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Guarantees of the Federal Republic of Germany

Supporting German trade and investment worldwide

Investment guarantees and export credit guarantees are two instruments used by the Federal Republic of Germany to **promote German foreign trade**. Their aim is to protect direct investments abroad against political risks and export transactions against political and economic risks.

Both federal instruments are designed to facilitate access to difficult markets and reduce risks.

Investment guarantees from the Federal Republic of Germany: protection against political risks for German investments abroad

The German government supports German companies making direct investments abroad by providing state investment guarantees. These guarantees serve to protect **against political risks** and often make investments in particular countries possible in the first place.

Small and medium-sized enterprises in particular benefit from this state protection, which **does not require any minimum investment amounts**.

The investment guarantees are managed by PwC on behalf of the German government. The risks covered include expropriation, war, civil unrest, breach of contract, payment embargoes, moratoriums, and currency and transfer risks.

A prerequisite for receiving support is that the funds flow into clearly defined projects and are **invested directly from Germany** - without the involvement of companies or branches in third countries.

The investment guarantees can also be **combined with other government support instruments**, such as KfW/DEG programmes.

Further information and contact details for the investment guarantees are available here: www.Investitions Garantien.de

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Export Credit Guarantees: Supporting the Purchase of Goods and Services “Made in Germany”

Whether you are an importer or an exporter of German goods and services, you can benefit from the Export Credit Guarantee program of the Federal Government of Germany.

The German government's Export Credit Guarantees protect exporters and financing banks against economic and political risks abroad – particularly in markets where private guarantees are unavailable or insufficient. For exporters and banks, they protect payment claims abroad; for importers, they facilitate access to structured and competitive financing solutions when purchasing German goods and services.

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) also benefit: There are no minimum order sizes, the guarantees also apply to services, and they offer flexible terms.

Euler Hermes and the Competence Centers for German Export Finance

The Export Credit Guarantee program is administered by the Federal Government's mandatory and Export Credit Agency (ECA), Euler Hermes Aktiengesellschaft.

In addition, for regional advisory support, a dedicated Competence Center for German Export Finance was established for the MENA region and Pakistan within the German Chamber of Commerce Abroad (AHK) in Dubai.

Supported by the Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWE), the Competence Centers at AHKs work in close coordination with Euler Hermes in Germany to ensure integrated and seamless facilitation of export business both, from Germany and in the importing country.

Services Offered

- Advice on federal export credit guarantees
- Support with ECA-covered loans and financing structures (Supplier Credit Covers, Buyer Credit Covers, etc.)
- Transaction support during the acquisition and structuring phase
- Step-by-step support during the application procedures

- Guidance on cover policies
- Calculation of the Euler Hermes premium
- Transactional support
- Further services subject to consultation

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