

# **DRIVING SERVICES SECTION**

# Taxi Operation Booklet for Taxi Written Test

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# I. Taxi Regulations

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This part introduces and explains some regulations related to TAXI. Details of the content can be found in the *Road Traffic (Construction and maintenance of Vehicles) Regulations* and *Road Traffic (Public Services Vehicles) Regulations* of the Road Traffic Ordinance (Chapter 374).

#### I. <u>TAXIMETER</u>

- 1.1 Every taxi shall be fitted with a taximeter of a design and construction approved by the Commissioner for Transport (refer to as "Commissioner"). No taximeter or instrument similar to a taximeter is allowed to be filled to a vehicle without the prior approval of the Commissioner.
- 1.2 If the registered owner of a taxi removes the taximeter from a taxi or ceases to use the taximeter, he should notify the Commissioner within 24 hours of such removal or cessation.
- 1.3 Every taximeter should be provided with an indicator (or "flag") of a size not less than 100 millimetres by 50 millimetres displaying the words "FOR HIRE" or the word "TAXI".
- 1.4 Every taximeter should be so constructed that:-
  - (i) it may by sealed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner;
  - (ii) the fare dial should indicate a clear division between dollars and cents and the words "FARE", "EXTRAS", "H.K. Dollars" and "cents" (or symbols "H.K. \$" and "c") should be displayed as well;
  - (iii) the amount of fare calculated by time or distance or a combination of time and distance as prescribed is indicated on the fare dial;
  - (iv) the amount of additional fares in progressive increments of the lowest fare as prescribed is indicated on the fare dial;
  - (v) the height of the figures indicating the fare and additional fares is not less than 10 millimetres;
  - (vi) the fare dial of every taximeter should be capable of being illuminated during the hours of darkness or when required by the hirer, so as to render the readings on the fare dial easily legible;
  - (vii) the fare dial clearly displays the position of the taximeter actuating device at whether:
    - (a) FOR HIRE;

- (b) HIRED; or
- (c) STOPPED.
- 1.5 Every taximeter should be actuated by a device which can cause the taximeter to be set to, and to operate in any one of, the following positions:-
  - (i) FOR HIRE, when the taximeter is not recording and the indicator (or "flag") display is clearly visible to any person standing in front of the taxi at a distance of 20 metres;
  - (ii) HIRED, when the taximeter is recording by time or distance or a combination of time and distance and the indicator (or "flag") display is not visible outside the taxi;
  - (iii) STOPPED, when:-
    - (a) the taximeter is recording by distance only and the indicator (or "flag") display is not visible outside the taxi; or
    - (b) the mechanism of the taxi is not in motion and the indicator (or "flag") display is not visible outside the taxi.
- 1.6 The taximeter actuating device should operate direct from the "FOR HIRE" position to the "HIRED" position and passes through the "STOPPED" position before being returned to the "FOR HIRE" position.
- 1.7 Every taximeter should be tested by the Commissioner before it is fitted to a taxi and thereafter at intervals of not more than 6 months. If the tests prove that the taximeter is satisfactory, and the receipt printing device installed in respect of the taxi is in proper working order, the taximeter will be stamped and sealed by the Commissioner.
- 1.8 The registered owner of the taxi should report to the Commissioner, as soon as reasonably practicable, any fault or damage to the taximeter fitted to the taxi that may result in any inaccurate recording of the fare, or damage to any stamp or seal of the Commissioner thereon.
- 1.9 The registered owner of a taxi and the taxi driver should ensure that:-
  - (i) the taximeter complies in every way specified in the law;
  - (ii) the taximeter is affixed with prior approval of the Commissioner; and
  - (iii) the stamp or seal of the Commissioner is in good condition.

Anyone who fails to comply with the above standards commits an offence and is liable to a fine of

\$10,000 and to imprisonment for 6 months.

1.10 Anyone without lawful excuses defaces, damages or alters any taximeter commits an offence and is liable to a fine of \$10,000 and to imprisonment for 6 months on a first conviction; and to a fine of \$25,000 and to imprisonment for 12 months on a subsequent conviction.

(Note: All the offences and penalties as listed in the Guidelines is only the most updated terms available when printing is arranged.)

#### II. RECEIPT PRINTING DEVICE

- 2.1 According to the present legislative requirement, there should be a receipt printing device installed in every taxi, either by forming part of or being connected to the taximeter with which the taxi is fitted. The device, when under proper mechanical condition, should be able to print a fare receipt within 12 seconds. When the receipt printing device is not installed in accordance with the law, the registered owner of the taxi commits an offence and he/she is liable to a fine of \$10,000 and to imprisonment for 6 months.
- Any receipt issued in respect of the payment of any fare for the hiring of a taxi should be printed on a form specified by the Commissioner. The format can be found in <u>Appendix 1</u>. The content of the receipt should set out all the items listed in Appendix 1. The letters and figures of the receipt should be printed in black and blue, each of which is not less than 2 millimetres in height, on a white paper.
- 2.3 If the receipt printing device is not in proper working order, a fare receipt should be issued by the driver of the taxi by completing in manuscript of a pre-printed form. The format and the content of the pre-printed form should be the same as the sample in *Appendix* 2.
- When the scale of fares for the hiring of taxis is amended, even if the taximeter of a taxi affected by the amendment has not been converted to record the revised scale of fares, the taxi driver still has to issue a fare receipt to the passengers. The taxi-driver should set out in manuscript, next to the total amount of the fare recorded in respect of such hiring on the taximeter, the total amount of the fare chargeable in accordance with the revised scale of fares.
- 2.5 Anyone who does not issue taxi fare receipt in accordance with the law commits an offence and he/she is liable to a fine of \$5,000 and to imprisonment for 6 months.

#### III. JOURNEY RECORDING SYSTEMS

3.1 Subject to the commencement date to be appointed by Secretary for Transport and Logistics by notice published in the Gazette, there must be Journey Recording Systems ("JRS") on all

taxis. A JRS is a system which may consist of one or more devices that has the following key functions:

- (i) making video recordings with audio that show a clear view of all persons in the taxi compartment ("in-vehicle recordings"),
- (ii) making video recordings without audio that show a clear view of the front view and rear view outside the taxi ("dash camera recordings"), and
- (iii) capturing data concerning the location of the taxi by transmitting and receiving signals under a global navigation satellite system ("location data").
- 3.2 The JRS should also be properly sealed as an approved JRS. The JRS has to be examined every year thereafter during the annual examination of the taxi. No alteration of an approved JRS will be permitted unless approved by the Commissioner in writing. A notice indicating there is on the taxi a JRS that makes video recordings with audio of persons in the taxi should be clearly displayed inside the taxi compartment to keep passengers informed.
- 3.3 The JRS should be linked to the drive system of the taxi and automatically start to make recordings and capture data once the drive system of the taxi is activated. Taxi owners and drivers will not be able to turn off the JRS. The JRS of a taxi should be maintained in good and efficient working order. It should provide coloured signal lamps to indicate whether the JRS is in normal operation or is defective. In the event that a JRS is out of order, the taxi owner and the authorised installer should report to the Commissioner as soon as reasonably practicable. The taxi owner should arrange for the JRS to be repaired and should not use the taxi for hire until the JRS is restored to good and efficient working order.
- 3.4 A person must not deface, damage or remove the approved journey recording system of a taxi; or break the seal on the approved journey recording system of a taxi. A person who, without lawful authority or reasonable excuse, contravenes this regulation commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine of \$10,000 and to imprisonment for 6 months.

#### IV. <u>ILLUMINATED SIGNS AND MARKINGS</u>

- 4.1 Every general taxi should be fitted on the top of its roof an illuminated sign, of a type approved by the Commissioner, which at all times during the hours of darkness when the taxi is available for hire displays the word "TAXI" so that it is clearly visible from the front and the rear of the vehicle. In addition, every taxi should be plainly marked in English and Chinese writing of uniform size not less than 100 millimetres in height on the outside of the vehicle on both the near and off sides of the vehicle with the words "TAXI" and the characters "Hy\pm".
- 4.2 Every taxi shall display, on the front and on the back of the vehicle, a plate indelibly coloured white on a green surface. It shows the seating capacity as laid down in the registration document in respect of that taxi. The form and dimension of the plate should be the same as that prescribed by the

#### Commissioner.

4.3 The Commissioner may, by notice published in the Gazette, specify the colour, combination of colours or colour scheme with which the outside of general taxis should be painted.

#### V. PICKING UP AND SETTING DOWN PASSENGERS

- 5.1 According to the present legislative requirement, the maximum passenger seating capacity of a taxi is six.
- 5.2 Under normal circumstances, the driver of a taxi should not stop to pick up or set down passengers except:-
  - (i) at a taxi stand in respect of the type of taxi specified; or
  - (ii) when requested by a passenger or hailed by an intending passenger (except the prohibited area as stated in law).
- 5.3 The Commissioner may designate an area of road as an area within which a taxi may stand or ply for hire. Furthermore, the Commissioner may designate a taxi stand as a cross-harbour taxi stand.
- 5.4 The Commissioner of Police may temporarily designate an area of road as a taxi stand or suspend a taxi stand, for any period not exceeding 72 hours. Such designation may be indicated by appropriate traffic signs.

#### VI. FOR HIRE

- 6.1 The driver of each of the first 2 taxis at a taxi stand should sit in or stand beside his taxi and should be ready to be hired immediately by any person.
- 6.2 The driver of every taxi at a taxi stand should move up his/her taxi as vacancies occur.
- 6.3 If a person wishes to engage a taxi:-
  - (i) the driver of the first taxi at the taxi stand should accept the hire; and
  - (ii) the driver of the taxi other than the first one at the stand should not accept the hire, unless the drivers of all taxis ahead of his taxi at the stand have either accepted a hire or are not in or near their taxis.
- 6.4 The driver of a taxi available for hire should:-

- (i) display the taximeter indicator (or "flag"); and
- (ii) keep the roof "TAXI" sign illuminated during hours of darkness.
- At the time the taxi has been hired, the driver of the taxi should move the taximeter indicator (or "flag") to the recording position. As soon as the hiring has terminated, the taxi driver should return the taximeter indicator (or "flag") to the non-recording position.
- 6.6 The hiring time of the taxi should commence from either one of the following time, depending on whichever first occurs:-
  - (i) the time at which the journey begins; or
  - (ii) the time at which the taxi is first made immediately available to the hirer at the time and place appointed by the hirer.
- 6.7 When the taxi is standing and plying for hire the driver should display so as to be clearly visible to any passenger travelling in the taxi and have the followings legible to him:-
  - (i) a table showing in English and Chinese characters the scale of fares chargeable in respect of the use of the taxi. The table should be of a design and construction and displayed in such position in the taxi as specified by the Commissioner;
  - (ii) the registration mark of the vehicle; and
  - (iii) a taxi driver identity plate in a holder.
    - (a) a taxi driver identity plate should:-
      - (1) be of such size, design, form and construction and displayed in such a position in the taxi as specified by the Commissioner;
      - (2) show the captions "TAXI DRIVER IDENTITY PLATE" and "的士司機證";
      - (3) show the driver's full name as shown in his identity card in English and, where appropriate, in Chinese; and
      - (4) bear the driver's photograph
    - (b) The holder should:-
      - (1) be of such size, design, form and construction and displayed in such a position in the taxi as specified by the Commissioner; and
      - (2) show the registration mark of the taxi.

6.8 The driver of a taxi which is standing or plying for hire at a cross-harbour taxi stand may refuse to accept any hire which is not for a destination across the harbour via the Cross-Harbour Tunnel, the Western Harbour Crossing and the Eastern Harbour Crossing.

#### VII. TAXI FARES

7.1 Details of the scale of fares chargeable by a taxi is enclosed in <u>Appendix 3</u>. The scale of fares for the hiring of taxis, the additional fares and the toll charge for the use of tunnels should be based on the figures appeared in the Gazette. The fares suggested in this Guidelines is only the latest ones available at the time of printing and no notification on subsequent changes will be issued.

#### VIII. HIRING OF TAXI

- 8.1 The registered owner of a taxi may hire the vehicle to any person on any terms as may agreed with the hirer.
- 8.2 Before a vehicle is hired, the registered owner and the hirer have to complete and sign 2 copies of a document which contain the following particulars:-
  - (i) the rate or scale of charges applicable to the hiring;
  - (ii) details of the third party risks insurance held in respect of the vehicle; and
  - (iii) the names and addresses of the persons who are permitted to drive the vehicle while it is the subject of the hiring and the numbers of their driving licences.
- 8.3 The registered owner should retain one copy of the document and produce it on demand by a police officer made within 3 months after the commencement of the hiring.
- 8.4 The hirer should retain another copy of the document and produce it on demand by a police officer made during the continuance of hiring.
- 8.5 A person permitted to drive a taxi must be a holder of a valid driving licence with an

entitlement to drive taxi and taxi driver identity plate.

#### IX. Taxi Fleet

- 9.1 Under the taxi fleet regime, the TD will issue taxi fleet licences and regulate the operation and management of taxi fleets through licensing conditions.
- 9.2 Taxi fleet licensees are allowed to design the livery and marking of their fleet taxis (subject to the approval by the Transport Department). For passengers' easy identification of fleet taxis and their operating areas, all fleet taxis are required to display fleet taxi certificate at the windscreens of the taxis, and fleet taxi plate at the front and rear of the taxi bodies. The background color of the fleet taxi plate corresponds to the scope of the permitted operating area of the fleet taxi (i.e., red for Urban taxis, green for New Territories taxis, and blue for Lantau taxis). Examples of fleet taxi plates are enclosed in *Appendix 4*.
- 9.3 To facilitate fleet taxis' picking up of passengers who have booked a journey, the Transport Department designated a few dozen fleet taxi stopping places at the airport, some of the boundary control points, the West Kowloon Station of the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link, some of the Airport Express Stations, the Kai Tak Cruise Terminal, the Hong Kong Disneyland, etc. Fleet taxi stopping places are delineated with road marking and indicated with traffic sign, and examples of relevant road marking and traffic sign are enclosed in *Appendix 5*.
- 9.4 General taxis (i.e. non fleet taxis) are not allowed to stop or pick up or set down passengers at fleet taxi stopping places. According to the Schedule to the Fixed Penalty (Criminal Proceedings) Ordinance (Chapter 240), drivers who violate the regulations will be fined HK\$400 upon prosecution.
- 9.5 Taxi fleet licensees can charge customised fare for pre-arranged trips of their fleet taxis. The customised fare may be in form of a booking fee (to be agreed with the hirer in advance) to be added on top of the metered fare, or a lump sum fare as agreed with the hirer before the journey starts. As for street-hailing trips, fleet taxis should charge according to the same fare schedule (i.e. according to the scale of fares specified in Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations) as in the case of general taxis.

#### X. CARRIAGE OF GOODS

- 10.1 No goods other than personal hand baggage shall be carried on a taxi.
- 10.2 Personal hand baggage shall not include the followings:
  - (i) any goods which are of a dangerous or offensive nature; and
  - (ii) any goods which are not securely wrapped.

- As a general rule, each piece of light personal baggage that is placed inside the passenger compartment can be carried free of charge if its total dimensions (length + width + height) do not exceed 140 cm.
- Taxi driver may charge passenger for every piece of baggage that is placed inside the luggage compartment a baggage surcharge regardless of its dimensions.
- 10.5 Wheelchairs, crutches and other items used as an aid to mobility which are carried by a taxi passenger with disabilities can be carried free of charge regardless of their dimensions and where they are placed.

#### XI. CARRIAGE OF ANIMALS AND BIRDS

11.1 The carriage of animals and birds in a taxi and the terms and conditions under which any animal or bird is carried should be at the sole discretion of the driver of the vehicle. However, any person who is permitted to take any animal or bird on a vehicle must be responsible for and pay for any damage to the vehicle caused by that animal or bird.

#### XII. LOST PROPERTY

- 12.1 Any person who finds any property accidentally left in a taxi should immediately hand it in the state in which he finds it to the driver.
- 12.2 Immediately after every journey or hiring of a taxi, the driver should carefully search the vehicle to ascertain whether any property has been left in the taxi. Any driver who finds any property left in a taxi, should deposit such property at a police station in the state in which it has been found by or handed to him within 6 hours. He should truly state the particulars of such finding to the Police.

Provided that such property is sooner claimed by the owner with satisfactory proof of ownership, the property should be restored to the owner instead of being deposited at a police station.

#### XIII. SEAT BELTS

- 13.1 The driver of a taxi may refuse to a hire or to drive the vehicle if a passenger in the vehicle refuses or fails to wear a seat belt in accordance with the Road Traffic (Safety Equipment) Regulation. That passenger should:-
  - (i) leave the vehicle if so required by the driver, an authorized person or a police officer; and
  - (ii) pay the legal fare then recorded on the taximeter.

#### XIV. OBLIGATIONS AND GENERAL CONDUCT OF TAXI DRIVER

- 14.1 The driver of a taxi should not without reasonable excuse:-
  - (i) wilfully refuses or neglects to accept a hire from a hirer whether the intention of such hirer is indicated expressly or by implication;
  - (ii) refuses or neglects to drive the taxi to any place indicated by a hirer;
  - (iii) refuses or neglects to carry such number of passengers as required by the hirer, when the number of passengers do not exceed the number specified in the vehicle licence in respect of the taxi;
  - (iv) drive to the destination specified by the hirer by not adopting the most direct practicable route; and
  - (v) when his/her taxi is hired, permit any person other than the hirer to enter the taxi without the consent of the hirer.
- 14.2 The driver when in charge of the taxi, should:-
  - (i) not in any manner attract or attempt to attract anyone in order to induce him/her to hire the vehicle;
  - (ii) ensure that himself/herself and the vehicle is kept in a clean and tidy condition;
  - (iii) not deceive or refuse to inform a passenger or intending passenger as to the proper fare and

route to any place;

- (iv) at all times when the taxi is available for hire or is hired, carry for the purpose of giving change, not less than:-
  - (a) \$90 in notes of a denomination of \$10 or in coins of a denomination of \$2 or more; and
  - (b) \$10 in coins of a denomination of \$1 or less;
- (v) allow taxi fares to be paid by at least one QR code e-payment means and at least one non-QR code e-payment means starting from 1 April 2026;
- (vi) take all the reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of passengers on or entering or alighting from the vehicle;
- (vii) not unreasonably delay the journey;
- (viii) not smoke in or on the vehicle;
- (ix) not congregate or assemble with other drivers so as to create annoyance to the members of public;
- (x) drive the taxi away immediately after the passengers have alighted from or boarded the taxi in such manner as to cause the minimum of obstruction and congestion; and
- (xi) under request of any police officer or traffic warden in uniform or any person authorized by the Commissioner, give particulars of his/her name and address and the name and address of the licensee or owner by whom he/she is employed.

#### XV. TAXI-DRIVER-OFFENCE POINTS SYSTEM

- 15.1 The Taxi-Driver-Offence Points ("TDOP") system covers 11 taxi-driver-related offences that affect taxi service quality and carry higher penalties under the existing legislation, which have been categorised into three layers assigned with 10, 5 and 3 points respectively based on their seriousness. Details are enclosed in *Appendix 6*.
- 15.2 Among which, the 4 more serious offences assigned with 10 points (i.e. "overcharging", "wilfully refusing or neglecting to accept a hire", "refusing or neglecting to drive a taxi to the place indicated by the hirer" and "defacing, damaging or altering a taximeter") will also trigger the two-tier Penalty system. Maximum penalties for the first conviction remain at a fine of \$10,000 and 6-month imprisonment, while those for the subsequent conviction are raised to a fine of \$25,000 and 12-month imprisonment.

- 15.3 In counting the rolling-based two-year period for determining whether actions have to be taken under the TDOP system (e.g. whether the Commissioner for Transport has to apply to a magistrate to trigger the disqualification proceedings), the relevant reference date is the date of the commission of the relevant scheduled offence, instead of the date of incurrence of points. If a taxi driver has accumulated points incurred to a specified level within any two-year period, a respective action or penalty will be triggered. Details are as follow:
  - (i) Incurrence of 8 points or more, but less than 15 points
- The Commissioner for Transport will issue an Advice of Taxi-Driver-Offence Points to him pursuant to the law. This Advice sets out his record of points incurred in respect of the scheduled offences committed within the 2-year period, informs him of the consequences of incurring more points and reminds him to enhance the taxi service.
  - (ii) Incurrence of 10 points or more
- 15.5 The Commissioner for Transport will issue a "Notice of Obligatory Attendance of Taxi Service Improvement Course" to the taxi driver to inform him of the obligatory attendance and completion of a Taxi Service Improvement Course ("TSIC") at his own cost within a specified period. A taxi driver who, without reasonable excuse, fails to attend and complete the Taxi Service Improvement Course within the specified period, commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine of \$5,000 and imprisonment for one month.
- 15.6 If a taxi driver attends and completes a TSIC, passes the course examination, and is therefore issued with a taxi course completion certificate, the Commissioner for Transport will deduct from the total number of relevant points incurred by him-
  - (a) 3 points if the number before deduction is larger than 3; or
  - (b) all the points if the number before deduction is not larger than 3.

However, no points may be deducted under the following four circumstances: On the completion day of the course -

- (a) attends and completes a TSIC but fails the course examination; or
- (b) no relevant points was incurred by the taxi driver (i.e. 0 points); or
- (c) the total number of relevant points incurred by the taxi driver is 15 or above; or
- (d) within the 2-year period before the completion day, points incurred by the taxi driver had been deducted due to previous completion of TSIC.
- (iii) Incurrence of 15 points or more
- 15.7 The taxi driver is liable to be disqualified from driving a taxi ("disqualification"). The

disqualification period will be three months for the first disqualification and six months for each subsequent disqualification, subject to the Courts' order.

15.8 If a taxi driver incurs 15 or more points within a 2-year period, and as a result being disqualified from driving a taxi under, the points entries in the Register of Taxi-Driver-Offence Points relating to the offences will be canceled. In other words, all those points incurred by the driver for the offences have no effect.

#### FORMAT OF TAXI FARE RECEIPT ISSUED BY THE RECEIPT PRINTING DEVICE

#### (1) RECEIPT IN CHINESE VERSION

1	车县	XY1234
1.	<del>+</del> 5	A I 1434

- 2. 上车 25/12/08 18:00
- 3. 下车 25/12/08 18:25
- 4. 总公里 19.45
- 5. 收费公里 19.25
- 6. 收费分钟 5.00
- 7. 附加费 HK\$30.00
- 8. 总车费 HK\$157.50

#### Notes preprinted on the back of the receipt

- 1. TAXI NO. XY1234
- 2. START TIME
- 3. END TIME
- 4. TOTAL KM
- 5. PAID KM
- 6. PAID MIN
- 7. SURCHARGE (HK\$)
- 8. TOTAL FARE (HK\$)

#### (2) RECEIPT IN SIMPLIFIED VERSION

- 1. XY1234
- 2. 25/12/08 18:00
- 3. 25/12/08 18:25
- 4. 19.45 KM
- 5. 19.25 KM
- 6. 5.00 MIN
- 7. HK\$30.00
- 8. HK\$157.50

#### Notes preprinted on the back of the receipt

- 1. 車號 TAXI NO.
- 2. 上車日期及時間 START TIME
- 3. 下車日期及時間 END TIME
- 4. 總公里 TOTAL KM
- 5. 收費公里 PAID KM
- 6. 收費分鐘 PAID MIN
- 7. 附加費(港元) SURCHARGE (HK\$)
- 8. 總車費(港元) TOTAL FARE (HK\$)

#### (3) RECEIPT IN BOTH ENGLISH AND CHINESE

车号	TAXI NO.	XY1234
上车	START TIME	25/12/08 18:00
下车	END TIME	25/12/08 18:25
总公里	TOTAL KM	19.45
收费公里	PAID KM	19.25
收费分钟	† PAID MIN	5.00
附加费	SURCHARGE	HK\$30.00
总车费	TOTAL FARE	HK\$157.50

No notes is required for this receipt

# FORMAT OF RECEIPT ISSUED BY TAXI DRIVER MANUALLY

的士車號:							
TAXI NO.:							
上車日期:	年	月	日				
DATE:	Yr	Mon	Day				
下車時間:			上午/下午				
END TIME:			a.m./p.m.				
咪錶顯示收費:							
METER FARE: HK\$ 附加費:							
SURCHARGE: HK\$							
總收費:							
TOTAL TAXI FARE: HK\$							
司機姓名:							
NAME OF DRI	VER:						

### **Taxi Fares**

# <u>Urban Taxi</u>

Type of Fares	Fares
First 2 kilometres or any part thereof	\$29
Every subsequent 200 metres or part thereof /	
Every period of 1 minute waiting time or part thereof	
Until the chargeable amount reaches \$102.5	\$2.1
After the chargeable amount has reached \$102.5	\$1.4

# New Territories (NT) Taxi

Type of Fares	Fares
First 2 kilometres or any part thereof	\$25.5
Every subsequent 200 metres or part thereof /	
Every period of 1 minute waiting time or part thereof /	
Until the chargeable amount reaches \$82.5	\$1.9
After the chargeable amount has reached \$82.5	\$1.4

# Lantau Taxi

Type of Fares	Fares
First 2 kilometres or any part thereof	\$24
Every subsequent 200 metres or part thereof /	
Every period of 1 minute waiting time or part thereof	
Until the chargeable amount reaches \$195	\$1.9
After the chargeable amount has reached \$195	\$1.6

#### **Additional Fares**

Type of Force	Fares		
Type of Fares	Urban Taxi	NT Taxi	Lantau Taxi
Every piece of baggage (except light personal hand baggage carried inside passenger compartment)	\$6	\$6	\$6
Every animal or bird	\$5	\$5	\$5
Every hiring arranged through telephone booking	\$5	<b>\$</b> 5	\$5
Wheelchairs and crutches carried by disabled passengers	Free	Free	Free

# Additional fare for every hiring involving the use of toll tunnel, toll road or toll area

Cross-Harbour Tunnel Eastern Harbour Crossing Western Harbour Crossing	\$25 (amount of toll) + \$25 (return toll)*
Tai Lam Tunnel	Amount of toll paid by driver
Other toll tunnel, toll road or toll area	Amount of toll

- \* The return toll is not payable by passenger if:
  the hiring begins from a cross—harbour taxi stand; or
  the final destination is not on the opposite side of the harbour.

Note: The above taxi fares are for reference only. The latest information should refer to the **Gazette Notice.** 

#### **Examples of Fleet Taxi Plates**

(i) Fleet taxi plate shall be displayed at the front of the vehicle (Size: 25 cm X 12cm)



Note: The second row shall be the variable taxi fleet licence number.

(ii) Fleet taxi plate shall be displayed at the front of the vehicle (Size: 15 cm in diameter)



Note: The second row shall be the variable taxi fleet licence number.

# Road Marking and Traffic Sign of Fleet Taxi Stopping Place

# (i) Road marking of fleet taxi stopping place



# (ii) Traffic sign of fleet taxi stopping place



# OFFENCES COVERED IN TAXI-DRIVER-OFFENCE POINTS (TDOP) SYSTEM AND RELEVANT POINTS ASSIGNED TO EACH OFFENCE

No.	Offence	Offence points
1	Overcharging	
2	Wilfully refusing or neglecting to accept a hire	
3	Refusing or neglecting to drive a taxi to the place indicated by the hirer	10
4	Defacing, damaging or altering a taximeter	
5	Soliciting	
6	Driving to a destination other than by the most direct practicable route	
7	Permitting any person other than the hirer to enter the taxi without the consent of the hirer	5
8	Deceiving or refusing to inform a passenger or intending passenger as to the proper fare and route to any place	
9	Refusing or neglecting to carry the number of passengers required by the hirer	
10	Refusing or neglecting to issue a receipt	3
11	Not setting taximeter to recording position	

# **II.** Location and Route Questions

	<b>Location (Question)</b>	Place (Answer)			
Hospitals					
1. Queen Mary Hospital		Pok Fu Lam			
2.	Prince of Wales Hospital	Sha Tin			
3.	Tsan Yuk Hospital	Sai Ying Pun			
4.	Tung Wah Hospital	Sheung Wan			
5.	TWGHs Fung Yiu King Hospital	Pok Fu Lam			
6.	Grantham Hospital	Wong Chuk Hang			
7.	Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital	Chai Wan			
8.	Tung Wah Eastern Hospital	Tai Hang			
9.	Tang Shiu Kin Hospital	Wan Chai			
10.	Ruttonjee Hospital	Wan Chai			
11.	Wong Chuk Hang Hospital	Wong Chuk Hang Path			
12.	Queen Elizabeth Hospital	Yau Ma Tei			
13.	Kowloon Hospital	Kowloon City			
14.	Hong Kong Buddhist Hospital	Lok Fu			
15.	Hong Kong Eye Hospital	Kowloon City			
16.	TWGHs Wong Tai Sin Hospital	Shatin Pass Road			
17.	Our Lady of Maryknoll Hospital Wong Tai Si				
18.	Kwong Wah Hospital	Yau Ma Tei			

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19.	Caritas Medical Centre	Cheung Sha Wan	
20.	Princess Margaret Hospital	Lai King	
21.	Kwai Chung Hospital	Lai King	
22.	Yan Chai Hospital	Tsuen Wan	
23.	United Christian Hospital	Sau Mau Ping	
24.	Haven of Hope Hospital	Tseung Kwan O	
25.	Tseung Kwan O Hospital	Po Ning Lane	
26.	Shatin Hospital	A Kung Kok Street	
27.	Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital	Tai Po	
28.	Tai Po Hospital	Chuen On Road	
29.	North District Hospital	Sheung Shui	
30.	Tuen Mun Hospital	Tsing Chung Koon Road	
31.	Pok Oi Hospital	Yuen Long	
32.	Canossa Hospital	Mid-Levels	
33.	Matilda International Hospital	The Peak	
34.	HK Adventist Hospital - Stubbs Road	Happy Valley	
35.	St. Paul's Hospital	Eastern Hospital Road	
36.	HK Sanatorium & Hospital	Happy Valley	
37.	Precious Blood Hospital (Caritas)	Sham Shui Po	

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38.	Evangel Hospital	Kowloon City	56	j.	Kowloon Walled City Park	Kowloon City
39.	St. Teresa's Hospital	Kowloon City	57	<b>'.</b>	Ngong Ping Cable Car - Tung Chung Cable Car Terminal	Tat Tung Road
40.	Hong Kong Baptist Hospital	Kowloon Tong	58	3.	Ocean Park Hong Kong	Wong Chuk Hang
41.	HK Adventist Hospital - Tsuen Wan	Tsuen King Circuit	59	).	Po Lin Monastery	Ngong Ping
42.	Shatin International Medical Centre Union Hospital	Fu Kin Street	60	).	The Peak Tower	Peak Road
43.	Castle Peak Hospital	Tuen Mun	61	•	Asia World-Expo	Chek Lap Kok
44.	Siu Lam Hospital	Tsing Chung Koon Road	62	2.	Ping Shan Heritage Trail	Yuen Long
45.	The Duchess of Kent Children's Hospital at Sandy Bay	Pok Fu Lam	63	١.	HK Convention & Exhibition Centre	Wan Chai
46.	North Lantau Hospital	Chung Yan Road	64		Hong Kong Heritage Museum	Sha Tin
47.	Tin Shui Wai Hospital	Tin Tan Street	65	í.	Hong Kong Museum of History	Tsim Sha Tsui
48.	Gleneagles Hong Kong Hospital	Wong Chuk Hang	66	j.	Hong Kong Science Museum	Tsim Sha Tsui
49.	Hong Kong Children's Hospital	Kowloon Bay	67	<b>'.</b>	Hong Kong Space Museum	Tsim Sha Tsui
50.	The CUHK Medical Centre	Chak Cheung Street	68	3.	Hong Kong City Hall	Central
	Tourist Sp	ots	69	).	Hong Kong Coliseum	Hung Hom
51.	Avenue of Stars	Tsim Sha Tsui	70	).	Hong Kong Cultural Centre	Tsim Sha Tsui
52.	Golden Bauhinia Square	Wan Chai	71		Queen Elizabeth Stadium	Wan Chai
53.	Hong Kong Disneyland	Penny's Bay	72	2.	Sha Tin Town Hall	Yuen Wo Road
54.	Hong Kong Wetland Park	Tin Shui Wai	73	١.	Tsim Sha Tsui Star Ferry Pier	Tsim Sha Tsui
55.	Jade Market	Yau Ma Tei	74		1881 Heritage	Canton Road

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75.	Sha Tin Che Kung Temple	Tai Wai	93.	Regal Oriental Hotel	Kowloon City
76.	Man Mo Temple	Sheung Wan	94.	Royal Plaza Hotel	Mong Kok
77.	Lam Tsuen Wishing Plaza	Tai Po	95.	Royal View Hotel	Ting Kau
78.	Lung Yeuk Tau Heritage Trail	Fanling	96.	The Royal Garden	Tsim Sha Tsui
79.	Murray House	Stanley	97.	The Park Lane Hong Kong, A Pullman Hotel	Causeway Bay
80.	The Pawn	Johnston Road	98.	Royal Pacific Hotel	Tsim Sha Tsui
81.	Tai Kwun	Hollywood Road	99.	Novotel Citygate Hong Kong	Tung Chung
82.	Hong Kong Museum of Art	Tsim Sha Tsui	100.	Harbour Plaza Metropolis	Hung Hom
83.	Hong Kong Palace Museum	Museum Drive	101.	The Peninsula Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui
84.	Xiqu Centre	Austin Road West	102.	Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers	Tsim Sha Tsui
85.	Kai Tak Sports Park	Shing Kai Road	103.	Hong Kong SkyCity Marriott Hotel	Chek Lap Kok
	Hotels		104.	Mandarin Oriental, Hong Kong	Central
86.	Harbour Plaza 8 Degrees	To Kwa Wan	105.	Dorsett Wanchai, Hong Kong	Queen's Road East
87.	Harbour Grand Kowloon	Hung Hom	106.	Park Hotel Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui
88.	Kowloon Shangri- La, Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui	107.	Renaissance Harbour View Hotel Hong Kong	Wan Chai
89.	Gloucester Luk Kwok Hong Kong	Wan Chai	108.	Holiday Inn Golden Mile	Tsim Sha Tsui
90.	Harbour Plaza North Point	King's Road	109.	Hong Kong Gold Coast Hotel	So Kwun Wat
91.	New World Millennium Hong Kong Hotel	Tsim Sha Tsui	110.	Marco Polo Hongkong Hotel	Tsim Sha Tsui
92.	Harbour Plaza Resort City Hong Kong	Tin Shui Wai	111.	Regal Riverside Hotel	Sha Tin

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112.	Ovolo Southside	Wong Chuk Hang		130.	North Point Government Offices	Java Road
113.	Nina Hotel Island South	Aberdeen		131.	Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices	Cheung Sha Wan Road
114.	Nina Hotel Tsuen Wan West	Yeung Uk Road		132.	Ho Man Tin Government Offices	Chung Hau Street
115.	Nina Hotel Kowloon East	Kwun Tong		133.	Kowloon East Government Offices	Kwun Tong
116.	Regal Airport Hotel Meeting and Convention Centre	Chek Lap Kok		134.	Kowloon Government Offices	Yau Ma Tei
117.	InterContinental Grand Stanford Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui		135.	Kwai Hing Government Offices	Hing Fong Road
118.	Gateway Hotel	Tsim Sha Tsui		136.	Lai Chi Kok Government Offices	Lai Wan Road
119.	Empire Hotel Hong Kong, Wan Chai	Hennessy Road		137.	Ma Tau Kok Road Government Offices	Ma Tau Kok Road
120.	The Mira Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui		138.	Mong Kok Government Offices	Luen Wan Street
121.	Disney's Hollywood Hotel	Lantau Island		139.	Mui Wo Government Offices	Ngan Kwong Wan Road
122.	Disney Explorers Lodge	Penny's Bay		140.	Ngau Tau Kok Government Offices	On Wah Street
123.	W Hong Kong	Austin Road West		141.	North District Government Offices	Fanling
124.	Crowne Plaza Hong Kong Kowloon East	Tseung Kwan O		142.	Pui Ching Road Government Offices	Ho Man Tin
125.	Dorsett Mongkok, Hong Kong	Tai Kok Tsui		143.	Sai Kung Government Offices	Chan Man Street
126.	Rosewood Hong Kong	Tsim Sha Tsui		144.	Sha Tin Government Offices	Sheung Wo Che Road
127.	Hong Kong Disneyland Hotel	Penny's Bay		145.	Sham Shui Po Government Offices	Un Chau Street
128.	The Ritz-Carlton, Hong Kong	Austin Road West		146.	Tai Hing Government Offices	Tuen Mun
129.	Regala Skycity Hotel	Chek Lap Kok		147.	Tai Po Government Offices	Ting Kok Road
Go	<b>Government Buildings</b>			148.	To Kwa Wan Government Offices	Ma Tau Wai Road

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149.	Tsuen Wan Government Offices	Sai Lau Kok Road	168.	West Kowloon Law Courts Building	Tung Chau Street
150.	Tuen Mun Government Offices	Tuen Hi Road	169.	High Court	Queensway
151.	Yuen Long Government Offices	Kiu Lok Square	170.	Labour Tribunal	Gascoigne Road
152.	Kwun Tong District Police Station	Lei Yue Mun Road	171.	Lands Tribunal	Gascoigne Road
153.	Mong Kok District Police Station	Prince Edward Road West	172.	District Court	Harbour Road
154.	Tseung Kwan O District Police Station	Po Lam Road North	173.	West Kowloon Government Offices	Hoi Ting Road
155.	Tsuen Wan District Police Station	Tsuen King Circuit	174.	Immigration Headquarters	Tseung Kwan C
156.	Central District Police Station	Chung Kong Road	175.	Electrical and Mechanical Services Department Headquarters	Kai Shing Street
157.	Eastern Law Courts Building	Sai Wan Ho	C	ommercial l	Buildings
158.	Court of Final Appeal	Central	176.	Nina Tower	Tsuen Wan
159.	Legislative Council Complex	Admiralty	177.	Cheung Kong Center	Central
160.	Government House	Central	178.	Lee Gardens	Causeway Bay
161.	Hong Kong Central Library	Causeway Bay	179.	Lippo Centre	Admiralty
162.	Hospital Authority Building	Kowloon City	180.	Mira Place	Tsim Sha Tsui
163.	Kowloon City Law Courts Building	Argyle Street	181.	TVB City	Tseung Kwan C
164.	Kwun Tong Law Courts Building	Lei Yue Mun Road	182.	The Gateway	Tsim Sha Tsui
165.	Fanling Law Courts Building	Pik Fung Road	183.	United Centre	Admiralty
166.	Sha Tin Law Courts Building	Yi Ching Lane	184.	World-Wide House	Central
167.	Tuen Mun Law Courts Building	Tuen Hi Road	185.	COSCO Tower	Queen's Road Central

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186.	Jardine House	Central
187.	Wing On House	Des Voeux Road Central
188.	HSBC Main Building	Central
189.	Hopewell Centre	Wan Chai
	Shopping N	<b>I</b> alls
190.	Festival Walk	Tat Chee Avenue
191.	Harbour City	Tsim Sha Tsui
192.	Langham Place	Mong Kok
193.	Plaza Hollywood	Diamond Hill
194.	Times Square	Causeway Bay
195.	Wonderful Worlds of Whampoa	Hung Hom
196.	New Town Plaza	Sha Tin
197.	Citygate Outlets	Tung Chung
198.	Lee Theatre	Causeway Bay
199.	Yue Man Square	Kwun Tong
200.	AIRSIDE	Kai Tak
201.	The Wai	Che Kung Miu Road
		Nuau
I	Residential B	uildings
202.	Telford Gardens	Wai Yip Street

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221.	Hong Kong Baptist University	Kowloon Tong
222.	Hong Kong Shue Yan University	North Point
223.	Lingnan University	Tuen Mun
224.	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	Sha Tin
225.	The Education University of Hong Kong	Tai Po
226.	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	Hung Hom
227.	The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	Clear Water Bay
228.	Hong Kong Metropolitan University	Ho Man Tin
229.	Main Building of The University of Hong Kong	Bonham Road
230.	Saint Francis University	Chui Ling Lane

Routes					
	Start (Question)	<b>Destination (Question)</b>	Most Direct Viable Route (Answer)		
231.	Marina Cove, Sai Kung	The Duchess of Kent Children's Hospital at Sandy Bay	Western Harbour Crossing		
232.	Ko Shan Theatre, Hung Hom	Cheung Sha Wan Plaza	Fat Kwong Street, Soares Avenue and Argyle Street		
233.	City Point, Tsuen Wan	Mai Po Nature Reserve	Tai Lam Tunnel and Tsing Long Highway		
234.	Yuen Long Town Hall	MOSTown, Ma On Shan	Lam Kam Road		
235.	Sha Tsui Road Playground, Tsuen Wan	Shatin Centre	Tai Ho Road and Cheung Pei Shan Road		
236.	Nam Cheong Estate, Sham Shui Po	Sheung Shui MTR Station	Tsing Sha Highway and Eagle's Nest Tunnel		
237.	West Kowloon Station Bus Terminus, Jordan	Empire Hotel Hong Kong, Causeway Bay	Hong Chong Road and Cross Harbour Tunnel		
238.	Festival Walk, Kowloon Tong	Sha Tin Town Hall	Waterloo Road and Lion Rock Tunnel		
239.	West Kowloon Xiqu Centre	Telford Plaza, Kowloon Bay	Chatham Road North, East Kowloon Corridor and Kai Tak Tunnel		
240.	Landmark North	Immigration Headquarters	Fanling Highway and Tate's Cairn Tunnel		
241.	United Christian Hospital	Mong Kok District Police Station	New Clear Water Bay Road and Prince Edward Road East		
242.	Tsuen Fung Centre, Tsuen Wan	Hong Kong Examinations And Assessment Authority, San Po Kong	Castle Peak Road (Kwai Chung) and Lung Cheung Road		

243.	Fortune Metropolis, Hung Hom	ICAC Headquarters Building, North Point	Cross Harbour Tunnel
244.	Academic Community Hall of Hong Kong Baptist University, Kowloon Tong	Great Eagle Centre, Wan Chai	Cross Harbour Tunnel
245.	Kowloon Public Library	Happy Valley Racecourse	Cross Harbour Tunnel

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