

Goods	Documents required	Customs Prescriptions	Remarks
Used household goods and personal effects	Prior to or at the latest by ship's arrival: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inventory list in duplicate (Norwegian, English, or German language only). • Original B/L or copy of express B/L. • Norwegian customs form RG-0124 completed and signed by owner. • Origin agents complete shipping advice. • Norwegian ID# 11 characters 	Free of duty and VAT provided: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • they have been in the owner's possession for at least one year prior to arrival date; • that the owner has resided abroad for at least one year prior to importation date. 	
Motor vehicles, cars, motorcycles, leisure boats, trade tools + equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vehicle certificate. • Status report. 	Import of motor vehicles are subjected to special regulations and import duties/taxes. Norwegian custom has a web-site : www.toll.no, where up-dated regulations and duties are displayed.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are not considered as part of Household Goods. • An imported vehicle must be registered in Norway and pay the yearly road tax. • When shipping vehicles, specify type and size so that no fee has to be prepaid, which will avoid delays and extra charges upon arrival. • Import taxes and duties will be approx. 105% of the current value of the car.
Dogs and Cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Import Licence. • Approved ID Marking. • Rabies vaccination by means of an approved vaccine, together with an antibody test. Dogs must also be vaccinated against leptospirosis as well as distemper. • Health certificate together with vaccination certificates. • Certificate of deworming against echinococcus. 	The customs authorities at border crossings will check import licence, identification marking and vaccination certificates. These regulations apply only to the importation of dogs and cats from EEC/EFTA countries. Animals imported from non-EEC/EFTA countries must go into quarantine for 4 to 6 months.	Your agent can give you information about the import licence and where to apply for it. The ID-Mark must be a legible tattoo, or an approved form of implanted microchip. Before they can be vaccinated against rabies, dogs must be at least 3 months old and cats at least 14 months old. Not earlier than 120 days after the vaccination, a blood sample must be taken for antibody testing. The vaccinations against distemper and leptospirosis must be done at least one month before importation. Cats and dogs must be dewormed against echinococcus within 10 days prior importation. An approved vet must sign the health certificate not earlier than 10 days prior importation.

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Alcoholic beverages, spirits, wine, etc. in minimum quantities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special clearance required. • Import permit from the Ministry of Drugs prior to arrival. 	Try to avoid including alcoholic beverages of any kind into the household goods shipment. Extremely high taxes and duties will apply, even on small quantities. If shipper insists on shipping alcoholic beverages place all boxes at the door of the container for easy access, and make a detailed list of: Brand, Volume, Year and alcoholic strength.	In most cases cost is greater than current retail price.
Weapons	Local police must grant permits.	Normal weapons and ammunition generally admitted, subject to police permission, and, normally, to the importer being member of a hunting and fishing club.	Ask for permit in due time in order to avoid they are retained by customs until permits granted. Without permission from the Police, weapons will be confiscated.
Live plants		Must obtain certification from the Plant and Wildlife Department from country of origin that plants are healthy.	
Prohibited articles		Narcotics, fresh meat, explosives, automatic guns, spirits containing over 60% vol. alcohol, some medicines, some vitamins and some "pets" (reptiles and threatened species).	