






OREGON MOPED, MOTORIZED SCOOTER, POCKET BIKE GUIDE

DESCRIPTION	MIN. AGE	LICENSE	REGISTRATION	INSURANCE	HELMET	PASSENGER	LIGHTS	MAX CAPABLE SPEED	MAX ALLOWED SPEED	RIDE ON SIDEWALK	RIDE ON BIKE PATH/LANE	RIDE IN CROSSWALK	POSSIBLE DUII	OREGON VEHICLE CODE	
ELECTRIC SCOOTER GAS SCOOTER 	16	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	24 MPH	15 MPH	NO	YES	NO	YES	801.348	814.518
														811.440	814.520
<p>Gas – Maximum displacement = 35cc Electric – Maximum output = 1000 watts Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility. Not capable of going faster than 24 mph on level ground. Use may be restricted by local jurisdictions.</p>															
POCKET BIKE MINI MOTORCYCLE 	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	YES	801.360	814.269
														814.200	814.310
<p>Can operate only on private property with owner's permission. No regulations are listed as these are not legal to operate on highways or premises open to the public. Since they are considered a motor vehicle you will be subject to any number of violations if you operate on public roadways or premises open to the public. These are not motor assisted scooters because the engine is more than 35 cc and can go faster than 24 mph on level ground. They do not meet federal safety standards so they can not be a motorcycle or moped.</p>															
MOPED 	16	YES	YES	YES	YES DOT	NO	YES	30 MPH	—	NO	ONLY UNDER HUMAN POWER	NO	YES	801.345	814.260
														811.440	814.310
<p>If it has a combustion engine, the engine must be 35.01 to 50cc. Must be unable to travel more than 30 mph on a level road surface. Must not require clutching or shifting by the operator after the power drive system is engaged. Requires a driver license to operate (but not a motorcycle endorsement). Requires registration and insurance to operate on public roadways and premises open to the public. If the vehicle exceeds either maximum capable speed or engine size, it is a motorcycle.</p>															
SEGWAY 	16	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	15 MPH	15 MPH	YES	YES	YES	YES	801.259	814.552
														811.440	814.554
<p>Is an electric personal assistive mobility device. Can operate in bicycle lanes and paths, sidewalks and highways with speed limits of 35 mph or less, unless local laws limit uses. (Subject to any applicable provisions.) Maximum speed is 15 mph. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															
ELECTRIC ASSISTED BICYCLE 	16	NO	NO	NO	NO	RESTRICTED	YES	20 MPH	—	NO	YES	YES	YES	801.258	814.405
														807.020	814.410
<p>Is considered a bicycle, rather than a motor vehicle, for purposes of the Oregon Vehicle Code, except when otherwise specifically provided by statute. Has fully operative pedals for human propulsion and an electric motor with power output not more than 1,000 watts. Not capable of going faster than 20mph on level ground. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															
BICYCLE 	—	NO	NO	NO	YES UNDER 16	RESTRICTED	YES	—	—	YES	YES	YES	YES	801.150	814.420
														814.400	815.280
<p>Every person riding a bicycle upon a public way is subject to the provisions applicable to and has the same rights and duties as the driver of any other vehicle concerning operating on highways, vehicle equipment and abandoned vehicles—with limited exceptions. Approved lighting must be used when operating under limited visibility.</p>															

For questions regarding operator traffic violations and operation of one of these types of vehicles with a suspended driving privilege, contact law enforcement.