

Chapter 9 Review

Chapter Test

Check Your Knowledge

Multiple Choice Copy the number of each sentence below on a sheet of paper. Choose the letter that best completes the statement or answers the question.

1. While driving in urban situations,
 - (a) keep your vehicle close to others.
 - (b) cover the brake pedal.
 - (c) be ready to reduce speed and change vehicle position.
 - (d) maintain the posted speed.
2. The 3-second following distance technique
 - (a) should be decreased in adverse conditions.
 - (b) is safe for most conditions.
 - (c) is the same as total stopping distance.
 - (d) is not safe at speeds over 40 mph.
3. You can avoid being hit by a tailgater if you
 - (a) increase your following distance to four seconds or more.
 - (b) move to the left side of your lane.
 - (c) look in the rearview mirror and warn the tailgater.
 - (d) keep steady pressure on the brake.
4. It is illegal to pass another vehicle
 - (a) over a broken lane marker.
 - (b) at an intersection.
 - (c) on a multilane street.
 - (d) on a one-way street.

Completion Copy the number of each sentence below. After each number, write the word or words that complete the sentence correctly.

5. To give yourself adequate time to react to a hazard, you should _____ your speed.
6. Urban streets and roads have the highest number of _____ per mile.

Review Vocabulary

Copy the number of each definition in List A. Match the definition in List A with the item it defines in List B.

List A

7. take your foot off the accelerator and hold it over the brake pedal to be ready to brake quickly
8. rest your foot on the brake
9. pass the car ahead
10. follow another vehicle too closely

List B

- a. overtake
- b. ride the brake
- c. tailgate
- d. cover the brake

Think Critically

Write a paragraph to answer each question.

1. Driving in urban traffic can be a challenge. What characteristics of urban traffic make driving more difficult than in other environments?
2. You are driving in the right-hand lane of a one-way street. You discover that you need to make a left-hand turn at the next light. What should you do?
3. What are some advantages of driving on one-way streets?