



## Windscreens and Window Tinting ()

The following standards are applied to all vehicles registered in the ACT and are consistent with Nationally accepted standards:

1. Tinting or tinted film must not be reflective or mirror like.
2. The windscreen must have a light transmission level of at least 70%. Windscreen glazing of a motor vehicle must not be coated in a way that reduces it's luminous transmittance.
3. Windows adjacent and rearward of the driver's seating position must have a visible light transmission level of at least 35%.
4. The light transmission requirements do not apply to a tinted or opaque band at the top of the windscreen providing it is above the portion of the windscreen swept by the wipers or its depth is no more than 10% of the depth of the windscreen.

### Window tinting - passenger vehicles

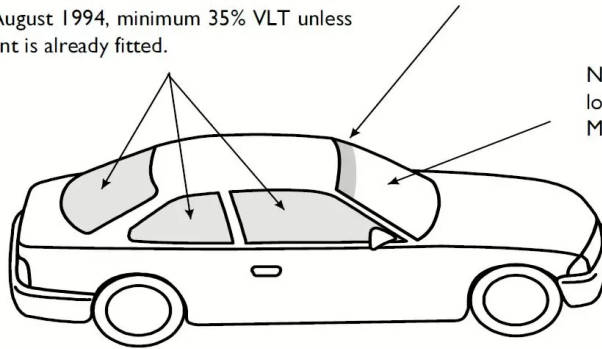
#### Vehicles first registered:

- on or after 1 August 1994, minimum 35% VLT.
- before 1 August 1994, minimum 35% VLT unless a darker tint is already fitted.

Tinted or opaque band allowed at the top of the windscreen.

It is not to extend below the portion swept by the wipers or 10% of the depth of the windscreen.

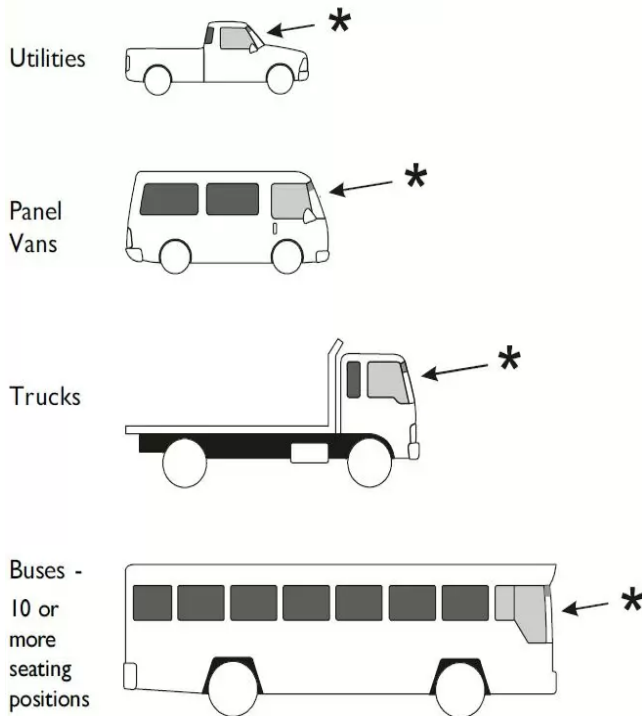
No film at all permitted on the lower part of the windscreen.  
Minimum 75% VLT.



There is no limit for windows to the rear of the driver if the vehicle is a light truck or commercial, or other goods carrying vehicles and buses.

**Please Note:** All vehicle windows that have glass that meets the Australian Design Rules (ADRs) and has dark glass (also known as or called privacy glass) fitted cannot have any window film applied to it. All glazing that includes applied film is required to meet the 35 % LT rule.

## Window tinting - trucks, commercial vehicles and buses



### \* Windscreen

- No film at all allowed on the lower part of the windscreen. Minimum 75% VLT.
- Tinted or opaque band allowed at the top of the windscreen. It is not to extend below the portion swept by the wipers or 10% of the depth of the windscreen.

### ■ Windows either side of driver

Vehicles first registered:

- on or after 1 August 1994, minimum 35% VLT.
- before 1 August 1994, minimum 35% VLT unless a darker tint is already fitted.

### ■ Windows rearward of driver

- No minimum VLT specified for rear windows

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