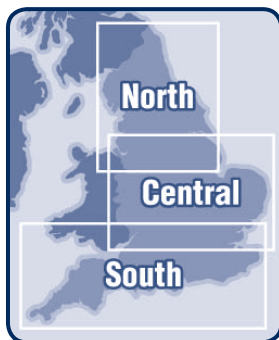


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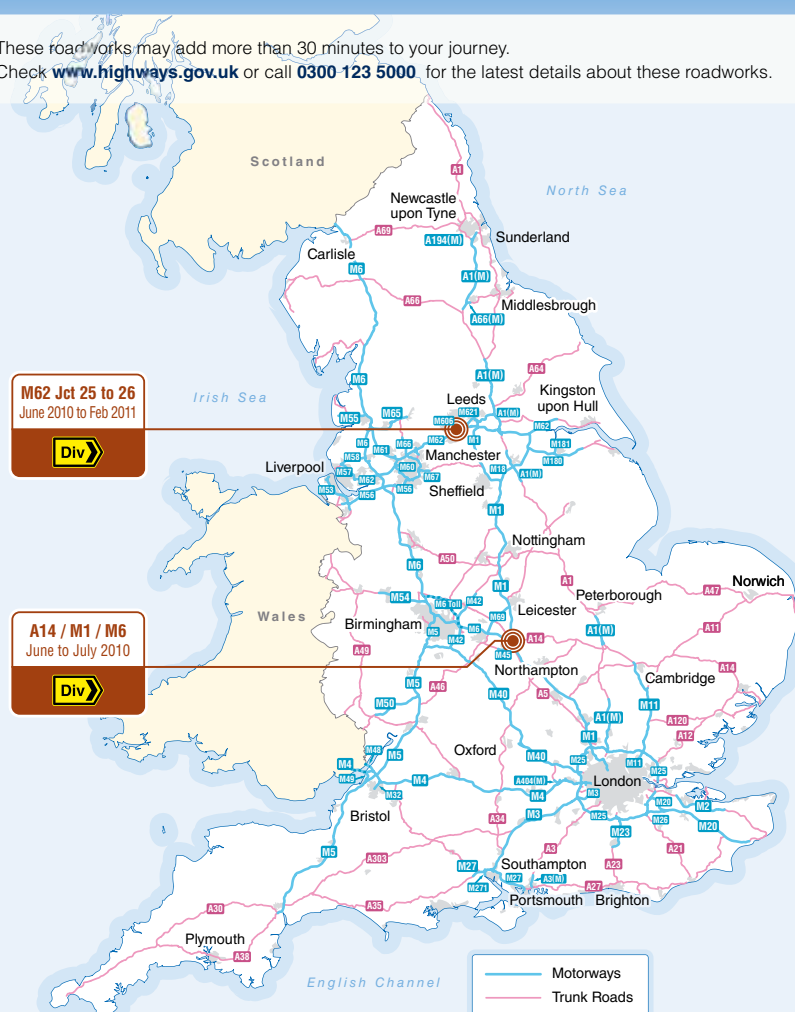
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## Check the live traffic information for your holiday journey

**Packing suitcases, keeping children entertained en-route and getting to your destination can easily be the most stressful time of a family holiday.**

### Major roadworks across England

These roadworks may add more than 30 minutes to your journey.  
Check [www.highways.gov.uk](http://www.highways.gov.uk) or call **0300 123 5000** for the latest details about these roadworks.



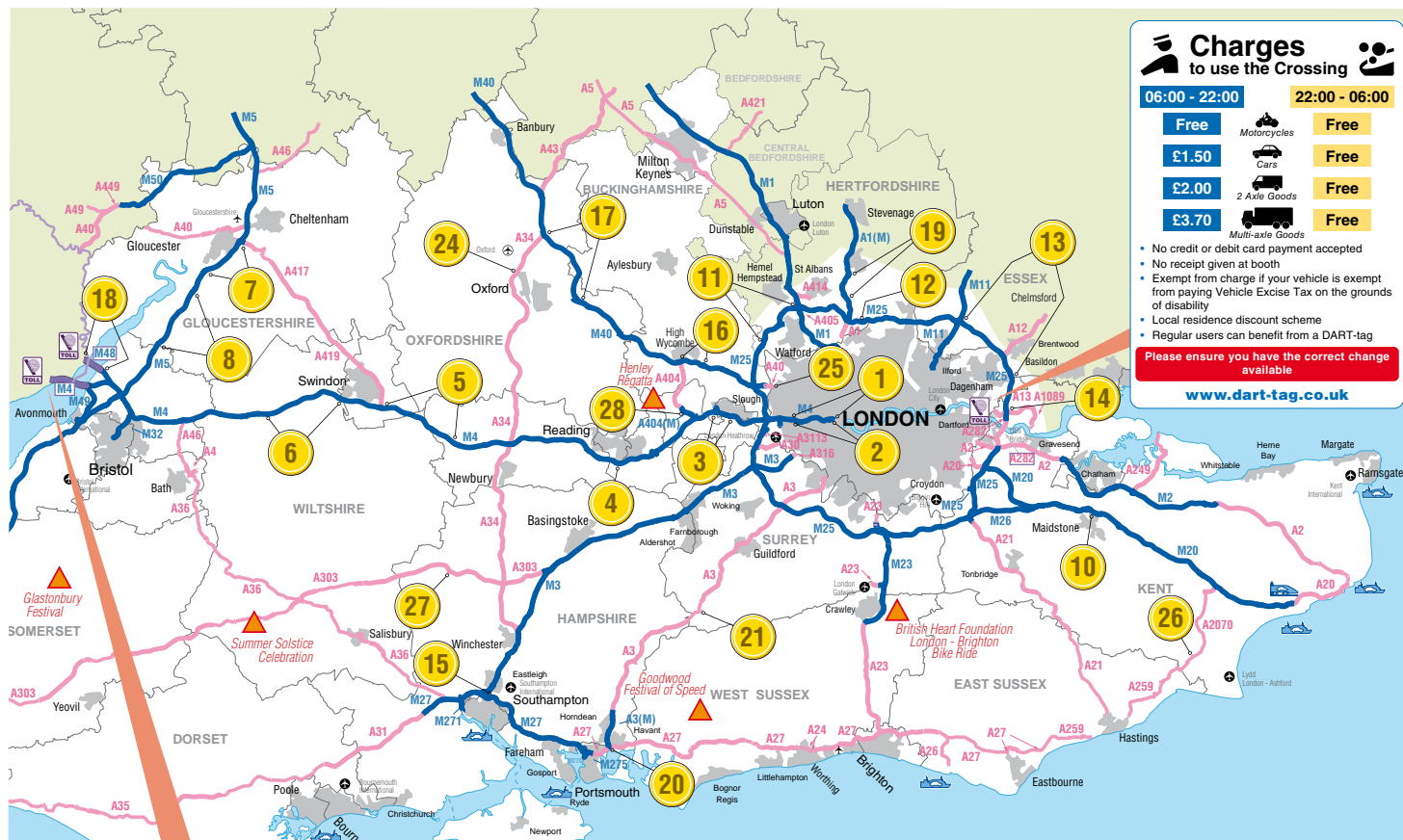
To help you on your way we have a vast array of technology monitoring traffic flow and you can easily check this information on our website, on your mobile phone or by listening to Traffic Radio.

The team in our control rooms keeps a watchful eye on your route and passes on vital information to help you plan your journey.

A few minutes checking the traffic and weather conditions before you set out and whenever you take a break, helps you to allow the right amount of time for your journey or sometimes to choose a different route.

Visit [www.highways.gov.uk/traffic](http://www.highways.gov.uk/traffic) on your pc, laptop or mobile – or download our free app for your iPhone.

**Remember: never use a mobile while you're driving**



### Charges to use the Crossing

06:00 - 22:00	22:00 - 06:00
Free	Free
£1.50	Free
£2.00	Free
£3.70	Free

Motorcycles  
 Cars  
 2 Axle Goods  
 Multi-axle Goods

- No credit or debit card payment accepted
- No receipt given at booth
- Exempt from charge if your vehicle is exempt from paying Vehicle Excise Tax on the grounds of disability
- Local residence discount scheme
- Regular users can benefit from a DART-tag

**Please ensure you have the correct change available**

[www.dart-tag.co.uk](http://www.dart-tag.co.uk)

### Toll Charges for Severn Bridges

Vehicle Type	Cash only	Season TAG		Trip TAG
		Monthly	Quarterly	
<b>Motorcycles</b>	Free	Free	Free	Free
<b>Category 1</b> Cars and motor caravans	£5.50	£96.80	£290.40	£5.50
<b>Category 2</b> Small goods vehicles and small buses	£10.90	£191.84	£575.52	£10.90
<b>Category 3</b> Other goods vehicles and buses	£16.40	£324.72	£974.16	£16.40

Please note motorcycles and disabled badge holders are exempt from toll charges. Also there is no extra charge for towing caravans / trailers.

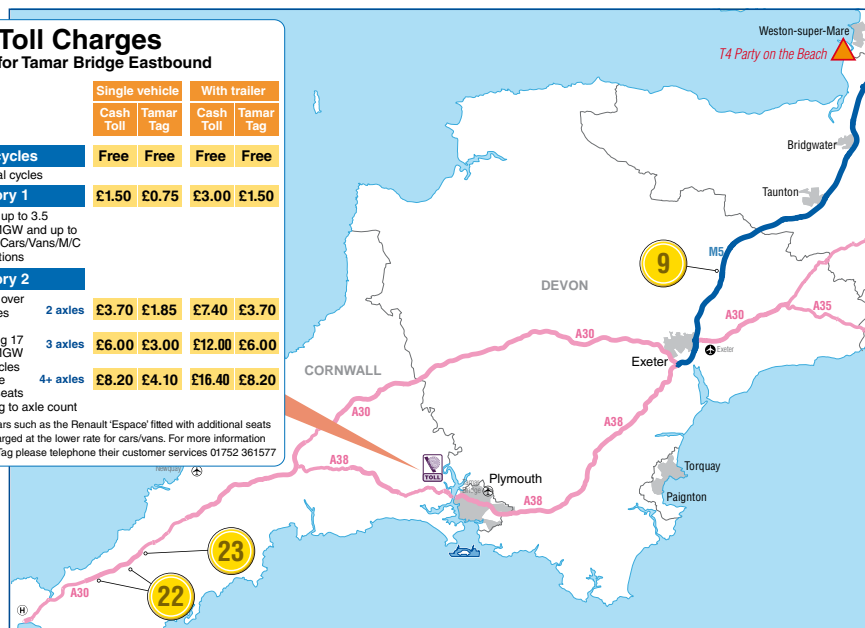
**Tolls are cash only – no card payments accepted.**

For more information visit [www.severnbridge.co.uk](http://www.severnbridge.co.uk)

### Toll Charges for Tamar Bridge Eastbound

	Single vehicle		With trailer	
	Cash	Tamar Tag	Cash	Tamar Tag
<b>Motorcycles and pedal cycles</b>	Free	Free	Free	Free
<b>Category 1</b> Vehicles up to 3.5 tonnes MGW and up to 8 seats* Cars/Vans/M/C combinations	£1.50	£0.75	£3.00	£1.50
<b>Category 2</b> Vehicles over 3.5 tonnes but not exceeding 17 tonnes MGW and vehicles with more than 8* seats according to axle count				
2 axes	£3.70	£1.85	£7.40	£3.70
3 axes	£6.00	£3.00	£12.00	£6.00
4+ axes	£8.20	£4.10	£16.40	£8.20

\*Private cars such as the Renault 'Espace' fitted with additional seats will be charged at the lower rate for cars/vans. For more information on TamarTag please telephone their customer services 01752 361577



Motorways  
 Trunk Roads (dual carriageway)  
 Trunk Roads (single carriageway)  
 Toll Roads

Event Locations (details around map)  
 Vehicle Ferry

**Likely Delay at Busy Times**  
 more than 30 minutes  
 10 - 30 minutes

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## Events - Allow extra journey time around events

Events shown on the map will mean more traffic and slower journeys. We'll try to limit roadworks around them but if you can, plan a different route or allow more time when they are happening.

- M5, A303 – 23 to 27 June 2010.** Glastonbury Festival
- M5 – 4 July 2010.** T4 Party on the Beach, Weston-Super-Mare
- M23 – 20 June 2010.** British Heart Foundation London to Brighton Bike Ride
- A27 – 2 to 4 July 2010.** Festival of Speed, Goodwood, Chichester
- A303 Stonehenge – 20 to 21 June 2010.** Summer Solstice Celebration
- A404 – 30 June to 4 July 2010.** Henley Regatta

We hope this information will help you plan your journeys while we make some improvements. We may carry out some other roadworks too, usually at quieter times (10:00 to 16:00 or 19:00 to 07:00). This information was correct when it was printed but could change.









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This guide covers the roads we manage – motorways and trunk roads. Please contact your local authority if you would like to find out about other roads.

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On the map	Where?	When?	What?	Special Instructions
	M4 Junction 1 to Junction 3	7 to 11 June and 2 to 6 August 2010	Routine maintenance. Road closed going west.	
	M4 Junction 3 to Junction 1	14 to 18 June and 9 to 13 August 2010	Routine maintenance. Road closed going east.	
	M4 Junction 6 to Junction 7	June to July 2010	Bridge improvements. Narrow lanes. Occasional slip road closures.	
	M4 Junction 11 Reading	Until summer 2010	Junction improvement. Narrow lanes.	
	M4 Junction 14 to Junction 15	Until summer 2010	Improving the carriageway and drainage. Narrow lanes.	
	M4 Junction 16 to Junction 17	Until end July 2010	Replacing bridge. Narrow lanes.	
	M5 Junction 11a to Junction 12	Until August 2010	Bridge protection improvements. Narrow lanes.	
	M5 Junction 13 to Junction 14	Until August 2010	Bridge protection improvements. Narrow lanes.	
	M5 Junction 28	Early June to mid August 2010	Drainage improvements. Narrow lanes.	
	M20 Junction 6	Early June 2010	Bridge refurbishment. Various lane closures.	 
	M25 Junction 17 to Junction 21a	June 2010 to early 2011	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	 
	M25 Junction 24	28 June to 2 July 2010	Installing traffic sensing loops. Carriageway closed anticlockwise.	
	M25 Junction 27 to Junction 29	July 2010 to June 2011	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	 
	M25 Junction 30	Until mid June 2010	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	 
	M27 Junction 5 Eastleigh	Until August 2010	Junction improvement. Narrow lanes on entry and exit slip roads.	
	M40 Junction 3 to Junction 4	July to December 2010	Carriageway reconstruction going north and going south. 24 hour contraflow and narrow lanes in place.	 
	M40 Junction 8 to Junction 9	August to November 2010	Resurfacing the road going north and going south. Narrow lanes.	
	M48 Severn Bridge	Until October 2010	Carriageway improvements. Lanes closed in both directions. Occasional road closures.	
	A1(M) Junction 2 to Junction 4	Until May 2011	Tunnel improvements. Narrow lanes.	
	A3(M) Junction 5	May to September 2010	Carriageway improvements on slip roads. Narrow lanes.	
	A3 Hindhead Improvement	Until 2011	Building a bypass through new tunnel and maintaining the dual carriageway.	

<b>22</b>	<b>A30 Avers to Tolvaddon Junctions</b>	<b>Until October 2010</b>	Renewing the road surface. Contraflow in operation. Narrow lanes.	 
<b>23</b>	<b>A30 Chiverton Roundabout</b>	<b>Until March 2011</b>	Improving traffic flow at roundabout. Occasional overnight lane closures. Narrow lanes.	
<b>24</b>	<b>A34 Wolvercote Viaduct Oxford</b>	<b>Until summer 2010</b>	Improving the road. Narrow lanes.	
<b>25</b>	<b>A40 Denham Roundabout</b>	<b>21 to 25 June 2010</b>	Installing traffic sensing loops. Entry slip road closed going east.	
<b>26</b>	<b>A259 Straight Lane Brooklands</b>	<b>Until June 2010</b>	Level crossing maintenance work. Road closed Monday 21 June for 3 nights.	
<b>27</b>	<b>A303 Andover Monxton Interchange</b>	<b>June 2010 to spring 2011</b>	Construction of new bridge and slip road improvement.	
<b>28</b>	<b>A404(M) Junction 9a to Junction 9b</b>	<b>Until April 2011</b>	Improving the road. Narrow lanes going north and south.	

 <p>This is the sign for a <b>'contraflow'</b>. It means that you may be travelling in narrow lanes with no permanent barriers between you and traffic travelling in the opposite direction. Also the hard shoulder may well be used as a lane for traffic. So please: • keep a good distance from the vehicle in front of you; • do not go faster than speed limits on the signs.</p>	 <p><b>Speed limit</b> (If no speed limit is given, please follow the usual speed limit for the road.)</p>
	 <p><b>Follow 'Diversion' signs</b></p>