

Item and Method of Inspection	Reject If
<b>1. Tire Tread Depth</b>	Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓
<p>With the use of a tire tread depth gauge measure the tread depth throughout a continuous circumferential band on the tread of all major grooves of the tread width. Do not measure on wear bar.</p> <p>a) steering tires</p> <p>b) all other tires</p> <p>c) Transportation of Dangerous Goods Tanker Trailer</p> <p>d) winter tire</p> <p>Reference <i>Motor Vehicle Act</i> Regulation Division 7.162</p>	<p>a) so worn that less than 3.2 mm (1/8 in.) of tread remains when measured in any two adjacent major tread grooves</p> <p>– wear bars exposed at any one spot</p> <p>b) so worn that less than 1.6 mm (1/16 in.) of tread remains when measured in any two adjacent major tread grooves</p> <p>c) any tanker trailer involved with transportation of dangerous goods has less than 3 mm (1/8 in.) of tread when measured in any two adjacent major tread grooves at three separate locations on the tire</p> <p>d) <b>PASS WITH CAUTION</b> if tread more than 1.6 mm and less than 3.5 mm</p> <p>– owners must be advised that tires do not meet minimum standards for use as winter tires</p>
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) <b>Less than 1.6 mm (1/16 in.) of tread on front tires and 0.8 mm (1/32 in.) of tread on rear tires measured at any two adjacent major grooves at any location on the tire.</b></p> <p>ii) <b>Less than 0.8 mm (1/32 in.) of tread between any lugs on grip tires on the rear.</b></p>
<p><b>NOTE: Retreaded tires are acceptable on tag axles and passive self-steering axles.</b></p> <p>DEFINITIONS:</p> <p><b>Passive Self-steering Axle</b> – an axle on which turning is not controlled by means of the steering wheel in the operator's compartment.</p> <p><b>Active steering Axle</b> – an axle on which turning is controlled by, and in direct proportion to, the rotation of the steering wheel in the operator's compartment.</p>	

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	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Less than 0.8 mm (1/32 in.) of tread at any two adjacent major grooves at any location on the tire.</p> <p>ii) Less than 0.8 mm (1/32 in.) of tread between any lugs on grip tires.</p>
<b>2. Tire Tread Condition</b>	<b>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </b>
<p>a) front tires and single rear tires</p> <p>i) retreads [except tag axles and passive self-steering axles] <b>NOTE: Retreads are not permitted on steering axles.</b></p> <p>ii) damage</p> <p>iii) condition</p> <p>iv) flat spots or cupping</p> <p>v) section repairs</p> <p>vi) regrooving</p> <p>vii) mismatching</p> <p>viii) tires equipped with studs</p> <p>b) dual rear tires</p> <p>i) retreads</p>	<p>i) retreaded surface peeled – retreads are present on an active steering axle – has been retreaded</p> <p>ii) any cuts greater than 25 mm (1 in.) in length below tread depth or cuts into cord – any piece of original tire tread is missing and the longest dimension across the missing section is greater than 25 mm</p> <p>iii) has any tread separation evident, cords exposed</p> <p>iv) any single tread is worn away around the circumference – any flat spots or cupped to wear bars or tread is less than 3.2 mm (1/8 in.) on front tires or 1.6 mm (1/16 in.) on rear tires</p> <p>v) has any visible breaks, boots or blow out patches</p> <p>vi) re-grooved and tire not marked “Regroovable”</p> <p>vii) different size or type (bias/radial) tires on any one axle – wheel/rim size does not match tire size</p> <p>viii) equipped between May 1–September 30</p> <p>i) retreaded surface peeled</p>

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	<b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b>  <b>i) Any part of breaker strip or casing ply is showing in the tread area.</b>  <b>ii) Visible bump or bulge in the tread area indicating separation.</b>  <b>iii) Tire regrooved and not marked “Regroovable.”</b>
<b>3. Tire Sidewall and Manufacturer Markings</b> <div>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </div>	
a) condition	a) visually observable bump, buldge or knot related to tread or sidewall separation – broken or distorted casing, cords exposed – dual tires making contact, or any tire making contact with any vehicle component  <b>EXCEPTION: A bulge (due to repair) of up to 1 cm (3/8 in.) is allowed. This bulge may sometimes be identified by a blue triangular label in the immediate vicinity.</b>

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b) damage  c) matching tires  d) marking	b) any cuts expose cords – weather cracks in excess of 3.2 mm (1/8 in.) in depth or deterioration that exposes cords  c) has mismatching tires on any one axle such as radial and non-radial  d) any tire labeled “Not for Highway Use”
Required information:  i) tire size designation as listed in a tire and rim document  ii) the following words and numerals to indicate the maximum load rating and corresponding tire inflation pressure:  (A) if the tire is rated for both single and dual load, “Max. load single__ kg at __ kPa cold, Max. load dual __kg at __ kPa cold” or  (B) if the tire is rated for single load, only, “Max. load__ kg at __ kPa cold”  iii) if the tire is restricted to a speed of 88.5 km/h (55 m.p.h.) or less, the words and numerals “Max. speed __ km/h”  iv) the actual number of plies and the composition of the cord material in the sidewalls and the actual number of plies and the composition of the cord material in the tread area, if different  v) the word “tubeless” or the expression “tube type”, whichever is applicable to the tire type,  vi) the word “regroovable” if the tire is designed for regrooving  vii) the word “radial” if it is a radial ply tire, and  viii) the letter that designates the tire load range	

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	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i) Sidewall cut or damaged exposing the cord.</li> <li>ii) Bias and radial tires on the same axle.</li> <li>iii) Visible bump or bulge in the sidewall area indicating separation.</li> <li>iv) Dual tires making contact or any tire making contact with any vehicle component.</li> <li>v) Any tire mounted or inflated so that it makes contact with another tire or any vehicle component.</li> <li>vi) Any tire labeled “NOT FOR HIGHWAY USE.”</li> </ul>
<b>4. Tire Inflation Pressure</b>	Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓
<p>Additional Inspection Procedure(s): Measure tire inflation pressure using a suitable gauge. Record pressure values on the inspection report.</p> <p><b>NOTE: If a tire fails inspection due to over/under inflation condition, it is acceptable to remove/add air prior to completing the inspection. When inflation pressure is corrected, record found (‘before’) and adjusted (‘after’) pressure values on the inspection report.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) inflation pressure <p><b>NOTE: Recommended tire inflation pressure is based on data provided by the vehicle manufacturer, or tire manufacturer relevant to tire application and load.</b></p> </li> <li>b) valve stem</li> <li>c) tire inflation system</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) more than 10% above or below recommended pressure <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– difference between dual-mounted tires is more than 10%</li> <li>– leaking or inflation cannot be maintained within recommended pressure</li> </ul> </li> <li>b) cracked, damaged or inaccessible preventing gauging of pressure or re-inflation, or leaking <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– valve stem cap is damaged or missing</li> </ul> </li> <li>c) is in a condition that any part of it could be hazardous to a person, or is in danger of falling off <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– leaking air</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Any tire is inflated to 50% or less of the maximum inflation pressure marked on the sidewall.</p> <p>ii) Tire is leaking.</p> <p>iii) Tire inflation system is in a condition that any part of it is hazardous to a person, or is in danger of falling off.</p>
<b>5. Wheel Hub</b>	<b>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </b>
<p>a) condition</p> <p><b>NOTE: Bearing fit in the hub is checked only when disassembled.</b></p> <p>b) stud/bolt hole</p> <p>c) wheel seal</p> <p>d) lubricant (oil lubricated)</p> <p><b>NOTE: Some hub/wheel-end assemblies use pre-set, unitized or extended service bearings, with sealed hubs. When contaminated lubricant is suspected, refer to the service literature provided by the manufacturer. Confirm that a proper diagnosis is carried out before rejecting the vehicle, opening or disassembling this type of hub/wheel-end assembly.</b></p> <p>e) lubricant (grease lubricated)</p>	<p>a) repaired by welding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– bent, broken, cracked, damaged or distorted</li> <li>– bearing cup is loose in hub bore</li> </ul> <p>b) any stud/bolt hole is enlarged or damaged in a way that prevents proper fitting and retention of studs</p> <p>c) level 2 leak of bearing lubricant from oil lubricated hub</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– seal is allowing grease to be lost from hub</li> <li>– seal is out of position</li> </ul> <p>d) lubricant level is below indicated minimum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– lubricant is contaminated with moisture or metal fragments</li> <li>– level 2 leak of bearing lubricant from hub or hub cap</li> </ul> <p>e) grease is leaking from hub</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– hub cap is cracked, loose or missing</li> </ul>
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Any condition that exposes the internal components.</p> <p>ii) Any evidence of overheating of the hub or lubricant.</p> <p>iii) Lubricant not visible or measurable in hub.</p> <p>iv) Wheel seal is leaking and contaminating the tire or the brake friction material or surface.</p>

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<b>6. Wheel Bearing</b>	Truck   ✓     Trailer   ✓     Bus   ✓
<p>Additional Inspection Procedure(s):</p> <p>Check wheel bearing with axle raised sufficiently to rotate the wheel and hub assembly. Rotate the wheel by hand through several full revolutions to check for bearing roughness or binding.</p> <p>Check wheel bearing end-play/adjustment by pushing wheel assembly or hub inward and outward parallel to axle centreline.</p> <p><b>NOTE: Checking in this manner may reveal movement in the hub and bearing that is additional to the bearing axial end play, e.g. a radial play between the bearings and spindle components may also be felt.</b></p> <p><b>Confirm bearing axial end-play/adjustment on a non-sealed type hub with dial gauge if necessary. For pre-set, unitized or extended service bearings see additional note.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: Some hub/wheel-end assemblies use pre-set, unitized or extended service bearings, with sealed hubs. When there is evidence of bearing damage, excessive wear, or excessive bearing end play, refer to the service literature provided by the manufacturer. Confirm that a proper diagnosis is carried out before rejecting the vehicle, opening or disassembling this type of hub/wheel-end assembly.</b></p> <p>a) axial end play/adjustment</p> <p>b) condition</p> <p>c) locking device</p> <p>Optional Inspection Procedure(s): Must be inspected when the locking device is visually accessible at the time of inspection.</p>	<p>a) does not meet OEM standard or industry standard, or when specification is not provided, is less than 0.02 mm, or more than 0.13 mm</p> <p>0.02 mm = 0.001 in., 0.13 mm = 0.005 in.</p> <p>b) binding or roughness is detected while rotating the bearing</p> <p>c) bearing adjustment locking device is missing, not engaged or non-functional</p>

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<p>d) damage</p> <p>Optional Inspection Procedure(s): Must be inspected when the bearing is disassembled at the time of inspection.</p> <p>e) spindle or axle stub</p> <p>Optional Inspection Procedure(s): Must be inspected when the bearing is disassembled at the time of inspection.</p>	<p>d) race or roller is damaged or shows evidence of overheating</p> <p>e) bearing fit onto spindle or axle stub does not meet OEM standard or industry standard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– spindle or axle stub is cracked, or damaged in a way that does not meet OEM standard or industry standard</li> <li>– bearing condition or fit of the bearing onto the spindle prevents proper end play or adjustment from being maintained</li> </ul>
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Axial end play is so excessive that imminent failure seems likely.</p> <p>ii) Any evidence of overheating.</p> <p>iii) Lubricant not visible or measurable in hub.</p> <p>iv) Binding or roughness is detected while rotating the bearing.</p>
<p><b>7. Wheel/Rim (Applies to all wheel types)</b></p>	
	<p>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </p>
<p>a) condition</p> <p>b) matching</p>	<p>a) wheel/rim is bent, broken, cracked, damaged or distorted wheel/rim has been welded or repaired in a way that does not meet OEM standard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– wheel/rim is damaged or discoloured as a result of heating</li> </ul> <p>b) wheel/rim size does not match tire size</p>
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Wheel/rim, or any weld, is broken or cracked.</p> <p>ii) Wheel/rim has been welded or repaired in a way that does not meet OEM standard.</p>

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<b>10. Disc Wheel System</b>	<b>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </b>
a) installation	a) incompatible wheel or component is used on a wheel system <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– wheel is incorrectly installed</li> </ul>
b) condition	b) there is evidence of a loose or ineffective fastener <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– there is evidence of damage or deterioration, foreign material, excessive or uncured paint on a hub, drum or wheel mounting face</li> <li>– bolt/stud hole is elongated</li> </ul>
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Bolt/stud hole is elongated.</p> <p>ii) Any welded repair on an aluminum wheel.</p> <p>iii) Wheel/rim has been welded or repaired in a way that does not meet OEM standard.</p>
<b>11. Wheel Fasteners (Nuts, Bolts and Studs)</b>	<b>Truck   ✓   Trailer   ✓   Bus   ✓  </b>
a) installation	a) incorrect fastener type, thread direction or style is installed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– any nut is not fully engaged with the stud or bolt</li> </ul>
b) condition	b) any fastener is bent, broken, damaged or missing
c) test fastener security	c) any fastener rotates before the lowest torque value specified by the manufacturer is applied
	<p><b><u>OUT OF SERVICE</u></b></p> <p>i) Wheel is loose.</p> <p>ii) Any wheel nut or stud is broken, cracked, loose, missing, or threads are stripped.</p>

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