



Driving restrictions, goods transport 2012 (Source: IRU International Road Transport Union)

Switzerland

Vehicles concerned

Lorries with a maximum authorised weight of more than 3.5t; industrial tractors and machines; articulated vehicles and road trains of over 5t. (Passenger transport vehicles, camping cars and agricultural vehicles are excluded from these restrictions.)

Area

throughout Switzerland

Prohibitions

Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 24h00;
at night from 22h00 to 05h00

Public holidays 2011

1 January New Year's Day
22 April Good Friday
25 April Easter Monday
2 June Ascension
13 June Whit Monday
1 August National Day
25 December Christmas Day*
26 December St Stephen's Day
* Sunday
ransit.

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.

The cantonal prohibitions for public holidays do not apply to traffic in t

Driving is also forbidden

- from 05 April at 22h00 to 23 April at 05h00
- from 07 April at 22h00 to 26 April at 05h00
- from 16 May at 22h00 to 3 June at 05h00
- from 26 May at 22h00 to 14 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 3 January 2012 at 05h00

Furthermore, in the case of dangerous goods transport, certain restrictions apply to the use of tunnels.

Derogations covering the whole of Switzerland may be issued by the authorities of the cantons concerned by the journey or of the canton in which the journey subject to authorisation begins. The allocation of these authorisations is no longer within the jurisdiction of the canton if its territory is no longer concerned.

For foreign vehicles, authorisations are issued by the

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