Modification Code S10
Concessional Livestock Loading – Vehicle Rating
Stand-alone modification code for use in Queensland only.

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1. Scope

The purpose of this code is to ensure vehicles used to transport livestock in Queensland comply with the intent of the scheme under which they operate. The code requires an appropriately qualified and accredited approved vehicle examiner (AVE) to evaluate both the capacity and distribution of the load owing to fuels, water and livestock when subjected to specified loading conditions.

This document is to be read in conjunction with the current version of the relevant Heavy Vehicle National Law (HVNL), Class 3 Loading Exemption Notice as published in the Queensland Gazette. Refer to the Heavy Vehicle National Law - Queensland Class 3 Livestock Loading Exemption Notice 2019 and associated Operators Guide (the Scheme).

Modifications covered under this code:

**Covered**
- Rating of prime movers or converter dolly trailers intended to be used for the transportation of livestock in Queensland, using the Scheme.
- Rating of rigid trucks, trailers or semitrailers fitted with single or multiple deck stock crates intended to be used for the transportation of livestock in Queensland, using the Scheme.

**Not covered**
- Rating of vehicles not used for the transportation of livestock.
- Rating of rigid trucks, trailers or semitrailers, not fitted with a single or multiple deck stock crate.

2. Related standards

Modified vehicles must comply with all relevant Australian Design Rules (ADRs), Australian Standards, acts and regulations. Below are some, but not all of the areas that may be affected by the modifications in this code and require certification, testing or evidence to demonstrate compliance.

The certifier must ensure that the vehicle continues to comply with all related ADRs.

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3. Certification procedure

The compliance procedure for this modification code is as follows:

1. Owner /supplier
   - Determine if the vehicle’s basic design, i.e. axle configuration, deck configurations, etc. meets the general requirements of the Scheme.
     - If yes, proceed to step 3.
     - If no, proceed to step 2.

2. Owner /supplier
   - The vehicle is not eligible to operate under the Scheme.

3. Owner /supplier
   - Contact an accredited S10 AVE and supply the vehicle specifications or organise the vehicle to be inspected by the AVE.

4. S10 AVE
   - Perform a detailed inspection of the vehicle against all applicable requirements of this modification code.
   - Complete the applicable S10 checklist and determine if compliance has been achieved.
     - If yes, proceed to step 5.
     - If no, do not proceed, advise owner/supplier of the non-compliance and if rework is required to ensure compliance. Return to step 3.

5. S10 AVE
   - Issue modification certificate, affix S10 livestock loading modification plate and submit paperwork as required by the relevant AVE registration scheme.

AVEs must be satisfied that the vehicle modification requirements are being met. It is advised that before modifications are carried out they be discussed with the certifying AVE.

Advanced braking systems

Advanced braking systems are an important safety feature fitted to many new vehicles.

Advanced braking systems are programmed by the vehicle manufacturer and are specific to the vehicle to which they are fitted. Changes made to the vehicle, such as engine, tyre size, steering control, suspension characteristics, vehicle mass and its distribution, may impact the performance of the advanced braking system.

Exercise extra caution when modifying vehicles fitted with advanced braking systems. Electric braking systems may be known as:

- electronic stability control (ESC)
- electronic stability program (ESP)
- vehicle stability control (VSC)
- dynamic stability control (DSC)
- vehicle stability assist (VSA)
- rollover stability control (RSC)
- roll control system (RCS)
- electronic braking system (EBS)
- trailer electronic braking system (TEBS).
Advanced braking systems and their components may be easily damaged by common modification, maintenance and servicing techniques, such as the use of rattle guns within one metre of the sensors. When undertaking any work on a vehicle fitted with an advanced braking system, ensure all modifiers are familiar with these systems and the precautions that must be taken.

Ensure that before undertaking any modification on a vehicle that is fitted with an advanced braking system, the modifier and approved vehicle examiner (AVE) consult with the vehicle manufacturer to determine the impact on the system.

4. Compliance requirements

When certifying a vehicle under this modification code, the load imposed on all components must remain within manufacturer’s rated capacities. This includes the GVM/ATM and GCM ratings approved by the vehicle manufacturer. Where a vehicle’s rating has been modified and certified in accordance with VSB6, apply the revised ratings.

Required:
- Check suspension, axle, drive train, chassis, brakes, steering, wheel (rim and tyre) capacities are not exceeded.
- Ensure all relevant checklists, along with the applicable declarations, have been completed and are retained for at least seven years after the certification of the vehicle.
- Retain records of analysis, work records, test results, evidence, sketches, vehicle data and calculation sheets for at least seven years after the certification of the vehicle.
- Ensure vehicles comply with additional conditions detailed in the Scheme.

Livestock loading S10 modification plate

Once certified, all vehicles must be affixed with an approved S10 modification plate.

Required:
- Ensure the modification plate includes the following details:
  - Date (at least month/year)
  - Accreditation (AVE/approved person) number
  - Certificate number
  - Vehicle identification number (VIN)
  - Vehicle S10 Laden Mass
  - Front Axle Group/Kingpin S10 Laden Mass
  - Rear Axle Group S10 Laden Mass
  - Unladen Mass
- *Refer to definitions in the Glossary.

Vehicle manufacturer’s rating plate

For a vehicle to be eligible for certification under this modification code, a manufacturer’s rating plate (or label) must be fitted by the original vehicle manufacturer. Alternatively, if the vehicle has been modified in accordance with VSB6, revised ratings as shown on the VSB6 Modification Plate may be used in addition to the vehicle manufacturer’s ratings.

Required:
- For motor vehicles, the manufacturer’s rating plate must include the following information:
  - Date (at least month/year)
  - Vehicle manufacturer’s company name
  - Vehicle identification number (VIN)
  - Vehicle model
  - Gross vehicle mass (GVM) rating
  - Gross combination mass (GCM) rating
  - Maximum steer axle/axle group rating
  - Maximum rear axle group rating
  - Tyre size steer axle(s) (size and total load rating)
  - Tyre size rear axles (size and total load rating).

The fifth wheel/turntable rating must also be permanently marked on the fifth wheel/turntable and/or, the truck, in a prominent location.

- For trailers, the manufacturer’s rating plate must include the following information:
  - Date (at least month/year)
  - Vehicle manufacturer’s company name
  - Vehicle identification number (VIN)
  - Vehicle model
  - Aggregate trailer mass (ATM) rating
  - Gross trailer mass (GTM) rating.

- Trailers must be fitted with a supplemental plate that includes the following information:
  - Maximum front axle/axle group rating (if applicable)
  - Maximum rear axle group rating
  - Tyre size front axle(s) (size and total load rating) if applicable
  - Tyre size rear axles (size and total load rating). If using a supplemental label, the information is to be embossed, indented, etched or engraved on a durable label which is welded, riveted or otherwise permanently attached in a readily visible position. Lettering must not be less than 2.5mm in height. The supplemental label may contain additional information.

5. Design requirements

Dimension requirements

Required:
- Ensure that stock crate heights and loaded deck lengths do not exceed the conditional dimension requirements listed in the Scheme.
- Ensure vehicles continue to comply with all other regulatory dimension limits.

Deck number limits

Required:
- Ensure the number of decks used to transport livestock does not exceed:
  - 2 for cattle
  - 3 for pigs
  - 4 for sheep.

Tow coupling requirements

Required:
- Ensure that D value ratings meet the minimum requirements detailed in the Scheme.
- Ensure any modifications performed to tow couplings are performed in accordance with Section P of VSB6.

Tyre and rims

Required:
- Ensure manufacturer’s load carrying capacity of all tyres and rims is not exceeded.
- Where a vehicle is required by an ADR to be fitted with a ‘tyre placard’, ensure that tyre and rims continue to conform to the specifications detailed on the tyre placard.
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Where an S10 imposed loading exceeds 6.5t on a vehicle fitted with a single front steer axle or 11t for a twin steer, ensure the tyre section width:

- is in accordance with the vehicle manufacturer’s specification, or an approved axle configuration and
- complies with the requirements of the Scheme.

Ensure, where non-standard wheels are fitted, the modification is performed and certified in accordance with the applicable sections of VS6:

- Modification code E3 – Fitting of non-standard front wheel components
- Modification code D3 – Fitting of non-standard rear wheel components.

**S10 Conditional mass requirements**

Vehicles certified under this code must provide documentation that demonstrates the weight distribution in both laden and unladen states.

**Required:**

Follow the steps detailed in the relevant S10 vehicle Checklist. As an overview, those steps include the following:

- Weigh unoccupied vehicle at a registered public weighbridge.
- Record the mass on the steer and rear axle group(s) giving consideration to:
  - equipment fitted to vehicle when used in normal operation (e.g. toolboxes, fridges etc.)
  - fluid reservoirs filled to capacity (less ullage where appropriate).
- Ensure the total mass and weight distribution is calculated and documented, in both the Unladen mass state and in the laden state with the Imposed livestock load applied. As an interim step, it may be necessary to complete weight distribution calculations for Unladen dry mass and for Additional equipment not fitted at the time of weighing the vehicle.
- Ensure that, when combined, the unladen mass and imposed load (Vehicle S10 laden mass) does not exceed manufacturer’s ratings.
- Ensure the Vehicle S10 laden mass does not exceed the conditional mass limits listed in the Scheme.

**Unladen mass**

Unladen mass is the mass of the vehicle in running order where the vehicle is unoccupied and has:

- all fluid reservoirs filled to capacity
- all standard equipment fitted
- additional equipment used in normal operation fitted.

**Recommended:**

- Weigh unoccupied vehicle in its operational state (i.e. with all equipment installed all fluid reservoirs filled to operating capacity).

Where the vehicle is weighed with fluid reservoirs partially full, note the fluid levels on board at the time the vehicle was weighed. Deduct the mass of these fluids to calculate the Unladen dry mass of the vehicle. The Unladen (wet) mass is then calculated by adding the mass of fluids using the method detailed under **Mass of fluids**.

Dry mass = weighbridge mass less the mass of fluids when weighed

Mass of fluids = volume of each tank multiplied by nominal fluid density value

Unladen (wet) mass = Dry mass + Mass of fluids

**Mass of fluids**

It may not be reasonable, or practical, for the vehicle to be weighed with all fluid reservoirs filled.

**Required:**

- Calculate the mass of fuel/AdBlue/water in each tank by multiplying the nominal volume of each tank by:
  - 0.84kg/l for diesel
  - 1.1kg/l for AdBlue
  - 1.0kg/l for water.

- For diesel and AdBlue tanks, apply an ullage factor of 5% (multiply the nominal volume of each tank by 0.95). Where the ‘Actual’ or ‘Rated’ volumes of the diesel and/or AdBlue tanks are available, an ullage factor is not to be applied.
- Effluent tanks (if fitted) are assumed to be empty when livestock are first loaded onto the vehicle, hence no fluid mass is added for effluent for any of the S10 mass calculations.

**Imposed load**

Calculating the mass of livestock load imposed on the vehicle using the following method:

**Required:**

- For prime movers and converter dolly trailers apply 15,000kg vertically through the centre of the fifth wheel coupling to simulate loading from a laden semitrailer.
- To calculate the simulated maximum load limit for rigid trucks and trailers:
  - calculate the Total Deck Space (TDS) available for the carriage of livestock in square metres
  - identify the livestock to be carried and apply the simulated livestock weight (SLW) listed in table 1.
  - where the vehicle is fitted with multiple decks, ensure calculations include the TDS of all decks.
- Measure the average length, and width of each livestock section. In cases where the compartment is a non-regular shape, it may be easier to divide the compartment into smaller sections of regular shape (rectangular or square).
- Calculate the additional mass on the front and rear axle group(s) due to the imposed (S10) loading using the below method, for each stock deck.

**Single deck**

\[ \text{Imposed load (kg)} = \text{SLW} \times \text{TDS} \]

**Table 1: Simulated livestock weights**

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<td>Cattle</td>
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<td>Pig</td>
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<td>Sheep</td>
<td>210kg/m²</td>
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Refer to the Heavy Vehicle National Law - Queensland Class 3 Livestock Loading Exemption Notice 2019 and associated Operators Guide for more information on conditional mass requirements, including maximum axle mass limits.
Weight distribution calculations

Calculation of weight distribution for a vehicle requires determination of the Centre of Mass (CoM) for the various elements (i.e. fluid tanks/stock compartments) involved. These measurements are normally available from the vehicle and equipment manufacturer data sheets, or the body builder who completed work on the vehicle. Use an outline diagram, to approximate scale, to simplify the process and provide a useful aid to check body length and other critical dimensions.

**Required:**
- Complete the weight distribution calculations detailed in the relevant S10 vehicle Checklist.
- A copy of all weight distribution calculations must be attached to the Checklist document/s.

**Recommended:**
- A suitable weight distribution program/software is used to perform all weight distribution calculations.
- Alternatively, if a suitable weight distribution program/software is not available, the following formulas can be used to calculate the distribution of mass imposed on axle groups. A separate calculation using each of these formulas will be required for each reservoir, compartment, accessory, equipment, etc, on the vehicle.

Forward Axle Mass
\[ FAM = \left( \frac{D}{WB} \right) \times M \]

Rearward Axle Mass
\[ RAM = \left( \frac{WB - D}{WB} \right) \times M \]

**Note:**
- \( M \) = known, or calculated mass of the, reservoir, compartment, accessory, equipment, etc
- \( WB \) = distance between front most axle and centre of rear axle group (wheelbase)
- \( D \) = Distance from centre of mass of the, reservoir, compartment, accessory, equipment, etc to centre of rear axle group
S10 Checklist - Rigid Truck (example)

Part A - Vehicle owner’s or supplier’s details

Name: [Field]
Address: [Field]
Post code: [Field]

Vehicle and modifier details

Vehicle make: [Field]
Vehicle model: [Field]
Month and year of manufacture: [Field]

VRM (if applicable) Vehicle chassis no. (if applicable) Engine no.: [Fields]

Issued by approved vehicle examiner (unit): [Field]
Company (if applicable): [Field]
AMT no.: [Field]
Signed: [Field]
Telephone: [Field]

Vehicle design

Vehicle dimension:
Overall vehicle length: [Field] mm
Wheelbase: [Field] mm
Rear overhang: [Field] mm

Vehicle rating (information should be based on the truck manufacturer’s specifications or VSHE approval):
Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating: [Field] kg
Gross Combination Mass (GCM) rating: [Field] kg

Component specifications (following information should be based on the truck manufacturer’s specifications or VSHE approval):

Component

Meaning

Load rating (with S10 specified weight):
Load sharing (with S10 specified weight):

Assessment

1. Are all drive axles fitted with dual tyres? [Yes/No]
2. Is the vehicle’s steering configuration either single steer or twin steer with fixed load sharing suspension? [Yes/No]
3. Is the vehicle designed with: a. one single deck container steer for single steer, single drive vehicle configurations, or b. one or more deck container steer for all other vehicle configurations? [Yes/No]
4. Is the vehicle fitted with:
   a. a single drive axle for vehicles with a single rear axle, or
   b. at least two tandem axles for vehicles with multiple rear axles? [Yes/No]
5. Is the overall length of the vehicle, including things, less than or equal to 12.5 m? [Yes/No]
6. Is the S10 Checklist modification code for the Australian Design Rule definition for maximum vehicle width (for example, 2.5 m)? [Yes/No]

Vehicle chassis no./VHMC: [Field]
Date: [Field]
Signed: [Field]

S10 Checklist — Concessional livestock loading – Vehicle rating (rigid truck)

Assessment

Check Yes, No or N/A as applicable: If No, do not proceed with the rating

Yes
No

1. Is the overall height of the vehicle less than or equal to:
   a. 4.3 m for single deck container; or
   b. 4.4 m for multiple deck container? [Yes/No]

2. Is the rating of any fitted couplings greater than or equal to:
   a. For Type 2 road train loading units: 172 KN
   b. For other units: 150 KN? [Yes/No]

Advanced braking systems

Braking systems: Check Yes, No, N/A as applicable: If No, do not proceed with the rating

Yes
No
N/A

1. Is the advanced braking system where fitted un-affected or re-certified after the vehicle modification? [Yes/No]

Compliance

Check Yes, No or N/A as applicable: If No, do not proceed with the rating

Yes
No
N/A

1. Is the quality of the work to an acceptable industry standard? [Yes/No]

2. Does the modified vehicle continue to comply with all affected ADRs? [Yes/No]

Part B - Unladen mass

Weight vehicle

• Weigh vehicle at a registered public weighbridge and record quantities of fuel, additive and water at the time of weighing.

• Ensure vehicle is weighed without driver.

• Attach a copy of the weighbridge ticket in the space provided at the end of Part B.

Front axle group mass (S1):

Rear axle group mass (S2):

Weight of loaded mass (S1 + S2):

Fuel:

Water:

Standard equipment

• Lift all standard equipment fitted to the truck at the time of weighing (e.g. bull bar, winch, cab air conditioning, spare wheel/hose, tool box(s)). The stock cargo/box, grapple, effluent tanks, etc, and OMAS equipment must be included.

• It is recommended that detailed photographs are taken of the vehicle at the time of weighing that capture all the standard equipment fitted.

• Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

Standard equipment list at time of weighing:

Additional equipment

List of additional equipment (including fluid tanks):

Vehicle chassis no./VHMC: [Field]
Date: [Field]
Signed: [Field]
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**Checklist**

- Draw a plan of the chassis layout showing the position of all the additional equipment that has been, or is planned to be, fitted to the truck after the time of weighing. Items should include: fuel, fluid tanks, battery, air conditioning, spare wheel(s), tool kit, refrigerator(s), etc.
- Add to the plan drawing the position of oil, adBlue and water tanks.
- Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

Chassis layout of additional equipment (including fluid tanks):

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- Tank by the density of its fluid.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.
- Front axle group dry mass (F2), kg
- Rear axle group dry mass (F2), kg
- Vehicle dry mass with standard equipment and additional equipment (F2+H2), kg

**Additional Information**

- Photos of vehicle and standard equipment at time of weighing:

**Weightbridge certificate:**

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**Calculation of dry mass with standard and additional equipment**

- Subtract any mass imposed on the front and rear axle group(s) due to fuel, adBlue, and water.
- Add the mass on the front and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.

| Front axle group dry mass (F2) | kg |
| Rear axle group dry mass (F2) | kg |
| Vehicle dry mass with standard equipment and additional equipment (F2+H2) | kg |

**Unladen mass (net mass)**

- Calculate the unladen or net mass (without fuel, adBlue, water tanks) added to dry mass of the steer and rear axle group(s).
- Calculate the mass of fuel, adBlue, water in each tank (taking into account usage factor) by multiplying the nominal volume of each.

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**Dry mass weight distribution calculations:** From mass imposed on the front and rear axle group(s) due to additional equipment that has been, or is to be added after the time of weighing. Also subtract the weight of fuel, adBlue, and water at the time of weighing:

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Part C - Imposed livestock load (rigid truck)

Vehicle chassis no./VLR:  Date:  Signed:

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Part D - S10 Gross combined mass (GCM) (rigid truck)

Calculated S10 GCM:
- Calculate the intended S10 GCM of the vehicle using the formula provided in the Appendix A, Section (4)(c) of the Scheme.

S10 gross combination mass rating required:  kg

Part E - Vehicle S10 laden mass (rigid truck)

S10 laden mass:
- Calculate the total mass on the front and rear axle group(s) of the rigid truck by adding the unloaded mass of the rigid truck (calculated above) and the imposed livestock load mass (calculated in Part C above). This will determine the vehicle laden mass.
- Front axle group S10 laden mass (R1) such that (R1+R5):  kg
- Rear axle group S10 laden mass (R5) such that (R1+R5):  kg
- Vehicle S10 laden mass (R1 + R5):  kg

S10 Conditional mass requirement:
- Record the conditional mass requirements that apply to the vehicle as detailed in the Scheme Notice.

Maximum mass limit: front axle group:  kg
Maximum mass limit: laden mass:  kg

Modification:  Check Yes, if applicable; If No, do not proceed with the rating:  Yes  No

Vehicle chassis no./VLR:  Date:  Signed:
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**S10 Checklist – Concessional livestock loading – Vehicle rating (rigid truck)**

Are the maximum calculated 14t laden masses less than or equal to the 14t statutory livestock loading limits? □ □

- Truck manufacturer’s rating:
  - Record information from the vehicle manufacturer’s rating plate, affixed to the cabin by the manufacturer.
  - Where the vehicle has been assessed/modified/re-rated and approved in accordance with V/SA, use the information from the modification plate.

  Maximum front axle group rating: □ □
  Front axle group type capacity: □ □
  Maximum rear axle group rating: □ □
  Rear axle group type: □ □
  Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating: □ □
  Gross Combination Mass (GCM) rating: □ □

  Modification: Check Yes, No as applicable (if No, to either do not proceed with the rating)
  Yes: □ □
  No: □ □

  Are the 14t laden masses (calculated above) less than or equal to the vehicle’s manufacturer’s rating?
  14t laden masses: □ □

  Replace the information on the livestock loading 14t plate (maroon in colour).
  Affix the plate to the cabin of the truck.
  Ensure all other fields on the livestock loading 14t Plate ARE blanked out with three (3), or more, ‘X’ (for example: ‘XXX’).

Date:
Approved Vehicle Examiner / Approved Person Accreditation Number:
Certificate Number:
Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) / Chassis Number:
Vehicle laden 14t mass (from Part E1): □ □
Gross combination mass (from Part E1): □ □
Front axle group 14t laden mass (from Part E2): □ □
Front axle group 14t laden mass (from Part E3): □ □
Front axle group 14t laden mass (from Part E4): □ □
Front axle group 14t laden mass (from Part E5): □ □
Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating: □ □
Gross Combination Mass (GCM) rating: □ □

**Part F – Vehicle details and declarations**

AVC authorisation
Declaration by (AVC): □ □
I am/ the Approved Person who completed all the mass calculations and declares that the information in this form is true and correct.

Signet:
Telephone:
Date:

Owner/vehicle supplier authorisation
As the (provider of information) of the vehicle described in this form, I declare that the vehicle specifications and vehicle equipment detailed herein are representative of the vehicle as it will enter into service and that I have enabled the services of the AVC mentioned above to complete the S10 approval of this vehicle in this body type/configuration.

Name:
Company (if applicable):
Address:
Telephone:
Date:

Vehicle chassain no./VIN Date:
Signed:

**S10 Checklist – Prime Mover (example)**

**Part A – Vehicle owner’s or supplier’s details**

Name:
Company/business:
Address:
Post code:

Vehicle and modifier details
Vehicle make:
Vehicle model:
Month and year of manufacture:

Year (if applicable):
Vehicle chassis no. (if applicable):
Engine no.:

Issued by (Name of Approving Agency (AVA)):
Company (if applicable):
AVC no.:
Signet:
Telephone:
Date:

Vehicle design
Vehicle dimensions:
Overall vehicle length: mm
Wheelbase: mm
Rear overhang: mm

Vehicle rating information should be based on the truck manufacturer’s specifications or V/SA approved:
Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating:
Gross Combination Mass (GCM) rating:

Component specifications (the following information should be based on the truck manufacturer’s specifications or V/SA approved):
Component:
Make:
Model:
Load rating (with S10 specified typical):

Stirring box and linkage:
Suspension – Steer axle:
Suspension – Rear axle group:

Axles:
Make:
Model:
Load rating (with S10 specified typical): kg
Number of axles:

Front axle group:
Make:
Model:
Load rating (with S10 specified typical): kg

Rear axle group:
Make:
Model:
Load rating (with S10 specified typical): kg

Total axle group type capacity:

Typical gross vehicle mass:

Vehicle chassain no./VIN Date:
Signed:

Assessment
Check Yes, No as applicable (if No, do not proceed with the rating)
Yes: □ □
No: □ □

1. Is the vehicle fitted with tandem or 21 axle choice?
2. Are drive axles fitted with dual tires?
3. Is the vehicle’s steering configuration either single steer or twin-axle with fixed steering suspension?
4. Is the overall length of the vehicle, including fittings, less than or equal to 12.5m?
5. Is the overall width of the vehicle within the Australian Design Rule definition for maximum vehicle width (eg 2.5m)?
6. Is the overall height less than or equal to 4.9m?
7. Is the rating of any fitted fifth wheel or bed rail turnover greater than or equal to:
   - For Type 2 road train hauling units: 160KN
   - For Type 1 road train hauling units: 140KN
   - For other units: 125KN

Vehicle chassain no./VIN Date:
Signed:
**Modification Code S10**

**Concessional Livestock Loading — Vehicle Rating (Prime Mover)**

### Advanced Braking Systems

- **Braking systems**: Check Yes, No, N/A as applicable: If No, do not proceed with the rating.

#### Compliance

1. Is the advanced braking system (where fitted) unaffected or re-certified after the vehicle modification? (Yes, No, N/A)
2. Does the modified vehicle continue to comply with all affected ADRs? (Yes, No)

### Part B - Unladen Mass

- **Weight vehicle**: Weigh vehicle at a registered public weighbridge and record quantities of fuel, Adblue and water at the time of weighing.
- **Ensure vehicle is weighed without driver**.
- **Attach a copy of the weighbridge ticket in the space provided at the end of Part B**.

#### Front axle group mass (F1): Kg

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<tr>
<th>Front axle group mass (F1): Kg</th>
<th>Rear axle group mass (R1): Kg</th>
<th>Weightbridge ticket mass (F1 + R1): Kg</th>
<th>Fuel: L</th>
<th>Adblue: L</th>
<th>Water: L</th>
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### Standard Equipment

- List all standard equipment fitted to the truck at the time of weighing (e.g. bullbar, sleeper, cab air conditioning, spare wheel/tyre(s), tool box(s)).
- It is recommended that detailed photographs are taken of the vehicle at the time of weighing that capture all the standard equipment fitted.
- Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

### Additional Equipment

- **Plan of additional equipment (including fluid tanks)**:
  - **Draw a plan showing the position of all additional equipment that has been, or is planned to be, fitted to the truck after the time of weighing. This could include, but are not limited to: bullbar, fluid tanks, sleeper cab air conditioning, spare wheel/tyre(s), tool box(s), overhead storage, etc.**
  - **Add to the plan showing the position of all fuel, Adblue and water tanks.**
  - **Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B**.

#### Chassis layout of additional equipment (including fluid tanks):

### Vehicle Chassis No./WHT

- **Vehicle chassis no./WHT**: __________
- **Date**: __________
- **Sign**: __________

### Calculated Dry Mass with Standard and Additional Equipment

- **Subtract any mass imposed on the front and rear axle group(s) due to fuel, Adblue and water**.
- **Add the mass on the front and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing**.
- **A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B**.

#### Chassis layout of additional equipment (including fluid tanks):

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- **Front axle group dry mass (F1): kg**
- **Rear axle group dry mass (R1): kg**
- **Vehicle dry mass with standard equipment and additional equipment (F1+R1): kg**

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<th>Chassis layout of additional equipment (including fluid tanks):</th>
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- **Vehicle chassis no./WHT**: __________
- **Date**: __________
- **Sign**: __________

Part C - Imposed load (prime mover)

- Calculated additional front and rear axle group(s) mass due to the imposed load through the prime mover's fifth wheel

  - An imposed load of 15,000kg is to be applied through the centreline of the fifth wheel/taxi-bar, to simulate the mass of a loaded trailer coupled to the prime mover. (Check the total vehicle imposed S10 mass (4 + 8) should equal 15,000kg.)
  - Calculate the additional mass on the front and rear axle group(s) due to the imposed load through the fifth wheel/taxi-bar of the prime mover.

Note: A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to this document.

- Additional mass on front axle group mass due to imposed load (f1): kg
- Additional mass on rear axle group mass due to imposed load (f2): kg

Part D - S10 Gross combined mass (GCM) (prime mover)

- Calculated S10 GCM
- Calculated the intended S10 GCM of the vehicle using the formula provided in Appendix 1, Section (A), (B) of the Scheme.
- S10 gross combined mass rating required: kg

Part E - Vehicle S10 laden mass (prime mover)

- S10 laden mass
- Calculate the total mass on the front and rear axle group(s) of the prime mover by adding the unladen axle masses of the prime mover (calculated above) and the imposed load masses (calculated in Part C above). This will determine the vehicle laden mass.
- Front axle group S10 laden mass (f1) such that (f1 + 6 + 85):
- Rear axle group S10 laden mass (f2) such that (f2 + 16 + 85):
- Vehicle S10 laden mass (RS + f1 + f2):

- S10 Conditioned mass requirement
- Record the conditioned mass requirements that apply to the vehicle as detailed in the Scheme Notice.
- Maximum mass limit, front axle group:
- Maximum mass limit, laden mass:

Modification: Check Yes: No as applicable: (If Yes, does not proceed with the rating)

- Are the maximum calculated S10 laden masses less than or equal to the S10 statutory livestock loading limits? Yes: No

Prime mover manufacturer's ratings

- Record information from the vehicle manufacturer's rating plate, affixed to the cabin by the manufacturer.
- Where the vehicle has been assessed/modified/re-rated and approved in accordance with VSRS, use the information from the modification plate.
- Maximum front axle group rating:
- Front axle group type size:
- Front axle group type capacity:
- Maximum rear axle group rating:
- Rear axle group type size:
- Rear axle group type capacity:
- Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating:
- Gross Combined Mass (GCM) rating:

Modification: Check Yes: No as applicable: (If No, either do not proceed with the rating)

- Are the S10 laden masses (calculated above) less than or equal to the vehicle's manufacturer's ratings? Yes: No

Livestock loading S10 plate

- Duplicate the below information on the livestock loading S10 plate (machine in colour).
- Affix the plate to the cabin of the truck.

Ensure all other fields on the Livestock loading (S10) Plate ARE blanked out with three (3), or more, “X” (For example: “XXX”)

- Date:
- Approved Vehicle Examiner: 
- Approved Person Accreditation Number: 
- Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) / Chassis Number: 
- Vehicle laden S10 mass (from Part E):
- S10 Gross combined mass (from Part D):

Vehicle chassis no./VIN: Date: Signed:

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### S10 Checklist — Concessional livestock loading — Vehicle rating (Dolly)

#### Part A - Vehicle owner’s or supplier’s details

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#### Vehicle and modifier details

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<td>VN (if applicable):</td>
<td>Vehicle chassis no. (if applicable):</td>
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Issued by [Approved Vehicle Examiner (AVS)]:

Company (if applicable): AUI no.:

Signed:

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#### Vehicle design

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<td>Overall vehicle length:</td>
<td>mm</td>
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<tr>
<td>Drawbar length:</td>
<td>mm</td>
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| Vehicle rating |
|----------------|---------------|
| Aggregate Trailer Mass (ATM) rating: | Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) rating: |

Component specifications (the following information should be based on the truck manufacturer’s specifications):

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<th>Axle group:</th>
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<th>Load rating with S10 spares held:</th>
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<td>Axle group:</td>
<td>Make:</td>
<td>Model:</td>
<td>D-value:</td>
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<td>Model:</td>
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<td>Towing eye:</td>
<td>Make:</td>
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<td>1. Is the distance from the centre of the drawbar coupling to the front axle line less than or equal to 5.0m?</td>
<td>Yes □ No □ N/A □</td>
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<td>2. Is the overall width of the vehicle within the Australian Rule definition for maximum vehicle width (for example 2.5m)?</td>
<td>Yes □ No □ N/A □</td>
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<td>3. Is the trailer fitted with a tandem axle group?</td>
<td>Yes □ No □ N/A □</td>
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<td>4. Are all axles fitted with dual tyres?</td>
<td>Yes □ No □ N/A □</td>
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<td>5. Is the applicable low coupling rating equal to or greater than:</td>
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<td>• 90th spares rating 110 km/h</td>
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#### Advanced braking systems

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### Part B - Trailer mass

Unladen dry mass

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<td>Unladen mass is taken direct from the weighbridge certificate:</td>
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Unladen dry mass of trailer (identical to unladen mass for a dolly as no fluid tanks can be fitted): kg

#### Additional Information

**Weighbridge certificate:**

Manufacturer’s Specifications

Attach a copy of the manufacturer’s specifications. This information is to include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Make
- Model
- Year of manufacture
- Front and rear axle manufacturers
- Front and rear axle specification.

Copy of the manufacturer’s specifications:

| Vehicle chassis no./VIN: | Date: | Signed: |
### Part C - Vehicle S10 laden mass (Dolly)

- **Vehicle S10 mass (Dolly):**
  - Calculate the vehicle S10 laden mass by adding the unloaded dry trailer mass and the 15,000kg simulated mass.
  - Vehicle S10 laden mass: **kg**

- **Manufacturer’s mass ratings:**
  - Axle group rating: **kg**
  - Aggregate trailer mass (ATM) rating: **kg**
  - Axle group tyre rating: Size designation, Load index, Speed index, Capacity per tyre, Total axle group tyre capacity:

- **Modification:** Check Yes, No as applicable. (If No, do not proceed with the rating)
  - **Is the vehicle S10 laden mass less than or equal to the values recorded above in the manufacturer’s mass ratings?** Yes, No

### Part E - Vehicle details and declarations

#### AVE authorisation

- Declaration by certifier (AVE)
  - I am the Approved Person who completed all the mass calculations and declare that the information in this form is true and correct.
  - Issued by: Company (if applicable): **AVE no.**
  - Signed: **Company (if applicable):**
  - Telephone: **Address:**
  - Date: **Sign:**

#### Owner/supplier authorisation

- As the **Owner / Supplier** (select applicable) of the vehicle described in this form, I declare that the vehicle specifications and vehicle equipment detailed herein are representative of the vehicle as it will enter into service and that I have enlisted the services of the AVE mentioned above to complete the S10 approval of this vehicle in this build status/configuration.
  - Name: **Company (if applicable):**
  - Address:
  - Signed: **Company (if applicable):**
  - Telephone: **Address:**
  - Date: **Sign:**

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### S10 Checklist – Concessional livestock loading – Vehicle rating (Dog trailers)

#### Part A - Vehicle owner’s or supplier’s details

- Name: **Company/business:**
  - Address:
  - Postcode:

#### Vehicle and modeller details

- Vehicle make: **Vehicle model:**
  - Month and year of manufacture:

- VIN (if applicable): **Vehicle chassis no.** (if applicable):

- Issued by (Approved Vehicle Examiner (AVE)): **Company (if applicable):**
  - AVE no.:

- Signed: **Telephone:**
  - Date:

#### Vehicle design

- Overall vehicle length: **Wheelbase:**
  - Loaded deck length:
  - Front overhang:
  - Rear overhang:
  - Brakes length:

- Vehicle rating
  - Aggregate Trailer Mass (ATM) rating: **Gross Trailer Mass (GTM) rating:**
    - kg

- Component specifications (the following information should be based on the vehicle manufacturer’s specifications)
  - Axles
    - Model: **Model:**
    - Load rating (with S10 specified tyres):
    - Number of axles:
    - Front axle group:
    - Rear axle group:
    - Tyres
      - Size designation:
      - Load index:
      - Capacity per tyre:
      - Total axle group tyre capacity
    - Front Axle Group:
    - Rear axle group:
    - Coupling
      - Make:
      - Model:
      - D-value:
      - Tow coupling:
      - Fitting:

#### Assessment

- Assessment
  - Check Yes, No, N/A as applicable. Yes, No, N/A
  1. Is the overall deck length of the vehicle less than or equal to 12.5m?
  2. Is the distance from the centre of the drawbar coupling to the front axle less than or equal to 5.0m?
  3. Is the overall width of the vehicle within the Australian Design Rule definition for maximum vehicle width (For example, 2.5m)?
  4. Is the overall height less than or equal to:
     - 6.3m single deck crate?
     - 6.6m multi-deck crate?
  5. Is the trailer fitted with a tri axle rear axle group?
  6. Is the trailer fitted with a tandem axle front axle group?

- Vehicle chassis no./VIN:
  - Date:
  - Signed:

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**Modification Code:** Modification Code S10: Concessional Livestock Loading - Vehicle Rating - Version 2.0
## S10 Checklist — Concessional livestock loading — Vehicle rating (Dog trailers)

### Assessment

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<td>1. Are all axles fitted with dual tyres?</td>
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<td>2. Is the long axis rating equal to or greater than the following:</td>
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<td>- dog trailers with a rear coupling 166kN?</td>
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<td>3. Is the 55th-wheel rating equal to or greater than the following:</td>
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<td>4. Is the trailer's equal rating equal to or greater than the following:</td>
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<td>5. Is the advanced braking system (where fitted) still affected or re-certified after the vehicle modification?</td>
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### Part B - Unladen mass

**Weigh vehicle**
- Weigh vehicle at a registered public weighbridge and record quantities of fuel, AdBlue and water at the time of weighing.
- Ensure vehicle is weighed without driver.
- Attach a copy of the weighbridge ticket in the space provided at the end of Part B.

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<td>AdBlue</td>
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<td>Water</td>
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**Standard equipment list**
- List all standard equipment fitted to the vehicle at the time of weighing (e.g. spare wheel/tyres, toolbox). The stock crate/body, gates, effluent tanks, etc and OH&S equipment must be included.
- It is recommended that detailed photographs of the vehicle (that capture all the standard equipment fitted) are taken at the time of weighing.
- Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

### Additional equipment

**Plan of additional equipment**
- Draw a plan of the chassis layout showing the position of all the additional equipment that has been, or is planned to be, fitted after the time of weighing.
- It is recommended that detailed photographs of the vehicle (that capture all the standard equipment fitted) are taken at the time of weighing.

**Chassis layout of additional equipment**

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<td>Front axle group unladen mass</td>
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<td>kg</td>
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<tr>
<td>Trailer unladen mass</td>
<td>kg</td>
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**Calculated dry mass with standard and additional equipment**

- Subtract any mass imposed on the steer and rear axle group(s) due to fuel, AdBlue and water.
- Calculate the mass on the steer and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.

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<td>(R2) kg</td>
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<tr>
<td>Trailer unladen mass</td>
<td>(F2+R2) kg</td>
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**Trailer unladen mass**

- Calculate the unladen or wet mass (with fuel/AdBlue/water added to dry mass of the steer and rear axle group(s)).
- Calculate the mass of fuel/AdBlue/water in each tank (taking into account the ullage levels) by multiplying the nominal volume of each tank by the mass of fluid.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.

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<td>(R3) kg</td>
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<tr>
<td>Trailer's unladen mass with filled fluid reservoirs (less ullage), standard equipment and additional equipment</td>
<td>(F3+R3) kg</td>
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### Additional information

**Photos of standard equipment**

- Vehicle chassis no./VIN: [Insert]
- Date: [Insert]
- Signed: [Insert]

S10 Checklist—Concessional livestock loading – Vehicle rating (Dog trailers)

Weightbridge certificate:

Weight distribution calculations from mass imposed on the forward and rear axle group(s) due to fuel, AdBlue and water:

Photographs of the vehicle at the time of weighing capturing all the standard equipment fitted:

Weight distribution calculations of the mass on the forward and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing:

Part C – S10 Laden Mass (Dog trailer)

Stock body/crate plan
- Draw a plan of the stock body/crate deck areas on the vehicle that are available for the carriage of livestock including the vehicle axle locations.
- In the plan, mark in the position of the rear axle line and the distance between the centre of each livestock carrying area and the rear axle.
- One plan is required for each stock deck.

Calculate imposed (S10) loads on forward and rear axle groups
- A copy of the weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part C.
- Where a converter dolly is part of the dog trailer, apply 15,000kg vertically through the centre of the fifth wheel coupling to simulate loading from a laden semitrailer.

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<th>Total Livestock area (all decks):</th>
<th>m²</th>
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<tr>
<td>Front axle group S10 laden mass (FS):</td>
<td>kg</td>
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<td>Rear axle group S10 laden mass (RS):</td>
<td>kg</td>
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<td>Vehicle S10 laden mass (FS+RS):</td>
<td>kg</td>
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Modification: Check Yes, No as applicable: (If No, do not proceed with the rating) | Yes | No |

Are the calculated S10 laden masses less than or equal to the vehicle manufacturer’s ratings? | |

Vehicle chassis no./VIN:  

Date:  

Signed:
## S10 Checklist—Concessional livestock loading – Vehicle rating (Dog trailers)

### Additional Information

**Weight distribution calculations:**

### Part D - Vehicle details and declarations

#### AVE authorisation

I am the Approved Person who completed all the mass calculations and declare that the information in this form is true and correct.

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#### Owner/supplier authorisation

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### S10 Checklist — Concessional livestock loading — Vehicle rating (Semitrailer including B-double and B-triple Trailer)

#### Part A - Vehicle owner’s or supplier’s details

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#### Vehicle design

**Vehicle dimensions**

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<th>Overall vehicle length:</th>
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<th>Stock crate length:</th>
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**Vehicle rating**

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**Component specifications (the following information should be based on the trailer manufacturer’s specifications):**

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#### Assessment

**Assessment**

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- 1. **Is the vehicle fitted with a triaxle group?**
- 2. **Are all axles fitted with dual tyres?**
- 3. **Are the load ratings, for fitted couplings, equal to or greater than the following:**
  - Rear axle coupling: 210kN
  - B-double load trailer coupling: 135kN
  - B-triple load trailer coupling: 162kN
  - B-triple second trailer coupling: 135kN

**Advanced braking systems**

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- 4. **Is the advanced braking system (where fitted) un-affected or re-certified after the vehicle modification?**

**Part B - Unladen mass**

- **Vehicle weight**
  - Weigh vehicle at a registered public weighbridge and record quantities of fuel, AdBlue and water at the time of weighing.
  - Ensure vehicle is weighed without driver.
  - Attach a copy of the weighbridge ticket in the space provided at the end of Part B.

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<th>Weightbridge ticketed mass:</th>
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**Fuel**

- **Kg**

**AdBlue**

- **L**

**Water**

- **L**

**Standard equipment**

- List all standard equipment fitted to the trailer at the time of weighing (e.g. spare wheel/tyres, toolbox(s) etc. The stock crate/body, gates, effluent tanks, etc and OH&S equipment must be included.

- It is recommended that detailed photographs are taken of the vehicle at the time of weighing that capture all the standard equipment fitted.

- Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

**Standard equipment list**

- [ ]

- [ ]

- [ ]

**Vehicle chassis no./VIN:**

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**Additional equipment**

- Plan of additional equipment
- Diagram showing the position of all the additional equipment that has been, or is planned to be, fitted to the trailer after the time of weighing.
- It is recommended that detailed photographs are taken of the vehicle at the time of weighing that capture all the standard equipment fitted.
- Attach all photos in the space provided at the end of Part B.

**Chassis layout of additional equipment**

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**Calculated dry mass with standard and additional equipment**

- Subtract any mass imposed on the kingpin and rear axle group(s) due to fuel, AdBlue and water.
- Calculate the mass on the kingpin and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.

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<th>Kingpin unladen mass (kg)</th>
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<td>Trailer’s unladen dry mass with standard equipment and additional equipment (kg)</td>
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**Trailer unladen mass**

- Calculate the unladen or wet mass (with fuel/AdBlue/water added to dry mass of the steer and rear axle group(s))
- Calculate the mass of fuel/AdBlue/water in each tank (taking into account ullage factor) by multiplying the nominal volume of each tank by the mass of fluid.
- A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part B.

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<td>Trailer’s unladen mass with filled fluid reservoir (less ullage), standard equipment and additional equipment (kg)</td>
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**Additional information**

- Photos of standard equipment

**Weightbridge certificate**

- Vehicle chassis no./VHN: 
- Date: 
- Signed: 

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Part C – S10 laden mass (Semitrailer)

- Deck area(s) on trailer:
  - Draw a plan of the stock body or deck areas on the vehicle that is available for the carriage of livestock including the vehicle axle locations.
  - Mark in the position of the rear axle line and the distance between the centre of each livestock carrying area and the rear axle.
  - One plan is required for each stock deck.

- Drawing of deck(s)

- Weight distribution calculations of the mass on the steer and rear axle group(s) due to any additional equipment fitted after the time of weighing:

- Photographs of the vehicle at the time of weighing capturing all the standard equipment fitted:

- Calculate S10 laden mass:
  - A copy of weight distribution calculations must be attached to the end of Part C.
  - Apply 0.05kPa vertically through the centre of the fifth wheel coupling to simulate loading from a laden semitrailer (if trailer is fitted with a fifth wheel coupling i.e. lead B-double trailer, etc.)

- Total Livestock area (all Decks) \( m^2 \)
- Kingpin S10 laden mass (PS) \( kg \)
- Rear axle group S10 laden mass (RS) \( kg \)
- Vehicle S10 laden mass (PS+RS) \( kg \)

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Additional Information

Weight distribution calculations

Part D - Vehicle details and declarations

AVE Authorisation

Declaration by certifier (AVE)

I am the Approved Person who completed all the mass calculations and declare that the information in this form is true and correct.

Signed:

Telephone:

Date:

Owner/supplier Authorisation

As the [ ] Owner / [ ] Supplier (select applicable) of the vehicle described in this form, I declare that the vehicle specifications and vehicle equipment detailed herein are representative of the vehicle as it will enter into service and that I have withheld the services of the AVE mentioned above to complete the S10 approval of this vehicle in this build state/configuration.

Name:

Company (if applicable):

Address:

Signed:

Telephone:

Date:

Vehicle chassis no./VIN:

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Appendix 1 — Glossary

### General terms

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<td>Additional equipment</td>
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<td>Fluid tank</td>
<td>A tank used to store a fluid. This may include (but not be exclusively restricted to) auxiliary fuel, AdBlue tanks, water and/or effluent tanks that are fitted to the truck and/or trailer.</td>
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<td>Front axle group</td>
<td>The total simulated mass as calculated according to the Livestock Loading (S10) code on:</td>
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|    S10 Laden Mass           | - the front steer axle group of a truck, or  
|                              | - the front axle group of a dog trailer, or  
|                              | - the axle group of a dolly, or  
|                              | - the kingpin of a semitrailer.                                                              |
| Length                      | Length is to be calculated to the nearest 5 mm.                                                                                                                                                    |
| Mass                        | Mass is to be calculated to the nearest kilogram.                                                                                                                                                |
| Rear axle group S10 Laden mass | The total simulated mass as calculated according to the Livestock Loading (S10) code on:                                                                                                                  |
| Standard equipment          | Includes bullbar, sleeper cab air conditioning, spare wheel/tyre(s) toolbox(s), etc. The stock crate/body, gates, effluent tanks, etc. and OH&S equipment etc.                                              |
| Stock crate length          | The overall internal length of the livestock trailer/body.                                                                                                                                           |
| Ullage                      | The air space in the top of a tank to allow for liquid expansion. Nominal tank capacity = rated, or actual, tank capacity + ullage.                                                                              |
| Unladen dry mass            | The mass of the empty vehicle (truck/trailer) when all standard equipment, plus all the additional equipment used in normal operation is fitted and all fluid tanks are empty (fuel, AdBlue, water, effluent). For a semitrailer, this is the UTM (unladen trailer mass) plus the mass at the kingpin. |
| Vehicle S10 laden mass      | The total simulated mass as calculated according to the Livestock Loading (S10) code. For a semitrailer this will be kingpin S10 Mass + rear axle S10 Mass.                                                      |
| Volume                      | Volume is to be calculated to the nearest litre.                                                                                                                                                    |

### Truck terms

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| Steer axle group rating     | • The truck manufacturer’s original load rating for the front axle group system, or  
|                              | • Rating certified under VSB6. In their absence, the minimum rating of any component that makes up the steer axle group and includes, the entire steering system, axle beam, knuckles, hubs, bearings and the suspension. |
| Unladen (wet) mass          | The mass of the truck in running order unoccupied and unladen with all fluid reservoirs filled to nominal capacity including fuel, AdBlue and water, and with all equipment used in normal operation fitted.  
|                              | Note: Unladen wet mass is equivalent to the unladen mass detailed in the Heavy Vehicle National Law - Queensland Class 3 Livestock Loading Exemption Notice.                                                                    |

### Trailer terms

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| Trailer unladen mass        | The mass of the trailer in running order and unladen, with all fluid reservoirs filled to nominal capacity including auxiliary fuel, AdBlue and water tanks. All equipment used in normal operation fitted. The unladen trailer mass includes mass at the kingpin plus mass at axle group.  
|                              | Note: Trailer unladen mass is equivalent to the unladen mass detailed in the Heavy Vehicle National Law - Queensland Class 3 Livestock Loading Exemption Notice.                                                                    |