



# PROHIBITIONS & RESTRICTIONS



# Dangerous Goods



## CLASS 1

### Explosives

- Fireworks
- Firecrackers
- Gunpowder
- Flares
- Ammunition



## CLASS 2

### Compressed gases

- Propane tanks
- Diving tanks
- Aerosol spray
- Butane gas
- Fire extinguisher



## CLASS 3

### Flammable liquids

- Lighters
- Lighter fuel
- Oil paints, wood varnishes and enamels (incl. remover)
- Nail varnish, polish and gel
- Perfumes and aftershaves



## CLASS 4

### Flammable substances

- Matches
- Charcoals



## CLASS 5

### Oxidizing substances

- Pool chemicals
- Hydrogen peroxide
- Bleach



## CLASS 6

### Toxic and infectious substances

- Pesticides
- Agricultural chemicals
- Mercury compounds
- Bacteria
- Viruses



## CLASS 7

### Radioactive materials

- Radioactive washes
- Radioactive sources
- Smoke detectors



## CLASS 8

### Corrosives

- Wet batteries
- Mercury
- Hydrochloric acid



## CLASS 9

### Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods

- Dry ice
- Lithium batteries
- Magnetized goods



Mail items may be returned if content descriptions on the customs form does not make it clear that no dangerous goods are enclosed

|  <b>Unacceptable</b> |   |  <b>Acceptable</b>                  |
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| Household goods   | May contain pressurized aerosol cans, flammable paints or adhesives                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chocolate</li><li>• Candles</li><li>• Shirts</li><li>• Dresses</li></ul>     |
| Sporting goods  | May contain ammunition or compressed gases  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Racket</li><li>• Ball</li><li>• Shoes</li></ul>                              |
| Camping goods   | May contain compressed gases, cooking fuel or matches                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tent</li><li>• Sleeping bags</li></ul>                                       |
| Diving goods  | May contain compressed gases  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wet suits</li><li>• Diving masks</li><li>• Fins</li><li>• Snorkels</li></ul> |
| Medicine drugs  | May contain alcohol or be packed in dry ice   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ibuprofen</li><li>• Antacid tablets</li></ul>                                |
| Cosmetics   | May contain flammable perfumes, manicure goods or nail polish remover               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Soap</li><li>• Lip gloss</li></ul>   |
| Automobile components   | May contain flammables fuel additives, aerosol or compressed gases                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mirror</li><li>• Seat cover</li></ul>  |
| Medical devices   | May contain blood pressure measurement devices or thermometers that contain mercury | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stethoscopes</li></ul>   |



# Lithium Batteries



**Acceptable**

- E-cigarettes
- GPS
- Scanners
- Smartphones
- MP3 players



- Video cameras
- Portable DVD players
- Walkie-Talkie
- Electric shavers
- Bluetooth headset



- Measuring equipment
- Digital cameras
- Laptop computers
- Radio-controlled toys
- Tablet computer



**Accept: One or Two items per package**



**Unacceptable**



## a. Batteries exceeding allowable size / power limits

- Electric bicycles, e-scooters and hoverboards
- Electric wheelchairs
- Small generators



## b. Uninstalled batteries

- Batteries not installed in handset



- Batteries shipped alone



- Batteries not installed



# Prohibited Items



- a. Narcotics and psychotropic substances, as defined by the International Narcotics Control Board, or other illicit drugs prohibited in the country of destination
- b. Obscene or immoral articles
- c. Counterfeit and pirated goods
- d. Articles which, by their nature or their packing, may expose officials or the general public to danger, or soil or damage other items, postal equipment or third-party property
- e. Live animals and reptiles
- f. Coins, bank notes, currency notes or securities of any kind payable to bearer, travelers' cheques, platinum, gold or silver, precious stones, jewels or other valuable articles cannot travel in uninsured letter-post or parcel items

## DID YOU KNOW?



The transmission of counterfeit or pirated goods via mail is illegal



Counterfeit and pirated goods violate copyright provisions and constitute an economic crime



Furthermore, products like counterfeit medicines pose serious health risks to their users and taking them could possibly cause death



Qatar Post works closely with the customs authorities to prevent the transportation of counterfeit and pirated goods through the postal network

**Packages containing counterfeit or pirated goods may be seized and destroyed**





