

Vehicle		Definition (Paraphrased)
<p>Every device in, upon, or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a highway. Does not include railroad trains.</p> <p>Only includes snowmobile, all-terrain vehicle, a personal delivery device, an electric scooter, or an electric personal assistive mobility device when made specifically applicable by statute. Wis. Stat. 340.01(74).</p>		
<p>All-Terrain Vehicle (TYPE)</p> <p>Commercially designed and manufactured motor-driven device 900 lbs. or less, 50 inches wide or less, a straddle seat, and 3+ tires. Wis. Stat. 340.01(2g); <i>see also</i> Wis. Stat. 23.33.</p>	<p>Small All-Terrain Vehicle (Type)</p>	<p>An All-Terrain Vehicle with four wheels that has either an engine <= 130cc or equivalent power unit. Wis. Stat. 23.33(jp).</p>
<p>Authorized Emergency Vehicle (STATUS)</p>		<p>Police vehicles, including bicycles, conservation warden vehicles, fire department vehicles, privately-owned: volunteer fire personnel, organ procurement, EMS, local/state authorized, medical examiners, bomb squad. Wis. Stat. 340.01(3).</p>
<p>Bicycle (TYPE)</p> <p>Vehicle propelled by feet or hands acting upon pedals or cranks, having wheels any 2 of which are 14+ inches diameter. Wis. Stat. 340.01(5).</p>	<p>Electric Bicycle (TYPE)</p> <p>Bicycle equipped with fully operative pedals for propulsion by human power and an electric motor of 750 watts or less and is Class 1, 2, or 3 as provided. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15ph).</p>	<p>Class 1 (TYPE)</p> <p>Electric bicycle equipped with motor providing assistance only when the rider is pedaling and ceases when the bicycle reaches a speed of 20 mph. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15ph)(a).</p>
		<p>Class 2 (TYPE)</p> <p>Electric bicycle powered solely by the motor and not capable of providing assistance when the bicycle reaches the speed of 20 mph. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15ph)(b).</p>
		<p>Class 3 (TYPE)</p> <p>Electric bicycle equipped with a motor that provides assistance only when the rider is pedaling and ceases when the bicycle reaches a speed of 28 mph. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15ph)(c).</p>
	<p>Motor Bicycle (TYPE) <i>SEE ALSO: Motor Vehicle > Motor Bicycle</i></p> <p>Implied by <i>State v. Koepen</i>, 356 Wis. 2d 812 (Ct. App. 2014) is that when the motor bicycle is being operated purely by human-powered pedaling, it's a possible reading it may not fall under the definition of motor vehicle for said operation.</p>	<p>Bicycle to which a power unit that is not an integral part of the vehicle has been added to permit the vehicle to travel at a speed of no more than 30 mph and having a seat for the operator.</p> <p>Does not include Electric Bicycle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(30).</p>
<p>Motor Vehicle (TYPE)</p> <p>Vehicle or combination of vehicles which is self-propelled.</p>	<p>Articulated Bus (TYPE)</p> <p><i>Note: definition doesn't explicitly state it's a motor vehicle, but the combination is self-propelled.</i></p>	<p>Bus constructed in two sections with three or more axels, hinged on horizontal plane and designed so passengers can move between sections. Wis. Stat. 340.01(2g).</p>

<p>Includes vehicle propelled by overhead electrical trolley wires, but not on rails.</p> <p>Does not include snowmobile, ATVs, UTVs, electric scooters, and electric personal assistive mobility devices unless made specifically applicable by statute.</p> <p>Does not include vehicles operated exclusively on rails.</p> <p>Does not include electric bicycles.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(35).</p>	Autocycle (TYPE)		Motor vehicle with three wheels in contact with ground designed not to require straddle/astride seating, has a steering wheel, and satisfies 49 CFR 571 standards. Wis. Stat. 340.01(3m).
	Automobile (TYPE)	Type 1 (TYPE)	Designed and used primarily for carrying persons but is not a motor bus, motorcycle, moped, or motor bicycle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(4)(a).
		Type 2 (TYPE)	Capable of speeds in excess of 30 mph, 3+ wheels, an integrated power source, 1500 lbs. or less, permanently enclosed + rigid construction of passenger compartment. Wis. Stat. 340.01(4)(b).
	Automobile Haulaway (TYPE)		Combination of two vehicles designed, constructed, and used to transport operational motor vehicles. Wis. Stat. 340.01(4e).
	<p><i>Note: definition doesn't explicitly state it's a motor vehicle, but the combination is self-propelled generally by truck tractor.</i></p>		
	Car Pool Vehicle (STATUS)		Motor Trucks (6,000 lbs. or less); Automobiles and Motor Buses when transporting 2+ persons, and Motorcycles. Does not include any vehicle towing trailer. Wis. Stat. 340.01(6r).
	Commercial Motor Vehicle (TYPE)	Agricultural Commercial Motor Vehicle (TYPE)	Designed, equipped, or materially altered for purpose of agricultural use, designed for highway use, meets 49 CFR 567 standards, used exclusively for agricultural operations, used in one of three ways (livestock, farm products, manure). Wis. Stat. 340.01(1o).
	<p>Vehicle designed or used to transport passengers or property and meets one of four listed characteristics (single vehicle weight, multi-vehicle weight, bus, hazardous transport. Wis. Stat. 340.01(8).</p>		
	Double bottom (TYPE)		Combination of three vehicles consisting of a truck tractor, a semitrailer, and a trailer; or of a truck tractor and two semitrailers. Truck Tractor includes Road Tractors for this definition. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15f).
<p><i>Note: Truck Tractor is a motor vehicle, so the combination is as well.</i></p>			
Dual Purpose Motor Home (TYPE)		Vehicle which can be interchangeably equipped as a motor home or as a motor truck. Wis. Stat. 340.01(15p).	
<p><i>Note: Both purposes qualify as motor vehicles.</i></p>			

	<p>Farm Tractor (TYPE)</p>	<p>Motor vehicle designed and used primarily as an implement of husbandry for drawing, or having attached to it, other implements of husbandry. Wis. Stat. 340.01(16).</p>
	<p>Flood Damaged Vehicle (STATUS)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle not precluded from subsequent registration or titling that is damaged by flood to the extent that the estimated or actual cost, whichever is greater, of repairing the vehicle exceeds 70% of its fair market value. Wis. Stat. 340.01(18p).</p>
	<p>Human Services Vehicle (STATUS)</p>	<p>Motor vehicle not painted in accordance with s. 347.44(1) and which is used for transporting individuals with disabilities or seniors in connection with any transportation assistance program for seniors or individuals with disabilities.</p> <p>Does not include: when transportation provided is volunteer, a vehicle operated in urban mass transit system or as a taxicab service, a school bus, or a motor vehicle used to provide transportation network services. Wis. Stat. 340.01(23g).</p>
	<p>Low-Speed Vehicle (TYPE)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle that conforms to the definition and requirements for low-speed vehicles under 49 CFR 571.3(b) and 49 CFR 571.500.</p> <p>Does not include golf carts. Wis. Stat. 340.01(27h).</p>
	<p>Manufacturer's Buyback Vehicle (STATUS)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle repurchased by its manufacturer, or an authorized distributor/dealer with compensation from the manufacturer, because of a nonconformity that was not corrected after a reasonable attempt to repair the nonconformity under applicable law. Wis. Stat. 340.01(28e).</p>
	<p>Moped (TYPE)</p> <p>Motor Vehicle capable of speeds not more than 30 mph with a power source as an integral part of the vehicle and a seat for the operator and meets one of two definitions. Wis. Stat. 340.01(29m)(am).</p> <p>Does not include: motor bicycle or electric bicycle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(29m)(bm).</p>	<p>A bicycle-type vehicle with fully operative pedals for propulsion by human power and an engine certified at not more than 130 cubic cm or equivalent. Wis. Stat. 340.01(29m)(am)1.</p> <p>A motorcycle with an automatic transmission and an engine certified at not more than 50 cubic cm or equivalent. Wis. Stat. 340.01(29m)(am)2.</p>
	<p>Motor Bus (TYPE)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle designed primarily for the transportation of persons rather than property and having passenger-</p>

		carrying capacity (seating space/20 in Notinches) for 16+ people including the operator. Wis. Stat. 340.01(31).
	<p>Motor Bicycle (TYPE) <i>SEE ALSO: Bicycle > Motor Vehicle</i></p> <p>“Motor Bicycle” was held to be a “Motor Vehicle” under s. 340.01(35) for purposes of an OWI violation, insofar as it is “operated in a self-propelled manner.” State v. Koeppen, 356 Wis. 2d 812 (Ct. App. 2014).</p>	<p>Bicycle to which a power unit that is not an integral part of the vehicle has been added to permit the vehicle to travel at a speed of no more than 30 mph and having a seat for the operator.</p> <p>Does not include Electric Bicycle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(30).</p>
	<p>Motor Home (TYPE)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle designed to be operated on a highway for use as a temporary or recreational dwelling and having the same internal characteristics and equipment as a mobile home. Wis. Stat. 340.01(33m).</p>
	<p>Motor Truck (TYPE)</p> <p>Motor vehicle designed, used, or maintained primarily for the transportation of property. Wis. Stat. 340.01(34).</p>	<p>Farm Truck (TYPE)</p> <p>Motor Truck owned/leased and operated by a farmer and used primarily for the transport of supplies, farm equipment, and products on and between the owner’s farm, from the farm to market, and supplies to the farm. Farmer defined in para. (b). Wis. Stat. 340.01(18)(a)1-2.</p>
		<p>Farm truck with gross weight < 38,000 lbs. Wis. Stat. 340.01(18)(a)1.</p> <p>Farm truck with gross weight equal to or > 38,000 lbs. Wis. Stat. 340.01(18)(a)2.</p>
	<p>Motorcycle (TYPE)</p>	<p>Motor Vehicle originally manufactured with motive power, a seat or saddle for sitting astride, no more than three wheels on ground, handlebar and foot controlled steering/acceleration/braking, capable of speeds beyond 30 mph. Wis. Stat. 340.01(32).</p>
	<p>Off-Highway Motorcycle (Type)</p>	<p>Motor vehicle with two wheels, straddled by operator, that is equipped with handlebars, designed for off-highway use, even if also designed for highway use.</p> <p>Does not include electric bicycle. Wis. Stat. 23.335(1)(qm).</p>
	<p>Off-Road Utility Vehicle (TYPE)</p> <p>Does not include motorized construction equipment or any Motor Vehicle that falls within another definition under Section 340.01.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(38m)(b).</p>	<p>A Motor Vehicle designed and constructed to carry no more than 2 people and to be used for collecting residential/commercial solid waste (yard waste, recyclable materials, household garbage, refuse, rubbish, landscaping, incidental street maintenances), is either not certified by the manufacturer for on-road use or is certified as meeting standards for low-speed vehicle under 49 CFR 571.500, and satisfies the standards for a Type 2 automobile or Autocycle or a low-speed vehicle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(38m)(a)1.</p> <p>A Kei class vehicle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(38m)(a)2.</p>
	<p>Road Tractor (TYPE)</p>	<p>A Motor Vehicle designed and used for drawing other vehicles and not constructed to carry any load thereon either independently or any part of the weight of the vehicle or load drawn. Wis. Stat. 340.01(53).</p>

School Bus (TYPE)		<p>Motor Vehicle which carries 10+ passengers, or a motor vehicle painted under s. 347.44(1) for the purpose of transporting pupils or individuals with disabilities as part of a transportation assistance program for seniors or disabilities. Wis. Stat. 340.01(56)(a)-(am).</p> <p>Does not include: Motor Vehicle owned/operated by parent or guardian and only transporting their own children, Motor Vehicle operated as alternative method of transportation under s. 121.555, Motor Bus, or Motor Vehicle operated in urban mass transit system. Wis. Stat. 340.01(56)(b).</p>
Tour Trains (TYPE)		Three or less trailer type vehicles designed for carrying passengers on educational/recreational excursions for being drawn individually or in tandem with a motor vehicle, not exceeding a length of 50 feet including the propelling motor vehicle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(67m).
Tow Truck (TYPE)		A Motor Vehicle that is equipped with mechanical or hydraulic lifting devices or winches capable of, and used for, the recovery or transport of wrecked, disabled, abandoned, used, or replacement vehicles. Wis. Stat. 340.01(67n).
Tractor-semitrailer combination (TYPE)		Combination of 2 vehicles consisting of either a truck tractor and a semitrailer, or a road tractor and a semitrailer. Wis. Stat. 340.01(67r).
Truck Tractor (TYPE)	Farm Truck Tractor (TYPE)	Truck Tractor owned/leased and operated by a farmer as defined in sub. (18)(b), used exclusively for transportation of supplies, farm equipment, products on or between owner's farms, farm products to market, transport of supplies to the farm. Lease requires +1 year contract. Wis. Stat. 340.01(18g).
Motor Vehicle designed an used primarily for drawing other vehicles and not constructed to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle drawn. Wis. Stat. 340.01(73).		
Camping Trailer (TYPE)		Vehicle with collapsible or folding structure designed for human habitation and towed by a motor vehicle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(6m).
Commercial Quadricycle (TYPE)		Vehicle with pedals for propulsion by human power, four wheels, operated similar to bicycle, at least 12 seats for passengers, for commercial purposes, operated by owner or employee of owner. Wis. Stat. 340.01(8m).
Golf Cart (Type)		Vehicle which cannot obtain a speed beyond 20 mph within one mile on pavement, designed and intended to convey people and things for playing golf. Wis. Stat. 23.33(fm).

<p>Hail-Damaged Vehicle (STATUS)</p>		<p>Vehicle less than 7 years old that is not precluded from subsequent registration and titling and that is damaged solely by hail to the extent that the estimated or actual cost, whichever is greater, of repairing the vehicle exceeds 70 percent of its fair market value. Wis. Stat. 340.01(20m).</p>
<p>Implement of Husbandry (TYPE)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Combination may qualify as “Motor Vehicle.”</i></p>		<p>Self-propelled/towed vehicle manufactured, designed, or reconstructed to be used and is exclusively used in agricultural operations. May include: farm tractor (see Motor vehicle→Truck Tractors→Farm Tractor), combine, forage harvester, fertilizer or pesticide applicator (not manure application), towed/attached tillage, planting/harvesting/cultivation equipment and its towing farm tractor, feed distributor, farm wagon, grain cart, farm trailer (see Trailer→Farm Trailer), manure trailer, or trailer adopted to be towed by or tow another implement of husbandry; or any combination of 2+ implements of husbandry.</p> <p>Does not include: agricultural commercial motor vehicle, which is a commercial motor vehicle under 49 CFR 390.5.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(24).</p>
<p>Junk Vehicle (STATUS)</p>		<p>A vehicle which is incapable of operation or use upon a highway and which has no resale value except as a source of parts or scrap. Wis. Stat. 340.01(25j)(a).</p> <p>A vehicle for which an insurance company has taken possession or title if the estimated cost of repairing the vehicle exceeds its fair market value. Wis. Stat. 340.01(25j)(b).</p>
<p>Mass Transit Vehicle (STATUS)</p>		<p>Any vehicle used for providing transportation service, publicly or privately owned, which provides general transportation to the public on a regular, continuing, and completely equal basis. Wis. Stat. 340.01(28m).</p>
<p>Play Vehicle (TYPE)</p>		<p>A coaster, skate board, roller skate, sled, toboggan, unicycle, or toy vehicle upon which a person may ride.</p> <p>Does not include in-line skates or electric scooters.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(43m).</p>
<p>Recreational Vehicle (TYPE)</p> <p>Vehicle designed to be towed upon a highway by a motor vehicle, equipped and used (or intended to be used) primarily for temporary or recreational human habitation, that has walls of rigid construction, and does not exceed 45 feet in length. Wis. Stat. 340.01(48r).</p>	<p>Fifth-Wheel Recreational Vehicle (TYPE)</p>	<p>Recreational vehicle towed by a vehicle with a flatbed frame so the trailer hitch of the recreational vehicle is bolted to the flatbed frame of the towing vehicle. Wis. Stat. 340.01(18m).</p>

<p>Salvage Vehicle (STATUS)</p>		<p>Vehicle less than 7 years old that is not precluded from subsequent registration and titling that is damaged by collision or other occurrence to the extent that the estimated/actual cost, whichever greater, of repairing the vehicle exceeds 70% of its fair market value.</p> <p>Does not include hail-damaged vehicle unless the vehicle is repaired with any replacement part.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(55g).</p>
<p>Snowmobile (TYPE)</p>		<p>Engine-driven vehicle manufactured solely for snowmobiling, which has an endless belt tread and sled-type runners, or skis, to be used in contact with snow.</p> <p>Does not include vehicles with inflatable tires or those driven by a motor of 4 horsepower or less and operated in sanctioned races, derbies, competitions, or exhibitions; or only on private property.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(58a).</p>
<p>Trailer (TYPE)</p> <p>A vehicle without motive power designed for carrying property or passengers wholly on its own structure and for being drawn by a motor vehicle.</p> <p>Does not include a mobile home.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(71).</p>	<p>Farm Trailer (TYPE)</p>	<p>Trailer or semitrailer 3,001+ lbs which is owned/leased and operated by a farmer, used exclusively for transportation of farm products from owner’s farm to market or the transportation of supplies to owner’s farm. Lease requires 1+ year contract. Wis. Stat. 340.01(17).</p>
	<p>Semitrailer (TYPE)</p>	<p>A vehicle of the trailer type so designed and used in conjunction with a Motor Vehicle that some part of its own weight and that of its own load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle, including a vehicle with a ready-mix motor truck to spread the load.</p> <p>Does not include a Mobile Home.</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 340.01(57).</p>
<p>Utility Terrain Vehicles (UTV) (TYPE)</p> <p>A commercially designed and manufactured device that does not meet federal motor vehicle safety standards, and is not a golf cart, low-speed vehicle, dune buggy, mini-truck, or tracked vehicle, that is designed to be used primarily off a highway and has specific manufacturing characteristics (see 23.33(1)(ng)1.a.–k.).</p> <p>Wis. Stat. 23.33(1)(ng).</p>	<p>Small Utility Terrain Vehicle (TYPE)</p>	<p>Utility Terrain Vehicle which has four wheels and an engine <= 200cc or equivalent power unit. Wis. Stat. 23.33(jpm).</p>