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Planned roadworks on England's major roads • Central edition • June to August 2010



This leaflet is one of three covering the whole of England.

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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.

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.

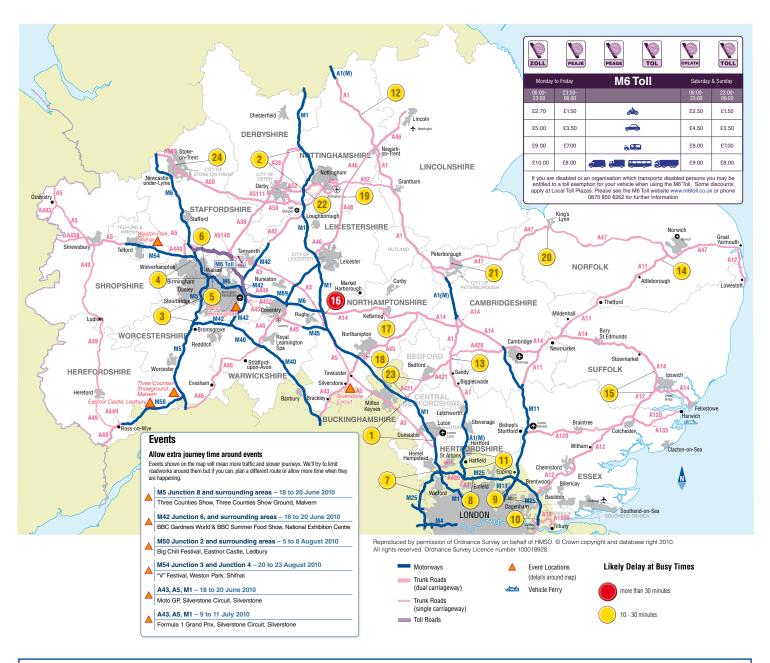
The team in our control rooms keeps a watchful eye on your route and passes on vital information to help you plan your journey.

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.

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Remember: never use a mobile while you're driving





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 produced but could change. If you would like the very latest information, please visit www.highways.gov.uk or call us on 0300 123 5000. 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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Your guide to roadworks in Central England - June to August 2010

On the map	Where?	When?	What?	Special Instructions
1	M1 Junction 10 to Junction 13	Until spring 2013	Carriageway improvements. Contraflow. Delays in both directions.	50 🛂
2	M1 Junction 25 to Junction 28	Until October 2010	Widening carriageway.	50
3	M5 Junction 3 to Junction 4 Halesowen	Late July 2010	Removing scaffold following electricity works. Road closed one night 23:00 - 06:00.	Diversion
4	M6 Junction 8 to Junction 10a	June to September 2010	Installing gantry and overhead signs. Occasional road closure Monday to Thursday 22:00 - 06:00, Friday 22:00 - 08:00 and Saturday 22:00 - 10:00. Signs will advise dates.	50 Diversion

5	M6 Junction 9 Wednesbury	Early June 2010, approximately 7 nights	Structural work. Joining slip road going north and leaving slip road going south closed 2200 - 0600.	Diversion
6	M6 Junction 9 Wednesbury	Mid June 2010, approximately 7 nights	Structural work. Joining slip road going south and leaving slip road going north closed 2200 - 0600.	Diversion
7	M25 Junction 17 to Junction 21a	June 2010 to early 2011	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	50 🔁
8	M25 Junction 24	28 June 2010 to 2 July 2010	Installing traffic sensing loops. Carriageway closed anticlockwise.	
9	M25 Junction 27 to Junction 29	June 2010 to October 2011	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	50 🔁
10	M25 Junction 30	Until mid June 2010	Widening the road. Contraflow, narrow lanes.	50 🚜
11	A1M Junction 2 to Junction 4, Hatfield	Until April 2011	Tunnel improvements. Narrow lanes.	40
12	A1 Apleyhead	June 2010	Roadworks. Carriageway closure going south 20:00 - 06:00.	Diversion
13	A1 Wyboston to Black Cat Roundabout	Until July 2010	Overnight resurfacing work and road closures.	Diversion
14	A11 Station Lane, Ketteringham	August to October 2010	Junction improvements. One lane closed in each direction.	50
15	A14 Whitehouse to Copdock	Until June 2010	Roadworks. Overnight and weekend contraflows.	50 🔀
16	A14 / M1 / M6 Interchange	Mid June to early July 2010	Carriageway resurfacing. Closures on slip roads and main carriageway. Weekend closure from Friday 22.00 - Monday 05.00.	Diversion
17	A14 Junction 8	Mid July to mid August 2010	Electrical work. Carriageway closed going west 21:00 - 06:00.	Diversion
18	A45 Grange Park	End July to end September 2010	Bridge repairs. Lanes closed going north and south 22:00 - 05:00.	
19	A46 Widmerpool to Farndon and A52 approach to Saxondale Roundabout	Until April 2012	Rebuilding the carriageway. Road closed. Traffic lights in place.	40
20	A47 Kings Lynn Bridge	June to September 2010	Bridge repairs. Two weekend contraflows. Two narrow lanes in each direction.	40 🔁
21	A47 Edith Cavell Hospital Peterborough	Until July 2010	Installing traffic signals on roundabout. Slip road works. Installing replacement footbridge. Weekend closures.	50 Diversion
22	A52 Junction 25 (M1) to Willowbrook Farm	Mid July to mid August 2010	Resurfacing carriageway. Road closed going west 20:00 - 06:00.	Diversion
23	A421 M1(J13) to Bedford	Until end 2010	New road construction. Delays in both directions.	40
24	A500 Etruria to Porthill, Stoke on Trent both directions	June to July 2010	Resurfacing carriageway and associated works. Road closed 21:00 - 06:00.	Diversion



This is the sign for a 'contraflow'. 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.



Speed limit (If no speed limit is given, please follow the usual speed limit for the road.)

Diversion

Follow 'Diversion' signs