

DRIVING IN HIGH WINDS

Safety Bulletin

Learn how to stay safe when driving in high wind conditions

Driving conditions can become difficult for vehicles when winds hit 40-58 mph. Read below our advice on how to safely travel in turbulent conditions, and be aware of dangers.

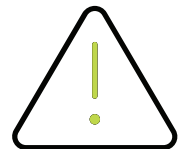


What to do when driving in windy conditions

- ✓ Always keep both hands on the wheel to stabilize your vehicle.
- ✓ Slow down and proceed with caution only when safe.
- ✓ Be aware of sudden gusts, particularly when passing high-sided vehicles and in urban, city, or rural areas.
- ✓ Give extra space to cyclists, motorcyclists, high-sided vehicles, caravans or vehicles towing.
- ✓ Avoid towing if windy conditions are forecasted.

Stay ALERT and be aware of potential dangers when driving!

- Debris from the side of the road or in front of you. E.g branches, garbage bins.
- If you see small branches, consider there might be larger branches or a tree further en route.
- Roadside signs are used to warn you of high winds or side winds. These could be displayed on electronic or fixed roadside signs.
- Some locations have windsocks located on the roadside. These indicate the direction and severity of the wind on roads.
- Plan your journey carefully, checking weather and traffic bulletins regularly. Keep to main roads and expect lower speed limits or temporary road closures.



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