



Helicopter Loading Information

Please take a moment to read through the loading information below regarding maximum load volumes and weights for each type of helicopter. These guidelines have been established to avoid time consuming gear re-packs and interruption to our flight schedule.

Please **do not** bring:

- Old style framed packs,
- Please minimise the gear that is attached to the outside of your pack, we will remove boots, bed rolls, tents and anything else that makes loading packs more difficult,
- Chilly bins or boxes larger than 70 litres or more than 42cm wide or 45cm high, however if possible, use soft cooler bags as these are easier to fit in the cargo pod. We would prefer 2 x smaller soft bags, than 1 large chilly bin.
- Hard gun cases

McDonnell Douglas 520N Helicopters Load Capacity - Max Load 400kgs	
1-3 Passengers	4 Passengers
• 1 roll bag or pack each	• 1 roll bag or pack each
• 1 day pack each	• 1 rifle each (no hard cases)
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• 2 chilly-bags, maximum combined volume of 70 litres and 42cm wide and 45cm high	
• 4 food cooler bags between the group, maximum size of a wine case	

Airbus AS350 Squirrel Helicopters Load Capacity - Max Load 580kgs	
4-5 Passengers	2-3 Passengers
• 1 roll bag or pack each	• As beside for 4-5 passengers, PLUS
• 1 day pack each	• 2 additional chilly bags, (same size)
• 1 rifle each (no hard cases)	• 1 additional food cooler bag (same size)
• 2 chilly-bags, maximum combined volume of 70 litres and 42cm wide and 45cm high	
• 6 food cooler bags between the group, maximum size of a wine box	