

Hrvatske Autoceste in cooperation with partners conduct an educational campaign



GREAT ONES DRIVE RESPONSIBLY

**When driving,
you should just drive!**

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AIM OF THE CAMPAIGN

! Education and awareness of truckers:

- Importance of continuous traffic monitoring
- Necessity of timely rest
- Keeping safe distance
- Eliminating any distractions from driving





BE AWARE OF YOUR SIZE AND SPEED

- Truck drivers in traffic drive vehicles of the maximum permissible mass
- Any activity in which the focus is not only on driving increases the possibility of a car accident
- The average time required for just a brief look at a cell phone is 1.3 s
- In 1.3 s the vehicle covered more than 30 meters
→ it is twice the length of the truck and enough to leave the traffic lane for almost 2 m

! Big truck, big responsibility





FATIGUE

- A tired driver is not fully focused on the ride
- Reaction time and possibility of assessing traffic situation are significantly reduced

! Stop at the dedicated areas and have a rest





CELL PHONES AND TABLETS

- Truck drivers spend a lot of time behind the wheel and there is often a need to break the monotony
- Hands-free calling, texting, social networking and watching movies while driving distracts the driver from driving and can lead to a car accident
- The driver's seat is not a sofa

! NO to texting | NO to watching movies





REARVIEW MIRRORS

- Truck have rearview blind spot by which trucker monitors the traffic behind him
- By checking rearview mirror often, traffic accident possibility is reduced

! Check the blind spot often





CONCLUSION

- Anything that distracts the driver affects safe driving
- Responsibility and vigilance increase the safety of all road users
- **BIG TRUCK, BIG RESPONSIBILITY!**



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