

Do you want to fly on a much-deserved holiday in the next while and take your Swiss-Trac with you? We have compiled the following noteworthy points, along with the manufacturer of Swiss-Trac, so that you can be well prepared to fly on holiday without any difficulty.

Before the journey

- Inform your travel agent and indeed the airline about your disability and your requirements.
- Inform your travel agency/airline that you are taking a wheelchair towing machine (Swiss-Trac) along.



All major airlines transport aides of disabled passengers free of charge. This also applies to Swiss-Trac. You must insist on this!

Suitability for flight

All Swiss-Tracs are fitted with flight-compliant batteries which contain no acidic fluid. The batteries comply with the norms. Written confirmation of this may be acquired from the SPA or from the Swiss-Trac manufacturer.

Battery Charger, Special Electrical Adapter etc.

- You will need a special battery charger if you travel to a country which uses a 110 Volt system. You can rent one from your Swiss-Trac manufacturer.
- A so-called socket adapter may be required, depending on the country.

We advise you to have your towing machine and the batteries checked over at least once a year by a Swiss-Trac sales partner.

On the day of flight

- Ensure that your towing machine is fitted with a clearly visible address label with your home address on it, just as on a suitcase.
- You can drive with the towing machine to the airline check-in. A luggage label will be required for the Swiss-Trac as with all suitcases. Should this be forgotten be sure to remind them.
- The Swiss-Trac weighs 65 kg.
- Inform the check-in clerk that the Swiss-Trac belongs to the wheelchair and can be checked in free of charge as a bulky item.
- A ticket will be handed to you and you will be directed to the bulky items counter.

The constituent steps at the bulky items counter

1. Switch off the towing machine and remove the key.
2. Open the bonnet and carefully remove the orange-coloured fuse. Warning: Do not let it fall! In case of emergency a replacement fuse is stored immediately beside the original.
3. Put the fuse along with the key in your purse or wallet.
4. Fold down the steering controls.
5. Tighten the black lever nut tightly. If the lever sticks out sideways, pull it out and turn it until it points downwards.
6. Close the cover of the charger socket.
7. Now apply the brake and tie the brake lever to the steering handle with a cord, cable tie or something similar. This will prevent the brake from loosening, should someone inadvertently pull the brake lever.



8. Swing the drawbar up sideways to the chassis and tie it tightly to the carrier.
9. Fix a note or a sticker to the instrument panel with the words: «**Do not put on belt!**» These labels are also available on request from the SPA or your Swiss-Trac sales partner.
10. Important: The transverse must be transported in your hand luggage and not in your suitcase. It must be fitted to the wheelchair immediately on disembarking.
11. The batteries must not be removed from the machine. If it is requested that the batteries be disconnected or removed, show them the above confirmation concerning flight compliance and explain that all electricity flow is interrupted following removal of the fuse.

With this we wish you a pleasant flight and a relaxing holiday.

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