



eBike Classifications

Class 01

eBikes that are pedal-assist only, with no throttle, and have a maximum assisted speed of 20mph (32.19km/h). Class 1 eBikes are legal on any paved surface that a regular bike is allowed to operate.*

Class 02

Have a maximum speed of 20mph (32.19km/h), but are throttle assisted. Class 2 eBikes are legal on any paved surface that a regular bike is allowed to operate.*

Class 03

Pedal-assist only, with no throttle, and a maximum assisted speed of 28mph (45km/h). In California operators of Class 3 eBikes must be at least 16 years old and wear a helmet, California law also prohibits use of Class 3 eBikes on Class 1 multi-use paths unless specifically authorized by a local ordinance.*

* ATTENTION

All eBike owners and/or operators need to check with their local legislative body for the most accurate and up-to-date information regarding eBike use policy, laws, and/or local ordinances. This is the responsibility of the eBike owner/operator.

A correct fitting and properly adjusted helmet should always be worn while operating an eBike.

Enjoy your eBike!

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