Traffic Regulations at the Exhibition Site

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Important note: Messe Frankfurt has a traffic management system since 2017 which results in entrance regulations to be observed.
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When can you set up your stand?
You can begin with the set-up of your stand three days before Frankfurter Buchmesse.

Stand set-up times:
- Sunday, 13 October 2019: 7:00 am–9:00 pm
- Monday, 14 October 2019: 7:00 am–10:00 pm
- Tuesday, 15 October 2019: 7:00 am–10:00 pm

Prior to 13 October 2019 access to the exhibition site is only possible if you are in possession of a permit issued in writing. This permit for early access and set up must be purchased from Frankfurter Buchmesse prior to 1 August 2019.

Access to the exhibition site during stand assembly
Every vehicle that requires access to the exhibition site during stand assembly or dismantling must pass the Check-in.

It is the only place where entry permits are available. This applies to all vehicle types (car, transporter and truck).

For quicker processing times, vehicles should be registered in advance using the online portal of Messe Frankfurt:
https://einfahrts.messefrankfurt.com

Please note: The Online registration is possible from 1 August 2019.

You will receive a confirmation of receipt so that you can register at check-in quickly and easily. Your confirmation will be scanned at check-in. Depending on the status of the exhibition assembly and current site occupancy, Check-in will either be located off-site at the Rebsstockgelände parking area or at the fair entrance gates.

Low emission zone Frankfurt
Frankfurt is one of the German cities with an environmental zone requiring a windshield badge. If you want to drive through Frankfurt’s city centre by car, please obtain the required environmental badge in good time before your visit. Information at www.umweltzone frankfurt.de

Important during set-up
- Entrances, lifts and hall gateways must be kept free at all times; other vehicles must not be blocked.
- Please remember to bring your own trolley.
- Beginning at 7:00 pm on 15 October 2019 all traffic access and designated areas must be cleared so that the grounds can be cleaned.
- After midnight on 15 October 2019, no vehicles or container carriers are allowed to remain on the exhibition site.
- Vehicles left inside the exhibition site will be towed at the owner’s expense on the morning of Wednesday, 16 October 2019.

You decide who takes part in setting up of your stand

Through the Exhibitor ticketing portal we issue passes to your team for set-up and dismantling. Access to the exhibition site is only permitted when in possession of these passes or exhibitor passes.

Who is allowed to drive onto the exhibition site?

Driving onto the exhibition site is restricted to loading and unloading only and is allowed for a limited period of time. Only vehicles being used for stand set-up are allowed to drive onto the exhibition site. Up until Tuesday, 15 October 2019, you will be given your access authorization at the Check-in for time-limited access.

In addition, security checks will be carried out continuously at all gates. For this reason, it is important that all personnel contracted to carry out stand set-up carry their set-up passes with them (see above).

Limited loading times

The loading zones are exclusively intended for loading and unloading; they may not be used for parking vehicles. It is essential to set a time limit for loading and unloading in order to ensure that escape and access routes for fire and rescue services are not blocked by vehicles. The applicable loading times will be entered on the vehicles’ access permit.

Loading time for lorries over 3.5 t licensed laden weight:
- Up to Monday, 14 October 2019: max. 6 hours
- On Tuesday, 15 October 2019: max. 6 hours

Vans up to 3.5 t licensed laden weight and cars with trailers:
- Up to Monday, 14 October 2019: 6 hours
- On Tuesday, 15 October 2019: max. 3 hours

These time limits also apply, of course, to the respective trailer users, container platforms and swap bodies.

Please keep loading zones largely free of cars

Cars without trailers also have the opportunity to load and unload in the loading zones during setup time.

Please understand, however, that this may not be possible at all times. Until Monday, 14 October 2019, you can obtain an access permit at the Check-in for a maximum of three hours. After that you can park on the parking level of Hall 4 (P4).

New: On the last day for set-up, Tuesday, 15 October, individual loading zones for cars will be set up in Halls 3, 4 and 6. Trolleys can be hired there for a deposit of 100 euros. After unloading, leave the loading zone immediately and park vehicles in car parks P4 or P10!

If you do not need to use the loading zone and only need a parking space, you receive at the Check-in a direct access permit for the parking space P4. Please leave the parking level with your car before the end of the dismantling days. During the fair, parking on P4 is only permitted for holders of an applicable parking pass.

For exhibitors in Halls 5 and 6

The loading areas in Halls 4 North, 5 and 6 are exclusively reserved for lorries and transporters with a total weight exceeding 3.5 t.

The maximum loading times also apply here until Monday, 14 October 2019: 12 hours
- On Tuesday, 15 October 2019: max. 6 hours

These time limits also apply to any related trailers or swap bodies.

A special loading zone will be set up for transporters weighing up to 2.8 t, cars, and cars with trailers on parking level P4.3.

From there, you can reach Halls 5 and 6 via the freight elevators A413 and A414 or via the Foyer of Hall 4.2 and the connecting bridge.

For unloading during the set-up days, taxis will be admitted up to the fair Halls 5 and 6.

For transportation back to the hotels during the set-up days, there will be a taxi stand beneath the S-Bahn station across from Hall 4 West. There will be another taxi stand in front of the Congress Center at the Ludwig-Erhard-Anlage, which can also be accessed by taxis during the fair days.

Spaces for your transport vehicles

The Rebsstock lorry car park is available for you for a fee to leave your set-up and dismantling vehicles, trailers and containers.

Vehicle access during the fair

During the fair itself (with the exception of Sunday, 20 October 2019), vehicle access limited to two hours is possible between 8:00 am and 6:00 pm for the delivery of goods (e.g. catering) to the halls. Please use the following gates for interim access: for Hall 3 use gate Ost and gate...
Trade visitors
16–20 October 2019

General public
19–20 October 2019

Opening hours
Daily 9.00 am–6.30 pm
Sunday 9.00 am–5.30 pm

Süd and for Halls 4, 5 and 6 use gate Nord and gate Süd.
This is where you will be given an interim pass for your vehicle upon payment of a deposit of 100 euros. Your deposit will be returned to you when you hand in the interim pass before expiry of the two-hour period at the same gate as you used to enter the site. The deposit will not be returned if you exceed the time limit. Unfortunately, we have repeatedly found in recent years that interim vehicle access has been improperly used on the last day of the fair. For this reason and in the interest of all concerned: no interim access is possible on Sunday, 20 October 2019 (last day of the fair)!

Access to the exhibition site during stand dismantlings
Dismantling vehicles can come onto the site two hours after the close of the fair. During the dismantling period, dismantling personnel must always be able to show an exhibitor pass or a set-up and dismantling pass! The access roads to the exhibition site are closed on the last day of the fair, Sunday, 20 October 2019, as from 2.00 pm. Please drive your vehicle directly to the Rebstock parking area. From there, you will be directed in a convoy onto the exhibition site starting from 7.00 pm. Exhibitors with parking permits for the exhibition site (P4) are also only allowed to drive to their parking spaces up until 2.00 pm, after which entry is no longer possible. Entry to the exhibition site from the car parks is only possible when the entire convoy has entered the site (approx. 7.30 pm). For this reason, users of the P4 car park etc. are requested to load their vehicles there directly. It is not possible to register for access on the last day of the fair and first dismantling evening (20 October 2019) using the online portal of Messe Frankfurt. The portal, however, is available for 21 October 2019.

In your own interest
Please follow all the traffic rules at the exhibition site during set-up and dismantling. This regulation applies as specific instructions in supplement to the Terms & Conditions of Participation at the Frankfurter Buchmesse 2018. It is laid down jointly by Frankfurter Buchmesse and Messe Frankfurt for the benefit of all exhibitors.

We are here to help
Until 9 October 2019 you can reach us under the known contact details. As from 10 October 2019, you can find us in our office at the exhibition site:
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