

# Overview of bicycle signalization in Switzerland



valid from July 1, 2025

**Bicycles / motorized bicycles**



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**Light motorized bicycles:**

- low-speed e-bikes (25 km/h) / pedelecs
- e-trotinettes (20 km/h)
- e-scooters
- cargo e-bikes ( $\leq$  250 kg)

**Fast / heavy motorized bicycles**












**Fast motorized bicycles:**







- fast e-bikes (45 km/h) / s-pedelecs
- classic motorized bicycles (30 km/h)







**Heavy motorized bicycles:**

- cargo e-bikes (250-450 kg)

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 <p>Cycle path and footpath with separate traffic lanes</p>	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory
 <p>Shared cycle and footpath</p>	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory	Use is mandatory

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Pedestrian zone







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No riding	No riding	No riding	No riding	No riding
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Riding at walking pace allowed	Riding at walking pace allowed	Riding at walking pace allowed	Riding at walking pace allowed	Riding at walking pace allowed
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 Ban on motorized bicycles	Riding permitted	Riding permitted	No riding <small>newly introduced from 1.7.2025</small>	No riding <small>newly introduced from 1.7.2025</small>	No riding <small>newly introduced from 1.7.2025</small>
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<div>  <div>Riding prohibited</div> </div> <div>  </div> <div>  <div>  <div>Right turn for cyclists permitted</div> </div> </div>	Riding permitted	Riding permitted	Riding permitted	Riding permitted	Riding permitted
	Right turn on red permitted (no priority)	Right turn on red permitted (no priority)	Right turn on red permitted (no priority)	Right turn on red permitted (no priority)	Right turn on red permitted (no priority)