

Driving restrictions, goods transport Austria

1. GENERAL DRIVING RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned Trucks with trailers, if the maximum authorised total weight of the motor vehicle or the trailer exceeds 3.5t; trucks, articulated vehicles and self-propelled industrial machines with an authorised total weight of more than 7.5t.

Area Nationwide, with the exception of journeys made exclusively as part of a combined transport operation within a radius of 65km of the following transloading stations: Brennersee; Graz-Ostbahnhof; Salzburg-Hauptbahnhof; Wels-Verschiebebahnhof; Villach-Fürnitz; Wien-Südbahnhof; Wien-Nordwestbahnhof; Wörg; Hall in Tirol CCT; Bludenz CCT; Wolfurt CCT.

Prohibition Saturdays from 15h00 to 24h00; Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 22h00

Public holidays 2009	1 January	New Year's Day
	6 January	Epiphany
	13 April	Easter Monday
	1 May	Labour Day
	21 May	Ascension
	1 June	Whit Monday
	11 June	Corpus Christi
	15 August	Assumption
	26 October	National holiday
	1 November	All Saints' Day
	8 December	Immaculate Conception
	25 December	Christmas Day
	26 December	Boxing Day

Exceptions *concerning trucks with trailers exceeding 3.5t*

- vehicles transporting milk;

concerning vehicles with an authorised total weight of more than 7.5t

- vehicles carrying meat or livestock for slaughter (but not the transport of heavy livestock on motorways), perishable foodstuffs (but not deep frozen goods), the supply of refreshments to tourist areas, urgent repairs to refrigeration plant, towing services (in all cases, according to § 46 StVO, it is obligatory to leave the motorway at the nearest exit), breakdown assistance vehicles, emergency vehicles, vehicles of a scheduled transport company (regular lines), and local trips on the two Saturdays preceding 24 December.

2. SPECIAL LOCAL TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS

Vehicles concerned All goods vehicles registered before 1 January 1992, regardless of their MPW.

Area All roads of the "Länder" of Vienna, Burgenland and Lower Austria

Prohibition Total ban

Burgenland

B50 Trucks of over 3.5t MPW between Eisenstadt and Neusiedl/See-Parndorf.

Carinthia

- B70 Packer Bundesstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW in the cities of Wolfsberg and St Andrä (except for residents) as well as trucks of over 16t MPW in the area of the Waldensteinerbach bridge at km 74.250 and Auerling bridge at km 75.620
- B78 Obdacher Strasse, trucks of over 7.5t MPW between St Leonhard and Obdacher Sattel (km 23.518 - km 36.60)
- B83 Kärntner Strasse, trucks of over 3.5t MPW, except for local traffic between Thörl-Maglern and Villach, Wernberg and Velden/WSee respectively, and trucks of over 4t MPW from the city of Klagenfurt to Villach district
- B85 Rosental Strasse, trucks of over 3.5t MPW between the B83 in Fürnitz and A11 in Winkl, except for local traffic
- B91 Loiblpassstrasse, trucks of over 7.5t MPW
- B94 Ossiacher Bundesstrasse, trucks of over 7.5t GVW except for residents and delivery and collection services
- B111 Gailtal Bundesstrasse, Lesachtal section, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 63.846 (Wetzmann) to km 92.496 (border of Western Tyrol); trailers from km 63.846 (Wetzmann) to km 82.500 (Liesing)
- L22 Rattendorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 1.358 to km 1.427 (Doberbach bridge)
- L23 Egger Almstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW from km 2.441 to km 2.465 (Gamitzenbach bridge) and from km 2.691 (entry to Gamitzenklamm) to km 10.800 (Eggeralm)
- L24 Schattseiten Landesstrasse, trucks of over 25t MPW from km 1.958 to km 1.984 (Nötblingbach bridge); trucks of over 14t MPW from km 3.495 to km 3.508 (Grimmlnitzbach bridge); trucks of 25t MPW from km 5.011 to km 5.019 (Bodenmühlbach bridge); trucks of 16t MPW from km 9.024 to km 9.050 (Stranigbach bridge)
- L25 Egger Landesstrasse, truck height restricted to 3.30m from km 12.398 to km 12.420
- L27 Voderberger Strasse, 14t trucks from km 3.786 to km 3.856 (Gail bridge)
- L29 Guggenberger Landesstrasse, trucks of over 12t MPW and trailers from km 11.900 (Kreuth) to km 16.600 (Jenig)
- L33 Kreuzner Strasse, trucks of 16t MPW from km 16.933 (Erzpriester bridge)
- L143 Ettendorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 5t MPW in the Jakling area, city of St Andrä (except for residents)
- L144 Metersdorfer Landesstrasse, trucks of over 14t MPW on the Lavant bridge
- L149 Koralm Strasse, trucks of over 16t to km 0.2 via the Pailbach bridge
- Villach no through traffic for trucks of over 3.5t MPW except for deliveries
- Klagenfurt no through traffic for trucks of over 3.5t MPW

Lower Austria

- B1 goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW with trailers of over 3.5t MPW between km 90.955 (west of the intersection with the link to the B3a in the direction of Amstetten) and km 101.463 (east of the intersection with the L5325 in the direction of Melk); between km 101.517 (west of the intersection with the L5325 in the direction of Amstetten) and km 111.625 (east of the intersection with the B25 in the direction of Melk); between km 111.900 (west of the intersection with the B25 in the direction of Amstetten) and km 119.864 (east of the Amstetten-east interchange); and between km 134.10 (Amstetten-west interchange) and km 162.94 (intersection with the B123a at Rems). Exception: when the holiday driving ban is in force.
- B3 Bundesstrasse, from km 84.179 to km 115.338, all commercial vehicles of over 7.5t GVW from 20h00 to 06h00; articulated vehicles and road trains of over 7.5t GVW from 06h00 to 20h00. Exceptions: vehicles from the Zwettl, Krems-Land and Krems-Stadt districts and from the communes of Dorfstetten, Münichreith-Laimbach, Pöggstall,

- Raxendorf, St Oswald, Weiten, Yperstal, Emmersdorf and Leiben, as well as deliveries, collection and milk runs in this area
- B16 goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW between km 19.80 (Ebreichsdorf north interchange) and km 25.20 (intersection with the B60, Weigelsdorf). Exception: when the holiday driving ban is in force.
- B17 goods vehicles over 3.5t MPW between km 9.95 (intersection with the B12a, Wiener Neudorf) and km 12.10 (intersection with the B11, Wiener Neudorf). Exception: when the holiday driving ban is in force.
- B18 goods vehicles of over 7.5t GVW, from km 12.170 to km 55.800. Exceptions: traffic to and from the districts of Lilienfeld, Neustadt and Neunkirchen west of the A2 motorway southbound, and from the communes of Hirtenberg, Hernstein, Berndorf, Pottenstein, Wiesenbach/Triesting, Furth/Triesting, Altenmarkt/Triesting and Wilhelmsburg, as well as deliveries, collection and milk runs in this area
- B19 Tullner Strasse: km 3.710 in Neulengbach from 22h00 to 05h00, northbound, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW heading north of the Danube
- B43 Traismaurer Strasse: km 16.195 in Traismauer from 22h00 to 05h00, westbound, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW heading north of the Danube
- B54 goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW between km 14.03 (Seebenstein intersection) and km 23.22 (Grimmenstein interchange) and between km 23.22 and km 26.26 (intersection with the L4174 at Grimmenstein)
- B210 Helenental, between Alland and Baden, trucks of over 7.5t GVW
- L80 goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW between km 0.00 (intersection with the B1 at Strengberg) and km 3.54 (Haag interchange). Exception: when the holiday driving ban is in force.
- L2087 goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW between km 0.005 (intersection with the B17) and km 2.029 (intersection with the L2088 in Mödling)

Tyrol

- A12 Ban on both lanes, in both directions, between Kufstein (km 6.350) and Zirl (km 90.0):
- from 1.1.07, for articulated vehicles of over 7.5t MPW and for trucks with trailers if the sum of the MPW of both elements exceeds 7.5t and the NOx emission exceeds the marginal value of 7.0g/kWh (Euro 0 and 1);
 - from 1.11.08, for articulated vehicles of over 7.5t MPW and for trucks with trailers if the sum of the MPW of both elements exceeds 7.5t and the NOx emission exceeds the marginal value of 5.0g/kWh (Euro 2);
 - from 1.11.09, for trucks without trailers and tractors of over 7.5t MPW if the NOx emission exceeds the marginal value of 7.0g/kWh (Euro 0 and 1)
- Exceptions: trips made as part of an unattended combined transport operation eastbound to the rail terminal of Hall in Tyrol, or westbound to the rail terminal of Wörgl in order to load the vehicle on to the train; trips made as part of an unattended combined transport operation westbound from the rail terminal of Hall in Tyrol or eastbound from the rail terminal in Wörgl if this can be proved by the relevant documents; highly specialised motor vehicles/highly cost-intensive vehicles (concrete mixers, towing vehicles, truck mounted cranes).
- From 3.12.08, ban, in both directions from km 6.350 (Langkampfen) to **km 72.0 (Ampass)**, on trucks, articulated vehicles and road trains of over 7.5t MPW which are transporting waste mentioned in the list of wastes established according to Commission decision 2000/532/EC and amended by decision 2001/573/EC. From 1.1.09, this ban will also apply to the transport of timber and cork; iron ore and non-iron ores; motor vehicles and trailers; steel, except for the supply of construction sites; marble and travertine; ceramic tiles.
- From 1.01.2011, these bans will apply in both directions from km 6.350 (Langkampfen) to km 90.0 (Zirl).
- Exceptions: vehicles loaded or unloaded in the core zone (comprising the districts of Imst, Innsbruck Land, Innsbruck Stadt, Kufstein and Schwaz); vehicles loaded and unloaded in the enlarged zone (comprising the Austrian districts of Kitzbühel, Landeck, Lienz, Reutte and Zell am See, the German administrative districts of Bad Tölz,

Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Miesbach, Rosenheim (including the city) and Traunstein and the Italian districts of Eisacktal, Pustertal and Wipptal); trips made eastbound to the rail terminal of Hall or westbound to the rail terminal in Wörgl as part of a combined transport operation if this can be proved by the relevant documents; trips made westbound from the rail terminal of Hall or eastbound from the rail terminal in Wörgl as part of a combined transport operation if this can be proved by the relevant documents; if the transport is authorised according to §14, para. 3 of IG-L because of the specific interest of the transport.

- B164 Hochkönigstrasse, from km 56.251 (commune of Hochfilzen) to km 75.76 (St Johann in Tirol) in both directions, for HGVs of over 7.5t total weight, with the exception of towing services, breakdown assistance, federal army vehicles and trucks which are loaded or unloaded in the following communes or start or end their journeys in these communes: St Johann in Tirol, Fieberbrunn in Tirol, Hochfilzen, Leogang in the federal province of Salzburg.
- B165 Gerlosstrasse, from Heinzenberg to Gerlos, for vehicles of over 12t GVW, except for trucks of up to 14t, public works vehicles of the Federal Highway Administration, river management or anti-avalanche departments, logging trucks of up to 16t for 2-axle vehicles and up to 22t for 3-axle vehicles, and vehicles of up to 16t GVW providing delivery services for Hainzenberg and Gerlos. The ban also applies to vehicles with trailers (except for those with trailers with a maximum width of 2m) between the Waldheim Inn in Hainzenberg and the entrance to the car park at the Firstalm chairlift in Gerlös.
- B170 Brixentaler Bundesstrasse: from km 9.5 in Hopfgarten i.B. to km 26.03 in Kirchberg, for trucks of over 7.5t GVW, except for army vehicles, towing and breakdown services, urgent repair services for refrigeration or power supply facilities, as well as trucks registered by companies domiciled in the communes of Hopfgarten in Brixen, Westendorf, Brixen in Th., Kirchberg i.T., or trucks loaded or unloaded in the same communes as their point of origin or destination. (See also under Wörgl)
- B171 Tiroler Strasse (see also under Wörgl and Rattenberg) from km 1.984 to km 3.857 at Kufstein.
- B172 Walchseestrasse, from the Niederndorf state border in the direction of Niederndorf, and
- B175 Wildbichler Strasse: trucks of over 7.5t GVW, from km 1.493 in the direction of Ebbs, except for traffic to or from the communes of Ebbs, Erl, Niederndorf, Niederndorferberg, Rettenschöss, Walchsee, Kirchdorf, Kössen, Schwendt and Waidring; from km 0.0 to km 1.458 at Kufstein.
- B176 Kössener Bundesstrasse: vehicles of over 16t GVW, from km 0.0 (intersection with B312 in St.Johann) to km 14.0 (Schwendt-Dorf) and trucks of over 7.5t MPW, except for resident traffic from km 0.0 (intersection with B312 in St.Johann) to km 17.7 (intersection with B312 in Kössen).
- B177 Seefelder Strasse on the Zirlerberg route, for vehicles of over 7.5t GVW driving downhill, except for trucks registered by companies located in the communes of Seefeld, Scharnitz, Leutasch and Reith bei Seefeld, or with headquarters in the districts of Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Bad Tölz, Wolfratshausen or Weilheim-Schöngau, as well as Austrian vehicles carrying goods to or from the Seefeld high plateau and the above-mentioned districts. The ban also applies to vehicles with trailers travelling uphill, except for empty runs and vehicles authorised for the descent.
- B177 Seefelder Strasse, L35 Buchener Landesstrasse and L36 Möserer Landesstrasse: on the Zirlerberg route, L35 Buchener Landesstrasse, L36 Möserer Landesstrasse as well as on all roads of the Seefeld high plateau, traffic ban on dangerous goods vehicles whose cargo has to be identified by orange panels (Rn 10.500 ADR), except for supply services to the Seefeld plateau.
- B177 Seefelder Strasse: trucks of over 7.5t MPW from Zirl (km 0.665) to Scharnitz (km 21.360).
- B178 Lofererstrasse: From km 0.00 (Kirchbichl) to km 49.63 (Waidring) ban on HGVs of over 7.5t MPW, with the exception of low-noise vehicles as per Art.8b KDV 1967, highway maintenance service, federal army vehicles, towing service, breakdown

assistance, disaster relief, urgent repairs to refrigeration and energy supply facilities, public security services and heavy commercial vehicles loaded or unloaded in (originating in or travelling to) the district of Kitzbühel or the communes of Ellmau, Scheffau, Söll, Kirchbichl and Wörgl in the district of Kufstein.

From km 0.00 (Kirchbichl) to km 49.63 (Waidring) local traffic ban on commercial vehicles of over 7.5t MPW which are loaded with chippings, glass fragments, scrap, cars, slag, cement, empty containers, machinery, packaging materials, building materials and prefabricated concrete sections, except for journeys by commercial vehicles which are loaded or unloaded in (originating in or travelling to) the districts of Kitzbühel, Lienz, St Johann im Pongau and Zell am See and also in Söll, Ellmau and Scheffau in the district of Kufstein. This exception shall apply only if at least a major part (i.e. over 51%) of the loading or unloading operations takes place in the districts or localities exempted from the ban.

The carriage of goods covered by the ban in addition to other freight is permitted up to 10% of the total weight of the load. The term "building materials" designates bulk goods such as chippings, sand, gravel, bricks, insulating and filling substances, steel reinforcing rods and tiles.

B179 Fernpassstrasse, between km 11,955 at Nassereith and km 67,944 at Vils, trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, with the exception of trucks having their permanent base in the districts of Imst, Innsbruck-Land, Innsbruck-Stadt, Landeck, Reutte, in the rural districts of Biberach, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Lindau, Oberallgäu, Ostallgäu, Ravensburg, Unterallgäu, Weilheim-Schongau, in the municipalities of Kaufbeuren, Kempten or Memmingen, in the commune of Samnaun or in the district and valley communities of Bruggrafenamt or Vinschgau as well as journeys serving solely for the purpose of loading or unloading vehicles in the said places, and towing and breakdown assistance services.

B180 Reschenstrasse from km 0.00 at Landeck to km 46.22 (Nauders-State boundary): trucks with MPW of over 7.5t in both directions except for journeys by trucks belonging to companies based along the B315 between km 0.00 and km 46.22 and its lateral valleys along the Vintschgauer Staatstrasse (SS38 and SS40) beginning at the Reschen State boundary via SS40 Reschenstrasse and via SS38 Stilfserjochstrasse as far as Naturns at km 189.5 on the SS38 and its lateral valleys and also excluding journeys by trucks which are loaded and unloaded in the district of Landeck, in the valley parishes of Vinschgau and Bruggrafenamt, in the Unterengadin and Samnaun (place of origin or destination); this does not apply to journeys by trucks which are loaded and unloaded in the following areas in so far as the journey begins and ends in these areas: in the State of Voralberg, in the Principality of Liechtenstein, in the Swiss cantons of Graubünden (north of Chur-Davos), Glarus, St-Gallen, Appenzell, Thurgau, in the rural districts of Lindau, Ravensburg and Biberach, in so far as the incoming and outgoing journey passes through the Voralberg, in the rural districts of Bodenseekreis, Sigmaringen, Konstanz, Schwarzwald-Baar-Kreise, Tuttlingen and Rottweil, in the district and valley communities of Bozen/Bolzano, Salten-Schlern, Überetsch-Südtiroler Unterland, in the autonomous province of Triento and in the region of Venetia.

B181 Achensee Bundesstrasse and L7 Jenbacher Landesstrasse (Kasbachstrasse): dangerous goods vehicles, except for transport operations from or to the Achental, Hinterriss and Fischl.

B182 Brennerstrasse, in both directions, trucks, road trains and articulated vehicles of over 3.5t GVW from km 7.4 (commune of Schönberg) to km 35.10 (commune of Gries a. Br.) and L38 Ellbögener Strasse, in both directions, from km 10.35 to km 22.60

Exceptions: operations to or from this area for the loading or unloading of at least 51% of the goods, but at least 1000 kg; transport to and from this area for vehicles with company headquarters there; deliveries and collection in the Stubaital from km 7.4 of B182 to the B183 intersection; Highway Department and army vehicles; breakdown vehicles; subject to certain conditions (i.e. only for return trips to Innsbruck or Brenner), the B182 may be used to and from the Auer garage in Matrei; if an onward trip is involved, vehicles should take the A13 motorway from Matrei.

- B186 Ötztalstrasse, in the Höhe Brücke area near Pill: vehicles of over 16t GVW, except those travelling in the centre of the carriageway with an accompanying vehicle.
- B189 Miemingerstrasse, from km 0.00 in Telfs to km 9.80 in Mieming: trucks of over 7.5t GVW, except for resident traffic.
- B199 Tannheimer Strasse: goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW between km 0.0 (municipality of Weissenbach am Lech) and km 22.65 (municipality of Schattwald) in both directions, except for residents and traffic to/from these localities
- L6 Tuxer Strasse from km 0.00 (Mayrhofen) to km 17.225 (Tux, Hintertux section). Night ban on trucks with MPW of over 7.5t driving uphill between 22h00 and 07h00 with the sole exception of the transport of milk and foodstuffs.
- L7 Jenbacher Landesstrasse (Kasbachstrasse): vehicles with MPW over 3.5t, except resident traffic.
- L11 Völser Strasse, in both directions: goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW between km 5.910 and km 6.980; in Unterperfuss from km 11.410 to km 11.960; in Inzing from km 15.700 to km 17.520; and in Pfaffenhofen from km 26.052 to km 27.278
- L35, L36 see under B177 above
- L38 Ellbögenstrasse : from the intersection with the motorway access road at Patsch to the junction with the B182 Brennerstrasse in both directions, for vehicles with trailers, with the exception of arriving and departing journeys for loading operations and traffic originating in or travelling to Ellbögen, Mühlbach, Matrei, Patsch and Pfons on the section between the intersection of the L38 Ellbögenstrasse and the motorway access road at Patsch and the junction with the B182 Brennerstrasse at Matrei am Brenner, together with breakdown assistance and towing services, public security service, the federal army and highway maintenance service.
- L39 Erpfendorfer Landesstrasse throughout its length for trucks with MPW of over 7.5t in the direction of Erpfendorf-Kössen, except for journeys for the sole transport of milk, fresh meat, livestock, perishable foodstuffs, newspapers and periodicals, and vehicles permanently based in Kössen, Schwendt, Walchsee, Rettenschöss, Niderndorf, Niderndorferberg, Erl, Ebbs, Oberndorf i.T., Going, St.Johann i.T., Kirchdorf i.T. and Waidring; traffic travelling to or from these localities is also exempt, provided that loading and unloading take place exclusively in these localities.
- L211 Unterinntalstrasse: goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW between km 14.755 and km 17.00 (municipalities of Angerberg and Breitenbach am Inn) and in the municipality of Münster between Wiesing and Münster (distance of approximately 2.6 km), except for traffic to/from these localities
- L261 Gräner Strasse: prohibition on vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t carrying out a transit operation for which Eco-points are compulsory according to BGBl N°879/1992
- L274 Kirchdorfer Landesstrasse: trucks with MPW of over 7.5t from km 0.00 (B312 intersection at Kirchdorf) to km 3.4 (B176 intersection) except for resident traffic
- L348 Spisser Landesstrasse between Pfunds-Zollhäuser and Spissermühle in the months of the year during which the Spisser highway is covered with snow or ice: driving ban for trucks with trailers.
- Kitzbühel Daily driving ban in the urban area of Kitzbühel from 5 July to 5 September and from 20 December to 20 March, in both cases between 10h00 and 06h00, with the exception of access journeys to the loading zone for the town centre hotels, cyclists, taxis and motor vehicles belonging to the authorised owners listed by name in the regulations published in the "Bote für Tirol" (Tyrol Official Journal) N°747/1993 and N°1273/1983.
- Kufstein Access to various highways prohibited for trucks with MPW of over 3.5t apart from local traffic; heavy transit vehicles may use the alternative route Kufstein/Zell - new Wildbichlerstrasse - old Wildbichlerstrasse - access road Kufstein/Nord - Hochauer in both directions.
- Wörgl Tiroler Strasse (B171), Brixentaler Strasse (B170) in transit through the locality of Wörgl on the B171 between the end of the Wörgl-West motorway access road (km 19.087) and the junction with the motorway access road at Wörgl-Ost and also on the B170 from the Luech turn-off (km 4.65) to the B171 Wörgl-Ortsmitte, trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, with the exception of local traffic in Wörgl and Wildschönau.

Rattenberg Tiroler Strasse (B171): ban on the transport of dangerous goods with the exception of deliveries in the district of Rattenberg and Radfeld. Prohibition also on Sundays and public holidays from 22h00 to 05h00 the next day for trucks with an MPW of over 7.5t; outside these periods there is a driving ban for trucks with MPW of over 7.5t, except for vehicles registered in Radfeld, loading activities in the district of Rattenberg and Radfeld and authorised vehicles (including highway and breakdown services and transport of timber outside municipal territory).

Vorarlberg

B197 Arlbergpass Bundesstrasse: general driving ban on road trains and articulated vehicles between St Jakob am Arlberg and Alpe Rauz (Swiss border) in both directions. Instead, vehicles must use the Arlberg Tunnel (where a toll must be paid)

L190 goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 23.713 to km 25.706 in the direction of Rankwiel and from km 25.548 to km 23.713 in the direction of Tisis, except for vehicles loading or unloading in the town of Feldkirch and transit traffic heading for Liechtenstein

Styria

B78 Obdacher Strasse: trucks of over 7.5t MPW between Bad St. Leonhard (km 23.518) and Obdacher Sattel (km 36.600).

B113 goods vehicles of over 7.5 MPW in both directions from km 0.00 to the Traboch roundabout and from there, in the direction of Seiz, to the junction of the L116 with the B113; from km 11.500 to km 23.825; from km 24.640 to km 34.400 (with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force)

B138 Pyhrnpass Bundesstrasse: general driving ban on goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from the Pyhrnpass provincial border (km 81.620) to the B138/L740 intersection at Liezen (km 88.295), except for low noise vehicles between 06h00 and 22h00

B317 night driving ban from 22h00 to 05h00 on goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW in both directions in the municipal area of Dürnstein, from km 21.510 to km 22.810; in the area of the market town of Neumarkt from km 10.700 to km 12.500; in the municipal area of Perschau am Sattel from km 6.270 to km 6.510; in the municipal area of St Marein bei Neumarkt from km 12.500 to km 13.060, with the exception of traffic to/from these localities; general driving ban for vehicles over 7.5t in transit between Scheifling and Dürnstein from km 19.070 to km 19.600 and from km 0.00 to km 22.810 in both directions, with the exception of traffic to/from the districts of Murau, Judenburg, Knittelfeld, Leoben, Tamsweg and St Veit an der Glan.

L121 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 25.4 to the end of the L121 (area of intersection with the Peggau/Deutschfeistritz loading ramp), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

L303 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 0.0 (intersection with the LB70) to km 5.650 (intersection with the L374) and from the intersection with the L304 to the intersection with the L603, with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

L304 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 1.1 to the intersection with the L303, with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

L369 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 0.0 to km 11.050 (connecting with the L305), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

L371 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from the intersection with the L312 to the end of the L371 in the municipality of Hausmannstätten, with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

L379 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from the roundabout at the Feldkirchen motorway exit to the intersection with the L373 (Kalsdorf industrial estate roundabout), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

- L518, L553 in both directions for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW, with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these localities
- L603 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from the intersection with the L303 to the regional border (km 4.2), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force
- LB64 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 49.960 to the regional border (km 33.780), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force
- LB67 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from km 61.700 (Billa intersection) to the regional border (km 73.320), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force
- LB70 in both directions, for goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW from the regional border (km 17.800) to the intersection with the LB76 (Waldhof roundabout), with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force

Upper Austria

Traffic ban on goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW in both directions on the following stretches (with the exception of traffic to/from districts which could not otherwise be reached without a detour):

- B1 Wiener Strasse: from the provincial border in Salzburg to the provincial border in Niederösterreich
- B3 Donau Strasse: from the provincial border in Niederösterreich to the end of the B3 in the municipality of Linz
- B115 Eisen Strasse: from km 17.031 to the intersection with the B122 Voralpen Strasse (Enns intersection)
- B122 Voralpen Strasse: from the intersection with the B115 Eisen Strasse to the intersection with the B140 Steyrtal Strasse and from the intersection with the B139 Kremstal Bundesstrasse to the intersection with the L562 Kremsmünsterer Strasse
- B123 Mauthausener Strasse: from the intersection with the B3 to the intersection with the L1472 Gutauer Strasse
- B125 Prager Strasse: from the intersection with the L569 Pleschinger Strasse to the end of the B125 (intersection with the B124 Königswiesener Strasse)
- B135 Gallspacher Strasse: from the intersection with the B1 Wiener Strasse to the intersection with the B137 Innviertler Strasse
- B137 Innviertler Strasse: from km 64.160 (national border at Schärding/Neuhaus) to km 11.386 (B137/B134 intersection) and from km 9.305 (B137/B134 intersection) to km 0.000 (B137/B1/B138 intersection)
- B138 Pyhrnpass Strasse: from the B138/B1/B137 intersection to the Inzersdorf interchange, A9 Pyhrn motorway, and from the Kienberg/Wienerweg interchange, A9 Pyhrn motorway, to the Spital am Pyhrn interchange, A9 Pyhrn motorway.
- B139 Kremstal Strasse: from the intersection with the B1 Wiener Strasse/B139a Kremstal Strasse to the intersection with the B122 Voralpen Strasse
- B140 Steyrtal Strasse: the whole length
- B141 Rieder Strasse: the whole length, with the following exceptions: taking account of the complete journey from the loading point to the final unloading point, if the detour via the A8 motorway and the B148 Altheimer Strasse is more than 7 km; if the loading and/or unloading point is in one of the communities situated on the B141 in the districts of Braunau and Ried im Innkreis
- B143 Hausruck Strasse: from the intersection with the B148 Altheimer Strasse to the intersection with the B141 Rieder Strasse
- B309 Steyrer Strasse: the whole length
- L510 Weilbacher Strasse: from km 11.705 (intersection with the L1087) to km 14.733, with the exception of vehicles whose destination, taking account of the complete journey from the loading point to the final unloading point, cannot be reached without a detour if the vehicle does not use the L510, L511 and L1087
- L511 Gurtener Strasse: from km 3.160 to km 3.510 (both intersections with the L1087), with the exception of vehicles whose destination, taking account of the complete journey

from the loading point to the final unloading point, cannot be reached without a detour if the vehicle does not use the L510, L511 and L1087

- L520 Gaspoltshofener Strasse: from the intersection with the B135 Gallspacher Strasse to the intersection with the B141 Rieder Strasse
- L554 Schlierbacher Strasse: the whole length
- L562 Kremsmünsterer Strasse: from km 0.000 (intersection with the B139 Kremstal Strasse at Kematen an der Krems) to km 7.426 (intersection with the B122 Voralpen Strasse at Kremsmünster)
- L569 Pleschinger Strasse: from the intersection with the B125 Prager Strasse to the intersection with the B3 Donau Strasse
- L1087 Wippenhamer Strasse: the whole length; with the exception of vehicles whose destination, taking account of the complete journey from the loading point to the final unloading point, cannot be reached without a detour if the vehicle does not use the L510, L511 and L1087
- L1265 Schörflinger Strasse: from the intersection with the B1 Wiener Strasse to the semi-interchange of the A1 western motorway at Schörfling.

Salzburg

- B159 Salzachtal Bundesstrasse: goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW from km 14.72 in the municipality of Kuchl to km 21.25 in the municipality of Galling (with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force)
- B159 Salzachtal Bundesstrasse: goods vehicles of over 7.5 t MPW from km 34.440 to km 35.264 (Tenneck locality) in both directions (with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force)
- B311 Pinzgauer Strasse, B178 Loferer Strasse, B161 Pass Thurn Strasse. B165 Gerlosstrasse, B108 Felbertauernstrasse. General driving ban for trucks over 7.5 t MPW within the administrative district of Zell am See (except transport of perishable goods, etc.)
- L107 Westtal Landesstrasse: goods vehicles of over 3.5t MPW from km 0.430 to km 19.890 (intersection with the B158 Wolfgangsee Strasse) in both directions (with the exception of traffic travelling to/from these districts and when the holiday driving ban is in force)

3. GENERAL BAN ON NIGHT DRIVING

Prohibition between 22h00 and 05h00 for heavy goods vehicles of over 7.5t MPW

Exceptions vehicles belonging to the highway maintenance service; vehicles belonging to the Federal Army, and which are essential for the pursuit of military operations; low-noise vehicles showing the green 'L' plate. The latter are limited to a maximum speed of 60km/h, although a speed of 80km/h may be authorised on certain sections.

NB: Derogations to driving restrictions will be authorised only for journeys which serve exclusively for the transport of milk, fresh meat and livestock, perishable foodstuffs (with the exception of deep frozen goods), newspapers and periodicals, essential repairs to refrigeration plant or the operation of road maintenance vehicles to enable traffic flow to be maintained; in all other cases an exceptional authorisation shall be granted only if there is a substantial public interest in doing so. The applicant shall prove in both instances that the journey cannot be avoided by organisational measures or by choosing a different means of transport.

4. SPECIAL LOCAL NIGHT TRAFFIC BANS

Carinthia

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 23h00 to 05h00 in the city of Klagenfurt

Lower Austria

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B18 Traisentalstrasse between Berndorf and Traisen and from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B3 Wachaustrasse and the B133 between Mautern and Melk.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 in the area of Mödling (communes of Brunn/Geb, Hinterbrühl, Maria Enzerndorf, Mödling, Perchtoldsdorf). These restrictions are indicated by road signs.

In the city of Wiener Neustadt, night driving ban between 23h00 and 05h00.

Upper Austria

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 05h00 in the town of Wels (B157 and B138 eastern ringroad).

Trucks with a total weight of over 5t from 22h00 to 06h00 on the B138 and A9 from the state border.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 22h00 to 06h00 in the city of Linz.

Styria

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t from 23h00 to 04h30 in the city of Graz (with the exception of food supply traffic and access to rail/road services).

Tyrol

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t from 22h00 to 05h00 on the B181 Achenseestrasse between Wiesing and the state border at Achenkirch with the exception of transport to/from Hinterriss, Fischl and the Achental.

Trucks with a total weight of over 3.5t between 22h00 and 05h00 in the city of Innsbruck (with the exception of low noise vehicles).

Trucks with a total weight of over 7.5t between 1 November and 30 April from Monday to Saturday from 20h00 to 05h00 (between 1 May and 31 October from Monday to Saturday from 22h00 to 05h00) and on Sundays and public holidays from 23h00 to 05h00 on the A12 between km 20.359 in Kundl and km 66.780 in Ampass. Exceptions: transport of perishable foodstuffs, newspapers, medicines, livestock, construction or road maintenance vehicles, breakdown or emergency vehicles, vehicles whose NOx emissions are less than 3g/kWh (Euro 4 and 5).

From 1.11.08, trucks and articulated vehicles with an MPW of over 7.5t and trucks with trailers if the sum of the MPW of the truck and the trailer exceeds 7.5t, on both lanes of the A12 and in both directions between Kufstein (km 6.350) and Zirl (km 90.0) between 1 May and 31 October from Monday to Saturday from 22h00 to 05h00 and on Sundays and public holidays from 23h00 to 05h00, and between 1 November and 30 April from Monday to Saturday from 20h00 to 05h00 and on Sundays and public holidays from 23h00 to 05h00. **Exceptions:** transport of perishable foodstuffs (but not deep-frozen goods); transport of livestock; transport by trucks without a trailer (Euro 4 and Euro 5 class) and transport by road train and articulated vehicles (Euro 5 class) if this can be proved by the relevant documents. These exceptions are valid until 31.10.09.

Exceptions apply in both directions on the following roads and road sections for journeys which are part of a combined transport operation:

to Vienna Freudenau Hafen CCT:

- A4 Eastern motorway from the border crossing at Nickelsdorf to junction Vienna - Simmeringer Heide, and on the Jedletzbergerstrasse (Hauptstrasse B 228), Margetinstrasse (Hauptstrasse B228), Artillerieplatz, Zinnergasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Freudenauer Hafenstrasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Seitenhafenstrasse to Hafen Freudenau.
- B16 Ödenburger Strasse from the border crossing at Klingenbach to the A3 south-east motorway, and via the A3, A2 southern motorway, A23 Vienna south-east ringroad, A4

eastern motorway to junction Vienna - Simmeringer Heide, Jedletzbergerstrasse (Hauptstrasse B228), Margetinstrasse (Hauptstrasse B228), Artillerieplatz, Zinnergasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Freudenauer Hafenstrasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Seitenhafenstrasse to Hafen Freudenau.

B7 Brünner Strasse - Hauptstrasse B7 from the border crossing at Drasenhofen, and on the B3, B227, A22 Donauuferautobahn, A23 Vienna south-east ringroad, A4 eastern motorway to junction Vienna - Simmeringer Heide, Jedletzbergerstrasse (Hauptstrasse B228), Margetinstrasse (Hauptstrasse B228), Artillerieplatz, Zinnergasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Freudenauer Hafenstrasse (Hauptstrasse B14), Seitenhafenstrasse to Hafen Freudenau.

to Krems a.d. Donau CCT:

B303 Weinviertler Strasse from the border crossing at Kleinhaugsdorf to Stockerau, and via the A22 Donauuferautobahn, S5 Stockerauer Schnellstrasse, Doktor-Franz-Wilhelm-Strasse, Karl Mierka Strasse

B2 Waldviertler strasse from the border crossing at Neu-Naglberg via Schrems to Vitis, and via the B36 Zwettlerstrasse to Zwettl and B37 Kremserstrasse to Krems, S5 Stockerauer Schnellstrasse, Doktor-Franz-Wilhelm-Strasse, Karl Mierka Strasse.

to Enns Hafen CCT:

A8 Innkreis motorway from the border crossing at Suben to the A25 Welser motorway, and via the A25 and A1 to junction Enns-Steyr, B1 Wiener Strasse to Donaustrasse.

A1 western motorway from the border crossing at Walsberg to junction Asten-St. Florian, and via the B1 Wiener Strasse (bypass) to Hafen Enns.

to Linz Stadthafen CCT:

B310 Mühlviertler Strasse from the border crossing at Wulowitz to Unterweikersdorf, then via the A7Mühlkreis motorway to junction Hafenstrasse, then via B129 Hafenstrasse, Industriezeile to Stadthafen Linz.

B310 Mühlviertler Strasse from the border crossing at Wulowitz to Unterweikersdorf, then via the A7 Mühlkreisautobahn to junction Hafenstrasse, then via B129 Hafenstrasse, Industriezeile, Pummerer Strasse, Saxinger Strasse.

to ÖBB terminal Wörgl:

A12 Inntal motorway from the border crossing at Kiefersfelden to exit Wörgl west and then via the B171 Tirolerstrasse.

to Vienna Südbahnhof via

A4 Eastern motorway from the border crossing-point at Nickelsdorf to the A23 Vienna south-east ringroad and on via the A23, exit at Gürtel via the Gürtel Landstrasse and Wiedner Gürtel to Südtiroler Platz, Sonnwendgasse;

B16 Ödenburger Bundesstrasse from the border crossing-point at Klingenbach to the A3 south east motorway and on via the A3 south east motorway, B210 Badener Bundesstrasse to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway and the A23 Vienna south-east ringroad, Gürtel exit via Landstrasser Gürtel, Wiedner Gürtel to Südtiroler Platz, Sonnwendgasse.

to Graz Ostbahnhof via:

A9 Pyhrn motorway from the Spielfeld border crossing to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway, exit Graz East, Ulrich-Lichenstein-Gasse and Conrad-von Hötzingendorf-Strasse

B65 Gleisdorfer Bundesstrasse from the border crossing at Heiligenkreuz to the A2 south motorway and on via the A2 south motorway, exit Graz East, Ulrich-Lichenstein Gasse, Conrad-von Hötzingendorf-Strasse

to the station of Villach-Fürnitz via:

A11 Karawanken motorway from the border crossing at Arnoldstein to the Fürnitz exit, B83 Kärntner Bundesstrasse

A2 Southern motorway from the border crossing at Arnoldstein to the Fürnitz exit, B83 Kärntner Bundesstrasse.

to the marshalling station at Wels via:

A8 Innkreis motorway from the border crossing at Suben to the A25 Linz motorway and on via the A25 Linz motorway to exit 13.

A1 Western motorway from the border crossing at Walserberg to the Sattledt exit and on via the B138 Pyhrnpass Bundesstrasse, B137 Innviertler Bundesstrasse to A25 Linz motorway and on via A25 Linz motorway to exit 13.

B310 Mühlviertler Strasse from the border crossing at Wulowitz to the A7 Mühlkreis motorway, and then via the A7, A1 western motorway via A25 Linzer motorway, Terminal - exit 13.

to Salzburg station via:

A1 West motorway from the Walserberg border crossing point to exit 288 (Salzburg north), then via Salzburgerstrasse, Vogelweiderstrasse, Gnigler Strasse, Lastenstrasse.

to the Brennersee rail station via:

A13 Brenner motorway from the Brenner border crossing point to the Brennersee exit and on via the B182 Brenner Bundesstrasse.

For the journeys listed above a completed document (CIM/UIRR Convention) must be carried showing that the vehicle or its superstructure (swap body, container) is to be or has already been transported by rail.

5. ADDITIONAL DRIVING RESTRICTIONS *(NB: these restrictions were in force on the dates indicated in 2008. As they have not yet been confirmed for 2009, they are given as an indication only.)*

Vehicles concerned Motor vehicles and combined vehicles with an authorised total weight of over 7.5t

Prohibition

- on 2 June 2008 from 09h00 to 24h00;
- on 24 December 2008 from 09h00 to 24h00

Area

- A12 Inntal motorway for vehicles whose destination is Italy or another country to be reached via Italy ;
- A13 Brenner motorway for vehicles whose destination is Italy or another country to be reached via Italy.

Exceptions Normal exceptions apply (see above)

6. SUMMER DRIVING RESTRICTIONS *(NB: these restrictions were in force on the dates indicated in 2008. As they have not yet been confirmed for 2009, they are given as an indication only.)*

Vehicles concerned Motor vehicles and combined vehicles with an authorised total weight of over 7.5t

Prohibition

- on all Saturdays from 28 June 2008 to 30 August 2008 (included) from 09h00 to 15h00, if the destination is Italy or another country to be reached via Italy;

- on 3 October 2008 from 00h00 to 22h00, if the destination is in Germany or must be reached via Germany

Area

- A12 Inntal motorway;
- A13 Brenner motorway

Prohibition

on all Saturdays from 28 June 2008 to 30 August 2008 (included) from 08h00 to 15h00 in both directions on the following roads, outside localities

Area

- B178 Loferer Strasse from Lofer to Wörgl;
- B320 Ennstal Strasse starting at km 4.500;
- full length of the B177 Seefelder Strasse;
- B179 Fernpassstrasse from Nassereith to Biberwier;
- full length of the B181 Achensee Strasse

Exceptions

- vehicles carrying meat or livestock for slaughter (but not the transport of heavy livestock on motorways), perishable foodstuffs (but not deep frozen goods), periodicals, the supply of refreshments to tourist areas, urgent repairs to refrigeration plant, towing services (in all cases, according to § 46 StVO, it is compulsory to leave the motorway at the nearest exit), breakdown assistance vehicles, emergency vehicles, vehicles of a scheduled transport company (regular lines), aid operations by accredited organisations;
- trips made as part of a combined rail-road goods transport operation (CIM/UIRR document must be given as proof).

Source: AISÖ, December 2008