

New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
INSPECTION GROUPS AND FEE CHART

Effective January 1, 2011

The maximum gross weight (MGW) is the weight of the vehicle, as indicated on some vehicle registration certificates. The MGW is used to determine the applicable safety inspection, and to determine if a non-exempt diesel-powered vehicle is subject to a diesel emissions inspection. The seating capacity is the number of adult passengers that may be transported in the vehicle, as indicated on some vehicle registration certificates. The seating capacity is used to determine the applicable safety inspection.

| SAFETY INSPECTIONS | | INSPECTION FEES |
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| GROUP 1 — Light Vehicles | | |
| (a)(1) | All motor vehicles that have a seating capacity, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, under fifteen passengers, and all motor vehicles, except trailers and motorcycles, that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, under 10,001 pounds. | \$ 10.00 |
| (2) | All motor vehicles, except trailers and motorcycles, that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 10,000 pounds and under 18,001 pounds, except when the registrant requests a heavy vehicle inspection.* | \$ 15.00 |
| (b) | All trailers, except semi-trailers, that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, under 18,001 pounds, except those trailers that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 10,000 pounds and under 18,001 pounds, when the registrant requests a heavy vehicle inspection.* | \$ 6.00 |
| GROUP 2 — Heavy Vehicles | | |
| (a)(1) | All motor vehicles that have a seating capacity, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over fourteen passengers; all motor vehicles, except trailers, that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 18,000 pounds; those motor vehicles, except trailers, that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 10,000 pounds and under 18,001 pounds, when the registrant requests a heavy vehicle inspection.* | \$ 20.00 |
| (2) | All trailers that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 18,000 pounds, and those trailers that have an MGW, as indicated on the vehicle registration certificate, over 10,000 pounds and under 18,001 pounds, when the registrant requests a heavy vehicle inspection.* | \$ 12.00 |
| (b) | All semi-trailers. | \$ 12.00 |
| GROUP 3 — Motorcycles All motorcycles. | | \$ 6.00 |
| EMISSIONS INSPECTIONS | | INSPECTION FEES |
| OBD II Emissions Inspection All 1996 and newer non-exempt vehicles that have a gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR) under 8,501 pounds. | | \$ 27.00 <i>performed at an inspection station located within the New York Metropolitan Area (NYMA)</i> |
| | | \$ 11.00 <i>performed at an inspection station located outside of the NYMA</i> |
| Low-Enhanced Emissions Inspection All 1995 and older non-exempt vehicles, and all 1996 and newer non-exempt vehicles that have a GVWR over 8,500 pounds. | | \$ 11.00 |
| Diesel Emissions Inspection All non-exempt diesel-powered vehicles registered in the NYMA that have an MGW over 8,500 pounds. | | \$ 25.00 |

If repairs are needed to pass inspection, they may be done at any location the motorist chooses.

After the appropriate safety and/or emissions inspection is performed, the inspection station may charge a fee that may be less than, but shall not exceed, the maximum fees listed on this chart. The inspection station may charge such fee(s), regardless of whether the vehicle passes or fails such inspection(s). A reinspection fee may be charged only when the vehicle is removed from the station by the motorist and returns for reinspection. If a vehicle is presented for reinspection within 30 days of the rejection, the complete inspection of only the failed safety or emissions portion is required. If a vehicle is presented for reinspection over 30 days after the rejection, a full inspection of both the safety portion and emissions portion must be performed, even if the vehicle had been rejected for only the safety portion or the emissions portion of the inspection.

* Registrants of vehicles with an MGW over 10,000 pounds and under 18,001 pounds may request a Heavy Vehicle Safety Inspection, receive the Heavy Vehicle Safety Inspection certificate, and be charged the Heavy Vehicle (Group 2) inspection fee.

**THERE IS NO SALES TAX ON INSPECTION FEES.
DISPLAY THIS CHART IN A PUBLIC AREA IN YOUR STATION.**

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