

Heavy vehicle brake test protocol

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Like almost all other road vehicles in New Zealand, heavy vehicles are required to undergo entry inspection and a periodic safety check in the form of a certificate of fitness (CoF) inspection. Brake testing is a crucial part of this inspection given the critical role brakes play in overall vehicle safety.

Other resources

[Guide to the manufacturer's park brake lever settings](#)

[Cardan shaft park brake RBM testing procedure and brake force tables](#)