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AFS Acceptance and Market

Proposed Passing Beams, Customers Ranking Study 1996 Study 1995 Yes, I need an improved Passing beam lighting for... France, Italy, Sweden Germany Wet roads rank 1 rank 1 **Country roads** rank 2 rank 2 Bends rank 3 rank 3 Motorways rank 4 **Town Situation** rank 5 (rank 4) Comparison with other features/ values (1996) = as airbag (some 650 EUR option at that time) Adverse weather /wet road mode Other AFS modes = as front fog lamps

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	2000 to Nov 2001
90 th GTB Paris 11/2000	Special Session Mandate
Special 1	First Check and Definition of Tasks
91 st GTB Rome 05/2001	Report, Additional Questions
Special 2	Main Discussion / Solutions Light Source Module, R48 Amendment Structure, Photometry, Control Language / Editorials
Special 3	Settlement of Open Points
92 nd GTB Kyoto 11/2001	GTB Release

2 The Definitions







3 The Functions and Modes

3.1 General / The Class C (Basic) Passing Beam

















3.3 The Class W (Wet Road) Passing Beam





Class W (wet road) Passing Beam

The Automatic Activation



When the passing beam is switched on:

The class W (wet-road) passing beam may be emitted, if the vehicle generates the "W-signal".

This is allowed to be generated only:

a) in general

- if wet road and/or rain or snowfall is detected <u>and</u> - the front fog lamp (if any) is not switched on

b) especially

windshield wiper has operated for ≥ 2 min, and/or
road wetness is automatically detected by any

special means

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AFS Passing Beams (Examples) Bird's Eye View Comparison



Class W (wet road) Passing Beam

Functionality – Requirements on the 25m Screen



Passing beam requirements comparison

<u>lx @25m</u> Class W	grade 2 fully wet road	grade 1 partly wet road	Class C any type of road
Emax (fixed position area, including 50R and 75R)	≤ 100	≤ 80	≤ 50
foreground segment D (10m)	≤4	≤ 8 Ix	≤ 18
segment C (20m)	≤ 10	≤ 20 lx	(no req.)
road curb minimum illumination 25RR/LL	≥4	≥4	≥1,4
direct illuminance values B50L, BR, BRR	≤ 0,75	≤ 0,75	≤ 0,42

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Class W (wet road) Passing Beam

Functionality - Illumination of Objects on the Road











3.5 The Passing Beam Bending Modes









DRL Provisions

Main Beam

New / Changed Items



New

- number of lighting units per side not restricted
- swivelling of any lighting unit allowed (test provisions corresponding to those for passing beam categories)
- automatic beam modifications allowed (to specified/ tested)

unchanged (compared with R.112 / R.98)

- photometry provisions (however system based instead for individual lamps)
- reference figures system and relevant limitations
- time conditions (as R.98)
- activation of the main beam (switching on /off)

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Daytime Running Light (DRL)

New / Changed Items



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New

- more than one lighting unit per side allowed (each of them must comply)
- photometry maximum requirements combined with that of a basic passing beam
- automatic beam modifications allowed, including swivelling

unchanged (compared with R.87)

- photometry minimum requirements
- the activation of the DRL (switching on/off)

4 The Appearance

The Appearance Installation Provisions (1) Vehicle's front view, illuminating surfaces, schematically two symmetrically placed lighting units more than two symmetri-► cally placed lighting units, max 200 mm max 400 mm if intended to be used symmetrically more than two symmetrically placed lighting units. max 140 mm max 400 mm if intended to be lit in an asymmetrical configuration w203056





The Photometry



Measurements and conversion of results					
Light source	Operation of the lighting unit	Factor			
replaceable, accord. R37	with étalon light source at standard luminous flux	1			
Any other	with its own light source and supply / operating device (if any) at vehicle voltage	0,7			
	(13,5 V for 12 V system, e.g.)				



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