



Statens vegvesen

Norwegian Public Roads
Administration

Traffic information:

Military exercise Cold Response 9–19 March 2026

The roads marked in blue will be affected the most during the exercise

- Be extra alert
- Expect delays
- Check traffic information at www.vegvesen.no



NATO Exercise Cold Response 9–19 March 2026:

Be extra alert in traffic

There will be considerable military traffic from Narvik to inland Troms and within inland Troms from 2 March. After the exercise is over, personnel and vehicles will be returning, which means that there will be a large number of military vehicles on the roads then too. There will be delays and queues on the roads.

This is what you should do:

- Expect delays and make sure you have enough time
- Be extra alert
- Keep a good distance – military vehicles are large and heavy
- Be extra cautious both when overtaking and when facing oncoming military vehicles
- Make sure you are seen – large vehicles have large blind spots
- If you walk or cycle, pay extra attention
- Wear reflectors or reflective garments if you are out in the dark
- Follow both civilian and military signage – exercise areas will be specially signposted

Military convoys:

Military convoys are marked with a blue flag / blue light on the front vehicle, and a green flag / green light on the rear vehicle, and with signs reading “MILITÆR KOLONNE” both at the front and at the rear of the convoy.

- Do not overtake, this is only allowed on a four-lane road
- Do not cut into the convoy
- Keep a good distance
- Be patient
- Follow directions
- Be extra alert

These roads will be affected in particular:

- E6 Narvik – Bjerkevik – Skibotn
- Fv. 84 Fossbakken – Tennevoll – Sjøvegan – Løksebotn – Skøelv
- Fv. 851/fv. 7812 Brandvoll – Sjøvegan
- Fv. 86 Skøelv – Bardufoss
- Fv. 87 Bardufoss – Skjold
- Fv. 855 Buktamoen – Finnfjordbotn
- Fv. 854/fv. 87 Moen i Målselv – Skjold
- Fv. 7834/fv. 7890 Kjellmoen – Storsteinnes
- Fv. 825/fv. 7806 Langmyra – Årstein – Tennevoll
- Fv. 8240 from E10 to Ramsund
- E8 from Skibotn to Finland

There may be temporary changes to speed limits on some routes.

Check traffic information in the Norwegian Public Roads Administration's (NPRA) app Vegvesen trafikk and at www.vegvesen.no/trafikk.