**, download the official app and follow the steps:



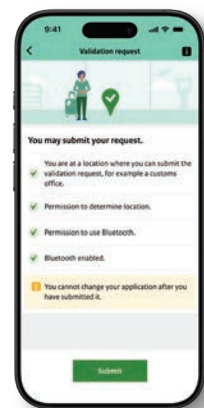
Download the app
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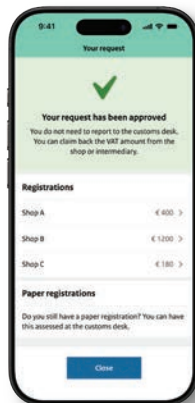
Scan your passport



Check your transactions



Activate **Location** & **Bluetooth**



Validated?
It's all set!



Not validated?
Go to Customs office



Summary of
validated transactions

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Forms issued in the Netherlands from January 2026 onwards **can only be validated digitally**. **Manual stamps** from the Netherlands **will not be accepted** under any circumstances.
- Validation must be completed **in the last EU country you leave from**.
- We only process EPAY TAXFREE forms.
- If validated digitally, do NOT send the form to us.**

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