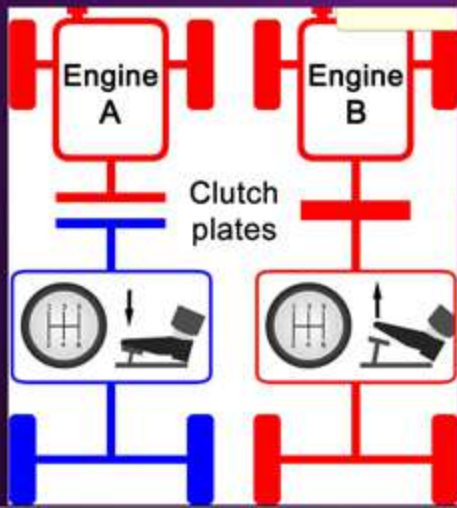


# **AVOID CAR COASTING AND HAVE A SAFE DRIVE**

## ***WHAT IS COASTING DRIVING?***

When you are driving a car downhill with either pressing the clutch or the gear stick in neutral or both at the same time – it is known as coasting.



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## WHAT HAPPENS WHEN COASTING DRIVING?

While coasting, your wheels remain disengaged from the engine, which leads to engine braking and requires the gears to slow down, which is nearly impossible.

## WHY IS COASTING A BAD DRIVING TECHNIQUE?

Whether it is coasting downhill, coasting to stop or in any other circumstance. There are various reasons why coasting is bad -

- 01** You can pick up high speed, and go way faster than you otherwise would.
- 02** You face less control and you can't control the speed via engine braking, since the engine is not connected to the wheels.
- 03** It becomes a challenging task to take a safe & steady line around the corner, and have lesser control if you have to cross the path of another road user or any other hazard.

If you need to re-engage the gears to deal with the obstacles, then you will have less time to do that if you are not coasting.



# ***Is COASTING BAD FOR YOUR CAR?***

Coasting affects the condition of the car. As you go way faster, the mechanical brakes act more aggressively which can wear out the brakes quickly.

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