

TOWING WEIGHTS

Maximum permissible towing weights	Variant	kg
Unbraked trailers	All vehicles	750
Trailers with overrun brakes	Hybrid vehicles	3 000
Trailers with overrun brakes	All other vehicles	3 500
Unrestricted tow ball nose weight ¹	All vehicles	150
Restricted tow ball nose weight ²	Powered tow ball towing a trailer with overrun brakes	200
	All other tow balls towing a trailer with overrun brakes	250
Tow ball mounted accessories (e.g., bicycle rack)	All vehicles	80

Note: ¹ When towing in the European Union (EU), the maximum Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW) can be increased by up to 100 kg, provided that the vehicle's road speed is limited to 100 km/h (60 mph). In this case, the nose weight is 150 kg when the vehicle is in its fully laden condition.

Note: When towing outside the EU, always make sure that the GVW and the maximum rear axle limits are not exceeded, when applying the nose weight.

See **330, WEIGHTS**, for details of the GVW, Gross Train Weight (GTW), axle weights and the maximum payload.

Note: When calculating rear axle loading, remember that the tow ball nose weight, the weight in the vehicle's loadspace area, the weight on the roof rack, and the weight of the rear seat passengers must all be considered.

Note: ² This restriction applies solely to trailers with overrun brakes. For the powered tow ball option, a restricted weight of 200 kg applies. The vehicle's payload **MUST** be reduced to make sure that the GVW and maximum rear axle limits are not exceeded when applying the nose weight.

For all other towing systems, the nose weight can be increased to 250 kg. In this case, the vehicle's payload **MUST** be reduced to make sure that the GVW and maximum rear axle limits are not exceeded when applying this nose weight.

Note: The powered tow ball option is limited to 1 000 kg for off-road use.

Australia only: The nose weight must be a minimum of 7% of the gross caravan/trailer weight, up to a maximum of 350 kg.