

# Driving in Europe: regulations by country

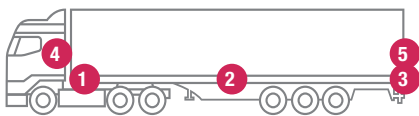
Brigade Electronics provides a break down of the road legislation and safety specifications when operating vehicles cross-border in Europe and the UK.

## UK - London

### Direct Vision Standard

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Vehicles weighing more than **12 tonnes**:



1. Side scan sensor system
2. Side camera and monitor
3. Warning alarm\*
4. Audible warning for the driver
5. 1 DVS sticker

\*NB Alarms with speaking voices are not permitted in Germany

### ATTENTION!

Spoken alarms are illegal in Germany.  
Recommended alternatives:

- White Sound® fitted to the side of the vehicle
- bbs-TI Turn Indicator Warning Alarm



## Austria

All trucks in Vienna must comply with Germany's Abbiegeassistent regulations



- 1 A turn assistant
- 2 Flashing side bullet points

## Germany

### Abbiegeassistent regulations



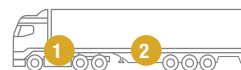
25.25m



From **1st July 2022** all long trucks - 25.25 metres length and weighing up to 44 tonnes must be fitted with:

- 1 A turn assistant
- 2 Flashing side bullet points

### Recommendations for other vehicles

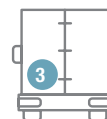


More than 7.5 tonnes

- 1 A side camera
- 2 A nearside side sensor warning system

## France

### All HGVs weighing more than 3.5 tonnes



- 1 Three blind spot stickers (both sides and to the rear)

- 2 Stickers to be placed between 0.90m and 1.50m above the ground

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