



What is ITV

Spanish Technical Inspection

ITV - Inspección Técnica de Vehículos

MOT - Ministry of Transport

- ✓ Road Worthiness
- ✓ Mandatory for all Vehicles in Spain
- ✓ Vehicle meets the Safety and emission standards
- ✓ Prevents Accidents and Pollution
- ✓ Remember the Periods of ITV



Muffler - Resonator tubes



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ITV Card

ITV Terjeta – e-ITV



NEW Cars – issued by Manufacturer

Validate – DGT validate with **Traffic Permit**

Validate with = Permiso de Circulation (vehicle registration certificate)

- ✓ **ITV Card/ Document**
- ✓ **Manufacturer issues it**
- ✓ **Validated by DGT with Registration**
- ✓ **Consult Circulation Permit for ITV Periods**



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itv Documents Required - ITV

- ✓ Identity - NIE/ DNI
- ✓ Traffic Permit (Permiso de Circulation)
- ✓ Driving Permit (Permiso de conducir)
- ✓ ITV card (Tarjeta ITV)
- ✓ Insurance (seguro de auto)



Cita Previa – ITV Station

- ✓ Many 3rd Party Website for CITA
- ✓ Owner's Responsibility
- ✓ But any one can take the car with Insurance



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Steps to Pass ITV

Consult the Mechanic First

- ✓ Engine oil and fluid levels.
- ✓ **Condition-** Tires, Lights, Brakes, Seat belts
- ✓ Suspension, Alignments

- ✓ Make sure your vehicle's **emissions/ Noise**
- ✓ May check Vehicle **other internal safety components**
Like Ventilation Controls, Heating/ AC etc...

- ✓ It takes **15-30** mins to **complete Checkups**



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Major Reformatations

Wheels, Tyres & Suspension

- ✓ Changing wheel size, width, or
- ✓ Tyres with different dimensions or load/speed index
- ✓ Lowering or raising suspension

Bodywork & Structure

- ✓ Body kits (bumpers, spoilers, side skirts)
- ✓ Chassis alterations



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Major Reformatations

- ✓ Lighting & Signaling
- ✓ **Xenon / LED** headlights not originally fitted
- ✓ Changing **exhaust noise** levels
- ✓ **Engine** swap
- ✓ **Gearbox** or drivetrain changes
- ✓ **Fuel system** conversion (LPG, CNG, electric)
- ✓ Adding or removing **Seats**
- ✓ **Tow bar** installation
- ✓ **Roof racks** permanently fixed



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Cost of ITV

- ✓ Depends on Vehicle, Engine types and Size
- ✓ Motorcycle 30-50 **EUROS**
- ✓ Cars 35-60 **EUROS**
- ✓ Motorhomes, Transport 50-100 onward





ITV Card All Motor Vehicle, Trailers, Semi Trailers

- ✓ **Cycles/ Patinetes = NO ITV**, (Circulation Certificate)
Patinetes will have DGT homologation certificate by 2027



- ✗ **ITV Expired?** (Caducada)
- ✓ **Officer MAY ALLOW 10 days** (No Law but Facilitation)
- ✓ But driving is illegal, Could be **Fine: €200, Vehicle NOT Removed**

KEEP;

- ✓ ITV Report, ITV Sticker (Pegatina), Cita if going to I

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Favorable (Passed)

- ✓ Place the **Sticker top Right** issued by ITV center
- ✓ Keep the ITV card in the vehicle
- ✓ Minor defects (Leves) Allowed, No Re-Inspection

Defectos Leves

- 1 bulb on number plate dim
 - Tread Depth Close to 1.6
 - Horn sounds Weak
 - Seat Moves Stiffy
- etc...





Unfavorable (Failed)

Reasons:

Emissions, Worn Tyres, Faulty lights – **NO Sticker**
Serious **DEFECTS, RISK** in driving SAFETY

- ✗ NORMAL Driving Not Allowed
- ✓ **2 Months** to Repair and **FREE** Re-inspection
- ✓ Can Drive to Mechanic

- ✓ **Immobilized** and Fine: **€200** if stopped
- ✓ Insurance **Refuse** to Cover



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Negative (Failed)

Reasons:

Very Serious Faults **Like – NO Sticker**

Airbags, Seatbelt, Tread Depth Below 1.6, Brakes, Steering, Oil Leaks

- ✗ Driving **Not Allowed** at ALL
- ✓ Cannot Drive to Mechanic
- ✓ Use a Tow truck
- ✓ Mandatory Repair and Reinspection


- ✓ **Immobilized** and Heavy Fines if stopped
- ✓ **Insurance Refuse** to Cover



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ITV Card

- ✓ Inspection valid until **February 2025**
- ✓ **Punched** Roman number – Month Valid
So this MOT is valid upto November 2025
- ✓ **2816** – ITV Center Batch ID Number
- ✓ Comunidad de MADRID Flag 
- ✓ Color (Green) - Visual indicator for the year, **changes annually**

ITV Card Colors

- Green
- Yellow
- Red
- Blue

V-19





ITV Sticker – V19



Valid until 2010

Valid until 2011

Valid until 2012

Valid until 2013

Valid until 2014

Valid until 2015

Valid until 2016

Valid until 2017

Valid until 2018

Valid until 2019

Valid until 2020

Valid until 2021

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Passenger Car

First MOT of a car

At 4 years of enrollment

Cars between 4 and 10 years

Biennial, that is, every two years

From the age of 10

Annual, each year

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Motorcycles - Moped Chart		
Condition	Motorcycles	Mopeds
First MOT	At 4 years of your first enrollment	At 3 years of your first enrollment
Subsequent periodicity	Biennial, every 2 years	Biennial, every 2 years

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ITV - MOT

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Truck Less than 3500

Up to 2 years	Exempt
From 2 to 6 years	Every 2 years
From 6 to 10 years	Every year
More than 10 years	Every 6 months

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1st ITV will be after One year of Registration

Truck over 3500/ Heavy Vec.	
Less than 10 years	Every year
More than 10 years	Every 6 months

Same for Motorhomes, Caravans, cranes, recovery trucks, construction vehicles

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Buses

Up to 5 years

Annual, once a year

More than 5 years

Semester, every 6 months

Same Periodic Inspections for TAXIS





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Inspection Frequency for Driving School Cars

- 1 First ITV: After **2** year from registration.
- 2 Until the car is 5 years old: Annual ITV inspection (every year).
- 3 After 5 years: Every 6 months (biannual ITV).

This means that driving school cars require ITV inspections much sooner and more frequently than normal passenger vehicles. 🚦

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Semi/ Light Trailers – Equal or Less than 750kg

- ✓ Technical Inspection card required
- ✓ Homologated ITV **Card**
- ✓ No Periodical Inspection





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Heavy Trailers – Over 750 kg

- ✓ Technical Inspection card required
- ✓ Homologated ITV
- ✓ Periodical Inspection – 2 Years

ITV sticker for trailers is affixed to a **metallic plate** mounted on the trailer's chassis



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Agricultural Trailers (Remolques Agrícolas)

Periodicity (inspection schedule)

- ✓ Tractors, harvesters, bulldozers, loaders, excavators, forestry machinery
- ✓ Self-propelled sprayers, Seeders

0 – 8 years – exempt

Over 8 years – Annually

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Agricultural Trailers (Remolques Agrícolas)

Periodicity (inspection schedule)

≤ 750 kg MMA = EXEMPT

> 750 kg and $\leq 3,500$ kg MMA

8 Years = Exempt, then Every 2 years

$> 3,500$ kg MMA

10 Years = 2 years, then every year

