

# Foreign Trade Zones

A proven solution for importers seeking duty savings, stronger cash flow, and more supply chain flexibility.



Duty Deferrals | Improved Cash Flow | Duty Reductions | Inventory Flexibility | Supply Chain Control

Foreign Trade Zones (FTZs) are designated areas in or near a U.S. port of entry that are considered outside U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) jurisdiction for duty assessment purposes.

**Through OIA Global's licensed FTZ operations, merchandise may be admitted into the U.S. without immediate payment of duties or tariffs. This allows companies to manage landed costs, inventory planning, and compliance obligations more strategically within a controlled and secure environment.**

OIA Global supports the creation of new FTZs, manages ongoing zone operations, and provides compliance oversight to help businesses maximize savings and remain in good standing with CBP requirements.

**We provide integrated compliance support, customs expertise, and end-to-end supply chain coordination.**

**MORE INFORMATION**

- ✓ Duties and tariffs are deferred until goods enter U.S. commerce
- ✓ No duties paid on merchandise that is re-exported or scrapped
- ✓ Unlimited storage time within the zone and improved cash flow via delayed duty payments
- ✓ Increased flexibility when responding to changing trade policies and tariff environments
- ✓ Applicable duty rate may be fixed at time of FTZ admission when entered as Privileged Foreign Status (PF), or at time goods enter U.S. commerce as Non-Privileged Foreign Status (NPF).



## OIA-Owned FTZs

- Smithfield, Rhode Island



## OIA-Operated FTZs

- Providence, Rhode Island
- San Luis, Arizona
- Brunswick, Georgia
- Channelview, Texas