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Restricted objects

Specific restrictions apply to the transportation of certain objects in an aircraft. The amount or quantity of these objects is precisely defined. If these amounts are exceeded, transportation will be prohibited.

Medical mercury thermometer

- Maximum 1 per passenger
- In checked baggage only
- Must be in its protective case

Medicinal or Toiletry Articles and Aerosols

- Such as hair sprays, perfumes, colognes, alcohol based hand sanitizers, medicines containing alcohols and non-flammable / non-toxic aerosols for sporting or home use.
- The amount that is required on the journey (max. 0.5 I or 0.5 kg per piece and max. 2.0 I or 2.0 kg per passenger)
- Release valves on aerosols must be protected by a cap or other suitable means to prevent inadvertent release of the contents

Electronic cigarettes

- Including e-cigars and other personal vaporizers containing batteries
- Only permitted in hand baggage
- May not be used or recharged on board
- Measures must be taken to prevent accidental activation

Lighters/box of matches

1 per passenger, carried by the individual

Dry ice

Max. 2.5 kg per passenger by prior registration

Medical oxygen bottle

 Only in checked baggage by prior registration; max. 5 kg cylinder, oxygen sprays (canned oxygen) are generally excluded from transportation. Consumer electronic devices with lithium ion cells or batteries (max. 100 Wh) or lithium metal cells or batteries (max 2 g lithium content)

- A maximum of 15 devices is allowed per person.
- Should preferably be carried in the passenger cabin, on the person or in the carry-on baggage.
- If carried in checked baggage, the device must be completely switched off (not in sleep or hibernation mode), protected from damage and unintentional activation must be prevented.
- If a device cannot be carried in the passenger cabin (i.e. due to size or weight), the maximum number of 3 devices larger than a smartphone may be placed into one checked baggage, only if the checked baggage does not contain any flammable material (e.g. perfumes, aerosols).
- For baggage equipped with a lithium battery (other than a button cell) the battery must be removed, protected against short circuit and carried separately in the hand baggage.

Replacement batteries for portable electronic devices / rechargeable battery pack (powerbank)

- Spare batteries may only be carried in hand baggage
- Spare batteries must be protected against short circuit
- Each person is limited to a maximum of 20 spare batteries
- Lithium metal batteries may have a maximum lithium content of 2 g
- Lithium ion batteries may not exceed 100 Wh (Note: exceptionally a maximum of 2 batteries up to 160 Wh may be carried per person with prior approval).

Battery-powered wheelchairs and mobility aids for personal use

 With non-spillable, spillable or lithium ion batteries by prior registration



Portable oxygen concentrators, other electrical medical devices on board

By prior registration

Heat-generating equipment (battery-operated underwater and diving torches, soldering irons)

Only in hand baggage and by prior registration

Avalanche rescue backpack

- Not allowed into or out of the USA
- Otherwise 1 item per passenger by prior registration.
 Gas cartridge must be put in the backpack (spare cartridges not allowed).

Insulated packaging containing refrigerated liquid nitrogen (dry shipper):

- Device may only contain non-dangerous goods
- Nitrogen must be fully absorbed in a porous material
- Package must not allow build-up of pressure inside the container
- Package must not permit the release of any refrigerated liquid nitrogen irrespective of the orientation of the dry shipper

Dry ice Life jacket or other self-inflating safety device intended to be worn by a person

• 2 pieces per passenger with prior registration only

Small gas cartridges

- By prior registration only
- Non-toxic, non-flammable gas only
- Maximum 50 mL water capacity per cartridge
- Maximum 4 cartridges per person

Alcoholic beverages exceeding 24 % alcohol by volume

- Maximum 70 % alcohol by volume
- Must be in retail packagings
- Single receptacles must not exceed 5 L
- Totally maximum 5 L per person

Note: Alcoholic beverages containing 24 % or less alcohol by volume is not considered as Dangerous Goods.

Ammunition

- By prior registration only
- Ammunition must be classified in Division 1.4S (UN0012 or UN0014), without explosive or incendiary projectiles
- Quantity must not exceed 5 kg gross weight per single baggage and per person
- Ammunition must be securely packaged, i.e. in standard commercial packaging.
- Weapons and ammunition must be packed in different bags



Prohibited objects

Certain objects may not be transported on an aircraft at all. They are not permitted in the hand or checked baggage, and will be confiscated. In the first instances, these items are objects that could endanger passenger health and safety. SWISS accepts no liability for confiscated objects.













Articles of daily use

- Briefcases and diplomat's cases with built-in alarm devices
- Non-rechargeable lithium batteries and cells with more than 2 g lithium content
- Rechargeable lithium batteries with more than 160 Wh
- Defective or damaged lithium batteries, regardless if loose or inserted into devices.

Inflammable materials

- Flammable solid items such as strike anywhere matches and other flammable and combustible materials
- Flammable, non-flammable, deep-frozen and toxic propellants
- Lighter gas
- Camping gas
- Camping stove
- Combustible paste (e.g. for a fondue)
- Flammable liquids such as lacquers, thinners, petrol or solvents
- Flammable and non-flammable paints
- Objects that release flammable gases on contact with water

Gases

- Irritant gases such as pepper spray, KO sprays etc.
- Gas for lighters, camping stoves and burners
- Butane gas bottles
- Gas cylinders exceeding 50 mL capacity
- Blue flame lighters or cigar lighters
- Carbon cartridges for mineral water preparation

Goods that pose a risk to health

- Radioactive material
- Toxic and infectious substances (viruses, bacteria)

Fragile goods

- Television sets
- PC screens

Other dangerous goods

- Explosives, fireworks, signal rockets, party poppers and christmas crackers
- Oxidising substances such as bleach and peroxide
- Corrosive substances such as acids, mercury, alkaline and cell battery liquids
- Magnetic objects and other substances that are classified as dangerous
- Electric shock weapons (e.g. tasers) with explosives, compressed gases or batteries
- Lithium battery powered transportation devices (e.g. e-bikes, hoverboards, balance wheels or luggage scooters)
- Combustion engines (e.g. lawnmower, powered saws)
- Blasting caps
- Detonators and fuses
- Mines, grenades, and other explosive military stores
- Smoke-generating canisters and smoke-generating cartridges