

US Foreign Trade Zone

INDIANTOWN IS CONNECTED TO THE NEIGHBORING PORT of Palm Beach by road and railroad. Companies (e.g., manufacturing, storage, and assembly) can take advantage of the Port's **Foreign Trade Zone (FTZ)** extending into Martin County.

Indiantown is **connected to world markets** through **multinational supply chains**, like so many internationally integrated companies today.

"The Port of Palm Beach, as the backbone and Grantee to FTZ #135, has offered companies millions of dollars in savings through duty relief or duty deferment since 1987." And is committed to "... seamlessly accommodate your company's needs ... [throughout Martin County]." [1]

Using the "Alternative Site Framework," your business can **save time** and **gain certainty** to obtain FTZ designation and **save money**.

Advantages [2] include:

- **Expedited Customs**
- **Savings on Loss of Inventory**
- **Labor Savings**
- **Insurance Savings**

More specific application details and rules are here:

- <https://enforcement.trade.gov/ftzpage/applications.html>
- <https://www.portofpalmbeach.com/DocumentCenter/View/2198/FTZ-135-Zone-S...>

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