

MOTOR-VEHICLE DRIVER LICENSES - 1994¹

COMPILED FROM THE CALENDAR YEAR
REPORTS OF STATE AUTHORITIES

STATE	CLASS OR TYPE OF LICENSE	NUMBER ISSUED	LENGTH OF TERM	RENEWAL DATE
West Virginia	Learner Permits	27,484	60 Days	--
	CDL: Class A } Class B } Class C }	11,990	4 Years	Issuance
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	Junior	11,031	2 Years	Issuance
Regular	290,561	4 Years	Issuance	
Wisconsin*	Learner Permits:			
	CDL	19,809	6 Months	Issuance
	Class D	104,880	6 Months	Issuance
	Class M	25,170	6 Months	Issuance
	CDL	4,385	2 & 4 Years	Birthday
	Class D--Original } Class M--Renewal }	115,435	6 Months	Birthday
	Probationary		6 Months	Birthday
	Renewals:	79,904	2 Years	Non-Renew
	Class ABC	718,483	4 Years	Birthday
	Class D		4 Years	Birthday
	Class M		4 Years	Birthday
Wyoming	Learner Permits	--	1 Year	--
	CDL: Class A } Class B } Class C }	4,024	4 Years	Birthday
			4 Years	Birthday
			4 Years	Birthday
	Non-CDL--All Classes	64,046	4 Years	Birthday

¹ The numbers of learner permits and driver licenses issued are not available in States where N/A is shown. For purposes of this report, when there are combined licenses by endorsement, the licensee has been counted in the highest class license that he/she holds. Braces denote classes of data that have been combined.

For States with an asterisk, see notes below:

Alabama--Includes local issuance fee of \$.25 on learner permits, \$.50 on duplicates, \$1.50 on driver licenses; second or subsequent duplicate is \$3.50 to \$13.50. Examination fees in addition to the original license fee: \$5 each for written and road test. Alabama views a learner permit as a valid license and does not count them again in the different classes of licenses.

California--The original license fee covers the cost of a learner permit.

Colorado--No fee for renewal of motorcycle endorsement. Minor licenses expire 20 days after 18th birthday; provisional licenses expire 20 days after 21st birthday.

Connecticut--Examination fees in addition to the original license fee: \$15 for operator and \$3.50 for public service license.

Delaware--Learner permits included with new applicant.

Florida--Original license fee is \$20; "safe drivers (no convictions within the preceding 3 years)" may renew in person for \$20 for 6 years.

Illinois--\$10 of permit fee credited to operator license. Issues special license to minors (persons 18-20 years of age) which expire when 21 years old plus 3 months; 4-year--\$10 and minor fees--\$5.

Kansas--\$2 examination fee in addition to the original license fee. Class M includes combination motorcycle licenses, i.e., Class AM, etc.

Maryland--New residents receive a license which will expire in 1996 to phase in a 5-year license program. Approximately 40% of learner permits are converted to licenses at no additional fee.

Massachusetts--Examination fees in addition to the original license fee: \$5 each for written and road test.

Michigan--Persons age 60 and over may renew at \$4 annually, original motorcycle endorsement--\$6.

Minnesota--Number listed for school bus drivers is the number of exams administered during the year.

Montana--For CDL, fees are charged based on Type 1 or Type 2, and not by Class. Class A, B, C are a further breakdown of Types 1 and 2.

New Hampshire--Net licenses in force double count those individuals holding a motorcycle or moped license along with their CDL or operator.

New Mexico--Persons 75 years or over renew annually at \$2.50.

New York--Learner permit and license application fees are included in the licensing fee this year and caused a huge drop in permits. 43-54 month licenses are issued in order to place the licenses into his/her month of birth; fees prorated accordingly. Eligible drivers who have lost their licenses for other than alcohol-related convictions are permitted to retain work-related driving privileges. Conditional licenses are similar to restricted, but for motorists convicted of alcohol or drug-related traffic offenses and they must attend a 7-week, 16-hour rehabilitation course.

Ohio--Those under 21 are issued probationary licenses in both CDL and regular categories that expire on their 21st BD; fees are based accordingly.

Oklahoma--Additional \$4 to \$25 fee for the license application before obtaining the original license. License fees: 62 years old--\$11.25, 63--\$7.50, 64--\$3.75, 65 and over is free of charge.

Pennsylvania--Drivers over 65 renew for 2 years at \$11.50.

Tennessee--Examination fees in addition to the original license fee: \$5.

Texas--Licenses issued to those under 18 expire on 18th birthday: the fee is prorated with a \$5 minimum. CDL licenses included in regular Class A, B, C licenses.

West Virginia--Commercial class includes all CDL licenses issued including provisional licenses previously issued.

Wisconsin--Examination fees in addition to the original license fee: \$5 each for written and road test.