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IMDS CAMDS MDS Data Transfer

IMDS allows exchanging MDS data with CAMDS (China Automotive Material Data System) by providing a MDS data transfer functionality in the IMDS web application. This includes exporting and importing published MDSs, internally released MDSs/modules and accepted MDSs from/to IMDS/CAMDS. Users need to login into the web applications of IMDS and CAMDS individually to do the MDS export/import.

Through the export functionality, companies can export released MDSs/modules from IMDS to an external .xml file for import into CAMDS, and via import of an .xml file, companies can create MDSs/Modules in IMDS from those exported from CAMDS before.

An import protocol in IMDS records actions/conversions made during the import of any MDS/Module. The user gets a detailed description of what happened to the related MDS/Module during the import. In case an error or a warning was detected during the import, the protocol indicates that a correction on the imported MDS/Module is necessary before it can be used in IMDS. All imported MDSs are in Edit Mode, so the user can make corrections and the MDS can pass the IMDS Quality Checks.

Companies using this function will need a valid IMDS Advanced Interface (IMDS-AI) license for usage of this new functionality as MDS data being extracted from IMDS. In order to use the import/export functionality from/to CAMDS, users must be first assigned specific access by their Company Administrator.

Once access has been assigned, the user can initiate an export from the MDS Ingredients screen or the MDS Search screen.

IMDS-AI (Advanced Interface) relevance? NO