

## WEB USER AREA

FREQUENCY	DESCRIPTION
N/A	<p>The user area is a complete control panel on the Office's website from where users can manage their portfolio of trade marks and designs.</p>
DEPARTMENTS INVOLVED	<p><b>METHODOLOGY</b></p> <p>To access the user area, users need to sign up for an EUIPO account (a valid email address is needed).</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Customer Department</li> <li>○ Operations Department</li> <li>○ Digital Transformation Department</li> <li>○ Finance Department</li> <li>○ Boards of Appeal</li> <li>○ Academy</li> <li>○ Observatory</li> <li>○ Communication</li> <li>○ Legal Department</li> </ul>	<p>In the user area the following tabs are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Options</b>: here users can modify their account details, account settings and manage sub-profiles;</li> <li>○ <b>Dashboard</b>: here users can access and manage dossiers;</li> <li>○ <b>Online services</b>: direct access to all the Office's online services;</li> <li>○ <b>Communications</b>: here users can read and manage their correspondence with the Office;</li> <li>○ <b>Goods &amp; Services Administrator</b>: here users can manage lists of G&amp;S and propose new terms for the HDB;</li> <li>○ <b>Drafts</b>: here users can store saved drafts for applications;</li> <li>○ <b>Current account</b>: here users can consult and manage financial information and movements;</li> <li>○ <b>Alerts</b>: receive and manage alerts based on selected criteria;</li> <li>○ <b>News</b>: direct access to the Office's latest news;</li> <li>○ <b>Fight against counterfeit</b>: quick access to the IP Enforcement Portal to protect IP rights;</li> <li>○ <b>Training</b>: direct access to a wide range of IP e-learning content;</li> <li>○ <b>Events calendar</b>: upcoming events organised by the Office;</li> <li>○ <b>Schedule a Call</b>: here users can book a slot to receive a call from the Office.</li> </ul>
REFERENCE DOCUMENTS/LINKS	<p>Official Office communications will be sent and stored for up to 30 days in the communication tab. After these 30 days have passed, users can go to the <a href="#">detailed file view</a> in eSearch plus.</p>
	<p><b>BENEFITS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ A centralised repository of customer actions.</li> <li>❖ Straightforward communication with the Office.</li> <li>❖ Environmentally friendly paperless solution.</li> <li>❖ Increased customer satisfaction.</li> </ul>