

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Germany 2019

Vehicles concerned	trucks with a total permissible weight of over 7.5t, as well as trucks with trailers in case of business-like/commercial or paid transportation of goods including related empty runs.
Area	throughout the road and motorway network
Prohibition	Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 22h00

Exceptions (*applies also to the additional summer driving restrictions*)

1. 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).
2. 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).
3. Transportation of animal by-products according to category 1, Art. 8 as well as category 2, Art. 9f of regulation (EG) No. 1069/2009.
4. Use of vehicles of recovery, towing and breakdown services in case of an accident or other emergencies.
5. Transport of living bees.
6. Empty vehicles, in connection with the transport operations mentioned under point 2-5.
7. 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.

Public holidays 2019

1 January	New Year's Day
19 April	Good Friday
22 April	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
30 May	Ascension
10 June	Whit Monday
20 June	Corpus Christi (<u>only</u> in Baden-Wurtemberg, Bavaria, Hessen, North-Rhine Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate and Saar)
3 October	German Unification Day
31 October	Reformation Day (<u>only</u> in Brandenburg, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt and Thuringia)
1 November	All Saints' Day (<u>only</u> in Baden-Wurtemberg, Bavaria, North-Rhine Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate and Saar)
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Additional restrictions (summer)

Area

the following stretches of motorway and trunk roads:

- A1 from the intersection Köln- West via intersection Leverkusen-West, Wuppertal, the Kamen intersection and Münster to the junction Lohne/Dinklage
- A2 from the Oberhausen intersection to the Bad Oeynhausen intersection
- A3 from the Oberhausen intersection to the Köln-east intersection, from the Mönchhof intersection via the Frankfurt intersection to the Nürnberg intersection
- A5 from the Darmstadt intersection to the junction Karlsruhe-Süd and from the junction Offenburg 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-South junction to the Göttingen-north junction; from the Schweinfurt/Werneck intersection via the Biebelried intersection, the Ulm/Elchingen intersection and the Allgäu intersection to the state border at Füssen
- A8 from the Karlsruhe intersection to the München-Obermenzing junction and from the München-Ramersdorf junction to the Bad Reichenhall junction
- A9/E51 Berlin ringroad (Leipzig branch road/Potsdam intersection) to the München-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 Westhofener 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 junction Stuttgart-Zuffenhausen to the junction Gärtringen.
- A92 from the München-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 München-south-west intersection via the intersections at München-west, München-Allach, München Feldmoching, München-north, München-east, München-south and München/Eschenried
- A215 from the Bordesholm intersection to the Blumenthal junction
- A831 from the Stuttgart-Vaihingen junction to the Stuttgart intersection
- A980 from the Allgäu intersection to the Waltenhofen junction
- A995 from the Sauerlach junction to the München-south intersection
- B31 from the Stockach-east junction of the A98 to the Sigmarzell junction of the A96
- B96/E251 from Neubrandenburg ringroad to Berlin

Prohibition

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

Night driving restrictions

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

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Puttgarden
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Source: BGL, December 2018

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport, 2019 Luxembourg

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, 2018

1 January	New Year's Day
22 April	Easter Monday
1 May	Labour Day
9	Europe Day (to be confirmed)
30 May	Ascension

10 June	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 14 July and 11 November for transport operations to France and 19 April (Easter Friday), 20 June (Corpus Christi), 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 Schiffflange 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 Schiffflange 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", "Kraekelshaff", "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, January 2019

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport 2019 Poland

General restrictions

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 12t
<i>Area</i>	nationwide
<i>Prohibition</i>	from 18:00 to 22:00 on the eve of those public holidays listed below as points c to k from 08:00 to 22:00 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 29 June to 2 September 2018): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · on Fridays from 18:00 to 22:00 · on Saturdays from 08:00 to 14:00 · on Sundays from 08:00 to 22:00 <p>(NB: as 15 August is a public holiday, driving restrictions are in force at the times indicated under “General restrictions” above)</p>

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 2019 - Poland

a. 1	January	New Year's Day
b. 6	January	Epiphany*
c. 21	April	Easter Sunday
d. 22	April	Easter Monday
e. 1	May	Labour Day
f. 3	May	Constitution Day
g. 9	June	Whit Sunday
h. 20	June	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 restrictions 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

<i>Vehicles concerned</i>	goods vehicles with an MPW of over 12t
<i>Area</i>	Lodz
<i>Prohibition</i>	Permanent ban with exceptions several main street: Aleksandrowska, Szczecinska, Zgierska

Source: ZMPD, November 2018

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport 2018-2019 Czech Republic

Permanent restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with a MPW of over 7.5t and trucks and special vehicles with trailers, if a MPW of the motor vehicle exceeds 3,5t
Area	on motorways, trunk roads and 1 st class roads
Prohibition	on Sundays and public holidays from 13:00 to 22:00

Temporary (summer) restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks and combination vehicles with a MPW of over 7.5t and trucks and special vehicles with trailers, if a MPW of the motor vehicle exceeds 3,5t
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 17:00 to 21:00; • on Saturdays from 07:00 to 13:00; • on Sundays and public holidays from 13:00 to 22:00

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 15:00 to 21:00; • on Saturdays and the first day of a series of public holidays from 07:00 to 11:00; • on Sundays and the last day of a series of public holidays from 15:00 to 21:00
Exceptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) vehicles engaged in combined transport operations, from the shipper to the nearest loading point or from the nearest unloading point to the consignee; b) vehicles used for essential seasonal agricultural transport; c) vehicles used in the construction, maintenance or repair of roads; d) vehicles transporting perishable goods, provided the goods take up more than half of the loading capacity of the vehicle; e) vehicles transporting livestock; f) vehicles transporting fuel for the continuous operation of service stations; g) vehicles used for the loading or unloading of aircraft, ships or trains up to a distance of 100km; h) vehicles carrying postal cargo; i) empty vehicles travelling in connection with any of the transport operations mentioned in the preceding points; j) vehicles needed in cases of natural disaster; k) vehicles belonging to the armed forces, police and fire brigade; l) vehicles carrying chemical substances susceptible to temperature change or crystallisation; m) vehicles used for driver training

Public holidays 2018

24 December	Christmas Eve
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	St Stephen's Day

Public holidays 2019

1 January	New Year's Day
19 April	Good Friday
22 April	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, November 2018

Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Romania 2019

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

Road	Route	Restricted days and hours		
		Monday-Thursday	Friday	Saturday - Sunday
DN1	DN1, km 17 + 900 (limit of Otopeni city) - Ploiesti (junction DN1 - DN1 A)	06h00-22h00	00h00 – 24h00	00h00 – 24h00
	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 DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned	goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW
Area	See the table below

Road	Area	Direction	The day before the public holiday	The day of public holiday	Public holiday
A2	Bucharest (junction A2 - Bucharest ringroad) – Fundulea – Lehliu– Fetesti – Cernavoda – Constanta (junction A2 with A4)	Bucharest – Constanta	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	26 April, 28 April, 29 April, 1 May, 1 June, 16 June,
		Constanta - Bucharest			

					17 June, 15 August
DN 7	Pitesti (junction DN7 with DN 7C) – Ramnicu Valcea – Vestem (junction DN7 - DN1)	Both directions	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	1 January, 2 January, 24 January, 26 April, 28 April, 29 April, 1 May, 1 June, 16 June, 17 June, 15 August, 30 1 December, 25 December, 26 December
DN 39	Agigea – (junction DN 39 - DN 39A) – Mangalia (entry)	Both directions	16.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	26 April, 28 April, 29 April, 1 May, 1 June, 16 June, 17 June, 15 August

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

SUMMER DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Area See the table below

Period Fridays, Saturdays or Sundays from **1 July – 31 August**

Road	Area	Direction	Restricted days and hours		
			Friday	Saturday	Sunday
A2	Bucharest (junction A2 - Bucharest ringroad) – Fundulea – Lehliu– Fetesti – Cernavoda – Constanta	Bucharest – Constanta	06.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	-
		Constanta -	-	-	06.00 – 22.00

	(junction A2 with A4)	Bucharest			
DN 39	Agigea – (junction DN 39 - DN 39A) – Mangalia (entry)	Both directions	06.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00	06.00 – 22.00
DN 22C	Murfatlar (junction DN 22C – DN3) – Cernavoda (junction DN 22C – A2)	Murfatlar - Cernavoda	-	-	06.00 – 22.00

Exceptions

- transport of live animals, or refrigerated or perishable goods;

OTHER DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

According to an Order issued by both Ministry of Transport and Ministry of Internal Affairs of Romania, if a day that is not a public holiday will be between a public holiday and Saturday or Sunday and if this day is declared to be holiday by Government decision, it will apply driving restrictions for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW between 06h00-22h00 on some national roads. Expected days in which driving restrictions will be applied in 2019 will be: 25 January, 30 April, 16 August, and 27 December.

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 - Libertatii 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. Ceikovski 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 Vitin - Vitin Barzesti main road - Ion Iriceanu St - Turnu Magurele St - Luica St - Giugului 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

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.

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 (*see below*).

All infringements will be sanctioned by a fine of between RON 3000 - RON 5000

For more information, http://www.pmb.ro/harti/zonele_a_b/zonele_a_b.php

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 MOL 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. 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 2019

1 January	New Year's Day
2 January	New Year holiday
24 January	Union of the Romanian Principalities Day
26 April	Good Friday
28 April	Easter
29 April	Easter
1 May	Labour Day

1 June	International Children's Day
16 June	Whitsun
17 June	Whit Monday
15 August	Assumption
30 November	Saint Andrew
1 December	National Day
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	Christmas Day

Source: UNTRR, December 2018

Driving Restrictions, Heavy transport Switzerland 2019

Vehicles concerned Heavy motor vehicles with a maximum authorised weight of more than 3,5t; articulated vehicles when the authorised weight of the combination vehicle exceeds 5t; vehicles with a trailer whose authorised total weight exceeds 5t; industrial tractors and motor vehicles. (Motor vehicles used for the transport of passengers, agricultural vehicles and caravans 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 2019	1 January	New Year's Day
	19 April	Good Friday
	22 April	Easter Monday
	30 May	Ascension Day
	10 June	Whit Monday
	1 August	National Day
	25 December	Christmas Day
	26 December	Boxing 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 18 April at 22h00 to 20 April at 05h00
- from 21 April at 22h00 to 23 April at 05h00
- from 29 May at 22h00 to 31 May at 05h00
- from 08 June at 22h00 to 11 June at 05h00
- from 31 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 2019 at 05h00

Derogations

Derogations covering the whole of Switzerland may be issued by the authorities of the border cantons in which the journey begins subject to authorisation. Requests from abroad, duly completed, may also be sent at least seven working days before the beginning of the transport to:

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