Calculation of Customs CESS - The mess.

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The various amendments relating to CESS has created lot of confusion on Customs duty calculations and the calculations of duties payable by 100 % EOUs for DTA clearances. The following tabulation may help to understand the calculations better.

Calculations of Customs duties on import:

S.No.	Details	Prior to	Remarks	From	Remarks
		01.03.15		01.03.15	
1	Let the value of import goods be	Rs.100		Rs.100	
2	Basic Customs Duty	Rs.7.50	BCD Rate is assumed at 7.5 %	Rs.7.50	BCD rate is assumed at 7.5 %
3	Value for CVD Purposes	Rs.107.50		Rs.107.50	
4	CVD @	Rs.12.90	@ 12 %	Rs.13.44	CVD rate enhanced to 12.5 % from 01.03.2015
4.1	Edu. Cess on CVD 2 % on CVD	NIL	Exempted vide Notification No. 13/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012	NIL	Though Notification No. 13/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012 has been withdrawn vide Notification 9/2015 Cus. Dt. 01.03.2015, no Edu. CEss on CVD is leviable, as Edu. Cess on Excise duty has been exempted vide Notification No.14/2015 CE Dt. 01.03.2015
4.2	Sec. Edu. Cess on CVD 1 % on CVD	Nil	Exempted vide Notification No. 14/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012	NIL	Though Notification No. 14/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012 withdrawn vide Notification 9/2015 Cus. Dt. 01.03.2015. no Sec.Edu. Cess on CVD is leviable, as Sec. Edu. Cess on Excise duty has been exempted vide Notification 15/2015 CE Dt. 01.03.2015
5	Total of BCD, CVD and CESS on CVD (S.No.2+4+4.1+4.2)	Rs.20.40		Rs.20.94	

6	Customs Edu Cess of	Rs.0.41	Rs.O.	42	
	2% on the above total				
	(Sl.No.5)				
7	Customs Sec Edu Cess	Rs.0.20	Rs.0.	21	
	of 1% on the above				
	total (Sl.No.5)				
8	Value for SAD	Rs.121.01	Rs.12	21.57	
	(S.No.1 + 5 +6)				
9	SAD @ 4 % on S.No. 7	Rs.4.84	Rs.4.	86	
10	Total Customs duties	Rs.25.85	Rs.26	5.43	
	payable				
	(S.No.5 + 6 +7 + 9)				

Calculation of duty payable by 100 % EOUs, for DTA clearances (as per S.No.2 of Notification 23/2003 CE Dt. 31.03.2003).

It may be noted that the duty of excise, payable by a 100 % EOU on its DTA clearances shall be equal to the aggregate of the customs duties leviable on like goods, when imported into India. In other words, the duties of customs as calculated in the above table, is payable as duty of excise. As per S.No.2 of Notification 23/2003 CE, the BCD rate shall be taken as 50 % of the normal rate.

S.No.	Details	Prior to	Remarks	From	Remarks
		01.03.15		01.03.15	
1	Let the value of	Rs.100		Rs.100	
	import goods be				
2	Basic Customs Duty	Rs.3.75	BCD rate is	Rs.3.75	BCD rate is 3.75 % as
			3.75 % as		per S.No. 2 of
			per S.No. 2		23/2003 CE
			of 23/2003		
			CE		
3	Value for CVD	Rs.103.75		Rs.103.75	
	Purposes				
4	CVD	Rs.12.45	@ 12 %	Rs.12.97	CVD rate enhanced to
					12.5 % from
					01.03.2015
4.1	Edu. Cess on CVD 2 %	NIL	Exempted	NIL	Though Notification
	on CVD		vide		No. 13/2012 Cus. Dt.
			Notification		17.03.2012 has been
			No.		withdrawn vide
			13/2012		Notification 9/2015
			Cus. Dt.		Cus. Dt. 01.03.2015,
			17.03.2012		no Edu. CEss on CVD
					is leviable, as Edu.
					Cess on Excise duty
					has been exempted

4.2	Sec. Edu. Cess on CVD 1 % on CVD	Nil	Exempted vide Notification No. 14/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012	NIL	vide Notification No.14/2015 CE Dt. 01.03.2015 Though Notification No. 14/2012 Cus. Dt. 17.03.2012 withdrawn vide Notification 9/2015 Cus. Dt. 01.03.2015. no Sec.Edu. Cess on CVD is leviable, as Sec. Edu. Cess on Excise duty has been exempted vide
					Notification 15/2015 CE Dt. 01.03.2015
5	Total of BCD, CVD and CESS on CVD (S.No.2+4+4.1+4.2)	Rs.16.20		Rs.16.72	
6	Customs Edu Cess of 2% on the above total (Sl.No.5)	Rs.0	Exempted vide SI.No.1A of Notification 23/2003 CE	Rs.0.33	SI.No.1A of Notification 23/2003 CE has been omitted vide notification 16/2015 CE dated 1/3/2015
7	Customs Sec Edu Cess of 1% on the above total (SI.No.5)	Rs.0	Exempted vide SI.No.1B of Notification 23/2003 CE	Rs.0.17	SI.No.1B of Notification 23/2003 CE has been omitted vide notification 16/2015 CE dated 1/3/2015
8	SAD	Rs.0		Rs.0	Exempted vide S.No.1 of Notification 23/2003 CE Dt. 31.03.2003
9	Total excise duty payable by 100 % EOU for DTA clearances, which is equal to the aggregate of customs duties on like goods.	Rs.16.20		Rs.17.22	
10	Excise Edu cess of 2% on excise duty (SI.No.9)	Rs.0.32		Rs.0	Exempted vide Notification 14/2015 CE dated 1.3.2015
11	Excise Sec Edu Cess of 1% on excise duty (SI.No.9)	Rs.0.16		Rs.0	Exempted Vide Notification 15/2015 CE dated 1.3.2015
12	Total Excise duties payable in respect of DTA Clearances	Rs.16.68		Rs.17.22	

(S	Sl.No.9+10+11)			