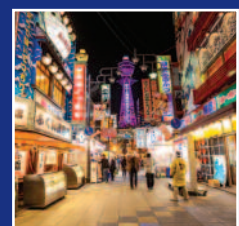


# All the right moves – Japan



**Britannia**

REMOVALS, STORAGE AND INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING



# Welcome to Britannia in the Japan

## Britannia in Japan

Britannia can offer you a door to door service to Japan, and can either ship your effects by sole use container, or for smaller shipments in a wooden crate (LCL). In addition we can offer a door to door airfreight service to most destinations in Japan. Our agents in Tokyo will arrange customs clearance, and deliver and unpack the effects, including removal of debris on day of delivery.

## Importing Personal Effects

For non citizens, shipments of used household and personal effects are duty free providing they are owned and used longer than 12 months, and the owner has a visa valid for at least one year. The effects must be imported within 6 months of shippers arrival. A customs form C-5360-2 must be provided. This is normally completed on the flight to Japan, and stamped by customs on arrival. There are different requirements for Japanese Citizens. Your local Britannia Member will provide you with detailed customs regulations.

## Documentation

Britannia and our agents will assist you with completion of customs formalities. To assist us with this please let us have a copy of your passport (and visa if applicable).

The required documentation will be supplied to you on arrival. To avoid any potential additional charges and delays it is advisable that relevant forms are completed and returned promptly to our Agents.

## Prohibitions and Restrictions

In general it is in your interest not to import the following items:

- Firearms & ammunition
- Inflammable goods & substances
- Plants & plant material
- Foodstuffs, perishables or otherwise
- Alcohol, narcotics and dangerous goods
- Offensive material

## Transit Times

Sole use containers take an average of 7 – 8 weeks. Crated consignments may take longer, on average between 8 and 10 weeks.

## Tracking Consignments

All Groupage consignments will be barcoded before they are loaded into the shipping container. This will ensure that no items are left at origin and allow us to check the status of your goods while in transit.

## Additional Services

Britannia can provide a variety of complementary services to make your moving experience as efficient and easy as possible. From International foreign exchange to helping you relocate your family's pets. For further information about Britannia's partner companies please visit - <http://www.britannia-movers.co.uk/additional-services>

## Motor Vehicles

Currently Motor Vehicles are subject to a 5% tax and may need extensive modifications to meet Japanese emission and safety requirements. We do not recommend shipment of vehicles to this destination.

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