

DIFFERENCES IN THE LEVELS OF INSPECTION

Inspection Items	Level I	Level II*	Level III	Level IV	Level V**
1. Driver's License	✓	✓	✓		
2. Medical examiner's certificate and waiver (if applicable)	✓	✓	✓		
3. Alcohol and drugs	✓	✓	✓		
4. Driver's log (hours-of-service and duty status)	✓	✓	✓		
5. Seatbelt system	✓	✓	✓		✓
6. Periodic inspection documentation	✓	✓	✓		✓
7. Brake system	✓	✓			✓
8. Coupling devices	✓	✓			✓
9. Exhaust system	✓	✓			✓
10. Frame	✓	✓			✓
11. Fuel system	✓	✓			✓
12. Brake, head, tail lamps, turn signals, and lamps on projecting loads	✓	✓			✓
13. Safe loading of cargo	✓	✓			✓
14. Steering mechanism	✓	✓			✓
15. Suspension	✓	✓			✓
16. Tires	✓	✓			✓
17. Wheels, rims and hubs	✓	✓			✓
18. Van and open-top trailer bodies	✓	✓			✓
19. Windshield wipers	✓	✓			✓
20. Emergency exits (for buses)	✓	✓			✓
21. Hazardous materials requirements (if applicable)	✓	✓	✓		✓
22. One-time special inspection of a particular item				✓	
CVSA decal issued for "Pass" inspection (no violations/defects found in items 7-20)	✓				✓

Notes:

- * Level II inspections only include those items that can be inspected without physically getting under the vehicle
- ** Level V inspections are conducted without a driver present