



Journey planning information



Driving restrictions

Greece - Goods transport

Here we have gathered information on HGV restrictions and restrictions related to public holidays.

Information provided by:



Driving restrictions

In addition to restrictions on specific dates for goods vehicles with payload of over 1.5t, Summer restrictions apply in Greece.

Vehicle(s) concerned	Period	Location	Exception
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Goods vehicles with payload of over 1.5t

01/07

to

03/08

Fridays

Saturdays

Sundays

On Fridays from 15h00 and 22h00

On Saturdays and Sundays from 08h00 and 22h00

Ioannina – Arta – Antirio National Road

Section

- Ioannina – Arta – Antirio National Road in both directions, mainly from km 14 Ioannina – Arta – Antirio National road (Ionia odos junction – Avgio Ioanninon) to km 39.4 (Kouklesi – Ioannina)

- Thessaloniki – Kavala motorway in the direction of Kavala between km 11 (km 11+340) and Leon Amfipoli junction (km 97+550) in both directions

See general exceptions below.



Goods vehicles with payload of over 1.5t

01/01

to

31/12

on specific dates

- on 4 March 2022, 12 August 2022, 23 December 2022, 30 December 2022 and 5 January 2023 from 16h00 to 21h00
 - on 21 April 2022 from 15:00 to 22:00
 - on 22 April 2022 from 06:00 to 16:00
- on 24 March 2022, 10 June 2022 and 27 October 2022 from 16:00 to 22:00
- on 5 March 2022, 25 March 2022, 11 June 2022, 13 August 2022, 28 October 2022, 24 December 2022 and 6 January 2023 from 08:00 to 13:00

- Motorway A8 (Athens – Patra) in the direction of Patra between Elefsina toll station (km 26+500) and Rio toll station (km 199+660); - Motorway A1 (Athens –Thessaloniki – Evzoni) in the direction of Thessaloniki between Agios Stefanos (Kryoneri) junction (km 27+960) and Bralos junction (km 203+065), from Roditsa junction (Lamia) (km 212+625) to Raches Fthiotidos junction (km 242+479) and from Makrichori toll station (km 374+291) to the Leptokarya junction (km 410+359); - Thessaloniki – N...

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Goods vehicles with payload of over 1.5t

17/06/2022

to

11/09/2022

Fridays

From 16h00 to 21h00

- Motorway A8 (Athens – Patra) in the direction of Patra between Elefsina toll station (km 26+500) and Rio toll station (km 199+660); - Motorway A1 (Athens –Thessaloniki – Evzoni) in the direction of Thessaloniki between Agios Stefanos (Kryoneri) junction (km 27+960) and Bralos junction (km 203+065), from Roditsa junction (Lamia) (km 212+625) to Raches Fthiotidos junction (km 242+479) and from Makrichori toll station (km 374+291) to the Leptokarya junction (km 410+359); - Thessaloniki – N...

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Goods vehicles  with payload of over 1.5t

01/01

to

31/12

on specific dates

- **on 7 March 2022, 26 December 2022, 1 January 2023 and 8 January 2023 from 15:00 to 21:00**
- **on 25 April 2022 from 12:00 to 22:00**
- **on 13 June 2022, 15 August 2022 and 30 October 2022 from 16:00 to 23:00**
- **on 26 April 2022 from 11:00 to 23:00**

- Motorway A8 (Athens – Patras), in the direction of Athens, between Rio toll station (km 199+660) and Elefsina toll station (km 26+500); - Motorway A1 (Athens – Thessaloniki –Evzoni), in the direction of Athens, between Leptokarya junction (km 410+359) and Makrichori toll station (km 374+291) from Raches Fthiotidos junction (km 242+479) to Roditsa junction (Lamia) (km 212+625) and between Bralos junction (km 203+065) and Agios Stefanos (Kryoneri) junction (km 27+960); - N.Moudania –...

See general exceptions below.



Goods vehicles with payload of over 1.5t

17/06/2022

to

11/09/2022

Sundays

From 15h00 and 22h00

- Motorway A8 (Athens – Patras), in the direction of Athens, between Rio toll station (km 199+660) and Elefsina toll station (km 26+500); - Motorway A1 (Athens – Thessaloniki –Evzoni), in the direction of Athens, between Leptokarya junction (km 410+359) and Makrichori toll station (km 374+291) from Raches Fthiotidos junction (km 242+479) to Roditsa junction (Lamia) (km 212+625) and between Bralos junction (km 203+065) and Agios Stefanos (Kryoneri) junction (km 27+960); - N.Moudania –...

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Exceptions

Vehicles transporting fresh milk, fresh fish, fresh meat or livestock as well as vehicles carrying fresh fruit and vegetables.

Link to OFAE website

(<https://ofae.gr/el/nea/driving-restrictions/metra-periorismoy-kykloforias-forthgwn-aytokinhtwn-3/>)

Annual public holidays

01/01	New Year's day	All country
06/01	Epiphany	All country
07/03/2022	Ash Monday (Orthodox)	All country
25/03	National Day	All country
22/04/2022	Good Friday (Orthodox)	All country
24/04/2022	Easter day (Orthodox)	All country
25/04/2022	Easter Monday (Orthodox)	All country
01/05	Labour day	All country
13/06/2022	Whit Monday	All country
15/08	Assumption	All country
28/10	National day	All country
25/12	Christmas day	All country
26/12	Boxing day	All country

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