



eP1 x 11 BRC FAQs

GENERAL

1. What is the eP1 x 11 BRC variant?

- It is a BRC that uses an *eCourse* package (MSF ePackage 1, referred to as eP1), which integrates the MSF Basic *eCourse* (Level I content) and Human Factors *eCourse* (Level II content), and adds a few activities to the range exercises. (The MSF Human Factors *eCourse* is not currently available as a standalone course.)
- The time for eP1 completion is approximately 5 hours.
- A formal classroom is not required but having one could help complete administrative aspects and other paperwork (waivers and local forms; written knowledge test(s), if required) and other activities.
- Activities conducted on the range are divided into six segments:
 - **SEGMENT 1. PRELIMINARY ACTIVITIES.**
 - Have equipment and materials ready.
 - Have secure storage for materials ready.
 - Use slides if a classroom is available.
 - **SEGMENT 2. AS STUDENTS ARRIVE.**
 - Ensure eP1 *eCourse* completion and other paperwork completed.
 - Review wall chart.
 - Complete visual acuity check.
 - Reinforce peripheral vision activity.
 - Complete pre-ride quiz (group activity using an oversize chart).
 - **SEGMENT 3. AFTER EXERCISE 7. (Stopping More Quickly and Tight Turns from a Stop after completion).**
 - Fatal Vision Goggles.
 - Assumes this is the last riding exercise of the day and exercise 8 immediately follows. If not, this activity is after the last exercise of day 1 and allowing time for participating students to recover from goggle use.
 - No riding (or driving) for several minutes after completion to ensure there are no lingering effects.
 - **SEGMENT 4. BEGINNING DAY 2.**
 - Revisit Rider Self-Assessment Wall Chart.
 - Self-assess per the four riding subtasks.
 - Reinforce risk offset.
 - **SEGMENT 5. AFTER EXERCISE 12. (Multiple Curves and Lane Changes).**
 - Review crash causation.



- SEGMENT 6. AFTER SKILL TEST AND BEFORE DISMISSAL.
 - Review Wall Chart.
 - Reinforce the topic of Emotional Commitment to Safety.
 - Reinforce an appropriate amount of confidence per the Likelihood of Being in a Crash.
 - Remind participants about the five core questions and answers.
 - What is the primary cause of crashes?
 - Interaction of Factors.
 - What does a good rider do?
 - Reduce personal contributing factors.
 - How does a rider reduce factors?
 - A strategy: Search-Evaluate-Execute.
 - How long does it take?
 - A Moment as It Is a Decision.
 - What is the primary challenge?
 - Self-Control with Good Risk Offset.
2. Are Level II activity sheets from the Rider Handbook used?
- No. The pre-riding quiz becomes a group activity using an oversize chart. Completing the quiz can be on the range, in or near a motorcycle storage area, or other appropriate location.
3. What is used from the current BRC Site Kit?
- Rider Self-Assessment Wall Chart(s), with markers and erasers.
 - Visual Acuity Charts. (Note: New visual acuity charts, which are included in future BRC Site Kits, will be double-sided with a 20-foot version on one side and a 10-foot version on the other. They are available separately from the MSF Online Store.)
 - Fatal Vision® Simulation Goggles.
4. Are there any new items?
- Yes, there is one new item. It is an oversize (24x36") Pre-Riding Quiz chart. It is made of vinyl and purchased from the MSF Store (\$48.95 + shipping). A recommendation is to frame it for rigidity and longevity.
5. What other items are useful in the eP1 x 11?
- eP1 range activities are more effective with visual aids. The following items are available as PDFs in RETSORG (in the Library under 'Learn to Ride Programs') and can be printed and framed as 24x36" permanent charts. These items are optional



and can be used on the range or placed conspicuously in a storage area or other location for student access. Recommended are:

- Range Rules.
- Riding Subtasks.
- Risk Offset.
- SEE Chart.
- Five Core Questions/Answers.
- Clock Face.
- QUICK TIPS: Pretend You Are Invisible.
- Fool's Gear / Cool Gear.
- Seriously Safe Top Ten List.
- T-CLOCS Inspection Checklist

6. Where are the added activities for the range placed?

- Before the course begins (RiderCoach preparation reminders).
- Before riding begins.
- After Exercise 7, Stopping More Quickly and Tight Turn from a Stop.
- Before riding begins on day 2.
- After Exercise 12, Multiple Curves and Lane Changes.
- After the skill test.

7. Can the newly added range content be conducted in a regular classroom?

- Yes.

8. May the newly added range content be conducted in a classroom all at one time?

- Although not preferred, it is permissible.

9. How is knowledge testing accomplished?

- The standard of successful completion of at least one knowledge test remains.
- The MSF eP1 eCourse contains the following knowledge tests:
 - The Level I content (MSF Basic eCourse) has knowledge tests at the end of each section.
 - The Level II content (MSF Human Factors eCourse) has an end-of-course cumulative knowledge test.
- A state may choose to require additional in-person written knowledge tests. An additional 60 minutes (30 minutes each for Level I and Level II tests) per session is required to accommodate the extra testing.

10. Are BRC Rider Handbooks required?



- No. Sites may provide Rider Handbooks as an option, but one is not required for an eP1 x 11 BRC. Students can access Rider Handbook content by viewing it online or by referring to their completed eP1 package, which is unlocked once completed.

11. Are new variants available for *RiderCourses* other than the BRC?

- Yes, the ePackage 2 eCourse (eP2) is for the BRC2 variant, and the 3WBRC variant utilizes the same eP1 eCourse as the BRC.
- The current BRC2 remains. An added option for delivery is the eP2 x 6 variant. eP2 consists of the Street Strategies and Human Factors eCourses.
- The current 3WBRC remains. An added option for delivery is the 3WBRC eP1 x 7-9 variant.
 - Unlike the BRC and BRC2, an original 3WBRC Rider Handbook is given to course participants.
 - This variant is to be over 2 days (not a one-day course).

RIDERCOACHES

12. How does a RiderCoach earn certification in eP1 x 11?

- Enroll in the eP1 x 11 Variant Certification Course in the MSF Qualifications Center (Q-Center) and complete the following items:
 - View the eP1 eCourse (no completion certificate is generated for RiderCoaches taking eP1 in the Q-Center).
 - Download and review the eP 1x 11 BRC FAQ document, new range cards (watermarked), and 2022 RCG.
 - View an online video session to review the FAQ document, range cards, and 2022 RCG.
 - Complete the eP1 x 11 Certification Acknowledgment.
 - Order the new range cards from the MSF Online Store.

13. Does eP1 x 11 certification apply to the BRC2 and 3WBRC?

- The eP1 x 11 certification applies to the BRC2 if/when certified in the BRC2.
- The eP1 x 11 certification applies to the 3WBRC if/when certified in the 3WBRC.

14. Are separate range cards needed?

- Yes. The eP1 x 11 BRC, eP2 x 6 BRC2, and eP1 x 7-9 3WBRC range cards have box-in text to call attention to the specific action steps and added range cards with detailed lesson plans.



15. Is a new RiderCoach Guide (RCG) needed?

- Yes, the 2022 edition is downloadable and printable. There is not a formal hard copy.

RIDERCOACH TRAINERS

16. How are RiderCoach Trainers affected?

- RCPs are to continue using pre-2022 materials until further notice.
- Graduating RiderCoaches will then need to complete the eP1 x 11 certification process in the Q-Center before teaching the eP1 x 11 BRC variant.
- Once the RCT certification process is in place for eP1 x 11, the following must be completed before conducting an RCP using 2022 materials:
 - Certify as a RiderCoach in the BRC eP1 x 11 variant.
 - Download and review the 2022 RCTG. It will be digital only.
 - Complete an online session to review the 2022 RCTG.

ADMINISTRATIVE

17. What are the advantages of adopting the eP1 x 11 variant?

- A more contemporary experience for participants.
- A more consistent experience.
- A more streamlined delivery.

18. What is the BRC eP1 x 11 variant?

- It is a BRC variant with approximately 5 hours of online pre-course work using the ePackage 1 eCourse and 11 hours of range work.
- The range exercises do not change but there is additional time for select learning activities.
- Some items from the BRC Site Kit are used.
- A new item is a 24x36 inch vinyl chart of the Pre-Riding Quiz. It is available in the MSF Online Store. Also available is a 10-foot version of the eye chart, which is now on the backside of the 20-foot eye chart.

19. What is ePackage 1?

- ePackage 1 is an online course where the MSF Basic eCourse and the MSF Human Factors eCourse are seamlessly integrated. The newer MSF Basic eCourse has video enhancements and 360-degree virtual reality experiences. The MSF Human Factors eCourse is totally new and addresses the behavioral aspects of riding,



commonly referred to as Level II content. The MSF Human Factors *eCourse* is not currently available as a standalone online course.

20. Does the BRC eP1 x 11 variant require a formal classroom?

- No. As an option, a formal classroom can accommodate administrative paperwork and/or written tests. The weather may necessitate the need for a classroom-type area.

21. Are the other BRC variants available?

- Yes. The e3x5x10 and the 5x5x10 are available. The 5x10 BRC is being phased out, so all BRC graduates have a more robust and complete learn-to-ride experience. The 5 x 10 BRC will cease to be recognized as an MSF-approved course on July 1, 2023.
- ePackage variants are also available for the BRC2 and the 3WBRC.
 - For the BRC2: An eP2 x 6 variant is available. Certification in the eP1 x 11 BRC is required to purchase the materials (the 2022 BRC2 range cards).
 - For the 3WBRC: An eP1 x 7-9 variant is available. Certification in the 3WBRC and the BRC eP1 x 11 variant is required to purchase the materials (the 2022 3WBRC range cards).
- There is no online separate RiderCoach certification session for the new BRC2 or 3WBRC variants. The eP1 x 11 certification applies to the BRC2 if/when certified in the BRC2. The eP1 x 11 certification applies to the 3WBRC if/when certified in the 3WBRC.

22. What is the new BRC2 variant?

- The ePackage 2 course (eP2) integrates MSF Street Strategies *eCourse* with the MSF Human Factors *eCourse* (the Level II content), which makes for a BRC2-LW eP2 x 6 program. The eP2 is a 4-hour online course.

23. What is the new 3WBRC variant?

- The ePackage 1 course (eP1) integrates the MSF Basic *eCourse* with the MSF Human Factors *eCourse* (the Level II content), which makes for a 3WBRC eP1 x 7-9 program.
- Range time varies per the motorcycle sharing option.
- The 3WBRC eP1 x 7-9 variant cannot be offered as a one-day course. It must be conducted over at least 2 days since it is a novice learn-to-ride course.
- A 3WBRC Rider Handbook must be given to course participants.

24. Will this affect RERP course types?



- Minimally. As states work with MSF to adopt the ePackage variants, MSF will adjust database settings to allow the course(s) for RERPs in that state. No RERP/range paperwork is necessary. For questions, contact RERP at rerp@msf-usa.org.

25. Will items in the BRC Site Kit change?

- Yes, newer BRC Sites Kits will include the oversize Pre-Riding Quiz. The new eye charts are double-sided and have a 20-foot version on one side and 10-foot version on the other to accommodate smaller areas.

26. Are other BRC ePackage items available?

- Yes. PDFs for use in the eP1 x 11 BRC and eP1 x 7-9 3WBRC are available in RETSORG for printing optional oversize charts. These PDFs include:
 - Range rules.
 - Riding subtasks.
 - Risk offset.
 - SEE chart.
 - The five core questions and answers.
 - The clock face from the Rider Handbook (points out that 77.1% of collision factors are between 11 and 1 o'clock position on a clock face).
 - QUICK TIPS: Pretend You Are Invisible.
 - Fool's Gear / Cool Gear.
 - Seriously Safe Top Ten List.
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