

WIDE CENTRELINE ROAD RULES

Wide centrelines increase the distance between oncoming lanes of traffic, to help prevent head-on collisions. The road rules for wide centrelines are the same as the rules for double lines.



Double continuous dividing lines

If you are on a road with two continuous lines (double lines):

- you can't cross these lines for any reason (unless you must to avoid an obstruction and it is safe to do so)
- you can't overtake, turn, enter or leave the road across double lines.



A broken line to the left of a continuous (or broken) line

If you are on a road with a broken line to the left of a continuous line:

- you can cross these lines to enter or leave the road
- you can overtake or do a U-turn if it is safe, the road is clear and you follow all other road rules.



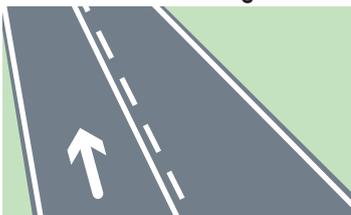
A broken line to the right of a continuous line

If you are on a road with a broken line to the right of a continuous line:

- you can't overtake or do a U-turn
- you can cross these lines to enter or leave the road.

Remember to stay to the left of centrelines, and drive as close to the left-hand side of the road as you can.

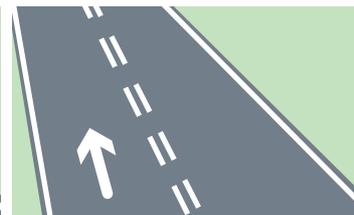
Centreline overtaking rules



Overtaking not permitted



Overtaking not permitted



Overtaking permitted when safe



Overtaking permitted when safe