

Course Title: Defensive Driving - OXY Graded (Light/Heavy Tanker)	
Target Audience:	The course is designed for employees who are required to drive a tanker (Light or Heavy) on graded roads within OXY concessions in the Sultanate of Oman
Aim:	To enhance drivers knowledge and skills for safely driving a tanker in all conditions within OXY concessions in the Sultanate of Oman
Objectives:	By the end of this session, the delegate will have an understanding of the following: Perform all pre-driving checks Drive the vehicle safely, lawfully, and correctly whilst interacting with other traffic Keep a safe distance on all sides of the vehicle in all traffic conditions Observe, recognise, and correctly respond to all potential and actual hazards, and use the correct elements of the hazard approach procedure Observe, recognise and correctly respond to all road features, signs, signals and markings Communicate correctly and appropriately with other road users Understand additional hazards which driving at night (with permission) Manoeuvre safely and efficiently in a restricted space Understand the specific characteristics of liquid loads and how a liquid load causes instability Describe the actions a tanker driver should take in the event of an emergency situation Describe the road layouts and features where tankers are most at risk of a road traffic collision Explain how the handling characteristics of heavy vehicles, harsh driving styles and different road conditions can affect vehicle control. Understand the key regulations for driving in OXY concessions Recover and escape from the initial stage of the 'S' pattern rollover Understand the main causes of road collisions on graded roads



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	 Identify, reduce and control the hazards encountered whilst driving on graded roads Have an awareness of IVMS Think and act 'defensively'. This is the key component and forms the basis of the course. Safe use of all controls is, of course, important; but this course focuses on the all-important perceptive skills i.e. the driver's thought processes, which are developed to a high level by means of encouragement, quality instruction and commentary driving by the instructor and trainees
Assessment:	Our assessment process is carried out using a range of methods: Observations, Questions, Demonstration and Simulation. However it's about our instructor feeling safe
Prerequisites:	Have attended and passed a Light Vehicle or Heavy Vehicle (Graded) course (whichever is appropriate) prior to attending Hold a valid ROP/GCC driving licence for a light/heavy vehicle (whichever is appropriate)
Certification:	A permit to drive a Light or Heavy Tanker in OXY concessions within the Sultanate of Oman will be issued upon successful completion of the course.
Duration:	4 hours
Validity:	Lifetime
Venue:	OTI facilities in Muscat, Safah and Mukhaizna.
No of Delegates	N/A

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