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Introduction to EURODAC

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Key information

Updated version, incorporating the provisions of the New Pact on migration and asylum, will be available for translation soon. Translation requests can already be submitted.



Target group

First-contact officers and other officers in asylum contexts involved in EURODAC



EQF/MQF level

Level 5



Version

Version 1 (2026)



Entry requirements

Full qualification at EQF Level 4 or equivalent AND proficiency in English



Prerequisites

n/a



Assessment

n/a



Languages

English

Learning outcomes & description

DESCRIPTION

This module provides an overview of the Eurodac database, including its scope and purposes on the basis of Regulation (EU) 2024/1358 (the 'Eurodac Regulation'). It also introduces the fundamental concepts of biometric data, outlines the core functions of Eurodac, and focuses on the categories registered and the data processing. This module also provides knowledge of the obligations and rights of people who are subject to Eurodac.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

At the end of this module, the learner will be able to:

Knowledge

1. Outline the fundamental notions of Eurodac and biometric data.

Skills

2. Apply the rules governing the collection, transmission and comparison of data in compliance with the relevant quality standards.

Competences

3. Carry out tasks related to ensuring that people who are subject to data processing in Eurodac comply with their obligations without risking a breach of their fundamental rights and implementing the rules in respect of their other rights, including guidelines, parameters and limits of processing data pertaining to children.

DELIVERY METHOD

This module is delivered online, enabling self-paced learning.

ASSESSMENT STRATEGY

This module is under development and scheduled for launch in 2026, in line with the EUAA training plan. A detailed description of the assessment strategy will be made available soon.

Accredited module details

Accredited module

Duration 6 hours online learning

Number of ECTS n/a

Language English

Assessment n/a

Training plan 2026

Training plan	Target group	Loc.	Est. time for online studies	Reg. deadline	Online	Webinar / Face to face	Assessment
Learners curriculum	Asylum & reception staff	online	6 hours	28/9/2026	10/11 to 26/11/2026	n/a	n/a

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