

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT Stop Sign Infractions

What does Georgia law say about when and where you should stop at a stop sign?

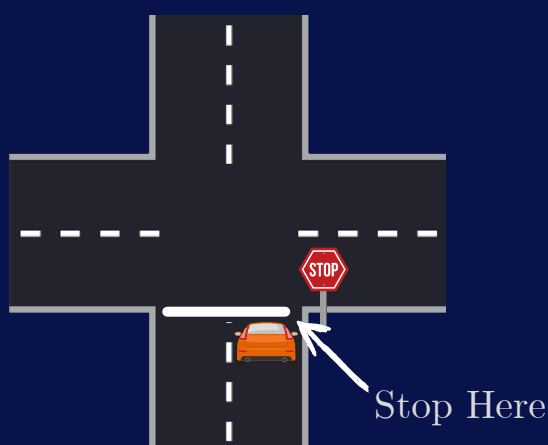


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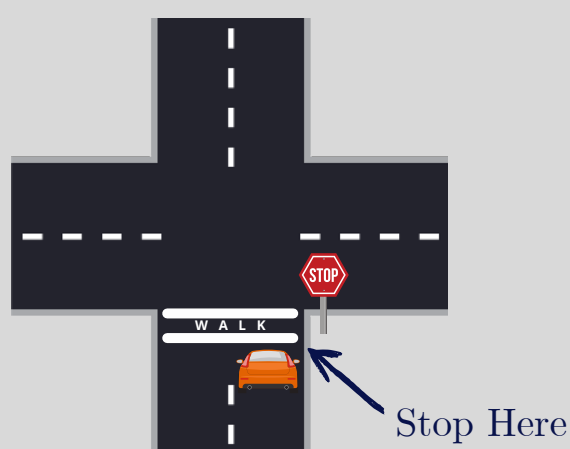
Fast Facts

Code Section: O.C.G.A. §40-6-72
Misdemeanor Offense
3-Points on License After Conviction



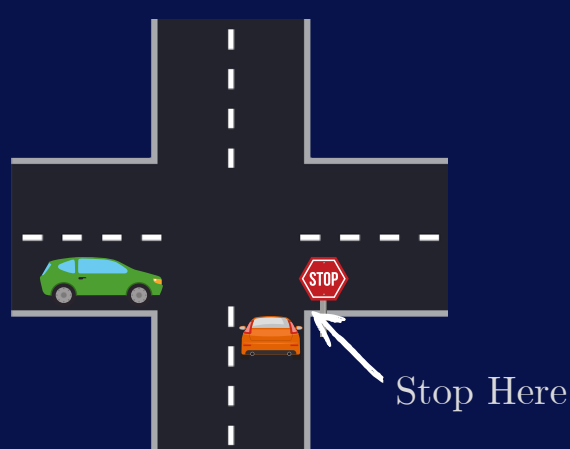
If There Is A Stop Line

"Every driver of a vehicle approaching a stop sign shall stop at a clearly marked stop line."



If There Is a Crosswalk

Stop "before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection."



If There Is No Crosswalk

If there is no crosswalk or stop line, stop "at the point nearest the intersecting roadway where the driver has a view of approaching traffic on the intersecting roadway before entering it."

After stopping, drivers must "yield the right of way to any vehicle in the intersection or approaching on another roadway so closely as to constitute an immediate hazard during the time when such driver is moving across or within the intersection or junction of roadways."