

Brachycephalic (snub nosed) Animals and Dangerous Dogs on British Airways carriage

*According to IATA Carrier Regulation (page 35) BA-07

	Cats	Dogs
NOT acceptable	All Brachycephalic Cats NOT accepted (except Exotic, Himalayan, Persian)	<p>Dangerous Dogs NOT accepted: American Pit Bull, Fila Brasileiros, Japanese Tosa, Pit Bull Terrier, Dogo Argentinos, American Staffordshire Terrier</p> <p>Snub nosed dog (pure breeds) NOT accepted: All bulldogs, Pugs, Pekingese.</p> <p>Cross breeds of Bulldogs, Pugs, and Pekingese NOT accepted: including cross breeds with other non-brachycephalic breeds.</p>
Acceptable	<p>Acceptable breeds of brachycephalic cats: Exotic, Himalayan, Persian.</p> <p>provided the kennel size for brachycephalic cats must be 10% larger than the minimum BA requirement (as described under BA-08 below) and must have open bars from the top to the bottom of the box to provide extra ventilation.</p>	<p>Cross breeds or pure breeds not listed above that have less restrictive brachycephalic features are acceptable provided the kennel size is 10% larger than the minimum BA size requirement (as described under BA-08 below) and the front of the container has open bars from the top to the bottom of the box to provide ventilation.</p> <p>Breeds acceptable for carriage (include but not limited to): Bull Mastiff, Boston Terrier, Boxer, Brussels Griffon, Shitz Tzu, Lhasa Apso, Chow Chow, Tibetan Spaniel, Shar Pei, English Toy Spaniel, King Charles Spaniel, Cavalier Spaniel, Japanese Spaniel, Japanese Chin</p>

Container Requirement - Internal size

*According to IATA Carrier Regulation (page 36) BA-08 Container Requirement

Each animal contained in the container must have enough space to turn around normally while standing, to stand and sit erect without touching the top of the container, and to lie in a natural position. To determine the **correct minimum internal kennel dimensions**:

- The **kennel length** is the distance from the root of tail to the tip of nose plus half the elbow to ground measurement;
- The **kennel width** is twice the width of the widest point of the animal;
- The **kennel height** is the distance from floor to tip of ears.