

## 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

**Prohibitions** Sundays and public holidays from 00h00 to 24h00;

At night from 22h00 to 05h00

Public holidays 2019 1 January New Year's Day

19 April Good Friday
22 April Easter Monday
20 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 forbidden

- from 18 April at 22h00 to 20 April at 05h00
- · from 21 March at 22h00 to 23 April at 05h00
- from 19 May at 22h00 to 21 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:

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