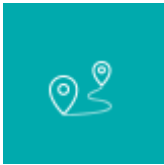




Journey planning information



Driving restrictions

Poland - Goods transport

Information provided by:



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

Driving restrictions

Are there any driving restrictions on international HGV traffic at weekends or on public holidays?

Yes

Vehicle(s) concerned

Period

Location

Exception



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW >12t)

01/01

to

31/12

Eve of public holidays

Public holidays

from 18h00 to 22h00 on the eve of public holidays (except New Year, Epiphany and Christmas days)

from 08h00 to 22h00 on all public holidays

Nationwide

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

See exceptions below



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW >12t)

24/06/2022

to

28/08/2022

**Fridays
Saturdays
Sundays**

**on Fridays from 18h00 to 22h00
on Saturdays from 08h00 to 14h00
on Sundays from 08h00 to 22h00**

Nationwide

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

See exceptions below



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 16t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 07h00 to 10h00 and from 16h00 to 20h00

Warsaw

Section

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. Restrictions are signposted.

Direction

Both directions

Vehicles travelling with a C16 identity card on board are exempt from this restriction. This card is delivered to carriers by the consignor.



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 18t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 06h00 to 09h00, from 13h00 to 19h00 and from 22h00 to 04h00

Wroclaw

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 14t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

All day

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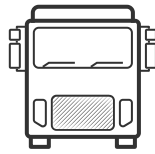
Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 10t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 22h00 to 06h00

Lomza

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 16t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 07h00 to 09h00 and from 14h00 to 18h00

Poznan

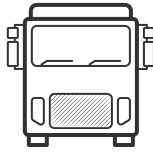
Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 18t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 06h00 to 09h00 and from 13h00 to 19h00

Torun

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 12t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

From 00h00 to 04h00, from 06h00 to 10h00, and from 14h00 to 18h00

Gliwice

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 15t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

All day

Nowa Sol

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 18t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

All day

Suwalki

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW > 24t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

All day

Sopot

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

None



Goods road motor vehicle (GVW >12t)

01/01

to

31/12

Every day

All day

Lodz

Section

All

Direction

Both directions

Exception on several main streets: Aleksandrowska, Szczecinska, Zgierska

Exceptions

Exceptions for national driving restrictions:

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.

Annual public holidays

01/01	New Year's Day	All country
06/01	Epiphany (*)	All country
17/04/2022	Easter Sunday	All country
18/04/2022	Easter Monday	All country
01/05	Labour Day	All country
03/05	Constitution Day	All country
05/06/2022	Whit Sunday	All country
16/06/2022	Corpus Christi	All country
15/08	Assumption	All country
01/11	All Saints' Day	All country
11/11	Independence Day	All country
25/12	First Christmas Day	All country
26/12	Second Christmas Day	All country

(*) Driving restrictions do not apply on Epiphany.

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