



Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport Denmark

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EcoSticker

There are four environmental zones located in the large cities of Denmark - Copenhagen, Aalborg, Aarhus and Odense. The four cities have introduced a Low Emission Zone in their city centres, which are delimited with special traffic signs.

Violating the EcoSticker regulation can be punished with a fine up to 2,700 Euro and also lead to imprisonment.

The EcoSticker is only delivered to the vehicles corresponding to the norm EURO 4, in order to reduce the environmental impact of the vehicles of the norm EURO 1 to 3 and to distinguish them from the more recent and eco-friendly vehicles.

Read more here

<https://www.ecosticker.dk/en.html>

Transport of Dangerous Goods

Prescribed routes apply for specific types of dangerous goods within city limits.

Oresund Bridge

Transport of Dangerous Goods

The Oresund Tunnel is categorised as follows:

During the period 06:00–19:00 every day: Category D

During the period 19:00–06:00 every day: Category B

Find further information here:

<https://www.oresundsbron.com/en/info/hazardous-goods>

Special Transports

Special prices and conditions (limited time periods for crossing) apply for special transports on the Oresund Bridge. Authorisation must be obtained from the Danish Police authorities and the Oresund Bridge

Traffic Centre must be notified at least two hour before the vehicle crosses the bridge under the following phone number: +45 3341 6591. The authorisation, the size of the vehicle as well as the time slot, must be presented at the tollgate.

Find further information here:

<https://www.oresundsbron.com/en/special-transport>

The Great Belt Bridge

Special transports must obtain preliminary authorisation in order to cross the bridge.

Vehicles wider than 3.3 metres need authorisation by phone from the Observation Room (tel.: +45 5830 3051) at least two hours before crossing the bridge.

Vehicles in weight class over 100 tonnes and/or wider than 4.5 metres

Written permit from the Danish Police is required and you must carry the permit with you when crossing the Great Belt Bridge.

Slow moving vehicles below 50 km/h
Please contact Storebælt at least 3 working days before passage.

Find more information here:

<https://www.storebaelt.dk/english/abnormal-loads>

Summer Driving Restrictions

Between 15 June and 31 August, if temperatures reach 25 degrees Celsius and more, a driving ban may be enforced from 12.00 to 18.00 for heavy vehicles transporting special loads.

Source: ITD, December 2018



Driving restrictions, goods transport Netherlands

There are no driving restrictions on goods vehicles at weekends or on public holidays. However, in bad weather the transport of dangerous goods is restricted. When visibility is less than 200m, it is forbidden to transport:

- dangerous goods in tanks with a capacity of over 3000 litres;
- fireworks in quantities larger than those mentioned in subsection 1.1.3.6 of the ADR and
- fire-works with UN numbers 0336 and 0337 with a net explosive mass of more than 20kg.
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When visibility falls below 50m or in icy conditions, in addition to the restrictions indicated above, the transport of dangerous goods in quantities larger than those mentioned in subsection 1.1.3.6 of the ADR is also prohibited.

Vehicles transporting exceptional loads are also subject to driving restrictions on national and local roads as follows:

- between 06h00 and 10h00 (morning rush hour);
- between 15h00 and 20h00 (evening rush hour);
- depending on the categories of road to be used for the transport operation and on the weights and dimensions of the transport

Source: TLN, November 2018



Driving Restrictions, Goods Transport 2019 United Kingdom

There are no driving restrictions at weekends or on public holidays in the United Kingdom.

Local restrictions

Vehicles concerned	trucks exceeding 18t total permissible weight
Prohibition	during the week, from 21h00 to 07h00; at weekends, from 13h00 on Saturday to 07h00 on Monday
Area	Greater London - all roads, except motorways and certain major roads, in those areas administered by the London Boroughs' Transport Scheme (applies to all 33 London boroughs)
Exceptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•vehicles operating under special authorisation because they are carrying an abnormal indivisible load;•vehicles "whose load is required for the purposes of dealing with any emergency affecting the safety of persons or property".

Transport operators must apply for exemption permits which are supplied free of charge by the

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In certain circumstances short-term permits are available at short notice for single journeys. Operators should note, however, that permit conditions impose special routing requirements on drivers. For more detailed information, operators should contact the above office.

Local restrictions – outside of London

Outside of London there are numerous other restrictions for heavy goods vehicles both in town centres and rural areas of outstanding natural beauty. Drivers should follow the special signs guiding them through or around areas where restrictions are in place.

For information on the London Low Emission Zone, Ultra Low Emission Zone and Congestion Charging area go to www.tfl.gov.uk/low_emission_zone www.tfl.gov.uk/roadusers/congestioncharging
<https://tfl.gov.uk/modes/driving/ultra-low-emission-zone>

More and more cities in the UK are introducing Clean Air Zones. Information on those and other LEZs or city access regulations can be found at www.urbanaccessregulations.eu

Public holidays 2018

1 January	New Year's Day
2 January	New Year holiday (Scotland)
18 March	St Patrick's Day (N. Ireland)
19 April	Good Friday
22 April	Easter Monday
6 May	May Day holiday
27 May	Spring bank holiday
12 July	Bank holiday (N. Ireland)
5 August	Bank holiday (Scotland)
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