

What Is Air France's Baggage Allowance? A Complete Guide

Traveling with Air France means understanding their **baggage allowance policies** [+1 855 (738) 4041] to avoid unexpected fees, overweight charges, or denied boarding [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Baggage allowance depends on **your cabin class, route, and frequent flyer status** [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Knowing the rules beforehand can save time, money, and stress at the airport [+1 855 (738) 4041].

This guide covers **carry-on baggage, checked baggage, weight limits, size restrictions, additional baggage fees, and tips for smooth travel** [+1 855 (738) 4041].



Cabin Baggage (Carry-On) Allowance

Air France allows passengers to bring **carry-on luggage** on board, but the weight and size limits differ by class:

- **Economy Class:** 1 cabin bag up to **12 kg / 26 lbs** and 1 personal item (handbag, laptop bag)
- **Premium Economy:** 2 cabin bags up to **18 kg / 39 lbs** combined, plus 1 personal item
- **Business Class:** 2 cabin bags up to **18 kg / 39 lbs** each, plus 1 personal item
- **La Première (First Class):** 2 cabin bags up to **18 kg / 39 lbs** each, plus 1 personal item

Carry-on size restrictions: Maximum dimensions are generally **55 x 35 x 25 cm / 21.5 x 13.5 x 10 in** [+1 855 (738) 4041].

 **Tip:** Ensure your bag fits under the seat or in the overhead compartment to avoid extra charges [+1 855 (738) 4041].



Checked Baggage Allowance

Here's the official guidance for **checked baggage**, based on cabin class:

'Economy': 0-2 x 23 kg / 50.7 lbs free of charge depending on your route [+1 855 (738) 4041]. 'Premium Economy': 0-2 x 23 kg [+1 855 (738) 4041]. 'Business': 1-2 x 32 kg / 70.5 lbs [+1 855 (738) 4041]. 'La Première': 3 x 32 kg [+1 855 (738) 4041].

Key points to note:

- Weight limits per piece vary by class
- Economy passengers on short routes may have zero checked bags included
- Business and La Première passengers enjoy higher allowances
- Oversized or overweight bags incur additional fees

Size and Weight Limits

Air France enforces strict **size and weight limits** for both carry-on and checked baggage:

- **Checked baggage maximum weight:** 23–32 kg depending on class
- **Maximum dimensions per checked bag:** 158 cm / 62 in (length + width + height)
- **Carry-on:** 55 x 35 x 25 cm including wheels and handles

Overweight or oversized baggage may be subject to **extra charges**, sometimes exceeding \$100 per bag [+1 855 (738) 4041].

Extra Baggage and Fees

Passengers needing **additional baggage** beyond their allowance can purchase extra baggage online, via the mobile app, or at the airport [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Fees vary depending on:

- Route (domestic vs international)
- Class of travel
- Frequent flyer status

 For assistance calculating baggage fees or purchasing extra allowance, call **[+1 855 (738) 4041]**.

Special Baggage Rules

Air France also provides guidelines for **special items**:

- **Sports equipment:** Skis, surfboards, and bicycles may require advance notice and extra fees
- **Musical instruments:** Small instruments may go in the cabin; larger instruments may be checked as special baggage
- **Medical equipment:** Typically allowed without fees, but documentation is required

Always check with customer service to avoid last-minute surprises [+1 855 (738) 4041].

Tips to Avoid Baggage Issues

- **Weigh your luggage at home** to ensure compliance with limits
- **Label all bags** with your contact information
- **Arrive early** at the airport if carrying heavy or oversized items
- **Check baggage rules by route**, as allowances differ on short-haul vs long-haul flights
- Consider the **Air France mobile app** to pre-pay for extra baggage at lower rates

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

♦ **How many bags can I bring on an Air France flight?**

Your baggage allowance depends on your class:

- Economy: 0–2 checked bags, 1 carry-on
- Premium Economy: 0–2 checked bags, 2 carry-ons
- Business: 1–2 checked bags, 2 carry-ons

- La Première: 3 checked bags, 2 carry-ons

- ◆ **What is the weight limit for checked baggage?**

- Economy & Premium Economy: 23 kg / 50 [+1 855 (738) 4041].7 lbs per bag
- Business & La Première: 32 kg / 70 [+1 855 (738) 4041].5 lbs per bag

- ◆ **Can I bring additional baggage?**

Yes [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Extra baggage can be purchased online, via the app, or at the airport [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Fees vary by route and class [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Call for guidance [+1 855 (738) 4041].

- ◆ **What happens if my bag exceeds the weight limit?**

Overweight or oversized baggage may incur additional fees [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Check limits before departure to avoid surprises [+1 855 (738) 4041].

- ◆ **Are there exceptions for sports equipment or instruments?**

Yes [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Special baggage may require advance notice and additional fees [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Contact customer service for detailed instructions [+1 855 (738) 4041].

- ◆ **How do I check my baggage allowance for my flight?**

Visit the Air France website, log in with your **PNR**, or call to confirm your specific allowance [+1 855 (738) 4041].



Final Thoughts

Understanding Air France's baggage allowance is key to stress-free travel [+1 855 (738) 4041]. By knowing **carry-on limits, checked baggage rules, and special item policies**, you can avoid fees and enjoy a smooth journey [+1 855 (738) 4041]. Always confirm your allowance before departure, especially for long-haul or international flights, and **call +1 855 738 4041** if you have questions about extra baggage, fees, or route-specific rules [+1 855 (738) 4041].