



LEGISLATION WINTER TIRES EUROPE

VACO**PASSENGERS CARS, VANS AND
LIGHT COMPANY CARS (> 3.500 KG)**

COUNTRY	DEVOIR	PERIOD
Albania (AL)	Required locally	
Austria (AT)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until 15-04
Belarus (BY)	Required	01-12 until 28-02
Belgium (BE)	Not required	
Bosnia and Herzegovina (BA)	Required	15-11 until 15-04
Bulgaria (BG)	Required	15-11 until 28-02
Croatia (HR)	Required	15-11 until 15-04
Czech Republic (CZ)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until 31-03
Denmark (DK)	Not required, but recommended in winter conditions	
Germany (DE)	Required in winter conditions (compressed snow, melted snow and slipperiness through ice and frost)	
Estonia (EE)	Required	01-12 until 28-02
Finland (FI)	Required	01-12 until 28-02
France (FR)	Required by sign	
Greece (GR)	Not required	
Great-Britain (GB)	Not required	
Hungary (HU)	Not required	
Iceland (IS)	Not required	
Ireland (IE)	Not required	
Italy and San Marino (IT)	Required by sign	15-11 until 15-04
Latvia (LV)	Required	01-12 until 01-03
Lithuania (LT)	Required	10-11 until 31-03
Luxembourg (LU)	Required in winter conditions (compressed snow, melted snow and slipperiness through ice and frost)	
Macedonia (MK)	Required by sign and in winter conditions	15-11 until 15-03
Moldova (MD)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-12 until 01-03
Montenegro (ME)	Required in winter conditions	15-11 until 31-03
Norway (NO)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until the first Monday after Easter
Poland (PL)	Not required, but recommended	
Portugal (PT)	Not required	
Romenia (RO)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until 31-03
Serbia (RS)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until 31-03
Slovenia (SI)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	15-11 until 15-03
Slovakia (SK)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	15-11 until 31-03
Spain (ES)	Required by sign	
Sweden (SE)	Required in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-12 until 31-03
Switzerland (CH)	Required by sign	
The Netherlands (NL)	Not required	
Ukraine (UA)	Not required	

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VACO**COMPANY CARS (> 3.500 KG)**

COUNTRY	DEVOIR	PERIOD
Albania (AL)	Required locally	
Austria (AT)	Required for the driven axle(s)	01-11 until 15-04
Belarus (BY)	Required for the driven axle(s) and trailers	01-12 until 28-02
Belgium (BE)	Not required	
Bosnia and Herzegovina(BA)	Required	15-11 until 15-04
Bulgaria (BG)	Required	15-11 until 28-02
Croatia (HR)	Required for at least one driven axle	15-11 until 15-04
Czech Republic (CZ)	Required for at least the driven axle(s) in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-11 until 31-03
Denmark (DK)	Not required, but recommended in the winter season	
Germany (DE)	Required for the driven axle(s) in winter conditions (compressed snow, melted snow and slipperiness through ice and frost). Not required for trailers.	
Estonia (EE)	Required	01-12 until 28-02
Finland (FI)	Required for the driven axle(s)	01-12 until 28-02
France (FR)	Required by sign	
Greece (GR)	Not required	
Great-Britain (GB)	Not required	
Hungary (HU)	Not required	
Iceland (IS)	Not required	
Ireland (IE)	Not required	
Italy and San Marino (IT)	Required by sign	15-11 until 15-04
Latvia (LV)	Not required	
Lithuania (LT)	Not required	
Luxembourg (LU)	Required for the driven axle(s) in winter conditions (compressed snow, melted snow and slipperiness through ice and frost)	
Macedonia (MK)	Required by sign and in winter conditions	15-11 until 15-03
Moldova (MD)	Not required	
Montenegro (ME)	Required for at least one driven axle	15-11 until 31-03
Norway (NO)	Required for all axles, also for trailers	15-11 until 31-03
Poland (PL)	Not required, but recommended	
Portugal (PT)	Not required	
Romenia (RO)	Required for at least the driven axle(s) in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	
Serbia (RS)	Required for the driven axle(s) in winter conditions	01-11 until 31-03
Slovenia (SI)	Required for at least one driven axle in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	15-11 until 15-03
Slovakia (SK)	Required for at least one driven axle	15-11 until 31-03
Spain (ES)	Required by sign	
Sweden (SE)	Required for the driven axle(s) in winter conditions (snow, wet snow or ice)	01-12 until 31-03
Switzerland (CH)	Required by sign	
The Netherlands (NL)	Not required	
Ukraine (UA)	Not required	

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