

Driving restrictions, goods transport Croatia

Article I

Vehicles concerned

lorries and combined vehicles with a maximum permitted weight of over 7.5t; lorries and combined vehicles which exceed 14m in length; tractors; horse-drawn vehicles; working machines and all other vehicles which cannot exceed a speed of 40km/h on a straight road; vehicles being used for driving lessons

Area

on the following state roads (D) with the exception of completed motorway sections :

- D 8 : junction with D 40 (Bakar interchange) - Zadar - Split - Klek border crossing (BIH) and Zaton Doli border crossing (BIH) - Dubrovnik - Karasovici border crossing (Montenegro), except for the sections from the intersection with D 27 at the Sibenik bridge to the eastern entrance to Sibenik (turn-off for D 58) and from the Bilice roundabout in Solen to the intersection for the trade-transport terminal in Stobrec;
- D 9 : Metkovic - Opuzen - D 8;
- D 21 : Kastel border crossing (SLO) - Buje - Kanfanar interchange, except for the section of the D 21 from the Kanfanar interchange to Pula (junction with D 66);
- D 23 : Zuta Lokva - Senj;
- D 39 : junction A1 rotor Sestanovac - intersection with D 8 (Dupci);
- D 66 : Pula (A9) - Rasa - Opatija - D 8;
- D 200 : Buje (D 21) - Plovanija border crossing (SLO);
- D 300 : Buje (D 21) - Umag;
- Z 5002 : Novigrad - Tar - Porec - Vrsar (junction with D 21);
- on the approach to and in the area of the state ferry port of Split;
- on the approach to and in the area of the state ferry port of Zadar

Article II

Periods

from 15 June to 15 September

- on Saturdays from 04h00 to 14h00;
- on Sundays from 12h00 to 23h00

On Good Friday and on the eve of a public or religious holiday

- from 15h00 to 23h00

On a public holiday

- from 14h00 to 23h00

If a public holiday, or the last day of a series of public holidays falls on a Friday or Saturday, the prohibition is effective on the Sunday from 12h00 to 23h00.

If a public holiday falls on a Sunday or Monday, the prohibition is effective on the preceding Friday from 15h00 to 23h00.

Note: during the driving ban, vehicles registered in Croatia which are affected by the restrictions are allowed to enter the country at all border crossings mentioned above and to wait in an appropriate parking area in the border crossing zone until the end of the restrictions or to drive to the nearest customs office or terminal provided parking space is available

Article III

Vehicles concerned	lorries and combined vehicles with a maximum permitted weight of over 7.5t
Area	on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska
Period	on Sundays from 06h00 to 22h00

Note: the driving restrictions listed under Article III shall not apply to vehicles belonging to companies or individuals having their headquarters or official residence within the area served by the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska, nor to the vehicles referred to in Article IV, indents 7, 8 and 9 when they are supplying businesses along this road section.

Appropriate traffic signs will be installed and the public will be notified via the media of the driving restrictions specified in Articles I and III.

Article IV

Exceptions

The above-mentioned driving restrictions do not apply to

- vehicles with right of passage and vehicles under escort;
- vehicles of the Ministry of the Interior and of the armed forces;
- vehicles for maintenance of roads, electrical and similar installations, as well as vehicles for the distribution of mail and the press;
- vehicles belonging to radio or TV broadcasting companies;
- vehicles used for the transport of drinking water;
- vehicles transporting material or equipment for use in case of emergency;
- vehicles of over 14m in length and articulated vehicles transporting concrete, asphalt or fuel for motor vehicles, except on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska where they must comply with the traffic restrictions imposed under Article III of this order;
- vehicles of over 14m in length and articulated vehicles transporting perishables such as fresh meat and fresh meat products, fresh milk and dairy products, fresh fish and fish products, perishable fruit and vegetables, except on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska where they must comply with the traffic restrictions imposed under Article III of this order;
- vehicles of over 14m in length and articulated vehicles transporting livestock or poultry, except on the SR 2 between Varazdin and Dubrava Krizovljanska where they must comply with the traffic restrictions imposed under Article III of this order;
- vehicles with an authorisation.

Article V

The authorisation referred to above is issued, in the case of domestic road traffic, by the police administration responsible for the area in which the departure point is situated or, in the case of international road traffic, at the place of entry into Croatia on condition that, in terms of timing and circumstances, such transport is urgently needed for safety reasons or if its delay is likely to cause major material damage.

Article VI

In case of non-compliance with the present order, a fine of HRK 5000 will be imposed on companies plus a fine of HRK 1000 on the person responsible within the company for allowing the vehicle to be driven in contravention of the ban; a fine of HRK 5000 will be imposed on independent businessmen. A person giving driving lessons, as well as the person driving the vehicle in contravention of the ban will be fined HRK 500 each.

Vehicles concerned Domestic and foreign motor vehicles transporting hazardous substances of classes 1, 2, 3, 6.1, 7 or 8 from Slovenia or Hungary, in transit through Croatia, to Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia or Montenegro and vice versa, as well as those importing into or exporting from Croatia from/to neighbouring states or from/to third countries.

Area Driving restrictions on the above-mentioned vehicles apply to certain routes only.

Authorised routes

1. *For the transport of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3, 6.1, 7 and 8 only the following routes may be used:*
 - 1.1 Bregana border crossing (D4) - Zagreb ringroad - Stara Gradiska border crossing or Zupanja border crossing - Bajakovo border crossing;
 - 1.2 Macelj border crossing (D1) - Zagreb ringroad - D1 (D3) - Karlovac;
 - 1.3 Gorican border crossing (D3) - Cakovec - Zagreb ringroad;
 - 1.4 Donji Miholjac border crossing (D53) - Nasice;
 - 1.5 Rupa border crossing - D8 - Rijeka (for dangerous goods included in a special list, with the exception of oil and petrol);
 - 1.6 as an exceptional measure, the following route may be used for the transport of dangerous goods included in Class 3 (petroleum and petroleum derivatives): Dubrava Krizovljanska border crossing (D2) - Varazdin (D3) - Zagreb ringroad
2. *Transport operations to and from ports, oil refineries and free zones are possible provided the following special instructions are respected*
 - 2.1 roads from the port of Ploce (D513) to the Mali Prolog border crossing may be used for the transit of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3 and 8;
 - 2.2 the route Split - Klis - D1 - Brnaze - D60 - Trilj - D220 - Kamensko border crossing may be used for the transit of dangerous goods of Classes 1, 2, 3, 6.1, 7 and 8 from the ports of Split and Solin;
 - 2.3 the route D3 - Karlovac - D1 (D3) Zagreb ringroad may be used for the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Rijeka and the Rijeka refinery;
 - 2.4 the route D36 - Popovaca may be used for the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Sisak and the Sisak refinery;
 - 2.5 the transit of dangerous goods from the port of Zadar should go via the crossing with the D8 state highway - D502 Smilcic - Benkovac - D56 - Bribir - D509 - Knin - Sinj (D1) - Trilj (D60) - D220 Kamensko border crossing

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Public holidays 2016	01 January	New Year's Day
	06 January	Epiphany
	27 March	Easter
	28 March	Easter Monday
	01 May	Labour Day
	26 May	Corpus Christi
	22 June	Day of anti-fascist fight
	25 June	Croatian Statehood Day
	05 August	Thanksgiving Day*
	15 August	Assumption
	08 October	Independence Day
	01 November	All Saints' Day*
	25 December	Christmas Day
	26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: Transportkomerc, January 2016

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Germany

Vehicles concerned	trucks with a total permissible weight of over 7.5t, as well as trucks with trailers.
Area	throughout the road and motorway network
Prohibition	Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 22h00

Additional restrictions (summer)

Area	the following stretches of motorway and trunk roads:
A1	from the Köln-west intersection via the Leverkusen-West intersection, via Wuppertal, the Kamen intersection and Münster to the Cloppenburg junction
A2	from the Oberhausen intersection to the Bad Oeynhausen intersection
A3	from the Oberhausen intersection to the Cologne-east intersection, from the Mönchhof intersection via the Frankfurt intersection to the Nürnberg intersection
A4/E40	from the Erfurt-Vieselbach junction to the Hermsdorf-Ost junction
A5	from the Darmstadt intersection via Karlsruhe to the Neuenburg intersection
A6	from the Schwetzingen-Hockenheim junction to the Nürnberg-south intersection
A7	from the Schleswig/Jagel junction to the Hamburg-Schnelsen-north junction, from the Soltau-East junction to the Göttingen-north junction; from the Schweinfurt/Werneck intersection, the Biebelried intersection, the Ulm/Elchingen intersection and the Allgäu intersection to the state border at Füssen
A8	from the Karlsruhe intersection to the Munich-west junction and from the Munich-Ramersdorf junction to the Bad Reichenhall junction
A9/E51	Berlin ringroad (Leipzig branch road/Potsdam intersection) to the Munich-Schwabing junction
A10	Berlin ringroad, with the exception of the section from the Berlin-Spandau junction via the Havelland intersection to the Oranienburg intersection and the section between the Spreeau intersection and the Werder intersection
A45	from the Dortmund-south junction via the Westhof intersection and the Gambach intersection to the Seligenstadt intersection
A61	from the Meckenheim intersection via the Koblenz intersection to the Hockenheim intersection
A81	from the Weinsberg intersection to the Gärtringen junction
A92	from the Munich-Feldmoching intersection to the Oberschleissheim junction and from the Neufahrn intersection to the Erding junction
A93	from the Inntal intersection to the Reischenhart junction
A99	from the Munich-south-west intersection via the intersections at Munich-west, Munich-Allach, Munich Feldmoching, Munich-north, Munich-east, Munich-south and Munich/Eschenried
A215	from the Bordesholm intersection to the Blumenthal junction
A831	from the Stuttgart-Vaihingen junction to the Stuttgart motorway intersection
A980	from the Allgäu intersection to the Waltenhofen junction
A995	from the Sauerlach junction to the Munich-south intersection
B31	from the Stockach-east junction of the A98 to the Sigmarszell junction of the A96
B96/E251	from Neubrandenburg ringroad to Berlin

Prohibition

Saturdays between 1 July and 31 August from 07h00 to 20h00

Exceptions (apply to both of the above prohibitions)

- Combined rail/road goods transport from the shipper to the nearest loading railway station or from the nearest designated unloading railway station to the consignee up to a distance of 200km (no limitation on distance during the additional summer restrictions); also combined sea/road goods transport between the place of loading or unloading and a port situated within a radius of 150km maximum (delivery or loading).
- Deliveries of fresh milk and other dairy produce, fresh meat and its fresh derivatives, fresh fish, live fish and their fresh derivatives, perishable foodstuffs (fruit and vegetables).
- Empty vehicles, in connection with the transport operations mentioned under the preceding item.
- Transport operations using vehicles subject to the Federal Law on the obligations of service; the relevant authorisation must be carried on board and produced for inspection on request.

Also exempted from the prohibition are vehicles belonging to the police and federal border guard, fire brigades and emergency services, the federal armed services and allied troops.

For operations which are not covered by the above-mentioned exceptions, authorisations must be obtained. These, however, will be issued only in the event of an emergency, when delivery by other means of transport is not possible.

Night driving restrictions

There exist a certain number of night driving restrictions on specific routes. These are indicated by road signs.

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
25 March	Good Friday
28 March	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
5 May	Ascension
16 May	Whit Monday
26 May	Corpus Christi (only in Baden-Wurtemberg, Bavaria, Hessen, North Rhine Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate and Saar)
3 October	German Unification Day
31 October	Reformation Day (only in Brandenburg, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt and Thuringia)
1 November	All Saints' Day (only in Baden-Wurtemberg, Bavaria, North-Rhine Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate and Saar)
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: BGL, October 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport, 2016 Luxemburg

Vehicles concerned all goods vehicles arriving from Belgium or Germany and heading for France, and whose MPW, with or without trailer, exceeds 7.5t

Prohibition from 21h30 on Saturdays and the eve of public holidays until 21h45 on Sundays and public holidays

Vehicles concerned all goods vehicles arriving from Belgium or France and heading for Germany, and whose MPW, with or without trailer, exceeds 7.5t

Prohibition from 23h30 on Saturdays and the eve of public holidays until 21h45 on Sundays and public holidays

Area throughout the road and motorway network

Exceptions

- vehicles transporting livestock, animal-based perishable goods irrespective of their state (fresh, frozen, deep-frozen or salted, smoked, dried or sterilised), fresh or untreated vegetable-based perishable goods (fruit and vegetables), cut flowers or potted plants and flowers;
- empty vehicles making a trip in relation with the transport operations referred to above, on condition that the vehicles are heading for Germany;
- vehicles which, during the harvest period, are engaged in the collection and transport of agricultural produce from its place of harvest to its place of storage, packing, processing or transformation;
- vehicles carrying loads which are indispensable for the installation of duly authorised economic, sports, cultural, educational or political events;
- vehicles carrying only newspapers;
- vehicles carrying out office or factory removals;
- vehicles belonging to tradesmen and which are used for the sale of their products at fairs or markets;
- vehicles involved in a combined rail-road transport operation between the place of loading and the station of transfer, or between the station of transfer and the destination of the goods, on condition that the distance covered does not exceed 200km and that the transport takes place in the direction of Germany;
- vehicles for emergency use by the police, army, customs, civil defence and fire brigade as well as those used to transport vehicles which have broken down or been involved in an accident;
- vehicles being driven under cover of an exceptional authorisation from the Minister of Transport and which exceed the maximum statutory weight as specified above, in particular for transport operations intended to allow the non-stop operation of factories, to prevent any breakdown in supplies or to contribute to the execution of public services in response to immediate local needs; the Ministerial authorisation must be shown on demand to officers responsible for controlling road traffic.

Public holidays, 2016	1 January	New Year's Day
	28 March	Easter Monday
	1 May	Labour Day
	5 May	Ascension
	16 May	Whit Monday
	23 June	National Day *

15 August	Assumption
1 November	All Saints' Day
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	Christmas Holiday*

* Although public holidays, there are no driving restrictions on 23 June and 26 December (see below for vehicles driving towards Germany on those dates).

(Grand-Ducal Regulation of 19 July 1997 related to driving restrictions for heavy goods vehicles on Sundays and public holidays).

Notes:

- **in addition** to Luxemburg's official public holidays, the above restrictions will be in force on 8 May, 14 July and 11 November for transport operations to France and 3 April, 3 October and 26 December for transport operations to Germany;
- vehicles concerned by the above-mentioned driving restrictions shall not be permitted to stop or to park on public roads; during the period of these restrictions, this measure shall also apply to vehicles whose MPW, with or without trailer, exceeds 7.5t and which are registered or undergo a break of load in Luxemburg and which intend to transport goods to France or Germany;
- police officers are entitled to order drivers of vehicles found in breach of the above-mentioned driving restrictions and parking bans to return respectively to their country of origin, or their business premises or place of loading/unloading in Luxemburg;
- infringement of these rules shall be punished in compliance with the provisions of the amended Art.7 of the law of 14 February 1955 relating to traffic regulations on all public roads.

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles whose MPW exceeds 3.5t, with the exception of vehicles belonging to residents and delivery vehicles

Prohibition permanent

Area access to the following road sections is forbidden in both directions:

- the CR150, between its intersection with the CR152 at Burmerange and its intersection with the CR152 at Remerschen;
- the CR152, between its intersection with the CR150 at Burmerange and its intersection with the CR152B at Schengen;
- the N16, between its intersection with the N16A at Mondorf-les-Bains and the Mondor interchange linking the A13 motorway with the N16.

access to the following road sections is forbidden in the direction indicated:

- the Schengen interchange of the A13, slip-road in direction of the Croix de Bettembourg, between the N10 and the A13;
- the CR151, from the intersection with the N16 at the "Kapebësch" locality to the intersection with the CR152 at Bech-Kleinmacher;
- the CR162, from the intersection with the CR150A at Elvange to the intersection with the CR152 at Wintrange.

NB: this prohibition is signposted

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles in transit whose MPW, with or without trailer, exceeds 3.5t, with the exception of those which enter Luxemburg by a route situated to the north of the Steinfort-Rosenberg border crossing on the N6 and the Echternach-Echternacherbrück border crossing on the N11. The regulation applies, however, to vehicles in transit heading for France which enter Luxemburg by the N5, vehicles arriving from Germany, France or Belgium and which are heading for the European development

pole, and vehicles crossing Luxemburg from Rheinland-Palatinate in the direction of Saarland and vice-versa.

Prohibition

permanent

Area

transit traffic is forbidden on part of the public road network; compulsory routes are indicated by signposts bearing the figure 3.5t on the silhouette of the vehicle, as well as the indication of direction "Transit Belgium", "Transit France", "Transit Germany" or "Transit Germany/France".

Infringement of these rules shall be punished in compliance with the provisions of the amended Art.7 of the law of 14 February 1955 relating to traffic regulations on all public roads.

Warning: According to the Grand-Ducal Regulation of 2 July 2009 on the movement of heavy vehicles bound for the industrial areas of Bettembourg, the Eurohub or Rail Terminal 1.

Art. 1.

On the A3 motorway, upstream of the Livange interchange (PK 5740) and up to the Bettembourg cross (PK 9700), towards the Dudelange-Zoufftgen border point, the drivers of self-propelled road haulage vehicles whose maximum authorised mass, with or without trailer, exceeds 3.5 tonnes, bound for the Wolser, Schéleck, Riedgen, Krakelshaff and Livange industrial areas, the Eurohub or the Rail Terminal, **must follow the mandatory signposted route.**

Art. 2.

From the sections of normal road listed below leading to the motorway network, the drivers of self-propelled road haulage vehicles whose maximum authorised mass, with or without trailer, exceeds 3.5 tonnes, bound for the Wolser, Schéleck, Riedgen, Krakelshaff and Livange industrial areas, the Eurohub or the Rail Terminal, **must follow the mandatory signposted route:**

- 1) from the N13 upstream of the Pontpierre interchange on the A4 motorway, in the direction of Pontpierre;
- 2) from the CR179 upstream of the Schifflange interchange on the A13 motorway, in the direction of Dumontshaff;
- 3) from the CR164 upstream of the "Z.I. Lëtzebuerger Heck" roundabout, upstream of the Schifflange interchange, in the direction of the A13 motorway;
- 4) from the CR165 upstream of the Kayl interchange on the A13 motorway, in the direction of Noertzange.

Art. 3.

The foregoing provisions are indicated by the sign D, 1a adapted, supplemented by an additional sign displaying the symbol for self-propelled road haulage vehicles marked with the mention 3,5t and the inscriptions "Wolser", "Schéleck" "Riedgen", "Krackelshaff", "zone industrielle de Livange", "Eurohub" or "Terminal ferroviaire."

These signs are placed and maintained by the National Highways Department.

Art. 4.

Infringements of the provisions of Articles 1 and 2 shall be sanctioned in accordance with Article 7 of the amended law of 14 February 1955 concerning traffic regulation on all public highways.

Source: CLC, December 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Poland

General restrictions

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 12t
<i>Area</i>	nationwide
<i>Prohibition</i>	from 18h00 to 22h00 on the eve of those public holidays listed below as points c to K from 08h00 to 22h00 on all public holidays listed below

Additional restrictions

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 12t
<i>Area</i>	nationwide
<i>Prohibition</i>	from the last Friday in June until the Sunday before the beginning of the school year (from 24 June to 28 August 2016): <ul style="list-style-type: none">· on Fridays from 18h00 to 22h00· on Saturdays from 08h00 to 14h00· on Sundays from 08h00 to 22h00 (NB: as 15 August is a public holiday, driving restrictions are in force at the times indicated under “General restrictions” above)

Exceptions

1. vehicles belonging to the police, road transport inspectorate, border guard, customs, Polish armed forces, government protection bureau, technical emergency services, fire brigade, chemical emergency service and radiological and contamination protection services;
2. breakdown vehicles;
3. vehicles used in rescue operations;
4. emergency vehicles used in cases of natural disaster;
5. vehicles used for humanitarian aid;
6. vehicles used in the construction or maintenance of roads and bridges;
7. vehicles carrying livestock;
8. vehicles used for the collection of fresh milk, corn or livestock;
9. vehicles transporting liquid fuel, oil products, lubricants, spare parts or fresh water for ships;
10. transport of transmission equipment for radio or TV stations;
11. transport of equipment intended for mass events;
12. vehicles transporting newspapers which constitute a considerable volume of the total cargo or of the available loading space;
13. vehicles used for the carriage of drugs or medicines;
14. vehicles used for the carriage of mail which constitutes a considerable volume of the total cargo or of the available loading space;
15. vehicles whose operation is strictly connected with the necessary maintenance of the production cycle or with providing services to a company working around the clock;
16. vehicles transporting dangerous goods, as covered by separate regulations, in quantities for which the orange plate is required;
17. vehicles carrying perishable goods or foodstuffs* which constitute a considerable volume of the total cargo or of the available loading space;
18. vehicles used for the carriage of concrete or equipment for pumping concrete;
19. vehicles used for transporting municipal waste;
20. vehicles used for the transport of loads unloaded from railway wagons up to a distance of 50km from the railway station.

21. vehicles used in combined transport;
22. slow-moving agricultural vehicles and tractors;
23. vehicles returning from abroad to complete a road transport operation or travelling to the consignee who has his registered office in Poland,
24. vehicles which entered Poland before the date or time of the restriction and which may travel up to 50 km from the border crossing, and vehicles in the border zone waiting to exit Poland;
25. vehicles used for free medical examinations.

NB: The exceptions mentioned under points 6 to 21 apply also to empty vehicles travelling to load cargo or on their return journey after unloading on Polish territory.

* *List of perishable foodstuffs:* meat and edible offal; fish, shellfish, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates; dairy products, in particular yoghurts, kefir, sour cream, milk, cheese, butter and ice-cream; birds' eggs and egg pastes; cut flowers, rolled turf (grass) and house-plants; fresh and frozen vegetables, fruit and mushrooms; cereals and agricultural produce for the production of food, fodder and vegetable fats; ground cereals, in particular flour, oats, semolina and corn granules; fat and oil of animal or vegetable origin; food preserves, in particular of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables and fruit; sweets and confectionery; preserves of cereals, flour, starch, milk powder and bakery products; soft drinks; remains and waste from the food industry, ready-made animal feedstuff; sugar beet; potatoes; fresh yeast; cultivation medium for mushrooms.

Public holidays 2016

a. 1 January	New Year's Day
b. 6 January	Epiphany*
c. 27 March	Easter Sunday
d. 28 March	Easter Monday
e. 1 May	Labour Day
f. 3 May	Constitution Day
g. 15 May	Whit Sunday
h. 26 May	Corpus Christi
i. 15 August	Assumption
j. 1 November	All Saints' Day
k. 11 November	Independence Day
l. 25 December	First Christmas Day
m. 26 December	Second Christmas Day

* Driving restriction do not apply on this day

Local restrictions

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 16t
<i>Area</i>	Warsaw
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 07h00 to 10h00 and from 16h00 to 20h00
<i>Remarks</i>	The transit of the city of Warsaw by goods vehicles of over 16t (with the exception of traffic serving communities surrounding Warsaw) is forbidden. Transit traffic should divert via roads No. 50, 62 and 60. Vehicles travelling with a C16 identity card on board are exempt from this restriction. This card is delivered to carriers by the consignor. Restrictions are signposted.

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 18t
<i>Area</i>	Wroclaw
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 06h00 to 09h00 and from 13h00 to 19h00 and from 22h00 to 04h00
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 14t
<i>Area</i>	Elk
<i>Prohibition</i>	Permanent ban
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 10t
<i>Area</i>	Lomza
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 22h00 to 06h00
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 16t
<i>Area</i>	Poznan
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 07h00 to 09h00 and from 14h00 to 18h00
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 18t
<i>Area</i>	Torun
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 06h00 to 09h00 and from 13h00 to 19h00
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 12t
<i>Area</i>	Gliwice
<i>Prohibition</i>	every day from 00h00 to 04h00 and from 06h00 to 10h00 and from 14h00 to 18h00
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 15t
<i>Area</i>	Nowa Sol
<i>Prohibition</i>	Permanent ban
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 18t (excluded buses)
<i>Area</i>	Suwalki
<i>Prohibition</i>	Permanent ban
<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 24t
<i>Area</i>	Sopot
<i>Prohibition</i>	Permanent ban

Source: ZMPD, October 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Czech Republic

Permanent restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with a MPW of over 7.5t
Area	on motorways, trunk roads and 1 st class roads
Prohibition	on Sundays and public holidays from 13h00 to 22h00

Temporary (summer) restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with a MPW of over 7.5t
Area	on motorways, trunk roads and 1 st class roads
Prohibition	from 1 July to 31 August <ul style="list-style-type: none">· on Fridays from 17h00 to 21h00;· on Saturdays from 07h00 to 13h00;· on Sundays and public holidays from 13h00 to 22h00

Special prohibition

Vehicles concerned	special motor vehicles and carts whose overall width exceeds 0.60m
Area	on 1 st class roads outside built-up areas
Prohibition	from 15 April to 30 September <ul style="list-style-type: none">· on Fridays and the eve of a public holiday from 15h00 to 21h00;· on Saturdays and the first day of a series of public holidays from 07h00 to 11h00;· on Sundays and the last day of a series of public holidays from 15h00 to 21h00
Exceptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· vehicles engaged in combined transport operations, from the shipper to the nearest loading point or from the nearest unloading point to the consignee;· vehicles used for essential seasonal agricultural transport;· vehicles used in the construction, maintenance or repair of roads;· vehicles transporting perishable goods according to ATP regulations, provided the goods take up more than half of the loading capacity of the vehicle;· vehicles transporting livestock;· vehicles transporting fuel for the continuous operation of service stations;· vehicles used for the loading or unloading of aircraft, ships or trains up to a distance of 100km;· vehicles carrying postal cargo;· empty vehicles travelling in connection with any of the transport operations mentioned in the preceding points;· vehicles needed in cases of natural disaster;· vehicles belonging to the armed forces, police and fire brigade;· vehicles carrying chemical substances susceptible to temperature change or crystallisation;· vehicles used for driver training

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
28 March	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
8 May	Liberation Day
5 July	Prophets Cyril and Method
6 July	Anniversary of the death of Jan Hus
28 September	Statehood Day
28 October	National Day
17 November	Freedom and democracy day
24 December	Christmas Eve
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: CESMAD Bohemia, October 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Romania

GENERAL RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Area DN1, km 17 + 900 (limit of Otopeni city) - Ploiesti (junction DN1 - DN1 A);
Ploiesti (junction DN1 - DN1B) - Brasov (junction DN1 – DN1 A)

Period from 1 January to 31 December 2016

N°	Road	Road	Restricted days and hours		
			Monday-Thursday	Friday	Saturday - Sunday
1	DN1	DN1, km 17 + 900 (limit of Otopeni city) - Ploiesti (junction DN1 - DN1 A)	06h00-22h00	00h00 – 24h00	00h00 – 24h00
2		Ploiesti (junction DN1 - DN1B) - Brasov (junction DN1 – DN1 A)			

Exceptions vehicles of the civil protection service, funeral transport, first-aid and humanitarian transport, mail transport, fuel distribution, breakdown vehicles, vehicles belonging to sanitation services

Alternative routes **DN1A:** Bucharest – Ploiesti – Brasov
A3: Bucharest – Ploiesti; **DN1A:** Ploiesti – Brasov
DN7: Bucharest – junction DN7 – DN71; **DN71:** junction DN7 – DN71 – Targoviste; **DN72A:** Targoviste – Stoenesti – junction DN72A – **DN73:** DN73: junction DN72A – DN73 – Rasnov – Brasov..

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Area See the table below

Period 1 and 2 January, 1 and 2 May, 19 and 20 June, 15 August, 30 November, 1, 25 and 26 December

* For A2 highway, the driving restrictions applies for goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW

Road	Area	Direction	The day before the public holiday	The day of public holiday
A2*	Bucharest (junction A2 - Bucharest ringroad) – Fundulea – Lehliu (junction A2 - DN3) – Fetesti (junction A2 - DN3B) – Cernavoda (junction A2 - DN3) – Murfatlar (junction A2 - DN3)	Bucharest – Constanta	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00
		Constanta - Bucharest		
		Fetesti – Cernavoda		

Road	Area	Direction	The day before the public holiday	The day of public holiday
DN 7	Pitesti (exit) – Ramnicu Valcea – Vestem (junction DN7 - DN1)	Both directions	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00
DN 39	Agigea – (junction DN 39 - DN 39A) – Mangalia (entry)	Both directions	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00

Exceptions · transport of live animals, or refrigerated or perishable goods;

Sanctions · fine between RON 2000 and RON 4000

SUMMER RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Area See the table below

Period Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays from 1 July to 31 August

*** For A2 highway, the driving restrictions applies for goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW**

Road	Area	Direction	Restricted days and hours		
			Friday	Saturday	Sunday
A2*	Bucharest (junction A2 - Bucharest ringroad) – Fundulea – Lehliu (junction A2 - DN3) – Fetesti (junction A2 - DN3B) – Cernavoda (junction A2 - DN3) – Murfatlar (junction A2 - DN3)	Bucharest – Constanta	12.00 – 24.00	06.00 – 14.00	-
		Constanta - Bucharest	-	-	12.00 – 24.00
		Fetesti – Cernavoda	-	-	12.00 – 24.00
DN 39	Agigea – (junction DN 39 - DN 39A) – Mangalia (entry)	Both directions	12.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00
DN 22C	Murfatlar (junction DN 22C – DN3) – Cernavoda (junction DN 22C – A2)	Murfatlar - Cernavoda	-	-	12.00 – 24.00

Exceptions · transport of live animals, or refrigerated or perishable goods;

Sanctions · fine between RON 2000 and RON 4000

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS, BUCHAREST

Vehicles concerned	goods vehicles of over 5t MPW
Area	zone "A" of Bucharest, delimited by the following roads : Dacia Bvd - Traian St - Nerva Traian St - Octavian Goga Bvd - Marasesti Corridor - Marasesti Bvd - Mitropolit Nifon St - Lebertatii Bvd - Calea 13 Septembrie - Pandurilor St - Grozavesti St - Orhideelor St - Dinicu Golescu Bvd - Gara de Nord Square - Calea Grivitei - Nicolae Titulescu St - Banu Manta Bvd - Ion Mihalache Bvd - Maresal Averescu Bvd - Constantin Prezan Bvd - Aviatorilor Bvd - Mircea Eliade Bvd - P.I. Ceaikovski Bvd - Barbu Vacarescu St - Tunari St - Dacia Bvd
Vehicles concerned	goods vehicles of over 5t MPW
Area	zone "B" of Bucharest, delimited by the following roads: Aerogarii Bvd - Cpt Alex Serbanescu St - Barbu Vacarescu St - Fabrica de Glucoza St - Petricani main road - Doamna Ghica St - Colentina main road - Fundeni main road - Morarilor St - Basarabia Bvd - 1 Decembrie 1918 Bvd - Th. Palady Bvd - Camil Ressu Bvd - Fizicienilor St - Energeticienilor Bvd - Calea Vitan - Vitan Barzesti main road - Ion Iriceanu St - Turnu Magurele St - Luica St - Giugiului main road - Alexandru Anghel St - Prelungirea Ferentari St - Calea Ferentarilor - M. Sebastian St - Calea 13 Septembrie - Ghencea Bvd - Brasov St - Virtutii main road - Calea Crangasi - Grant crossing - Calea Grivitei - Bucurestii Noi Bvd - Jiului St - Poligrafiei Bvd - Jiului crossing - Baiculesti St - Straulesti main road - Ion Ionescu de la Brad Bvd
Period	from 1 July to 31 August daily between 07h00 and 20h00; from 1 September to 30 June daily between 08h00 and 19h00; outwith these hours, access is permitted only under cover of a special authorisation
Exceptions	<p>When in service, the following vehicles are not subject to these restrictions: ambulances, vehicles of the civil protection service, police, fire brigade, gendarmerie, border police, Ministry of National Defence, Ministry of Justice, prison service, Public Ministry, special units of the Romanian Service of Information and of the Service of Guard and Protection.</p> <p>Furthermore, the following vehicles may access the restricted areas during the hours of the driving ban provided they have a special authorisation : road maintenance vehicles, vehicles used to tow away damaged or abandoned vehicles or those which are unlawfully parked; vehicles used for the training and examination of candidates applying for driving licences of categories C, CE and CIE; post office vehicles and vehicles belonging to companies providing delivery and courier services; vehicles transporting bread and bakery products or milk in tanks destined for processing; vehicles transporting dangerous goods; vehicles heading for customs offices or industrial areas via specified routes (<i>see below</i>).</p> <p>All infringements will be sanctioned by a fine of between RON 3,000 and RON 5,000</p>

For more information, click [here](#).

Authorisations

Authorisations are issued by the Town Hall of the Municipality of Bucharest through the Administration of Transport, Roads and Traffic Safety. Daily permits are also available from Petrom fuel stations situated on the main access routes to Bucharest. Rates are as follows:

a) for access to zone "A":

MPW	RON / month	RON / day
up to 5t	free of charge	free of charge
>5.0t to 7.5t	2,000	231
>7.5t to 12.5t	4,000	452
>12.5t to 16.0t	8,000	903
>16.0t to 22.0t	12,000	1,355
>22.0t to 40.0t	16,000	1,806
>40.0t	20,000	2,247

b) for access to zone "B":

MPW	RON / month	RON / day
up to 5t	free of charge	free of charge
>5.0t to 7.5t	500	63
>7.5t to 12.5t	1,000	116
>12.5t to 16.0t	1,500	179
>16.0t to 22.0t	2,000	231
>22.0t to 40.0t	2,500	284
>40.0t	3,000	347

Notes:

1. These driving restrictions are signposted.
2. Vehicles of over 5t MPW which do not have the Municipality of Bucharest as their final destination are forbidden to transit Bucharest.
3. Authorisations are not transferable. They must be shown on request, together with the vehicle registration certificate.
4. Authorisations which are valid in zone A are also valid in zone B.
5. Vehicles heading for zone B or for certain customs offices or industrial zones may access the restricted area under cover of a special authorisation and provided they take the following routes:

Access to zone B:

- from the Bucharest - Pitesti highway, via Iuliu Maniu Bvd, Valea Cascadelor St, Valea Oltului St, Prelungirea Ghencea St;
- from DN6, via Alexandriei main road, Antiaeriana main road

Access to customs offices and industrial areas:

- access to the customs office in Timisoara Bvd - Timisoara Bvd from Valea Cascadelor St or Valea Oltului St up to Romancierilor St and back;
- access to the industrial area between Timisoara Bvd, Iuliu Maniu Bvd, Vasile Milea Bvd,

- Lujerului St, via Timisoara Bvd, Vasile Milea Bvd, Iuliu Maniu Bvd and back;
- access to the industrial area between Drumul Sarii, M. Sebastian St, Cal.Rahovei and Progresului St, via Calea 13 Septembrie, M. Sebastian St, Razoare St, Progresului St, Panduri main road and back via Calea 13 Septembrie;
- access to the industrial area between Calea Rahovei, G. Cosbuc Bvd, C-tin Istrati St, Progresului St, via Calea Rahovei, G. Cosbuc Bvd, C-tin Istrati St, Progresului St;
- access to the industrial area on the "Rocar" platform, via Toporasi St;
- access to the industrial area between Ziduri Mosi St, Ferdinand Bvd, Obor Railway Station Bvd, Baicului St, Paharnicu Turturea St, Heliade intre Vii St, Doamna Ghica St, via Doamna Ghica St, Heliade intre Vii St, Pharnicu Turturea St, Baicului St, Obor Railway Station Bvd, Ferdinand Bvd, Ziduri Mosi St and back;
- access to the customs office in Expozitiei Bvd, via Bucurestii Noi Bvd, Ion Mihalache Bvd, Clabucet St, Expozitiei Bvd and back via Putul lui Craciun;
- access to the industrial area in Splaiul Unirii, between Vitan Barzesti main road and Mihai Bravu main road, in Splaiul Unirii, up to Mihai Bravu main road and back

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
2 January	New Year holiday
1 May	Easter Sunday (Orthodox)/Labour Day
2 May	Easter Monday (Orthodox)
19 June	Whitsun (Orthodox)
20 June	Whit Monday (Orthodox)
15 August	Assumption
30 November	Saint Andrei
1 December	National Day
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: UNTRR, December 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport, 2016 Slovakia

Vehicles concerned Trucks and combination vehicles with a total authorised weight of more than 7.5t; trucks with a total authorised weight of more than 3.5t with trailer or semi-trailer

Area On motorways, trunk roads and main roads (Class 1)

Prohibitions on Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 22h00;
on Saturdays between 1 July and 31 August from 07h00 to 19h00

Vehicles concerned Trucks and combination vehicles with a total authorised weight of more than 12t;

Area On roads of Class III

Prohibitions Permanent

Exceptions

- coaches, caravans;
- vehicles of the armed forces, police and the Slovak Security Service;
- vehicles used for indispensable seasonal agricultural work;
- vehicles transporting medical instruments, or biological or pharmaceutical products to hospitals or medical institutions, or to ensure the operation of medical equipment in hospitals or medical institutions;
- vehicles used in combined transport or for loading or unloading ships or trains on the territory of the Slovak Republic;
- vehicles used for cultural or sporting events, and in particular for the transport of boats, motorcycles, horses, birds etc.;
- aid vehicles required at scenes of accidents or natural disaster;
- vehicles transporting dangerous goods;
- vehicles used for the supply of petrol stations;
- vehicles transporting foodstuffs or livestock.

If so requested by a police officer, during the period of the driving ban, a driver must be able to prove that his vehicle is being used for one of the above-mentioned purposes.

Derogations

In accordance with Act 9, §140 of the 2009 Digest of Law, authorisation to drive during the hours of the driving restriction may be obtained in extraordinary and inevitable cases, if to do so would not endanger public safety. If the authorisation is required for the territory of one region, the relevant Regional Traffic Inspectorate is competent to deal with the request for exemption. If the authorisation is required for an area covering more than one region, the request for exemption should be addressed to the Department of Traffic Police of the Presidency of the Police Corps, (Odbor dopravnej polície Prezídia policajného zboru), Raciarska 45, 812 72 Bratislava, Tel.: +421 9610 50221. The issue of authorisations is subject to administrative fees. An authorisation is granted if the request is justified and on presentation of certified documents indicating the necessity of the transport operation. The authorisation remains valid for a period of 30 days.

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
6 January	Epiphany
25 March	Good Friday
28 March	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
8 May	Armistice 1945
5 July	St Cyril and St Methodius
29 August	Anniversary of the Slovak national uprising
1 September	Constitution Day
15 September	Our Lady of the Seven Sorrows
1 November	All Saints' Day
17 November	Day of fight for freedom and democracy
24 December	Christmas Eve
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: CESMAD Slovakia, December 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport, 2016 Slovenia

1. General restrictions

Vehicles concerned trucks and combination vehicles with an MPW of more than 7.5t

Prohibition on all road sections listed below, in both directions:

- on Sundays, public holidays and non-working days from 08h00 to 21h00;
- on Good Friday (25 March 2016) from 14h00 to 21h00.

Road sections concerned

- 1. Tunnel Karavanke – Ljubljana**
A2 Tunnel Karavanke – Kranj – Ljubljana (Kozarje junction)
- 2. Kranjska Gora – Nova Gorica**
R1-206 Kranjska Gora – Vrsic – Trenta – Bovec
R1-203 Predel – Bovec – Kobarid
G2-102 Robic (Italian border) – Kobarid – Perseti
- 3. Korensko Sedlo – Podkoren – Lesce – Podtabor**
R1-201 Korensko Sedlo (Austrian border) – Podkoren – Mojstrana – Hrusica
R3-637 Hrusica – Javnornik – Zirovnica – Vrba
G1-8 Vrba – Lesce – Crnivec
H1 Crnivec - Lesnica
- 4. Podtabor – Ljubljana**
R2-411 Podtabor – Naklo
R2-412 Naklo (Kranj west) – Kranj – Kranj (Labore)
R1-211 Kranj (Labore) – Jeprca – Ljubljana (Sentvid)
G1-8 Ljubljana (Sentvid) – Ljubljana (ring)
- 5. Ljubljana – Visna Gora - Bic – Pluska**
A2 Ljubljana (Malence) – Visna Gora – Bic – Pluska
- 6. Ljubljana – Obrezje**
G2-106 Ljubljana (Rudnik) – Skofljica – Smarje Sap
H1 Pluska – Trebnje – Karteljevo
A2 Novo Mesto (Hrastje) – Smednik – Krska Vas – Obrezje (Border with Croatia)
- 7. Sentilj – Trojane – Ljubljana (motorway)**
A1 Border crossing Sentilj – Pesnica
H2 Pesnica – Maribor (Tezno)
A1 Maribor (Ptujaska Cesta) – Slivnica – Celje – Arja Vas – Vrasnko- Trojane
Blagovica – Ljubljana (zadobrova)
- 8. Sentilj – Pesnica**
R2-437 Border crossing Sentilj – Pesnica
- 9. Maribor – Ljubljana**
R2-430 Maribor – Slivnica – Sl. Bistrica – Sl. Konjice – Celje
R2-447 Medlog – Zalec – Sempeter – Locica – Trojane – Blagovica – Trzin
G1-104 Trzin – Ljubljana (Crnuce) – Ljubljana (Tomacevo)

10. *Ljubljana ring*
 - H3 Ljubljana (Zadobrova) – Ljubljana (Tomacevo) – Ljubljana (Koseze)
 - A1 Ljubljana (Zadobrova) – Ljubljana (Malence) – Ljubljana (Kozarje)
 - A2 Ljubljana (Koseze) – Ljubljana (Kozarje)
11. *Ljubljana – Klanec (Motorway)*
 - A1 Ljubljana (Kozarje) – Razdrto – Divaca – Kozina – Klanec – Srmin
12. *Ljubljana – Kozina – Klanec – Srmin*
 - R2-409 Ljubljana (Vic) – Vrhnika – Logatec
 - G2-102 Logatec - Kalce
 - R2-409 Kalce – Postojna – Razdrto – Kozina - Klanec
 - R1-208 Crni Kal – Aver
 - R2-409 Aver - Rizana – Srmin
13. *Skofije – Secovlje*
 - H5 Skofije – Koper
 - R2-406 Skofije - Dekani
 - R3-741 Dekani – Luka Koper
 - G2-111 Koper – Secovlje (Croatian border)
14. *Koper – Dragonja*
 - G1-11 Koper – Smarje – Dragonja (Croatian border)
15. *Divaca (Gabrk) – Fernetici (motorway)*
 - A3 Divaca (Gabrk) – Sezana – Fernetici (Italian border)
16. *Senozece – Fernetice*
 - R2-445 Sezana – Fernetici (Italian border)
17. *Sezana - Stanjel*
 - R1-204 Sezana - Dutovlje – Stanjel
18. *Stanjel – Sempeter*
 - R3-614 Stanjel - Komen - Kostanjevica na Krasu- Opatje Selo - Miren - Sempeter
19. *Sezana – Divaca*
 - R2-446 Sezana – Divaca
20. *Vipava – Vrtojba*
 - H4 Podnanos – Vipava – Ajdovscina – Selo – Nova Gorica – Border crossing Vrtojba
21. *Razdrto – Rozna Dolina*
 - G1-12 Razdrto – Podnanos
 - R2-444 Razdrto - Vipava – Ajdovscina (bypass) – Selo – Nova Gorica – Rozna Dolina
22. *Postojna – Jelsane*
 - G1-6 Postojna – Ilirska Bistrica – Jelsane (Croatian border)
23. *Starod – Krvavi Potok*
 - G1-7 Starod (Croatian border) – Kozina – Krvavi Potok (Italian border)
24. *Skofljica – Petrina (Brod na Kolpi)*
 - G2-106 Skofljica – Ribnica – Kocevje – Petrina (Croatian border)
25. *Karteljevo/Mackovec - Novo Mesto – Metlika*
 - G2-105 Karteljevo - Novo Mesto – Metlika (Croatian border)
 - G2-105 Mackovec - Novo Mesto

26. *Celje – Dobovec*
G2-107 Celje (Vzhod) – Sentjur pri Celju – Smarje pri Jelsah – Dobovec (Croatian border)
27. *Slovenska Bistrica – Ormoz – Sredisce ob Dravi*
G1-2 Slovenska – Hajdina – Ptuj – Ormoz (bypass) – Sredisce ob Dravi (Croatian border)
28. *Spuhlja – Zavrc*
R1-228 Spuhlja – Zavrc (Croatian border)
29. *Hajdina (Ptuj) – Gruskovje*
G1-9 Hajdina – Gruskovje (Croatian border)
30. *Pesnica - Lendava – Pince junction with Dolga Vas (Motorway and expressway)*
A1 Pesnica – Dragucova
A5 Dragucova – Lenart – Murska Sobota – Lendava – Pince
H7 Lendava – Dolga vas (Border with Hungary)
31. *Pesnica – Dolga vas*
G1-3 Pesnica – Lenart – Radenci – Vucja Vas
R1-235 Radenci – Prikljucek Murska Sobota
32. *Petisovci – Dolnji Lakos*
G2-109 Petisovci – Dolnji Lakos
32. *G Radgona – Most Cez Muro*
G2-110 Radgona – Most Cez Muro
33. *Vic – Maribor – Hajdina (Ptuj)*
G1-1 Vic (Austrian border) – Dravograd – Maribor (Koroski Most) – Tezno - Hajdina
34. *Dravograd – Celje – Krsko*
G1-4 Dravograd – Slovenj Gradec – Velenje – Arja Vas
G1-5 Celje (west) – Celje – Zidani most – Drnovo

Additional restrictions due to the technical characteristics of road:

1. R2-419, section 1205 Šentjernej - Križaj - II-7.1 (7.5 t), open to local traffic.
2. R1-210, section 1078 Škofja Loka - Jeprca - II-7.1 (7.5 t), open to local traffic and direction Železniki, Gorenja vas.
3. R1-210, section 1109 Kranj - Škofja Loka (from km 1.5 to the end of the section) - II-7.1 (7.5t), open to local traffic and direction Železniki, Gorenja vas.
4. R1-202, sections 0234, 0233 state border - Rateče - Podkoren - II-10.1, open to local traffic.
5. R1-201, sections 0202, 0203, 0204, 0205 Podkoren - Kr. Gora - Dovje - Kraje - Hrušica - II-10.1, open to local traffic.
6. R2-411, section 1428 Polica - Podtabor (from km 3.730 - to the end of the section).
7. R1-203, sections 1002, 1003, 1004 Predel - Bovec - Kobarid - II-7.1(7.5t), open to local traffic.
8. R1-201, section 201, Korensko sedlo - Podkoren, - II-10.2.
9. R1-210, sections 1105, 1106 Zg. Jezersko - Sp. Jezersko - Predvor - II-7.1 (7.5t), open to local traffic.

10. R3-638, section 1132 Begunje - Bistrica(Tržič) (km 0.050-to the end of the section)- II-7.1 (7.5t), open to local traffic.
11. R1-229, 1286 Rogoznica - Senarska - II-7.1 (7.5t), open to local traffic.
12. G1-5, section Celje - Krško, II-7.1 (7.5t).

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with an MPW of more than 7.5t
Prohibition	permanent
Place	border crossing points of Secovlje, Socerga, Vinica, Rigonce and Gibina

2. Summer restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with an MPW of more than 7.5t
Prohibition	from the last weekend in June to the first weekend in September <ul style="list-style-type: none">· on all road sections listed above, in both directions:<ul style="list-style-type: none">– on Saturdays from 08h00 to 13h00– on Sundays, public holidays and non-working days from 08h00 to 21h00 · on the road sections listed below, in both directions, the traffic is prohibited:<ul style="list-style-type: none">– on Saturdays from 06h00 to 16h00;– on Sundays, public holidays and non working days from 08h00 to 22h00 <p style="margin-left: 40px;">A1-E61/70 Ljubljana-Koper A3-E70 Divaca (Gabrk)-Fernetici (Ferneti) H5-E751 Skofije-Koper G1-11 Koper-Dragonja and G1-6 Postojna-Jelsane.</p>

Exceptions

- The removal or towing of damaged or broken-down vehicles which are obstructing or endangering traffic. In such cases, only a company registered for this type of activity may move the vehicle to the nearest suitable place;
- Humanitarian aid transport;
- Emergency vehicles;
- Transport operations in relation to the prevention or elimination of a direct threat to persons or property;
- Transport operations in relation to the prevention or elimination of a major material loss or environmental contamination;
- Vehicles used for urgent road maintenance or winter maintenance (e.g. sanding of roads);

- Transport of mechanical equipment or building materials required for urgent road building or maintenance; the driver must be in possession of the relevant authorisation issued by the Slovenian motorway company (DARS);
- Radio and TV vehicles if the aim of the transport operation is to provide information to the public;
- Delivery of oil derivatives to petrol stations;
- Transport of international peace-keeping forces;
- Transport of national and international mail;
- Vehicles involved in combined transport operations (rail or sea)
 - vehicles travelling to a rail or ferry terminal if there is a possibility that by respecting the driving restrictions the vehicle would not arrive at the terminal in time; the driver must prove this by means of the relevant documentation;
 - vehicles travelling from a rail or ferry terminal to the nearest border crossing, if the vehicle can complete the transport operation in the other country; the driver must prove this by means of the relevant documentation;
- Transport of silvicultural or agricultural produce during the harvest season;
- Transport of grain and hops to storage or drying facilities during the harvest season;
- Transport of one-day old chickens;
- Transport of milk;
- The refrigerated transport of perishable goods;
- Transport of fresh flowers;
- Removal of waste;
- Urgent removal of animal carcasses or animal waste subject to the written approval of the veterinary authorities;
- Transport of mobile disinfection units for hospital use.

Points to note

Before the beginning of the restriction, drivers must immobilise their vehicles in suitable parking places at the roadside.

During the period of the restriction, foreign-registered vehicles of over 7.5t GVW or over 14m in length may not enter Slovenia, but should use the parking areas in the border zone.

In winter conditions, it is forbidden to drive combination vehicles, vehicles transporting dangerous goods, as well as exceptional loads. Even if these vehicles have the compulsory winter equipment, entry into Slovenia is not permitted while winter conditions prevail. This does not apply to vehicles registered in Slovenia if there is a suitable parking place at the border crossing allowing these vehicles to be removed from the traffic. It is the driver's responsibility to stop at the first suitable off-road parking area until the roads have been cleared.

In the case of high winds, trucks, combination vehicles, buses and coaches are prohibited on certain road sections. These restrictions are signposted.

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
8 February	Day of Slovenian Culture
28 March	Easter Monday
27 April	Day of Uprising (1941)
1 May	Labour Day
2 May	Labour Day
25 June	Independence Day
15 August	Assumption
31 October	Reformation Day
1 November	All Saints' Day
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Source: Giz Intertransport, December 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Switzerland

Vehicles concerned Lorries with a maximum authorised weight of more than 3.5t; industrial tractors and machines; articulated vehicles and road trains of over 5t. (Passenger transport vehicles, camping cars and agricultural vehicles are excluded from these restrictions.)

Area throughout Switzerland

Prohibitions Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 24h00;
At night from 22h00 to 05h00

Public holidays 2016	1 January	New Year's Day
	25 March	Good Friday
	28 March	Easter Monday
	5 May	Ascension Day
	16 May	Whit Monday
	1 August	National Day
	25 December	Christmas Day
	26 December	St Stephen's Day

If any of the above dates is not a holiday in one of the cantons or part of a canton, there is no prohibition in that canton. But cantons are allowed to signal (e.g. Valais and Tessin) restrictions by instructions.

The cantonal prohibitions for public holidays do not apply to traffic in transit.

**Driving is also
forbidden**

- from 24 March at 22h00 to 26 March at 05h00
- from 26 March at 22h00 to 29 March at 05h00
- from 4 May at 22h00 to 6 May at 05h00
- from 14 May at 22h00 to 17 May at 05h00
- from 30 July at 22h00 to 2 August at 05h00
- from 24 December at 22h00 to 27 December at 05h00
- from 31 December at 22h00 to 2 January 2017 at 05h00

Furthermore, in the case of dangerous goods transport, certain restrictions apply to the use of tunnels.

Night driving

In Switzerland, night driving is prohibited for all vehicles over 3.5t from 22h00 to 05h00 (except the transport of persons), and industrial tractors and machines, articulated vehicles and road trains of over 5t.

Derogations

Derogations covering the whole of Switzerland may be issued by the authorities of the cantons concerned by the journey or of the canton in which the journey subject to authorisation begins. The allocation of these authorisations is no longer within the jurisdiction of the canton if its territory is no longer concerned.

For foreign vehicles, authorisations are issued by the

Office Fédéral des routes
Centre d'intervention Gothard
PO Box
CH – 6487 Göschenen
Tel: (+41 41) 885 03 20
Fax: (+41 41) 885 03 21
e-mail: sonderbewilligung@astra.admin.ch
URL: www.sonderbewilligung.ch

Source: ASTAG, October 2015

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Hungary

Vehicles concerned	goods vehicles, agricultural tractors and their trailers of over 7.5t MPW
Region	throughout the road and motorway network
Restriction	<p>a) from 1 July to 31 August: from Saturday 15h00 to Sunday 22h00; from 22h00 on the eve of a public holiday to 22h00 on the day of the holiday</p> <p>b) from 1 September to 30 June: from 22h00 on the eve of Sundays and public holidays to 22h00 on Sundays and public holidays</p> <p><i>NB:</i> when a public holiday precedes a Saturday or Sunday within the period a), or a Sunday within the period b), the driving restrictions apply nonstop from 08h00 on the first day to 22h00 on the last day.</p> <p>During the winter period from 4 November to 1 March, the abovementioned restrictions do not apply to vehicles of EURO 3 standard or higher operating in international transport.</p>
Exceptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">· vehicles operated by the armed forces, police, national security services, prison authorities, fire brigade, civil defence, customs authorities, National Transport Authority, emergency vehicles;· in the case of combined transport, according to the agreement between the European Community and the Republic of Hungary on the conditions of road transport and the promotion of combined transport<ul style="list-style-type: none">- vehicles travelling between the combined transport terminal and the place of loading or unloading, or- vehicles travelling between the combined transport terminal nearest to the border crossing point and the border crossing point;· vehicles used for prevention or assistance in cases of disaster;· vehicles used in cases of accident or breakdown;· humanitarian consignments (with the appropriate documentation);· transport of fresh flowers or plants to the exclusion of all else;· postal services, newspapers;· vehicles involved in community work (including town/village cleaning services, waste removal, public utilities repair services);· vehicles of EURO 3 standard or higher transporting liquid gas;· vehicles used in the construction, maintenance, repair or cleaning of roads, railways and public utilities;· vehicles used for the transport of harvested crops or fodder or for the relocation of agricultural machines or slow vehicles;· vehicles transporting livestock, fresh milk, fresh dairy produce, fresh and deep-frozen meat and meat products, vegetables, eggs, fresh bakery products or other perishable foodstuffs, and vehicles travelling empty in connection with such transport;· vehicles travelling from the Hungarian border to the nearest parking area designated by the transport authorities for this purpose;· during the summer driving restrictions, vehicles travelling from the border to their premises in Hungary or to the first unloading place;· vehicles used for the transport of equipment or animals necessary for cultural, business or sports events (including transport in connection with radio, television or cinema recordings);· removals of private individuals;· vehicles involved in the transport to and from railway stations, river ports or airports (between the premises of the consignor/consignee and

the nearest such station, port or airport) of goods arriving or forwarded during the period affected by the prohibition;

- tractor vehicle of EURO 3 standard or higher, with a MPW not exceeding 7.5t, travelling without its semi-trailer.

Drivers of goods vehicles, agricultural tractors and their trailers of over 7.5t, which are exempt from the driving restrictions should note, however, that during the driving restrictions (see above) in the summer period (1 July – 31 August) the following routes may not be used by their vehicles:

- M7 motorway;
- main road No.2 between Budapest and Parassapuszta;
- trunk road 2A;
- main road No.6 between Dunaujvaros and Budapest;
- main road No.7;
- main road No.10 between Dorog and Budapest;
- main road No.11 between Esztergom and Budapest;
- main road No.12;
- road No.1201;
- main road No.51 from its intersection with main road 510 to Dömsöd;
- main road No.71;
- the following sections of main road No.76:
 - between its junctions with main road No.71 and main road No.7;
 - between Zalaapáti and main road No.71;
- main road No.55 between Alsónyék and Baja;
- main road No.82 between main road No.8 and Veszprémvarsány;
- main road No.84 between Sümeg and main road No.71;
- main road No.33 between Dormánd and Debrecen;
- main road No.86 between Janossomorja and Nemesböd and between Körmend and Zalabaksa;
- main road No.37 between Miskolc and Satoraljaujhely;
- main road No.38 from its intersection with main road No.37 to Rakamaz.

NB: Applications for exemption must be submitted to the National Transport Authority:

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1389 Budapest Pf. 102
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URL: www.nkh.hu

Drivers must be in possession of the documents proving their exemption, and should present them on request to the relevant authorities.

Public holidays 2016

1 January	New Year's Day
15 March	Revolution Day
27 March	Easter Sunday
28 March	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
15 May	Whitsun
16 May	Whit Monday
20 August	National holiday
23 October	Republic Day
1 November	All Saints' Day
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

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