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## Cargo Weight and Balance

All vehicles must stay within weight limits.

Loading heaviest cargo on the bottom and lightest cargo on the top is the safest way to distribute cargo.



Overloading can affect steering, braking and speed control.

High center-of-gravity (top heavy) loads can cause a truck to tip or roll over.

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