

Prohibited Items Statement of GOFO France

Dear Valued Customer,

Thank you for your continued support and trust in GOFO. To ensure the safety of the express delivery process and protect the legitimate rights and interests of our customers, we hereby solemnly declare that all items classified as dangerous goods under the European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR), or which are explicitly prohibited by local laws, regulations, international conventions, or transport rules in the areas of operation, are strictly forbidden within GOFO's transportation network and facilities.

Part I. Definition and Scope of Prohibited Items

1. Definition of Prohibited Items

1.1 Dangerous goods as defined in the field of international logistics, as well as special items whose transport is restricted by GOFO;

1.2 Dangerous goods are substances and articles which have explosive, flammable, toxic, infectious, corrosive, radioactive, or other hazardous properties. During transport, storage, production, operation, use, and disposal, they can easily cause personal injury, property damage, or environmental pollution, thus requiring special protection.

2. Scope of Prohibited Items

2.1 Dangerous Goods

Dangerous Goods Classification Table

Classification	GOFO Transport Policy
Class 1 - Explosives and articles	Prohibited
Firecrackers, smoke grenades, signal flares, bullets, ammunition, firearms	
Class 2.1 - Flammable gases	Prohibited
Gas cylinders, cartridges, aerosols (butane, propane...)	
Class 2.2 - Non-flammable, non-toxic gases	Prohibited
Cylinders, cartridges, aerosols (refrigerated liquid helium)	
Class 2.3 - Toxic gases	Prohibited
Gas cylinders, cartridges, aerosols (carbonyl sulfide)	
Class 3 - Flammable liquids	Prohibited
Paints, alcohols, ethers, lighters	
Class 4.1 - Flammable solids, self-reactive substances...	Prohibited
Cleaning wipes, matches	
Class 4.2 - Substances liable to spontaneous combustion	Prohibited
Aluminum borohydride, Phosphorus	
Class 4.3 - Substances which, in contact with water, emit flammable gases	Prohibited
Barium, Calcium carbide	
Class 5.1 - Oxidizing substances	Prohibited
Fertilizers containing nitrates, solid chlorine	
Class 5.2 - Organic peroxides	Prohibited
Bleach, fiberglass repair kits	
Class 6.1 - Toxic substances	Prohibited
Pesticides	
Class 6.2 - Infectious substances	Prohibited
DASRI (Dechets d'Activités de Soins à Risques Infectieux), blood samples	
Class 7 - Radioactive material	Prohibited
Ionization chamber smoke detectors	
Class 8 - Corrosive substances	Prohibited
Strong detergents, bleach	
Class 9 - Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles	Prohibited

Examples of Dangerous Goods

Item	Potentially Hazardous Materials
Electrical equipment (wheelchairs, mowers etc.)	Wet batteries (corrosive), batteries or lithium batteries
Breathing apparatus	Compressed air or oxygen cylinders
Tool kits	May contain explosives (powered rivets), aerosols, adhesives, etc.
Gas cylinders	Compressed gases
Cosmetics	Hairspray, flammable liquids, and other dangerous goods
Test samples	May contain dangerous goods
MREs (Meals, Ready-to-Eat)	Flameless Ration Heaters (FRH) and Self-Heating Beverages (SHB)
Diving equipment	Gas cylinders, high-intensity diving lights
Fireworks	Explosive substances
Agricultural supplies	Fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides
Party supplies	Compressed gases, explosive items
Dental supplies	Resins or solvents
Medical supplies	Hazardous chemicals, thermometers, blood pressure monitors
Photographic supplies	Hazardous chemicals
Frozen fruits, vegetables	Dry ice
Instruments	Barometers, manometers, blood pressure gauges containing mercury, mercury switches, thermometers, etc.
(Electrical) switches	Mercury switches
Toys	May be made of flammable materials, contain batteries or lithium batteries
Cleaning agents	Hazardous chemicals
Camping equipment	Flammable gases or liquids, matches, other dangerous goods
Laboratory equipment	Hazardous chemicals
Electrical equipment	Mercury in switches and electron tubes
Perfume	Flammable liquids
Paints	Flammable solvents
Automotive parts	Wet batteries, shock absorbers containing nitrogen gas, airbags, etc.
Mechanical parts	May contain adhesives, paints, sealants, solvents, etc.
Diagnostic specimens	Infectious substances
Chemicals	Generally dangerous goods
Pool chemicals	Dangerous goods
Cryogenic goods	Very cold liquefied gases
Household goods	Paints, aerosols, bleaching powder, etc.
Pharmaceuticals	Hazardous chemicals
Chemistry sets	Hazardous chemicals
Repair kits	Adhesives, paints, organic peroxides, solvents, etc.

2.2 Special Item: Lithium Batteries

Lithium batteries are a special category and must strictly comply with air and road transport regulations. GOFO only permits the following batteries for road transport, with the characteristics and quantities listed below, and they must be for use in one (or more) electronic equipment.

Regarding lithium content: lithium metal batteries must not exceed 2 grams of lithium content per battery, and lithium-ion batteries must not exceed 100 Watt-hours (Wh) rated energy per battery. For lithium-ion batteries with a rated energy between 100Wh and 160Wh, a maximum of 2 batteries per device are allowed. Batteries exceeding 160Wh are prohibited. Lithium metal batteries exceeding 2 grams lithium content are prohibited.

Quantity limits: Small lithium batteries ($\leq 20\text{Wh}$ / $\leq 1\text{g}$ lithium): maximum 8 cells or 2 batteries per package. Medium lithium batteries (20-100Wh / 1-2g lithium): require special declaration, maximum 2 batteries per package.

3. Dangerous Goods Pictograms

Goods may be subject to transport regulations if they bear one of the following labels:



Part II. Shipper's Responsibilities

1. The shipper is responsible for ensuring, in accordance with ADR requirements, that the shipped items are not dangerous goods, and bears full responsibility for their legality and safety.
2. The shipper must truthfully, accurately, and completely declare the contents of the shipment, including item description, quantity, material, and value (USD/EUR). Vague descriptions (e.g., "Gift", "Parts") are not permitted. Mis-declaration or concealment is prohibited.
3. The shipper must ensure that items are securely and reliably packaged, meeting safe transport standards, especially for fragile items, liquids, etc.
4. The shipper must cooperate with our inspection procedures and provide supporting documents such as purchase receipts, composition descriptions, authorization letters, quarantine certificates, prescriptions, etc., upon request.

Part III. Handling of Violations

If a shipped item is found to be among the prohibited or restricted items listed above, GOFO has the right and will immediately take one or more of the following measures, without assuming any liability for compensation:

1. Refuse acceptance or terminate transportation;
 2. Return immediately to the shipper, with all incurred and subsequent costs (e.g., return shipping fees, storage fees, fines) borne by the shipper;
 3. Destroy immediately without prior notice: Applies to highly dangerous items or those required by law to be destroyed (e.g., drugs, flammable substances);
 4. Hand over immediately: Transfer the items and shipper's information to the police, customs, state security departments, or other relevant government authorities;
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5. Seek compensation: Recover in full any administrative penalties, reputation damage, economic losses, etc., incurred by GOFO as a result of this violation.

Part IV. Limitation of Liability

If the shipper is found to have shipped prohibited or restricted items in violation of regulations, GOFO has the right to refuse acceptance, return the shipment, or hand it over to the competent authorities for handling according to the law. All resulting legal consequences and economic losses shall be borne solely by the shipper. GOFO shall not bear any liability for compensation.

GOFO assumes no responsibility for any legal consequences, economic losses, or personal injuries arising from the shipper's concealment or misdeclaration of shipped items as prohibited goods.

Part V. Other Provisions

This statement lists parts details of prohibited items but is not exhaustive. GOFO reserves the right to refuse transportation of items not listed above at its sole discretion. If you wish to know if your goods fall within GOFO's network service scope, please contact us at any time.

GOFO reserves the right to claim the penalty if the shipper violate any of the statement.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Let's work together to maintain a safe and efficient shipping environment.