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## SWIFT ISO 20022 programme for CBPR+

Get ready for ISO 20022  
go-live for payments, and  
the start of coexistence,  
in November 2022

### Background

November 2022 is the go-live date for ISO 20022 for cross-border payments and reporting (CBPR+). It also marks the start of the coexistence period, when some entities will have already adopted ISO 20022 and others will not.

### Ensure readiness

To ensure readiness for November 2022, you need to upgrade your messaging interface, configure your connectivity to the FINplus service, prepare your Relationship Management Authorisation (RMA) setup for FINplus and complete your testing journey.

### Get support

The SWIFT community decided to adopt ISO 20022 for CBPR in 2018 and the SWIFT Board approved plans to facilitate adoption. SWIFT's related ISO 20022 programme includes a suite of supporting documents. These set out the steps to take in relation to implementation activities.

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## Critical steps towards readiness

### Set up your testing environment

- 1 Upgrade your test interface
- 2 Configure your interface and set up your test connectivity

- 3 Test (self-testing or testing with SWIFT)

### Prepare for live deployment

- 1 Upgrade your live interface
- 2 Prepare for the FINplus RMA Bootstrap

- 3 Configure your interface and set up your live connectivity

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## Access key supporting documents to help you prepare for the change

### Getting Started

An entry-level reference guide, listing the key project steps towards readiness for ISO 20022-based exchanges over the FINplus messaging service. It highlights important considerations in moving from FIN to FINplus messaging and points to more detailed information sources for readers who wish to know more.

### ISO 20022 Customer Adoption Guide

Expands on the Getting Started document. It includes information on learning resources covering ISO 20022 and the Cross Border Payments and Reporting+ (CBPR+) guidelines, and on how to configure and test messages over the FINplus service.

### In-flow Translation Service Overview

Describes the logic of In-flow Translation from ISO 20022 business messages to their equivalent MT, an illustration of the possible translation results, and a full list of possible translation warnings and errors.

### ISO 20022 Customer Testing Guidelines

Comprehensive customer testing guidelines for ISO 20022 and CBPR+ adoption and for assessing customer readiness for November 2022.

### SWIFT Test Sparring Partner for CBPR+ User Guide

A guide for users of the SWIFT Test Sparring Partner, the application to test the sending, receiving or relaying of CBPR+ messages over FINplus.

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## Access documents

You can find all these documents in our [Knowledge Centre](#) (mySWIFT login required).

## Further information

If you have further questions, please contact your SWIFT representative or [SWIFT Support](#).