



HPDE 2 Session Drill
Reverse Gridding
Session #2 on Sunday

Goal

To encourage as much passing as possible. Encourage drivers to become more experienced with situational awareness and in permitting passing in more locations on the track. Responsibilities of passing should be observed and practiced.

Control

- For the out lap, display double yellows for the entire course

Drill Rules

- Grid with slower cars towards the front and faster cars towards the rear. Use your best judgment
- If you are not comfortable with the drill, grid in the highest (towards the rear) positions possible
- **Double yellow flags will be displayed at all stations on the out lap** until the first car reaches the start / finish line. Then a normal green flag should be waved.
- Try to maintain close spacing after exiting grid (5 car lengths or less), and maintain that spacing on the out lap. There may a car “pacing” the field.

- Drill will commence **after** pit out lap (at Start/Finish flag station) is will continue for the session.
- Normal green flag driving is expected - with more passing
- Point-bys are still required and there is no passing braking zone through apex
- A braking zone is where there are braking point indicators - such as a '300 foot' braking zone marker
- Try to allow passes in areas of the track you have not done so before
- Cooperation is key
- Practice knowing what cars are ahead and behind

- Practice knowing how quickly cars are approaching and plan where a pass would best be allowed
- Practice patience
- Be sure to 'present yourself' to a side so the car you want to pass can see you
- Do not "push" the car you want to pass by following very close behind as that car could get in trouble
- Practice knowing how quickly you are approaching cars ahead of you and where you may want to pass

Instructors

- This is essentially a regular session
- Grid interspersed amongst the group
- Passing is encouraged so pass and point by as many cars as possible
- When giving point-bys, do so in unusual places (in turns, off-line...)
- HPDE 2 passing rules are in effect for this drill