MOTORCYCLISTS, MAKE SURE YOU ARE VISIBLE!

You are vulnerable on the road. Motorcycles provide little protection, and other drivers often find it hard to see you.

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A motorcycle’s small size of the vehicle, especially when seen from the front, doesn’t make it easy to be seen when on the road. For your safety, make sure you are as visible as possible.

**HOW CAN YOU MAKE YOURSELF MORE VISIBLE?**

- Preferably choose a light- or brightly-coloured motorcycle.
- Wear a brightly-coloured helmet (white, yellow, orange), or one with contrasting patterns.
- Wear protective clothing and accessories that are light- or brightly-coloured and have reflective bands.
- Place headlights or auxiliary lights strategically, close to the rear-view mirrors and near the bottom of the fork, to enlarge the visible area of the motorcycle as much as possible.
- Add a variable intensity headlight modulator to the motorcycle’s high beams, low beams or both. Make sure they meet Transport Canada’s standards for this type of equipment.
- Take advantage of the fact that you can use your high beam headlights during the daytime, without having to switch to your low beams. This is especially important in cities, where visual information overload can be significant.

For more information, go to [saaq.gouv.qc.ca/motorcycle-visibility](saaq.gouv.qc.ca/motorcycle-visibility)

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