
Motorcycle Licence Permit Practice Test 4

Q1. To avoid confusing other drivers you should:

- A. Increase the following distance between your motorcycle and the vehicle in front of you if you are being tailgated.
- B. Make sure your turn signal turns off after you finish a turn.
- C. Use your horn only in emergency situations.

Answer: B

Q2. _____ is a major factor in collisions caused by motorcycles.

- A. Following too closely
- B. Lane sharing
- C. Not being seen by other drivers

Answer: A

Q3. If your motorcycle starts to wander back and forth while riding over metal bridge gratings you should:

- A. Downshift immediately to a lower gear to improve traction.
- B. Proceed in a zig-zag pattern until you cross the bridge.
- C. Relax, stay on course and ride straight across.

Answer: C

Q4. If you must carry a load it should be:

- A. Either over or in front of the rear axle.
- B. Carried on the gas tank in front of the driver.
- C. Piled up against a sissy bar or frame on the back of the seat.

Answer: A

Q5. Grabbing the front brake or jamming down on the rear brake:

- A. Can cause the brakes to lock.
- B. Is the best way to stop in an emergency.
- C. Is the best way to slow down when the streets are wet.

Answer: A

Q6. What is the best way to stay out of trouble while riding a motorcycle?

- A. To see it coming by looking well ahead.
- B. By avoiding high density traffic areas.
- C. By increasing the following distance between your motorcycle and the vehicle in front of you.

Answer: A

Q7. A motorcycle rider has an advantage over an automobile driver when passing parked vehicles because:

- A. A motorcycle can accelerate faster than a car.

- B. A motorcycle rider can avoid the problems of opening doors and people stepping out from between vehicles by driving in the left part of the lane.
- C. Motorcycles have a shorter stopping distance.

Answer: B

Q8. Brightly colored, reflective helmets and clothing:

- A. Should only be worn while riding at night.
- B. Can make motorcycle riders easier to see.
- C. Do not increase a motorcycle rider's safety.

Answer: B

Q9. To execute a turn safely a motorcycle rider should always:

- A. Lean the motorcycle in the direction of the curve or turn.
- B. Slow down in the turn.
- C. Turn using the handle bars only.

Answer: A

Q10. What are the requirements for wearing a helmet?

- A. Passengers only are required to wear helmets.
- B. All motorcycle riders and passengers are required to wear helmets at all times.
- C. Helmets are not required while driving on city streets.

Answer: B

Q11. Grabbing the front brake or jamming down on the rear brake:

- A. Can cause the brakes to lock.
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- C. Is the best way to slow down when the streets are wet.

Answer: A

Q12. Passengers on motorcycles should:

- A. Put their feet on the ground when the motorcycle is stopped.
- B. Not ride without a back rest.
- C. Should sit as far forward as possible without crowding you.

Answer: C

Q13. When riding with a group of motorcyclists, a staggered formation:

- A. Is recommended at all times.
- B. Should not be used when entering or exiting a highway.
- C. Should be used when riding on curves.

Answer: B

Q14. Eye protection:

- A. Is not needed if your motorcycle is equipped with a windshield.
- B. Is only needed when riding in bad weather.
- C. Should give a clear view to either side.

Answer: C

Q15. A primary cause of single vehicle motorcycle collisions is:

- A. Motorcyclists' tendency to drive too fast for weather conditions.
- B. Motorcyclists running wide in a curve or turn and colliding with the roadway or a fixed object.
- C. Motorcyclists running off the road while trying to avoid a collision with another vehicle.

Answer: B

Q16. The best lane position for a motorcycle:

- A. Is in the left part of the lane, next to the center line.
- B. Is in the right part of the lane, next to the curb.
- C. Can vary depending on road and/or traffic conditions.

Answer: C

Q17. When riding at night you should:

- A. Move closer to the vehicle in front of you to use its lights to see farther down the road.
- B. Keep driving at your normal speed because slowing down would increase the chance of being struck from behind.
- C. Reduce your speed because it is harder to see something lying in the road.

Answer: C

Q18. You should operate the engine cut-off switch and pull in the clutch when:

- A. The throttle is stuck and you can't free it.
- B. You start to lose control in a curve.
- C. The motorcycle starts to wobble.

Answer: A

Q19. To operate a moped you must have at least a _____ license.

- A. Class M1
- B. Class M2
- C. Class C

Answer: B

Q20. Which of the following system is capable of releasing and reapplying brake pressure multiple times per second?

- A. Linked and Integrated Braking Systems³
- B. Drum Braking Systems

C. Anti-Lock Braking Systems

Answer: C

Q21. How to prevent a rear wheel skid?

- A. Applying pressure to the front brake pedal
- B. Applying less pressure to the rear brake pedal
- C. Applying less pressure to the front and rear brake pedal at the same time

Answer: B

Q22. Shifting to a lower gear causes an effect similar to using the brakes is known as ____?

- A. Linked and Integrated Braking
- B. Anti-Lock Braking Systems
- C. Engine braking

Answer: C

Q23. When downshifting, use a 3-step process:

1. Ease out the clutch lever as you roll on the throttle.
2. Press the shift lever down firmly.
3. Roll off the throttle as you squeeze the clutch lever.

- A. 1, 2, 3
- B. 3, 2, 1
- C. 3, 1, 2

Answer: B

Q24. When upshifting, use a 3-step process:

1. Smoothly ease out the clutch and roll on the throttle.
2. Roll off the throttle and squeeze the clutch lever.
3. Lift the shift lever firmly as far as it will go.

- A. 2, 3, 1
- B. 1, ,2 ,3
- C. 2, 1, 3

Answer: A

Q25. Which of the following is an example of typical gear pattern?

- A. N-1-2-3-4-5.
- B. 1-N-2-3-4-5.
- C. 1-2-3-4-5-N.

Answer: B