

PERMISSIBLE MAXIMUM WEIGHTS IN EUROPE (in tonnes)

Country	Weight per bearing axle	Weight per drive axle	Lorry 2 axles	Lorry 3 axles	Road Train 4 axles	Road Train 5 axles and +	Articulated Vehicle 5 axles and +
Austria	10	11.5	18	26	36	40	40
Azerbaijan	10	10	18	24	36	42	44
Belgium	10	12	19	26	39	44	44 (1)
Bosnia-Herzegovina	10	11.5	19	26	38	40	40
Bulgaria	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Croatia	10	11.5	18	24	36	40	40
Czech Republic	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	44 (2)	42 / 48
Denmark	10	11.5 (3)	18	26 (2, 3)	38	42 / 48	42 / 48
Estonia	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36 (4)	40 (5)	40
Finland (6)	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	44 / 60 (7)	42 / 48
France	13	13	19	26	38	40	40
FYROM	10	11.5	18	24	31	40	40
Georgia	10	11.5			44	44	44
Germany	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Greece	7 / 10	13	19	26	33	40	40
Hungary	10	11.5	18	25	30	40	40 / 44 (8)
Iceland	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	44
Ireland	10	11.5 (9)	18	26 (2)	36	44 (2)	44 (2)
Italy	12	12	18	26 (2)	40	44	44
Latvia	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	40	40	40
Liechtenstein	10	11.5	18	26	36	40	40
Lithuania	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40 / 44 (10)
Luxembourg	10	12 (11)	19	26	44	44	44
Malta	10	11.5	18	25	36	40	40 / 44 (8)
Moldova	10	10	18	24	36	40	40
Montenegro	10		16	24	36	40	40
Netherlands (12)	10	11.5	21.5	33	40	50	50
Norway	10	11.5	19	26	37	42	44
Poland	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Portugal (4)	10	12	19	26	37	40	40
Russia	10	10	18	25 (2)	36	38	38
Slovakia	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Slovenia	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Spain	10	11.5	18	26	36	40	44 (13) / 42 (14)
Sweden	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	38	48/60 (10)	48/60 (10)
Switzerland	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40	40
Turkey	10	11.5	18	25/26 (16)	36	40	40/44 (10)
Ukraine	11	11	16 (17)	22 (17)	38 (17)	38 (17)	38 (17)
United Kingdom	10	11.5	18	26 (2)	36	40 (18)	40 / 44 (10, 18)

Notes

- 2 axles tractor + 3 axles semi-trailer: mechanical suspension = 43t ; pneumatic suspension = 44t
- With air suspension or similar
- Weight per drive axle: national traffic = 10t; international traffic = 11.5t; Lorry 3 axles: national traffic = 24t; international traffic = 26t
- 3 axle tractor + 1 axle trailer = 35t
- 3 and + axles tractor + 3 and + axles trailer = 44t
- For vehicles registered in an EEA member country
- 5 axles = 44t; 6 axles = 56t; 7 axles = 60t
- 44t is applicable for 40 feet long ISO containers
- Weight per drive axle: mechanical suspension (national traffic) = 10.5t; road friendly suspension (national traffic) = 11.5t; international traffic = 11.5t
- For vehicles engaged in combined transport
- Weight per drive axle: mechanical suspension = 11.5t

12. Under specific conditions EMS (European Modular System) combinations may have a maximum length of 25.25 m and maximum mass of 60t
13. 3-axle motor vehicle with 2 or 3 axle semi-trailer carrying a 40 feet ISO container as a combined transport operation
14. 2 axle motor vehicle with 3 axle semi-trailer carrying a 40 feet ISO container as a combined transport operation
15. 5 axles = 48t; 6 axles = 58t; 7 axles = 60t
16. With the conditions laid down in Regulation for type approval.
17. Container trucks 2 axles = 18t; 3 axles = 24t; road train 4 axles, 5 axles and + and articulated vehicles 5 axles and + =44t; container trucks licensed by the state Motor Road service of Ukraine and State traffic Inspection Department: road trains and articulated vehicle 5 axles and + = 46t
18. For general operation at 44t, at least 6 axles are requires. The drive axle(s) must not exceed 10.5t and have twin tyres / road friendly suspension. Vehicles not having road friendly suspension on the drive axle(s) must have twin tyres and a maximum axle weight not exceeding 8.5t. Each part of the combination must have at least 3 axles and the trailer must have road friendly suspension