



## Customs Guide **HUNGARY**

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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
<p><b>Removal goods - EU and non EU citizens</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of inventory list in English.</li> <li>▪ Inventory list in Hungarian (your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper is required.</li> <li>▪ Copy of passport.</li> <li>▪ Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Declaration from the shipper on changing the residence and that he/she has possessed the HHG for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Employment certificate – declaration from the employer at origin indicating shipper's name, job title, employment period with starting and termination dates and full residence address at origin - original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Documents which prove that shipper has lived outside of EU for more than 12 months before moving to Hungary (copy of residence permit from origin country, visa copy, copy of utility bills for the last 12 months of residence , copy of lease/purchasing contract).</li> <li>▪ GDPR declaration.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Duty free, subject to re-exportation.</li> <li>▪ Customs clearance in Hungary is for indefinite period.</li> <li>▪ Customs accepts supporting documents in English, French German or Hungarian.</li> <li>▪ No alcohol and food.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Number of shipments is not limited.</li> <li>▪ Duty free import customs clearance is possible only within 12 months from the relocation date (issue date of residence permit).</li> <li>▪ Important:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of Hungarian residence permit/EGT card.</li> <li>▪ Copy of the Hungarian address card/ address registration.</li> <li>▪ Copy of the Hungarian TAX card.</li> </ul>		
<b>Removal goods - Returning Hungarians</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of inventory list in English.</li> <li>▪ Inventory list in Hungarian (Your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper is required.</li> <li>▪ Copy of passport.</li> <li>▪ Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Declaration from the shipper on changing the residence and that he/she has possessed the HHG for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Employment certificate – declaration from the employer at origin indicating shipper's name, job title, employment period with starting and termination dates and full residence address at origin - original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Documents which prove that shipper has lived outside of EU for more than 12 months before moving to Hungary (copy of residence permit from origin country, visa copy, copy of utility bills for the last 12 months of residence , copy of lease/purchasing contract).</li> <li>▪ GDPR declaration.</li> <li>▪ Copy of Hungarian ID card.</li> <li>▪ Copy of the Hungarian address card</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Duty free, subject to re-exportation.</li> <li>▪ Customs clearance in Hungary is for indefinite period.</li> <li>▪ Customs accepts supporting documents in English, French German or Hungarian.</li> <li>▪ No alcohol and food.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Imported items cannot be sold or leased. If client wants to leave these items behind he has to pay duty on them.</li> <li>▪ Number of shipments is not limited.</li> <li>▪ Important: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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<b>Diplomatic shipment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of the Hungarian TAX card.</li> <li>▪ Copy of diplomat passport or Hungarian diplomatic card.</li> <li>▪ Duty free request form issued by the receiving Embassy in Hungary with apostil from the Protocol department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.</li> <li>▪ Copy of inventory list in English</li> <li>▪ Inventory list in Hungarian (Your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper with apostil from the Protocol department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is required.</li> <li>▪ Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ GDPR declaration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Duty free for all imported shipments.</li> <li>▪ No Alcohol and Food.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Important: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Vehicles</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Registration certificate of the vehicle – original hardcopy.</li> <li>▪ Invoice or purchasing contract – original hardcopy</li> <li>▪ Value declaration from shipper stating the value of the imported vehicle. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Power of attorney (authorization given by the client to the customs agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>▪ Declaration from the shipper on changing the residence. Original required.</li> <li>▪ Declaration from the shipper that he/she has possessed the vehicle for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Vehicles can be imported duty-free if equipped with a catalyzer on a temporary basis as long as the Customer's Hungarian Residence Permit is valid.</li> <li>▪ Vehicles four (4) years old or older cannot be imported unless they pass an environmental examination (cost billed to Customer).</li> <li>▪ U.S. made cars may need technical modification.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The shipper should own the car for at least 6 months before moving to Hungary.</li> <li>▪ After customs clearance the car has to be checked at 'Technical Test Station'. Only cars that meet the European standards can pass technical test.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Photos from the 4 sides of the vehicle, the speed meter and serial number.</li> <li>▪ GDPR declaration.</li> </ul>		
<b>Alcohol</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Same as Removal Goods.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Prohibited</li> </ul>	
<b>Tobacco</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Maximum quantity allowed to be imported: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 500 cigarettes.</li> <li>▪ 50 cigars or 500 gr. tobacco.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b>Medicine</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Imported duty-free with the general practitioner's written confirmation that the kind and quantity of the medicine is necessary to the treatment of the client.</li> </ul>	
<b>Foodstuff</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Prohibited</li> </ul>	
<b>Plants and vegetable products</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Same as for Removal Goods.</li> <li>▪ Phytosanitary certificate. Please, contact your local FIDI agent for more details when planning to move plants.</li> </ul>		
<b>Dogs, cats, birds</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ As for Removal Goods.</li> <li>▪ Veterinary certificate. Please, contact your local FIDI agent for more details when planning to move animals.</li> </ul>		
<b>Prohibited Items</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Weapons and explosives.</li> <li>▪ Drugs and narcotics.</li> <li>▪ Pornographic or obscene material.</li> <li>▪ Radio transmitters.</li> </ul>	



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