

# Removal of the Most Generous Baggage Allowance Policy

Today, when a customer is travelling on a return or stopover journey in mixed cabins, the Most Generous Allowance (MGA) applies for baggage ie. a customer travelling outbound in World Traveller, but returning in Club World would receive the Club World baggage allowance on both sectors.

**Effective from 18 October 2017 British Airways is removing the Most Generous Baggage Allowance.**

For new bookings the customer will receive the baggage allowance applicable to the cabin they are flying in on a return/stopover journey.

## Examples

JOURNEY	ROUTE	CABIN	BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE	
			MGA APPLIED - TODAY	MGA REMOVED - 18 OCTOBER 2017
Return	LGW-BGI	World Traveller	2 x 32kg bags	<b>1 x 23kg bag</b>
	BGI-LGW	Club World	2 x 32kg bags	<b>2 x 32kg bags</b>
Stopover	EDI-LGW	Euro Traveller	2 x 32kg bags	<b>1 x 23kg bag</b>
	LGW-BGI	Club World	2 x 32kg bags	<b>2 x 32kg bags</b>

The most significant international operating carrier (MSIOC) rule will still apply on a single journey component involving a connection (less than 24 hours).

### Example

CPH-DXB: if Club Europe is booked on the CPH-LON sector and World Traveller on the LON-DXB sector, the World Traveller baggage allowance would apply.

If the connection is outside 24 hours this is classed as a stopover journey and the ticketed allowance for each sector would apply.

### Impact on bookings following the removal of MGA

Existing booking	<p>The change will NOT impact existing bookings made prior to 18 October 17.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MGA will be retained on all existing bookings.</li> <li>• Voluntary/involuntary changes made to these existing bookings will retain MGA.</li> </ul>
New booking	<p>The change will impact all new bookings made on/after 18 October 17.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All BA flights (short haul and long haul).</li> <li>• No change to interline rules.</li> </ul>

### Charges for extra baggage

Your customers can take more bags than their allowance, which are charged per bag up to a total of 10 per person, including their allowance.

[More details on extra and overweight baggage](#)