

Certification in the EAEU

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Agenda

- The Eurasian Economic Union today
- Product certification
- Technical Regulations of the EAEU
- Other types of conformity documentation
- National certification requirements
- Product certification step by step

The Eurasian Economic Union



The EAEU today

– 1 January, 2015: agreement on the Eurasian Economic Union came into effect for these members:

- Russia
- Kazakhstan
- Belarus
- Armenia
- Kyrgyzstan



Product certification

- Product certification in the EAEU:
 - Technical Regulations EAEU:
 - More than 41 Normative Documents in force
 - Conformity documentation in the EAEU:
 - Sanitary and epidemiological control (State registration of goods)
 - Other prohibitions and restrictions (permits from State Authorities)
 - National certification requirements of EAEU members:
 - Certification in accordance with national legislation

Product certification: from GOST to Technical Regulations

- The most common certificate for the Russian market is the GOST certificate.
- Principle: every product sold on the Russian market needs to respect the established standards (technical characteristics, design, documentation, etc.)
- First appeared in the 1920's as GOSTANDARD

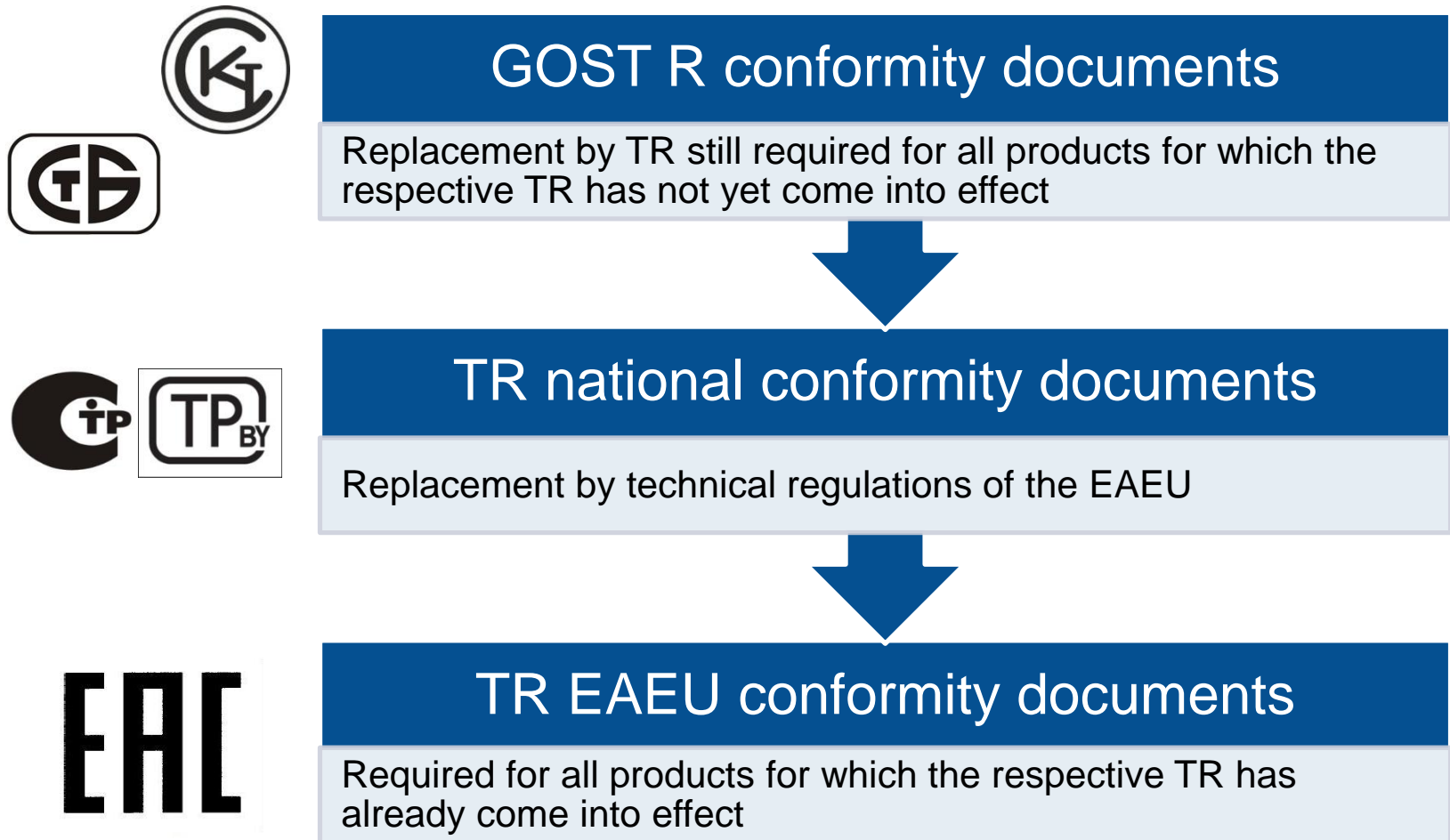


Product certification: from GOST to Technical Regulations

- 2003: Law on technical regulations in Russia
- 2011: Technical Regulations of the EAEU
- Current status:
 - 41 in effect
 - 6 pending
 - 8 national discussion
 - 4 public discussion



Technical regulations product certification



Technical Regulations EAEU conformity documents

- There are 3 types of conformity documents: conformity declaration, conformity certificate, and state registration certificate.
- Valid in the whole EAEU
- Validity period 1/3/5 years
- **Main aspect:** the applicant body needs to be a legal or natural (only as a Individual Entrepreneur) person of the EAEU
- CC and CD may be issued:
 - for batch delivery (import contract and invoice, testing of samples)
 - for serial production (agreement with manufacturer, inspections of the production sites, and/ or testing of samples)

Sanitary and epidemiological control in the EAEU

- One type of conformity document: State registration certificate
- Unlimited period of validity
- Validity on the whole territory of the EAEU
- One time registration of product
- **Main aspect:** the applicant can be the manufacturer or legal entity of the EAEU
- Documents may be issued for serial production (testing of samples)

Registration certificates for medical devices and medicines

- There are two types of conformity documents: registration certificate under national standards and registration certificate of the EAEU
- Valid only on the territory depending on type
- Validity period:
 - national standards: medical devices until 31 December, 2021 and medicines until 31 December, 2025
 - EAEU standards: no limitation (*medicines on 5 years then no limitation)
- **Main aspect:** the applicant representative needs to be a legal or natural (only as an Individual Entrepreneur) person of Russia and have the PoA from the manufacturer as an authorized representative
- Documents may be issued for serial production (import and testing of samples)

Notifications in the EAEU

- Type of conformity documents in Russia:
 - Notification verified by Federal Security Service
- Valid in the EAEU
- Validity period depends on included components
- **Main aspect:** the applicant body needs to be a legal or natural (only as an Individual Entrepreneur) person of Russia and have a notary certified PoA from manufacturer
- Documents may be issued for production of controlled category goods with encryption and cryptography functions

Intellectual ownership

- There are 2 types of conformity:
 - Including of authorized person/importer to intellectual property registry
 - Permit from representative of right holder
- Valid only on the territory determined by the right holder
- Validity period depending on type of document
- **Main aspect:** import restrictions for Intellectual ownership included to Rospatent registry (Russian Federal Service for Intellectual Property) and Customs Intellectual Property Register (TROIS)
- Permit documents may be issued for one delivery with no import restriction for Authorized importer

National conformity documents (GOST R)

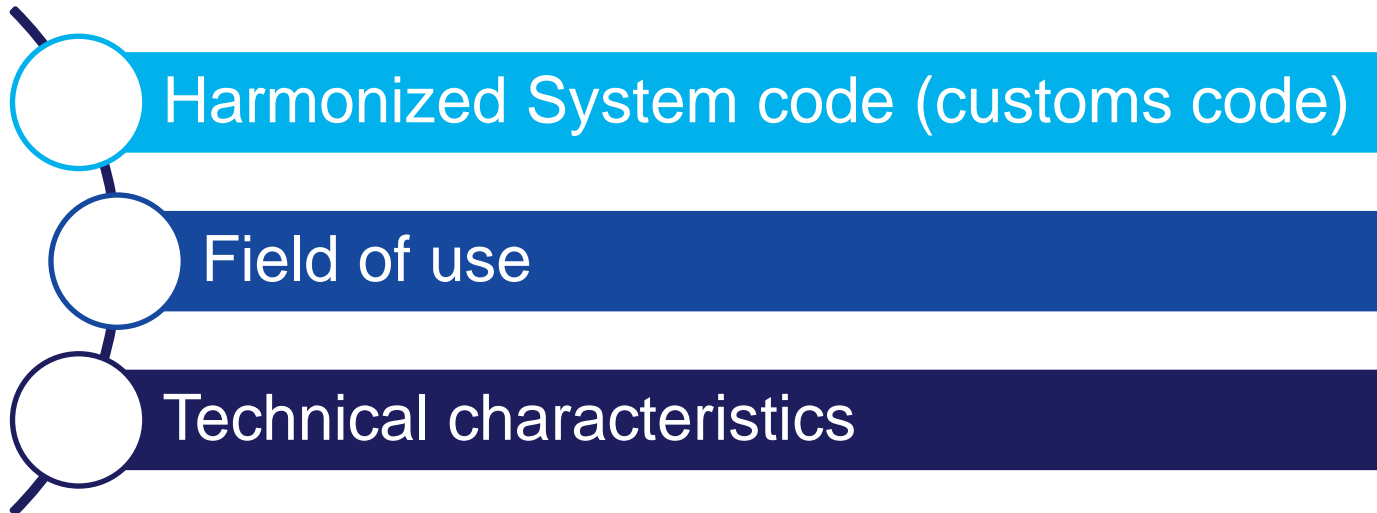
- There are 2 types of conformity documents: declarations and certificates
- Valid only in Russia
- Validity period 1 or 3 years
- **Main aspect:** the applicant body needs to be a legal or natural (only as an Individual Entrepreneur) person of Russia
- Documents may be issued:
 - for batch delivery (contract and invoice , testing of samples)
 - for serial production (inspections of the production sites and/ or testing of samples)

National conformity documents

- Other types of conformity documents:
 - Radio-electronic equipment (REQ) and High-frequency devices (HFD):
 - License of Ministry of Industry and Trade for importation of radio devices
 - Conclusion of Roskomnadzor for temporary import
 - Conclusion of Main Radio Frequency Center (MRFC)
 - State registrations, licenses, and permits for veterinary goods and animal feed additives from Rosselkhoznador
 - Exemption and clarification letters from State and Accredited certification authorities
- Valid only in Russia
- **Main aspect:** the applicant body needs to be a legal person of Russia and provide samples for testing

Product certification step by step

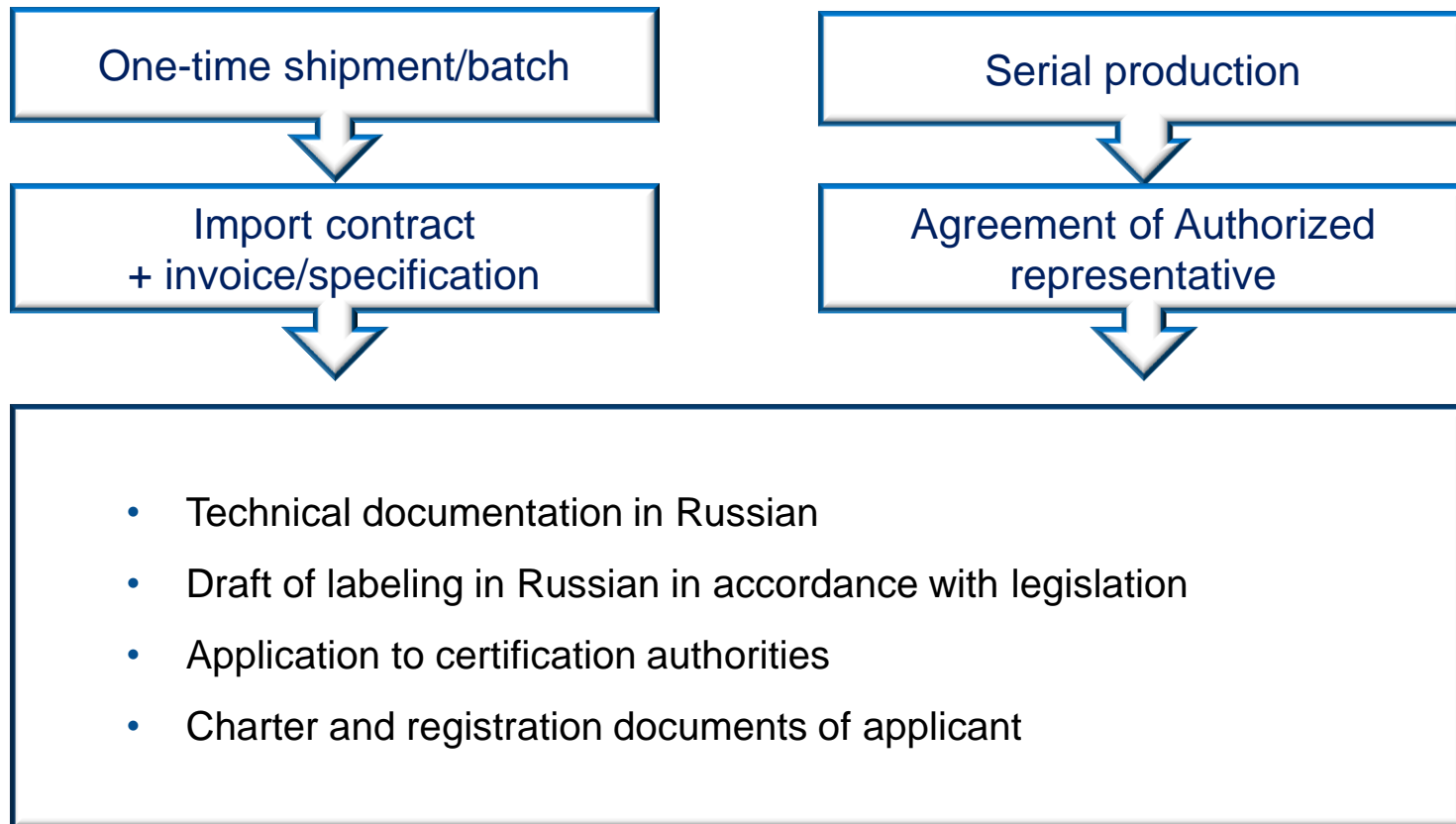
– Which products are subject to certification?



- Checking sanctions list and other restrictions for import and circulation in Russia
- Check which certificates, registrations, or conformity documents are required for the import of the respective goods

Product certification step by step

– Package of required documents:



Product certification step by step: Samples

Preparation of
samples for delivery

Customs clearance of
samples

Testing of samples

- Actions before sending:
 - Determining quantity and value
 - Labeling in accordance with legislation
 - Preparation of supplement documentation
 - Preparation of set of documents for customs clearance
- Obligatory procedure :
 - Customs import document
 - Control by State Authorities
- Testing laboratory:
 - Delivery to place of testing
 - Receipt of testing protocols
 - Return of samples (if applicable)

Product certification step by step

- Confirmation of the final version of the conformity document before the document comes into effect
- Registration in state register
- Receiving original documents



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