

TOP SPORTSMAN

CLASS REGULATIONS

Effective November 2022

Caters for a wide range of sedan based vehicles running in Sportsman, Top Sportsman will be all run that qualify between 0.00 and 8.49 sec 1/4 mile and is a "Dial Your Own" handicap system.

All competitors must comply to all Safety and General Regulations

Top Sportsman Licence Required - Medical Required (valid for 3 years if under 50, otherwise 2 years)

IHRA Technical Inspection Required (includes logbook) one logbook per vehicle.

| 31660 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Doors | Allow entry from both sides of vehicle, | Mandatory |
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| 31670 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Doors | At least two, which are operable. | Mandatory |
| 31680 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Body | Replica of alternative materials. | Allowed |
| 31690 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Body | Removable panels replaced with alternative. | Allowed |
| 31700 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Panels - external | If earlier than or equal to 1948 and hot rod, then external panels removed. | Allowed |
| 31710 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Body - hood (roof) | If convertible, then closed during competition. | Mandatory |
| 31720 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Tailgate | Closed during competition. | Mandatory |
| 31730 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Body | Based on any body produced by an automotive OEM. | Mandatory |
| 31740 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Window | Original glass replaced with polycarbonate, at least 3 mm (1/8 inch) thick. | Allowed |
| 31750 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Windows | If not operable, closed at all times. | Mandatory |
| 31760 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Windshield and windows | Condition is good. | Mandatory |
| 31770 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Body | Windshield and windows | Not operable | Allowed |
| 31780 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Chassis | If faster than 6.50, then meets at least Pro Slammer regulations or SFI 25.1D. | Mandatory |
| 31790 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Chassis - frame | Replaced, from rear to radiator and correctly reinforced. | Allowed |
| 31800 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Chassis - frame | Additional members added for strength and/or roll cage installation. | Allowed |
| 31810 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Chassis | If faster than 6.50, then meets at least Pro Slammer regulations or SFI 25.1D. | Mandatory |
| 31820 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Brakes | Hydraulic and four wheel. | Mandatory |
| 31830 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Shock absorbers - Front | A minimum of one, per wheel. | Mandatory |
| 31840 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Shock absorbers - Rear | If suspension installed, a minimum of one, per wheel | Mandatory |
| 31850 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Suspension - Front | Front suspension intalled | Mandatory |
| 31860 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Suspension - Rear | Rear suspension optional | Allowed |

| 31870 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Chassis / Frame | Suspension | Lightening, if OEM components. | Forbidden |
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| 31880 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Drivetrain | Rear axle | Track has been narrowed. | Allowed |
| 31890 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Drivetrain | Rear axle | Spool fitted. | Allowed |
| 31900 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Drivetrain | Transmission | Any transmission permitted. | Allowed |
| 31910 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Exhaust | If turbocharged and no muffler, then 2 bolts of 3/8 inch (10 mm) diameter inserted across the diameter of turbine outlet pipe, at right angles to each other. | Mandatory |
| 31920 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Exhaust | If open, directs gases out and to rear of vehicle. | Mandatory |
| 31930 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Exhaust | If open, gases are not directed toward track surface. | Mandatory |
| 31940 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Exhaust | Open. | Allowed |
| 31950 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | EFI | Aftermarket. | Allowed |
| 31960 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Fuel Grade | Petrol, ethanol, LPG, diesel or methanol. | Mandatory |
| 31970 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Engine - location | Any engine location | Allowed |
| 31980 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Engine - modification | Any engine modifications | Allowed |
| 31990 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Supercharger | Turbochargers, superchargers or nitrous oxide injection. | Allowed |
| 32000 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Supercharger | If turbocharged, then using nitrous oxide injection. | Allowed |
| 32010 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Engine | Engine - type | Engine automobile type. | Mandatory |
| 32020 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Interior | Seat | Correctly installed driver's seat. | Mandatory |
| 32030 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Interior | Upholstery | Any upholstery fitted. | Allowed |
| 32040 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Support Group | Electronic Management | If original engine and drivetrain in use and OEM equipment / systems to control steering, brakes, fuel/ignition systems or automatic transmission. | Allowed |
| 32050 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Support Group | Tender vehicles | Tender vehicles in use. | Allowed |
| 32060 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | | If Rotary, (with or without supercharger), then weight break is 952.54 kg (2,100 lbs) | Mandatory |
| 32070 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | | If 6 cylinder, (with or without supercharger), then weight break is 952.54 kg (2,100 lbs) | Mandatory |
| 32080 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | | If 4 cylinder, (with or without supercharger), then weight break is 884.5 kg (1,950 lbs) | Mandatory |
| 32090 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | | If 8 cylinder, (with supercharger), then weight break is 1088.6 kg (2,400 lbs) | Mandatory |
| 32100 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | | If 8 cylinder, (naturally aspirated), then weight break is 952.54 kg (2,100 lbs) | Mandatory |
| 32110 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | Wheelbase | Alterations. | Allowed |
| 32120 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | Wheelbase | If less than 89 inches (2260 mm), then maximum engine size of 250 cubic inches for supercharged 4 and 6 cylinder OR 310 cubic inches, naturally-aspirated V8 with single, 4-barrel carburettor. | Mandatory |
| 32130 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | Wheelbase | If less than 89 inches (2260 mm), then full roll cage and wheelie bars. | Mandatory |
| 32140 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | Wheelbase - variation | The wheelbase variation from left to right is no more than 25 mm (1 inches). | Mandatory |
| 32150 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Vehicle | Drive | Left or right hand. | Allowed |
| 32160 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | | Top Sportsman is a combination of classes being sedans that meet relevant Sportsman regulations and using engine combinations which allow any form of supercharging. | Information |

| 32170 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | If supercharged, then TS/AA | Mandatory |
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| 32180 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | If naturally aspirated, then TS/A | Mandatory |
| 32190 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | Full tree - dial your own format - racing over 1/4 Mile | Mandatory |
| 32191 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | Refer to IHRA seeding sheets available at www.ihra.com.au | Information |
| 32192 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | | Racing is Elimination Style | Mandatory |
| 32200 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Dial-in | If Championship Event, then dial-ins must remain between 0.00 and 8.49 inclusive | Mandatory |
| 32204 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Qualifying | For championship events where the qualifying is reduced to only 1 session, then sportsman classes with a fixed upper E.T. qualifying cut-off will permit competitors who do not qualify within limits to proceed to racing. Competitors will still be required to dial-in within class limits. | Mandatory |
| 32205 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Dial-in | If Championship Event at Springmount Raceway, Palmyra Dragway and Benaraby Raceway then dialins must remain between 0.00 and 8.69 inclusive | Mandatory |
| 32210 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Dial-in | This Bracket consists of all Sedans that qualify between 0.00 and 8.49 seconds or (1/8 mile equivalent). | Mandatory |
| 32260 | Class Reg | TOP SPORTSMAN | Dial-in | If non Championship Event, ET limits can be changed by the track. | Allowed |