



Wisconsin Department of Transportation

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES
 Oversize/Overweight Permits
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GARBAGE, REFUSE, AND RECYCLABLE SCRAP

OVERSIZE/OVERWEIGHT PERMIT INFORMATION SHEET

Under Wisconsin Statute 348.27(9r) and (12) and Chapter Trans 269, Wisconsin Administrative Code, the Department may issue permits to allow the transportation of divisible loads of garbage, refuse, and recyclable scrap.

- "Garbage" means discarded materials resulting from the handling, processing, storage and consumption of food. The transporting vehicle must be a self-compactor equipped vehicle.
- "Refuse" means any combustible and non-combustible rubbish including, but not limited to, paper, wood, metal, glass, cloth and products thereof; litter and street rubbish, ashes; and lumber, concrete, and other debris resulting from the construction or demolition of structures. The transporting vehicle must be a self-compactor equipped vehicle.
- "Recyclable-scrap" means metallic or non-metallic material in waste for which there exists a commercially demonstrated processing or manufacturing technology which uses the material as a raw material, and which is transported for use as such a raw material.

This permit may be issued for overlength and overweight.

**SIZE
LIMITATIONS**

	Vehicles & Loads
Single Vehicle Length	50'
Vehicle Combination Length	75'
Overall Width	8'6"
Overall Height	13'6"

**WEIGHT
LIMITATIONS**

✓ Axle weight limitations are described in Chapter Trans 251.05, Wisconsin Administrative Code. Maximum permit weight is not affected by the distance between axle groups; it is based on the number of axles in each axle group. To determine the number of axles in a group, axles are assigned as belonging to either the front end or back end of a vehicle.

Single Axle--less than 4 tires	20,000 lbs
Single Axle--4 or more tires	25,000 lbs
Tandem Axle	42,000 lbs
3 or more axles	55,000 lbs

**PERMIT
CONDITIONS**

- ✓ This permit cannot be used to transport pulpwood.
- ✓ Vehicles and loads which are overweight, but not oversize, may operate 24 hours a day, including weekends and holidays.
- ✓ Permits are suspended during the spring thaw, usually mid-March through mid-May.

**ROUTE
LIMITATIONS**

✓ This permit is valid for operation on the Milwaukee County Expressway except for those parts which are also part of the interstate highway system.
 ✓ This permit is not valid for operation on the Interstate, except for that portion of USH 51 between Wausau and STH 78 and that portion of STH 78 between USH 51 and the I 90/94 interchange near Portage which has been designated as I 39.

**INSURANCE
REQUIRED**

Bodily injury, each person \$150,000 or \$750,000
 Bodily injury, each accident \$450,000 combined single
 Property damage, each accident \$300,000 limit

**VEHICLE
REGISTRATION**

✓ Vehicle or vehicles must be registered for not less than the maximum registration weight available or the permit weight, whichever is less.

**PERMIT
APPLICATION**

✓ Apply using Multiple Trip Form MV2612.
 ✓ Permits may be issued for 3 to 12 months.

**FEE
INFORMATION**

✓ Submit the required fee with your application. Make checks payable to: **Registration Fee Trust.**
 ✓ Permit fees for overweight, or overweight and overlength, are shown in the table below.
 ✓ Use this table to determine your permit fee. Calculate fees from the effective DAYS of the permit, not the calendar months. (example: 9/5 to 11/20--greater than 2 months to the day, but less than 3 months--would be 3 months.)

Months:	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3
Weight: 90,000	200.00	198.33	181.67	165.00	148.33	131.67	115.00	98.33	81.67	65.00
100,000	350.00	335.83	306.67	277.50	248.33	219.17	190.00	160.83	131.67	102.50
110,000	450.00	427.50	390.00	352.50	315.00	277.50	240.00	202.50	165.00	127.50
120,000	550.00	519.17	473.33	427.50	381.67	335.83	290.00	244.17	198.33	152.50
130,000	650.00	610.83	556.67	502.50	448.33	394.17	340.00	285.83	231.67	177.50
140,000	750.00	702.50	640.00	577.50	515.00	452.50	390.00	327.50	265.00	202.50
150,000	850.00	794.17	723.33	652.50	581.67	510.83	440.00	369.17	298.33	227.50