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## 4-2 Front and rear fog lamps

### Reasons for rejection

#### Permitted equipment

1. A vehicle does not comply with a requirement relating to permitted equipment set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)

#### Compliance with approved standards

2. A front fog lamp that is required to comply with an approved fog lamp standard does not comply, or cannot be demonstrated to comply, with at least one of the standards listed in Table 4-2-1

3. A rear fog lamp that is required to comply with an approved fog lamp standard does not comply, or cannot be demonstrated to comply, with at least one of the standards listed in Table 4-2-2

#### Condition and performance

4. A front fog lamp does not comply with a requirement relating to condition or performance set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)

5. A rear fog lamp does not comply with a requirement relating to condition or performance set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)

**Table 4-2-1. Approved front fog lamp standards\***

UN-ECE Regulation no.	EEC/EC Directive	FMVSS	ADR	Japan
19	76/762 99/18	108	50	JIS D5500  TS for front fog lamps  Article 33

\* A fog lamp that is required to comply with an approved fog lamp standard must comply with at least one of the standards listed in the table.

See also Figure 4-2-1

**Table 4-2-2. Approved rear fog lamp standards\***

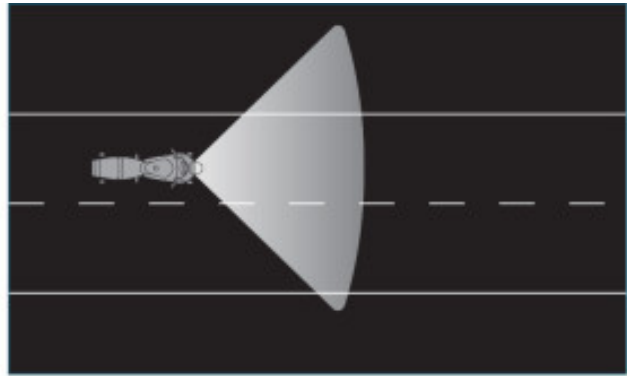
UN-ECE Regulation no.	EEC/EC Directive	FMVSS	ADR	Japan
38	77/538 89/518 1999/14	108	52	JIS D5500 TS for rear fog lamps Article 37

\* A fog lamp that is required to comply with an approved fog lamp standard must comply with at least one of the standards listed in the table.

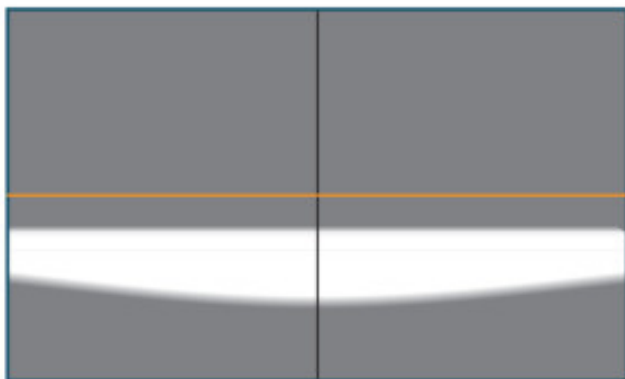
See also Figure 4-2-1

**Figure 4-2-1. Approved fog lamp standard markings**

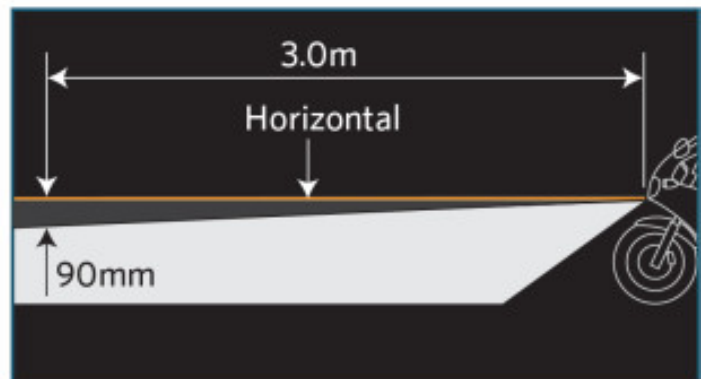
The following standard markings may assist in determining compliance with approved standards.



**(a) Pattern on the road**



**(b) Pattern on light board**



**(c) Beam dip angle**

# Summary of legislation

## Applicable legislation

- [Land Transport Rule: Vehicle Lighting 2004](#)

## Permitted equipment

1. Vehicles must comply with the requirements relating to permitted equipment set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)

## Compliance with approved standards

2. Front fog lamps fitted to the following vehicles must comply with one or more of the approved fog lamp standards in Table 4-2-1:

- a) vehicles of group M and N manufactured on or after 1 January 1996
- b) vehicles of group L manufactured on or after 1 January 2006.

3. Rear fog lamps fitted to vehicles manufactured on or after 1 January 2006 must comply with one or more of the approved standards in Table 4-2-2

## Condition and performance

4. Front fog lamps must comply with the requirements relating to condition and performance set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)
5. Rear fog lamps must comply with the requirements relating to condition and performance set out in the [VIRM: In-service certification, section 4-2](#)