

Useful links

To create the MDS, kindly go to the website of MDS (Click on this [link](#)) and login in with your IMDS ID number.

If you do not have a MDS ID number to log-in in the MDS website, kindly click on this [link](#) to get the MDS number.

We highly recommend to read the user manual (Click on this [link](#)) before creating the MDS.

General IMDS information

Major global vehicle manufacturers prefer the International Material Data System (IMDS) as the central method of data provision in order to enable the gathering of environmentally relevant information on parts and materials to be able to comply with e.g. ELV Directive or REACH regulation. Please read Vehicle Manufacturer's [position on IMDS](#) (January 2018) at [IMDS homepage](#).
<https://www.mdsystem.com/imdsnt/startpage/index.jsp>

IMDS was introduced by major car manufacturers in 2000. Since then car and heavy duty commercial vehicle manufacturers (HDCV) worldwide have joined IMDS that has become the common automotive communication system for material data along the supply chain.

The material content has to be reported for all Scania delivery parts which are already in production, spare parts and parts which will be sold to customers with a Scania brand.

In case your MDS is rejected, the reason can be found via the rejection code explained in Scania IMDS reporting STD 4352.

It's very important to report correct basic information as; Part number, 7 digits supplier code and latest ECO number for a correct identification of your company in our system (if are you unsure, contact your Scania purchaser). If the basic information cannot be identified the file will be rejected.

The rejected material data sheets shall be corrected and re-sent to Scania at latest two weeks after rejection date.

According to STD3868 (Scania Customer Specific Requirements) and STD4248 (**Scania Customer Requirements for Suppliers Delivering to Buses and Coaches**), all automotive part suppliers have an obligation to report Part Material Composition.

Due to this requirement from our customer, we ask you to provide us all Scania related parts material content. The reporting should be done according to the published STD4352en Scania IMDS Reporting standard. Scania specific reporting documents can be found under Supplying to Scania on the Scania supplier portal.

Scania MDS id name and number is SCANIA CV AB (ID: 46016).