

EXCESS BAGGAGE ALLOWANCES

AIRLINE	CHECKING IN	LUGGAGE ALL ECONOMY	CARRY ON LUGGAGE	LUGGAGE BUSINESS CLASS	EXCESS BAGGAGE	SKIS	PUSHCHAIRS	SURFBOARDS	GOLF CLUBS
Ryanair	2.5per bag for per bag for checked luggage	20kg	10kg	n/a	Checked baggage in excess of 20kg will be charged at the rate of £5.50	£15 pre-booked, £20 at the airport per item not exceeding 32kg	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	£15 pre-booked, £20 at airport per item not exceeding 32kg	£17 pre-booked, £20 at airport per item not exceeding 32kg
Easyjet		20kg	No weight limit but the bag must be no bigger than 55x40x20cm and the passenger must be able to carry it	n/a	£5 per kilo up to 50kg but one piece of luggage must not exceed 32kg	£15 charge and £15 handling fee if required plus any excess baggage charge @ £5 per kilo	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	£15 charge and £15 handling fee if required plus any excess baggage charge @ £5 per kilo	£15 charge and £15 handling fee if required plus any excess baggage charge @ £5 per kilo
Fly be	£2.50 prior to airport arrival. £5 at check in	25kg	10kg	No excess for Economy plus passengers up to a limit of 30kg	£5 per kilo	Must be booked in advance and there is a charge of £20 per sector	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Must be booked in advance and there is a charge of £20 per sector. On the turboprop aircraft they must be no longer than 4.5 feet in length. On jet aircraft they can be up to 10 feet in length	Must be booked in advance and there is a charge of £15 per sector

Important Note:

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Source:

Information gathered from airlines websites and reservation telephone numbers.

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BMI	£2 per bag for pre-booked checked luggage. £4 for checking luggage on arrival	20kg	7kg or 6kg on long haul flights plus a lap top. Lap top must be stowed under seat.	30kg	£5 per kilo over your limit. If you are travelling long haul on bmi operated services the following are indicative charges that will apply ex UK: Chicago: £70 per piece; Caribbean and Las Vegas: £90 per piece; Heathrow to Mumbai: £23.30 per kilo; Riyadh: £17.50 per kilo	£15 per item but the item must not exceed 20kg in weight. Premium economy and business class customers are not charged extra if the item can be carried within their total allowance	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	£15 per item but the item must not exceed 20kg in weight. Premium economy and business class customers are not charged extra if the item can be carried within their total allowance	£15 per item but the item must not exceed 20kg in weight. Premium economy and business class customers are not charged extra if the item can be carried within their total allowance
American	No charge	23kg- 2 pieces	18kg	23kg	£46 for first three pieces	£16	One pushchair, within allowance	£62	One golf bag - no charge
Virgin Atlantic	No charge	23kg	6kg	30-32kg	£60 - £110 per piece depending on destination. In certain destinations a weight system applies and this is charged at 1 - 1.5% of the highest normal direct adult one way economy class fare, rate is dependant on the destination.	One ski bag free with one item of checked luggage. If you check two bags then you pay 33% of the excess charges on the skis.	One pushchair, within allowance	One checked bag and one surfboard will incur a charge of 50% of excess. If taking two bags the first surfboard is charged at 50% excess and the second board is charged at full excess rate.	One golf bag free with one item of checked luggage. If you check in two bags then you pay 50% of the applicable excess on the golf bag but the first 10kg is free.

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Delta	No charge	22.5kg	18kg	22.5kg (2 pieces)	£30 for each additional item, plus £15 for items weighing 51 - 70 pounds and £60 for items 71 - 100 pounds	No charge - within allowance	One pushchair, within allowance	Charges vary - Between Honolulu and Maui, Delta charges £12 each way.	One golf bag with up to 14 clubs, no charge
Air France/ KLM	No charge	20kg	12kg - 2 pieces	30kg	Not published	£15 - Europe & North Africa £30 - Long Haul	One pushchair, within allowance	£15 - Europe & North Africa £30 - Long Haul	£15 - Europe & North Africa £30 - Long Haul
United	No charge	23kg	18kg - 2 pieces	32kg	Not published	One ski bag & One boot bag in place of one bag in free allowance. If additional pieces are checked, excess fees apply.	No charge - within allowance	One case holding surfboard, lugeboard or wakeboard. Maximum 2 boards per case.	One golf bag free in place of second piece of checked luggage
Continental	No charge	23kg - 2 pieces	18kg	32kg	Excess charges not published for the UK. For travel to/from the United Kingdom /Ireland, no articles will be accepted for transportation if the article weighs more than 70 pounds (32 kilograms).	No charge - within allowance	No charge - within allowance	One allowed as checked baggage per customer. If travelling within the US a \$80 service charge applies each way	One golf bag with up to 14 clubs, no charge

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Lufthansa Group	No charge	20kg	16kg - (2 pieces) which must not weigh more than 8kg each.	30kg	Excess baggage is charged at standard rates of \$25 US per 32kg item. Excess baggage is only charged when passengers exceed 32kg.	Free within baggage allowance £17	No charge - within allowance	50 euro within Europe but only if you exceed your total free baggage limit 100 euro outside Europe if baggage limit exceeded	35 euro within Europe but only if you exceed your total free baggage limit 75 euro outside Europe if baggage limit exceeded
British Airways	No charge	32kg 23kg as of 11/10/2006	One piece maximum size of 56x45x25 plus one briefcase laptop bag or equivalent	32kg	Piece system £15 - £90 per extra bag. Rate is dependant on destination. A weight system operates on some destinations and rates range from £5.75 per kg to £33.06 per kg again depending on the final destination. All charges are each way.	One pair of skis and ski poles or a snowboard or a monoski within baggage allowance	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	One to length of 2.77m, within allowance	14 clubs One dozen balls One pair of golf shoes, within allowance
US Airways	No charge	23kg	18kg - 2 pieces	32kg	£30 - For overweight luggage of 23-32kg £48 for an additional excess bag	One pair of skis and ski poles or a snowboard or a monoski within baggage allowance	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	£48 - Additional charge	14 clubs One dozen balls One pair of golf shoes, within allowance

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Japan Airlines Based on London - Japan flights unless stated otherwise	No charge	20kg	10kg one piece	30kg	£39 per kilo of excess luggage overweight	One pair of skis and ski poles or a snowboard or a monoski within baggage allowance. 3kg @ £39 per kilo	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Within personal allowance, if over £33 per kilo	Within personal allowance. If you go over the personal limit and the golf clubs weigh under 15kg you will only be charged for 6kg @ £33 per kg from Lon - Syd
Singapore	No charge	20kg	2 pieces not to exceed 7kg each	30kg	£33 per kilo - On London - Sydney flights	One pair of skis and ski poles or a snowboard or a monoski within baggage allowance. 3kg @ £33 per kilo	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Not published	Within personal allowance. If you go over the personal limit and the golf clubs weigh under 15kg you will only be charged for 6kg @ £33 per kg from Lon – Syd

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Qantas Group	No charge	20kg	2 pieces not to exceed 7kg each	30kg	£5 - £15 per kilo depending on destination	Limit of one kit per person. The kit can be included as one piece in your free baggage allowance. If one kit is in addition to the total free allowance, a special rate of 33% of the additional baggage charges.	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Only accepted if enclosed in a surfboard bag that must not exceed 32kg (66lb) weight not its length exceed 277cm (109in). Boards/skis can be included in the free baggage allowance. When the combined weight of these items exceeds the allowance normal baggage rates apply. From UK - Sydney the rate is £16 per kg.	If not within your personal allowance you will be charged 50% of the applicable additional baggage charge for the golf bag
Cathay Pacific	No charge	20kg	7kg	30kg	£38 per kilo on London to Hong Kong flights	If not within personal allowance shall be charged at a special ski excess baggage rate equivalent to 3kg of the applicable excess baggage rate between the points the skiing equipment is to be transported	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Not included in personal allowance. 50% of the applicable unit charge if not exceeding 277cm/109in, or 100% of the applicable unit charge if exceeding the above dimensions	Within allowance unless excess reached then provided the golf bag is not weighing more than 15kg, it will be charged as equivalent to 6kg of the applicable excess baggage rate between the points the golf equipment is to be transported

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Emirates	No charge	20kg	7kg	32kg	£18.37 per kilo based on London - Dubai	Not published	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	A Surfboard up to 3 meters in length will be accepted for carriage within the baggage allowance providing it is carried in a hard-shell board case, use of a soft board-bag will mean limited release will be required prior to acceptance of the board.	In addition to the personal allowance one set of golf clubs will be carried free per passenger
Iberia	No charge	20kg	10kg	30kg	In the weight system, the excess corresponds to 1.5% of the value of the adult price in the highest tourist class	If the combined weight of the skis and luggage do not exceed the allowance there will be no charge. If not they will be required to pay a sum corresponding to the special rate for 3kg of excess luggage for the standard rate for actual excess, whichever is more favourable for the passenger	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Charges as 20kg excess luggage and must be booked at least 24 hours in advance	If the combined weight of the golf clubs do not exceed the allowance there will be no charge. If not they will be required to pay a sum corresponding to the special rate for 6kg of excess luggage up to 15kg or the standard rate for actual excess, whichever is more favourable for the passenger

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Thai Airways	No charge	20kg	7kg	30kg	£23 per kilo based in LHR - Bangkok	Not published	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Not included in the personal allowance, excess baggage is charged at 5kg @ £23 per kilo for boards not exceeding 227cm. Boards exceeding 227cm are charged at 8kg	One set of golf clubs is included within the personal allowance. If the weight of the golf clubs exceeds the personal allowance then a flat fee of £20 or £38 is applied for the first 15kg's
SAS Group	No charge	20kg	8kg	30kg	Charge per kilo varies from 1.0% to 1.5% of the normal Economy fare, depending on the destination	Free within the luggage limit. If the equipment exceeds the free baggage allowance a special charge of (3kg) applies, based on a flight from UK to Europe this charge would be £10 for a direct flight or £20 for non direct.	One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Not published	Free within the luggage limit. If the clubs exceed the limit a special rate applies for one equipment up to 15kg, consisting of one bag, 14 clubs, 12 golf balls and set of shoes.
Alitalia	No charge	20kg	5kg	30kg	£4 - £26 per kilo depending on destination and luggage weight		One collapsible pushchair within allowance	Not published	Not published