

Truck Blind Spot

How They Endanger Other Vehicles and Pedestrians



Multiple Blind Spot



Longer Braking Distance



Heavy Weight



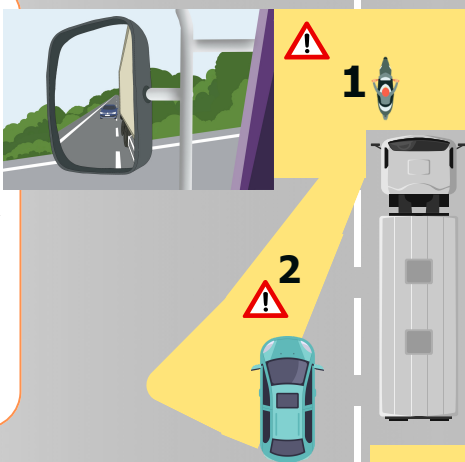
Wide Turning Radius

JUST BECAUSE YOU CAN SEE A TRUCK DOESN'T MEAN THE TRUCK'S DRIVER CAN SEE YOU!!!

2. On The Left Side

- This is the largest blind spot.
- Extremely dangerous when the truck is turning left.
- **Do not** overtake on the left, especially when the truck is turning.

MOST DANGEROUS



1. In Front

- Small vehicles and motorcycles maybe completely invisible.
- **Do not** stop too close in front of the truck.



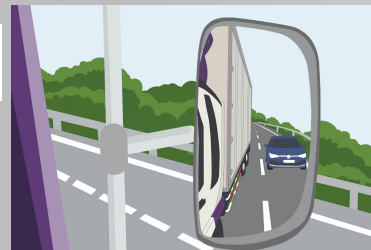
4. Behind The Truck

- Keep a safe following distance.
- Trucks need more time to brake.



3. On The Right Side

- **Avoid** driving alongside the truck for too long.
- Overtake fully or slow down and stay behind.



SAFE DRIVING TIPS

- Keep a safe distance.
- Avoid staying in blind spots.
- Use turn signals early and clearly.
- Give trucks extra space for turning.
- Never assume the driver can see you.

BEHAVIORS TO AVOID

- Cutting in front of a truck
- Overtaking on the left
- Driving alongside
- Tailgating
- Stopping too close in front at red lights
- Distracted driving

FOR PEDESTRIANS

- Make eye contact with the driver before crossing.
- Use designated crosswalks.
- Stay alert to turning trucks, especially at intersections.
- Never cross directly in front of a truck.



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