

Value	Description
0	Pre-harmonised licence issued prior to 31st December 1985.
1	Pre-harmonised licence issued between 1st January 1986 and 31st May 1990.
2	Harmonised licence issued between 1st June 1990 and 31st December 1996.
3	2nd Directive licence issued between 1st January 1997 and 18th January 2013.
4	3rd Directive licence issued since 19th January 2013.

The following table lists the licence groups which apply where the result contains a `directiveIndicator` of 0.

Group	Description
<b>A</b>	<p>You can drive vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers and driver with trailer up to 750kg; trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 3,500kg MAM; Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg; Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 8,250; Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and a driver with trailer up to 750kg.</p> <hr/> <p>Automatic versions of the vehicles quoted above</p> <hr/> <p>You can also drive vehicles in groups C, E, F, K, L and N below  Any motor trike less than 410kg (500kg laden)  Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h)  Agricultural tractor  Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle  Electrically-propelled vehicle  Vehicles (exempt from duty) under section 7 (1) of the vehicle (excise) Act 1971.</p>
<b>B</b>	<p>You can drive automatic variants of the vehicles below:  Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg; trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 3,500kg MAM;</p>

	<p>Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg; Trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 8,250kg: Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and a driver with trailer up to 750kg</p> <hr/> <p>You can also drive vehicles in groups C, E, F, K, L and N below: Any motor trike less than 410kg (500kg laden) Electrically-propelled vehicle Vehicles (exempt from duty) under section 7 (1) of the vehicle (excise) Act 1971</p> <hr/> <p>The following are not limited to automatic: Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h) Agricultural tractor Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.</p>
<b>C</b>	3 wheeled vehicles up to 410kg unladen.
<b>D</b>	Motorbike, with or without sidecar.
<b>E</b>	Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h).
<b>F</b>	Agricultural tractor.
<b>G</b>	Road roller.
<b>H</b>	Tracked vehicles.
<b>J</b>	Invalid carriage (powered wheelchairs and mobility scooters).
<b>K</b>	Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.
<b>L</b>	Electrically-propelled vehicle.
<b>M</b>	Trolley Bus.
<b>N</b>	Vehicles exempt from Vehicle Excise Duty.

**Table 1 Groups for licence issued before 31<sup>st</sup> December 1985**

The following table lists the licence groups which apply where the result contains a directiveIndicator of 1.

Group	Description
<b>A</b>	<p>You can drive vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg; trailers over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 3,500kg MAM;</p> <p>Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg;</p> <p>Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 8.250kg; Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and a driver, with trailer up to 750kg.</p> <hr/> <p>Automatic versions of the vehicles quoted above.</p> <hr/> <p>You can also drive vehicles in groups C, E, F, K, L and N below</p> <p>Vehicle with 4 wheels up to 400kg unladen</p> <p>Agricultural tractor</p> <p>Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h)</p> <p>Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle</p> <p>Electrically-propelled vehicle</p> <p>Vehicles (exempt from duty) under section 7 (1) of the vehicle (excise) Act 1971</p>
<b>B</b>	<p>You can drive automatic variants of the vehicles below:</p> <p>Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg; trailers over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 3,500kg MAM</p> <p>Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer up to 750kg;</p> <p>Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and a driver with trailer over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 8.250kg;</p> <p>Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and a driver, with trailer up to 750kg</p> <hr/> <p>You can also drive vehicles in groups C, E, F, K, L and N below</p>

	<p>Any motor trike less than 410kg (500kg laden)</p> <p>Electrically-propelled vehicle</p> <p>Vehicles (exempt from duty) under section 7 (1) of the vehicle (excise) Act 1971</p> <hr/> <p>The following are not limited to automatic:</p> <p>Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h)</p> <p>Agricultural tractor</p> <p>Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.</p>
<b>C</b>	3 wheeled vehicles up to 450kg unladen.
<b>D</b>	Motorbike, with or without sidecar.
<b>E</b>	Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h).
<b>F</b>	Agricultural tractor.
<b>G</b>	Road roller.
<b>H</b>	Tracked vehicles.
<b>J</b>	Invalid carriage.
<b>K</b>	Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.
<b>L</b>	Electrically-propelled vehicle.
<b>M</b>	Trolley Bus.
<b>N</b>	Vehicles exempt from Vehicle Excise Duty.

**Table 20 Groups for licence issued between 1<sup>st</sup> January 1986 and 31<sup>st</sup> May 1990**

The following table lists the licence categories which apply where the result contains a `directiveIndicator` of 2.

Category	Description
<b>A</b>	Motorbikes with or without a sidecar and a maximum speed of more than 50km/h or with engine over 50cc.
<b>B1</b>	3 wheeled vehicles up to 500kg unladen.
<b>B</b>	Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers plus driver with trailer up to 750kg; trailers over 750kg if combined vehicle and trailer weight isn't more than 3,500kg MAM.
<b>BE</b>	Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) carrying no more than 8 passengers plus driver with trailer over 750kg.
<b>C1</b>	Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers plus driver with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>C1E</b>	Vehicles between 3,500kg and 7,500kg carrying no more than 8 passengers and driver with a trailer weighing more than 750kg and combined weight of vehicle and trailer can't be over 12,000kg.
<b>C</b>	Vehicles over 3,500kg MAM carrying no more than 8 passengers plus driver with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>CE</b>	Vehicles over 3,500kg MAM carrying no more than 8 passengers plus driver with trailer over 750kg.
<b>D1</b>	Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and driver with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>D1E</b>	Passenger Carrying Vehicle with a minimum of 9 and maximum of 16 passenger seats, and driver, with a trailer over 750kg.
<b>D</b>	Bus with more than 8 passenger seats with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>DE</b>	Bus with more than 8 passenger seats with trailer over 750kg.
<b>F</b>	Agricultural or forestry tractor, this can be with or without a trailer.
<b>G</b>	Road roller.
<b>H</b>	Tracked vehicle.
<b>J</b>	Invalid carriage (powered wheelchairs and mobility scooters).
<b>K</b>	Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.
<b>L</b>	Electrically-propelled vehicle.
<b>M</b>	Trolley bus.
<b>N</b>	Vehicles exempt from Vehicle Excise Duty.
<b>P</b>	Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h).

**Table 21 Categories for licence issued between 1<sup>st</sup> June 1990 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 1996**

The following table lists the licence categories which apply where the result contains a `directiveIndicator` of 3.

Category	Description
<b>A1</b>	Motorbikes with engine size up to 125cc, power output up to 11kW and power/weight ratio up to 0.1kW/kg.
<b>A</b>	Motorbikes of any size, with or without a sidecar.
<b>B1</b>	3 or 4-wheeled vehicles up to 400kg unladen or 550kg if intended to carry goods.
<b>B</b>	Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) and up to 8 passenger seats, and driver, with trailer up to 750kg; trailers over 750kg if combined weight of vehicle and trailer isn't over 3,500kg and the fully-loaded trailer doesn't weigh more than the unladen vehicle.
<b>BE</b>	Category B vehicles with trailer when combined weight of vehicle and trailer is over 3,500kg.
<b>C1</b>	Vehicles weighing 3,500 to 7,500kg MAM with trailers up to 750kg.
<b>C1E</b>	Vehicles weighing 3,500 to 7,500kg MAM with trailers over 750kg; the fully-loaded trailer can't weigh more than the vehicle and combined weight of vehicle and trailer can't be over 12,000kg.
<b>C</b>	Vehicles over 3,500kg with trailers up to 750kg.
<b>CE</b>	Vehicles over 3,500kg with trailer over 750kg.
<b>D1</b>	Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and driver, with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>D1E</b>	Vehicles with up to 16 passenger seats and driver, with trailer over 750kg if combined trailer and vehicle weight isn't over 12,000kg.
<b>D</b>	Bus with more than 8 passenger seats and driver, with trailer up to 750kg.
<b>DE</b>	Bus with more than 8 passenger seats and driver, with trailer over 750kg.
<b>F</b>	Agricultural or forestry tractor, this can be with or without a trailer.
<b>G</b>	Road roller.
<b>H</b>	Tracked vehicles.
<b>K</b>	Mowing machine or pedestrian-controlled vehicle.
<b>L</b>	Electrically-propelled vehicle.
<b>M</b>	Trolley Bus.
<b>N</b>	Vehicles exempt from Vehicle Excise Duty.
<b>P</b>	Moped up to 50cc (max speed 50km/h).

**Table 2 Categories for licence issued between 1<sup>st</sup> January 1997 and 18<sup>th</sup> January 2013**

The following table lists the licence categories which apply where the result contains a `directiveIndicator` of 4.

Category	Description
<b>AM</b>	2-wheel vehicles or 3-wheel vehicles with a maximum design speed of over 25km/h and not more than 45km/h.  Light quadricycles with an unladen mass of not more than 350kg, not including the mass of the batteries in the case of electric vehicles, whose maximum speed is over 25km/h and not more than 45km/h.
<b>P</b>	Motor vehicles with fewer than 4 wheels with a maximum design speed exceeding 45 kilometres per hour (km/h) but not exceeding 50km/h and which, if propelled by an internal combustion engine, has a cylinder capacity not exceeding 50cc.
<b>Q</b>	Motor vehicles with fewer than 4 wheels which, if propelled by an internal combustion engine, has a cylinder capacity not exceeding 50cc and, if not equipped with pedals by means of which the vehicle is capable of being propelled, has a maximum design speed not exceeding 25km/h.
<b>A1</b>	Light motorbikes with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- an engine size up to 125cc</li> <li>- a power output of up to 11kW</li> <li>- a power to weight ratio not more than 0.1kW/kg</li> </ul> This category also includes motor tricycles with power output up to 15kW.
<b>A2</b>	Motorbikes with a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- power output up to 35kW</li> <li>- power to weight ratio not more than 0.2kW/kg</li> </ul> The motorbike must also not be derived from a vehicle of more than double its power.
<b>A</b>	A motorcycle of a power exceeding 35kW or with a power to weight ratio exceeding 0.2kW per kg, or A motorcycle of a power not exceeding 35kW with a power to weight ratio not exceeding 0.2kW per kg and derived from a vehicle of more than double its power. A motor tricycle with a power exceeding 15kW.
<b>B1</b>	Motor vehicles with 4 wheels up to 400kg unladen or 550kg if they're designed for carrying goods.
<b>B</b>	Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) with up to 8 passenger seats and driver (with a trailer up to 750kg).  You can also tow heavier trailers if the total weight of vehicle and trailer isn't more than 3,500kg.  Physically disabled drivers with provisional category B entitlement will also have provisional entitlement to ride category A1 or A motor tricycles.  Able-bodied drivers can no longer ride motor tricycles with a provisional category B licence.
<b>BE</b>	Vehicles up to 3,500kg Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) with up to 8 passenger seats and driver with a trailer weighing up to 3,500kg.

<b>C1</b>	Vehicles weighing between 3,500 and 7,500kg (with a trailer up to 750kg), with no more than 8 passengers and driver.
<b>C1E</b>	Vehicles weighing between 3,500 and 7,500kg (with a trailer over 750kg), with no more than 8 passengers and driver. The combined weight of both can't exceed 12,000kg.
<b>C</b>	Vehicles weighing over 3,500 kg (with a trailer up to 750kg), with no more than 8 passengers and driver.
<b>CE</b>	Vehicles weighing over 3,500kg (with a trailer over 750kg), with no more than more than 8 passengers and driver.
<b>D1</b>	Vehicles with no more than 16 passenger seats and driver and with a maximum length not exceeding 8 metres with a trailer up to 750kg.
<b>D1E</b>	Vehicles with no more than 16 passenger seats and driver and with a maximum length not exceeding 8 metres with a trailer over 750 kg, provided that the Maximum Authorised Mass (MAM) of the combination formed does not exceed 12,000kg.
<b>D</b>	Any bus with more than 8 passengers and driver, with a trailer up to 750 kg.
<b>DE</b>	Any bus with more than 8 passengers and driver, with a trailer over 750 kg.
<b>F</b>	Agricultural.
<b>G</b>	Road roller.
<b>H</b>	Tracked vehicles.
<b>K</b>	Mowing machine or vehicles controlled by someone on foot.
<b>L</b>	Electrically-propelled vehicle.
<b>N</b>	Vehicles exempt from Vehicle Excise Duty.