How to Drive: 15th Edition - Words to Know

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Chapter 1: Welcome to Your Chapter 2: Knowing Your		Chapter 3: Vehicle Space Needs,	
Driving Life!	Vehicle	Natural Laws, and Traction	
driving privilege	pre-driving checks	vehicle controls	
driver's license	pre-driving sequence	operating space	
crash factors	ignition switch	visual control zone	
risk	steering column	visual reference point	
driving errors	hand position	traction / adhesion	
risk assessment	keyless-ignition	contact patch	
perceive	blind spot	following interval	
decide	blind zone	momentum	
act	safety restraints	inertia	
graduated driver's license	dead pedal	gravity	
learner's license	parking brake	kinetic energy	
intermediate license	communication devices	weight distribution	
full license	instrument cluster	centrifugal force	
driving coach	comfort devices	hydroplaning	
driving agreement	body position		
	key fob		
	keyless entry remote		
Chapter 4: Starting, Steering,	Chapter 5: Signs, Signals, Road	Chapter 6: Traffic Laws and	
and Stopping	Markings, and Communication	Rules of the Road	
steering techniques	traffic control devices	driver's license	
hand-to-hand steering	symbols	citation	
hand-over-hand	regulatory signs	suspension	
one-handed steering	warning signs	revocation	
intended path of travel	chevron alignment sign	financial responsibility	
road feel	slow-moving vehicle	auto insurance	
levels of acceleration	guide signs	title	
effective braking	loop	registration	
levels of deceleration	spur	due care	
hand signals	traffic signal	right-of-way	
perception time	countdown timers	unmarked or open intersection	
visual lead	pavement markings	traffic circle	
anti-lock brakes	reversible lanes	funeral procession	
hybrid vehicle	shared left-turn-lane	drag racing	
stopping distance	white markings	speed limits	
securing the vehicle	yellow markings	reckless driving	
reaction time	11 sign colors (list)	aggressive driving	
braking time	10 sign shapes (list)	littering	
front swing	variable message signs	BAC	
backing	prohibited	implied consent	
Dutch Reach	pedestrian timers	alcohol impaired driving	
dooring		intoxicated	
idle		MIP	
		driving under the influence	
		zero tolerance	
		drowsy driving	
		distracted driving	
		camera-based enforcement	
		driving record	
		vehicular homicide	
		road rage	

Chapter 7: Vision and	Chapter 8: Time and Space	Chapter 9: Changing Lanes,
Perception	Compton of Line and Space	Turning, and Parking
line of sight field of vision central vision	intended path of travel space margin total stopping distance	basic maneuvers right-of-way changing lanes
fringe vision peripheral vision	perception distance/time reaction distance/time	adjacent spatial judgement
color blindness searching visual search pattern	braking distance/time following distance adequate space margin	proper lane gradual turn sharp turn
PDA, SEE, and (S)IPDE systems visual lead	closing probability closing action	two-point turn U-turn
visual control zone mirror blind area ground viewing	minimizing risk separating risks compromising between risk	three-point turn curb park angle park
selective searching final response zone adequate visibility	Basic Speed Law reasonable & prudent speed reasonable & prudent distance	perpendicular parking parallel parking reference points
adequate visionity	tailgating	double parking transition peg
		down grade up grade proximity sensor
Chapter 10: Sharing the Road	Chapter 11: Intersections and Freeway Driving	Chapter 12: Alcohol and Driving
pedestrians	controlled intersection	alcohol
bike lane	uncontrolled intersection	BAC
motorcycle	negative offset	BAC factors
scooter / moped	zero offset	central nervous system
school bus	positive offset	inhibitions
transit bus	roundabout	alcohol dehydrogenase
emergency vehicle	freeway	alcohol elimination
driving etiquette	expressway	standard drink
wind current	interchange	oxidation
farm machinery	entrance ramp	MIP
highway-rail grade crossing	exit ramp	PBT
light rail	highway hypnosis	chemical test
traffic stop	zipper merge	
SCMODS	median crossover	
equestrian	weave lane	
funeral procession	velocitation	
safety zone	acceleration lane	
funeral procession	deceleration lane	
pilot vehicle		
no zone	<u>Bonus</u> Michigan Left Turn (not in chapter)	
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Chapter 13: Drug- Impaired Driving and Illness drug hallucinogens prescription drugs legal drugs illegal drugs narcotics stimulants inhalants depressants cannabis synergistic effect temporary illness chronic disease	Chapter 14: Distracted Driving distraction inside distraction outside distraction types of distractions visual physical mental auditory voice-activated system rubbernecking texting	Chapter 15: Drowsy Driving, Sleep, and Emotions drowsiness sleep disorders sleep deprived drivers circadian rhythm monotony mochafrappalottachino sleep deprivation emotions aggressive driving road rage	Chapter 16: Driving Conditions and Environments Basic Speed Law hydroplaning Electronic Stability Control (ESC) traction black ice glare / glare recovery fog / smog gridlock urban rural altitude sickness downshifting temporary work zone summer ice flaggers
Chapter 17: Emergency Situations evasive actions evasive steering evasive braking evasive braking evasive acceleration anti-lock braking system (ABS) hydroplaning off-road dangers grip road debris skidding understeer oversteer counter-steer defects vehicle failure vehicle recalls 3 collisions duties at crash scene assisting at crash scene crash with property	Chapter 18: Fuel- Efficient Driving and Tire Safety fuel economy idling overdrive gear tread (tread depth) tire inflation wear bars engine oil cap power steering fluid transmission fluid drive belt oil dipstick air filter brake fluid exhaust system lubricating system cooling system electrical system suspension fluid reservoir washer fluid	Chapter 19: Vehicle Safety Technology and Self-Driving Vehicles adaptive headlights attention monitoring system GPS park assist forward-collision warning object detection lane departure system blind spot monitoring auto emergency braking rear cross traffic warning left turn crash avoidance automatic reverse backing adaptive cruise control lane keep assistance dynamic driving assistance self-driving vehicles ACC ESC ACN	Additional Key Terms

Thanks, Robin!!!