

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

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

Public holidays 2019	1 January 19 April	New Year's Day 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	from 18 April at 22h00 to 20 April at 05h00
forbidden	 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:

Federal Roads Office

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