

Holidays: what we can bring back in France

Travel in the countries of the European Union

Goods	Rules
Tobacco	10 cartons of cigarettes by individual vehicle or a person
Alcohol	10 liters of spirits (strong alcohols), 20 liters of intermediate drinks, 90 liters of wine (among which 60 liters of sparkling wines) and 110 liters of beer *
Others	The principle is the free traffic circulation thus you have nothing to declare or to pay for the goods acquired in one of 27 member states. Purchases must be intended for an exclusively personal use.

Travel in the countries outside the European Union

Good	Rules
Tobacco	200 cigarettes or 100 cigarilloes or 50 cigars or 250 g of tobacco
Alcohol	4 liters of still wine with 16 liters of beer and either 1 liter of drink more than 22 % volume, or 2 liters of drinks unless 22%*
Others	Valuable ceilings of the goods which can be brought back below which you have nothing to declare or to pay: - By plane or boat: 430 € by person or 150 € for least than 15 years - For other means of transportation: 300 € by person and 150 € for least than 15 years BE CAREFUL : Valuable ceilings are not accumulative between them! Every brought back object has to have a value lower than ceilings. If the ceiling is exceeded, you have to declare it and acquit the customs duties and the applicable VAT. Certain products are exempted from customs duties.

*the quantities are indicated by individual mean of transportation or by person over 17 years old in case of a collective transport

What is forbidden to bring back :

- Counterfeitings
- Some animal or vegetal species
- Products stemming from protected species
- The authentic antiques and the archaeological objects